Reaching Rethymno from Crete's Major Airports

Crete is served by two main airports: Heraklion Airport (HER) and Chania Airport (CHQ). Rethymno is centrally located between these two cities, offering two main routes to reach your destination.

1. From Heraklion Airport to Rethymno

- Heraklion Airport to Heraklion City: Buses from Heraklion Airport to the Long-Distance Bus Station in Heraklion take about 10 minutes, with a fare of approximately €1.50. Alternatively, a taxi costs around €15.
- **Heraklion City to Rethymno**: From the Long-Distance Bus Station, hourly buses depart for Rethymno. The trip takes about 1.5 hours, with a ticket cost of around €9. Check schedules here: www.ktelherlas.gr/search.php.

2. From Chania Airport to Rethymno

• **Direct Bus Option**: Limited direct buses run from Chania Airport to Rethymno Bus Station. This is the simplest route, with tickets costing around €8. Confirm times here: www.e-ktel.com/en/services/dromologia.

Alternatively, you can take the following route:

- Chania Airport to Chania City: Buses from Chania Airport to the Long-Distance Bus Station in Chania take about 20-25 minutes, with a fare of approximately €1.50. A taxi costs about €20.
- Chania City to Rethymno: Hourly buses from Chania's Long-Distance Bus Station run to Rethymno, taking about 1 hour. Tickets are roughly €7.50.

Upon Arrival at Rethymno Bus Station

Most hotels are within a 15–20-minute walk from the bus station. Taxis are also available, costing approximately €5-7 for trips within the city.

Additional Information

For more details on Crete, including road maps, distances, and taxi fares, visit this online guide: www.explorecrete.com.

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