

August 2014 Monthly traffic update

1.0% International passenger volumes (excluding transit passengers) were 1.0% higher in August 2014 than the previous year. Winter holiday travel continued to drive growth with Pacific Island routes up 4.4% and travel to Hawaii up 9.1%. South America travel increased by 39.3%, including 2,000 extra transit passengers, with LAN Airlines now flying daily services to Santiago.

3.8% New Zealand residents travelled on 1.80 million overseas trips in the August 2014 year, up 3.8%. Around 40% of these trips were to Australia. The next most-visited destinations were United States and Fiji, with further growth expected from Air New Zealand's planned capacity increases in 2015, comprising 16,000 seasonal seats to Nadi, 6,600 new seats to Vancouver and 56,000 additional seats to Los Angeles including retimed connections to the East Coast.

26.1% International passenger volumes at Queenstown Airport were 26.1% higher in August 2014 than the previous year. There were 36.7% more trans-Tasman flights in August 2014 than the previous year, driven by significant capacity increases due to strong ski season demand. Jetstar has also announced it will fly three weekly direct flights to Gold Coast from mid-December.

68.7% Visitor arrivals from India were up 68.7% in August 2014 compared to the previous year. Recently we have seen impressive growth from the Indian market with visitor arrivals to Auckland up 19.2% for the 12 month period ending August 2014 and up 50.0% financial YTD.

Aug-14	Current month	Previous years period	% Change (month)	Financial YTD	Previous financial YTD	% Change financial YTD	Rolling 12 month total	Previous 12 month total	% Change in rolling total
AUCKLAND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT									
Passenger Movements									
International arrivals (excl. Transits)	302,854	300,529	0.8%	638,606	623,162	2.5%	3,862,576	3,697,328	4.5%
International departures (excl. Transits)	310,212	306,712	1.1%	629,162	627,335	0.3%	3,842,531	3,704,586	3.7%
Total international (excl. Transits)	613,066	607,241	1.0%	1,267,768	1,250,497	1.4%	7,705,107	7,401,914	4.1%
Transit movements	46,372	38,174	21.5%	94,436	83,034	13.7%	473,962	444,586	6.6%
Total international passengers*	659,438	645,415	2.2%	1,362,204	1,333,531	2.2%	8,179,069	7,846,500	4.2%
Total domestic passengers**	586,661	559,122	4.9%	1,187,248	1,138,098	4.3%	6,960,839	6,855,166	1.5%
Top 10 arrivals by country of last residence									
New Zealand	169,354	166,802	1.5%	366,222	358,028	2.3%	1,797,270	1,730,980	3.8%
Australia	51,316	53,405	-3.9%	103,321	105,643	-2.2%	756,771	728,858	3.8%
China, People's Republic of	19,192	17,484	9.8%	37,364	32,511	14.9%	231,847	220,269	5.3%
United States of America	8,296	7,687	7.9%	18,132	17,476	3.8%	169,093	153,311	10.3%
Japan	7,526	7,089	6.2%	13,938	12,232	13.9%	63,681	62,311	2.2%
United Kingdom	6,192	6,890	-10.1%	12,879	14,613	-11.9%	158,935	163,186	-2.6%
Germany	2,755	2,551	8.0%	5,655	5,614	0.7%	58,412	50,655	15.3%
Korea, Republic of	2,667	2,486	7.3%	6,112	5,630	8.6%	41,972	39,839	5.4%
India	2,636	1,563	68.7%	5,091	3,393	50.0%	36,112	30,304	19.2%
Canada	2,003	1,787	12.1%	3,917	3,487	12.3%	43,443	41,212	5.4%
Aircraft Movements									
International aircraft movements	3,914	3,796	3.1%	8,037	7,778	3.3%	46,068	44,563	3.4%
Domestic aircraft movements	8,695	9,146	-4.9%	17,452	18,452	-5.4%	106,454	111,528	-4.5%
Total aircraft movements	12,609	12,942	-2.6%	25,489	26,230	-2.8%	152,522	156,091	-2.3%
MCTOW (tonnes)***									
International MCTOW	371,305	356,192	4.2%	758,037	724,141	4.7%	4,373,162	4,150,610	5.4%
Domestic MCTOW	156,818	154,571	1.5%	317,687	314,965	0.9%	1,881,921	1,847,145	1.9%
Total MCTOW	528,123	510,762	3.4%	1,075,725	1,039,106	3.5%	6,255,083	5,997,754	4.3%

This monthly traffic update from Auckland International Airport Limited (AIAL) is generated with assistance and data from Statistics New Zealand, the New Zealand Customs Service, Airways New Zealand, Immigration New Zealand and AIAL. **International and Domestic passenger movements** are actual. North Queensland Airport has also revised Cairns Airport transit passenger numbers in the December 2013 MTU for all months of the 2013 financial year due to an error in their data. This document is intended for information purposes. It should not be considered a recommendation, offer or invitation to purchase securities. All reasonable steps have been taken to ensure that the information is true and accurate at the time of publication. * Total international passengers including transits. **Estimation using best available data. ***Maximum Certificated Take-Off Weight (MCTOW) forms the basis of determining airfield charges at Auckland Airport.

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QUEENSTOWN AIRPORT
Passenger Movements

Total international passengers	55,125	43,731	26.1%	111,750	88,003	27.0%	332,149	256,041	29.7%
Total domestic passengers	82,565	84,896	-2.7%	164,470	166,576	-1.3%	938,371	953,450	-1.6%

Aircraft Movements

International aircraft movements	454	332	36.7%	632	680	-7.1%	2,458	2,028	21.2%
Domestic aircraft movements	762	798	-4.5%	1,502	1,602	-6.2%	9,024	9,290	-2.9%
Total aircraft movements	1,216	1,130	7.6%	2,134	2,282	-6.5%	11,482	11,318	1.4%

CAIRNS AIRPORT
Passenger Movements

International Passengers movements (excl. Transits)	50,664	54,492	-7.0%	93,823	100,230	-6.4%	498,547	551,973	-9.7%
Transit movements	6,772	6,302	7.5%	15,428	14,231	8.4%	104,072	108,616	-4.2%
Total international passengers	57,436	60,794	-5.5%	109,251	114,461	-4.6%	602,619	660,589	-8.8%
Total domestic passengers	371,585	366,294	1.4%	766,426	754,323	1.6%	3,960,545	3,820,405	3.7%

Aircraft Movements

International aircraft movements	565	615	-8.1%	1,115	1,232	-9.5%	6,787	7,231	-6.1%
Domestic aircraft movements	3,373	3,493	-3.4%	6,886	7,079	-2.7%	38,722	38,673	0.1%
Total aircraft movements	3,938	4,108	-4.1%	8,001	8,311	-3.7%	45,509	45,904	-0.9%

MACKAY AIRPORT
Passenger Movements

Total Domestic passengers	86,684	97,940	-11.5%	181,671	200,397	-9.3%	1,057,501	1,169,598	-9.6%
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Aircraft Movements

Domestic aircraft movements	1,148	1,231	-6.7%	2,310	2,483	-7.0%	13,371	14,372	-7.0%
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