

Perth Airport runway system



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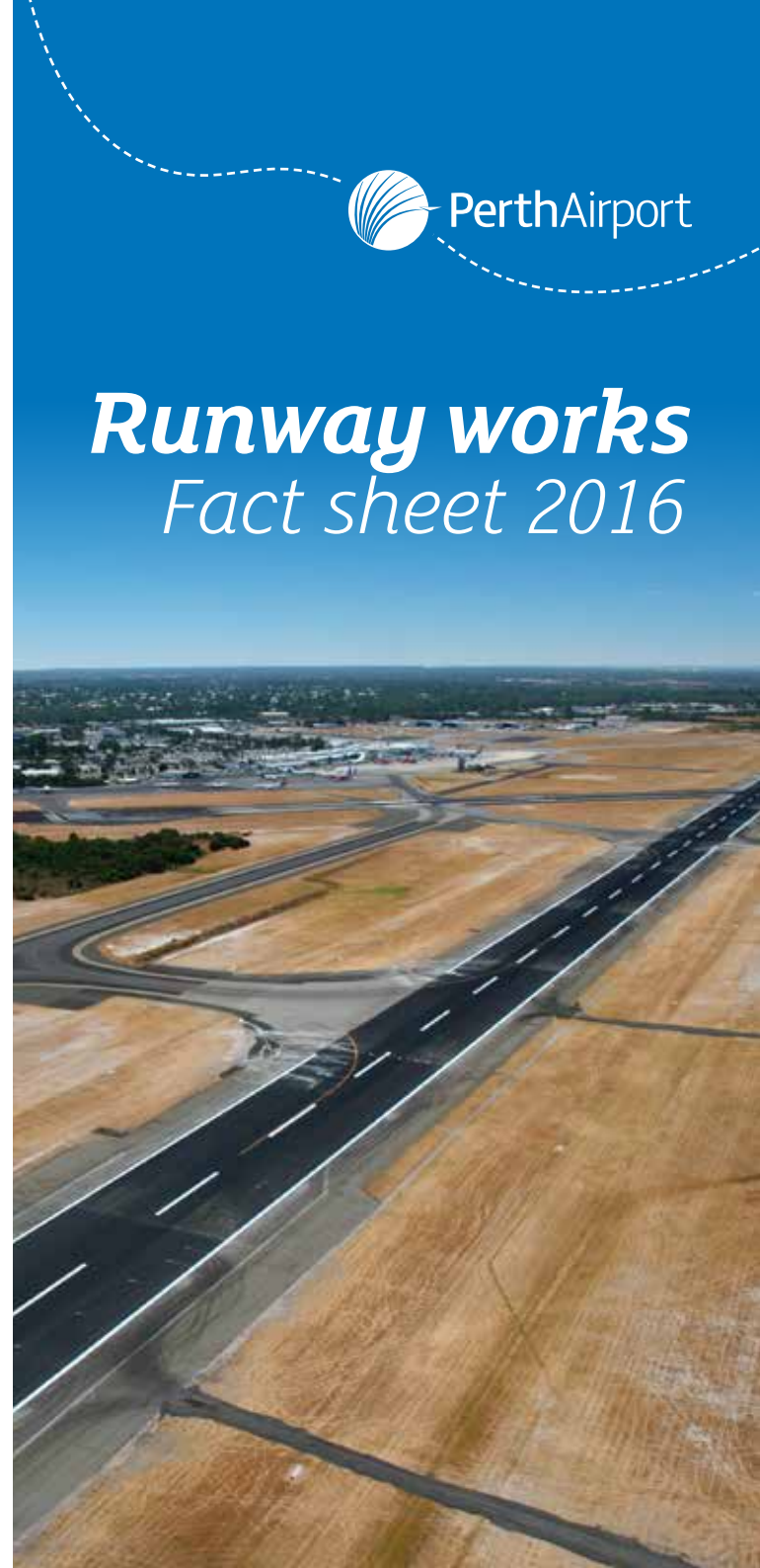
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Runway works Fact sheet 2016



How many runways does Perth Airport have?

Perth Airport has a two-runway system. The main runway is 3,444 metres in length, runs north/south and is referred to as runway 03/21. The cross runway is 2,163 metres in length, runs north east/south west and is referred to as Runway 06/24.

Why are these works taking place?

Perth Airport is upgrading its infrastructure to a Category III (CAT III) aerodrome to improve visibility during inclement weather, such as fog.

To enable the upgrade, the main runway and the cross runway will be temporarily closed at different times from April to September 2016.

While this upgrade is taking place, we will also be undertaking regular maintenance works on both runways.

We appreciate your understanding as we undertake these important runway works.

How will the works affect you?

Main runway closure

When the main runway is closed between 7.30am and 5.00pm, all aircraft arriving and departing Perth Airport will use the cross runway.

Residents in suburbs close to the flight paths of the cross runway may notice a temporary increase in the number of flights during these periods, while residents in suburbs close to the flight path of the main runway may notice a decrease in the number of flights over their area.

Cross runway closure

When the cross runway is closed between 11.30pm and 5.00am, all aircraft arriving and departing Perth Airport will use the main runway.

Residents in suburbs close to the flight paths of the main runway may notice a temporary increase in the number of flights during these periods, while residents in suburbs close to the flight path of the cross runway may notice a decrease in the number of flights over their area.

How long will the works take?

As the runway works are complex, and to minimise operational impacts, works will be conducted in stages and at various times on both the main runway and the cross runway. The runway works are scheduled to commence in April for eight weeks, with a break in July and then recommence in August for four weeks.

| Date | Main Runway 03/21 closed 7.30am - 5.00pm | Cross Runway 06/24 closed 11.30pm - 5.00am |
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| Monday 4 April to Saturday 9 April | | |
| Monday 11 April to Tuesday 19 April | | |
| Wednesday 20 April to Saturday 4 June | | |
| Monday 1 August to Saturday 6 August | | |
| Monday 8 August to Saturday 13 August | | |
| Monday 15 August to Saturday 3 September | | |

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