

Press Release

Summer 2025: Vueling Launches Three New Routes from Italy: from Rimini to Barcelona and from Salerno to Barcelona and Paris

Vueling becomes the only airline connecting these two Italian airports to Spain

Milan, February 13, 2025 - Vueling, part of the IAG group, is strengthening its commitment in Italy for the summer 2025 season by launching three new international routes, two to Barcelona from Rimini and Salerno (thus becoming the only airline to connect these cities to Spain with direct flights), and one from Salerno to Paris-Orly (also the only airline operating this route).

These flights will operate with multiple weekly frequencies, starting from late June or early July: specifically, the Salerno to Paris-Orly flight will be active three times a week (Monday, Wednesday, Friday) from June 20 to October 24; Salerno will then be connected to Barcelona with three weekly flights (Monday, Thursday, and Saturday) for departures between July 3 and October 25; finally, the Rimini-Barcelona route will have two weekly frequencies (Wednesday and Sunday), with flights departing from July 2 to October 22.

The introduction of Vueling in Salerno is of fundamental importance, as it enhances the airline's offerings in the Campania region, complementing the 18 weekly flights already operating from Naples and strengthening connectivity with the Amalfi Coast. Similarly, the route to Rimini expands the possibilities of reaching the Romagna Riviera, as well as the regional capital, Bologna.

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In addition to the new Italian routes, Vueling is expanding its offerings from Barcelona to other international destinations, particularly: to Tivat, Montenegro (thus becoming the only airline to offer this connection, with flights available on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from July 1 to October 25); to Essaouira, Morocco (becoming the only airline to offer a direct flight between the two cities next summer, with flights available from July 3 to October 23, on Thursdays and Sundays); and finally to Tirana, Albania (with four weekly frequencies, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday, from July 2 to October 24).

Expansion and Leadership in Barcelona

The network expansion is made possible by the introduction of three new aircraft into the Barcelona fleet, allowing for a 13% increase in available seats on international routes during the peak summer season. Overall, during this period, Vueling expects a total of 27 million available seats on the flights it will operate, focusing on strengthening strategic airports and major international corridors.

Thanks to these developments, Vueling consolidates its role as a leading airline at Barcelona-El Prat Airport, with a 9% increase in the number of seats offered per week compared to summer 2024, reaching a total of 16 million, with the addition of the three new aircraft to the fleet. The airline will ensure connections to more than 90 destinations, of which 70 are international and over 20 are in Spain.

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