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### By air:

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[Santander Airport](#) , located about five kilometers from the Town Hall, has daily connections with Madrid, London and Barcelona. A flight to and from Madrid takes about 40 minutes, about 60 minutes for Barcelona. Check with your travel agency for further details, alternatively check

[Iberia Airlines](#)

, or

[Ryanair](#)

There are frequent buses (roughly, once every 30 mins) from the airport to town:

[Bus&nbsp;Parayas Airport, Santander - Santander](#)

The trip takes 15 minutes. The ticket is purchased in the bus and you also have a ticket vending machine in the airport. Click [here](#) for more information:

Alternatively, you may take a taxi, at a price of 10-15 Euros. Phones:

[Radio Taxi](#) : (34) 942 33 33 33

Tele Taxi : (34) 942 36 91 91

A less convenient possibility is to fly to the [Bilbao Airport](#) , because of the problem of getting from Bilbao to Santander. Unless you are willing to fork out 100 Euros on a taxi, there are two

options: either FEVE trains from Bilbao to Santander or a bus.

### There are three trains per day:

Bilbao train station	Departure time	Santander train station	Arrival time
Bilbao	08:02	Santander	11:00
Bilbao	13:02	Santander	15:58
Bilbao	19:30	Santander	22:15

  

Santander train station	Departure time	Bilbao train station	Arrival time
Santander	08:00	Bilbao	10:46
Santander	14:00	Bilbao	16:46
Santander	19:00	Bilbao	21:46

Ticket price: 7,75 euros

Round trip: 14,45 euros

There are numerous, very affordable [buses](#) to Santander from the Bilbao's Garellano Bus

Station and journey time is roughly 90 mins. It is advisable to take a taxi from the airport to either the Railway Station or the Bus Station.

- [General information about the bus&nbsp;service Bilbao-Santander](#)
- [General information about the bus&nbsp;service Santander-Bilbao](#)

Bizkaibus operates a bus link between the Bilbao bus station (Termibus) and the Bilbao Airport. This is the Bizkaibus A3247. This Airport Line take 35 minutes time. The ticket is purchased in the bus and costs 1,30 euros.

### **Airport-Bilbao:**

From the airport you have a bus every 20 minutes from 6:20 to 00:00. In Bilbao airport the bus stops in front of the Arrival's door and stops also in:

- Alameda Rekalde 14
- Gran Vía (Subdelegación del Gobierno)
- Gran Vía 74
- Termibus (Bus station, from here you can take a bus to Santander)

### **Bilbao-Airport**

From Bilbao Termibus you have a bus every 20 minutes from 5:20h to 22:00 h. The bus stops in:

- Termibus
- Gran Vía 79
- Plaza Moyúa
- Alameda Rekalde 11
- Bilbao airport

### **By sea:**

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## How to Arrive

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There are two sailings a week between Plymouth (UK) and Santander, each is a 24-hour cruise operated by Brittany Ferries. See their [website](#) for schedule and fares.

Phone: (34) 942 360 611

Email: [santander@brittany-ferries.com](mailto:santander@brittany-ferries.com)

### By train:

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Several daily connections from Madrid, operated by [RENFE](#) and trains from Bilbao and Oviedo, operated by [FEVE](#).

### By bus:

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All buses arrive at the [Estaci&oacute;n de Autobuses](#).

International buses, e.g. from Brussels, London, Paris, Zürich and Prague are operated by [ALSA](#), phone (34) 902 42 22 42 or (34) 942 22 16 85.

Extensive number of national bus connections, operated by [ALSA](#) too.

### By car:

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If you drive your own car or a rented car, you can arrive at Santander

- **South:** South: You have two possibilities: Take the free highway Madrid-Burgos. Once in Burgos, take the free highway A-231 and, after 55Km, take the free highway A-67 to

Santander. Second possibility is to take the free highway Madrid-Valladolid. When arriving to Valladolid, take the free highway to Palencia and here, join the the free highway A-67 to Santander. Both ways take approximately the same: around four hours and a half.

- **South (alternative):** If you dislike mountain roads follow free highway Madrid-Burgos, then the toll highway Burgos-Bilbao and, finally, the free highway Bilbao-Santander. This route takes about 100 km. more than the main route above.

- **From France (East):** Toll highway from the French border till Bilbao, free highway from Bilbao to Santander). About 60 minutes Bilbao-Santander, two/three hours Santander/French border.

- **From the West (Galicia, Asturias and Portugal):** Free Highway from Asturias and Galicia to Santander.