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Airline News

Network North America S10

The Brussels Airport network 2010: 8 airlines and up to 13 daily flights.

American Airlines	daily JFK
	daily ORD
Continental Airlines	daily EWR
Delta Air Lines	daily ATL
	daily JFK
United Airlines	daily IAD
	new daily ORD
US Airways	daily PHL
Jet Airways	daily EWR
	daily JFK
	daily YYZ
Air Canada	new daily YUL
Air Transat	4/week YUL

Traffic data

November 2009 and YTD

Passengers	(000)	%LY
November	1,242	-1.5%
YTD	15,863	-8.7%
Cargo (tonnes)	(000)	%LY
November	39,4	-19.8%
YTD*	410,6	-33.6%
Movements		%LY
November	17,772	-6.3%
YTD*	215,550	-10.7%

* Partial DHL move to Leipzig from April 08

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LONG HAUL

Hainan Airlines will expand its frequency to Beijing from 4 weekly flights to a daily operation as from 27 April 2010. Flights will arrive at Brussels at 05.30h and depart at 13.50h. Hainan Airlines operates with an Airbus A330-200.

Brussels Airlines will introduce a 5th Airbus A330-300 in its fleet next summer. Destinations and frequencies will be announced at a later stage.

SHORT/MEDIUM HAUL

Star Alliance member **Blue 1** has announced 2 daily flights from Helsinki to BRU from 29 March 2010. These flights will replace the Brussels Airlines flights that were operated till October 2009. The Blue1 flights will connect with the main connecting morning and evening banks at Brussels Airport.

Brussels Airlines will commence 4 daily flights to London Heathrow from 10 January. Flights will be operated with B737 and A319. These flights will replace the 7 daily **bmi** operations with EMB145 aircraft, as bmi will suspend its flights from Heathrow to Brussels. Brussels Airlines will suspend its current 2 daily flights to London Gatwick.

Brussels Airlines is going to increase its frequency from Bristol to Brussels from 2 to 3 daily flights and from Newcastle from 1 to 3 daily flights. All flights will connect with the main Brussels Airlines banks at Brussels. The flight will be operated by EMB145 aircraft through a wet lease agreement with **bmiregional**. Brussels Airlines previously operated Avro RJ85 on the routes. **bmiregional** itself also operates 3 daily flights to Brussels from East Midlands, Edinburgh and Leeds/Bradford.

CARGO

Cargo traffic continues to show improvements. Full freighter cargo decreased with 27%, still including the suspended Cargo B flights. Cargo on passenger flights reached positive growth for the second month in a row with an impressive +22%. Integrator traffic remained negative with -31%, with especially less long haul flights.