



Pilot's Guide to St. Maarten (SXM)

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Legendary St. Maarten (SXM)

SINT MAARTEN - SAINT MARTIN provides vacationers the opportunity to enjoy various cultures on one 37 square mile island.

There is the delightfulness and soberness of the Dutch on one side, the savoir-faire of the French on the other, and the blending of both with exotic native heritage. Add dozens of beaches and lagoons, luxury hotels, elegant villas, and over 300 restaurants and you may understand why St. Maarten/St. Martin is the most visited of all the Leewards. All the great chefs, European, American, or Asian vie to compete in this gourmet capital of the Caribbean, creating cuisines equal to the best of Paris or New York. Shopping on the island is duty free and casinos, discos and night clubs stay open till dawn. Jumbo jets from city centers worldwide land here and charters allow visits to the smaller Leewards. There is something to satisfy every taste on St. Martin /St. Maarten.



St. Maarten embraces over 100 various nationalities as residents. On October 10, 2010, the Dutch side of the island became an independent country within the Kingdom of the Netherlands. The Netherlands will continue to assist St. Maarten in overseeing defense and finances, but in all other aspects St. Maarten will govern itself. Now, free of the rule of the Netherlands, it is believed that St. Maarten will be able to direct more tax money into the tourism industry, boosting tourism and allowing islanders to reap the benefits.

Arrindell Aviation by Signature is pleased to serve you at St. Maarten (SXM)

- 24 Hour airport security patrols
- Pilot Lounge
- Complimentary shuttle service from Airport to nearby hotels for crews
- Complimentary Wi-Fi in passengers and Crew Lounges
- Weather Briefing through WSI Online
- Caterers providing a wide variety of International and Local cuisine
- Fuel prices at the most competitive rate in the region
- local and international newspapers



Tourists escape their cold climates to take advantage of the soothing sea, sun and sand of St. Maarten and nearby islands.

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- Many visitors and villa owners of smaller islands use St.Maarten as a transfer point, especially when visiting St. Barths. On any given day, the Commercial Terminal will be filled with travelers connecting to a network of islands. These connections are not limited to scheduled flights.
- Winair is the major scheduled carrier to St.Barths.
 - For clients arriving via corporate jet and connecting via a scheduled flight, all passengers are required to go through normal check-in procedures at check-in counters.
 - Winair has a baggage limitation of 1 piece per passenger at 23 kg per piece. Excess baggage charges are \$60 for each additional piece. This only applies to check-in on scheduled flights.
- Charters to St.Barths include St.Barths Commuter, Windward Express with BN2 islanders and C208 Caravans and WINAIR with DHC6 Twin Otters.
 - When connecting from corporate jet to connecting charters, clients are taken in luxury vans from aircraft to aircraft. Our staff will do the physical clearing of passports with Immigration once immigration forms are completed.



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Arrival and Departures

- On arrival clients are either
 - taken to connecting charter flights
 - chauffeured from aircraft to FBO where they will meet their awaiting party
 - other transportation arrangements
- Boat charters also provide a pick-up service from an airport jetty located opposite the main commercial terminal
- Fast boat transfers are available through our friends at Masterski Pilou, Yannis Marine in St. Barths and FunTime Charters on Anguilla
- Immigration Officers are located inside the FBO for arrivals and departures
- Customs agents are present and only perform checks on arrivals and departures at random



A View of security Check Point in FBO

Other On-Site Services

- Lavatory and water service
- GPUs
- Luxury Van Transfers
- Rental Car arrangements
- Air and Sea Charter arrangements
- Limo Services
- VIP Transfers
- Hotel Accommodations



Directions to Arrindell Aviation by Signature

- From Philipsburg / Simpson Bay:
 - Located immediately to the West of the Main Commercial Terminal
 - FBO is closed after airport closes
 - Regular hours 1100 UTC – 0130 UTC (7am – 9:30pm)
- From St. Martin (French Side):
 - There are two possible routes from Marigot, capital of St. Martin (French)
 - Via Simpson Bay (directions described above)
 - Via Terres Basses (Low Lands) which leads through Cupecoy then through Mullet Bay
 - Mullet Bay is the road that passes in front of the FBO building and commercial terminal
 - There is a small roundabout and driveway in front of the FBO



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