

Swiss Express Index Part 3 v1 : Editions 125 to 128 (January 2016-December 2016)

Part 1 covered issues 1 to 60 (January 1985 to December 1999) while Part 2 dealt with issues 61 to 124 (January 2000 to December 2015). This new Part follows the principles set out Part 2 and runs from Issue 125 (March 2016).

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Railway	Accident - SBB, Sihlbrugg, 20.02.16 (update on repair of vehicle in Issue 127)			126	Jun-16
Railway	Accident - TRAVYS (YSC), 02.10.15 (and summary investigation report in Issue 126)			125	Mar-16
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Railway	BLS Re4/4 165 in trials linked to research for track access charging			127	Sep-16
Railway	BLS Re4/4 169 (not 69) withdrawn	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	BLS Re475 class locos introduced (2 separate items)			128	Dec-16
Railway	BLS 566 class EMUs withdrawn	B		127	Sep-16
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Railway	BLS - carriage used by SBB on Gotthard Base Tunnel work			128	Dec-16
Railway	BLS - ex RM/SMB branch line to be kept open until 2020.	B		125	Mar-16
Railway	BLS - new workshops planned near Bern	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	BOB - new Buechlitunnel opened	B		126	Jun-16
Railway	BRB - boiler for loco 7 repaired at Crewe.			126	Jun-16
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Railway	DFB - Ex Vietnam HG4/4s 704 and 708 under restoration			127	Sep-16
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Railway	DVZO - Ex CJ Ed2/4 no. 2 restored and in use.	B		127	Sep-16
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Railway	FMFG - acquires diesel ex BRB 8/ MVR 4	B		128	Dec-16
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Railway	JB - Bhe4/8 221-224 delivered, BDhe4/8 211-8 modified and most BDhe4/8s withdrawn	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	LEB - partial reconstruction plans			125	Mar-16
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Railway	MOB - Panorama cars (40 years) and introduction of new Stadler EMUs			127	Sep-16
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Railway	MVR - ABeh2/6 7501-08 being delivered			126	Jun-16
Railway	MVR - ABeh2/6 type on arrival		Yes	127	Sep-16
Railway	MVR - Climbing above Territet			125	Mar-16
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Railway	NStCM - part closure for rebuilding	B		127	Sep-16
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Railway	RhB - death of RhB chairman Hans Amacker			128	Dec-16
Railway	RhB - G3/4 no. 11 approved for use on specials	B		126	Jun-16
Railway	RhB - G3/4 no. 14 used on a reserve train	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	RhB - Ge4/4 <sup>l</sup> 602 returned to RhB from VHS (and update in Issue 128)			126	Jun-16
Railway	RhB - Graubünden 1990			125	Mar-16
Railway	RhB - new carriage stock for Albula line			126	Jun-16
Railway	RhB - 27 4-car "Flügel" EMUs on order from Stadler with option for 20 more.	B		127	Sep-16
Railway	RhB - news update			125	Mar-16
Railway	RhB - summer visit			128	Dec-16
Railway	RhB - Thusis station manned by trainees (also SBB Langenthal)	B		128	Dec-16
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Railway	RigiB - always upwards			128	Dec-16
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Railway	SBB - Bozberg Tunnel, update			126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - Ae8/14 11852			128	Dec-16
Railway	SBB - Bm4/4 18451 and Re4/4 <sup>ll</sup> 11276 in Germany, 1981			126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - C4/5 2969 restoration progress (and in Issue 128)	B		125	Mar-16
Railway	SBB ex SCB Eb2/4 15 Speiser			127	Sep-16
Railway	SBB - E3/3 8410 being restored byVHS	B		126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - E3/3 8554 restored as NOB 456			128	Dec-16
Railway	SBB - Re6/6 (cl 620) - 25 locos to be refurbished.	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	SBB - Various shunters withdrawn	B		126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - carriage toilets			127	Sep-16
Railway	SBB - plans for on-train catering and changed plans for bar-coaches (two items)	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	SBB - Ceneri Tunnel project to include a direct curve for Locarno-Lugano trains	B		126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB Chiasso depot in 2005		Yes	127	Sep-16
Railway	SBB - Delle without trains in 2016			126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - Eppenbergl Tunnel (between Olten & Aarau)	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	SBB - Expenditure review, 2016 - impact of planned staff savings	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	SBB - Geneva area - Léman Express update	B		128	Dec-16
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Railway	SBB - Gotthard Base Tunnel, planned initial use	B		125	Mar-16
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Railway	SBB - Le Locle; new lift to the station			126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - Lost Property			125	Mar-16
Railway	SBB - Luzern in 1937		Yes		
Railway	SBB - Minibar service to be phased out			126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - Neuchâtel to La Chaux de Fonds - new route agreed in principle by voters in Canton Neuchâtel			126	Jun-16
Railway	SBB - new halt at Neuhausen Rheinfluh	B		126	Jun-16
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Railway	SBB - Ostermundigen railway history			126	Jun-16
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Railway	SBB Seetalbahn - featuring Crocodile 15301			125	Mar-16
Railway	SBB - Zurich <i>Durchmesserlinie</i> stage 2 cross-city link in full use. (And platform displays illustrated in Issue 126).		Yes	125	Mar-16
Railway	SBB - Sissach-Olten (old Hauenstein) line reopened	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	SBB 502 class - 1st examples delivered 04.16.	B		127	Sep-16
Railway	SBB 503 class - unreliability			127	Sep-16
Railway	SBB 940 class Aem diesel locos	B		128	Dec-16
Railway	SOB - 11 "FLIRT" EMUs on order from Stadler. (Six 5-car and 5 4-car>)	B		127	Sep-16
Railway	SwissPost - new sliding wall bogie wagons			126	Jun-16
Railway	TN (ex CMN). Ponts de Martel branch closed but could reopen fully by end of 2016.			127	Sep-16
Railway	TPC (AOMC) modernisation work			125	Mar-16
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Railway	Variations on a theme by Stadler - new metre gauge EMUs for TPF, MVR, NStCM, MBC and TRAVYS (YSC)			128	Dec-16
Railway	WAB - freight traffic for Hotel Jungfrau, Wengernalp			126	Jun-16
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Signalling	Brig -now controlled by BLS	B		125	Mar-16
SRS	Company Limited by Guarantee : EGM to be held 23.07.16 to approve the new Articles of Association.			126	Jun-16
SRS	Company Limited by Guarantee : Confirmation that EGM approved the new Articles of Association			127	Sep-16
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SRS	Year-by-Year SRS membership as at 01.12.15			125	Mar-16
Stamps	Gottard Base Tunnel opening			127	Sep-16
Tickets	MVR - Rochers de Naye joins the GA	B		125	Mar-16
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Tickets	SBB - ticket outlets reduced	B		128	Dec-16
Timetables	NStCM improved frequency from Dec 2015	B		125	Mar-16
Trams	BLT - Be4/6s sold to Serbia.			125	Mar-16

Trams	BVB - Start of work to extend line 3 to St Louis SNCF and report of success of extension of line 8 to Weil am Rhein.				125	Mar-16
Trams	BVB - Consequences of extending Line 8 into Germany				126	Jun-16
Trams	BVB - Withdrawal of last swiss Standard and Düwag trams	B			127	Sep-16
Trams	STI - the Lake Thun Right-Bank railway	M			125	Mar-16
Trams	TPG - agreement in principle for route 15 to be extended to St Julien en Genève in 2023.				125	Mar-16
Trams	TransN - Canton Neuchâtel agrees in principal that tram route be extended eastwards via University to <i>Stade de la Maladière</i>				126	Jun-16
Trams	VBZ - Zurich approves funding for Limmattal line.	B			125	Mar-16
Trolleybuses	Luzern - 75 years (1941-2016)				127	Sep-16
Walking	Aare Gorge (and the MIB)				125	Mar-16
Walking	BOB - station to station				128	Dec-16
Walking	RhB - Landwasser Viaduct				125	Mar-16
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Weather	RhB - A bad day (17.09.15)				125	Mar-16
Websites	www.166.ch about rail disruptions caused by maintenance work etc.				127	Sep-16
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Martin Fisher, 28.11.16						