

Holidays and bankruptcies affected passenger numbers

A total of 2,017,128 passengers passed through Copenhagen Airport in May. This was 14,780 fewer passengers than in the same month of last year, equivalent to a 0.7% decline. The year-to-date increase in passenger numbers was 4.4%.

A combination of many public holidays in May as compared with May of last year, and the bankruptcies of Cimber Sterling and Skyways caused passenger numbers to drop by 0.7% year on year.

"The reason why the combination of two bankruptcies and four public holidays did not reduce passenger numbers even more is that there is still good underlying growth in air transport. At the same time, the bankruptcies and the fall in domestic traffic shows how vulnerable air transport is and how important it is for us to reconnect the nodes of the Danish domestic route network as well as the route network to international destinations," said Carsten Nørland, VP, Sales & Marketing for Copenhagen Airport.

The number of transfer passengers and international passengers continues to rise, while the bankruptcy of Cimber Sterling caused a 34.4% drop in domestic passengers. The minor drop in total passenger numbers compared with a 10.2% fall in the number of operations shows that the airlines continue to improve their load factors.

On the top-10 list, Aalborg and Paris swapped places due to the bankruptcy of Cimber Sterling.

	May			Year to date		
	2012	2011	Change (%)	2012	2011	Change (%)
Total passengers	2.017.128	2.031.908	-0,7%	9.045.640	8.662.949	4,4%
Domestic	147.664	225.052	-34,4%	842.678	1.000.433	-15,8%
International	1.869.464	1.806.856	3,5%	8.202.962	7.662.516	7,1%
Scheduled	1.920.993	1.924.122	-0,2%	8.559.697	8.149.425	5,0%
Charter and Other	96.135	107.786	-10,8%	485.943	513.524	-5,4%
Departing passengers	1.002.417	1.008.173	-0,6%	4.487.415	4.304.959	4,2%
Local	764.942	776.613	-1,5%	3.355.648	3.292.238	1,9%
Transfer/Transit	237.475	231.560	2,6%	1.131.767	1.012.721	11,8%
Movements	20.472	22.798	-10,2%	101.016	103.765	-2,6%
Domestic	1.794	4.040	-55,6%	14.116	18.422	-23,4%
International	18.678	18.758	-0,4%	86.900	85.343	1,8%

Top 10 destinations	May			Year to date		
	2012	2011	Change (%)	2012	2011	Change (%)
1 LONDON	145.717	145.159	0,4%	671.383	647.279	3,7%
2 STOCKHOLM	129.879	121.298	7,1%	545.351	503.915	8,2%
3 OSLO	118.194	109.833	7,6%	533.931	492.502	8,4%
4 PARIS	85.065	81.800	4,0%	339.510	332.334	2,2%
5 AALBORG	78.665	96.074	-18,1%	407.004	439.060	-7,3%
6 AMSTERDAM	76.443	79.520	-3,9%	336.275	332.515	1,1%
7 HELSINKI	70.190	62.970	11,5%	303.844	242.422	25,3%
8 FRANKFURT	58.557	53.957	8,5%	260.450	239.778	8,6%
9 BERLIN	50.211	41.271	21,7%	198.642	171.122	16,1%
10 BRUXELLES	48.488	43.312	12,0%	205.525	173.498	18,5%

	May 2012					May 2011							
PASSENGERS	Arrival	Departure			Total	Arrival	Departure			Total	% Incr on Total		
	Total	Local	Trf/Trs	Total		Total	Local	Trf/Trs	Total		Arr.	Dep.	Total
SCHEDULED TRAFFIC													
International	896.773	662.039	218.228	880.267	1.777.040	863.852	640.660	199.010	839.670	1.703.522	3,8	4,8	4,3
Domestic	72.945	53.663	17.345	71.008	143.953	109.768	80.248	30.584	110.832	220.600	-33,5	-35,9	-34,7
Total	969.718	715.702	235.573	951.275	1.920.993	973.620	720.908	229.594	950.502	1.924.122	-0,4	0,1	-0,2
CHARTER & OTHER TRAFFIC													
International	43.077	48.019	1.328	49.347	92.424	48.358	53.268	1.708	54.976	103.334	-10,9	-10,2	-10,6
Domestic	1.916	1.221	574	1.795	3.711	1.757	2.437	258	2.695	4.452	9,0	-33,4	-16,6
Total	44.993	49.240	1.902	51.142	96.135	50.115	55.705	1.966	57.671	107.786	-10,2	-11,3	-10,8
GRAND TOTAL													
International	939.850	710.058	219.556	929.614	1.869.464	912.210	693.928	200.718	894.646	1.806.856	3,0	3,9	3,5
Domestic	74.861	54.884	17.919	72.803	147.664	111.525	82.685	30.842	113.527	225.052	-32,9	-35,9	-34,4
Total	1.014.711	764.942	237.475	1.002.417	2.017.128	1.023.735	776.613	231.560	1.008.173	2.031.908	-0,9	-0,6	-0,7

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	Year to date 2012					Year to date 2011							
PASSENGERS	Arrival	Departure			Total	Arrival	Departure			Total	% Incr on Total		
	Total	Local	Trf/Trs	Total			Local	Trf/Trs	Total		Arr.	Dep.	Total
SCHEDULED TRAFFIC													
International	3.900.777	2.825.117	1.011.217	3.836.334	7.737.111	3.610.260	2.697.394	861.436	3.558.830	7.169.090	8,0	7,8	7,9
Domestic	414.077	299.424	109.085	408.509	822.586	490.943	356.955	132.437	489.392	980.335	-15,7	-16,5	-16,1
Total	4.314.854	3.124.541	1.120.302	4.244.843	8.559.697	4.101.203	3.054.349	993.873	4.048.222	8.149.425	5,2	4,9	5,0
CHARTER & OTHER TRAFFIC													
International	231.933	224.217	9.701	233.918	465.851	244.872	231.324	17.230	248.554	493.426	-5,3	-5,9	-5,6
Domestic	11.438	6.890	1.764	8.654	20.092	11.915	6.565	1.618	8.183	20.098	-4,0	5,8	0,0
Total	243.371	231.107	11.465	242.572	485.943	256.787	237.889	18.848	256.737	513.524	-5,2	-5,5	-5,4
GRAND TOTAL													
International	4.132.710	3.049.334	1.020.918	4.070.252	8.202.962	3.855.132	2.928.718	878.666	3.807.384	7.662.516	7,2	6,9	7,1
Domestic	425.515	306.314	110.849	417.163	842.678	502.858	363.520	134.055	497.575	1.000.433	-15,4	-16,2	-15,8
Total	4.558.225	3.355.648	1.131.767	4.487.415	9.045.640	4.357.990	3.292.238	1.012.721	4.304.959	8.662.949	4,6	4,2	4,4

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	Movements						MTOW - Take-offs only (Metric Tonne)					
MOVEMENTS - MTOW	May			Year to date			May			Year to date		
	2012	2011	% incr.	2012	2011	% incr.	2012	2011	% incr.	2012	2011	% incr.
SCHEDULED TRAFFIC												
International	17.734	17.713	0,1	82.411	80.568	2,3	617.997	608.482	1,6	2.851.666	2.758.666	3,4
Domestic	1.622	3.840	-57,8	13.167	17.411	-24,4	46.936	69.351	-32,3	277.065	322.687	-14,1
Total	19.356	21.553	-10,2	95.578	97.979	-2,5	664.933	677.833	-1,9	3.128.731	3.081.353	1,5
CHARTER & OTHER TRAFFIC												
International	944	1.045	-9,7	4.489	4.775	-6,0	32.982	36.068	-8,6	166.347	187.217	-11,1
Domestic	172	200	-14,0	949	1.011	-6,1	3.924	4.422	-11,2	22.781	22.527	1,1
Total	1.116	1.245	-10,4	5.438	5.786	-6,0	36.906	40.490	-8,9	189.128	209.745	-9,8
GRAND TOTAL												
International	18.678	18.758	-0,4	86.900	85.343	1,8	650.979	644.550	1,0	3.018.013	2.945.883	2,4
Domestic	1.794	4.040	-55,6	14.116	18.422	-23,4	50.861	73.773	-31,1	299.846	345.215	-13,1
Total	20.472	22.798	-10,2	101.016	103.765	-2,6	701.839	718.323	-2,3	3.317.859	3.291.098	0,8
Grand total split into:												
Passenger flights	20.156	22.459	-10,3	99.315	102.044	-2,7	674.003	686.569	-1,8	3.176.795	3.133.164	1,4
All-cargo flights	316	339	-6,8	1.701	1.721	-1,2	27.836	31.754	-12,3	141.064	157.934	-10,7

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	Movements						Passengers					
ROSKILDE	May			Year to date			May			Year to date		
	2012	2011	% incr.	2012	2011	% incr.	2012	2011	% incr.	2012	2011	% incr.
International	357	355	0,6	1.204	1.286	-6,4	869	1.016	-14,5	3.545	4.284	-17,3
Domestic	1.140	850	34,1	3.033	2.878	5,4	1.307	1.083	20,7	4.289	4.145	3,5
Local	6.890	6.768	1,8	24.310	22.481	8,1	1.198	1.076	11,3	3.146	3.326	-5,4
TOTAL	8.387	7.973	5,2	28.547	26.645	7,1	3.374	3.175	6,3	10.980	11.755	-6,6

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