

140,000 passengers expected to transit the Naples Airport during the long Spring weekends of 25 April and 1 May

During the long Spring weekends (**25 April** – Liberation Day – and **1 May** – May Day) approximately **140,000 passengers** will transit the Naples Airport, maintaining the traffic figures recorded during the same period last year.

From 24 April to 5 May 2002 (the period spanning both long weekends) there will be an estimated **77,000 passengers bound for national destinations, 34,000 on international routes and**

29,000 on charter flights.

The movements (takeoffs and landings) during this period are expected to be in the area of **1,920** with an average of **80 flights or 160 movements/day.**

The peak days will be **Friday 3rd and Saturday 4th May** with, respectively, **16 thousand and 17 thousand passengers** and a daily traffic average of **11,700 passengers.**

Among the preferred destinations for Neapolitan travellers during this holiday period are the European capitals of **London Paris, Prague** as well as **Sharm el Sheikh, Egypt** which will be served by charter flights.

The Naples International Airport closed the year 2001 with 4 million passengers and from January to the end of March 2002 served almost 700,000 passengers (7,8% less than the same period last year) with 284,000 passengers only during the month of March (a 5% decrease as compared to March 2001).

Currently, the Naples Airport offers direct scheduled service to **12 national destinations** (Bologna, Catania, Cagliari, Genoa, Milan, Olbia, Palermo, Rome, Turin, Trieste and Venice, Verona), **9 international destinations** including the principal European capitals of Amsterdam, Athens, Barcelona, Basel, Brussels, London, Munich, Nice, Paris) and **more than 50 charter destinations.**