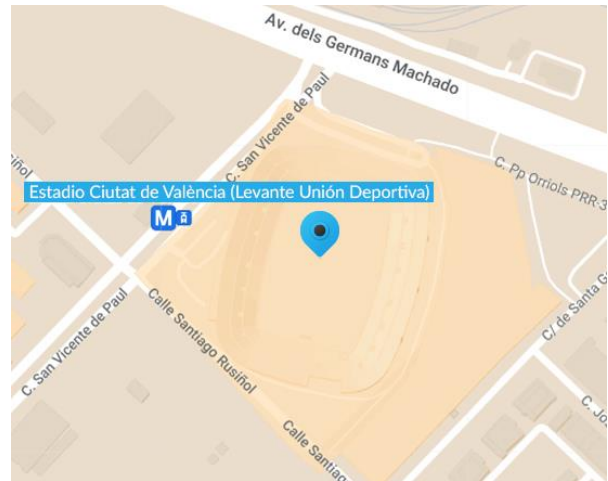
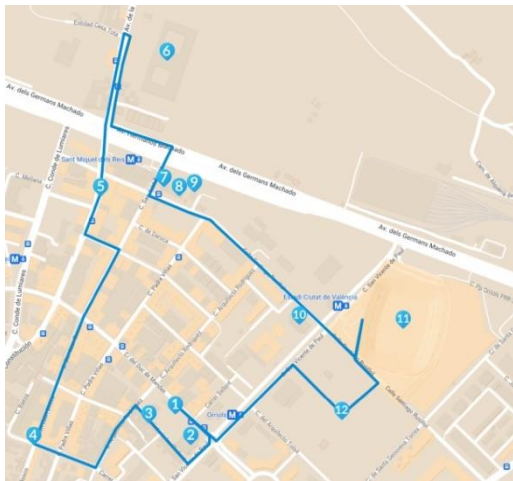


## 11. Estadi Ciutat de València



The Estadi Ciutat de València is the football stadium of the club Levante Unión Deportiva. It has a capacity for 26,000 spectators.

It was built on an area of 40,000 m<sup>2</sup> in the "Racó de Sant Llorenç" orchard, near the Oriols neighbourhood, around San Miguel de los Reyes, and the municipality of Alboraya where the La Cremà farmhouse was located.

Levante UD is the oldest football club in València.

Levante Football Club was founded in 1909 at Poblados Marítimos with José Ballester Gozalvo as president and at Gonzalo the same time as Gimnástico Fútbol Club of València, which was associated with the Patronato de la Juventud Obrera (Workers' Youth Board).

These teams merged in 1939 under the name of Unión Deportiva Levante-Gimnástico and played at the Campo de Vallejo football Stadium in Alboraya street.

In 1941 they were renamed Levante Unión Deportiva. The name derives from the "Playa de Levante" ("Levante Beach"), where they originally played (*Camp de la platgeta*, Campo de la playita - Little Beach Park), in the maritime neighbourhood of Cabañal-Cañamelar, where many of their fans are from.

In 1969, the new football stadium was built at its current location. The Vallejo Park was abandoned and the stadium was opened and named after its president: Estadio Antonio Román.

In 1972 its name was changed to Nuevo Estadio, Nou Estadi (New Stadium) and since 1999, it has been the Estadi Ciutat de València.

In 2021 the stands were covered with a modern design that admits natural light and the communal areas will be renovated.

The history of the football team is recounted on the website <http://museo.levantud.com/en/home-english/>

### **How to get there on foot?**

Located opposite the Sagrado Corazón parish church in San Vicente de Paul street, go southeast towards Santiago Rusiñol street where the Ciutat de València stadium is about 150 m away.

### **Accessibility**

#### **General information**

**Address:** Sant Vicent de Paül street, No. 44, 46019 València.

**Opening hours:** Open during matches or by appointment.

Located on a flat, unobstructed avenue, with homogeneous paving.

There are guided tours adapted for people with disabilities.

Prior reservation necessary.

A wheelchair is available for visitors.

### **Parking**

Two reserved places in San Vicente Paül street, s/n, beside the entrance to the Orriols Sports Complex. The seats are 500 cm x 200 cm.

Two reserved places in Santa Genoveva Torres street, No. 21, at the door of the Arena shopping centre. There is an accessible route, with homogeneous paving as far as the park and dips in the pavements.

The two places are more than 500 cm x 350 cm and have horizontal and vertical signage. The latter has reduced visibility due to the foliage of a tree near the sign.

A reserved place in Santa Genoveva Torres street, No. 30, with an accessible route as far as the stadium, with dips on the pavements. The place is more than 450 cm x 350 cm, with vertical and horizontal signage.

Two places reserved for PRM, in No. 81 Res Urb square, in Arquitecto Tolsá street, s/n, next to the Arquitecto Tolsà Health Centre, with an accessible route as far as the stadium, with dips on the pavements.

## **Access**

The stadium has 46 entrances around its perimeter, all of them with slopes.

Doors with a free passage width of more than 120 cm, which remain open at all times during matches. All entrances with turnstiles have an alternative route with no turnstiles.

It provides direct access to the grandstand area reserved for PRM with a route accessible from San Vicente Paul street, No. 2. It is access 45.

## **Mobility indoors (General)**

All stadium services are at street level.

It has a grandstand area reserved for PRM, with 24 places available for wheelchairs and seats reserved for carers in an area with more than 250 cm of free passage width.

It has support staff.

Access from the street to the reserved area for PRM via an 11 m long ramp, which is more than 3 m width, with an average incline of 2.5%. No handrails.

## **Mobility indoors**

Access to the stand reserved for PRM is via a ramp that is 115 cm, 8 m long and with a 3.8% incline. There is a double handrail on one side, at a height of 77-98 cm.

There are passage areas with more than 120 cm of free passage width.

The VIP area also has a space reserved for PRM with 3-4 places available with a route accessible from the lift.

Access is via a door with more than 90 cm of free passage width; it is always open.

The door is preceded by a ramp with a 6.8% incline with more than 130 cm of free passage width, a triple handrail at a height of 50-75-110 cm.

At street level, there is an irregular pavement; there may be isolated dips or ramps on the route.

## Lockers

Located outside the stadium, in Santiago Rusiñol street.

Slope free access.

They have an adapted counter that is 84 cm high, with 75 cm of clear height at the bottom and 60 cm deep at the bottom.

## Toilets

There are six toilet modules, all on the ground floor. All have a cabin reserved for PRM, which is not equipped with support bars except for the one in the gents toilet next to the area of area of the stadium reserved for PRM. It has folding support bars on both sides, at a height of 84 cm.

70 cm separation between bars.

Signage on the cabin door with approved symbol. Non slip flooring

Sliding toilet door with 94 cm free passage width. A 130 cm diameter circle can be described within the cabin.

There is a cabin door that opens outwards with a handle; it has 90 cm of free passage width and no return spring.

In case of emergency, the lock can be opened from the outside.

An 85 cm diameter circle can be described within the cabins lacking support bars. A 120 cm diameter circle can be described in the cabin, which is equipped with support bars.

Washbasin located outside the cabin, 85 cm high with pedestal, 80 cm of clear height at the bottom and 42 cm deep. Pressure tap. It does not have a mirror.

In cabins lacking support bars, access space to the toilet is 50 cm on the left and right and there is 85 cm of frontal access. In the cabin equipped with bars, there is 24 cm access to the toilet on the right, more than 120 cm on the left and 80 cm of frontal access.

In all cabins the toilet seat is at a height of 41 cm, except for the one equipped with bars, which is at a height of 50 cm.

There is no alarm system inside the cabin.

## Stairs

There are a multitude of staircases giving access to the interior of the stadium. Most of them have two flights, with a maximum of thirteen steps per flight, a 19 cm riser and a 30 cm tread. There are handrails on either side, at a height of 100 cm.

## Restaurant, coffee shop, buffet

There are two bars on each side and one in each concierge area. They all have an accessible route.

Unaffected bar at a height of 110 cm.

## Store

Access via self opening door, 132 cm free passage width.

Inside the store, a route free of slopes 110 cm high counter.

Shelves at a height of 12-200 cm.

Free passage width in corridors is greater than 120 cm.

The fitting room door has a clear passage width of 76 cm, opening inwards. There is a rest bench that is 44 cm high and 90 cm long.

Homogeneous, non-slip flooring.

## Lift

Lift to access the VIP area with a free passage width of 82 cm and a 100 x 120 cm cabin.

Call buttons at a height of 104 cm, inner buttons at a height of 97-117 cm.

## Access

The stadium has 46 entrances around its perimeter, all of them with slopes. Always open during matches. The entrances have turnstiles.

## Mobility indoors

There is contrasting signage, with approved pictograms, indicating spaces and routes.

At street level, there is an irregular pavement; there may be isolated dips or ramps without tactile visual signs on the route.

The seat numbering has high chromatic contrast figures. The row numbering has contrasting figures on the risers of the steps giving access to the grandstand.

## Lockers

Located outside the stadium, in Santiago Rusiñol street. Slope free route and access.

106 cm high counter with direct lighting.

## Toilets

Ladies' and gents' toilets marked with approved, non tactile pictograms with chromatic contrast at a height of 170 cm. The toilet door contrasts with the wall.

There is homogeneous lighting without a timer.

## Stairs

There are a multitude of staircases giving access to the interior of the stadium. Most of them have two flights, with a maximum of thirteen steps per flight, which are 19 cm high and 30 cm wide, without nosing and with protective skirting on either side and without tactile visual strips on each step.

The beginning and end of the staircase lack tactile visual signage. There are handrails on either side, at a height of 100 cm.

Within the stadium stairs with no nosing, no protective skirting board and no tactile visual signs.

## Restaurant, coffee shop, buffet

There are two bars on each side and one in each concierge area.

## Store

Route free of obstacles and no projecting elements.

110 cm high counter with direct lighting.

Dip-free, non-slip and homogenous flooring.

There are information signs with contrasting pictograms.

Homogeneous lighting.

## Access

The stadium has 46 entrances around its perimeter, which are always open during matches.

## Mobility indoors

There is contrasting signage with approved pictograms showing information about spaces and routes.

## Lockers

Located outside the stadium, in Santiago Rusiñol street.

106 cm high counter, with a screen. There is no intercom or magnetic induction loop.

## Toilets

There are six toilet modules on the ground floor.

There is a visual vacant/engaged system.

There is a lower clearance strip on the cabin door.

## Mobility indoors

There is a glazed access door.

There is visual communication with the outside from inside the store.

The fitting room door has a lower clearance strip.