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Ontario Highway #17 "Trans Canada Highway"

MILE	KM	ITEM	SUMMARY	MILE	KM
0.0	0.0	Junction of Highways #17b #550 #565	City of Sault Ste Marie, Ontario all services. West to City of Thunder Bay, Ontario. South to Canada / United States Border via International Bridge, State of Michigan. East to City of Greater Sudbury, Ontario. Attractions in and around the City of Sault Ste Marie: Attractions in and around Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario: - Agawa Canyon Tour Train, a one day wilderness excursion will take you 114 miles north of Sault Ste. Marie. - Ermatingerâ€¢Clergue National Historic Site; features the history of the Sault Ste. Marie, area. - The Sault Ste. Marie Museum, offers, exhibit artifacts and archival materials which illustrate the history of Sault Ste. Marie the District of Algoma. - Sault Ste. Marie Lock Tours: Boat Passage through the Historic Canadian Sault Canal and World Famous Soo Locks -The Parks Canada Sault Canal National Historic Site; The lock is 77 meters long (250 feet) by 15.4 meters wide (50 feet) - The Sault Ste. Marie, Canadian Bushplane Heritage Centre, the center is dedicated to preserving the history of Forest Protection and Bush Flying in Ontario and Canada.	191.0	307.4
1.4	2.2	Airdale Road	Access to Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario Airport, south side of highway	189.7	305.2
3.9	6.2	Bell's Point Beach and Campground, Ontario	Access from highway. Campground Facilities: 150 serviced and non-serviced sites. Pull-Thru Sites, Hot Showers, Horseshoes, Beach, Bicycling, Camp Store, RV Dump Station, Fishing, Volleyball, Playground, Canoeing, Waterfront, Hiking	187.2	301.2
6.7	10.8	Ojibway Campground Tent & Trailer Park	Laughing Water Beach. West side of highway. Ojibway Campground Tent & Trailer Park camping facilities: 118 Full Serviced Campsites; Sandy Beach; Free, Picnic Area; Hot Showers; Playground; Security Patrol; Firewood; Septic Service; Group Camping Area.	184.3	296.6
11.9	19.1	Point of Interest	Bridge crossing Lake George, Ontario.	179.1	288.3
12.8	20.6	Community of Echo Bay, Ontario	Access from highway. Attractions in Echo Bay, Ontario. The Canadian Loon Dollar Monument. The Canadian Loon Dollar is called in Canada, the ('Loonie')	178.2	286.8
13.4	21.5	Junction of Highway #638	East to community of Leeburn, Ontario.	177.7	285.9
27.8	44.8	Junction of Highway #548	South to St. Joseph Island, Ontario. Fort St. Joseph National Historic Site of Canada. Fort St. Joseph features, the commercial and military alliance that existed between the British and the First Nations peoples of the western Great Lakes region in the aftermath of the American Revolutionary War through the War of 1812. In addition to the Fort itself, the site contains archaeological features which in their undeveloped state reveal part of the complex pattern of military, domestic and commercial life - Aboriginal and European - in this frontier outpost.	163.2	262.6
31.4	50.5	Kensington Road	Access to boat launch site, south side of highway	159.6	256.9
38.1	61.3	Community of Desbarats, Ontario	Access from highway	152.9	246.1
39.6	63.7	Roadside Highway Turnout	Snow plough turnout, paved, north side of highway	151.4	243.7
45.3	72.9	Roadside Highway Turnout Rest Area	Picnic tables, toilets, north side of highway	145.7	234.5
46.2	74.3	Community of Bruce Mines, Ontario	Services. The town of Bruce Mines, Ontario, is located on the north shore of Lake Huron in the Ontario, Algoma District. Copper was discovered by settlers in 1846. Attractions in and around Bruce Mines, Ontario: Bruce Mines Museum, The museum started in 1894 as a Presbyterian Church, called the 'Church on the Rock' services were held in the church until 1917. The museum features; Artifacts of the area, Archives Genealogical, census, birth, death, marriage, and baptismal area records, photos of pioneer families and the town mining documents. Other attractions: Bruce Mines, Fall Fair The Fall Fair has been held every second September weekend since 1880 - Simpson Copper Mine Shaft, Open during the summer months, tours are available, visitors can get a glimpse of a day in the life of a Cornish miner in the early 1800's.	144.8	233.1
47.0	75.6	Junction of Highway #638	North to Bruce Sta.	144.0	231.8

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52.9	85.2	Junction of Highway #17b	South to Community of Thessalon, Ontario; services. Thessalon, Ontario is located on the north shore of Lake Huron.	138.1	222.2
59.3	95.4	Junction of Highway #129	North side of highway. North to the communities of Wharncliffe, Ontario, Devon, Ontario, Chapleau, Ontario. North 200kms, to the Chapleau, Ontario Game Preserve. This Preserve is one of the world's largest wildlife preserve.	131.7	212.0
63.5	102.2	Livingstone, Ontario Golf Course	South side of highway	127.5	205.2
66.4	106.9	Snow Plough Turnabout	Large paved turnout, south side of highway	124.6	200.5
68.5	110.2	Community of Sowerby, Ontario	North side of highway	122.5	197.2
74.1	119.3	Belmar, Ontario Campground	West side of highway	116.9	188.1
74.6	120.1	Giking Tent & Trailer Park, Ontario	West side of highway	116.4	187.3
76.1	122.4	Community of Iron Bridge, Ontario	Access from highway.	115.0	185.0
76.2	122.7	Point of Interest	Bridge crossing the Ontario, Mississagi River. The Mississagi River originates in Ontario, Mississagi Lake and flows 270 km to empty into Ontario's, Lake Huron. The North West Fur Company built a fur trading post in 1799, at the mouth of the river. There are hydroelectric plants in use along this river.	114.8	184.7
76.3	122.8	Junction of Highway #546	North to Rawhide Lake, Ontario 79 km's	114.7	184.6
76.7	123.5	Roadside Highway Turnout	Picnic area and Information Centre with Museum,	114.3	183.9
82.3	132.5	Photo - View from highway	While driving east on The Trans Canada Highway	108.7	174.9
84.4	135.8	Roadside Highway Turnout,	Picnic area, south side of highway	106.6	171.6
89.7	144.4	Huron Pines Golf Course, Ontario	South side of highway	101.3	163.0
92.7	149.1	Community of Blind River, Ontario	Junction of Highway #555, #557, all services. Blind River, Ontario is situated on the North Channel of Lake Huron. Attractions in and around Blind River, Ontario: Blind River Canada Day Beach Bash; This event is held at Sand Beach on Lake Huron. Activities include; Tim Horton's Kite Festival, sand castle building , Kids Karaoke, and watermelon eating contests. - Pow-Wow Days This Native event celebrates the Ojibway culture - Blind River's Annual Home Trade Show - Blind River's Annual Winter Carnival, a four day celebration of winter fun.	98.4	158.3
93.9	151.1	Picnic Area - Access to Museum	Picnic tables, Museum. North side of highway. Access to Timber Village Museum. The museum features exhibits and artifacts relating to the history of Blind River and area with information on the local logging and lumbering industry. - Annual events; Voyageur Days, living History Re-enactment.	97.1	156.3
99.8	160.6	Junction of Highway #538	Community of Algoma Mills, Ontario, services, boat launch, south side of highway	91.2	146.8
100.4	161.5	Photo - View from highway	While driving east on The Trans Canada Highway	90.7	145.9
100.4	161.6	Access to Boat launch		90.6	145.8
102.9	165.6	Junction of Highway #538		88.1	141.8
110.7	178.1	Community of Spragge, Ontario	Koa Campground, south side of highway	80.3	129.3
112.7	181.3	Junction of Highway #108 - access to the city of Elliot Lake Ontario	Community of Serpent River, Ontario. . Truck inspection weigh station at highway. North to the community of Elliot Lake, Ontario. Attractions in and around Elliot Lake, Ontario: - Elliot Lake Nuclear and Mining Museum & Canadian Mining Hall of Fame, The museum features First Nation history, logging, History of Uranium mining. - Elliot Lake Mining Monument and Memorial Park, dedicated to miners who risked their lives each day. - Sheriff Creek Wildlife Sanctuary, opportunities for birding and wildlife viewing. - The Fire Tower Lookout and Heritage Centre, a replica of a fire ranger's lookout and provides panoramic view of the North Channel of Lake Huron and Manitoulin Island. There is also a restored Ranger's cabin. North to Mississagi Provincial Park, camping 90 campsites, 62 pullthroughs	78.4	126.1
115.7	186.2	Roadside Highway Turnout Rest Area	Picnic tables toilets, south side of highway	75.3	121.2
115.8	186.4	Point of Interest	Bridge crossing the Serpent River, Ontario.	75.2	121.0
117.6	189.2	Community of Cutler, Ontario	Services. Attractions in Cutler, Ontario: Giant Teepee Poles.	73.4	118.2
118.0	189.9	Community of Spanish, Ontario	Services. Large gravel turnout, south side of highway. The Town of Spanish, Ontario is located at the mouth of the Ontario, Spanish River at the North Channel of Lake Huron.	73.0	117.5
118.6	190.8	Point of Interest	Entering Rainbow County, Ontario Tourist Area, west boundry.	72.5	116.6
122.9	197.7	Roadside Highway Turnout	Paved turnout, both sides of highway	68.2	109.7

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126.1	202.9	Photo - View from highway	While driving east on The Trans Canada Highway.	64.9	104.5
131.5	211.6	Junction of Highway #553	Community of Massey, Ontario; services. North to Chutes Ontario, Provincial Park, camping 130 campsites, 56 elec. sites, flush toilets, showers. The only provincial park between Sudbury, Ontario and Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario Chutes, Ontario, Provincial Park is an excellent stopover for travellers, driving the Trans-Canada Highway. Located next to the shallow, swimmable Aux Sables Ontario River, the park gets its name from a chute that once diverted logs around the waterfall. attractions: Follow riverside nature trails to see upstream rapids.	59.5	95.8
140.4	225.9	Point of Interest	Crossing Birch Creek, Ontario.	50.6	81.5
142.0	228.5	Community of Webbwood, Ontario	Services. Webbwood, Ontario citizens elected Canada's first female mayor, Barbara Hanley, in 1936.	49.0	78.9
147.7	237.7	Junction of Highway #6	Community of Espanola, Ontario. South side of highway, Visitor Information. South to Community of Whitefish Falls, Ontario Whitefish Falls is located at the mouth of the Whitefish River. Attractions at Whitefish Falls - The annual La Cloche Art Show., McGregor Bay, Ontario, Birch Island, Ontario, Little Current, Ontario, Sheguiandah, Ontario.	43.3	69.7
148.6	239.2	Community of McKerrow, Ontario	Services	42.4	68.2
152.7	245.8	Roadside Highway Turnout (Sandy Bay Road)	Picnic area, north side of highway	38.3	61.6
152.9	246.1	Point of Interest	Crossing The Ontario Spanish River. The Spanish River flows 338 km from its headwaters in Ontario, Lake Biscotasi and Ontario, Duke Lake passing through Ontario, Agnew Lake emptying into Georgian Bay, Ontario. There are four hydroelectric dams on this river:	38.1	61.3
157.7	253.8	Community of Nairn Centre, Ontario	Services. North to Fairbank Ontario Provincial Park, camping, 160 camp sites, 40 elec sites, showers flush toilets. Camp at the edge of a crater created by a meteorite that hit the earth millions of years ago, spring-fed Ontario, Fairbank Lake is so clear it attracts snorkellers and scuba divers. View the crater and Fairbank fault from trail lookouts and visit an old blast hole, a relic of a still-thriving mining industry.	33.3	53.6
158.1	254.4	Point of Interest	West Boundry Of of Greater Sudbury	32.9	53.0
163.1	262.4	Services at Highway	Picnic tables, visitor information, south side of highway	28.0	45.0
163.7	263.5	Roadside Highway Turnout	Picnic tables, visitor information, south side of highway	27.3	43.9
169.4	272.6	Fairbank Ontario Provincial Park	Park, 22 km's north, camping, 160 camp sites, 40 elec. sites, flush toilets, showers. Camp at the edge of a crater at this park created by a meteorite that hit the earth millions of years ago, spring-fed, Ontario, Fairbank Lake is so clear it attracts snorkellers and scuba divers. One can view the crater and the Fairbank fault from trail lookouts. There is a old blast hole, a relic of a still-thriving mining industry of the area. - Hiking: Wa-shai-ga-mog Trail: The trail is 1/2 km long with twelve interpretive stops explaining the copper and nickel mining history of the area.	21.6	34.8
170.9	275.1	Roadside Highway Turnout	Large paved turnout, south side of highway	20.1	32.3
172.5	277.6	Photo - View from highway	While driving east on The Trans Canada Highway	18.5	29.8
179.2	288.4	Junction of Highway #144	Access to Halfway Ontario, Provincial Park, Camoing Facilities: 215 campsites 120 elec sites, flush toilets, showers. One can view heron rookeries, moose, nesting osprey and beaver ponds as you paddle and camp among the 20 lakes in this wilderness northwest of Sudbury, Ontario. Abundant fish, game and berries fed Ojibway here before loggers came and built chutes like the one between Halfway and Ontario, Bailey lakes.	11.8	19.0
179.2	288.4	Junction of Highway #144	North to Communities of Balfour, Ontario, Rayside, Ontario, Onaping Falls, Ontario, Cartier, Ontario, City of Timmons, Ontario. Attraction in and around Timmons, Ontario: The Timmins Museum history & National Exhibition Centre, offers the arts and culture of Timmins and Northeastern Ontario and Canada. - The Timmons, Shania Twain Centre, features the famous country singer in her hometown also memorabilia and souvenirs, musical and personal accomplishments. - Timmins Underground Gold Mine Tour, experience the workings of a mine, pan for gold and learn about Timmons, mining history.	11.8	19.0
182.4	293.6	Junction of Highway #55	North to Community of Lively, Ontario	8.6	13.8

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188.6	303.5	Junction of Highway #80	<p>North access to City of Sudbury, Ontario down town centre, all services. The City of Sudbury, Ontario is the largest city in Northern Ontario. Attractions in and around Sudbury: Greater Sudbury Annual Blueberry Festival, a celebration with blueberry eating contests, pancake breakfasts and more, held in mid July.- Northern Lights Festival BorÅ©al, Canada's oldest outdoor festival - Science North IMAX Festival, wide variety of giant screen films during this annual film festival. - Sudbury Dragon Boat Festival. Held in July, on Ramsey Lake with more than 100 teams competing annually. - Cinefest Sudbury International Film Festival, Held in September - Canadian Garlic Festival. This annual festival pays tribute to the humble garlic bulb, features entertainment. - Chelmsford Western Days, a 10-day festival held in in June - Sudbury's Greek Festival; Greek, heritage with traditional food, dancing and entertainment, held in the summer - Italian Festival</p> <p>Sudbury's Italian heritage, features regional food fair, pageants, entertainment, held in July - La fÃ¢te de la Saint-Jean-Baptiste. Annual Francophone cultural festival, held in June. - The Cortina Cruise Boat, a 70-passenger cruise boat. - Northern Ontario Railroad Museum & Heritage Centre. The Museum features history of early settlers in the Ontario,Sudbury area - The Anderson Farm Museum; Depicts dairy farming history. - Sudbury's Centre franco-ontarien de folklore, features the world's largest collection of works on Franco-Ontarien heritage and folklore - Art Gallery of Sudbury, presents on going art exhibitions.</p>	2.4	3.9
191.0	307.4	Junction of Highway #69 (Trans Canada Highway)	<p>North to City of Sudbury, Ontario. South to Town of Parry Sound, Ontario. West to Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.</p>	0.0	0.0
191.0	307.4	Junction of Highway #69 (Trans Canada Highway)	<p>NOTE: For highway travel south via The Trans Canada Highway, Ontario Highway #69 - See Road Map Highway Travel Guide - Trans Canada , Highway,#69 'The Georgian Bay Route'. Sudbury,Ontario to Parry Sound, Ontario and Highway #400, For driving directions. Start / Finish of Highway Travel Guide. -e</p>	0.0	0.0