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transavia.com France becomes Budapest Airport's latest airline addition

Budapest Airport has welcomed its third new airline partner less than a month into the summer season. Seeing an attractive gap in the market left by easyJet last year, transavia.com France launched its new route from the Hungarian capital city airport to Paris Orly on 15 April. The thrice-weekly service will link the base of Air France-KLM's low-cost subsidiary to Budapest, becoming the fourth airline to offer services to Paris, but the only carrier to fly to Paris Orly Airport.



Photo Caption: At the official opening ceremony today, Budapest Airport's CEO, Jost Lammers (right) welcomed transavia.com's CCO, Hervé Kozar. Commenting on the launch Lammers says: "As the second most favoured destination after London for passengers from our airport, a direct link to Paris Orly is in high demand and we are delighted that transavia.com France have entered this market. This summer there will around 33 frequencies per week between Budapest and Paris which provides much convenience and choice for passengers"



Photo Caption: Receiving the traditional celebratory cake from the airport, Hervé Kozar remarks: "It is a pleasure to offer our Hungarian passengers an attractively priced flight between Budapest and Paris. We strongly believe in this route and, as Budapest is a key market for us, we are looking forward to growing further in the coming months."

Notes for Editors

- Budapest Airport Zrt. is the operator of Budapest Airport. It is owned by an international consortium of investors, led by the privately-owned German company AviAlliance, an independent airport manager holding a 49.67% stake, together with Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec (18.17%), Malton Investment Pte Ltd. (18.17%), Aero Investment S.á.r.l. (10%) and KfW IPEX-Bank GmbH (4%).
- Budapest Airport welcomed 8.5 million passengers in 2013, flying on the airport's services to 99 destinations across 34 countries.
- Budapest Airport's further route development announced for 2014 include:
 - Wizz Air weekly service to Alicante, starting 14 June
 - Wizz Air twice-weekly service to Kutaisi, starting 30 September

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