

Traffic Results in May 2017: Rise in Passenger Volume of the Flughafen Wien Group to 2.8 Million (+7.5%)

The total number of passengers handled by the Flughafen Wien Group (Vienna Airport, Malta Airport, Kosice Airport) in May 2017 increased by 7.5% to 2.8 million travellers. The accumulated passenger volume in the period January-May 2017 showed a rise of 9.1% to 11.1 million. Vienna Airport also developed very well, with the total number of passengers up 6.7% from January to May 2017.

Vienna Airport in May 2017: passenger volume up 6.0% - strong growth of transfer passenger traffic

The number of passengers handled by Vienna Airport in the month of May 2017 increased by 6.0% compared to the prior-year month to 2,227,839 travellers. The number of local passengers was up by 4.9%, and transfer passenger volume climbed by 9.3%. In May 2017, the number of flight movements fell slightly by 0.6% in a year-on-year comparison. Cargo volume at Vienna Airport showed a drop of 5.6% from May 2016.

The total number of passengers at Vienna Airport flying to destinations in Eastern Europe climbed 15.4% in May 2017, which is mainly attributable to the additional flight connections to Russia. Passenger traffic to Western Europe rose by 4.0%. The number of passengers travelling to the Far East increased by 4.5% in May 2017, in contrast to the 6.5% drop in passenger volume to Middle Eastern destinations. The number of passengers headed towards North America was up 6.0%, and passenger traffic to Africa also developed positively, rising by 15.2%.

Malta Airport reported a strong growth in passenger volume of 14.4% in the month of May 2017, and Kosice Airport also showed a gratifying year-on-year rise of 8.7% in the number of passengers it handled.

Results in detail - Traffic development in May 2017:

	May 2017	Change in %	January - May 2017	Change in %
Flughafen Wien (VIE)				
Passengers	2,227,839	+6.0	8,911,461	+6.7
Local passengers	1,640,677	+4.9	6,662,072	+6.8
Transfer passengers	580,400	+9.3	2,206,516	+6.2
Flight movements (arrivals and departures)	20,500	-0.6	86,995	-1.6
Cargo in tonnes (air cargo and trucking)	23,441	-5.6	113,048	-1.2
Malta Airport (MLA, fully consolidated)				
Passengers	548,354	+14.4	2,060,885	+21.1
Local passengers	545,680	+14.7	2,046,494	+21.1
Transfer passengers	2,016	+171.7	9,212	+248.4
Flight movements (arrivals and departures)	4,008	+12.5	15,324	+16.0
Cargo in tonnes (air cargo and trucking)	1,224	+4.0	6,000	+5.9
Flughafen Kosice (KSC, consolidated at equity)				
Passengers	32,233	+8.7	139,377	+9.4
Local passengers	32,233	+8.7	139,377	+9.4
Transfer passengers	-	-	-	-
Flight movements (arrivals and departures)	483	+5.7	2,138	+11.7
Cargo in tonnes (air cargo and trucking)	3	-84.2	17	-57.2
Flughafen Wien and strategic investments (VIE, MLA, KSC)				
Passengers	2,808,426	+7.5	11,111,723	+9.1
Local passengers	2,218,590	+7.2	8,847,943	+9.9
Transfer passengers	582,416	+9.5	2,215,728	+6.5
Flight movements (arrivals and departures)	24,991	+1.4	104,457	+0.9
Cargo in tonnes (air cargo and trucking)	24,668	-5.2	119,065	-0.9

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