



How to use a DART Ticket Vending Machine (TVM)

There are three types of vending machines in use at DART Rail stations. Type A and Type B dispense single-ride tickets and Day Passes. Type C dispenses single-ride tickets, Day Passes, 7 Day Passes and 31 Day Passes. Please see DART Fares for more fare information.

TVM Machine Type A

Available at Mockingbird, Cityplace, Convention Center, Cedars and 8th & Corinth stations on the Red and Blue Lines; Morrell, Illinois, Kiest and VA Medical Center stations on the Blue Line; and Lovers Lane, Dallas Zoo, Tyler/Vernon and Hampton stations on the Red Line.

To purchase a ticket from a DART TVM like the one shown below, follow the four steps outlined on the TVM. **Single-ride tickets and Day Passes are valid only on the date of purchase.**



1. Select ticket type: single-ride* or Day Pass
2. Select fare type: Local, System, Regional or Reduced
3. Enter your money. TVMs will accept coins, \$1, \$5, \$10, and \$20 bills.
4. Collect your ticket and change.

* A single-ride ticket purchased from a TVM is valid for rail only.

TVM Machine Type B

Available at Forest/Jupiter, LBJ/Skillman and White Rock stations on the Blue Line; Walnut Hill, Forest Lane, LBJ/Central, Spring Valley, Arapaho Center, Galatyn Park and Downtown Plano stations on the Red Line; and Victory Station on the Green Line.

To purchase tickets from a DART TVM like the type shown to the right, follow the steps below.

Single-ride tickets and Day Passes are valid only on the date of purchase.

- **Day Passes:** Select ticket type (Local, System, Regional or Reduced). Press **P** to pay, insert amount shown on screen and collect your ticket. Machine will take coins, \$1, \$5, \$10 and \$20 bills.
- To purchase multiple day passes, press the appropriate ticket type (Local, System, Regional or Reduced) the desired number of times. Press **P** to pay, insert amount shown on the screen and collect your tickets.



Multiple types of day passes may also be purchased in a single transaction. For example, to purchase two Local Day Passes and one Reduced Day Pass, select Local twice, select Reduced once and press **P** to pay. Insert amount shown on the screen and collect your tickets.

- **Single-Ride Tickets***. Select **I**, then select **A** (local ticket), **B** (premium ticket) or **C** (reduced ticket). Press **P** to pay, insert amount shown on the screen and collect your ticket.

To purchase multiple single-ride tickets, press **I**, then select the appropriate buttons (A, B or C) the desired number of times. Multiple types of single-ride tickets may be purchased in a single transaction. Press **P** to pay, insert amount shown on the screen and collect your tickets.

* A single-ride ticket purchased from a TVM is valid for rail only.

TVM Machine Type C

Available at Downtown Garland and Ledbetter stations on the Blue Line; Parker Road, Bush Turnpike, Park Lane and Westmoreland stations on the Red Line; Pearl, St. Paul, Akard, West End and Union stations in downtown Dallas; and at Deep Ellum, Baylor University Medical Center, Fair Park and MLK, Jr. stations on the Green Line.

To purchase tickets from a DART TVM like the type shown to the right, follow the steps below.

Single-ride tickets and Day Passes are valid only on the date of purchase.

- Select ticket type: Single-ride*, Day, 7 Day or 31 Day
- Select fare type: Local, System, Regional or Reduced#
- Enter your money. This type of TVM will accept coins, \$1, \$5, \$10, and \$20 bills and credit cards (American Express, Discover, MasterCard and Visa).
- Collect your ticket and change.

A single-ride ticket purchased from a TVM is valid for rail only.

No 7 Day or 31 Day Passes available for Reduced fare type.

Multiple types of tickets may also be purchased in a single transaction on this machine.

Note: With the introduction of this new machine type, credit cards may now be used to purchase DART fares at a rail station. In addition to single-ride and day passes, 7 Day and 31 Day Passes may also be purchased at these machines. **Both the 7 Day and 31 Day Passes are valid from the date purchased at the TVM.** The beginning and ending valid dates will be printed on the pass. The option to receive a receipt will be available for credit card transactions.

DART Fares (Valid September 14, 2009)

DART offers three basic, one-way fares -- \$1.75 for Local bus and rail service, \$2.50 for System service (valid for Local service plus express bus service (all route numbers in the 200s) between downtown Dallas and free park & ride facilities in Addison, Carrollton, Farmers Branch, Garland, Glenn Heights, Irving, Plano, and Rowlett; Trinity Railway Express (TRE) trains between Union Station and West Irving Station; DART On-Call; and FLEX service) and \$3.75 for Regional service (valid for Local and System service plus all TRE trains and The T in Fort Worth.)

For those passengers using DART round trip or making transfers to a second bus or rail route, a Day Pass -- \$4.00 for Local, \$5.00 for System and \$7.50 for Regional -- is recommended. Day Passes are good for unlimited rides (including your return trip) until 3 a.m. **Single-ride tickets and Day Passes are valid only on the date of purchase.**

Reduced fares are available for seniors age 65 or older with DART photo ID or Medicare Card, non-paratransit certified persons with disabilities with valid DART photo ID or Medicare card, high school students with DART photo ID or current high school photo ID from a school within the DART service area (time restriction may apply; see individual pass or ticket for details), or students ages 5 - 14, no photo ID required. A reduced one-way fare is \$.85 and a Day Pass is \$2.00.

See more information regarding all DART fares on the [DART Fares](#) page.

