

Are you choosing the plane for your city trip? Ghent does not have its own airport, but is very easy to reach from the two main airports in Belgium: Brussels Airport and Brussels South Charleroi Airport.

Ghent is about a 45-minute drive from Belgium's national airport, Brussels Airport in Zaventem. The airport has its own train station, Brussels-National-Airport, with direct trains to Ghent. The station is located underneath the airport and can be reached via the elevators and escalators in the Arrivals Hall.

Brussels South Charleroi Airport is a 70-minute drive from Ghent. Nine times a day, a shuttle bus runs up and down between Charleroi airport and Bruges, via Ghent. This also makes Ghent more accessible for tourists coming to Flanders via Charleroi airport. The bus takes you to Gent-Sint-Pieters station. From there, take tram line 1 to the historic centre.

Three other Belgian airports (Ostend, Antwerp and Liège) operate flights to and from various European destinations.

More information can be found on the website of Visit Gent:

<https://visit.gent.be/en/good-know/practical-information/how-get-ghent/plane>