



## YAMANOTE CHALLENGE 2005

It started in 2001, when three of us went for the first time on our bicycles and cruised along the side streets parallel to the rails of the Yamanote Line.

**48 kilometers. 28 stations. One day.**

In 2002 we did it again, and in 2003 we add one more round. And this year we will do it again. Do you have what it takes to challenge the Yamanote on your bicycle?

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OCTOBER 10<sup>th</sup>, 2004 (SUNDAY) 09.00hr

**START:** TOKYO STATION, YAESU SIDE  
MAIN CROSSING

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Yamanote Challenge 2005 is a non-profit, non-competitive event that exists only for the pure sake of fun and spending a free Sunday together outside in the metropolis. Everybody is welcome to participate, the only thing being required: a bicycle, regardless of type and make.

We will meet at the Tokyo Station and then cruise counter clockwise along the rails of the Yamanote Line from station to station. At each station we will take a picture of all participants with the station in the background in order to proof to friends, co-workers and relatives that we really did it. 48 kilometers. 28 stations. One day.

This is an excellent chance to discover Tokyo as a whole and find aspects of the city, which were so far only seen from inside of trains. Traditional quarters of the town, graveyards and office blocks, a great variety of urbanity can be seen all in one day. If somebody asks you, whether you know Tokyo or not, well after participation you have every right to answer YES.

Please spread the news: the more we are, the better.

**If you are interested to participate, please contact Michael O.B. Kraehe for further details and planning until October 3<sup>re</sup> (SUN).**

Thank you, Max Danger, for the idea.