



August 2021 Monthly traffic update and September 2021 preview

68.4%

Auckland Airport total passenger volumes increased by 68.4% in August 2021 versus the prior year. International passengers (excl. transits) were up 61.6%, transit passengers were down 94.3% and domestic passengers were up by 74.5%.

Key Points:

- International passenger numbers increased in the month on the prior year reflecting additional international capacity despite the cessation of quarantine free travel with Australia on 23 July 2021 and the Cook Islands on 17 August 2021.
- Following a community outbreak of the COVID delta variant, New Zealand entered Alert Level 4 on 17 August 2021, restricting all non-essential domestic travel. Prior to the move to Alert Level 4, domestic services for August 2021 were up on the prior year reflecting increased domestic activity over the peak winter season.
- Refer Appendix 1 for comparison with pre-COVID August 2018.

AUCKLAND AIRPORT

	Current month	Previous year period	Change (month)	Financial YTD	Previous financial YTD	Change financial YTD	Rolling 12 month total	Previous 12 month total	Change in rolling total
Passenger Movements									
Total international (excl. Transits)	39,606	24,503	61.6%	154,474	51,070	202.5%	662,517	6,116,243	-89.2%
Transit movements	404	7,108	-94.3%	1,212	12,430	-90.2%	31,846	551,294	-94.2%
Total domestic passengers	377,739	216,531	74.5%	1,084,700	699,758	55.0%	6,229,676	6,187,249	0.7%
Total passengers	417,749	248,142	68.4%	1,240,386	763,258	62.5%	6,924,039	12,854,786	-46.1%
Top 10 arrivals by country of last residence									
New Zealand	12,785	3,074	315.9%	44,047	6,189	611.7%	118,890	1,357,815	-91.2%
Australia	369	3,292	-88.8%	17,079	5,703	199.5%	122,158	546,411	-77.6%
United Kingdom	685	1,043	-34.3%	1,605	1,760	-8.8%	14,080	144,513	-90.3%
Cook Islands	337	128	163.3%	1,100	182	504.4%	4,418	8,688	-49.1%
United States of America	368	725	-49.2%	933	1,290	-27.7%	8,773	202,776	-95.7%
China, People's Republic of	346	447	-22.6%	921	754	22.1%	4,804	155,763	-96.9%
India	401	108	271.3%	610	175	248.6%	2,951	40,883	-92.8%
Hong Kong (Special Administrative Region)	91	121	-24.8%	325	248	31.0%	1,736	25,352	-93.2%
Canada	145	149	-2.7%	294	262	12.2%	2,348	48,341	-95.1%
Singapore	75	89	-15.7%	221	171	29.2%	1,611	22,566	-92.9%
Aircraft Movements									
International aircraft movements	1,269	1,039	22.1%	2,977	2,097	42.0%	15,986	37,564	-57.4%
Domestic aircraft movements	5,360	3,862	38.8%	13,928	9,984	39.5%	87,527	84,220	3.9%
Total aircraft movements	6,629	4,901	35.3%	16,905	12,082	39.9%	103,513	121,784	-15.0%
MCTOW (tonnes) *									
International MCTOW	157,748	126,094	25.1%	347,098	251,825	37.8%	1,866,286	3,959,851	-52.9%
Domestic MCTOW	113,124	80,970	39.7%	296,102	212,842	39.1%	1,721,127	1,653,760	4.1%
Total MCTOW	270,872	207,064	30.8%	643,200	464,667	38.4%	3,587,413	5,613,611	-36.1%
Cargo (tonnes)									
International Export	5,921	5,248	12.8%	12,119	10,411	16.4%	83,671	79,063	5.8%
International Import	8,665	6,285	37.9%	17,725	12,461	42.2%	89,752	80,203	11.9%
Total Cargo	14,586	11,533	26.5%	29,844	22,872	30.5%	173,423	159,266	8.9%
Total Cargo Value NZ\$(000)	1,858,738	1,784,955	4.1%	3,880,767	3,487,350	11.3%	21,656,670	21,243,356	1.9%

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	Current month	Previous year period	Change (month)	Financial YTD	Previous financial YTD	Change financial YTD	Rolling 12 month total	Previous 12 month total	Change in rolling total
Passenger Movements									
Total international passengers	0	0	NA	12,960	0	NA	38,240	411,688	-90.7%
Total domestic passengers	92,700	86,157	7.6%	260,648	210,819	23.6%	1,361,245	1,221,641	11.4%
Total passengers	92,700	86,157	7.6%	273,608	210,819	29.8%	1,399,485	1,633,329	-14.3%
Aircraft Movements									
International aircraft movements	0	0	NA	155	0	NA	507	3,217	-84.2%
Domestic aircraft movements	651	816	-20.2%	1,872	1,751	6.9%	10,847	9,933	9.2%
Total aircraft movements	651	816	-20.2%	2,027	1,751	15.8%	11,354	13,150	-13.7%

Notes:

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September 2021 Monthly traffic update preview

-92.2%

Auckland Airport total passenger volumes decreased by 92.2% in September 2021 versus the prior year. International passengers (excl. transits) were down 44.4%, transit passengers were down 81.6% and domestic passengers were down by 95.8%.

Key Points:

- Auckland remained at Alert Level 4 until 21 September 2021, followed by a change to Alert Level 3 for the remainder of September 2021, limiting both international and domestic services.
- Refer Appendix 2 for comparison with pre-COVID September 2018.

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Passenger Movements									
Total international (excl. Transits)	14,093	25,342	-44.4%	168,567	76,412	120.6%	651,268	5,334,750	-87.8%
Transit movements	1,000	5,422	-81.6%	2,212	17,852	-87.6%	27,424	457,288	-94.0%
Total domestic passengers	14,781	353,829	-95.8%	1,099,481	1,053,587	4.4%	5,890,628	5,783,639	1.8%
Total passengers	29,874	384,593	-92.2%	1,270,260	1,147,851	10.7%	6,569,320	11,575,677	-43.2%
Aircraft Movements									
International aircraft movements	1,197	1,038	15.3%	4,176	3,136	33.2%	16,147	34,112	-52.7%
Domestic aircraft movements	1,067	6,014	-82.3%	14,997	15,998	-6.3%	82,582	80,783	2.2%
Total aircraft movements	2,264	7,052	-67.9%	19,173	19,134	0.2%	98,729	114,895	-14.1%
MCTOW (tonnes) *									
International MCTOW	144,829	132,633	9.2%	491,927	384,458	28.0%	1,878,482	3,639,048	-48.4%
Domestic MCTOW	21,555	119,019	-81.9%	317,657	331,860	-4.3%	1,623,663	1,589,656	2.1%
Total MCTOW	166,384	251,651	-33.9%	809,583	716,318	13.0%	3,502,146	5,228,705	-33.0%

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Appendix 1 August 2021 Monthly traffic update compared to August 2018

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	Current month	FY19 Same Period	Change (month)
Passenger Movements			
Total international (excl. Transits)	39,606	804,974	-95.1%
Transit movements	404	84,960	-99.5%
Total domestic passengers	377,739	775,264	-51.3%
Total passengers	417,749	1,665,198	-74.9%
Aircraft Movements			
International aircraft movements	1,269	4,642	-72.7%
Domestic aircraft movements	5,360	9,896	-45.8%
Total aircraft movements	6,629	14,538	-54.4%
MCTOW (tonnes) *			
International MCTOW	157,748	468,517	-66.3%
Domestic MCTOW	113,124	195,532	-42.1%
Total MCTOW	270,872	664,049	-59.2%

QUEENSTOWN AIRPORT

	Current month	FY19 Same Period	Change (month)
Passenger Movements			
Total international passengers	0	68,172	NA
Total domestic passengers	92,700	134,734	-31.2%
Total passengers	92,700	202,906	-54.3%
Aircraft Movements			
International aircraft movements	0	488	NA
Domestic aircraft movements	651	1,030	-36.8%
Total aircraft movements	651	1,518	-57.1%

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Appendix 2 September 2021 Monthly traffic update preview compared to September 2018

AUCKLAND AIRPORT	Current month	FY19 Same Period	Change (month)
Passenger Movements			
Total international (excl. Transits)	14,093	798,476	-98.2%
Transit movements	1,000	88,758	-98.9%
Total domestic passengers	14,781	762,679	-98.1%
Total passengers	29,874	1,649,913	-98.2%
Aircraft Movements			
International aircraft movements	1,197	4,493	-73.4%
Domestic aircraft movements	1,067	9,642	-88.9%
Total aircraft movements	2,264	14,135	-84.0%
MCTOW (tonnes) *			
International MCTOW	144,829	459,118	-68.5%
Domestic MCTOW	21,555	189,596	-88.6%
Total MCTOW	166,383	648,714	-74.4%

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