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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of February, 2004

RYANAIR HOLDINGS PLC (Translation of registrant's name into English)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F..X.. Form 40-F....

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2 (b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No ..X..

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-

RYANAIR ANNOUNCES PASSENGER GROWTH OF 36% FOR JANUARY 2004

The following are Ryanair's passenger and internet statistics for January 2004.

January January Rolling 12 months 2003 2004 ended 31st Jan. 2004

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Passengers 1	1,251,641	1,705,954	21,826,404
Load Factor 2	76%	71%	81%
Internet Sales			
Percentage3	94%	96%	95%

- Represents the number of earned seats flown by Ryanair. Earned seats
 include seats that are flown whether or not the passenger turns up because
 once a flight has departed a no-show customer is not entitled to change
 flights or seek a refund.
- 2. Represents the number of passengers as a proportion of the number of seats available for passengers.
- 3. Represents the number of initial seat sales sold via the Ryanair internet site as a percentage of total initial seat sales. Initial seat sales exclude changed and amended seat sales.

ENDS.

3rd February 2004

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

RYANAIR HOLDINGS PLC

Date: 3 February, 2004

By:___/s/ Howard Millar____

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Company Secretary & Finance Director