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# **COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT**

# Malta International Airport plc (the "Company")

Announces Traffic Results - April 2010

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In terms of Chapter 8 of the Listing Rules

### Traffic Results at MIA April 2010

During the month of April MIA registered a decrease of 6.0% in passenger movements over the corresponding month of 2009. Notwithstanding the decrease in April the first four months of 2010 still registered an increase of 3.6% over 2009.

The total passenger movements on scheduled and non-scheduled flights in April 2010 was of 239,553 a decrease of 15,370 passengers when compared to the corresponding month in 2009. Aircraft movements decreased by 1.3% while cargo & mail figures registered an increase of 0.1%.

Passenger traffic for main markets Italy and Spain increased by 26.3%, and 33.6%, whilst UK, Germany and France decreased by 7.8%, 29.5% and 2.5% respectively.

The busiest day in April 2010 was the 6<sup>th</sup> with 13,724 passengers and 106 aircraft movements.

#### Overview

January to April

Overview	Jan to April 2010	Jan to April 2009	+/-	+/-%
Passenger Movements	742,288	716,628	25,660	3.6%
Aircraft Movements	7,083	6,860	223	3.3%
Cargo and Mail (in tonnes)	5,515	5,287	228	4.3%
Seat Capacity	1,134,268	1,099,656	34,612	3.1%
Seat Load Factor	65.4%	65.2%		0.2 PPD
MTOW (in tonnes)	602,512	589,365	13,147	2.2%

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**April 2010** 

	April 2010	April 2009	+/-	+ / - %
Passenger Movements	239,553	254,923	-15,370	-6.0%
Aircraft Movements	2,255	2,285	-30	-1.3%
Cargo and Mail (in tonnes)	1,192	1,191	1	0.1%
Seat Capacity	362,389	366,745	-4,356	-1.2%
Seat Load Factor	66.1%	69.5%		-3.4 PPD
MTOW (in tonnes)	189,089	189,992	-903	-0.5%

It is pertinent to note that the Volcanic Ash disruption over European traffic is reflected in these figures given that 336 flights were cancelled in the week 14 – 21 April and therefore about 35,000 passenger movements less have been calculated by MIA.

## Top Destinations (by country) - April 2010

	Country	Passengers 2010	Passenger s 2009	Rank 2009	+/- %
1	United Kingdom	70,591	76,552	1	-7.8%
2	Italy	53,332	42,217	2	26.3%
3	Germany	28,394	40,253	3	-29.5%
4	France	16,225	16,635	4	-2.5%
5	Spain And Canary Islands	11,859	8,879	6	33.6%

## Top Destinations (by airport) - April 2010

	Airport	Passengers 2010	Passenger s 2009	Rank 2009	+/- %
1	Rome - Fiumicino	23,137	14,331	4	61.4%
2	London - Gatwick	21,679	24,186	1	-10.4%
3	Manchester	13,133	14,102	5	-6.9%
4	Frankfurt	13,003	16,627	2	-21.8%
5	London - Heathrow	12,931	15,106	3	-14.4%

For further information on traffic results please access MIA's website **www.maltairport.com/stats** or contact the Communications Department on 2369 6288

Note: With the exception of cargo and mail and MTOW, all figures relate to scheduled & non-scheduled movements, excluding General Aviation.

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