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Air Belgium launches direct flights to French Antilles

Mont-Saint-Guibert - 15 July 2019. Air Belgium announces the launch of two new regular scheduled services to the French West Indies, from Brussels Charleroi Airport. The new service will directly connect Belgium to Pointe-à-Pitre in Guadeloupe and to Fort-de-France in Martinique with a two weekly service starting on December 7, 2019.

With a departure from Brussels Charleroi Airport in the late morning, the schedule offers maximum convenience to passengers coming from Belgium, but also from France, the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, the Netherlands and west of Germany. In addition, Brussels Charleroi Airport is an easily accessible airport, that offers passengers a speedy and efficient terminal processing from parking until boarding of the aircraft.

The flights will be operated with Airbus A340 aircraft configured in three classes layout. The fares start from:

- For Economy class EUR 345 per return all-in (checked luggage included)
- For Premium class EUR 739 per return all-in
- For Business class EUR 1,739 per return all-in

Air Belgium guarantees full service, including checked-in luggage allowance for lowest fare, meal and beverage service, and access to its dedicated modern and cosy lounge for passengers in Business and Premium class.

Air Belgium chose Guadeloupe and Martinique – two islands offering guaranteed sunny weather, the discovery of a warm and welcoming population, preserved nature and high-quality local gastronomy and products. Basically, the assurance of a complete change of scenery without leaving Europe.

Travellers do not require VISA or specific vaccines, not to mention the use of the euro across the island. French and English are widely spoken.

Whether you are 're into Water sports, yachting, hiking, fine dining or nature lover: there is something for everyone in Guadeloupe and Martinique.

By opening these new routes with departure from Belgium, Air Belgium meets its mission to offer its passengers comfortable, and affordable long-haul flights.

ABOUT AIR BELGIUM

Air Belgium SA is a company under Belgian law with its registered office in Mont-Saint-Guibert in Walloon Brabant. Its vocation is to offer direct intercontinental flights from Belgium. Exclusively specialised in long-haul flights at competitive fares and for business and leisure travellers, its strong Belgian identity is felt through all its services on the ground and on board.

Air Belgium operates flights from the main Belgian airports: Brussels Airport (Zaventem), Brussels Charleroi Airport and Liège Airport. In addition to its regular passenger routes, Air Belgium has developed its own cargo activities and also provides services for many prestigious international airlines, tour operators, cruise lines and foreign governments.