

Turkish Airlines world's biggest network carrier

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Istanbul : Týrkiye's flag carrier continues its record-setting pace, becoming "the world's biggest network carrier" in terms of seat capacity on international routes in August, Turkish Airlines announced on September 10.

The airline increased its seat capacity by 14 per cent in August compared to 2019, according to a statement.

The number of passengers on Turkish Airlines flights in July and August topped pre-pandemic levels, reaching 7.8 million. Both months' figures are historic highs for the airline.

Ahmet Bolat, Chairperson of Turkish Airlines' Board and Executive Committee, praised the company's success in increasing its available seat kilometers (ASK), a measure of passenger carrying capacity, on international routes and overall passenger figures.

"As of August, we became the world's biggest network carrier when it comes to available seat capacity on international flights," he said.

Established in 1933, Turkish Airlines flies to 340 destinations in 129 countries with a fleet of 388 aircraft.