

Vienna Airport: Traffic development in July 2015: 6.7% increase in passenger volume

The number of passengers handled by Vienna Airport in July 2015 was up 6.7% compared to July 2014 to 2,363,785. A total of 88,652 passengers were handled by Vienna Airport on July 31, 2015, a record single-day passenger volume in the airport's history. In July 2015, the number of local passengers was up 7.3% from the previous year, whereas the total volume of transfer passengers also increased, rising by 5.5% compared to July 2014. The number of flight movements (starts and landings) was down 0.6%, and the development of the maximum take-off weight (MTOW) was clearly positive, rising by 5.0%. Air cargo declined by 1.8% in July 2015 compared to the prior-year level. Cumulative passenger volume in the months January to July 2015 was up 0.5% from the previous year.

The number of passengers flying to Western Europe and Eastern Europe in July 2015 rose by 7.3% and 3.1% respectively. Passenger traffic to the Middle East was up sharply by 42.5%, compared to an increase of 8.3% for Far Eastern destinations. Passenger growth to North America climbed by 6.0%. In July 2015 the number of passengers flying to Africa dropped by 10.9% from the previous year.

Good development of strategic investments in Malta and Kosice

The foreign strategic investments of the Flughafen Wien Group developed well. Malta Airport reported a cumulative passenger growth of 6.9% from January to July 2015 to more than 2.5 million passengers in the first seven months of the year. Kosice Airport handled a total of 215,149 passengers, comprising a rise of 11.0% in the same period.

Results in detail

	July 2015	Change in %	January-July 2015	Change in %
Passengers (total):	2,363,785	+6.7	12,820,415	+0.5
Local passengers:	1,637,910	+7.3	9,249,258	+2.8
Transfer passengers:	716,946	+5.5	3,510,442	-5.8
Maximum take-off weight in tonnes:	796,583	+5.0	4,811,339	+3.0
Flight movements (arrivals & departures):	21,240	-0.6	131,220	-1.9
Air cargo and trucking in tonnes:	22,128	-1.8	152,151	-0.8

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