

# Alternate Airports

*Greece, Italy, and Spain*



# Greece & Greek Islands



## Parking Restrictions:

- Overnight parking in **Athens (LGAV)** must be **confirmed one day prior** and is restricted to a **maximum of 24 hours**.
- Most **Greek islands** have **strict slot allocation** policies and offer **no parking**.

## Best Alternate Airports:

Country	Airport	ICAO	Distance from Athens	Seasonal Availability (S = Summer, W = Winter)	Number of Long-term Parking Positions (GA = General Aviation)	Maintenance Facility  (available, n/a)
Greece	Samos <i>(Samos island)</i>	LGSM	262 km	S, W	13 (4 for GA)	Athens Aeroservices <i>(local mechanics do not have a license for all a/c types)</i>
	Chania <i>(Crete)</i>	LGSA	275 km	S, W	17 (3 for GA)	Athens Aeroservices <i>(local mechanics do not have a license for all a/c types)</i>
	Thessaloniki	LGTS	303 km	S, W	26 (2 for GA)	Aerocandia, Athens Aeroservices <i>(local mechanics do not have a license for all a/c types)</i>
	Heraklion <i>(Crete)</i>	LGIR	320 km	S, W	30 (9 for GA)	Aerocandia, Athens Aeroservices <i>(local mechanics do not have a license for all a/c types)</i>
	Kavala	LGKV	336 km	S, W	9 (3 for GA)	Cosmos Aero Services <i>(local mechanics do not have a license for all a/c types)</i>
Macedonia	Ohrid	LWOH	453 km	S, W	8 commercial / 5 GA	n/a
Bulgaria	Plovdiv	LBPD	472 km	S, W	6 for GA	n/a
Croatia	Dubrovnik	LDDU	705 km	S, W	26 ICAO cat 4C, 2 x 16 for GA in cat 4C	yes
	Zagreb	LDZA	1,081 km	S, W	Western Ramp: 12 ICAO cat 4C, 3 x alternate for wide body; GA ramp: 16 x ranging from CJ1 to G650	yes
Romania	Bucharest Baneasa	LRBS	745 km	S, W	18	yes <i>(Romaero factory next to the airport)</i>
Hungary	Debrecen	LHDC	1,077 km	S, W	2 for long-term parking (4-5 for rotation)	n/a
	Heviz-Balaton	LHSM	1,117 km	S, W	4 for long-term parking (6 additional with CAA permission)	n/a

# Italy & Italian Islands



## Parking Restrictions:

- The majority of the country's airports have **long-term parking restrictions**.
- Italy is **strict with PPR rules**. In case of changes, PPR can be lost, and it is necessary to re-apply.
- **Naples (LIRN), Florence (LIRQ), Pisa (LIRP), and Venice (LIRZ)** have parking restrictions and overnight parking is likely to be refused.
- **Rome (LIRA)** allows **max 24-hour parking** with limited space available.
- There is typically **no available parking** on the island of **Sicily**.

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Italy	Olbia (Sardinia island)	LIEO	272 km	S, W	77 in total (not a single A/C has been denied parking for lack of space)	yes (Eccels/Sirio)
	Milan Linate	LIML	473 km	S, W	3 large parking areas within the GA terminal	yes (Sirio)
	Milan Malpensa	LIMC	476 km	S, W	24 at the GAT (up to A320 aircraft); with airport's coordination additional parking can be assigned at remote stands close to the cargo area	n/a
Croatia	Dubrovnik	LDDU	469 km	S, W	26 ICAO cat 4C, 2 x 16 for GA in cat 4C	yes
	Zagreb	LDZA	513 km	S, W	Western Ramp: 12 ICAO cat 4C, 3 x alternate for wide body; GA ramp: 16 x ranging from CJ1 to G650	yes
Macedonia	Ohrid	LWOH	712 km	S, W	8 commercial / 5 GA	n/a
Bulgaria	Plovdiv	LBPD	1,044 km	S, W	6 for GA	n/a

# Spain: Ibiza & Mallorca



## Parking Restrictions:

- In **Ibiza (LEIB)** and **Palma de Mallorca (LEPA)**, there is typically **no overnight parking**. Only a quick turn with slot allocation is possible.
- In case of a **slot change**, the slot allocation can be lost, and the flight can be put back on the waiting list.
- There are **no good alternate airports** directly on the islands.

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Country	Airport	ICAO	Distance from Ibiza	Seasonal Availability (S = Summer, W = Winter)	Number of Long-term Parking Positions (GA = General Aviation)	Maintenance Facility (available, n/a)
Spain	Valencia	LEVC	173 km	S, W	95	Cessna Service Center, ANEM (Air Nostrum Maintenance)
	Barcelona	LEBL	277 km	S, W	Short-term parking only, long-term not possible. Non-regular operators shall be limited to a maximum stay of 96 hours, and they must request an arrival slot and an associated departure slot.	
	Girona	LEGE	362 km	S, W	16	