

RYANAIR SEP TRAFFIC GROWS 11% TO 13.1M CUSTOMERS

INCLUDES 0.5M LAUDA TRAFFIC

Ryanair, Europe's No.1 airline, today (2 Oct) released September traffic statistics as follows:

- Total traffic grew 11% to 13.1m with a 97% load factor
- Ryanair traffic grew 6% to 12.6m customers with a 97% load factor
- Lauda traffic was 0.5m customers with a 93% load factor
- Two days of unnecessary pilot and cabin crew strikes (12 & 28 Sep) caused over 400 flight cancellations in September

SEPTEMBER	2017 Customers (LF)	2018 Customers (LF)	Growth
Ryanair	11.8M (97%)	12.6M (97%)	+6%
Lauda	-	0.5M (93%)	-
Total	11.8M (97%)	13.1M (97%)	+11%

Ryanair's Kenny Jacobs said:

"Ryanair's September traffic (which includes Lauda traffic) grew by 11% to 13.1m customers, while our load factor was unchanged at 97%, on the back of lower fares.

Regrettably, over 400 flights were cancelled in September because of two days of unnecessary pilot and cabin crew strikes in 5 countries, and repeated ATC staff shortages in the UK, Germany and France.

During the entire month of September, while we cancelled just over 400 flights, we completed over 68,000 scheduled flights with more than 80% of these flights arriving on time, as Ryanair continues to deliver the lowest fares, with the best punctuality of any major EU airline."

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