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1. Structure

- a. The Polish Bus Transport System (Polska Komunikacja Samochodowa - PKS) has eight administrative branches at:

Białystok	Poznan
Katowice	Warsaw
Krakow	Wroclaw (Breslau)
Szczecin (Stettin)	Gdansk (Danzig)

- b. There are six independent stations at:

Bydgoszcz	Lodz
Kielce	Rzeszow
Lublin	Olsztyn (Allenstein)

- c. Number of lines in operation: 324
Total length of lines: 29,112 km.
Approximate of buses in operation: 550
Number of workers (including 1,219 bus drivers and 660 conductors): 5,261

- d. Average monthly traffic:

Passenger transport	995,433
Freight and luggage	250,136 tons
kilometers run	2,394,297

- e. Monthly consumption of oil:

Gasoline	694,683 liters
Crude oil	86,323 liters
Lubricating oil	3,487 liters

2. Condition of Equipment.

The buses, with exception of a few new ones purchased abroad, are in poor condition and need frequent repairs. As a result they frequently fail to run on schedule. In spite of these difficulties, however, bus transport is steadily developing.

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Bialystok	-	Luczany	via Grajewo (S54/A04 N.N.W. of Bialystok)	185	"
"	-	Suwałki (S55/B29-North of Bialystok) via Augustow		150	"
"	-	Sokołka (S54/B62-N.E. of Bialystok)		45	"
"	-	Suprasl (S54/B60-N.E. of Bialystok)		16	"
"	-	Grodek (S54/G78-E. of Bialystok)		44	"
"	-	Siemiatycze (S53/G21-S.S.W. of Bialystok)		90	"
Bielsko	-	Cieszyn (Teschen)		35	"
"	-	Szczyrk (Q50/X86)		16	"
Bydgoszcz	-	Elblag (Elbing)		185	"
"	-	Złotow		97	"
"	-	Warsaw		283	"
"	-	Koszalin (Köslin)		235	"
"	-	Szczecin		261	"
Czestochowa	-	Wrocław		184	"
"	-	Warsaw		228	"
Gdynia	-	Starogard (Stargard)		60	"
"	-	Słupsk (Stolp)		113	"
"	-	Kartuzy (Karthaus-P55/V59-S.W. of Gdynia)		30	"
Jelenia Gora	-	Strzelin (Strehlen)		45	"
"	-	Szklarska Poręba		24	"
"	-	Lignica		58	"
"	-	Karpacz		25	"
Kalisz	-				
(P52-N94)	-	Rawicz (P52/C37-W. of Kalisz)		104	"
"	-	Konin (P53/Q18-N. of Kalisz)		54	"
Katowice	-	Opole		110	"
"	-	Bielka		66	"
"	-	Wisla (Q50/X66)		?	"
"	-	Czestochowa		94	"
"	-	Cieszyn		?	"
"	-	Nysa (Neisse)		155	"
"	-	Gliwice		30	"
Kielce	-	Łódz		177	"
"	-	Chmielnik (R51/U80-South of Kielce)		33	"
"	-	Krakow		121	"
"	-	Staszow (R51/Q10-S.E. of Kielce)		69	"
"	-	Pinczow (R51/Z69-S. of Kielce)		42	"
Kozmin	-				
(P52/X60)	-	Kepno (Kempen-P52/D14-S.S.E. of Kozmin)		87	"
Krakow	-	Szczawnica (R50/Y82)		?	"
"	-	Krosno		114	"
"	-	Katowice		79	"
"	-	Kazimierza Wielka (R51/X66)		78	"
"	-	Zawlercie (Q51/Y89-N.E. of Katowice)		85	"
"	-	Rabka (Q50/Y45)		66	"
"	-	Skała (Q51/Z16)		28	"
"	-	Krynica (Q50/Z16 ?)		135	"
"	-	Warsaw		304	"
"	-	Zakopane (Q50/Y41)		110	"
Lignica	-	Zgorzelec (Görlitz) via Złotoria		101	"
"	-	" " Bolesławiec (P52/Z07)		110	"
Lublin	-	Lubartow (S52/M10-N. of Lublin)		26	"
"	-	Hrubieszow (S51/S03-S.E. of Lublin) via Zamosc		140	"
"	-	Krasnystaw (S51/R55)		53	"
"	-	Warsaw		164	"
"	-	Chełm		83	"
"	-	Zolkiewka (Z51/R35)		81	"

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Lublin	Wysokie	48	lines
"	Michow (R52/L91)	59	"
"	Janow	80	"
"	Zaczna	28	"
"	Zamosc (S51/R52-S.E. of Lublin)	87	"
Zobez(Labes- P52/X51)	Pzoty	40	"
Lodz	WrocZaw (Breslau)	240	"
Opole	WrocZaw	87	"
"	Jelenia Gora	180	"
"	Kudowa	155	"
Ostrow Wlkp.	WrocZaw	100	"
Poznan	Mosina (P53/X24-S. of Poznan)	20	"
"	Gniezno (E.N.E. of Poznan)	52	"
"	Zodz via Turek (Kolo-Q53/026)	222	"
"	Zodz " Kalisz	240	"
"	Rawicz	112	"
"	WrocZaw	180	"
"	Pniewy (Pinne-053/W76-W. of Poznan)	83	"
"	Szczecin	293	"
"	Lwowek (Neustadt bei Pinne-053/R76-W. of Poznan)	61	"
"	Gdynia	?	"
"	Koszalin	262	"
"	Wrzesnia (P53/X65-E. of Poznan)	50	"
Przemysl	Dubiecko (S50/V25-W. of Przemysl)	36	"
Radom	Zodz	155	"
Rychbach	Nysa	75	"
Rzeszow (R51/Z74)	Tarnobrzeg (R51/Q40-N.N.W. of Rzeszow)	77	"
"	Rozwadow (R51/Q70-N. of Rzeszow)	71	"
"	Przemysl	88	"
"	Sanok	118	"
"	Krakow	171	"
"	Lezajsk (S51/W06-N.E. of Rzeszow)	46	"
"	Dynow (R50/V15-S.E. of Rzeszow)	53	"
Szczecin	Swinoujscie	130	"
"	Koszalin	176	"
Tozew (Dirschau- Q55/D59)	Elblag	60	"
Walbrzych (Waldenburg)	Rychbach (Reichenbach-E. of Walbrzych)	45	"
"	Frydland	17	"
"	Kladzko (Glatz)	60	"
Warsaw	Gdynia	419	"
"	Zodz	143	"
"	Zegrze (P53/X25-N. of Warsaw)	30	"
"	Nowa Miosna	21	"
"	Otwock (R53/L17-S. of Warsaw)	42	"
"	Grojec (R52/P94-S. of Warsaw)	44	"
"	Pruszkow -S.W. of Warsaw)	19	"
"	Leszno-Osiedle	31	"
"	Izabelin	20	"
"	Kazun	30	"
"	Koszalin	550	"
"	Kielce	176	"
WrocZaw	Walbrzych	80	"
"	Kladzko	90	"
"	Lignica	73	"
"	Krakow	268	"
"	Katowice	190	"
Zawiercie	Szczekociny (Q51/U11)	50	"

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Warsaw	Łódź	via Sochaczew-Łowicz	138 kms.
"	Bydgoszcz	via Łowicz-Krosniewice- Włocławek	319 "
"	Radom	via Grojec	98 "
"	Sokołów	via Minsk-Mazowiecki- Wegrow	142 "
"	Płock	via Sochaczew-Bodzanów	118 "
"	Siedlce	via Minsk-Mazowiecki	154 "
"	Żukow	via Minsk-Siedlce	133 "
"	Warka	via Piaseczno	56 "
"	Krakow	via Grojec-Kielce	290 "
"	Kielce	via Radom	?
Gdynia	Elbląg	via Gdansk-Malbork-	91 "
"	Olsztyn	via Gdansk	187 "
"	Bydgoszcz	via Gdansk-Tczew	191 "
"	Szczecin	via Lembork-Słupsk- Koszalin-Nowogrod	330 "
"	Gdansk	via Sopoty	23 "
"	Warsaw	via Grudziadz-Rypin- Włocławek-Kutno	420 "
Bydgoszcz	Łódź	via Włocławek-Zeuzycza	213 "
"	Elbląg	via Grudziadz	179 "
Katowice	Gliwice		44 "
"	Krakow	via Trzebinia	85 "
Krakow	Zakopane	via Myslenice	115 "
"	Wrocław	via Katowice	268 "
"	Jelenia Gora	via Katowice	385 "
Łódź	Krakow	via Radomsko-Czestochowa	279 "

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