

### Air Senegal receives Africa's first A330neo

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Toulouse, 8 March 2019 – Air Senegal has taken delivery of its first A330-900 from Airbus' production line in Toulouse. The carrier is the first African airline to fly Airbus' new generation wide-body aircraft featuring latest technology engines, new wings with enhanced aerodynamics and a curved wingtip-design, drawing best practices from the A350 XWB.

Fitted with a three-class cabin comprising 32 Business class, 21 Premium Plus and 237 Economy class seats, Air Senegal plans to operate its first A330neo on its Dakar-Paris route and to further develop its medium and long-haul network.



The A330neo is the true new-generation aircraft building on the best-selling wide body A330's features and leveraging on A350 XWB technology. Powered by the latest Rolls-Royce Trent 7000 engines, the A330neo provides an unprecedented level of efficiency – with 25% lower fuel burn per seat than previous generation competitors. Equipped with the Airspace by Airbus cabin, the A330neo offers a unique passenger experience with more personal space and the latest generation in-flight entertainment system and connectivity.

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## Photo Release

**NOTE TO EDITORS:** this delivery event also marks the first time when the Airbus Foundation and Air Senegal team up for goodwill flight. Read more on [Airbus Foundation website](#)

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