

# WIZZ AIR LAUNCHES NEW NAPLES-SKOPJE ROUTE, CONTINUING TO STRENGTHEN CONNECTIONS BETWEEN CAMPANIA AND EASTERN EUROPE

The airline expands its network from Naples with three weekly flights to the capital of North Macedonia.

Naples, September 03, 2025 – Wizz Air, EMEA's most environmentally sustainable airline<sup>1</sup>, is pleased to continue its network expansion in Italy with the launch of a new international route connecting its Naples base to Skopje, North Macedonia.

The new service will offer passengers from the Campania region a direct link to one of the most dynamic and fascinating cities in Eastern Europe. Starting from **March 30, 2026**, the airline will operate flights three times a week on **Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays**.

Tickets are already available on <a href="www.wizzair.com">www.wizzair.com</a> or on the <a href="www.wizzair.com">WIZZ mobile app</a> with fares starting from <a href="€24.99">€24.99</a>. All flights will be operated using modern Airbus A321neo aircraft, known not only for their comfort and low noise but also for their reduced emissions².

**Skopje**, the capital of North Macedonia, is a city rich in history and culture. Located on the banks of the Vardar River, it's known for its stunning mix of Ottoman and Byzantine architecture, including the Old Bazaar, one of the largest and oldest in the Balkans. Other notable landmarks include the historic Skopje Fortress and the iconic Stone Bridge. Visitors can also see the Memorial House of Mother Teresa, which honours the city's most famous native.

"The introduction of the new route between Naples and Skopje is a clear sign of our commitment to strengthening our presence at the Naples Capodichino base, which is one of the company's five Italian bases," said **Gabriele Imperiale, Corporate Communications Manager at Wizz Air**. "This expansion is made possible by the arrival of a second ultra-modern Airbus A321neo aircraft in October 2025. With this new connection, the number of routes operated by Wizz Air from Campania increases to 18, serving 11 countries, further confirming the strategic importance of this base within the Wizz Air network".

"The new connection to the Macedonian capital is a first for Naples, and it's the seventh route Wizz Air has launched from our airport in the last two months," stated **Margherita Chiaramonte, Commercial Director Aviation at GESAC**. "With Skopje, Wizz Air now serves 16 destinations from Naples, mainly in Eastern Europe and the Balkans, effectively doubling the number of destinations served. This is thanks to the next arrival of the second based aircraft, which strengthens Wizz Air's presence and confirms the centrality of our market in the carrier's growth strategy."

With this announcement, Wizz Air further consolidates its presence in Naples and Southern Italy. From January to August 2025, the airline operated over **2,300 flights** to and from Naples, **with a completion rate of 99,9%** with an increased **on-time performance rate by almost 22%** and welcomed over **482,000 passengers**.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> According to the CAPA – Centre for Aviation Awards for Excellence 2022-2024, which benchmarks global airlines emissions intensity data and positions Wizz Air as the airline with the lowest co2 per RPK compared to other global and European airlines.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Compared to the previous generation Airbus CEO aircraft.



This launch also reflects the strategic initiative 'Customer First Compass', a program supported by a €14 billion investment plan for the next three years. The goal is to improve the passenger travel experience, support the continuous expansion of the network, and offer increasingly innovative and high-quality services, including convenient offers and reliable connections for all Wizz Air's passengers.

#### INFORMATION ABOUT THE NEW ROUTE

ROUTE	FREQUENCY	FARES FROM	FIRST FLIGHT
NAPLES – SKOPJE	Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays	24.99€	March 30, 2026

#### **ABOUT WIZZ AIR**

Wizz Air operates a fleet of 241 Airbus A320 and A321 aircraft. A team of dedicated aviation professionals delivers superior service and very low fares, making Wizz Air the preferred choice of 62.8 million passengers in 2024. Wizz Air is listed on the London Stock Exchange under the ticker WIZZ. The company was recently named one of the world's top ten safest airlines by airlineratings.com, the world's only safety and product rating agency, and named Airline of the Year by Air Transport Awards in 2019 and in 2023. Wizz Air has also been recognised as the "Most Sustainable Low-Cost Airline" within 2021-2023 and "Best Airline for Carbon Reduction" by World Finance Sustainability Awards from 2021 to 2025. Wizz Air also received "EMEA's Environmental Sustainability Airline Group of the Year" by the CAPA-Centre for Aviation Awards for Excellence 2024.

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- For free pictures of aircraft, crews and logo library please visit <a href="https://wizzair.com/en-qb/information-and-services/about-us/press-office/">https://wizzair.com/en-qb/information-and-services/about-us/press-office/</a>.
- For more information about Wizz Air's sustainability strategy please see <u>F24 ESG Update</u>