

## December 2010 Monthly traffic update

# 6.1%

Auckland Airport's international passenger growth (excluding transits) of 6.1% was mainly driven by an uplift in short haul travel and increased traffic from China. Travel from Europe was down on last year.

# 2.2%

The international MCTOW at Auckland Airport increased by 2.2% from last year. The number of landings was up 3.3% on Dec 09. Use of Boeing 777 aircraft increased by 30% over last year while Boeing 767 usage declined by 32%. The change to the larger capacity Boeing 777 aircraft drove the MCTOW increase.

# (0.6%)

Pacific Blue's exit from the domestic market affected Auckland Airport's overall domestic traffic numbers for December 2010 in spite of both Air New Zealand and Jetstar growing passenger numbers over last year.

# 89.9%

Queenstown Airport saw passenger growth in December. International traffic grew by 89.9% on a 71.9% increase in aircraft movements largely from Jetstar commencing international services to Melbourne and the Gold Coast.

	Current month (Dec 10)	Previous years period (Dec 09)	% Change (month)	Financial YTD (Dec 10)	Previous financial YTD (Dec 09)	% Change financial YTD	Rolling 12 month total	Previous 12 month total	% Change in rolling total
<b>AUCKLAND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT</b>									
<b>Passenger Movements</b>									
International Passengers movements (excl. Transits)	658,397	626,646	5.1%	3,422,148	3,274,250	4.5%	6,695,588	6,440,332	4.0%
Transit movements	86,504	75,472	14.6%	498,376	461,110	8.1%	905,368	896,598	1.0%
Total international passengers *	744,901	702,118	6.1%	3,920,524	3,735,360	5.0%	7,600,956	7,336,930	3.6%
Total domestic passengers **	527,713	531,048	-0.6%	3,103,072	3,023,060	2.6%	6,112,422	5,775,814	5.8%
<b>Top 10 arrivals by country of last residence</b>									
New Zealand	93,323	84,730	10.1%	841,360	800,775	5.1%	1,539,069	1,480,397	4.0%
Australia	88,613	84,785	4.5%	327,587	327,872	-0.1%	632,943	616,618	2.6%
United Kingdom (incl. Ireland)	31,596	35,163	-10.1%	88,047	100,407	-12.3%	197,047	219,207	-10.1%
United States of America	19,192	20,740	-7.5%	73,340	76,140	-3.7%	152,256	156,214	-2.5%
China, People's Republic of	13,463	11,139	20.9%	61,173	43,904	39.3%	118,515	99,129	19.6%
Germany	7,174	7,667	-6.4%	25,982	27,929	-7.0%	49,372	51,149	-3.5%
Canada	5,904	5,603	5.4%	19,199	19,108	0.5%	41,764	41,499	0.6%
Japan	5,491	6,345	-13.5%	33,860	27,286	24.1%	69,141	54,945	25.8%
Korea, Republic of	4,631	4,308	7.5%	25,138	21,740	15.6%	51,744	43,448	19.1%
Fiji	3,847	3,775	1.9%	11,040	12,041	-8.3%	21,183	24,941	-15.1%
<b>Aircraft Movements</b>									
International aircraft movements	3,865	3,740	3.3%	22,096	21,591	2.3%	43,202	41,819	3.3%
Domestic aircraft movements	9,444	9,660	-2.2%	56,751	56,572	0.3%	112,453	112,601	-0.1%
<b>Total aircraft movements</b>	<b>13,309</b>	<b>13,400</b>	<b>-0.7%</b>	<b>78,847</b>	<b>78,163</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>155,655</b>	<b>154,420</b>	<b>0.8%</b>
<b>MCTOW (tonnes) ***</b>									
International MCTOW	357,485	349,924	2.2%	2,047,811	1,982,949	3.3%	3,959,504	3,977,815	-0.5%
Domestic MCTOW	138,943	148,115	-6.2%	855,428	890,473	-3.9%	1,710,342	1,736,249	-1.5%
<b>Total MCTOW</b>	<b>496,428</b>	<b>498,039</b>	<b>-0.3%</b>	<b>2,903,239</b>	<b>2,873,423</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>5,669,846</b>	<b>5,714,064</b>	<b>-0.8%</b>

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<b>QUEENSTOWN AIRPORT</b>									
<b>Passenger Movements</b>									
Total international passengers	13,340	7,024	89.9%	91,371	66,719	36.9%	132,224	89,582	47.6%
Total domestic passengers	67,838	61,965	9.5%	384,213	342,707	12.1%	745,398	639,650	16.5%
<b>Aircraft Movements</b>									
International aircraft movements	110	64	71.9%	728	562	29.5%	1,088	776	40.2%
Domestic aircraft movements	738	722	2.2%	4,140	3,946	4.9%	8,018	7,500	6.9%
<b>Total aircraft movements</b>	<b>848</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>4,868</b>	<b>4,508</b>	<b>8.0%</b>	<b>9,106</b>	<b>8,276</b>	<b>10.0%</b>
<b>CAIRNS AIRPORT</b>									
<b>Passenger Movements</b>									
International Passengers movements (excl. Transits)	57,301	44,429	28.97%	360,428	277,507	29.9%	646,901	516,867	25%
Transit movements	7,912	5,036	57.1%	36,539	29,373	24.4%	64,359	60,746	6%
Total international passengers	65,213	49,465	31.8%	396,967	306,880	29.4%	711,260	577,613	23%
Total domestic passengers	272,168	236,592	15.0%	1,727,937	1,613,343	7.1%	3,116,497	3,014,669	3%
<b>Aircraft Movements</b>									
International aircraft movements	655	643	1.9%	3,876	3,861	0.4%	7,911	7,803	1.4%
Domestic aircraft movements	2,966	2,812	5.5%	17,700	17,256	2.6%	34,412	33,211	3.6%
<b>Total aircraft movements</b>	<b>3,621</b>	<b>3,455</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>21,576</b>	<b>21,117</b>	<b>2.2%</b>	<b>42,323</b>	<b>41,014</b>	<b>3.2%</b>
<b>MACKAY AIRPORT</b>									
<b>Passenger Movements</b>									
Total Domestic passengers	90,635	77,446	17.0%	535,459	471,082	13.7%	973,878	917,287	6.2%
<b>Aircraft Movements</b>									
Domestic aircraft movements	1,145	1,124	1.9%	6,889	6,342	8.6%	13,143	12,046	9.1%