

Leeds/Bradford International Passenger Figures for 2011

British Airports TOP 20

	Airport	2011	2010	%change	Last year
1st	HEATHROW	69,390,591	65,745,250	5.54%	1st
2nd	GATWICK	33,643,989	31,342,263	7.34%	2nd
3rd	MANCHESTER	18,806,655	17,662,541	6.48%	4th
4th	STANSTED	18,047,403	18,562,020	-2.77%	3rd
5th	LUTON	9,509,915	8,733,842	8.89%	5th
6th	EDINBURGH	9,383,695	8,594,449	9.18%	6th
7th	BIRMINGHAM	8,608,192	8,563,505	0.52%	7th
8th	GLASGOW	6,858,268	6,521,765	5.16%	8th
9th	BRISTOL	5,767,628	5,723,182	0.78%	9th
10th	LIVERPOOL	5,246,540	5,007,944	4.76%	10th
11th	NEWCASTLE	4,336,304	4,345,952	-0.22%	11th
12th	EAST MIDLANDS INTERNATIONAL	4,208,402	4,110,529	2.38%	12th
13th	BELFAST INTERNATIONAL	4,101,914	4,010,972	2.27%	13th
14th	ABERDEEN	3,082,575	2,763,491	11.55%	15th
15th	LONDON CITY	2,992,847	2,780,582	7.63%	14th
16th	LEEDS BRADFORD	2,936,988	2,723,833	7.83%	17th
17th	BELFAST CITY (GEORGE BEST)	2,397,270	2,740,305	-12.52%	16th
18th	SOUTHAMPTON	1,761,961	1,733,553	1.64%	18th
19th	PRESTWICK	1,295,512	1,659,946	-21.95%	19th
20th	CARDIFF WALES	1,208,268	1,397,864	-13.56%	20th
Average				+1.55%	

Interesting facts

In 2011 LBIA was the **4th fastest growing airport in UK (+7.83%)** and was the UK's 16th busiest airport with **2,936,988** passengers, up from 17th in 2010, overtaking Belfast City.

Five years ago LBIA was the 15th busiest airport. We have been overtaken by London City.

In 2011 Charter Passengers were 6.4% of the total passengers. In 2010 it was 7.9%.

Aircraft Movements dropped 1.45% compared to 2010 and was the lowest figure in the last 10 years

There was a decrease in passenger movements of 1.07% in 2011 compared to 2010. The figure for 2011 was 33,069

There were 102 diversions (120 in 2010) away from LBIA. Manchester received 67 followed by Doncaster (13), Durham Tees Valley (7) and others (22). LBIA also received 8 diversions (28 in 2010) from other airports. Only London City had more diversions (180) than LBIA. The next airport was Liverpool with a mere 45 diversions

There were 342,740 Domestic and 2,594,248 International Passengers. The domestic passengers reduced by 14.4% compared to 2010 and International increased by 11.7%

In 2011 there were flights to 71 different international destinations, compared to 86 in 2010. Amsterdam was the most popular followed by Alicante, Malaga, Palma, Dublin and Faro.

In 2011 there were 13 different domestic destinations, with the most popular being Belfast International followed by Belfast City, Southampton, Jersey, Glasgow and Bristol.

The freight figure for 2011 was 194 Tonnes, down 17% when compared to 2010.

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Reference : CAA Statistics Website