

## Travel through the Eastern block with the European East Pass.

The European East Pass combines travel in **Austria, Czech Republic, Hungary, and Slovakia**. Enjoy the unique character and history of each region at your own pace, by train, and in first or second class.

A day of rail travel is a 24 hour period from midnight to midnight. This allows for unlimited travel on any number of trains for each day. Travel days may be used consecutively or non-consecutively.

## European East Pass Information

### General information

- To start using the pass it must be validated at a European train station before your first journey.
- Each further day of travel must be entered on your pass before you board the train.
- Unlimited travel on the national rail networks of Czech Republic, Slovakia, Austria and Hungary
- Travel on Leo Express and RegioJet (privately-owned companies) is not included with the European East Pass.
- The European East Pass is valid on all non-stop trains on the German leg of the section between Kufstein and Salzburg if the traveller does not change trains or leave the train.

## Payment & Ticketing

### Conditions:

- Residents of Czech Republic, Slovakia, Austria and Hungary are not eligible to purchase or use a European East Pass.
- Passes must be validated within 6 months of issuing date by a railway official in one of the five countries covered by the pass.
- Passes must be validated prior to boarding first train/ first bonus offer.
- Seat reservation fees are an additional charge and not inclusive in the cost of the pass.
- Night Train rule:
  - This rule means that you only need to use 1 travel day when you travel on night trains in Europe
  - Enter the date of departure on your Eurail pass travel calendar
  - If your night train departs after midnight this still counts as day of departure
- Comprehensive conditions of use on the ticket cover.

We also recommend that you take out suitable travel insurance to cover (as a minimum) the costs incurred if you cancel your trip.

## Cancellation & Amendments

### Conditions:

- A \$20 per pass fee applies for amendments to unused passes returned within one year of issuing date.
- Passes must be presented for refund unused and not validated.

- A fee of \$30 per person, per pass applies to totally unused passes returned within one year of issuing date.
- No partial refunds.
- Eurail Passes cannot be reissued if lost or stolen.

**European East Rail Pass Fact Sheet**

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