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INTRODUCTION

The Air Travel Consumer Report is a monthly product of the Department of Transportation's Office of Aviation Enforcement and Proceedings. The report is designed to assist consumers with information on the quality of services provided by the airlines.

The report is divided into four sections. These sections deal with flight delays, mishandled baggage, oversales and consumer complaints. Each section of the report is preceded by a brief explanation of how to read and understand the information provided.

The report normally is released by the end of the first week of each month. The report is available via the Internet at *http://www.dot.gov/airconsumer/*

NOTE TO CONSUMERS REGARDING FLIGHT DELAY DATA

Flight delays can be caused by a variety of factors, for example: severe weather, aircraft maintenance, runway closures, customer service issues, air traffic control system decisions and equipment failures. The data on which this report is based do not identify the cause, only the occurrence, of flight delays.



FLIGHT DELAYS

This section provides information about airline on-time performance, flight delays, and cancellations. It is based on data filed by airlines each month with the Department of Transportation's Bureau of Transportation Statistics (Office of Airline Information), as described in 14 CFR Part 234 of DOT's regulations. It covers nonstop scheduled-service flights between points within the United States (including territories) by the eleven U.S. air carriers that have at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues. (Aloha Airlines reported data voluntarily for the period October 2000 through October 2001). These airlines account for more than 85 percent of domestic operating revenues.

The rule requires carriers to currently report on operations to and from the 32 U.S. airports that account for at least one percent of the nation's total domestic scheduled-service passenger enplanements (see Appendix for a complete list of the reportable airports). However, all reporting airlines have voluntarily provided data for their entire domestic systems, and that information is included in this report.

A flight is counted as "on time" if it operated less than 15 minutes after the scheduled time shown in the carriers' Computerized Reservations Systems. All tables in this report except Table 4 are based on gate arrival times; Table 4 is based on gate departure times. Cancelled and diverted operations are counted as late.

In fulfilling DOT's data reporting requirements, the reporting air carriers use automated and/or manual systems for collecting flight data. Those using an automated system rely on the Aircraft Communication Addressing and Reporting System (ACARS). Based on the latest information available to DOT, of the 11 reporting air carriers, 4 (American, Northwest, United and US Airways) use ACARS exclusively; 3 (Alaska, America West and Southwest) rely solely on their pilots, gate agents and/or ground crews to record arrival times manually; and 4 (American Eagle, Continental, Delta and TWA) use a combination of ACARS and manual reporting systems.

As indicated above, a carrier may voluntarily file data for its entire domestic system. Tables 2, 3, and 4 are limited to the 31 required or "reportable" airports; Tables 5, 6 and 7 contain data on flights to/from all airports that were reported. Tables 1 and 8 each have one column for the 32 "reportable" airports and another for all of the airports reported; see footnote C for additional explanation.

Tables 1 through 4 display percentages of flight operations that were on time, while Tables 5 and 6 show service that was late. Tables 1, 1A, and 2 present data by carrier; airlines are ranked by performance in Table 1 and are listed in alphabetical order by carrier code in Table 2 (see Appendix for codes). Beginning with the February 1988 report, Table 1A shows carrier rankings by month and time-series data on the percentage of flight operations that arrived on time.

Tables 3 and 4 provide information by airport and time of day. Table 5 is a list of the most frequently delayed flights, showing the percentage of each flight's operations that were late that month and the average and median number of minutes the flight was late. The flights with the highest percentage of late operations are listed first in Table 5; where percentages are identical, flights are listed alphabetically by carrier code. Table 6, like Tables 1, 1A, and 2, presents data by carrier, but lists the carriers in rank order from worst to best based on the number of flights which were late 70% of the time or more. Table 7 lists more than 200 cities in alphabetical order with the corresponding on-time arrival and departure percentages.

Tables 3, 4, and 5 contain information on the time of day that a flight operated. All times are local. A 10:50 a.m. departure from Atlanta is 10:50 a.m. Atlanta time; if that flight arrived in Dallas at 11:45 a.m., that is 11:45 a.m. Dallas time. If a flight's scheduled operating time changed during the month, Table 5 shows the time that was in effect for the last flight operation performed that month.

Table 8 displays the number of operations, number of flight cancellations, and percentage of cancellations by air carrier for the reportable airports and for the air carriers' domestic system.

This report provides summary information; except for the few flights listed in Table 5, it does not show the on-time record of individual flights. A printout showing the performance of each specific flight reported to DOT is available for inspection in the Reports Reference Room (room 4201) of the Office of Airline Information at DOT's headquarters in Washington, D.C. The on-time performance for individual markets and flights can be searched at *http://www.bts.gov/ntda/oai/*. Computer tapes containing data for all reported flight operations are available for purchase from the Transportation Systems Center in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The Department cannot respond to inquiries about the performance of individual flights.

However, information on the performance of specific flights is displayed on the Computerized Reservations Systems used by most airlines and travel agencies. Each of the reporting carriers' flights has a one-digit code between 0 and 9 representing that flight's percentage of on-time operations for the latest reported month. For example, "8" means that flight arrived on time (within 15 minutes) between 80% and 89.9% of the time during the latest reported month.



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TABLE 1. OVERALL PERCENTAGE OF REPORTED FLIGHT OPERATIONS ARRIVING ON TIME BY CARRIER

	AT 32 REPORTA	BLE AI RPORTS B/	AT ALL REPORTED AI RPORTS C/			
CARRIER A/	NUMBER OF AI RPORTS REPORTED	PERCENT OF ARRI VALS ON TIME D/	NUMBER OF AI RPORTS REPORTED	PERCENT OF ARRIVALS ON TIME D/		
TRANS WORLD S/	28	87. 2	65	87.5		
DELTA S/	32	86. 9	108	86.7		
US AIRWAYS S/	27	86. 7	70	86.7		
SOUTHWEST S/	15	86. 9	59	86.6		
AMERICA WEST S/	26	86. 1	50	86.0		
CONTINENTAL S/	30	85.5	73	85.9		
NORTHWEST S/	32	85.9	107	85.6		
AMERICAN S/	32	82. 8	93	82.7		
AMERICAN EAGLE S/	20	83. 4	104	81.4		
UNI TED S/	31	80. 9	82	80.8		
ALASKA S/	8	73. 9	36	75.9		
ТОТАЬ		84. 8		84.7		

For simplicity, statistics are displayed to one decimal place. Actual ranking order is based on our computer carrying out the number of decimal places to nine.

* All U.S. airlines with at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues.

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NOVEMBER 2001 AIR TRAVEL CONSUMER REPORT TABLE 1A. OVERALL PERCENTAGE OF REPORTED FLIGHT OPERATIONS ARRIVING ON TIME AND CARRIER RANK, BY MONTH, QUARTER, AND DATABASE TO DATE

CARRI ER*	4TH QUARTER 10-12 2000	1ST QUARTER 01-03 2001	2ND QUARTER 04-06 2001	3RD QUARTER 07-09 2001	09 2001	10 2001	11 2001	12 MONTHS ENDING 11 2001	DATA BASE TO DATE 09 1987 - 11 2001
	% RANK	% RANK	% RANK	% RANK	% RANK	% RANK	% RANK	% RANK	% RANK
ALASKA	64.5 (10)	63.5 (12)	72.5 (11)	66.8 (12)	80.0 (8)	76.4 (12)	75.9 (11)	68.0 (11)	75.7 (9)
ALOHA	90.6 (1)	85.3 (1)	84.5 (1)	83.8 (1)	89.7 (1)	79.9 (11)		84.9	85.7
AMERICA WEST	64.1 (11)	68.7 (10)	75.2 (9)	72.1 (7)	82.3 (4)	83.1 (8)	86.0 (5)	73.1 (8)	78.2 (5)
AMERI CAN	69.5 (7)	73.7 (7)	77.9 (8)	71.1 (9)	78.0 (9)	80.0 (10)	82.7 (8)	74.1 (7)	78.7 (3)
AMERICAN EAGLI	E	63.7 (11)	70.1 (12)	69.8 (10)	77.0 (11)	83.2 (7)	81.4 (9)	70.3 (10)	70.3 (11)
CONTI NENTAL	78.7 (2)	79.5 (2)	82.6 (3)	75.8 (5)	74.2 (12)	88.7 (2)	85.9 (6)	80.0 (2)	78.5 (4)
DELTA	68.7 (8)	73.2 (9)	78.9 (7)	75.2 (6)	84.4 (4)	90.1 (1)	86.7 (2)	75.8 (6)	77.4 (8)
NORTHWEST	72.2 (5)	79.1 (3)	80.9 (5)	76.9 (4)	80.9 (7)	84.5 (6)	85.6 (7)	78.0 (4)	79.7 (2)
SOUTHWEST	70.4 (6)	77.8 (4)	83.2 (2)	81.5 (2)	86.8 (2)	86.6 (3)	86.6 (4)	80.5 (1)	82.3 (1)
TRANS WORLD	73.3 (4)	76.1 (6)	82.4 (4)	81.1 (3)	86.2 (3)	85.3 (5)	87.5 (1)	79.2 (3)	78.0 (7)
UNI TED	66.7 (9)	73.6 (8)	74.3 (10)	68.0 (11)	77.7 (10)	80.7 (9)	80.8 (10)	72.2 (9)	75.2 (10)
US AIRWAYS	73.3 (3)	77.3 (5)	80.3 (6)	72.0 (8)	84.4 (5)	86.6 (4)	86.7 (3)	77.0 (5)	78.1 (6)
TOTAL	70.6	74.5	78.7	74.2	81.5	84.8	84.7	76.0	78.2

For simplicity, statistics are displayed to one decimal place. Actual ranking order is based on our computer carrying out the number of decimal places to nine.

* All U.S. airlines with at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues, plus other carriers that report voluntarily. Aloha Airlines reported data voluntarily for the period October 2000 through October 2001. American Eagle reporting effective January 2001.

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The 09 2001 ranking column in this table is based on flight delay data for the period September 1-10 only (which was the basis for the September rankings in the ATCR issued in November 2001). The other ranking columns in this table that include September 2001 data (3rd Quarter 2001, 12 months ending November 2001, and Database to Date) reflect data submitted by the carriers to BTS for the entire month of September. The days following the tragic events of September 11 were a period during which all airline operations were cancelled under government order for several days and carriers required several additional days to resume scheduled operations. In addition, operations at Washington Reagan National Airport (DCA) were cancelled under government order from September 11 through the end of the month. Flights were allowed to resume on a limited basis at DCA on October 4.

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NUMBER OF REPORTED FLIGHT ARRIVALS AND PERCENTAGE ARRIVING ON TIME D/ TABLE 2. BY CARRIER AND AIRPORT (REPORTABLE AIRPORTS ONLY)

_____ ATL BOS BWI CLT CVG DCA DEN DFW _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _____ # OF % ON ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ARR. TIME CARRI ER ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ---- ---------------- ------------ ----_ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ ---- -------- ----554 81.9 316 68.7 146 69.9 89 85.4 649 77.8 602 87.7 AA 1092 78.2 11206 85.6 Η/ H/ H/ H/ AS H/ H/ H/ H/ H/ 273 76.6 381 86.6 535 92.3 25 92.0 335 85.1 375 85.3 CO 318 87.7 15896 87.5 118 71.2 1579 91.3 405 77.3 199 90.5 4747 87.6 1029 87.3 DL 559 87.1 2808 87.1 H/ ΗP 118 74.6 146 45.9 H/ 46 71.7 234 87.2 166 77.7 312 75.3 145 77.2 135 83.0 5822 83.5 MO H/ 1774 84.0 118 77.1 Η/ 459 83.9 320 75.9 166 86.1 375 77.6 324 85.2 NW 406 76.4 80 65.0 410 83.9 172 90.1 6097 86.3 172 85.5 112 95.5 141 83.0 145 76.6 H/ Η/ 369 87.5 ΤW 311 83.6 88 69.3 118 84.7 UA 497 80.1 820 80.0 442 65.4 516 79.7 US 470 88.3 1837 89.4 1352 86.7 8513 89.1 H/ 1451 90.8 293 90.4 315 94.3 WN H/ H/ 3808 83.1 H/ H/ H/ H/ H/ 5179 86.9 TOTAL 18547 86.9 8302 85.4 7519 80.1 9367 88.5 4314 85.7 8616 86.6 21987 85.1 ARRI VAL AI RPORT _____ -----TAH JFK LAS LAX DTW EWR FLL IAD _ ----------_____ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ . # OF % ON ARR. TIME # OF % ON ARR. TIME # OF % ON ARR. TIME CARRI ER ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ARR. TIME ARR. TIME _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ ---- ---------------- -------- ----736 72.4 H/ 409 85.6 419 86.6 462 73.8 459 86.3 1128 67.0 2367 86.1 615 87.3 AA H/ H/ H/ H/ H/ H/ 557 73.6 287 82.6 AS 7643 85.2 262 87.0 4777 87.5 441 90.2 181 85.1 572 80.8 CO 456 81.1 232 79.3 120 75.0 232 78.4 171 73.7 DL 633 84.8 951 88.0 517 82.4 732 84.8 620 86.3 1178 86.3

H/

229 75.5

340 85.3

87 83.9

1885 75.5

286 85.0

Η/

3987 78.3

Η/

360 84.7

82 81.7

326 69.3

315 89.8

153 89.5

9741 84.5

149 65.8

964 82.8

120 75.0

H/

390 65.6

Η/

3483 75.2

H/

2139 89.7

330 83.9

178 90.4

813 82.0

126 88.1

4988 86.0

10552 86.3

Η/

ΗP

MO

NW

ΤW

UA

US

WN

TOTAL

128 76.6

176 82.4

230 75.7

373 88.7

505 86.9

10601 88.2

8166 89.6

171 69.6

278 78.1

441 76.6

144 80.6

571 72.5

402 87.1

8153 83.4

H/

60 55.0

86 89.5

150 81.3

90 64.4

90 81.1

676 87.3

944 88.7

3907 86.7

ARRI VAL AI RPORT

499 87 4

1876 88.8

438 85.8

228 90.8

2794 84.8

408 84.1

3233 88.0

14150 86.0

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TABLE 2. NUMBER OF REPORTED FLIGHT ARRIVALS AND PERCENTAGE ARRIVING ON TIME D/ BY CARRIER AND AIRPORT (REPORTABLE AIRPORTS ONLY)

ARRI VAL AI RPORT

				ANNI VAL AINI ON	1			
	LGA	МСО	MDW	MI A	MSP	ORD	PDX	PHL
CARRI ER	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME
AA AS CO DL HP MQ NW TW UA US WN	1335 85.4 H/ 272 82.0 2015 88.7 H/ 735 82.7 473 80.8 197 68.0 503 84.5 1999 88.8 H/	667 78.9 H/ 498 89.6 1433 88.8 59 62.7 213 96.7 397 75.3 180 81.1 425 73.2 1080 87.9 1628 93.1	110 87.3 H/ 88 93.2 86 88.4 H/ 336 77.4 H/ H/ 3317 90.2	2641 77.1 H/ 285 88.8 328 76.8 59 64.4 797 93.2 196 81.1 123 83.7 372 82.0 396 89.1 H/	393 87.3 H/ 204 85.8 289 85.1 118 73.7 H/ 8499 88.4 246 90.2 446 81.6 232 87.5 H/	7457 84.1 30 73.3 430 85.1 606 77.9 230 73.0 4528 78.9 639 77.9 277 79.4 9337 81.8 626 84.7 H/	147 91.2 1245 79.2 143 74.8 408 87.3 175 89.7 H/ 150 78.0 59 91.5 715 79.2 H/ 942 83.7	585 76.4 H/ 137 68.6 486 78.2 117 71.8 255 75.3 353 60.6 144 77.8 475 70.7 6321 78.8 H/
TOTAL	7529 86.0	6580 86.7	3937 89.1	5197 81.6	10427 87.7	24160 81.8	3984 82.0	8873 77.1
				ARRI VAL AI RPOR	Τ 			
	РНХ	PIT	SAN	SEA	SFO	SLC	STL	ТРА
CARRI ER	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME	# OF % ON ARR. TIME
AA AS CO DL HP MQ NW TW UA UA US WN	$\begin{array}{ccccc} 413 & 84.\ 7\\ 312 & 80.\ 4\\ 297 & 88.\ 6\\ 490 & 86.\ 7\\ 5065 & 91.\ 0\\ H/\\ 299 & 82.\ 6\\ 176 & 85.\ 2\\ 544 & 82.\ 7\\ 266 & 89.\ 1\\ 5186 & 86.\ 6\\ \end{array}$	88 77.3 H/ 79 94.9 232 90.5 H/ 296 82.1 144 80.6 134 83.6 171 88.3 6827 87.7 H/		$\begin{array}{cccccccc} 352 & 85.8 \\ 3024 & 70.3 \\ 291 & 81.8 \\ 532 & 82.9 \\ 175 & 85.1 \\ H/ \\ 352 & 88.6 \\ 147 & 91.2 \\ 1062 & 78.8 \\ 207 & 88.4 \\ 1070 & 85.3 \\ \end{array}$	1119 80.9 475 72.6 349 78.8 610 81.1 318 79.2 H/ 269 81.0 146 82.2 4240 79.0 375 88.8 H/	146 87.7 H/ 59 74.6 3638 88.0 142 92.3 H/ 90 78.9 87 90.8 441 84.8 H/ 1125 88.2	180 93.9 H/ 99 87.9 177 88.1 58 91.4 H/ 362 85.1 8291 88.9 261 77.8 235 90.2 2093 89.1	417 82.3 H/ 373 87.1 975 87.4 59 64.4 142 93.7 297 82.5 149 83.2 271 71.6 711 83.5 1618 91.0
TOTAL	13048 87.9	7971 87.3	5956 81.6	7212 78.1	7901 79.6	5728 87.6	11756 88.7	5012 86.2

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TABLE 3. PERCENTAGE OF ALL CARRIERS' REPORTED FLIGHT OPERATIONS ARRIVING ON TIME D/ BY AIRPORT AND TIME OF DAY (REPORTABLE AIRPORTS ONLY)

ARRI VAL AI RPORT

SCHEDULED																		
ARRI VAL TI ME	ATL	BOS	BWI	CLT	CVG	DCA	DEN	DFW	DTW	EWR	FLL	I AD	I AH	JFK	LAS	LAX	LGA	МСО
600 - 659 AM 700 - 759 AM 800 - 859 AM 900 - 959 AM 1000 - 1059 AM 1000 - 1159 AM 1200 - 1259 PM 100 - 159 PM 200 - 259 PM 300 - 359 PM 400 - 459 PM 500 - 559 PM 600 - 659 PM 700 - 759 PM 800 - 859 PM 900 - 959 PM 1000 - 1059 PM 1000 - 1059 PM 1000 - 1059 PM 1000 - 559 AM	82.8 93.4 89.5 91.7 91.7 90.0 87.9 88.8 84.9 83.2 85.3 84.8 85.3 81.8 85.7 88.6 83.0	86.6 92.6 84.4 90.3 87.0 88.3 90.8 89.0 88.8 81.1 81.9 85.6 81.9 79.5 84.3 81.5	J/ 85. 8 81. 9 88. 7 85. 6 83. 6 83. 6 83. 6 83. 6 83. 6 83. 8 82. 4 84. 5 73. 0 77. 4 76. 7 78. 6 76. 0 78. 1 80. 1	63. 8 91. 6 91. 4 89. 6 84. 3 89. 2 91. 4 90. 6 86. 8 89. 8 86. 4 87. 8 85. 8 85. 8 85. 8 90. 4 77. 6	J/ 89. 3 96. 2 95. 8 89. 8 76. 7 84. 0 89. 4 77. 4 86. 2 77. 4 86. 2 77. 4 86. 2 77. 4 86. 0 80. 0 800	J/ 95. 6 90. 5 91. 9 88. 8 84. 4 86. 3 89. 4 84. 8 84. 8 83. 9 82. 3 77. 2 85. 6 85. 8 55. 8 J/ J/	J' 91. 1 91. 5 93. 1 86. 0 88. 9 86. 1 83. 5 88. 0 84. 9 84. 3 84. 4 85. 3 84. 4 81. 8 93. 1	85. 1 84. 9 85. 5 88. 2 85. 5 86. 2 87. 5 87. 5 87. 5 80. 6 83. 6 83. 6 83. 6 83. 6 83. 6 80. 80. 80. 80. 80. 80. 80. 80. 80. 80.	94.0 91.2 93.4 87.5 89.3 85.9 85.9 85.1 91.1 91.1 87.3 88.9 86.1 90.7 87.4 77.2 81.2 84.3	90. 0 81. 5 87. 1 81. 5 87. 9 84. 4 84. 2 83. 6 83. 8 71. 2 79. 3 84. 6 78. 8	92.5 94.2 85.5 88.9 91.1 87.8 88.8 90.1 87.7 88.8 89.2 81.0 84.0 82.4 79.5	72.4 84.9 90.4 88.2 88.8 82.0 86.4 84.3 77.5 72.7 74.3 78.4 80.4 69.8 76.2 81.0 83.2 75.4	91. 8 81. 3 78. 3 87. 4 85. 4 85. 4 85. 5 87. 6 85. 4 85. 4 94. 5 83. 0 85. 2 84. 6 83. 6 86. 9 80. 1 83. 6 79. 3	62.9 89.4 91.7 75.0 80.6 86.7 81.8 67.4 85.3 74.2 79.8 68.3 71.0 79.2 73.2 62.1 74.6 56.9	95. 0 96. 8 93. 3 90. 2 84. 9 87. 6 87. 5 87. 1 85. 0 84. 3 84. 3 84. 3 84. 3 84. 3 84. 4 85. 2 85. 8	92.8 88.7 87.6 86.1 85.9 86.8 85.9 86.8 87.3 87.3 84.4 85.6 83.6 83.6 83.6 83.6 83.9 88.0	95. 0 92. 1 94. 3 95. 6 85. 7 85. 5 83. 2 85. 0 87. 0 87. 0 87. 0 82. 3 85. 2 87. 0 87. 0 82. 3 85. 2 83. 1 87. 0 83. 2 83. 2 83. 2 83. 2 83. 2 85. 5 83. 2 85. 5 85. 5 85. 5 87. 0 85. 5 87. 0 87. 0 85. 5 87. 0 85. 5 87. 0 87. 0 85. 5 87. 0 87. 0	48. 3 85. 0 94. 4 90. 8 91. 7 90. 4 83. 9 90. 0 93. 5 87. 6 79. 5 86. 3 83. 9 77. 1 80. 3 87. 9 88. 0 89. 0
TOTAL, ALL ARRI VALS BY AI RPORT		85.4	80. 1	88.5	86. 9	85.7	86. 6	85.1	88. 2	83.4	86. 7	78.3	84.5	75.2	86. 3	86.0	86. 0	86.7
							AR	RIVAL	AI RPOR	Т								

SCHEDULED															
ARRI VAL TI ME	MDW	MIA	MSP	ORD	PDX	PHL	PHX	PIT	SAN	SEA	SF0	SLC	STL	TPA	TOTAL
600 - 659 AM 700 - 759 AM 800 - 859 AM 900 - 959 AM 1000 - 1059 AM 1100 - 1159 AM 1200 - 1259 PM 100 - 159 PM 200 - 259 PM 300 - 359 PM 400 - 459 PM 500 - 559 PM 600 - 659 PM 800 - 859 PM 800 - 859 PM 900 - 959 PM 1000 - 1059 PM 1000 - 1059 PM	85.0 94.0 96.5 86.1 91.0 89.5 91.7 86.3 91.7 86.3 91.7 84.8 87.6 81.8 84.8 84.8 82.1 82.5	91.7 82.0 86.4 85.4 86.3 86.3 84.4 82.4 81.4 82.6 70.9 84.6 73.5 84.6 73.5 86.4 86.2	93. 3 91. 5 92. 6 90. 0 88. 4 86. 8 89. 6 88. 4 88. 8 87. 8 87. 8 87. 2 80. 5 84. 5 84. 5 84. 5 82. 0 84. 0	88.5 81.3 85.4 75.4 83.7 87.4 88.9 82.1 80.8 82.1 80.8 82.2 81.4 81.3 78.0 86.4 77.7 85.3	48. 3 93. 9 85. 3 86. 5 87. 5 87. 5 87. 1 84. 0 71. 2 80. 5 83. 1 84. 0 71. 2 80. 5 83. 2 83. 6 77. 7 83. 2 83. 6 77. 7 83. 2 83. 9 83. 9 83. 2 83. 9 83. 2 83. 9 83. 2 83. 9 83. 1 83. 1 84. 0 71. 2 85. 8 85. 2 85. 8 85. 2 85. 8 85. 2 85. 8 85. 2 85. 2	60.0 90.2 77.5 79.6 80.8 83.3 85.2 81.9 73.3 74.4 78.7 72.4 71.1 70.0 69.6 72.7 77.4 78.8	J/ 94. 5 93. 7 92. 1 92. 3 87. 5 88. 7 86. 9 86. 5 88. 7 86. 0 83. 8 84. 9 86. 4 85. 8 84. 7 81. 0 83. 2	72.4 91.4 88.2 90.5 88.0 87.5 87.5 87.5 87.0 88.9 90.4 88.9 86.7 86.4 86.4 86.4 86.9 86.6 9 86.6 9 86.6 86.9 82.0 84.8	J/ 95. 2 94. 2 86. 3 83. 6 88. 7 85. 2 85. 9 80. 9 78. 8 79. 6 74. 5 76. 4 77. 4 69. 2 75. 9 83. 0	60.0 97.9 83.6 81.2 82.5 73.1 80.3 72.5 72.2 76.9 77.3 72.8 72.8 72.8 72.8 72.3 72.8 72.3 72.7	88. 7 79. 3 82. 4 82. 5 80. 0 78. 7 75. 8 81. 4 80. 8 83. 0 78. 9 80. 1 78. 3 79. 3 71. 7 80. 4 86. 5	J/ 91. 3 91. 2 92. 4 90. 7 87. 3 85. 5 90. 0 83. 3 85. 6 89. 1 85. 8 89. 1 85. 8 85. 7 85. 3 85. 2 78. 4	88. 1 92. 0 93. 0 91. 2 92. 5 90. 2 93. 3 88. 7 87. 9 88. 7 83. 3 82. 8 86. 2 83. 1 85. 2 83. 1 88. 1 84. 3	100.0 74.4 98.1 79.8 92.0 89.4 89.3 83.0 91.2 89.4 83.2 90.0 83.5 81.7 86.7 83.0 81.4 85.6	85. 5 88. 9 86. 7 87. 6 86. 8 85. 8 87. 1 85. 6 84. 2 82. 3 82. 9 81. 6 81. 7 82. 4 83. 0 82. 8
TOTAL, ALL ARRI VALS BY AI RPORT	[′] 89. 1	81.6	87.7	81.8	82. 0	77.1	87.9	87.3	81.6	78. 1	79.6	87.6	88. 7	86.2	84.8

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TABLE 4. PERCENTAGE OF ALL CARRIERS' REPORTED FLIGHT OPERATIONS DEPARTING ON TIME E/ BY AIRPORT AND TIME OF DAY (REPORTABLE AIRPORTS ONLY)

DEPARTURE AI RPORT

							DLI	PARTURE										
SCHEDULED DEPARTURE TIME	ATL	BOS	BWI	CLT	CVG	DCA	DEN	DFW	DTW	EWR	FLL	I AD	I AH	JFK	LAS	LAX	LGA	МСО
600 - 659 AM 700 - 759 AM 800 - 859 AM 900 - 959 AM 1000 - 1059 AM 1100 - 1159 AM 1200 - 1259 PM 100 - 159 PM 200 - 259 PM 300 - 359 PM 400 - 459 PM 500 - 559 PM 600 - 659 PM 700 - 759 PM 800 - 859 PM 900 - 959 PM 1000 - 1059 PM 1000 - 1059 PM	90. 0 91. 0 88. 4 86. 6 89. 1 85. 6 86. 2 86. 0 79. 1 80. 2 79. 7 78. 2 80. 2 80. 2 82. 9 81. 0 87. 0	88.3 89.0 90.9 92.6 87.7 87.3 87.3 83.6 86.0 83.8 80.3 81.8 85.6	$\begin{array}{c} 86.8\\ 86.1\\ 83.5\\ 89.4\\ 81.9\\ 80.8\\ 83.0\\ 81.3\\ 77.9\\ 66.5\\ 78.6\\ 65.9\\ 75.4\\ 66.7\\ \end{array}$	94.5 91.9 90.4 92.9 85.3 86.6 87.8 91.8 83.1 86.0 91.7 77.5 87.7 89.7 92.0 J/	94. 3 93. 0 93. 0 91. 5 91. 7 97. 0 97. 0 97. 0 90. 4 89. 7 85. 0 90. 5 73. 3 85. 0 86. 9 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 5 90. 5 90. 4 90. 5 90. 5 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 5 90. 4 90. 4 90. 4 90. 5 90. 5 90. 4 90. 4	92. 1 92. 6 93. 2 92. 2 92. 2 92. 5 87. 6 86. 1 90. 3 87. 8 88. 9 86. 3 89. 1 96. 2	93. 4 92. 5 92. 7 87. 3 85. 1 87. 4 89. 4 86. 6 86. 6 88. 3 85. 0 84. 8 83. 2 89. 2 80. 6 J/	79.9 83.3 83.4 79.9 76.5 80.6 76.1 84.0	86. 3 90. 5 86. 7 83. 6 84. 9 83. 5 81. 8 85. 9 85. 3 85. 5 74. 1 87. 2 90. 4 87. 1 J/ J/	91.8 91.9 92.3 89.5 87.7 90.8 87.7 80.8 87.1 88.6 85.2 86.2 85.2 84.2 86.2 81.4 J/J/	96.0 92.8 92.5 90.6 89.6 87.8 90.7 86.8 89.2 89.5 84.6	$\begin{array}{c} 92.\ 2\\ 90.\ 4\\ 92.\ 5\\ 92.\ 2\\ 96.\ 1\\ 90.\ 9\\ 87.\ 6\\ 90.\ 0\\ 78.\ 5\\ 74.\ 9\\ 91.\ 3\\ 84.\ 3\\ 77.\ 8\\ 50.\ 0\\ 0.\ 0\end{array}$	94. 2 92. 1 88. 2 88. 0 85. 1 92. 1 88. 4 85. 2	63. 3 79. 5 86. 4 76. 9 70. 2 82. 7 87. 5 79. 1 77. 4 84. 1 72. 1 61. 6 71. 0 82. 4 77. 8 90. 0 J/	85. 7 85. 4 84. 4 83. 2 81. 7 78. 4 78. 4 82. 4 79. 1 80. 3	81. 8 87. 4 83. 8 81. 9 84. 5 83. 6 80. 3 88. 3 89. 0	92. 6 94. 3 90. 2 88. 0 89. 5 85. 9 85. 1 84. 0 85. 8 85. 1 85. 8 85. 7 82. 9 83. 0 85. 8 82. 9 83. 7 82. 9 83. 7 87. 9	96. 0 96. 8 95. 3 92. 6 93. 9 91. 4 91. 3 89. 1 91. 5 88. 4 87. 4 83. 8 90. 7 91. 3 85. 4 89. 1 J/ 96. 7
TOTAL, ALL DEPARTUR BY AI RPORT		87.1	80. 3	87.7	89. 6	90.4	87.7	82.8	85.4	88. 1	89. 5	86. 2	88. 2	76.0	86. 0	86.7	87. 2	91. 1
							DEP	PARTURE	AI RPO	RT								
SCHEDULED DEPARTURE TIME	MDW	MIA	MSP	ORD	PDX	PHL	PHX	PIT	SAN	SEA	SF0	SLC	STL	TPA	TOTAL			
600 - 659 AM 700 - 759 AM 800 - 859 AM 900 - 959 AM 1000 - 1059 AM	89.9 85.3 86.4	89.9 89.0 91.6 93.1	92. 5 88. 6	95.0 90.8 89.4	94. 1 92. 2 90. 2	89.5		89.9		92.0 90.5	93.2 90.9		95.3 90.1	97.4 94.8	91.9 91.3			
1100 - 1159 AM 1200 - 1259 PM 100 - 159 PM 200 - 259 PM 300 - 359 PM 400 - 459 PM 500 - 559 PM 600 - 659 PM 700 - 759 PM 800 - 859 PM 900 - 959 PM 1000 - 1059 PM 1100 - 559 AM	85.4 84.4 84.0 88.7 81.7 78.3 83.1 89.3 86.2 75.2 79.9 84.7 J/ 90.0	88.3 87.1 89.9 86.8 84.7 80.9 75.8 78.6 86.6 80.9 87.8 96.7 93.3	91. 6 94. 9 90. 8 88. 1 91. 3 87. 2 87. 4 88. 2 88. 0 86. 2 89. 0 85. 7 87. 8 J/ 92. 7	83.4 85.5 87.4 85.7 86.5 86.6 83.0 81.9 80.6 79.9 81.5 85.2 88.3 J/	$\begin{array}{c} 84.\ 4\\ 93.\ 5\\ 86.\ 0\\ 83.\ 2\\ 87.\ 0\\ 90.\ 6\\ 63.\ 2\\ 77.\ 0\\ 86.\ 1\\ 79.\ 1\\ 78.\ 0\\ 72.\ 3\\ 93.\ 1\\ 65.\ 5\end{array}$	85.6 74.2 84.7 88.4 84.5 80.9 70.3 83.7 76.5 71.6 69.5 76.9 80.4 84.4	85. 2 84. 0 83. 5 82. 0 82. 1 83. 4 82. 0 80. 9 82. 6 78. 5 84. 6	86.3 95.6 85.7 94.8 93.9 85.7 82.6 87.8 85.8 85.8 88.1 89.1 88.3 88.5 91.8	$\begin{array}{c} 88.\ 2\\ 90.\ 7\\ 85.\ 8\\ 83.\ 1\\ 84.\ 5\\ 85.\ 0\\ 83.\ 9\\ 80.\ 0\\ 84.\ 1\\ 82.\ 8\\ 74.\ 5\\ 74.\ 5\\ 74.\ 6\\ 81.\ 3\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 88.8\\ 84.6\\ 80.3\\ 75.3\\ 77.0\\ 79.9\\ 83.5\\ 76.2\\ 80.7\\ 76.2\\ 78.0\\ 71.2\\ 78.0\\ 71.2\\ 80.7\\ 90.2 \end{array}$	87.9 76.5 84.3 84.7 77.6 64.4 84.8	91.0 87.7 91.8 91.7 86.2 91.7 86.2 91.1 85.6 87.4 91.0 85.2 87.4 91.0 85.2 85.2 85.2 85.2 85.2 85.2 85.2 85.2	91. 9 91. 9 92. 4 90. 5 91. 7 88. 3 88. 1 86. 6 81. 8 84. 8 81. 8 81. 8 81. 0 91. 0 96. 4	88.9 94.7 89.5 92.1 90.8 89.8 82.6 92.4 85.4 85.4 85.4 85.5 90.0 81.4 90.0 81.4 90.1 83.3 93.2	89. 7 88. 1 87. 6 87. 2 85. 7 86. 1 84. 9 83. 3 84. 3 84. 3 82. 1 81. 7 82. 1 82. 3 84. 4			

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TABLE 5. LIST OF REGULARLY SCHEDULED FLIGHTS I/ ARRIVING LATE 80% OF THE TIME OR MORE

CARRI ER	FLIGHT NUMBER	ORI GI N-DESTI N. AI RPORTS	SCHEDULED DEPARTURE TIME	NUMBER OF OPERATIONS REPORTED	PERCENTAGE OF FLIGHT OPERATIONS ARRIVING 15 MINUTES LATE OR MORE D/	NO. OF MI AVERAGE	IN. LATE MEDIAN
AS	269	LAX-SEA	1945	15	86. 67	21	18
DL	440	ATL-ORD	0810	29	82. 76	25	29

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TABLE 6. NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF REGULARLY SCHEDULED FLIGHTS I/ ARRIVING LATE 70% OF THE TIME OR MORE

	NUMBER OF REGULARLY SCHEDULED FLIGHTS		HEDULED FLIGHTS E TIME OR MORE D/
CARRIER	FOR WHICH CARRIER REPORTED DATA	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
UNI TED	1, 485	7	0. 5
ALASKA	383	1	0. 3
AMERI CAN	1, 706	4	0.2
CONTI NENTAL	958	1	0. 1
AMERICAN EAGLE	1, 206	1	0. 1
DELTA	2,035	1	0.0
SOUTHWEST	2, 740	1	0.0
AMERICA WEST	483	0	0.0
TRANS WORLD	578	0	0.0
NORTHWEST	1, 295	0	0.0
US AI RWAYS	1, 603	0	0.0
TOTAL	14, 472	16	0. 1

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TABLE 7.

ON-TIME ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE PERCENTAGE BY AIRPORT

CI TY (AI RPORT)	PERCENT ON-TIME ARR. DEP.	REPORTED OPERATI ONS ARR. DEP.	CI TY (AI RPORT)	PERCI ON-TI ARR.	ME DEP.	REPORTED OPERATI ONS ARR. DEP.
CITY (AIRPORT) 	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	EAGLE, CU. (EGE) EL PASO, TX. (ELP) ERIE, PA. (ERI) EUGENE, OR. (EUG) EVANSVILLE, IN. (EVV) FAIRBANKS, AK. (FAI) FAYETTEVILLE ARKANSAS REG (XNA) FLINT, MI. (FNT) FRESNO, CA. (FAT) FT. LAUDERDALE, FL. (FLL) FT. MYERS, FL. (RSW) FT. SMITH, AR. (FSM) FT. WAYNE, IN. (FWA) GRAND FORKS, N.D. (GFK)	$\begin{array}{c} 70.0\\ 89.1\\ 89.2\\ 76.9\\ 76.9\\ 82.3\\ 84.0\\ 88.3\\ 89.2\\ 88.3\\ 89.2\\ 88.3\\ 89.2\\ 83.8\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 79.6\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 83.0\\ 74.0\\ 85.5\\ 85.0\\ 88.0\\ 71.5\\ 85.5\\$	90. 7 95. 8 90. 9 85. 9 86. 1 92. 4 89. 8 86. 9 89. 8 86. 9 93. 1 91. 2 92. 1 88. 5 93. 1 91. 2 94. 1 91. 4 91. 2 94. 1 91. 4 91. 2 88. 0 88. 0 88. 0 88. 0 88. 0 88. 0 81. 1 92. 1 92. 1 82. 1 92. 1 82. 1 92. 1 82. 2 93. 1 94. 1 94. 1 94. 1 94. 2 94. 1 94. 2 94. 2 94. 2 88. 0 88. 0 88. 0 94. 1 94. 1 94. 1 94. 1 94. 2 94. 1 94. 2 94. 4 94. 4	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$

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TABLE 7.

ON-TIME ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE PERCENTAGE BY AIRPORT

CI TY (AI RPORT)	PERCENT ON-TIME ARR. DEP.	REPORTED OPERATI ONS ARR. DEP.	CI TY (AI RPORT)	PERCENT ON-TIME ARR. DE	REPORTED OPERATIONS P. ARR. DEP.
CITY (ATRPORT) LEXINGTON/FRKFT, KY. (LEX) LITUE. LEXINGTON/FRKFT, KY. (LEX) LITUE. LINCOLN, NE. (LNK) LITTLE ROCK, AR. (LIT) LONG BEACH, CA. (LGB) LONGVIEW, TX. (GGG) LOS ANGELES, CA. (LAX) LOUISVILLE, KY. (SDF) LUBBOCK, TX. (LBB) MADISON, WI. (MSN) MANCHESTER, N.H. (MHT) MARQUETTE, MI. (MQT) MAYAGUEZ, P.R. (MAZ) MEDFORD, OR. (MFR) MELBOURNE, FL. (MLB) MEMPHIS, TN. (MEM) MI AMI, FL. (MIA) MI DLAND/ODESSA, TX. (MAF) MI NOT, N.D. (MOT) MI SSIOULA, MT. (MSO) MOBI LE, AL. /PASCAGOULA, MS. (MOB) MOLINE, IL. (ML1) MONTEREY, CA. (MRY) MYTLE BEACH, S.C. (MYR) NEW YORK, N.Y. (LGA) NEW ORLEANS, LA. (MSY) NEW YORK, N.Y. (LGA) NEWARK, N.J. (EWR) NOME, AK. (OME) NORFOLK/VA. BEACH, VA. (ORF) ONAGH, VA. (DAG) NOME, AK. (OME) NORFOLK/VA. BEACH, VA. (ORF) ONAA, NE. (OMA) ONTARIO, CA. (ONT) NASHVILE, TI. (MC) NORFOLK/VA. BEACH, VA. (ORF) ORANGE COUNTY, CA. (SNA) ONTARIO, CA. (ONT) ORANGE COUNTY, CA. (SNA) ORANGE COUNTY, CA. (CNC) PASCOLA, F		$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	CITY (AIRPORT) RENO, NV. (RNO) RI CHMOND, VA. (RIC) ROCHESTER, MN. (RST) ROCHESTER, N.Y. (ROC) SAGIANAW, MI. (MBS) SALT LAKE CITY, UT. (SLC) SAN ANGELO, TX. (SJT) SAN ANTONIO, TX. (SAT) SAN ANTONIO, TX. (SAT) SAN ANTONIO, TX. (SAT) SAN ANTONIO, TX. (SAT) SAN JOSE, CA. (SAN) SAN FRANCISCO, CA. (OAK) SAN FRANCISCO, CA. (SFO) SAN JUSE, CA. (SJC) SAN JUSE, CA. (ST) SUTH BEND, IN. (SBN) SPOKANE, WA. (GEG) SPRINGFIELD, MO. (SGF) ST. THOMAS, V.I. (STT) SYRACUSE, N.Y. (SYR) TALLAHASSEE, FL. (TLH) TAMPA, FL. (TPA) TEXARKANA, AR. (TXK) TOLEDO, OH. (TOL) TRAVERSE CITY, MI. (TVC) TULSA, OK. (TUL) TYLER, TX. (TYR) VALPARAISO, FL. (VPS) WACO, TX. (ACT) WASHINGTON, D.C. (DCA) WASHINGTON, D.C. (IAD) WEST PALM BEACH, FL. (PBI) WI CHI TA, FALS. (ICT) WI CHI TA, FALS. (ICT) WI CHI TA, KS. (ICT) WI CHI TA, AK. (YAK)		

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TABLE 8. OVERALL NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF FLIGHT CANCELLATIONS BY CARRIER

		AT 32 REPOR	TABLE AI RPO	RTS B/	AT ALL REPORTED AI RPORTS C/			
CARRI ER A/	NUMBER OF AI RPORTS REPORTED	FLI GHT OPERATI ONS SCHEDULED		PERCENT OF OPERATIONS CANCELLED	NUMBER OF AI RPORTS REPORTED	FLI GHT OPERATI ONS SCHEDULED	FLI GHT OPERATI ONS CANCELLED	PERCENT OF OPERATIONS CANCELLED
AMERICAN EAGLE S/	20	19576	558	2.9	104	34430	1083	3. 1
AMERICAN S/	32	37922	526	1.4	93	50000	677	1.4
DELTA S/	32	45085	594	1.3	108	59226	816	1.4
ALASKA S/	8	6235	57	0.9	36	11490	150	1.3
NORTHWEST S/	32	25935	208	0.8	108	37734	307	0.8
US AI RWAYS S/	27	36308	292	0.8	70	46861	368	0.8
SOUTHWEST S/	15	32801	281	0.9	59	76856	599	0.8
AMERICA WEST S/	26	11002	62	0.6	50	13986	80	0.6
CONTINENTAL S/	30	20385	112	0.5	74	26824	136	0.5
UNI TED S/	31	35897	183	0.5	82	43391	207	0.5
TRANS WORLD /S	28	12573	56	0. 4	65	16588	74	0.4
TOTAL		283, 719	2, 929	1.0		417, 386	4, 497	1. 1

FOOTNOTES FOR TABLES 1 THROUGH 6 (FLIGHT DELAYS) AND 8 (CANCELLATIONS)

- **A** See Appendix for list of carrier codes.
- **B** See Appendix for list of 32 airports for which data must be reported. Data include all reported domestic flight operations to the 32 reportable airports (e.g., Albany to Atlanta, Toledo to Boston).
- C All domestic airports for which carriers reported data. Data include all reported domestic flight operations to the 32 reportable airports and from those airports to other destinations (e.g., Albany to Atlanta, and Atlanta to Albany). In addition, for carriers that reported data for their entire domestic systems, the data also include all reported domestic flight operations between non-required airports (e.g., Albany to Toledo).
- **D** "On time" means an arrival less than 15 minutes after scheduled arrival time; cancelled and diverted flights are not considered on-time arrivals.
- **E** "On time" means a departure less than 15 minutes after scheduled departure time; cancelled flights are not considered on-time departures; diverted flights may be on time or late departures, depending on actual departure time.
- **F** Incomplete data; percentage based on operations reported.
- **G** Carrier did not report useable data.
- **H** Carrier did not serve airport.
- **I** Regularly scheduled flights are those for which the carrier reported at least 15 operations for the month.
- J Blanks in any time interval in Tables 3 and 4 indicate no arrival operations (Table 3) or departure operations (Table 4) for domestic flights of the reporting carriers during that time period. Other carriers, including code-sharing partners, may operate during those periods.
- **S** Carrier reported data for entire domestic system.
- **V** Carrier reported data voluntarily.

APPENDIX

NOTE: The Department of Transportation has screened the reporting carriers' data for completeness and verified all arithmetic data elements computed by the carriers (e.g., length of delay). Individual flight operations records with incorrect calculations, erroneous city-pairs, or missing data elements were rejected and excluded from the data base; such rejected records accounted for less than 0.01% of the flight operations records submitted. Any errors in the data base with respect to basic flight data -- non-computed data elements such as flight numbers, scheduled and actual arrival/departure times, days of operation -- are the responsibility of the reporting carrier.

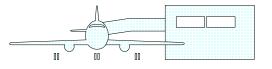
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Airports Covered by the Rule

Atlanta. Hartsfield	ATL
Baltimore/Washington International	BWI
Boston. Logan International	BOS
Charlotte. Douglas	CLT
Chicago. O'Hare	ORD
Cincinnati. Greater Cincinnati	CVG
Dallas-Fort Worth International	DFW
Denver International	DEN
Detroit. Metro Wayne County	DTW
Houston. George Bush	IAH
Las Vegas. McCarran International	LAS
Los Angeles International	LAX
Miami International	MIA
Minneapolis-St. Paul International	MSP
Newark International	EWR
New York. JFK International	JFK
New York. LaGuardia	LGA
Orlando International	MCO
Philadelphia International	PHL
Phoenix. Sky Harbor International	PHX
Pittsburgh. Greater International	PIT
Portland International	PDX
St. Louis. Lambert	STL
Salt Lake City International	SLC
San Diego. Lindbergh Field	SAN
San Francisco International	SFO
Seattle-Tacoma International	SEA
Tampa. Tampa International	TPA
Washington. Reagan National	DCA

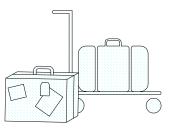
<u>Air Carriers Required to Report</u> Data to DOT and to CRS Vendors

AS	Alaska Airlines
HP	America West Airlines
AA	American Airlines
AAX	American Eagle
CO	Continental Airlines
DL	Delta Air Lines
NW	Northwest Airlines
WN	Southwest Airlines
TW	Trans World Airlines
UA	United Airlines
US	US Airways



MISHANDLED BAGGAGE

This section gives the rate of mishandled-baggage reports per 1,000 passengers by carrier and for the industry. The rate is based on the total number of reports each carrier received from passengers concerning lost, damaged, delayed or pilfered baggage. As with the data on flight delays in the previous section, these baggage statistics are filed with DOT's Bureau of Transportation Statistics (Office of Airline Information) on a monthly basis by U.S. airlines that have at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues. See 14 CFR Part 234.



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MISHANDLED BAGGAGE REPORTS

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U.S. AIRLINES^{*}

			NOVEMBER 2	2001	Ν	NOVEMBER 20			
RANK	AIRLINE	TOTAL BAGGAGE REPORTS	ENPLANED PASSENGERS	REPORTS PER 1,000 PASSENGERS	TOTAL BAGGAGE REPORTS	ENPLANED PASSENGERS	REPORTS PER 1,000 PASSENGERS		
1	ALASKA AIRLINES	2,625	936,336	2.80	2,872	951,836	3.02		
2	DELTA AIR LINES	19,478	6,380,477	3.05	37,539	8,131,902	4.62		
3	US AIRWAYS	12,056	3,705,748	3.25	21,321	5,089,757	4.19		
4	AMERICA WEST AIRLINES	4,483	1,361,573	3.29	9,017	1,622,709	5.56		
5	NORTHWEST AIRLINES	11,448	3,311,311	3.46	19,347	3,897,128	4.96		
6	CONTINENTAL AIRLINES	9,848	2,766,375	3.56	15,482	3,050,959	5.07		
7	SOUTHWEST AIRLINES	22,514	5,863,537	3.84	34,489	6,220,439	5.54		
8	AMERICAN AIRLINES	18,761	4,735,945	3.96	28,315	5,440,659	5.20		
9	UNITED AIRLINES	20,289	4,607,250	4.40	30,482	5,959,413	5.11		
10	TRANS WORLD AIRLINES	7,735	1,350,335	5.73	11,215	1,998,669	5.61		
11	AMERICAN EAGLE AIRLINES	7,993	864,972	9.24	*	*	*		
	TOTALS	137,230	35,883,859	3.82	210,079	42,363,471	4.96		

For simplicity, statistics are displayed to two decimal places. Actual ranking order is based on our computer carrying out the number of decimal places to nine.

TOTAL BAGGAGE REPORTS—For the domestic system only. These are passenger reports of mishandled baggage, including those that did not subsequently result in claims for compensation.

ENPLANED PASSENGERS—For the domestic system only.

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U.S. Airlines with at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues. American Eagle reporting effective January 2001.

OVERSALES

This section furnishes data on the number of passengers who hold confirmed reservations and are denied boarding ("bumped") from a flight because it is oversold. These figures include only passengers whose oversold flight departs without them; they do not include passengers affected by cancelled, delayed or diverted flights.

The report includes U.S. airlines that have at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues (see footnote on chart for details). It provides system data for scheduled passenger service on domestic flights and data on international flight segments that originate in the United States. Information is displayed for the latest available quarter and for the year to date, for the current period and for the same period in the previous year. The data are reported quarterly to DOT's Bureau of Transportation Statistics (Office of Airline Information). The reporting requirement is found in 14 C.F.R. 250.10.

These tables give information by carrier on the number of passengers bumped involuntarily and on the number who voluntarily gave up their seat on an oversold flight in exchange for compensation. Also shown is the rate of involuntary denied boardings per 10,000 passengers. This rate determines the order in which carriers are listed; the airline with the lowest rate appears first. The number and rate of involuntary denied boardings include both passengers who received denied boarding compensation and passengers who did not qualify for compensation because of one of the exceptions in the oversales rule. There are three exceptions: 1) passenger accommodated on another flight scheduled to arrive within one hour of the original flight; 2) passenger fails to comply with ticketing, check-in or reconfirmation procedures; and 3) aircraft of smaller capacity is substituted. Totals appear at the end of each table.

The enplanement figures that are used to calculate the involuntary denied boarding rate do not include "shuttle" service on which reservations are not offered, nor do they include inbound international service, since the rule does not apply to these flights.



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JULY-SEPTEMBER

PASSENGERS DENIED BOARDING

BY U.S. AIRLINES^{*}

		JULY-SEPTEMBER 2001					JULY-SEPTEMBER 2000				
RANK	AIRLINE	DENIED BOARI	<u>DINGS (DB'S)</u> Involuntary	Enplaned Passengers	Involuntary DB's per 10,000 psgrs	DENIED BOARDIN Voluntary	<u>GS (DB'S)</u> Involuntary	Enplaned Passengers	Involuntary DB's per 10,000 psgrs		
1	US AIRWAYS	18,038	229	13,400,761	0.17	19,166	559	15,116,844	0.37		
2	AMERICA WEST AIRLINES	10,586	109	5,140,026	0.21	14,507	376	5,314,934	0.71		
3	NORTHWEST AIRLINES	13,057	320	12,837,481	0.25	24,102	602	14,354,388	0.42		
4	AMERICAN AIRLINES	30,515	664	18,076,630	0.37	47,289	634	20,643,034	0.31		
5	CONTINENTAL AIRLINES	15,394	531	9,548,608	0.56	12,538	1,922	10,299,565	1.87		
6	DELTA AIR LINES	29,534	1,420	21,724,341	0.65	55,339	662	26,293,384	0.25		
7	UNITED AIRLINES	35,377	1,532	17,933,795	0.85	25,452	2,531	19,507,333	1.30		
8	AMERICAN EAGLE AIRLINES	265	37	410,087	0.90	859	206	583,095	3.53		
9	ALASKA AIRLINES	8,787	490	3,740,709	1.31	8,147	481	3,652,675	1.32		
10	SOUTHWEST AIRLINES	19,871	2,694	18,564,869	1.45	18,379	3,220	18,821,145	1.71		
11	TRANS WORLD AIRLINES	7,714	870	5,111,512	1.70	19,717	2,754	7,127,292	3.86		
	TOTALS	189,138	8,896	126,488,819	0.70	245,495	13,947	141,713,689	0.98		

^{*} U.S. Airlines with at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues. American Eagle reporting effective January 2001.

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JANUARY-SEPTEMBER

PASSENGERS DENIED BOARDING

BY U.S. AIRLINES^{*}

		JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 2001				JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 2000					
RANK	AIRLINE	DENIED BOAR	<u>DINGS (DB'S)</u> Involuntary	Enplaned Passengers	Involuntary DB's per 10,000 psgrs	DENIED BOARDIN Voluntary	<u>GS (DB'S)</u> Involuntary	Enplaned Passengers	Involuntary DB's per 10,000 psgrs		
1	US AIRWAYS	65,589	1,357	43,258,363	0.31	65,909	2,846	42,471,549	0.67		
2	AMERICAN AIRLINES	103,966	1,937	55,466,583	0.35	168,262	2,624	59,663,773	0.44		
3	AMERICA WEST AIRLINES	40,010	604	15,622,332	0.39	46,888	1,941	15,321,997	1.27		
4	NORTHWEST AIRLINES	58,054	1,557	38,495,416	0.40	82,574	1,739	40,374,668	0.43		
5	DELTA AIR LINES	135,690	4,544	69,750,219	0.65	172,546	2,675	77,988,654	0.34		
6	CONTINENTAL AIRLINES	54,383	2,599	29,749,486	0.87	47,828	4,356	30,294,940	1.44		
7	UNITED AIRLINES	120,191	5,499	54,721,034	1.00	91,362	9,643	58,805,953	1.64		
8	ALASKA AIRLINES	25,922	1,567	10,624,014	1.47	26,620	1,572	10,244,180	1.53		
9	SOUTHWEST AIRLINES	63,289	9,215	56,439,110	1.63	68,628	9,975	54,066,772	1.84		
10	AMERICAN EAGLE AIRLINES	1,463	270	1,433,495	1.88	2,469	648	1,734,291	3.74		
11	TRANS WORLD AIRLINES	30,440	3,303	16,413,933	2.01	54,774	6,207	19,933,218	3.11		
	TOTALS	698,997	32,452	391,973,985	0.83	827,860	44,226	410,899,995	1.08		

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U.S. Airlines with at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues. American Eagle reporting effective January 2001.

CONSUMER COMPLAINTS

This section summarizes aviation consumer complaints filed with the Department in writing, by telephone, via e-mail, or in person. DOT has not determined the validity of the complaints. The report does not include safety complaints, which are handled by the Federal Aviation Administration. An explanation of each section of the report appears below:

Summary. Table 1 gives the total number of complaints, and also breaks down complaints by industry groups (U.S. airlines, tour operators, etc.). As with most other sections of the report, figures for the current month are compared to the same month in the previous year.

Complaint Categories. Table 2 ranks the categories of complaints (baggage, refunds, etc.). Beginning with the October 2000 report, "Animals" was added as a new category. A detailed explanation of each category appears at the end of the report.

U.S. Airlines. Table 3 shows the number of complaints against individual U.S. airlines, listed alphabetically and broken down by complaint category.

Incident Date. Table 4 shows the number of complaints against individual U.S. airlines, listed alphabetically and broken down by the percentage of complaints where the incident occurred in the most recent month versus previous periods. (Table 4 data are not included in YTD reports.)

Companies Other Than U.S. Airlines. Table 5 (Table 4 in YTD reports) provides the same information as above for foreign airlines, and for tour operators, travel agents, etc.

Airline Rankings: Table 6 (Table 5 in YTD reports) ranks the largest U.S. airlines (those that each account for one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues) according to the rate of complaints per 100,000 passengers. This ranking takes into account airline size when identifying the carriers against whom the most complaints have been filed.

AIR TRAVEL CONSUMER REPORT CONSUMER COMPLAINTS SUMMARY

	NOVEMBER 2001						NOVEMBER 2000						
	COMPLAI NTS	OPI NI ONS	COMPLI MENTS	INFO REQUESTS		COMPLAINTS	OPI NI ONS	COMPLI MENTS	INFO REQUESTS				
U.S. AIRLINES	374	17	0	23		1, 187	56	6	30				
FOREI GN AI RLI NES	74	0	0	4		170	5	0	3				
TRAVEL AGENTS	42	0	0	0		15	0	0	0				
TOUR OPERATORS	3	0	0	0		2	0	0	0				
MI SCELLANEOUS	23	14	0	14		16	18	0	7				
INDUSTRY TOTALS	516	31	0	41		1, 390	79	6	40				

COMPLAINT CATEGORIES*

		NOVEMBER 200	1		NOVEMBER 2000				
COMPLAINT CATEGORY	RANKI NG	COMPLAI NTS**	SUB-CATEGORY	RANKI NG	COMPLAINTS**	SUB-CATEGORY			
REFUNDS	1	154		5	66				
CUSTOMER SERVICE	2	87		2	211				
FLI GHT PROBLEMS CANCELLATI ONS DELAYS MI SCONNECTI ONS	3	75	29 13 8	1	526	196 143 78			
BAGGAGE	4	70		3	211				
RES/TKTG/BOARDI NG	5	60		4	143				
FARES	6	29		7	62				
OTHER FREQUENT FLYER	7	13	2	8	49	14			
DI SABI LI TY	8	11		6	65				
OVERSALES	9	11		9	48				
ADVERTI SI NG	10	5		11	3				
TOURS OR CHARTERS	11	1		10	6				
ANI MALS	12	0		12	0				
COMPLAINT TOTAL		516			1, 390				

^{*} A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE COMPLAINT CATEGORIES FOLLOWS THIS SECTION. ** INCLUDES FIGURES FOR SUB-CATEGORIES.

AIR TRAVEL CONSUMER REPORT

COMPLAINTS AGAINST U.S. AIRLINES BY COMPLAINT CATEGORY*

NOVEMBER 2001

U. S. AI RLI NES** ALPHABETI CAL	FLI GHT PROBLEMS	OVER- SALES	RES/TKTG/ BOARDI NG	FARES	REFUNDS	BAGGAGE	CUSTOMER SERVI CE	DI S- ABI LI TY	ADVER- TI SI NG	TOURS	ANI MALS	OTHER	TOTAL
AIRTRAN AIRWAYS	1	1	3	0	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	11
ALASKA AIRLINES	0	2	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7
AMERICA WEST AIRLINES	7	0	1	1	6	4	2	0	0	0	0	1	22
AMERICAN AIRLINES	8	1	4	3	18	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	51
AMERICAN TRANS AIR	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	9
CONTINENTAL AIRLINES	3	0	5	4	9	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	35
DELTA AIR LINES	7	3	6	2	14	6	8	0	0	0	0	4	50
NORTHWEST AIRLINES	4	1	5	3	6	2	7	1	0	0	0	0	29
SOUTHWEST AIRLINES	0	0	1	0	3	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	10
TRANS WORLD AIRLINES	1	1	0	0	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	11
UNITED AIRLINES	9	1	8	2	16	18	23	1	1	0	0	2	81
US AI RWAYS	5	0	2	4	6	3	7	1	0	0	0	0	28
OTHER U.S. AIRLINES	13	0	1	1	10	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	30
TOTAL NOVEMBER 2001	59	11	40	21	95	53	80	5	2	0	0	8	374
% OF TOTAL COMPLAINTS	15.8	2.9	10.7	5.6	25.4	14.2	21.4	1.3	0.5	0	0	2.2	
TOTAL NOVEMBER 2000	477	37	113	52	51	163	191	59	2	4	0	38	1, 187
% OF TOTAL COMPLAINTS	40.2	3.1	9.5	4.4	4.3	13.7	16.1	5.0	0.2	0.3	0	3. 2	

^{*} A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE COMPLAINT CATEGORIES FOLLOWS THIS SECTION. ** AIRLINES ARE LISTED INDIVIDUALY IF DOT RECEIVED 5 OR MORE COMPLAINTS AGAINST THEM DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD. COMPLAINTS AGAINST U.D. AIRLINES ACCOUNTING FOR FEWER COMPLAINTS THAN THAT ARE INCLUDED UNDER 'OTHER U.S. AIRLINES'.

AIR TRAVEL CONSUMER REPORT

COMPLAINTS AGAINST U.S. AIRLINES BY INCIDENT DATE

NOVEMBER 2001

U. S. AI RLI NES* ALPHABETI CAL	Comps Recd I N Nov.	I NCI - DENTS I N NOV.	PERCENT	I NCI - DENTS I N OCT.	PERCENT	INCI- DENTS INALL PRIOR MONTHS	PERCENT	UN- KNOWN I NCI - DENT DATE	PERCENT
AIRTRAN AIRWAYS	11	7	63.6	0	0.0	2	18. 2	2	18. 2
ALASKA AI RLI NES	7	3	42.9	0	0.0	1	14.3	3	42.9
AMERICA WEST AIRLINES	22	10	45.5	3	13.6	8	36.4	1	4.5
AMERICAN AIRLINES	51	26	51.0	9	17.6	9	17.6	7	13.7
AMERICAN TRANS AIR	9	5	55.6	0	0.0	4	44.4	0	0.0
CONTINENTAL AIRLINES	35	18	51.4	5	14.3	8	22.9	4	11.4
DELTA AIR LINES	50	26	52.0	4	8.0	12	24.0	8	16.0
NORTHWEST AIRLINES	29	13	44.8	5	17.2	6	20. 7	5	17.2
SOUTHWEST AIRLINES	10	3	30.0	1	10.0	1	10. 0	5	50.0
TRANS WORLD AIRLINES	11	6	54.5	2	18.2	3	27.3	0	0.0
UNITED AIRLINES	81	41	50.6	15	18.5	20	24.7	5	6.2
US AI RWAYS	28	18	64.3	5	17.9	5	17.9	0	0.0
OTHER U.S. AIRLINES	30	17	56.7	1	3.3	7	23.3	5	16. 7
TOTALS	374	193	51.6	50	13.4	86	23.0	45	12.0
PREVIOUS YEAR'S TOTALS	1, 187	299	25.2	172	14.5	316	26.6	400	33.7

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AIR TRAVEL CONSUMER REPORT COMPANIES OTHER THAN U.S. AIRLINES* BY COMPLAINT CATEGORY**

NOVEMBER 2001

	FLI GHT PROBLEMS	OVER- SALES	RES/TKTG/ BOARDI NG	FARES	REFUNDS	BAGGAGE	CUSTOMER SERVI CE	DI S- ABI LI TY	ADVER- TISING	TOURS	ANI MALS	OTHER	TOTAL
FOREI GN AI RLI NES													
ALLEGRO AI RLI NES	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
BRITISH AIRWAYS	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	5
SABENA	3	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
SWI SSAI R	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
OTHER FOREIGN AIRLINES	3	0	6	3	10	13	4	5	1	1	0	1	47
TOTALS	12	0	7	4	22	14	5	6	1	1	0	2	74
TRAVEL AGENTS											_		
EXPEDIA. COM	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
ORBITZ. COM	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
PRI CELI NE. COM	0	0	1	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
TRAVELOCI TY. COM	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
OTHER TRAVEL AGENTS	0	0	1	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	17
TOTALS	1	0	7	1	31	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	42
TOUR OPERATORS											0		
OTHER TOUR OPERATORS	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
TOTALS	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
MI SCELLANEOUS													
MI SCELLANEOUS OTHER MI SCELLANEOUS	2	0	6	3	4	3	2	0	1	0	0	2	23
TOTALS	2	0	6	3	4	3	2	0	1	0	0	2	23
TUTALS	2	0	0	3	4	3	Z	0	•	0	U	2	20

^{*} COMPANIES ARE LISTED INDIVIDUALLY IF DOT RECEIVED 5 OR MORE COMPLAINTS AGAINST THEM DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD. COMPLAINTS AGAINST COMPANIES ACCOUNTING FOR FEWER COMPLAINTS THAN THAT ARE INCLUDED UNDER 'OTHER FOREIGN AIRLINES,' 'OTHER TOUR OPERATORS,' ETC.

^{**} A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE COMPLAINT CATEGORIES FOLLOWS THIS SECTION.

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CONSUMER COMPLAINTS: RANKINGS

U.S. AIRLINES *

		N	NOVEMBER 2000					
RANK	AIRLINE	COMPLAINTS	SYSTEMWIDE ENPLANEMENTS	COMPLAINTS PER 100,000 ENPLANEMENTS	COMPLAINTS	SYSTEMWIDE ENPLANEMENTS	COMPLAINTS PER 100,000 ENPLANEMENTS	
1	SOUTHWEST AIRLINES	10	5,710,792	0.18	22	6,230,782	0.35	
2	AMERICAN EAGLE AIRLINES	3	898,224	0.33	15	1,027,649	1.46	
3	ALASKA AIRLINES	7	1,030,152	0.68	13	1,092,670	1.19	
4	US AIRWAYS	28	3,876,394	0.72	103	5,292,057	1.95	
5	DELTA AIR LINES	50	6,600,384	0.76	119	8,450,977	1.41	
6	NORTHWEST AIRLINES	29	3,742,290	0.77	116	4,652,816	2.49	
7	TRANS WORLD AIRLINES	11	1,321,448	0.83	63	2,062,855	3.05	
8	AMERICAN AIRLINES	51	5,574,693	0.91	162	6,799,161	2.38	
9	CONTINENTAL AIRLINES	35	3,111,902	1.12	60	3,700,673	1.62	
10	UNITED AIRLINES	81	5,021,463	1.61	252	6,743,646	3.74	
11	AMERICA WEST AIRLINES	22	1,347,523	1.63	74	1,668,381	4.44	
	TOTAL	327	38,235,265	.86	999	47,721,667	2.09	

DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2001, U.S. GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C. AREA EXPERIENCED MAIL DELIVERY PROBLEMS WHICH MAY HAVE AFFECTED THE COMPLAINT TOTALS.

Note: For simplicity, statistics are displayed to two decimal places. Actual ranking order is based on our computer carrying out the number of decimal places to nine.

U.S. Airlines with at least one percent of total domestic scheduled-service passenger revenues. American Eagle reporting effective January 2001.

COMPLAINT CATEGORIES*

Flight Problems: Cancellations, delays, or any other deviations from schedule, whether planned or unplanned.

Oversales: All bumping problems, whether or not the airline complied with DOT oversale regulations.

Reservations, Ticketing, Boarding: Airline or travel agent mistakes in reservations and ticketing; problems in making reservations and obtaining tickets due to busy telephone lines or waiting in line, or delays in mailing tickets. Problems boarding the aircraft (except oversales).

Fares: Incorrect or incomplete information about fares, discount fare conditions and availability, overcharges, fare increases and level of fares in general.

Refunds: Problems in obtaining refunds for unused or lost tickets, fare adjustments, or bankruptcies.

Baggage: Claims for lost, damaged or delayed baggage, charges for excess baggage, carry-on problems, and difficulties with airline claims procedures.

Customer Service: Rude or unhelpful employees, inadequate meals or cabin service, treatment of delayed passengers.

Disability: Civil rights complaints by air travelers with disabilities.

Advertising: Advertising that is unfair, misleading or offensive to consumers.

Tours: Problems with scheduled or charter tour packages.

Animals: Loss, injury or death of an animal during air transport provided by an air carrier.

Other: Frequent flyer, smoking, credit, cargo problems, security, airport facilities, claims for bodily injury, and others not classified above.