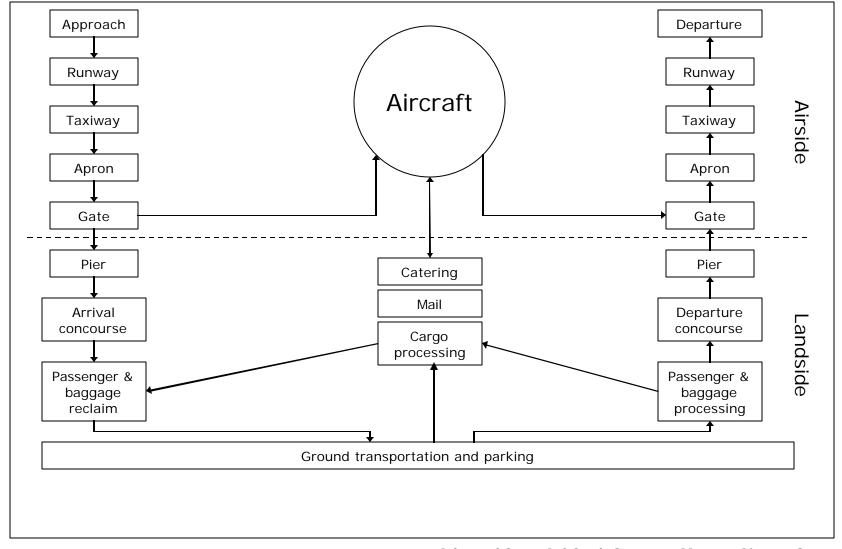


Airport Performance Measurement

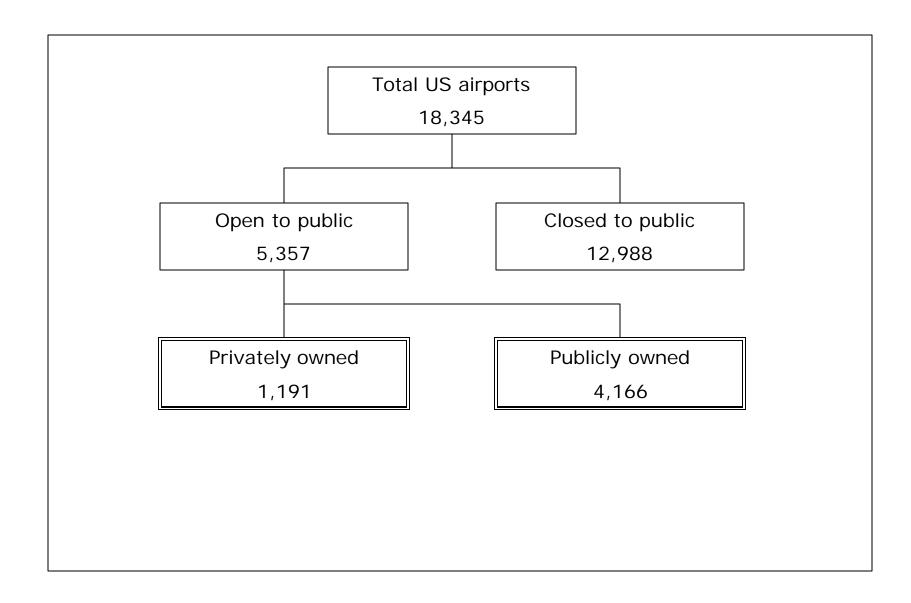
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The Airport System



US Airport Ownership



Airport Stakeholders

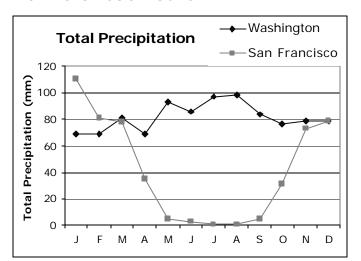
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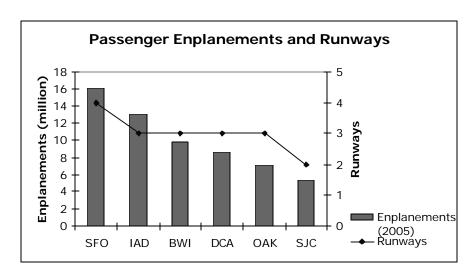
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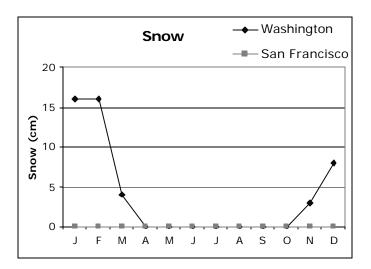
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Characteristics of Profiled Airports

- Profile of six airports:
 - San Francisco area:
 - OAK-SJC-SFO
 - Located within 34 mile drive of each other
 - Metro DC area:
 - BWI-DCA-IAD
 - Located within 57 mile drive of each other







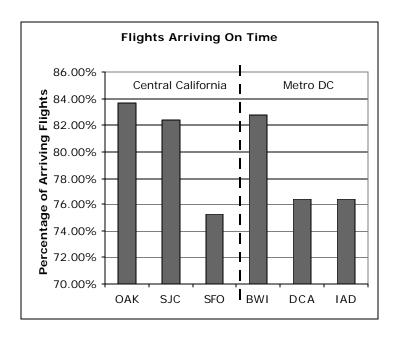
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Passenger-Oriented Airport Key Performance Indicators

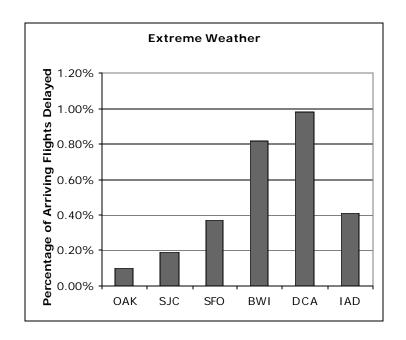
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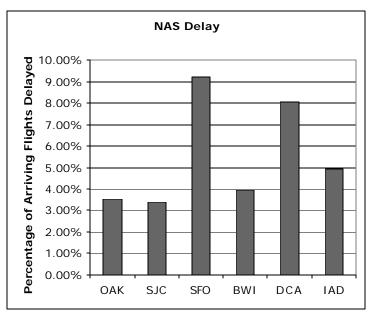


• On-time: Arrival within 15 minutes of schedule

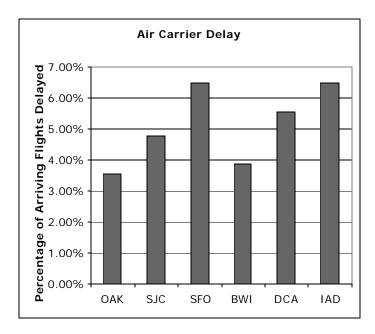


• Extreme weather delay: Significant meteorological conditions (actual or forecast) that, in the judgment of the carrier, delays or prevents the operation of a flight (e.g. tornado, blizzard, hurricane, etc.)

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• <u>NAS delays</u>: Delays and cancellations attributable to the national airspace system that refer to a broad set of conditions — non-extreme weather conditions, airport operations, heavy traffic volume, air traffic control, etc.



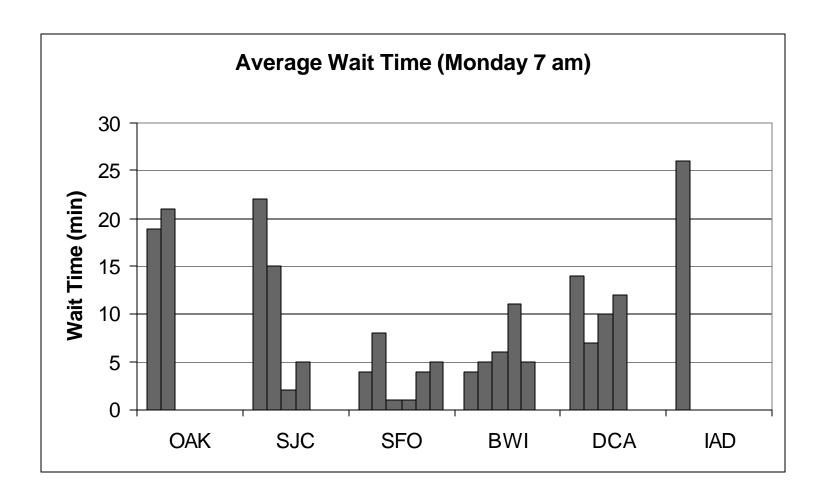
• <u>Air carrier delay</u>: The delay was due to circumstances within the airline's control (e.g. maintenance or crew problems, aircraft cleaning, baggage loading, fueling, etc.)

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Airport Security Wait Times



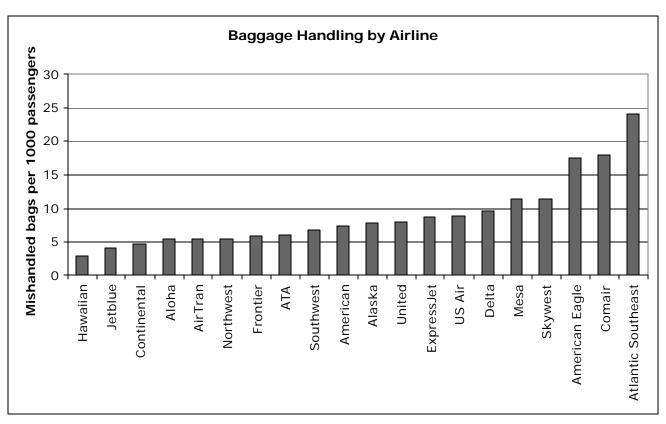
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Baggage Handling Effectiveness



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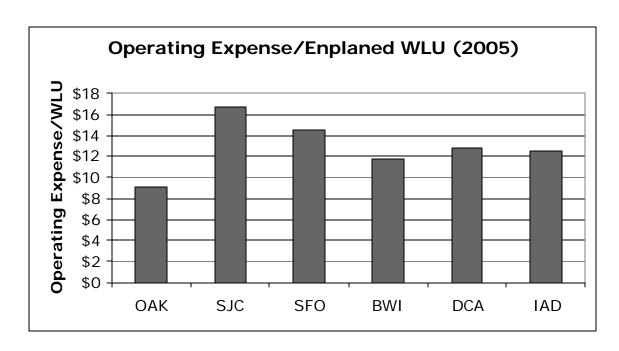
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Airport Management-Oriented Key Performance Indicators

- Cost/passenger -- Cost/ton of cargo -- Cost/WLU
 - Uncontrollable: Fixed asset depreciation costs
 - Controllable: Labor rates, labor efficiency, number of passengers/amount of cargo
- Labor cost/aircraft movement
 - Controllable: Labor rates, labor efficiency, number of aircraft movements
- Aircraft movements per runway
 - Uncontrollable: Number of runways, weather
 - · Controllable: Overall number of aircraft movements
- Minimum connecting times
 - Uncontrollable: Airline schedules
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Operating Expense Per WLU



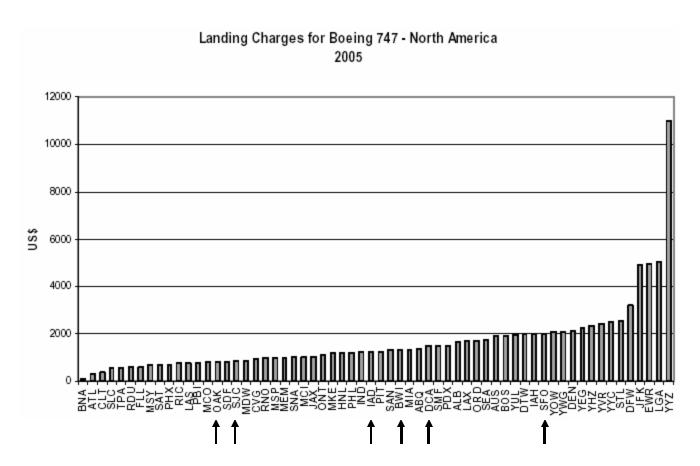
- 1 Work Load Unit = 1 passenger or 100 kg of cargo
- **Operating expense** = Cost for staff, communications and utilities, supplies and materials, repairs and maintenance, contractual services etc. *Excludes* depreciation.

Airport Owner Key Performance Indicators

- Cost/passenger -- Cost/ton of cargo -- Cost/WLU
 - Uncontrollable: Fixed asset depreciation costs
 - Controllable: Labor rates, labor efficiency, number of passengers and amount of cargo
- Landing fee revenue/aircraft movement
- Emissions/aircraft movement

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Aircraft Landing Fees



E.g. at IAD

- Landing fee: \$3.32 / 1000 lb
- B747 landing weight: Approx. 400,000 lb
- Total fee: \$1,328

Affected Individual Airport Key Performance Indicators

- Number of noise level infringements
- Emissions/aircraft movement
- Proportion of passengers using public transport

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Summary

- A variety of KPIs can be tracked, but which KPIs are important and which direction is desirable varies by which perspective one takes
- Some KPIs can be optimized "locally", but such an optimization can lead to a sub-optimal point at the global (organizational) level
- KPIs are impacted both by controllable and uncontrollable factors. In a comparison, one needs to adjust for the uncontrollable factors in order to determine how to optimize the controllable factors