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Ethiopian Airlines to Increase Manchester flights to Daily Frequency

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Ethiopian Airlines, the largest airline in Africa and one of the fastest-growing airline brands in the world, is proud to announce an increase of its flights from Manchester to Addis Ababa, to daily frequency effective July 3, 2025. This new daily schedule will offer extra travel options and enhanced connectivity for passengers across Africa, including connections to the leading Indian Ocean destinations of Zanzibar, Mombasa & Seychelles. The frequency increase will also avail seamless connections to the astonishing safari destinations: Nairobi, Kilimanjaro, Dar es Salaam, Maun, Victoria Falls, Johannesburg, Lusaka, and Cape Town along with many others.

Commenting on the new daily service, Anteneh Fekadu, Ethiopian's Traffic & Sales Manager in Manchester said, "We are thrilled to increase our flights from Manchester to daily frequency from July 3, 2025. This new schedule shows our commitment to providing our passengers with more travel and connectivity options. We look forward to welcoming our passengers on board and offering them the exceptional service that Ethiopian Airlines provides."

Stephen Turner, Chief Commercial Officer at Manchester Airport, said: "We are proud of our role in connecting the people of the North to the world, so naturally we're delighted that Manchester will soon be able to boast daily flights to Africa's largest hub airport. Addis Ababa offers an enviable network of connections to every corner of the continent, and now passengers flying from Manchester will be able to travel there with Ethiopian Airlines any day of the week, offering increased flexibility when making their travel plans, not to mention those wanting to reach some of Africa's most popular tourist spots like Cape Town, Zanzibar and the Seychelles.

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The flights, which will operate via a brief stopover in either Geneva or Marseille, are to

be operated on the A350-Airbus

About Ethiopian

<u>Ethiopian Airlines Group (Ethiopian)</u> is a true African success story, transforming a visionary dream into a globally renowned reality for nearly eight decades. Operating flights to more than 160 domestic and international passenger, and cargo <u>destinations</u> across five continents, Ethiopian bridges the gaps between Africa and the world. Emphasizing passenger comfort and environmental sustainability, Ethiopian utilizes ultra-modern <u>aircraft</u> such as Boeing 737s, 777s, 787s, Airbus A350-900, A350-1000 and De Havilland Q400.

Ethiopian, a Star Alliance member airline, has won various coveted awards including Skytrax's 'Best Airline in Africa Award' for seven consecutive years, APEX 'Best Overall in Africa' award and the 'Leadership in Connecting Africa through Transport' Award, among others. Ethiopian aims to further excel in its success through a strategic plan dubbed 'Vision 2035' and become one of the top 20 most competitive and leading aviation groups in the world. Embracing a Pan-African spirit, Ethiopian is pursuing multi-hub strategy through hubs in Lomé, Togo with ASKY, in Lilongwe, Malawi with Malawi Airlines, in Lusaka, Zambia with Zambia Airways, and in Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) with Air Congo.

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