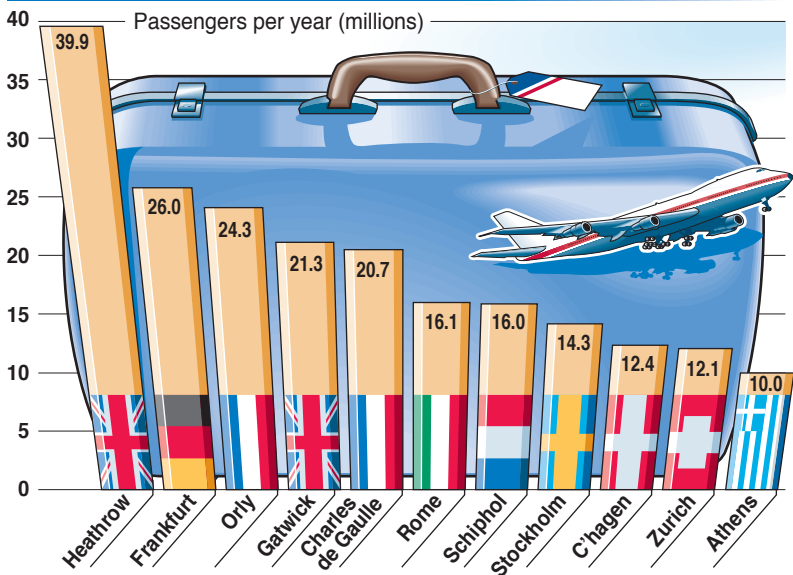


Managing Europe's crowded airways

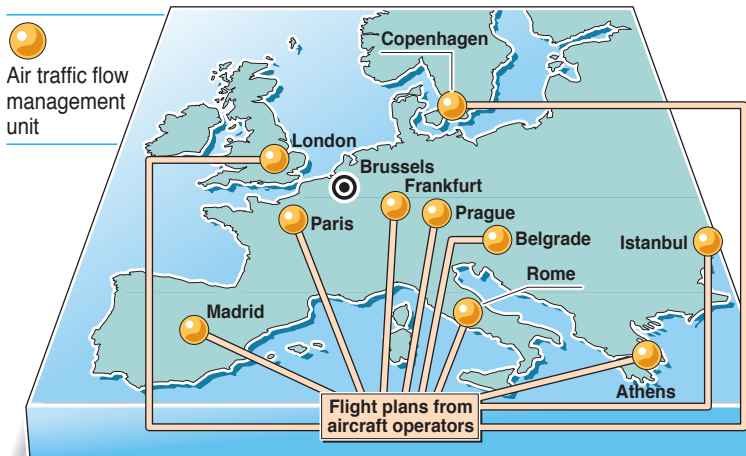
Every month Europe's air traffic controllers ensure that 400,000 planes criss-cross European skies, safely and with minimum delays. However, industrial action such as the current work to rule by Greek air traffic controllers can mean delays for thousands of tourists each summer

Europe's busiest airports



Keeping the airways clear

The two million flights through European airspace each summer are directed by ten air traffic flow management (ATFM) units covering 55 air traffic control centres. The network is run from five locations – London, Paris, Frankfurt, Rome and Madrid



Europe's new centre

Scheduled to open in May 1994, the Eurocontrol site in Brussels will unify the air traffic controllers of 28 countries to provide a single network to solve Europe's air traffic flow problems

