



Press Release

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Non-stop to the Greek capital: Germania launches Dresden - Athens flights

After a gap of around 20 years, Athens is back on the Dresden flight timetable. From 4 May there will once again be a regular direct connection to the Greek capital during the summer season.

Claus Altenburg, Director Sales of Germania Fluggesellschaft:

"The new route is an example of the success of our route structure: Athens has been part of our route network since last summer and was very well received at other airports within a very short space of time. With high demand last year and excellent advance bookings for 2018, we took the opportunity to expand this route into Dresden and to offer flights from here to the Greek capital."

Germania will be operating two flights per week from Dresden to Athens until the end of October. The flight will last approximately 2 hours 40 minutes and will depart from Dresden at 16:55 on Fridays and 07:00 on Mondays until the end of October.

Markus Kopp, CEO of Mitteldeutscher Flughafen AG and General Manager of Flughafen Dresden GmbH:

"Greece is experiencing a very dynamic upswing as a holiday destination. Consequently, many tour operators are also offering the Dresden-Athens route. The Greek capital offers everything city breakers love: fantastic sights steeped in history, culinary highlights, a vibrant street scene and Mediterranean flair."

Other new destinations from Dresden with Germania in the summer 2018 timetable: St Petersburg (since 26 April), Thessaloniki (since 1 May), Monastir (since 2 May) and Bastia (from 19 May).

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Germania Routes from Dresden Airport in Summer 2018

Destination	Term	Flight Days	Price*
Bulgaria			
Burgas	27-06 - 22-08-2018	Wednesday	from 69 euros
Cyprus			
Paphos	02-05 – 27-06-2018 22-08 – 31-10-2018	Wednesday	from 79 suros
Egypt			
Hurghada	01-05 - 30-10-2018	Tuesday, Saturday	from 99 euros
France			
Bastia/Corsica	19-05 – 27-10-2018	Saturday	from 69 euros
Greece			
Athens	04-05 – 29-10-2018	Monday, Friday	from 69 euros
Kos	02-05 - 31-10-2018	Wednesday, Saturday	from 99 euros
Crete/Heraklion	02-05 – 31-10-2018	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Sunday	from 99 euros
Rhodes	03-05 – 30-10-2018	Tuesday (from 26-06), Thursday, Saturday	from 99 euros
Thessaloniki	01-05 - 30-10-2018	Tuesday, Friday	from 99 euros
Iceland			
Reykjavík/Keflavik	27-06 - 14-10-2018	Wednesday, Saturday	from 59 euros
Portugal			
Faro	03-05 - 28-10-2018	Thursday, Sunday	from 79 euros
Madeira/Funchal	01-05 - 19-06-2018	Tuesday	from 99 euros
Spain			
Barcelona	01-05 - 30-10-2018	Tuesday, Friday, Sunday	from 59 euros
Fuerteventura	05-05 – 29-10-2018	Monday, Saturday	from 99 euros
Gran Canaria	02-05 – 31-10-2018	Wednesday, Sunday	from 99 euros
Málaga	03-05 - 29-10-2018	Monday, Thursday	from 79 euros
Palma de Mallorca	01-05 - 31-10-2018	Daily	from 69 euros
Tenerife	03-05 - 25-10-2018	Thursday	from 99 euros
Russia			
St. Petersburg	26-04 – 25-10-2018	Thursday, Sunday	from 69 euros
Tunisia			
Monastir	02-05 - 31-10-2018	Wednesday	from 79 euros
Turkey			
Antalya	01-05 – 30-10-2018	Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Sunday	from 79 euros

* one-way Issued 26-04-2018. Subject to change.



Flughafen Dresden GmbH is a subsidiary of the Central German Airports Group with around 1.71 million passengers per year (2017).

Thanks to the direct access road from the A4 motorway, 3000 parking spaces right next to the terminal building and the S-Bahn station, passengers from Saxony, Southern Brandenburg, Northern Bohemia and Lower Silesia can get to the airport easily and comfortably.

Short and barrier-free routes are characteristic of the unique Dresden Airport Terminal, a former aviation industry hangar. Arrivals and Departures as well as service areas can all be found under one roof. It is also home to Dresden's biggest travel centre, the Gate 14 airport shop (<u>www.gate14.de</u>) and a conference and events centre with a panoramic view of aircraft on the apron. The customer service was awarded the "Service Quality in Germany" level II certificate by the Saxon Tourist Board.

For timetable, parking reservations and online travel agency go to www.dresden-airport.de.