

## Airport Stats

February saw a 6% increase in passenger numbers compared to February 2024. Having started the year with a 2% decrease in January, the increase in February means we are now up by 2% for the year to date – a 4% swing. Per the January stats last month, the London City route was not operational in February 2024, meaning there is no direct year-on-year comparison for that route. However, the 2,643 passengers who utilised the route in February effectively offset the 1,473 passenger drop on the Gatwick route, indicating that overall London-bound traffic not only remains stable, but increased by circa 1,200 passengers compared to February last year, with a significant proportion of travellers opting for London City.

It's a similar story with the Paris route; we don't have a year on year or monthly comparison yet as the route commenced in April 2024, but will be able to report these comparisons from April onwards.

Reporting Month and Year

Feb-25

Air Passenger Movements (Arrivals and Departures)	Month		Change		Year to date		Change	
	Feb-24	Feb-25	%	Number	Year to Feb-24	Year to Feb-25	%	Number
Birmingham	2,223	2,257	2%	34	4,399	4,199	-5%	200
Bournemouth	16	27	69%	11	33	43	30%	10
Bristol	1,380	1,358	-2%	22	2,534	2,358	-7%	176
East Midlands	12	1	-92%	11	12	1	-92%	11
Exeter	1,237	1,158	-6%	79	2,326	2,090	-10%	236
Gatwick	19,840	18,367	-7%	1,473	39,940	37,045	-7%	2,895
Southend	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3
Leeds/Bradford	-	-	-	-	2	-	-100%	2
Manchester	3,829	4,079	7%	250	7,317	7,972	9%	655
Southampton	5,739	5,695	-1%	44	11,231	10,996	-2%	235
London City	-	2,643	-	2,643	-	4,088	-	4,088
Edinburgh	4	511	12675%	507	236	758	221%	522
Other U K.	48	46	-4%	2	88	88	0%	-
<b>UK Total</b>	<b>34,328</b>	<b>36,142</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>1,814</b>	<b>68,118</b>	<b>69,641</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>1,523</b>
Guernsey	-	138	-	138	11	227	1964%	216
Alderney	1,786	1,970	10%	184	3,856	3,623	-6%	233
Jersey	4,530	4,235	-7%	295	8,910	8,148	-9%	762
<b>CI Total</b>	<b>6,316</b>	<b>6,343</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12,777</b>	<b>11,998</b>	<b>-6%</b>	<b>779</b>
Dublin	-	-	-	-	243	188	-23%	55
Paris	-	622	-	622	-	1,054	-	1,054
Other International	799	855	7%	56	915	946	3%	31
<b>International Total</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>1,477</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>678</b>	<b>1,158</b>	<b>2,188</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>1,030</b>
<b>Total Air Passenger Movements</b>	<b>41,443</b>	<b>43,962</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>2,519</b>	<b>82,053</b>	<b>83,827</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>1,774</b>