

Straphangers Campaign

5 SUBWAY LINE PROFILE



Straphangers Campaign MetroCard Rating \$1.00

The 5 line ranks tied for 7th place out of the 21 subway lines rated by the Straphangers Campaign in 2005. Our ranking is based on the MTA New York City Transit data below, using a method described at www.straphangers.org.

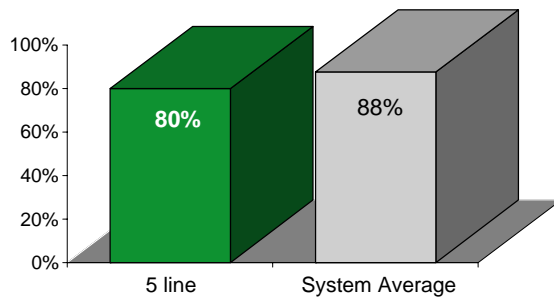
The 5 line has an above-average amount of rush-hour service. . .

scheduled minutes between weekday trains as of February 2004

	AM Rush	Noon	PM Rush	Overnight
5 line	4:30	10	5:45	20
System Average	5:43	8:26	5:55	20

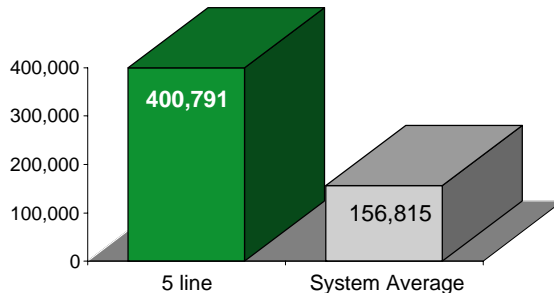
but is the least regular line in the system.

% of trains arriving at regular intervals (without gaps in service or train "bunching") between 6 a.m. and 9 p.m.



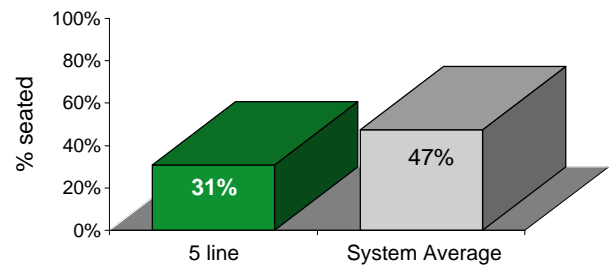
Cars on the 5 break down less often than those on any other line.

average miles traveled between delay caused by mechanical failures, 2004



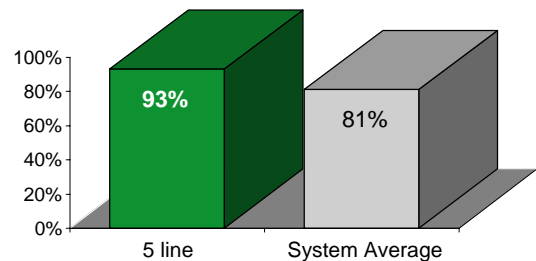
You're much less likely to get a seat on the 5.

% of passengers with seats at most crowded point during rush hour



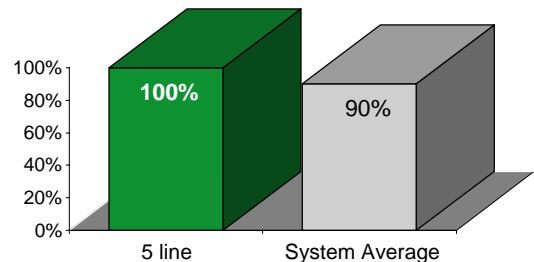
The 5 is cleaner than the average line. . .

% of cars with 'light or no interior dirtiness' as defined by NYC Transit



and performs perfectly on in-car announcements.

% of cars with correct announcements (as defined by NYC Transit)



Suggestions? Complaints? Call the 5 line superintendent at (718) 430-8229.