

# Factsheet

## About Northern Rail

Northern Rail is one of the newest train operating companies to provide train services in the UK.

We operate services across North West England, North East England, Yorkshire and Humberside that used to be run by Arriva Trains Northern and First North Western.

We cover the largest geographical area in the UK of any train operating company, serving a total population of

over 14 million people and a number of major cities including Manchester, Leeds, Newcastle and Sunderland. We also provide direct access to three National parks: the Peak District, Yorkshire Dales and North Yorkshire Moors.

Northern manages 473 train stations and our trains travel over some 1,675 miles (2,695 kilometres) of the national rail network.

