

## Avocet Line (Exeter - Exmouth)

Journey figures - supplied by Wessex Trains/First Great Western

Period	2001	2006	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	% 01 - 16	% 06 - 16	% 15 - 17	% 16 - 17
1 (10 Jan - 6 Feb 16)	58.000	59.559	77.410	74.171	79.892	87.174	88.603	120.371	123.340	133.236	141.989	149.007	144.8	138.4	11.8	4.9
2 (7 Feb - 5 Mar)	62.000	65.258	70.775	82.196	83.023	92.329	94.798	123.851	119.756	139.072	149.243	154.981	140.7	128.7	11.4	3.8
3 (6 Mar - 31 Mar)	56.000	59.895	82.778	92.827	72.306	84.694	98.230	122.694	140.444	147.916	122.600	151.524	118.9	104.7	2.4	23.6
4 (1 Apr - 30 Apr)	53.000	67.616	73.444	95.041	96.866	104.984	100.341	104.599	104.238	146.745	136.037	141.029	156.7	101.2	-3.9	3.7
5 (1 May - 28 May)	71.000	68.868	88.391	87.010	92.074	97.145	120.956	126.606	132.001	138.904	146.013	156.637	105.7	112.0	12.8	7.3
6 (29 May - 25 Jun)	68.000	77.883	94.668	92.658	93.496	103.443	114.791	135.000	139.949	140.957	151.084	155.786	122.2	94.0	10.5	3.1
7 (26 Jun - 23 Jul)	67.000	78.456	93.572	88.975	91.983	104.025	108.341	123.673	120.473	115.500	130.700	135.431	95.1	66.6	17.3	3.6
8 (24 Jul - 20 Aug)	64.000	83.413	98.526	91.955	94.903	107.455	103.484	106.358	104.780	107.379	118.585	126.725	85.3	42.2	18.0	6.9
9 (21 Aug - 17 Sep)	58.000	79.057	93.818	87.276	94.801	102.773	102.714	109.362	110.754	117.823	130.417	125.105	124.9	65.0	6.2	-4.1
10 (18 Sep - 15 Oct)	61.000	82.379	96.272	87.355	93.131	110.726	124.078	134.228	138.577	152.819	160.376	160.867	162.9	94.7	5.3	0.3
11 (16 Oct - 12 Nov)	60.000	78.554	92.216	79.182	90.828	99.106	125.556	127.532	139.633	145.678	152.008	155.816	153.3	93.5	7.0	2.5
12 (13 Nov - 10 Dec)	62.000	82.871	90.697	81.391	90.620	98.374	125.711	141.204	145.844	156.000	162.335	166.357	161.8	95.9	6.6	2.5
13 (11 Dec - 7 Jan 17)	51.000	67.751	77.122	69.800	80.723	86.070	94.438	104.952	112.751	111.287	119.216	119.180	133.8	76.0	7.1	0.0
Total	791.000	951.560	1129.688	1109.837	1154.646	1278.298	1402.041	1580.430	1632.540	1753.315	1820.603	1898.445	130.2	91.3	8.3	4.3

	2001	2006	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017				
Full year	791.000	951.560	1129.688	1109.837	1154.646	1278.298	1402.041	1580.430	1632.540	1753.315	1820.603	1898.445	130.2	91.3	8.3	4.3

Return ticket counts as two journeys

% increase/decrease

Devon & Cornwall Rail Partnership  
**19-Feb-18**

P3 had only 25 days in 2010, compared to 31 in 2009. 26 days in 2016, compared to 31 in 2015 and 30 in 2014.  
**P4 in 2015 had 32 days compared with 26 days in 2014. 30 days in P4 2016.**

2015 Rail strikes - no service on Thurs 9 & 10 July, Sun 23 August, Sat, Sun & Mon 29, 30 & 31 Aug (B Hol)  
Threatened national strikes on 25 & 26 May (Whitsun Bank Hol) and 5 and 10/11 June (all called off at late notice)

Easter 15 3-6 Apr  
Easter 16 25-28 Mar  
Easter 17 14-17 Apr

John Lewis in Exeter opened on 11 October 2012

Full year-round half hourly Sunday service launched on 15 May 2016 with large "Seize the Sunday" marketing campaign

Newcourt opened on 4 June 2016

