

From the desk of Dr. André Schulz

Dear Esteemed Business Partner,

Since the announcement by the German authorities to recategorize South Africa as a High Risk country from 01 August 2021, several travel restrictions have been eased. Lufthansa Group are optimistic about the future of tourism and trade between South Africa and Europe, and have consequently revised our flight schedules by increasing our capacity to the market in order to meet our customers demand.



Effective from 24 August 2021, Lufthansa will increase capacity to Johannesburg from Frankfurt, offering five weekly flights between the two cities. Additionally, our capacity to Cape Town from Frankfurt will increase to three weekly services, and our services between Zurich and Johannesburg with SWISS will also increase to five weekly flights, as of 01 September 2021. For details of these revised flight schedules, please take a look at the below overview:

Route	Flight	Days operating	Departure	Arrival	Effective
Frankfurt—Johannesburg	LH572	SUN, TUE, THU, FRI, SAT	22:05	08:30+1	24 August
Johannesburg—Frankfurt	LH573	SUN, MON, WED, FRI, SAT	19:00	05:35+1	25 August
Frankfurt—Cape Town	LH576	WED, FRI, SUN	22:15	10:00+1	01 September
Cape Town—Frankfurt	LH577	MON, THU, SAT	17:45	05:40+1	02 September
Zurich—Johannesburg	LX288	SUN, MON, TUE, THU, FRI	22:40	08:10+1	01 September
Johannesburg—Zurich	LX289	MON, TUE, WED, FRI, SAT	19:25	06:10+1	02 September

Another exciting development currently available on both our Johannesburg—Frankfurt and Cape Town—Frankfurt route, is our brand new [Sleeper's Row](#) in Economy Class. Customers can book an entire row of three or four adjacent seats to themselves for the duration of the flight. The surcharge for this added comfort is between EUR159 and EUR229 per route, and includes a mattress topper, comfortable pillow and blanket of Business Class quality. Bookings for the Sleeper's Row can be done at the check-in or at the boarding gate.

As our industry continues to reinvent itself, our customers can continue expecting updated products and services throughout the Lufthansa Group airlines. Until next time, stay safe and take care!

Yours in Travel,

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