

Map
eightolives
Trains

2:08 PM

North Station -
Commuter Rail*

25.8 mi

Show/Hide Alerts:

Train Board

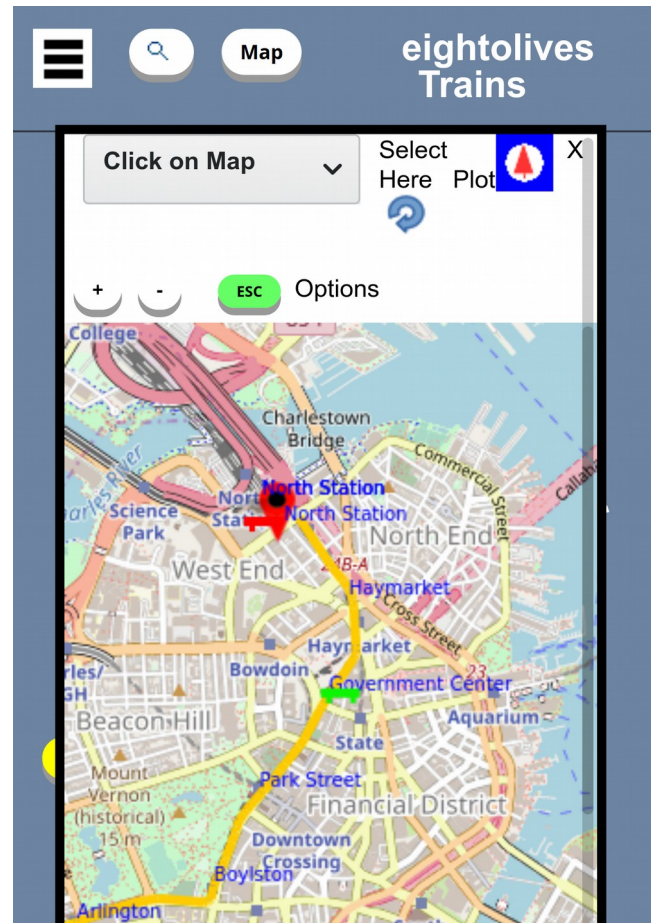
2:19 PM	11 min	to North Station: Inbound 2204 Haverhill Line On time IN_TRANSIT_TO North Station
2:20 PM	12 min!	to Rockport: Outbound 2107 Newburyport / Rockport Line Now boarding Track 1

Using eightolives Trains

A transit web-app for the Northeast.

Trains
Subways
Buses

Schedules
Real Time Predictions
Transit & Weather Alerts
Trip Planning
Audio Mode



<https://www.eightolives.com/docs/Trains/Trains.htm>

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Tri-bar Menu

Find Connections

Help Menu

Click stop location to select another platform or stop

Show / Hide Map



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Click for transit or weather alerts

3:45 PM

South Station - Commuter Rail*

Background:
Green – Future
Red – Imminent
Orange – Late
White - Complete

Refresh

☒ Prediction
☐ Schedule Forward
☐ Schedule All

☒ Show Route Name
☐ Show Trip Id

Print Preview

Close

Back in
Connections List

Click for What's Nearby

Click for Menu

Refresh display

26.9 mi



Train Board



3:50 PM

to Readville: Outbound 2769 Fairmount Line Now boarding Track 10

3:58 PM

13 min

to South Station: Inbound 2768 Fairmount Line On time

4:07 PM

22 min

to South Station: Inbound 2810 Providence / Stoughton Line On time
IN_TRANSIT_TO Route 128

Click item to view Trip Schedule

Blue = Real Time Prediction; Black = Schedule; Purple = Rough Estimate; Orange = User Modified

Selecting a Trip displays the Trip Schedule / Predictions

Trip schedule shows upcoming stops

Refresh Trip Data

Plot Trip
View Map

Open Fav Trip 1
Open Fav Trip 2

Save As Fav Trip 1
Save As Fav Trip 2

Monitor This Trip
Stop Monitor Mode

Show Notifications
Add Departure Notification

Manually Adjust Departure
Clear Adjustments
☐ Show Expired Stops

Back to Details
Print Preview

Close

4:03 PM

26.9 mi

South Station - Red Line - Ashmont/Braintree*

Click trip title to get menu

Refresh

South to Braintree (42884381)

INCOMING_AT Charles/MGH - Red Line - Ashmont/Braintree

Park Street - Red Line - Ashmont/Braintree

Downtown Crossing - Red Line - Ashmont/Braintree

South Station - Red Line - Ashmont/Braintree

Broadway - Red Line - Ashmont/Braintree

4:18

9 min

Yellow indicates the stops you can access from here.

Plot a Trip

The screenshot shows the 'eightolives Trains - a transit' website. The browser address bar displays 'https://www.eightolives.com/docs/Trains/Tra'. The page features a map of Boston with a highlighted trip route from Science Park to Lechmere. A popup window titled 'Mark' provides details for a specific vehicle.

Menu lists stops nearby to where you click on map.

Default menu is Open Street Map. Option to use Google Maps. When offline, plot is on black background EoMap.

Click for menu

Compass Toggle on / off

A Trip Plot highlights the trip route, shows selected trip vehicle as RED, Other vehicles as GREEN, a MARKED vehicle as purple.

Click a vehicle for more info.

Mark

to Lechmere
Eastbound
Green Line E

trip_id = ADDED-1536257400
veh_label = 3845
veh_id = G-10086
1536586140
9/10/2018 9:29:0

Click the “stop” to change it.
Stops marked with * have
“other platforms” to which you
can transfer

Stops without * display the
Select from List menu

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4:24 PM

North Station - Commuter Rail*

25.8 mi

Show/Hide Alerts:

Train Board

4:30 PM	6 min!	to Newburyport: Outbound 2157 Newburyport / Rockport Line Now boarding Track 2 STOPPED AT North
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Other Platforms At This Station:

- North Station - Commuter Rail
- North Station
- Portland St @ Causeway St
- Causeway St @ North Station
- North Station - Orange Line - Forest Hills
- North Station - Orange Line - Oak Grove
- North Station - Green Line - Lechmere
- North Station - Green Line - Copley & West

Select From List

Select From Map

Search For Stop

Report on Facilities

Station Pathways

Back

Forward

Close

4:30 PM	4 min!	to Newburyport: Outbound 2157 Newburyport / Rockport Line All aboard Track 2 STOPPED AT North
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Select a Stop:

☐ Include Local Bus Stops

Here

North Station

South Station

Home

Selected

Select From Map

Search For Stop

What's Nearby

New York Penn -NY

New York Grand Central -NY

Secaucus -NJ

Report on Facilities

Station Pathways

Back

Forward

Favorites Save/Open

MA / Commuter Rail

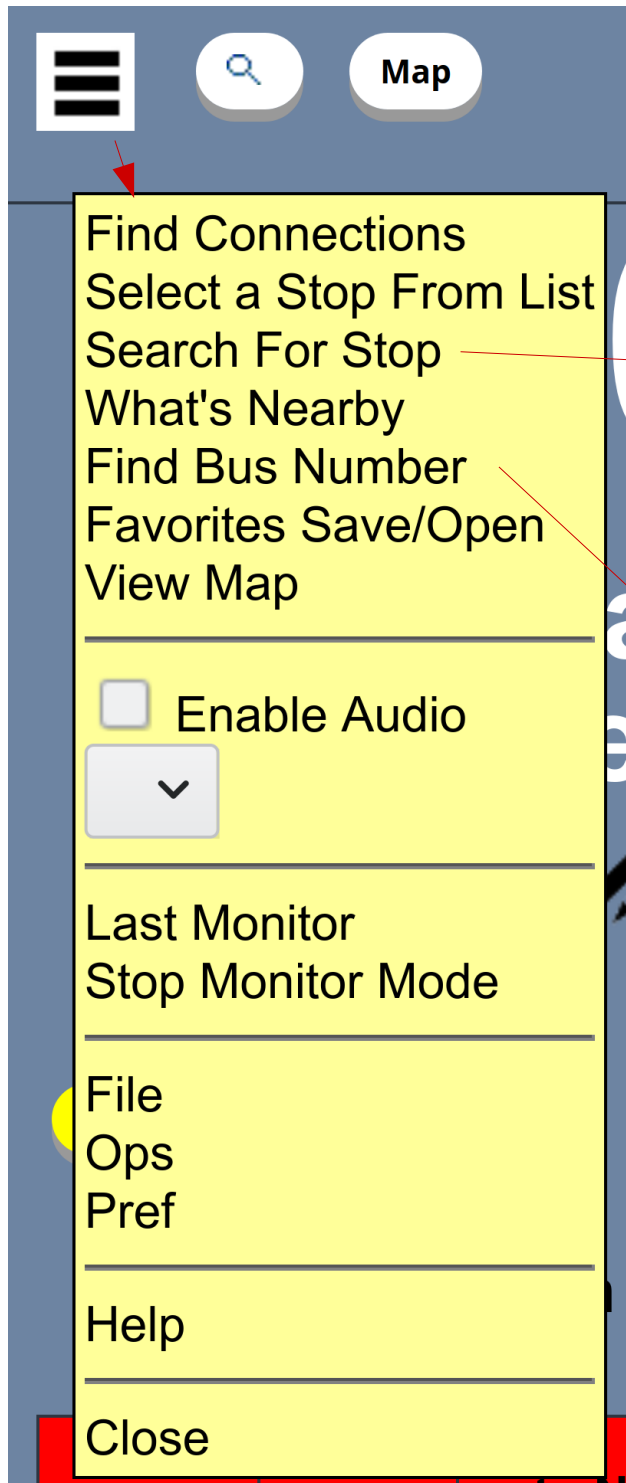
- Abington
- Anderson/Woburn
- Andover
- Ashland
- Attleboro
- Auburndale
- Ayer
- Back Bay

Select Cancel

Stop List categories include MA/Commuter Rail, Subway, Airport, Boats, Cape Cod, Maine, NH, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Vermont, New York, NYC, Long Island, NJ and others.

There are many MBTA Bus Stops

You can search for stops



Search for a Stop

1. Enter partial street, stop or station:

Lexington

☒ Bus ☐ Train ☐ Subway ☐ All/other

2. Select from list:

Lexington St @ Curve St

If you know your bus number, you can select it from a list and display upcoming trips.

Find a Bus

Select a Bus Route Number:

21 : Ashmont - Forest Hills



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8:04 PM

Back Bay -
Commuter Rail*

26.9 mi



What's Nearby 

Type	Stop	Next Event
Train	Back Bay : 0 mi (0 min)	8:11 PM to South Station
Train	Back Bay : 0 mi (0 min)	
Subway	Back Bay : 0 mi (0 min)	Orange Line 8:10 PM to

What's Nearby shows a list of all stops within walking distance and any upcoming events.

The map display also lists nearby stops based on where you click.

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Find Connections

From: Here
To: Park Street
Start time: NOW
Upcoming Day: Today

☐ Hide Bad Connections

Show Last Reverse Trip

Get Connections Cancel

Finding Connections

Connections Details

Depart
10:12 PM
Lawrence
to North Station: Inbound Train 2210 Haverhill line
CR-Sunday-Fall-19-2210
Arrive
11:06 PM
North Station
(23.6 mi, 54 min, 26 mi/hr)

Change (23 min) (Walk 0.08 mi in est 2 min)

Depart
11:29 PM
North Station
to Heath Street: Green-E line 43832086
Arrive
11:35 PM
Park Street
(0.6 mi, 6 min, 6 mi/hr)

Connections

From: Lawrence
To: Park Street 5/3/2020, 8:33:09 PM

Depart	Arrive	Duration	Changes
10:12 PM	11:35 PM	1:23	1

When you first start Trains, you click through:

1. A cookie policy advisory.
2. A recommendation to allow geo access.
3. A browser Allow Access query.

If your platform supports speech synthesis, the Audio Mode Enable button appears for a bit. Click it if you want to use Audio Mode.



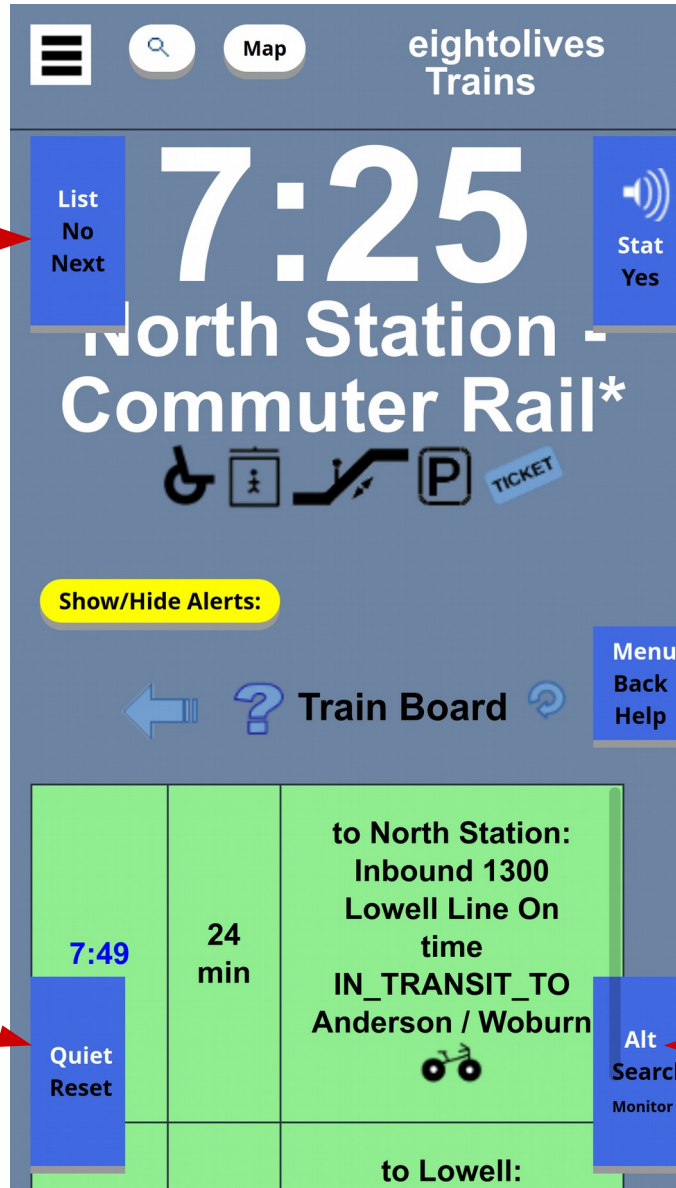
You can enable or disable Audio Mode at any time via the Tri-bar Menu.

In Audio Mode, 5 control buttons float on top of the screen

List / No
Gets next item in a list or answers NO to current list option..

Quiet / Reset
Stops sound. Enters "reset state".
If confused, click this!

Be considerate of others when using audio mode.



Stat / Yes

From reset says time / stop, and selects Train Board.
In a list, selects item (answers YES)

Menu / Edit / Help

Starts Menu List.
Click twice for Help.
Goes back one state in various lists like Connections.

Alt / Search / Monitor

During Select Common Stop, this toggles between different area lists (Boston, NYC).
Starts a search in Sketch or Search for Stop.
Starts Monitor Mode when a trip is selected.

Main Menu Options:

- Alerts
- What's Nearby
- Find Connections
- Select Common Stop
- Platforms at this Station
- Search for Stop
- Search by Sketch
- Get Favorites
- Save Favorites
- Last Connections
- Last Stop
- Last Trip
- Preferences
- Help Topics

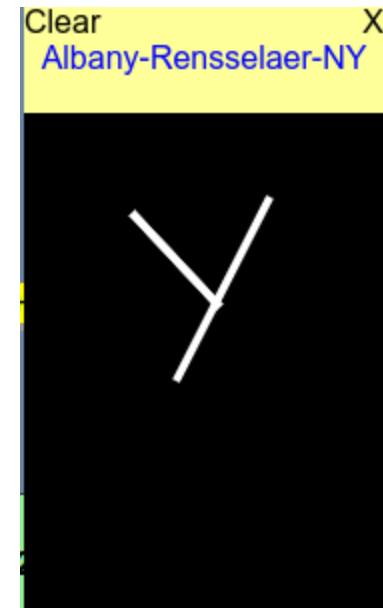
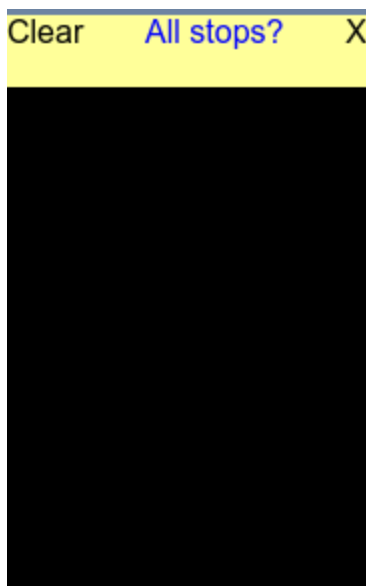
Search By Sketch

Audio Mode supports Search By Sketch.

First you are asked if the search is for All Stops, Train stops or Bus Stops. Answer using the YES and NO buttons.

Then draw the search phrase using block letters one letter at a time. Click YES to accept a guess or NO to advance to the next guess.

Then click the lower right Search button to get a list of search results.



Data Available By Carrier

	Off-line sched.	On-line sched.	On-line realtime	Transit Alerts
MBTA trains	Y	Y	Y	Y
MBTA subway		Y	Y	Y
MBTA buses		Y	Y	Y
Metro North RR	Y	Y	Y	Y
LIRR		Y	Y	Y
NYC Subway			Y	Y
NJTransit		Y		Y
PATH		Y		
AMTRAK	Y	Y		
CT Rail / SLE	Y	Y		
Bus – PP, PB, CCRTA, BRTA	Y	Y		
Bus – MVRTA, LRTA, MWRTA		Y		

FAQ

- Start the tool at <https://www.eightolives.com/docs/Trains/Trains.htm>
- The tool is free, but use at your own risk as operation and accuracy cannot be guaranteed.
- Prediction and schedule data are provided by the various carriers.
- If you allow, the web-app will be stored on your platform to permit off-line operation. You must also save any schedules you wish to access when off-line. (Open Street Map and Google Maps features are not supported off-line. EO Map features are.)
- Updates to the software are automatically downloaded from the eightolives site when the tool is invoked.

Notes:

- The use of schedule data by this tool may not reflect the actual operating situation. You should always check alerts and check the appropriate carriers to validate itineraries of any planned journeys.
- Schedule changes by carriers may not be immediately reflected in this tool. Double check your itinerary with the carrier.
- Holiday and special construction schedules may not be reflected by the tool. Check alerts and your carrier for updates.
- Delays in transit can happen. Plan accordingly.
- Your feedback and requests are welcome.