

American Airlines Reports May Traffic  
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American Airlines, the world's largest airline, reported a May load factor of 81.7 percent, which was flat versus the same period last year.

Traffic and capacity both decreased 1.1 percent year over year.

Domestic traffic decreased 3.3 percent year over year on 2.3 percent less capacity. International traffic increased by 3.1 percent relative to last year on a capacity increase of 1.1 percent.

American boarded 8.3 million passengers in May.

AMERICAN AIRLINES PASSENGER DIVISION  
COMPARATIVE PRELIMINARY TRAFFIC SUMMARY  
EXCLUDES CHARTER SERVICES

		May			
		2008	2007	CHANGE	
REVENUE PASSENGER MILES (000)	SYSTEM	11,755,889	11,889,021	-1.1	%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	7,570,342	7,827,721	-3.3	
	INTERNATIONAL	4,185,547	4,061,300	3.1	
	ATLANTIC	1,797,343	1,835,965	-2.1	
	LATIN AMERICA	1,899,574	1,745,682	8.8	
	PACIFIC	488,630	479,653	1.9	
AVAILABLE SEAT MILES (000)	SYSTEM	14,387,030	14,546,583	-1.1	%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	9,077,359	9,293,633	-2.3	
	INTERNATIONAL	5,309,671	5,252,950	1.1	
	ATLANTIC	2,245,449	2,306,303	-2.6	
	LATIN AMERICA	2,486,959	2,367,482	5.0	
	PACIFIC	577,263	579,166	-0.3	
LOAD FACTOR	SYSTEM	81.7 %	81.7 %	0.0	Pts
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	83.4	84.2	-0.8	
	INTERNATIONAL	78.8	77.3	1.5	
	ATLANTIC	80.0	79.6	0.4	
	LATIN AMERICA	76.4	73.7	2.6	
	PACIFIC	84.6	82.8	1.8	
PASSENGERS BOARDED		8,319,235	8,454,449	-1.6	%
SYSTEM CARGO TON MILES (000)		183,493	185,557	-1.1	%

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		YTD May			
		2008	2007	CHANGE	
REVENUE PASSENGER MILES (000)	SYSTEM	55,026,764	56,002,689	-1.7	%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	35,180,128	36,728,006	-4.2	
	INTERNATIONAL	19,846,636	19,274,683	3.0	
	ATLANTIC	7,436,993	7,453,602	-0.2	
	LATIN AMERICA	10,174,006	9,546,971	6.6	
	PACIFIC	2,235,637	2,274,111	-1.7	
AVAILABLE SEAT MILES (000)	SYSTEM	68,891,699	70,289,028	-2.0	%
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	43,322,288	45,043,907	-3.8	
	INTERNATIONAL	25,569,412	25,245,121	1.3	
	ATLANTIC	9,725,182	9,796,413	-0.7	
	LATIN AMERICA	13,110,168	12,655,733	3.6	
	PACIFIC	2,734,062	2,792,975	-2.1	
LOAD FACTOR	SYSTEM	79.9 %	79.7 %	0.2	Pts
	D.O.T. DOMESTIC	81.2	81.5	-0.3	
	INTERNATIONAL	77.6	76.4	1.3	
	ATLANTIC	76.5	76.1	0.4	
	LATIN AMERICA	77.6	75.4	2.2	
	PACIFIC	81.8	81.4	0.3	
PASSENGERS BOARDED		38,915,867	39,960,719	-2.6	%
SYSTEM CARGO TON MILES (000)		863,641	891,127	-3.1	%

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