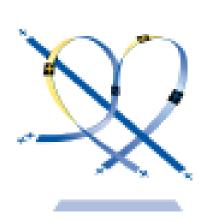


## The Baltic Bees Latvian Legends



Fly with Maverick, Major, Maestro, Smoked, Godfather or Giovane, members of the elite L-39 jet team known as "The Baltic Bees". Founded in 2008 with two aircraft, the team now consists of six professional pilots and their L-39s. The Baltic Bees appear at air shows across Europe and Asia, performing more than 30 incredible maneuvers.

When not performing, the Baltic Bees offer L-39 flights and flight training from their base of operations near Riga, Latvia. Individual and group formation flights are available.



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## The L-39 C

### **Military Trainer and Air Show Star**

The L-39 C "Albatros" is a tandem, two-seat advanced military jet trainer produced by aircraft manufacturer Aero Vodochody in the former Czechoslovakia. Once used to train generations of fighter pilots, the L-39 is now popular with private jet owners and jet teams.



Engine: AL-25TL, twin-shaft, turbofan jet engine - 3800 lbs thrust (1720 kg)

Maximum Speed: 560 mph

Maximum Rate of Climb: 4330 fpm

Service Ceiling: 37,700 ft

Maximum Endurance with Internal Fuel: 2 hours, 20 minutes

Maximum Range with 10% reserve: 450 miles (840 km)

G-Rating: +8/-4

Zero-Height Ejection Seats

Pressurized, air-conditioned cockpit.



Crazy Bee Maneuver



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## Single & Formation Flights Available All Year Long

#### **Up to Six Can Fly at One Time**

**Where are flights offered?** The Baltic Bees Jet Team is based in Latvia, near the historic city of Riga. Flights take off from Jurmala Airport.

**Is a pilot's license required?** No. You must be in reasonably good health and meet basic height and weight requirements but no prior flying experience is necessary.

When can I fly an L-39 with the Baltic Bees? Flights are offered on select dates, all year long.



Will I get a video of my L-39 flight? Yes. We strongly suggest adding a second aircraft to your program, in order to obtain incredible airto-air footage.

How long are the flights? Our most popular option is a flight about 45 minutes long that sells for \$4950 US, but shorter and longer flights are available.



## Fly an L-39 Over Latvia with the Baltic Bees

It's an incredible adventure in Europe.

#### **Sample Itinerary**

**Arrive at Jurmala Airport**, formerly known as Tukums Airfield. Tukums once served as a reserve airfield for the USSR. During World War II, a German division of Luftwaffe was based at Tukums. Later it served as a reserve airfield for the Latvian Air Force.

Fitted for Baltic Bees flight suit, helmet and mask. You are required to provide your own shoes

- either running shoes or trekking boots.

**Ground school, safety briefing and ejection seat training.** (Takes about 40 minutes.) The L-39 C is equipped with zero height ejection seats.

Pre-flight briefing with your pilot to discuss your flight profile. Strapped into the rear cockpit of the L-39 C for an incredible aerobatic flight.

**Take off!** When safe to do so, you will be permitted to take the controls.







# Fly an L-39 with the Baltic Bees over Incredible Latvia

#### 10 Fun Things to Know About Latvia

 Latvia was part of the Soviet Union until 1991. Many of its citizens speak Russian. Latvia joined the European Union in 2004.

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- 2. Latvia is a popular tourist destination and has 500 km of coastline and more than 20 miles of white sand beaches. Latvia is one of the world's greenest countries. Half the land is covered in forest. (Fly, then relax at the beach in Jurmala or with a hike through the forest.)
- 3. Midsummer, Latvia enjoys up to 20 hours of daylight. (More daylight means more time for flying.)
- 4. Latvia has the 4<sup>th</sup> fastest internet system in the world. There are more than 800 free wifi spots in the capital of Riga. (It's easy to stay connected to your office back home.)
- 5. Riga has more than 800 art nouveau buildings and has been declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Take time to enjoy the city before or after your L-39 adventure.
- 6. Latvia gave the world denim. The popular material was invented by Latvian tailor Jacob Davis.
- 7. Latvia is known as the "European Capital of Basketball" and produces the world's tallest women.
- 8. You can travel about 3 ½ hours from Riga and spend the night in a Soviet-era military prison.
- 9. Riga is less than a three-hour flight from London and Paris.
- 10. The country of Latvia is about the size of West Virginia.

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