

Table 15 Faro > Olhão > Tavira > Monte Gordo > Vila Real de Santo António

Operated by EVA - Rota do Rio Formosa (Some other times included for convenience)

Daily - bus runs daily including holidays

MFO - bus runs Mondays to Fridays only, except holidays SAT – runs on SATURDAYS only

SCH - bus runs on Schooldays only ; ie not 1st July - 10th September (approx) nor during Christmas and Easter breaks

SHO - bus runs on Sundays and holidays only SHX - bus does not run on Sundays or Holidays

Timetable applies all year round	SCH	MFO	SAT	MFO	Daily	MFO	Daily	Daily	MFO	MFO	SHX	Daily	Daily	MFO	MFO	MFO	Daily	MFO	Daily
Faro Bus Terminal A	--	---	---	---	0715	0800	0900	1100	---	1215	---	1325	1515	1635	1740	---	1820	---	1930
Olhão Bus Terminal A	---	---	---	---	0735	0820	0920	1120	---	1235	---	1345	1535	1655	1800	---	1840	---	1950
Alfandanga B	---	---	---	---	0750	0835	0935	1135	---	1250	---	1400	1550	1710	1815	---	1855	---	2005
Luz de Tavira C	MRR	---	---	---	0800	0845	0945	1145	---	1300	---	1410	1600	1720	1825	---	1905	---	2015
Tavira Bus Terminal D	0655	CAR	---	---	0815	0900	1000	1200	---	1315	---	1425	1615	1735	1840	---	1920	---	2030
Conceição D	0702	MR*	---	MR	0822	0907	1007	1207	MR	1322	MR	1432	1622	1742	---	MR	1927	---	---
Cacela (Vila Nova de) E	0722	0722	0728	0758	0830	0915	1015	1215	1303	1330	1353	1440	1630	1750	---	1903	1935	2000	---
Altura (N125)	0735	0735	0735	0805	0840	0925	1025	1225	1310	1340	1400	1450	1640	1800	---	1910	1945	2007	---
Monte Gordo Church F	0745	0745	0745	0815	0848	0933	1033	1233	1320	1348	1410	1458	1648	1808	---	1920	1953	2017	---
Vila Real de Santo António Terminal F	0752	0752	0752	0822	0855	0940	1040	1240	1327	1355	1417	1505	1655	1815	---	1927	2000	2024	---

TIMETABLE NOTES

A – there are more buses between Faro and Olhão – see www.algarvebus.info/005.htm for details

B - this is the closest stop to Fuzeta, about 1.5km away. There are a few buses into Fuzeta on another route; see www.algarvebus.info/040.htm for times.

C - Additional buses Luz de Tavira to Tavira at 0723 MFO, 0758 SAT, 0843 SCH, 1343 MFO and 1653 SCH All buses in Luz use the same stop, in the square opposite the church.

D - For more buses between Tavira and Conceição, see table 29

E - on market days (3rd Sunday of the month) buses stop on the N125 not in the village centre

F - for complete service between Monte Gordo and Vila Real, see below. The terminal in Vila Real is adjacent to the ferry crossing over to Spain.

CAR - starts at Carrapateira 0655. Does not go via Monte Gordo on schooldays.

MR - from Manta Rota, leaving 3 minutes before the time shown for Cacela. MRR - via Manta Rota at 0719.

* also, bus runs via Praia Alagoa five minutes before time shown for Altura. On SCHOOLDAYS does not serve Monte Gordo; a separate bus runs from there to Vila Real.

Vila Real de Santo António > Monte Gordo > Tavira > Olhão > Faro

Timetable applies all year round		MFO	Daily	MFO	MFO	SHX	SHO	MFO	Daily	Daily	MFO	SHX	SCH	Daily	Daily	MFO	MFO	Daily	MFO
Vila Real de Santo António Terminal	F	---	0700	0725	---	0815	---	1000	1120	1215	1230	1315	1340	1430	1630	1730	1730	1830	1930
Monte Gordo Church	F	---	0707	0732	---	0822	---	1007	1127	1222	1237	1322	1347	1437	1637	1737	1737	1837	1937
Altura (N125)		---	0715	0742	---	0830	---	1015	1135	1230	1247	1332	1354	1445	1645	1747	1745	1845	1947
Cacela (Vila Nova de)	E	---	0725	0749	S	0840	---	1025	1145	1240	1254	1343	1408	1455	1655	1754	1755	1855	1958
Conceição	D	---	0733	MR	S	0848	---	1038	1153	1248	MR	PA	PA	1503	1703	MR	1803	1903	PA
Tavira	D	0650	0740	---	0815	0855	0855	1045	1200	1255	---	MR	MR	1510	1710	CAR	1810	1910	---
Luz de Tavira	C	0705	0755	---	0830	0910	0910	1100	1215	1310	---	---	---	1525	1725	---	1825	1925	---
Alfandanga	B	0715	0805	---	0840	0920	0920	1110	1225	1320	---	---	---	1535	1735	---	1835	1935	---
Olhão Bus Terminal	A	0735	0825	---	0900	0935	0935	1130	1240	1335	---	---	---	1550	1750	---	1850	1950	---
Faro Bus Terminal	A	0755	0850	---	0920	0955	0955	1150	1300	1355	---	---	---	1610	1810	---	1910	2010	---

TIMETABLE NOTES

ADDITIONAL BUS FROM VILA REAL AT 1830 (MFO) TO CACELA AND MANTA ROTA arriving at Manta Rota at 1857

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B - this is the closest stop to Fuzeta, about 1.5km away. There are a few buses from Fuzeta on another route – see www.algarvebus.info/040.htm for times

C - Additional buses from Tavira to Luz de Tavira at 1325 MFO, 1350 SAT, 1630 SCH, 1825 MFO in Summer only; 1920 MFO in winter only. These buses run to Amaro Gonçalves or Brejos (X). All buses in Luz use the same stop, in the square opposite the church.

D - For more buses between Conceição and Tavira, see [Table 29](#)

E - on market days (3rd Sunday of the month) daytime buses stop on the N125 not in the village centre

F - for the complete service between Vila Real and Monte Gordo, see below. The terminal in Vila Real is adjacent to the ferry crossing from Spain.

S – on schooldays starts at Cacela at 0750 via Conceição at 0758

MR - to Manta Rota, arriving 3 minutes after the time shown for Cacela. PA - runs via Praia Alagoa, 5 minutes after the time shown for Altura.

CAR - after Manta Rota this bus continues to Carrapateira arriving at 1822

Vila Real de Santo António <> Monte Gordo complete service

Vila Real de Santo António > Monte Gordo via N125 and Hortas

Same service all year round on this route - adult fare €2.20

Mondays to Fridays except holidays (weekdays) first bus at 0700 then at frequent but irregular intervals once or twice an hour until last buses at 1730, 1830 and 1930

Saturdays (SAT) - buses as in the main timetable above plus extra buses at 1545 and 1730. LAST BUS IS AT 1830.

Sundays and Holidays (SHO) - buses as in the main timetable above plus extra buses at 1300 and 1730. LAST BUS IS AT 1830.

Monte Gordo > Vila Real de Santo António via Hortas and N125

NOTE - the bus stop at Monte Gordo Church is in the square, about 50 metres from the Hotel Navegadores.

All buses in both directions use the same stop, which is about 4 minutes walk to the beach through the pedestrian streets..

Mondays to Fridays except holidays (weekdays) first bus at 0720 then at frequent but irregular intervals once or twice an hour until last buses at 1808, 1920, 1953 and 2017

Saturdays (SAT) - buses as in the main timetable above plus extra buses at 1530 and 1600. Note the big gaps in service.

Sundays and Holidays (SHO) - buses as in the main timetable plus an extra bus at 1420. Note the big gaps in service.

Vila Real de Santo António > Monte Gordo Praia via Lighthouse (Farol) and coast road ten minutes journey

one way adult fare €2.20

In Monte Gordo these buses start and finish outside the Hotel Vasco da Gama on the seafront.

Summer Service 1st July to second Sunday of September - note the 'tea breaks'

Daily at 0830, 0900, 0930, 1000, 1030, 1200, 1230, 1300, 1330, 1400, 1430, 1500, 1630, 1700, 1730, 1800, 1830, 1930 and 2030

Winter service:

MFO 0830, 0900, 1300 (**SCH**) and 1830. **SAT** at 0830, 0900 and 1300 only. No service on Sundays and holidays in winter

Monte Gordo Praia > Vila Real de Santo António via coast road and Lighthouse (Farol) Ten minutes journey.

Summer Service 1st July to second Sunday of September - note the 'tea breaks'

Daily at 0845, 0915, 0945, 1015, 1045, 1215, 1245, 1315, 1345, 1415, 1445, 1515, 1645, 1715, 1745, 1815, 1845, 1915, 1945 and 2045

Winter service:

MFO 0845, 0915, 1315 (**SCH**) and 1845. **SAT** at 0845, 0915 and 1315 only. No service on Sundays and holidays in winter

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