

# TRAVEL INFORMATION

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## Flights to Bergen

Bergen Airport Flesland is Norway's second busiest airport, beautifully located by the majestic fjords about 18 kilometres south of Bergen city. The vast majority of the people visiting Bergen arrives by airplanes at Bergen Airport Flesland. Bergen Airport serves Hordaland county and the city of Bergen. Over 3,8 million passengers enter the terminal buildings every year. The airport has [36 direct routes](#) from large European cities, such as the major transport hubs in Amsterdam, Copenhagen and London. As Norway's second largest city, Bergen has direct flights from a large number of big and small cities in all regions of Norway, most of them operated by [Scandinavian Airlines](#), [Widerøe](#) and [Norwegian](#).

## To Bergen by Boat and Ferry

Either you travel with Hurtigruten, the Fjord Lines ferry from Denmark, or take one of the many high-speed ferries along the Norwegian coast, the approach to Bergen from the sea side is nothing less than magical.

Passing the small and charming coves, fjord outlets and the small fishing communities surrounding Bergen, the experience of entering the Bergen region by boat gives you a unique impression of the Norwegian coastal environment, culture and history.

With its rich cultural program, status as UNESCO's World Heritage City and the entrance to the fjords of Norway, Bergen has not only become the leading cruise destination in Norway. Bergen port has become one of the top "50 ports of the World".

- **Ferry connections to Bergen**

**Departures (domestic):**

From Stavanger with Fjord Line - at <https://www.fjordline.com/en>

From Balestrand, Flåm, Sogndal and Leirvik (Stord) operated by [www.norled.no](http://www.norled.no)

From Rosendal operated by Rødne <https://rodne.no/en/>.

From Bodø, Florø, Hammerfest, Harstad, Kirkenes, Kristiansund, Molde, Tromsø, Trondheim, Vardø, Ålesund with Hurtigruten [www.hurtigruten.no](http://www.hurtigruten.no).

**Departures (international):**

From Hirtshals, Denmark with Fjord Line <https://www.fjordline.com/en>

The Fjord Line's terminal in Bergen is located on Nøstegaten 30, a ten minute walk from the city center. The same terminal is also used for the Coastal Voyager (Hurtigruten). The terminal has luggage lockers (a NOK 20 coin is required).

## **To Bergen by Train**

The Bergen Railway between Oslo and Bergen is an experience in itself. The Bergen Railway line (in Norwegian called Bergensbanen) is Northern Europe's highest railway and it is considered one of the world's most scenic train rides. The journey includes some of the most beautiful landscapes in Norway. There are four daily departures from Bergen and Oslo all year round, and the entire trip from Oslo takes about seven hours. The Oslo to Bergen train also offers cabins for those traveling by night train.

[Read more about the Bergen Railway and buy tickets online.](#)

## To Bergen by Car

Driving to Bergen gives you freedom and beautiful scenery whether you are driving north from Stavanger to Bergen or west from Oslo to Bergen. If you drive from Oslo to Bergen in one go, it takes 7-8,5 hours, depending on which route you choose.

[Useful information about automatic toll stations in Bergen.](#)

[Useful information about where to park in Bergen.](#)

## To Bergen by Bus and Coach

Enjoy the diverse scenery on your trip to Bergen. Travel with Kystbussen from Stavanger, Haugesund or Stord (Leirvik) to Bergen.

[Buy your tickets to Kystbussen online.](#)

Buses also run between Oslo and Bergen. And, like travelling by car, you get to see a lot of Norwegian scenery 'en route'. It is the NOR-WAY express bus company's Haukeliekspressen that takes you from Oslo to Bergen. To get to Bergen, you have to change buses at Seljestad from where you take the local 930 service to Bergen.

[Buy your tickets to NOR-WAY Øst-VestXpressen online.](#)

## How to get from Bergen Airport Flesland to Bergen city center

There are several efficient and easy alternatives for how to get from Bergen Airport Flesland to Bergen city center. You can reach the city center with the **Airport Bus**, the **City Light Rail** or by **taxi**.

- **Airport bus (Flybussen)**

A faster way to reach Bergen city center is by the Airport Bus (called Flybussen in Norwegian), which only takes 30 minutes and departs every 15 - 20 minutes. There is always an Airport Bus waiting for you just outside the arrival hall when arriving with scheduled flights on weekdays, weekends and holidays. The bus costs NOK 105 if you buy the

tickets in advance online and with the Bergen Card you get a 20 % discount. If you buy the tickets on the bus it costs NOK 20 extra. [Buy your ticket to the Airport bus here.](#) The bus has several stops in Bergen city center, among them the Bryggen in Bergen area, making it the easiest way to get there by public transport. You can find the bus just outside the Flesland arrival terminal. All stops with the Airport bus are announced.

[Read more about Airport bus and buy tickets online.](#)

- **Bergen City Light rail**

The cheapest way to get from Bergen Airport Flesland to Bergen city center is to go by the City Light Rail (Bybanen). It takes about 45 minutes from the Airport to Bergen city center and it costs only NOK 37 for an adult and NOK 19 for a child. Tickets can be purchased at a Skyss ticket machine, with the mobile app Skyss Billett, in a number of kiosks and shops or on board (23 NOK more for adults and 11 NOK more for childrens on board).

If you have a Bergen Card you can travel for free by the City Light Rail and all Skyss buses throughout Bergen and the region. The City Light Rail starts right at the airport terminal in Flesland and ends in the center of Bergen at Byparken.

For schedules and more information, see [www.skyss.no/en/](http://www.skyss.no/en/)

[Read more about the Bergen Card.](#)

- **Taxi**

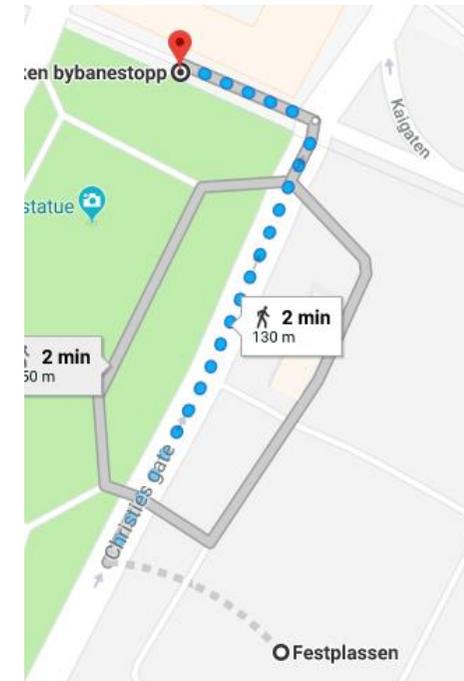
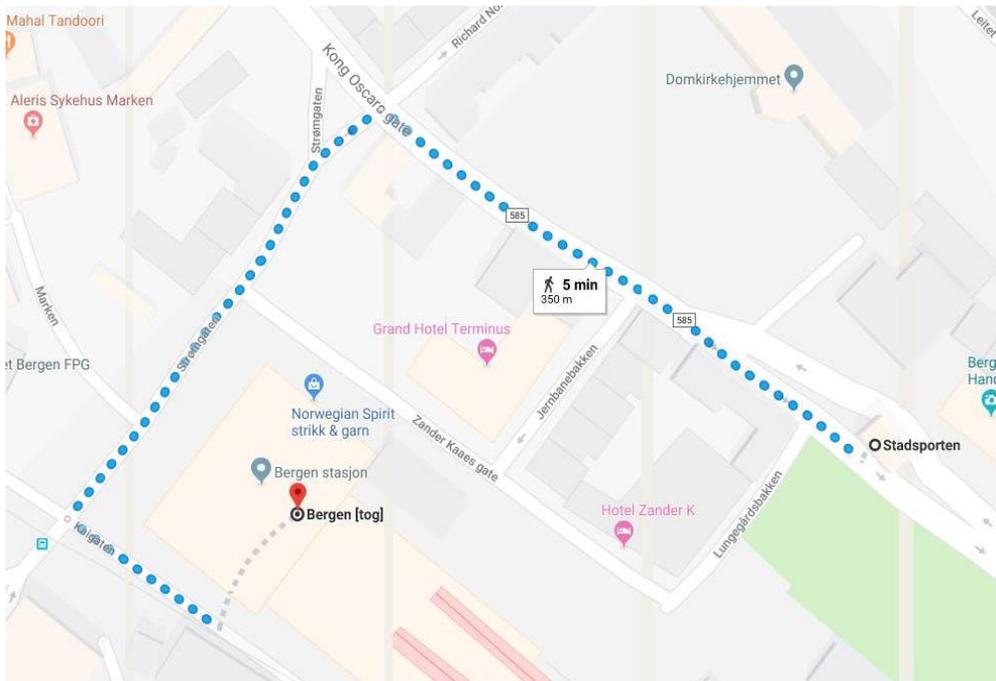
The most direct way to get to your hotel is to take a taxi. A taxi from Bergen Airport Flesland to Bergen city center costs around NOK 400-500, but prices vary according to the time of day and the number of passengers. The taxis are parked just outside the arrival terminal and it makes it easy to find a taxi that will take you exactly where you want. By taxi you will get where you are going fast and efficiently, especially if you stay outside of the city center.

[Read more about Taxis in Bergen here.](#)

## How to get from Bergen city center to the Radisson Blu Royal Hotel

Located in Bergen city center, the Radisson Blu Royal Hotel places you within easy walking distance of some of the city's most charming attractions. From the Railway Station (Bergen Jernbanestasjon) you can walk five minutes to Stadsporten and take bus no. 3 to Dreggsalmenningen.

Or if you are coming from the airport with the City Light Rail (bybane) you can walk two minutes and take the bus from Festplassen to Bryggen with bus No. 3, 4, 5, 6 and 83.



[Read more about bus timetable here.](#)