



# EGYPTAIR TAKES DELIVERY OF ITS FIRST OF 16 AIRBUS A350-900 AIRCRAFT

News / Airlines, Manufacturer



**EGYPTAIR** has taken delivery of its first of 16 Airbus [A350-900](#) on order, becoming the launch operator for the type in North Africa. The [A350](#) will support the airline's long-haul fleet modernisation and network expansion with new non-stop routes to key destinations including the US West Coast and North Asia, from its Cairo hub. **EGYPTAIR** currently operates an Airbus fleet of eight A320neos, seven A321neos and 11 A330 Family aircraft, including five A330-200P2F.

The aircraft features a two-class configuration, comprising 30 Business Class suites with direct aisle access and 310 Economy Class seats. The unique, latest-generation Airspace cabin is designed to improve the long-haul experience for both passengers and crew through enhanced ergonomics and greater comfort.

[A350](#) is the world's most modern widebody aircraft, designed to fly up to 9,700 nautical miles / 18,000 kilometres non-stop, setting new standards for intercontinental travel. The aircraft includes state-of-the-art technologies and aerodynamics delivering unmatched standards of efficiency and comfort. Its latest generation Rolls-Royce engines and use of lightweight materials bring a 25 per

cent advantage in fuel burn, operating costs and carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) emissions, compared to previous generation competitor aircraft.

As with all Airbus aircraft, the A350 aircraft is already able to operate with up to 50% Sustainable Aviation Fuel. Airbus is targeting to have its aircraft up to 100% SAF capable by 2030.

09 FEBRUARY 2026

**ARTICLE LINK:**

<https://to.50skyshades.com/news/airlines/egyptair-takes-delivery-of-its-first-of-16-airbus-a350-900-aircraft>