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AIRPORT INFORMATION
Private Jet Airport · Turkey

Istanbul Atatürk Airport

PRIVATE JET AIRPORT · ISTANBUL (EUROPEAN SIDE)

LTBA · ISL
ICAO · IATA

KEY FACTS

LTBA · ISL AIRPORT CODES	**05/23 – 2,580 m × 60 m asphalt** LONGEST RUNWAY	**Yes – 24 hours, cleared inside...** CUSTOMS & IMMIGRATION	**24 hours** OPERATING HOURS
Universal Aviation Türkiye · ExecuJet /... HANDLING / FBO	**Taksim Square about 30 min** TO ISTANBUL BY CAR	**20 min** TYPICAL ARRIVAL BEFORE DEPARTURE	**Jets · turboprops · helicopters** AIRCRAFT WE OPERATE HERE

YOUR PRIVATE TERMINAL

Private flights at Istanbul Atatürk Airport are normally handled through Shared General Aviation Terminal, about Taksim Square about 30 min from Istanbul. Where there is a private lounge, your car drops you at the door and the crew meet you there. At some airports, and whenever border control requires it, passengers go through the main terminal instead — we tell you exactly where to go before you travel.

There is no airline-style check-in. Customs and immigration are available here for international flights; where they are carried out is confirmed for your flight. The closest Istanbul airport to the old city, about 24 km west of the centre. Landing slots are needed round the clock (request 48 hours ahead) and flights with 21 or more passengers need a special permit.

ADDRESS & OPENING HOURS

ADDRESS **Atatürk Airport General Aviation Terminal, Yeşilköy, Bakırköy, Istanbul, 34149**

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HOURS Open 24 hours.

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PPR Prior permission required — arranged by Charter-A with every booking

Details as published by the airport on its website, checked September 2026 — Charter-A reconfirms hours, handling and customs for every flight.

ARRIVING FOR YOUR FLIGHT

- **Arrive around 20 minutes before departure** — there is no check-in queue; boarding takes minutes.
- Your driver should navigate to the private terminal (Shared General Aviation Terminal) — **34149** — not the passenger terminals.
- Passports are required for every passenger on an international departure; security and border formalities are handled privately.
- Luggage is handed straight from your car to the crew, who load it for you.
- Chauffeur-driven cars to and from the terminal can be arranged at cost through our partner exec-chauffeur.com — timed to your aircraft, so if your flight moves, your car moves with it.

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PRIVATE JET

"I cannot thank the Charter a team enough for the speedy approach they took to get me and my team from London to the south of France in one of their jets."
Ben Porter

AIR TAXI

"Ben Benatar and Martin Benatar were extremely organized and helpful to us in chartering a flight to Cherbourg, France from Brighton, UK."
Andrew Sendall — "fantastic experience!"

HELICOPTER

"Recently engaged Charter-A for a helicopter flight to/from Silverstone F1... Martin went out of his way to ensure that everything worked out smoothly. I cannot recommend enough and the whole trip was amazing."
John Bloodworth — "Exceptional"

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