The return of LOT Polish Airlines & an overview of the Polish market

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Athens welcomed 28.17mio travellers in 2023; a New record in the 22 years of airport history



In 2023 Athens achieved its **TOP performance** ever, recovering pre-Pandemic levels in just 2½ year and welcomed 2.6 million additional PAX

PAX traffic +24.0% to 2022 and above 2019 by +10.2%

Flights performed equally strong, with +7.1% to 2019

International PAX traffic at 19.39 million increased by 8.8% to 2019

Domestic PAX traffic at 8.78 million increased by 13.3% to 2019

International share at 68.8% during 2023, (69.7% in 2019)

Dynamic start in 2024, with PAX traffic at 16.5% in Jan-Mar 24vs.23

For Q1 2024, Flights at 12.8% above same period 2023

Dynamic start in 2024, with PAX traffic at 16.5% in Jan-Mar 24vs.23 and Flights at 12.8% above same period 2023



Source : AIA MIS Communications & Marketing (CMA)

With dynamic performance in the majority of International markets, surpassing 2019 levels and recording new "best ever" records



PAX traffic – Foreign Arrivals



Performance in the International markets improved in all fronts during Q1 2024vs. 2023, both in Direct and in Foreign Arrivals





PAX International Direct traffic/roundtrip

PAX traffic – Foreign Arrivals JAN-MAR 24vs.23 PAX traffic in thousand



Athens has a dense network in Europe, Middle East and North Africa, significant connections to the North America and key points in Far East Asia



Athens network is further enriched in 2024, with 5 New Destinations, 7 New Airlines and 18 <u>New/Additional services</u>





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Poland a significant market for Athens, in the range of almost 400 thousand r/t p.a., fast returning to its pre-Pandemic levels



Source : AIA MIS Communications & Marketing (CMA)

In the post-pandemic era, as traffic is growing, market is served by more airlines, concentrated in primary Polish airports



The right time for LOT to invest to Athens, ready to set new record, benefiting by increased demand at Athens and beyond WAW-hub traffic



LOT re-investing in the Athens market after 10 years, excluding some sporadic summer seasonal services in recent years

Source : AIA MIS Communications & Marketing (CMA)



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Poland is a dominant inbound Leisure market for Athens, however with a high share of Greeks traveling for Business



Nationality vs Residency



Booking means

79%

ATH-Poland pax profile Younger travelers, with a high number of trips per year and long stay duration





- Holidays (85%)

39 years old

- Booking mostly via **airlines website** (81%), or travel agents (13%)
- Travelling with **partner (55%)** or **alone** (10%)
- Ticket reservation on average **60 days** before flight
- 4 trips/year
- Average length of trip 9 days



- Booking mostly via airlines website (75%), or Company's Travel Dpt (11%)
- Travelling alone (36%) or in couples (37%)
- Ticket reservation on average 47 days before flight
- 5 trips/year
- Average length of trip 9 days



