



Antarctica21

Fly & Sail Expeditions

THE ANTARCTIC FLIGHT

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Skip the Drake Passage
with a two-hour flight to Antarctica

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Sailing or Flying?

To visit the Antarctic Peninsula, one must travel from South America across the Drake Passage. You can sail across the stormy passage, or you can fly over it. Each option involves a certain degree of uncertainty. But for sure, one option is more comfortable than the other.

Sailing across the Drake

Possible heavy storms

- 👎 Possible delayed arrival / early departure
- 👎 Possible sea-sickness
- 👎 Possible discomfort and distress
- 👎 Possible injury

Flying over the Drake

Possible flight delays

- 👎 Possible delayed arrival / early departure
- 👍 Possible sea-sickness
- 👍 Possible discomfort and distress
- 👍 Possible injury



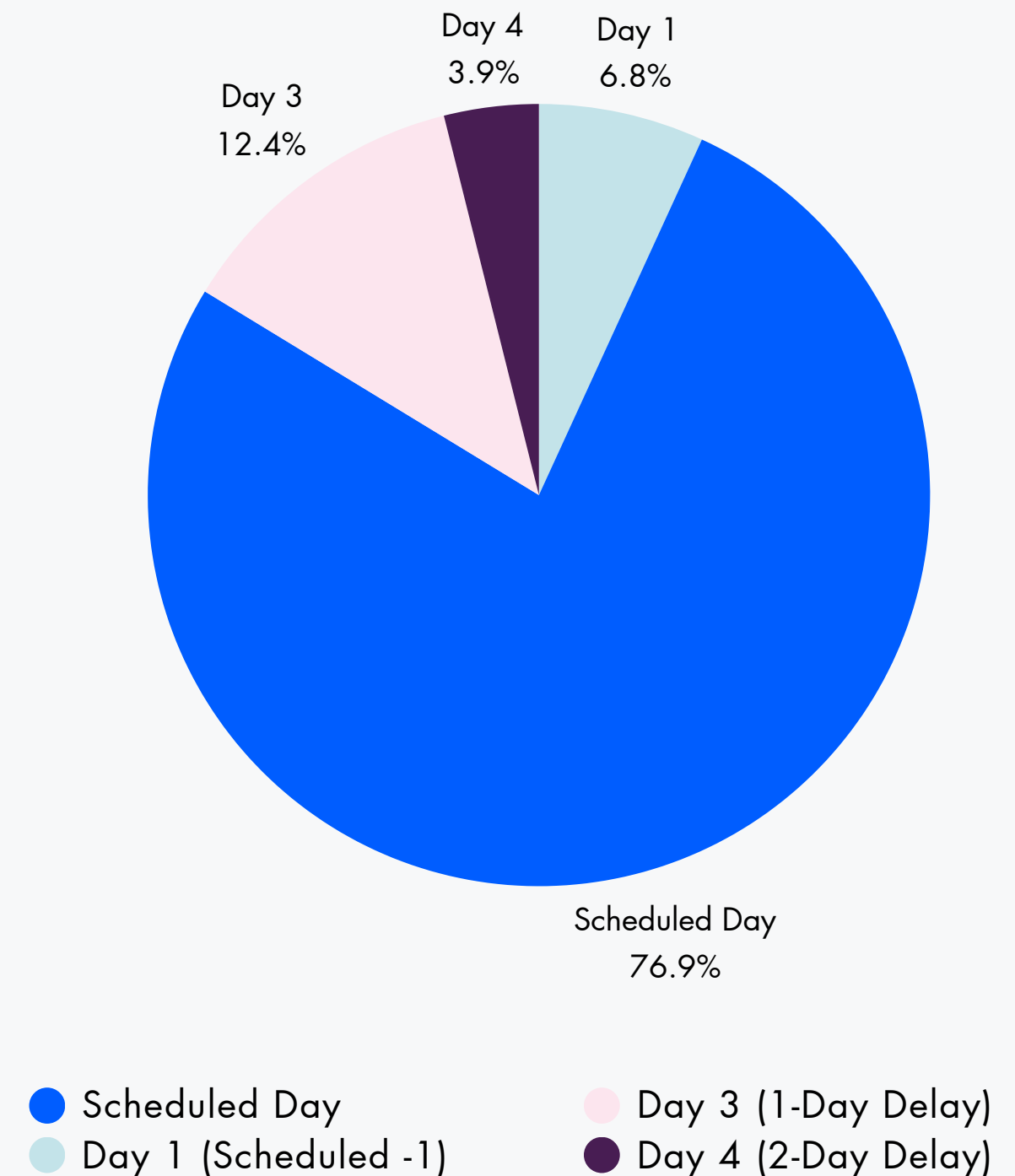
Flight Delay: What Are The Odds?

Just like sailing across the Drake Passage, air-cruise operations are also weather-dependent. Flight delays can be caused by low clouds, fog, and heavy wind conditions at King George Island.

As of April 19, 2024, Antarctica21 has operated 310 flights, among which:

- 236 operated on the scheduled day
- 21 operated on Day 1, the day before the scheduled day
- 38 operated on Day 3, with a one-day delay
- 12 operated on Day 4, with a two-day delay

In the history of our company, three flights were delayed beyond Day 4.



Important:

Even though the odds of experiencing a delay are low, travelers must be prepared for the possibility.

Contingency Plan For Possible Flight Delays

A Contingency Plan is in place for those cases when weather conditions require that the day of operation of the flight between Punta Arenas and Antarctica be modified from the itinerary. The purpose of the Contingency Plan is to provide travelers with a flexible travel experience that adapts to the weather conditions and to provide a refund of the cruise fare in case weather conditions prevent clients from reaching Antarctica.

For more information, please refer to the Contingency Plan section of our Terms and Conditions at www.antarctica21.com/termsconditions.





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