



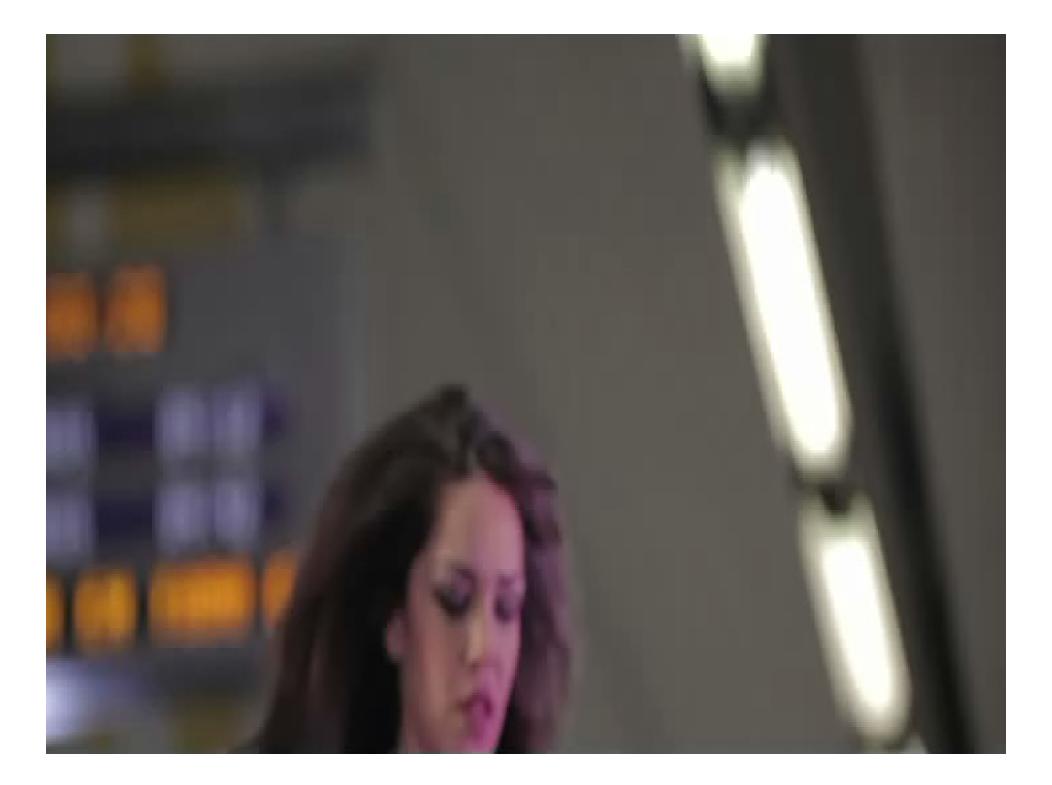
Ferrocarrils de la Generalitat Valenciana



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A bit of history







One hundred years ago, the Alicante to Denia railway was born, run by E.S.A

(Ferrocarriles Estrategicos y Secundarios de Alicante)







In the 1960's E.S.A. ran into financial difficulties and was taken over by F.E.V.E the Government-owned company running nationalised narrow gauge railways.

The Alicante-Denia operated jointly with the Carcagente-Denia railway, sharing their facilities in Denia





Steam gave way to the diesel multiple units





The line was known by the local people as "EL TRENET" (Valenciano meaning "LITTLE TRAIN")

In 1987, the Alicante-Denia line was taken over by the Generalitat Valenciana (Valencia's Regional Government). That same year Ferrocarrils de la Generalitat Valenciana (FGV) was created to run and maintain the railway.

Since then, many things have changed



From "el trenet" to the TRAM



Carrabiners halt, in the 90's







From "el trenet" to the TRAM



The station buildings were refurbished and modernised



Alicante La Marina station



From "el trenet" to the TRAM







New FGV trains for the XXI Century





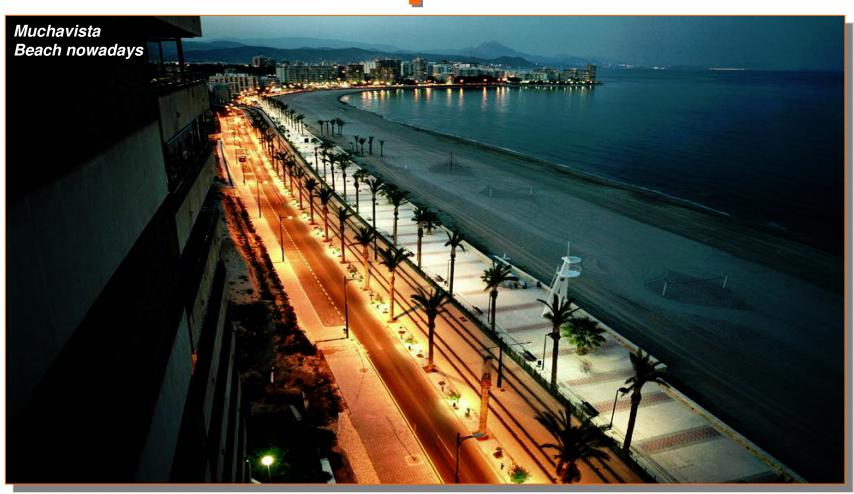


• A single, narrow-gauge heavy railway line became an electrified double-track light railway platform











• New sheds and maintenance facilities were built for the new vehicles.







• Level crossings were eliminated, either by reorganising the surrounding area or by building overbridges







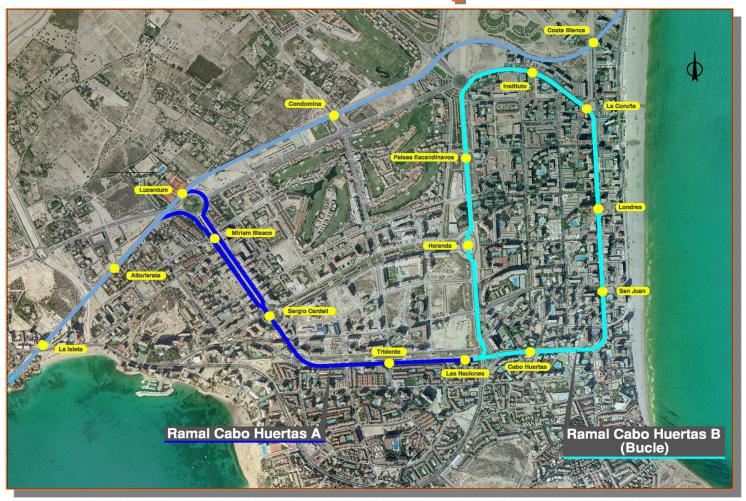
 TRAM reached the center of Alicante by means of underground tunnels and stations

















A new line was built in Cabo Huertas and Playa de San Juan, a fast growing area







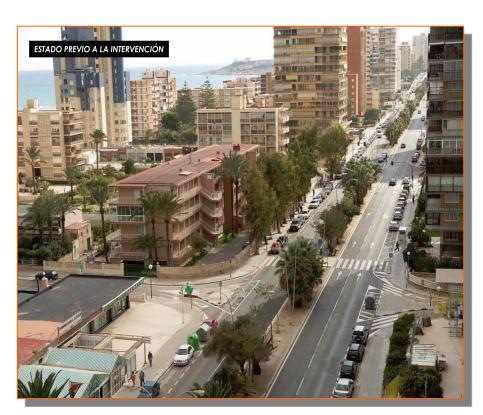






Av. Costa Blanca







Av. Costa Blanca – C/ Escòcia











TRAM in La Sangueta area, site of a future Exhibition and Congress Center



TRAM network



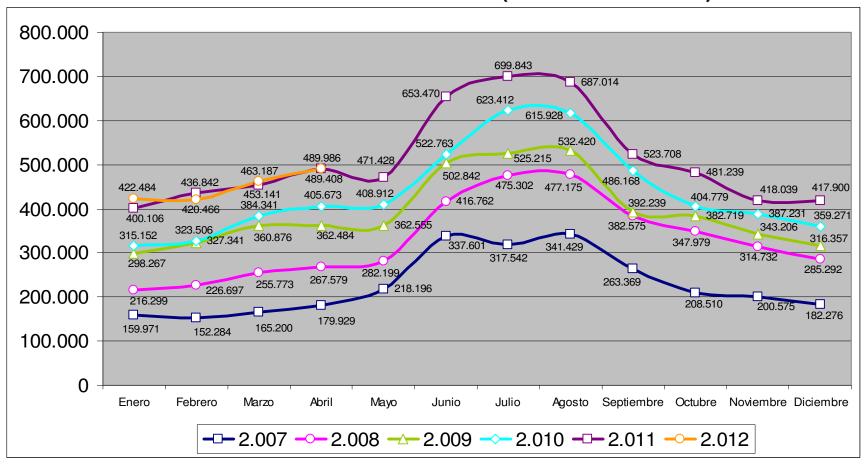
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					LÍNEA 1	LÍNEA 3	LÍNEA 4	LANZ. 4L	LÍNEA 9
Línea 1	Luceros - Benidorm	43,410	16,401	27,009	-	14,259	6,171	1	-
Línea 3	Luceros - El Campello	14,259	12,800	1,459	14,259	-	6,171	-	-
Línea 4	Luceros - Pl. La Coruña	9,954	6,414	3,540	6,171	6,171	-	-	
Lanzadera 4L	Puerta del Mar - Sangueta	1,359		1,359	-	-	-	-	
Línea 9	Benidorm - Dénia	50,831		50,831	-	-	-	-	

PRESENT TRAM LINES AND FUTURE L2 TO ST VICENT DEL RASPEIG



TRAM's passengers

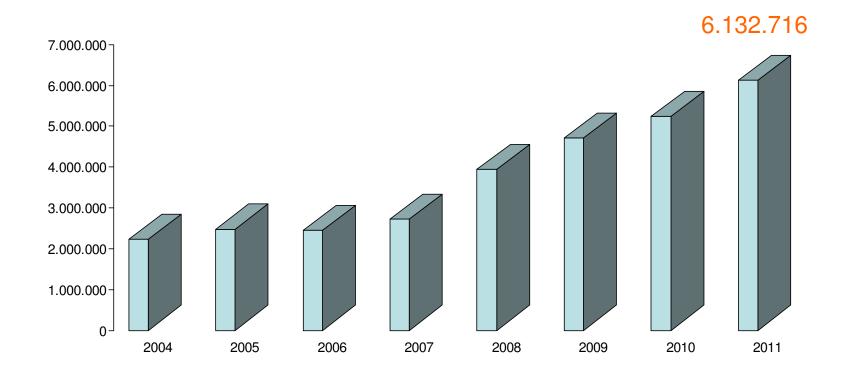
PASSENGER GROWTH IN THE LAST 5 YEARS (MONTH BY MONTH)





TRAM's passengers

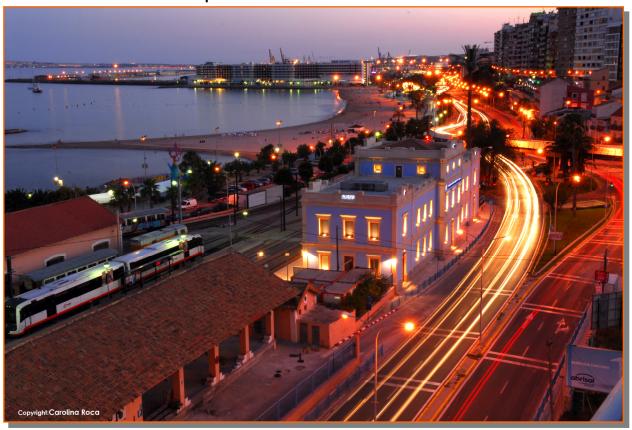
PASSENGER GROWTH BEFORE & AFTER TRAM'S IMPLEMENTATION (YEARLY)





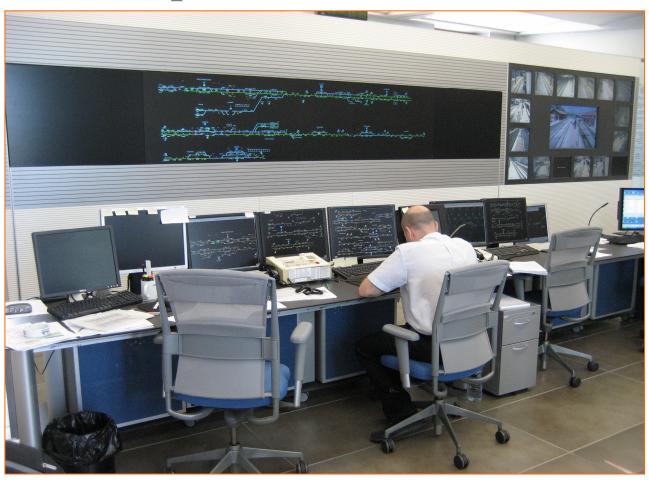
Main ops & admin facilities

• TRAM's main facilities are located in La Marina station in Alicante which continues to be the Alicante-Denia line headquarters





Ops Control





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SHEDS & MAINTENANCE

FACILITIES







EL CAMPELLO DEPOT

FGV's electric units are maintained in El Campello Depot

The roof has been used to install energycreating Photovoltaic plates

El Campello Depot



MAIN SHED





MAINTENANCE FACILITIES

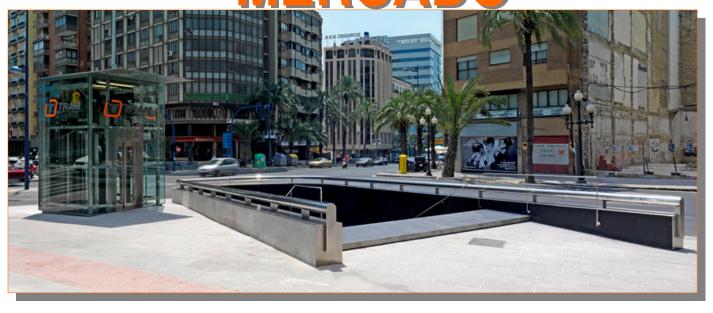








UNDERGROUND STATIONS:



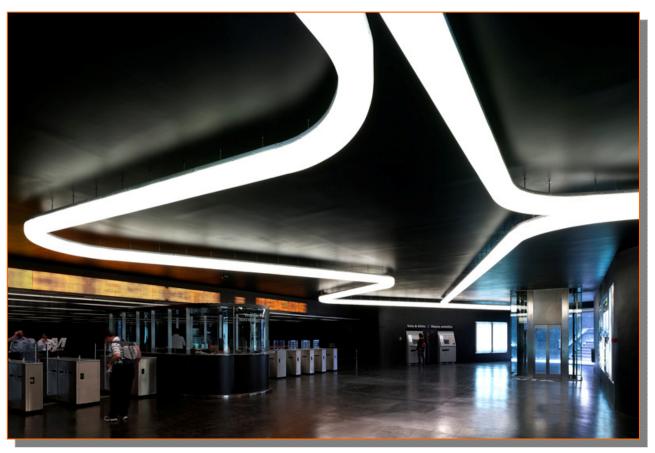




Stairs to the station



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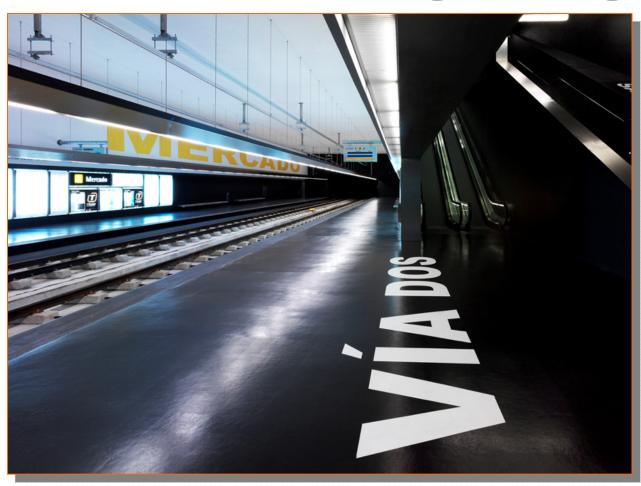




Main hall



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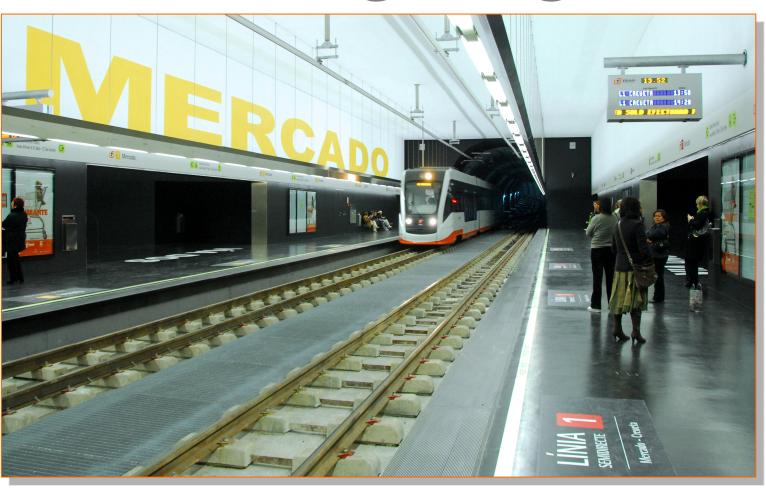




Platforms



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UNDERGROUND STATIONS: MARQ

















MARQ











UNDERGROUND STATIONS:

LUCEROS











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Ap. Sergio Cardell (L4)





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Apeadero Holanda (L4)





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SERIES 4200 TRAM

Tram units



DESCRIPCIÓN	
Longitud total	32,510
Altura total (caja / total)	3,500
№ de coches	5
Anchura	2400
Tipo de unión	Articulada
Tensión de alimentación	750 V cc.
Peso	39,084
Tipo de bogies (M / R)	De ejes convencionales
№ de bogies	3
S. primera	Caucho-acero
S. secundaria	Muelles helicoidales
Potencia	420 KW
Pendiente máxima	6%
Radio mínimo	22m (18 cocheras)
Capacidad (6 p/m²)	264 (210 / 54)
№ puertas (CC-RB-RL-TOTAL)	12
Velocidad máxima	70 km/h
Aceleración (máx. / 0-10 / Med. / Res)	1,1 m/s²
E. centralizado de control y diagnóstico	VTCU (Tren / vehíc.) MVB (vehíc.)
Sistema información integrado	IBU - ELA
Escalones retráctites	SÍ
Equipo aire acondicionado (viajeros / cabina)	SÍ
Videovigilancia y Retrovisión con cámaras	SÍ
Preparación expedición / cancelación autom.	SÍ



SRS 4100 TRAIN-TRAM

Tram units



DESCRIPCIÓN	
Longitud total	37m
Altura total	3,48m
Composición del tren	3 coches articulados
Anchura	2,55m
Altura de acceso sobre rail	360mm
Porcentaje acceso bajo (coches externos)	60%
Piso altura choche intermedio	900mm
Altura piso	375/900mm
Puertas eléctricas dobles de acceso	4
Diámetro de rueda (nueva/gastada)	720/660mm
Ancho de vía	1m
Peso del coche cargado (8pas/m²)	69t
Peso del coche (vacío)	55,5t
Carga máxima por eje (10pas/m²)	10t
Carga de compresión	600kN
Mínimo radio de curva horizontal	30m
Mínimo radio de curva vertical	1200
Velocidad máxima	100km/h
Aceleración	1,2m/s ²
Deceleración emergencia	2,6/s²
Pendiente máxima	60‰
Asientos viajeros / asientos plegables	92/6
Plazas (total / sentados)	300/98
Ubicación para cochecitos y sillas de ruedas	2



BUILDING LUCEROS STATION

Without any doubt, TRAM's main challenge was to reach the very heart of Alicante: Luceros Square.

Building the underground station was a massive engineering masterpiece. To be able to work on open air, the fountain located in the middle of the Square since 1930, had to be removed piece by piece.

Whilst the station was being built, the fountain's pieces were being refurbished and restored to their former glory



Building Luceros



New line 2











Bulevar del Pla



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Santa Isabel

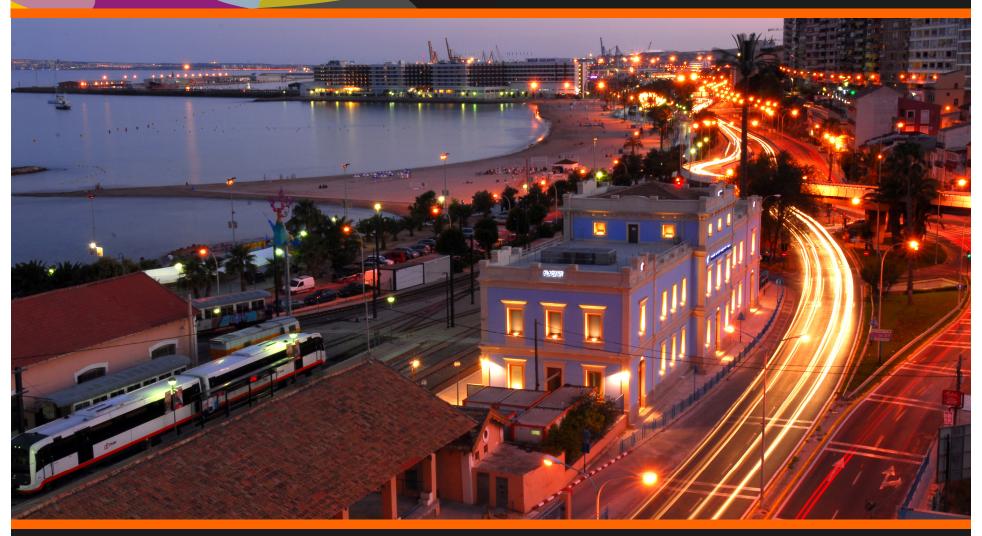




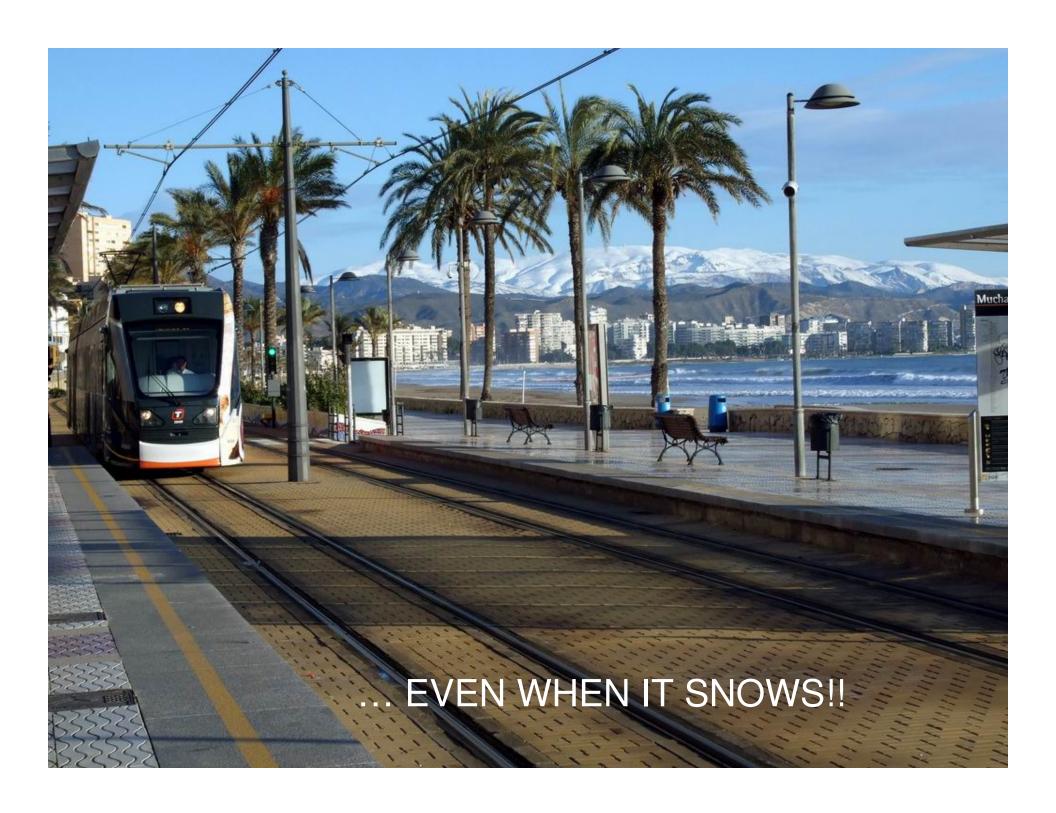


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TRAM – Improving metropolitan transport







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