

The Citaro K

Short and sweet







What can you expect from a Mercedes-Benz? More

There are buses. And then there are Mercedes-Benz buses. In today's fiercely competitive market, it's the star that makes all the difference, giving you that decisive lead – and the comforting feeling of having done the best for your company's future.

At the cutting edge. Mercedes-Benz has assumed responsibility for the bus like no other manufacturer. And not simply because Carl Benz built the world's first motorised bus in 1895. But also because Mercedes-Benz has honed it ever since into a high-performance, safe and environmentally friendly mode of transport. And that's why today you'll find Mercedes-Benz buses come with advanced, practical solutions for tomorrow's challenges – ensuring you remain that vital step ahead of your competitors. After all, we take our responsibility very seriously.

Citaro K highlights

It is the smallest member of the Citaro family. Yet when the situation calls for hard-nosed economy, and comfort for passengers, it offers all the same advantages as its bigger stablemates: the Citaro K.

Size is relative, economy isn't. With the Citaro K you benefit firstly from a favourable purchase price, since it is made entirely of high-quality components from the Citaro modular system. And secondly, it starts to pay its way quickly due to its flexibility in operation. Narrow, winding inner-city streets or bus routes with smaller numbers of passengers: the Citaro K offers just the right dimensions and outstanding manoeuvrability for a wide range of passenger transport tasks. Plus, if you require it, capacity for up to 87 people. Putting it well above the capabilities of conventional minibuses.

Making local public transport more attractive. With an appearance that makes a convincing impression all round, the Citaro K adds the dimension of good looks to regular-service transport. The striking design of the Citaro turns even the "junior" member of the Citaro family into an appealing calling card for your transport company. But even more important is the fact that the Citaro K also boasts all the Citaro's usual comfort and convenience-enhancing features: a low-floor design throughout, easy access and exit, and excellent interior appointments. All complemented by superb handling. Thanks to a wide range of equipment options, you can put together just the right bus to suit your own specific requirements, thereby boosting your company's competitiveness.









A big figure in regular service

The special quality of the Citaro derives from first-class components, systematic checks at all stages of the manufacturing process and ultra-modern production facilities. All of which also benefits the Citaro K. And soon you too, perhaps.

An attractive investment. Measuring 10.5 metres in length, the Citaro K may be the shortest of the Citaro regular-service buses. But it is a true great in terms of passenger-carrying capacity, with room for up to 87 people on board. What's more, the favourable purchase price translates into an extremely low cost per passenger, thus making your calculations easier. The Citaro K is therefore especially suitable for routes with lower passenger volumes. On top of all this, it offers a level of comfort that sets new standards for European regular-service buses.

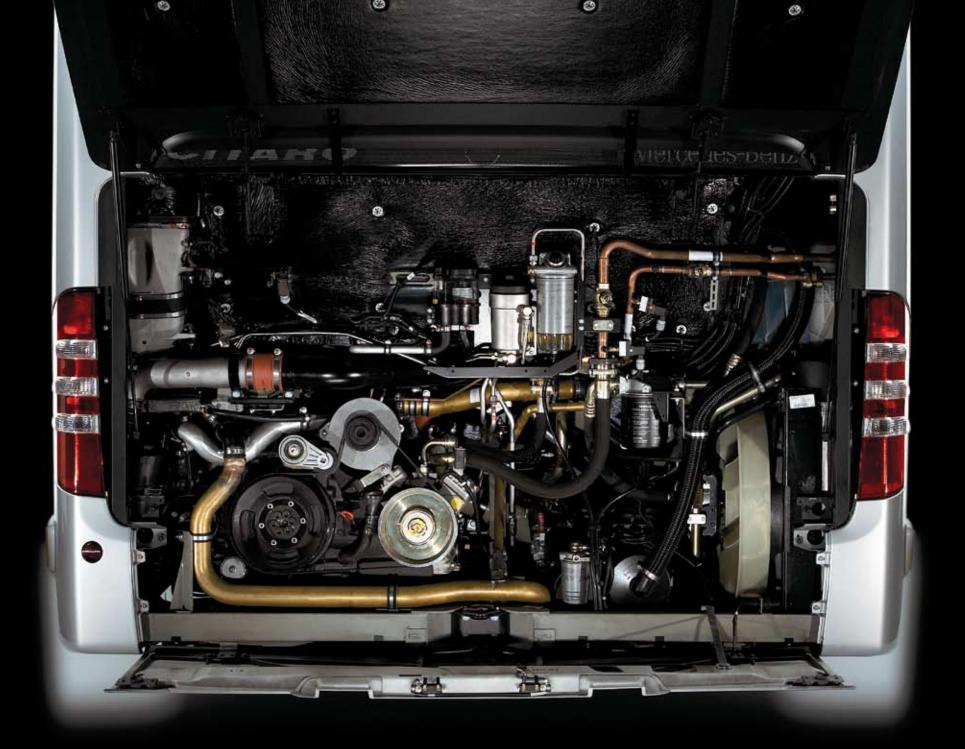
Comfort for both driver and passengers. In the clearly laid-out, generous interior of the Citaro K, your passengers will immediately feel at ease, thanks among other things to the comfortable, hard-wearing seats and the flexible grab-rail system. And there's also plenty of comfort for the person at the wheel, too: numerous fine details and stowage compartments enhance this ergonomically designed workplace and make it possible for the driver to work in a relaxed atmosphere and concentrate fully on the traffic. Thereby making an important contribution to greater road safety.

One of the greats, down to the smallest detail

The foundation for the international success enjoyed by the Citaro family is the high-quality engineering from Mercedes-Benz, giving it long-lasting advantages in the tough, competitive market of local public transport.

Economical, powerful and eco-friendly. A force to be reckoned with in local transport: the 210 kW engine featuring Mercedes-Benz BlueTec® diesel technology provides excellent performance in every way. The engine complies with the strict Euro V or EEV limits and is therefore especially kind to the environment. With fuel consumption down by as much as 6 percent compared with its predecessor, it offers the sort of savings that really pay their way, particularly with fuel prices at today's constantly high levels.

Manoeuvrable and safe. The Citaro K is a unique low-floor bus in that it features independent front suspension – for outstanding ride comfort as well as excellent manoeuvrability. Its turning circle of 17.24 metres puts it right in front in this vehicle category. Even those narrow streets in the old part of town are easy to negotiate. The Citaro K therefore opens up new possibilities for your business, boosting the flexibility of your fleet.



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