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NEW BASE CARRIER AND NEW ROUTES IN OCTOBER



On 25 October 2021, operations of charter flights from Prague to several long-haul exotic destinations were launched by the Čedok travel agency. Just a few days later, on 31 October, Eurowings, a new base carrier, launched its operations from Prague Airport. For the time being, the carrier will operate two of its aircrafts from Prague, offering connections to a total of 13 destinations in both key

European destinations and several typical holiday places. Bees Airline is to become a new carrier active at Václav Havel Airport Prague with its launch of the direct Prague – Odesa route on 21 October 2021. Last but not least, flights to Dubai were launched on 20 October 2021 by Smartwings.

MORE AIRLINES RETURN TO PRAGUE AIRPORT IN NOVEMBER

Effective 5 November 2021, after a longer pause, Jet2.com returns to



Václav Havel Airport Prague, relaunching its flights to Manchester, Birmingham, and Leeds, with the Newcastle route to follow a week later. The Manchester route will also be serviced by Ryanair as of the start of the winter flight schedule. In addition, the carrier will resume its direct services to Barcelona, and Paris (Beauvais), and offer flights on its brand-new Naples route effective 31

October. On the same day, British Airways' subsidiary BA Cityflyer is to return to Prague Airport, resuming its London City connection, while Czech Airlines re-launch the Copenhagen service. Last but not least, Vueling will launch a new air connection from Prague to Amsterdam on 3 December 2021.

DIRECT CONNECTIONS TO ALMOST 100 DESTINATIONS IN WINTER FLIGHT SCHEDULE



Effective Sunday, 31 October 2021, the winter flight schedule came in effect, offering direct connections from Václav Havel Airport Prague to 92 destinations operated by 47 carriers. The German company Eurowings, a member of the Lufthansa Group, is opening its base at Prague Airport servicing connections to 13 European destinations, including the Canary Islands and Barcelona. Ryanair has

scheduled connections from Prague to 26 cities, including popular destinations such as London, Krakow and Dublin. The Smartwings Group is to operate connections to almost 20 destinations under the winter flight schedule, such as the Canary Islands, Madeira, Hurghada, Paris and Stockholm. Direct long-haul charter connections to exotic destinations such as the Maldives, Punta Cana, Mombasa, Cancún and Zanzibar will also be available from Václav Havel Airport Prague. <u>More info</u>

AIRPORT TOURS TO BE RESUMED

After the COVID-19 related disruption, Prague Airport is resuming its popular airport tours, providing the general



public with a unique opportunity to learn more about many interesting airport professions, and visit places behind the scenes, ordinarily hidden to passengers. Experienced guides introduce the apron buzz, explain the runway system, show the tour participants around the most modern fire station in the Czech Republic, and take them to proximity of aircraft. Airport tours for school groups will be

resumed first, followed by the tours for the general public.

'OPEN SKY' AGREEMENT BETWEEN EUROPEAN UNION AND UKRAINE



The Common Aviation Area which liberalises Agreement, air connections between Ukraine and the European Union, was signed on 12 2021. October In practice, liberalisation means the end of the air transport market regulation, comprising primarily the limitation in the number of flights performed between the EU member countries and Ukraine. The new agreement will

undoubtedly contribute to the development of air connections with Ukraine and may positively impact the operations of Prague Airport in the future.



SPECIAL DEALS FOR TRAVELLERS TO EXOTIC DESTINATIONS

Together with its selected business partners, Prague Airport is expanding the offer of favourably priced purchase options in airport shops and restaurants. As of now, up to 30% discounts are available also to passengers headed to the following exotic destination: the Dominican Republic, Mexico, Zanzibar, Kenya, Maldives, Seychelles, and Mauritius. Discounts on purchases and refreshments for traveller to Dubai and Doha remain in place. All that needs to be done is to presents a valid boarding pass for a flight with any air carrier to one of the above-listed destinations.

	09/2020	09/2021	Y/Y	01-09/20	01-09/21	Y/Y
TOTAL PASSENGERS	240 515	653 933	171.89%	3 382 811	2 732 623	-19.22%
Scheduled	212 879	587 543	176.00%	3 279 150	2 398 534	-26.86%
Non-scheduled	27 636	66 390	140.23%	103 661	334 089	222.29%
PAX ON DEPARTURE	116 549	320 950	175.38%	1 712 618	1 365 466	-20.27%
Local Passengers	112 273	317 606	182.89%	1 673 914	1 344 408	-19.68%
Transfer	1 286	3 252	152.88%	29 352	10 716	-63.49%
Transit	2 990	92	-96.92%	9 352	10 342	10.59%
TOTAL MVT	4 792	7 733	61.37%	45 854	40 224	-12.28%
Scheduled	3 174	5 202	63.89%	33 325	23 960	-28.10%
Non-scheduled	1 370	2 155	57.30%	10 385	13 555	30.52%
Others	248	376	51.61%	2 144	2 709	26.35%
TOP 3 DESTINATIONS:	1. Amsterdam, 2. Tel Aviv/Ben Gurion, 3. Hurghada					
TOP 3 COUNTRIES:	1. Greece, 2. Italy, 3. Spain					

TRAFFIC DEVELOPMENT



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