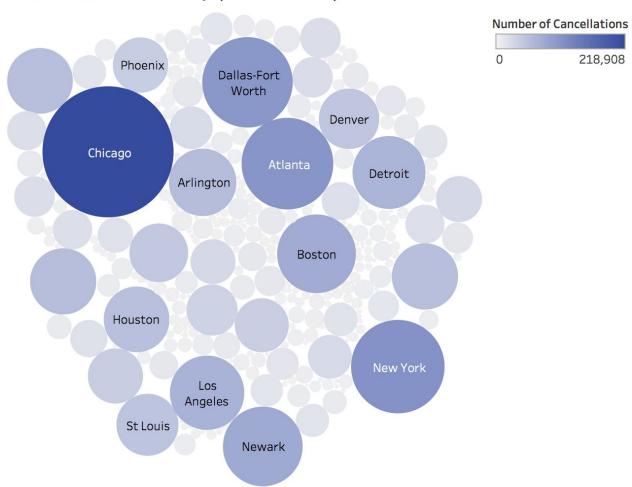
A Review of Flight Cancellations Between 1987 - 2008

Cities with the Most Cancellations

The following chart shows all cities in the dataset, the size of a bubble indicates the number of cancellations for that city. As you can see large hubs like Chicago, Atlanta, and New York all have relatively more cancellations. This is likely biased by the fact that these cities have more flights overall.

Cancellations Per City (1987 - 2008)

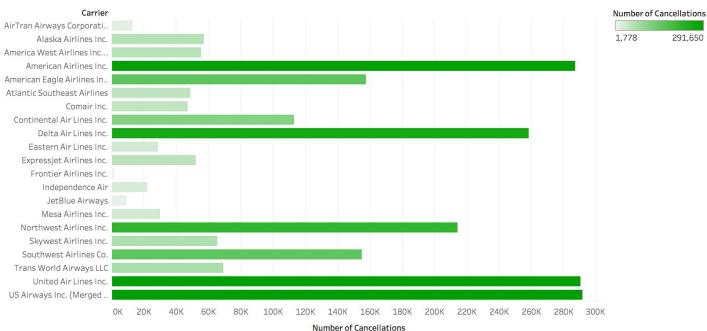


Cancellations per city, larger and darker bubbles signify a greater amount of delays.

Cancellations By Carrier (Airline)

The following figure shows the number of cancellations per airline. As you can see large carriers like American Airlines, Delta Airlines, and United Airways are at the top of this list. This likely biased for the same reason as the cities (quantity of flights). However, one interesting insight is that Frontier Airlines has the least number of delays.



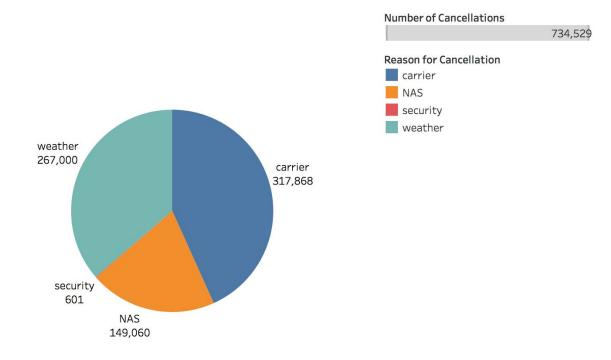


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The following figure shows the reasons for cancelled flights. As you can see from the figure carriers are the primary reason for cancellations this includes: maintenance, baggage issues, or crew reasons.

Cancellations Per City



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