

Bus travel between Albufeira and Carvoeiro

There are NO direct buses. You change buses at Lagoa bus station in both directions.

Separate tickets are needed for each bus – buy them in the bus station ticket office if open.

Contactless payment on board the bus is NOT possible.

Cash fares on board : Albufeira – Lagoa €5,80; Lagoa – Carvoeiro €2,85 reduced by 30% if a pre paid pass or the VAMUS app account is used.

Taxis and Uber are available at Lagoa Bus Station and Carvoeiro

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All the buses at Carvoeiro are route 107 and also go to the Rocha Brava and Vale Covo resort areas.

Holiday dates 2026

These holidays are ALWAYS on these dates and not moved to a convenient Monday as in the UK.

In Albufeira these buses ONLY stop at the main bus station unless otherwise noted

Weekdays (Mondays to Fridays) except holidays

Buses shaded grey run only from 1st May to 31st October

Do not trust any connection of less than ten minutes. Buses may not wait. Times subject to alteration often without warning!

There are earlier buses from Carvoeiro but no reasonable connection with a bus to Albufeira.

Bus number from Albufeira to Lagoa	13	14	51	13	14	13	56	57	57	51	Bus number from Lagoa to Albufeira	57	51	57	57	56	51	56	57
Albufeira Bus Station leave	0730	0845	0915	0930	1100	1245	1310	1330	1545	1615	Carvoeiro Leave	0900	1015	1125	1305	1425	1500	1710	1750
Lagoa arrive CHANGE BUS	0834	0930	0954	1034	1145	1342	1340	1410	1625	1654	Lagoa arrive CHANGE BUS	0910	1025	1135	1315	1435	1510	1720	1800
Lagoa leave on Bus 107	0840	0935	1040	1230	1350	1350	1425	1635	1720	Lagoa leave	0920	1106	1150	1325	1515	1521	1730	1810	
Carvoeiro arrive	0850	0945	1050	1240	1400	1400	1435	1645	1730	Albufeira Bus Station arrive	1005	1145	1235	1410	1545	1600	1800	1855	

this bus also stops at Albufeira Health Centre and Camping Albufeira via Albufeira old town area. Bus temporarily stops at the Dolphins roundabout during roadworks (you MUST signal the driver as he or she come up the hill!) and also stops at the marina.

ALL OTHER BUSES TO / FROM FROM ALBUFEIRA STOP ONLY AT THE BUS STATION WHICH IS 1 MILE / 1.6km from the town centre.
From Lagoa, buses 56 and 57 will be going to FARO, bus 51 goes to ALBUFEIRA

56 – Aerobus. Higher fares than the others. Albufeira – Lagoa is €10 by bus 56

Saturdays, Sundays and holidays - there are only four buses each way Lagoa <-> Carvoeiro even in summer

TAXIS ARE AVAILABLE AT LAGOA AND CARVOEIRO

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SUMMER TIMES FROM 1st MAY TO 31st OCTOBER					Bus number from Lagoa to Albufeira	57	56	56	
Albufeira Bus Station leave	none	none	none	none	Carvoeiro Leave	0830	1015	1425	1750
Lagoa arrive CHANGE BUS	none	none	none	none	Lagoa arrive CHANGE BUS	0840	1025	1435	1800
Lagoa leave	0750	0935	1350	1720	Lagoa Leave	0920	none	1515	1830
Carvoeiro arrive	0800	0945	1400	1730	Albufeira Bus Station arrive	1005	none	1545	1900

At weekends there are NO useable connections from Albufeira to Carvoeiro. You would have to wait more than an hour at Lagoa.

56 – Aerobus. Higher fares than the others. Albufeira – Lagoa is €10 by bus 56