

The Citaro Ü

Low-floor comfort for town and country







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 Ü highlights

Quality, flexibility and comfort in the interests of overall cost-effectiveness: the Citaro Ü is the ideal solution for rural connections to your urban regular-service network.

The Citaro Ü is a paying proposition for you. Uncompromising cost-effectiveness is the key: produced exclusively with high-quality components from the Citaro modular system, the Citaro Ü impresses with both a favourable purchase price and high reliability. Not to mention an extremely economical engine and very easy maintenance. All this helps to ensure that the lifecycle costs of the Citaro Ü remain at a very low level.

Keep your operation flexible. The Citaro Ü has everything it takes to be a multiple earner for your business. Thanks to its great operating flexibility, you can use it for much more than just peripheral routes. It is also the ideal solution for city tours and excursions, or as a shuttle bus. A wide range of appointments enables you to realise just the right vehicle for your specific requirements, thereby improving your competitiveness.

Comfort is trumps – on rural routes, too. Your passengers will be impressed by the low floor throughout, high-quality appointments and spaciousness. And its attractive external appearance also makes it an eyecatching mobile advertisement for your business. With its striking, modern lines it is already recognisable as a Mercedes-Benz from a distance. Which means that with the Citaro Ü, you and your service will benefit from the special reputation attached to the Mercedes star worldwide.







A valuable addition to your fleet

The Citaro Ü is a solid performer: its particularly economical, environmentally friendly drive system and its ride comfort will make it a real star in your fleet.

Powerful and yet economical. The Citaro Ü is powered by engines based on Mercedes-Benz BlueTec® diesel technology, with an output of either 210 kW or 260 kW. Both engine variants meet the stringent Euro V and EEV limits, and are therefore particularly friendly to the environment. Fuel consumption up to 6 percent lower than that of the preceding generation represents a real saving that quickly pays off for you in these days of continuing high fuel prices.

Plenty of space for lots of comfort. A regular-service bus for the needs of today: low entry heights at the front and rear allow easy access and egress, ensuring a smooth flow of passengers. The base version of the Citaro Ü is designed for 44 seats, and will accommodate a total of 83

passengers, so this all-rounder has 12 more seats than the comparable Citaro city bus. The interior gives a spacious and welcoming impression, which is reinforced by the modular ceiling with lighting strips and loudspeakers. Thanks to spacious and attractive luggage shelves, you can use it equally well for regular and rural-service routes.

Comfortable by design. Noticeably more passenger comfort: the Citaro $\ddot{\mathbf{U}}$ has a first-class suspension system which is comparable to that of a touring coach. Its sophisticated front axle with independent suspension and excellent springs makes every journey a pleasure right from the start.





The A-to-Z of safety

The bus is one of the world's safest modes of transport, thanks in no small part to Mercedes-Benz innovations. See the advantages of the Mercedes-Benz integral safety concept for yourself.

Safety that leaves nothing to chance. Since the invention of the motorised bus by Carl Benz, Mercedes-Benz has been pioneering the further development of bus and coach safety. Many of the innovations that are standard today made their debut in a vehicle bearing the Mercedes star. Mercedes-Benz pursues the vision of accident-free driving, with the Mercedes-Benz integral safety concept contributing substantially to realising this aim. By consistently implementing the safety philosophy, this concept covers all stages of vehicle safety: from handling safety through safety in hazardous situations, protection in the event of an accident to minimising the consequences of an accident. After all, you can never be too safe.

Safety that has everything under control. The driver's working environment is a crucial safety factor. Perfected ergonomics reduce the driver's workload throughout the day. They have all switches and controls at their fingertips and a perfect view of all instruments and displays. This enables them to work in a relaxed seating position and concentrate fully on the road ahead.

A firm foundation. Your passengers will enjoy outstanding, all-round accident protection in the Citaro Ü. Because the body skeleton of durable, electrically welded square tubes is highly damage-resistant. Continuous annular frame members and diagonal bracing ensure that the skeleton has a high level of transverse and torsional rigidity, with guaranteed roll-over resistance to ECE-R 66 EG. The side walls are additionally reinforced with longitudinal straps for particularly effective side impact protection.

OMNI*plus* – a partner that keeps your business on the move







Service that's always there for you

Keep moving. OMNI*plus*, the service partner for your Mercedes-Benz bus or coach will help you do just that thanks to the closest-knit bus and coach-specific service network in the whole of Europe, the ServiceCard, *24h SERVICE* as well as OMNI*plus*-approved genuine parts and accessories, all with the quality you'd expect from OMNI*plus*. We also offer the OMNI*plus* TireService and, covering all of Germany, the OMNI*plus* BusPool. For the best possible level of assistance in the event of a breakdown.

Choose from a range of options that delivers what it promises

Benefit from extensive workshop expertise. The OMNI*plus* ServiceSelect service contract model provides you with a customised service package for repair and maintenance, allowing you to increase the operational readiness of your fleet – with reliable fixed costs and no nasty surprises. All of which means you can plan your vehicle operating costs more accurately and also benefit from minimal downtime and administrative overheads.

Training camp for professionals

Whether it's safety training, eco-training, technology training or communication training – OMNI*plus* enables you to specifically hone your technical skills and build on your know-how. And, of course, OMNI*plus* driver training courses qualify as continuing education under the Professional Drivers' Qualification Law.







Europe-wide selection of used vehicles

OMNI*plus* offers you a large selection of used vehicles throughout Europe. Our network of 25 used vehicle centres and the numerous online offers on our website make it easy for you to find the right bus or coach. Detailed information and suitable vehicles can be found on the Internet at www.usedvehicles.omniplus.com

Financial services tailored specifically for buses and coaches

Our bus and coach-specific financing, leasing and insurance services provide you with an extremely fair solution to your operating requirements. The experts from Mercedes-Benz Bank will provide you with specific advice and put together a compelling package for you tailored to your personal requirements.

Latest news and in-depth information

We do our utmost to constantly improve and extend the OMNI*plus* service line-up, not least because we are determined to make sure you'll also go away entirely satisfied in future. Take a look on the Internet for the very latest news and detailed information on all our services, simply by going to www.omniplus.com

