

The Citaro G

A big advantage in regular-service transport







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 G highlights

The Citaro G is the systematic extension of what goes to make efficient, reliable local public transport. Designed to carry large numbers of passengers. Built for success.

Capacity plus quality equals economy. On routes with high passenger throughputs you benefit not only from the Citaro G's considerable capacity, but also from its high reliability. The Citaro G is built using proven, high-grade components from the Citaro modular system, offering quality down to the last detail. This is matched by the particularly economical Euro V or EEV drive systems with Mercedes-Benz BlueTec® diesel technology plus exceptional ease of maintenance which significantly cuts downtimes. The overall result is low long-term lifecycle costs.

Add attractiveness to your list of assets. With its distinctive looks the Citaro has always been something of a trailblazer in the local public transport sector. And the Citaro G continues this successful tradition by taking the

design vocabulary an impressive stage further. With an unmistakable Mercedes-Benz face rounding off the convincing overall appearance. So from front to rear, the Citaro G acts as an advertisement for the attractiveness of your public transport operation.

Maximum comfort for maximum satisfaction. The Citaro G offers your passengers a low-floor design throughout as well as easy and convenient entry and exit. In the clearly laid-out, generous interior your passengers will immediately feel at home. With a wide range of equipment options the Citaro G makes it easy for you to put together just the right bus for your specific regular-service transport tasks and to delight your passengers with the result.







Engineering that puts you streets ahead

Put your trust in a tried-and-tested regular-service bus concept, exemplified by the outstanding engineering in the Mercedes-Benz Citaro family - engineering that pushes the Citaro G ahead of the competition again and again.

Agility coupled with stability. The Citaro G is easy to manoeuvre even in narrow inner-city streets. A proven low-floor articulation joint complete with a unique antijackknifing control system connects the front and rear sections. This design makes for high levels of stability and manoeuvrability. The Citaro G can even be manoeuvred with confidence when reversing. In such situations, the independent front suspension also plays its part, not only making it one of the most agile buses in its class, but also enhancing safety and delivering a level of ride comfort that is exceptional in a regular-service bus.

Powerful and economical. The imposing, 17.94-metre length of the Citaro G is propelled by powerful, fuel-efficient engines which deliver either 220 kW or 260 kW and which boast Mercedes-Benz BlueTec® diesel technology. Both engine versions comply with the strict Euro V or EEV limits, making them especially eco-friendly. With fuel consumption down by as much as 6 percent compared with their predecessors, they offer the sort of savings that really pay their way, particularly with fuel prices at today's constantly high levels.



True greatness comes from within

The Citaro G's impressive economy is matched by its high-quality interior. The pleasant ambience it provides says a lot for you as a bus operator. And the comfortable workplace it provides says a lot for you as an employer.

More comfort. The Citaro G is most at home when dealing with large numbers of passengers. The three-door version has room for 158 people on board whilst its four-door counterpart can carry 159 passengers. A low-floor design throughout, stretching from the first to the last row of seats, ensures a high level of comfort and a fast flow of passengers. The comfortable, hard-wearing seats together with the flexible grab-rail system are also fully geared to the needs of today's public transport. Based on cost per passenger, the Citaro G is extremely inexpensive to buy and run. Indeed it is often the most economical solution of all for routes with high passenger volumes.

More safety. Mercedes-Benz plays a trailblazing role when it comes to bus and coach safety, pursuing the vision of accident-free driving. The Mercedes-Benz integral safety concept contributes substantially to achieving this aim. By systematically implementing the philosophy of safety, this concept covers all stages of vehicle safety:

from handling safety through safety in hazardous situations and protection in the event of an accident to minimising the consequences of an accident.

In the Citaro G, too, you will find the integral safety concept from Mercedes-Benz put into practice without any compromises. One example of this is the strong annular frame construction coupled with reinforced longitudinal side rails, providing passengers with particularly effective protection in the event of a rear-end collision. Another major safety factor in regular-service buses is the driver's workplace. For this reason the cockpit in the Citaro G has been meticulously designed to ergonomic principles so as to take as much strain off the driver as possible while he or she is at the wheel. Switches and controls are all placed where they are easy to reach and do not distract the driver. Can there be any better protection for your passengers than a driver concentrating fully on the job? After all, you can never be too safe.



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