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Preface

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Key observations

TRAFFIC

- Following the high traffic increase already in 2017 ..
- The strong growth ..
- As a result ..

SAFETY

- No data available

CAPACITY

En-route ATFM delays

- No en-route ATFM delay..

Airport arrival ATFM delays

- No airport arrival ATFM delay..

ENVIRONMENT

Horizontal en-route flight efficiency

- In 2008, Finland..

Vertical en-route flight efficiency

Vertical flight efficiency during climb and descent

COST-EFFECTIVENESS

- ARMATS represents.. see [1]
- Since ARMATS did not..
- Compared to the..

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1 Institutional arrangements

2 Traffic characteristics

Sources: NM; STATFOR[2]; PRU ANS Performance Data Portal [3]; CRCO Service Unit Dashboard [4]

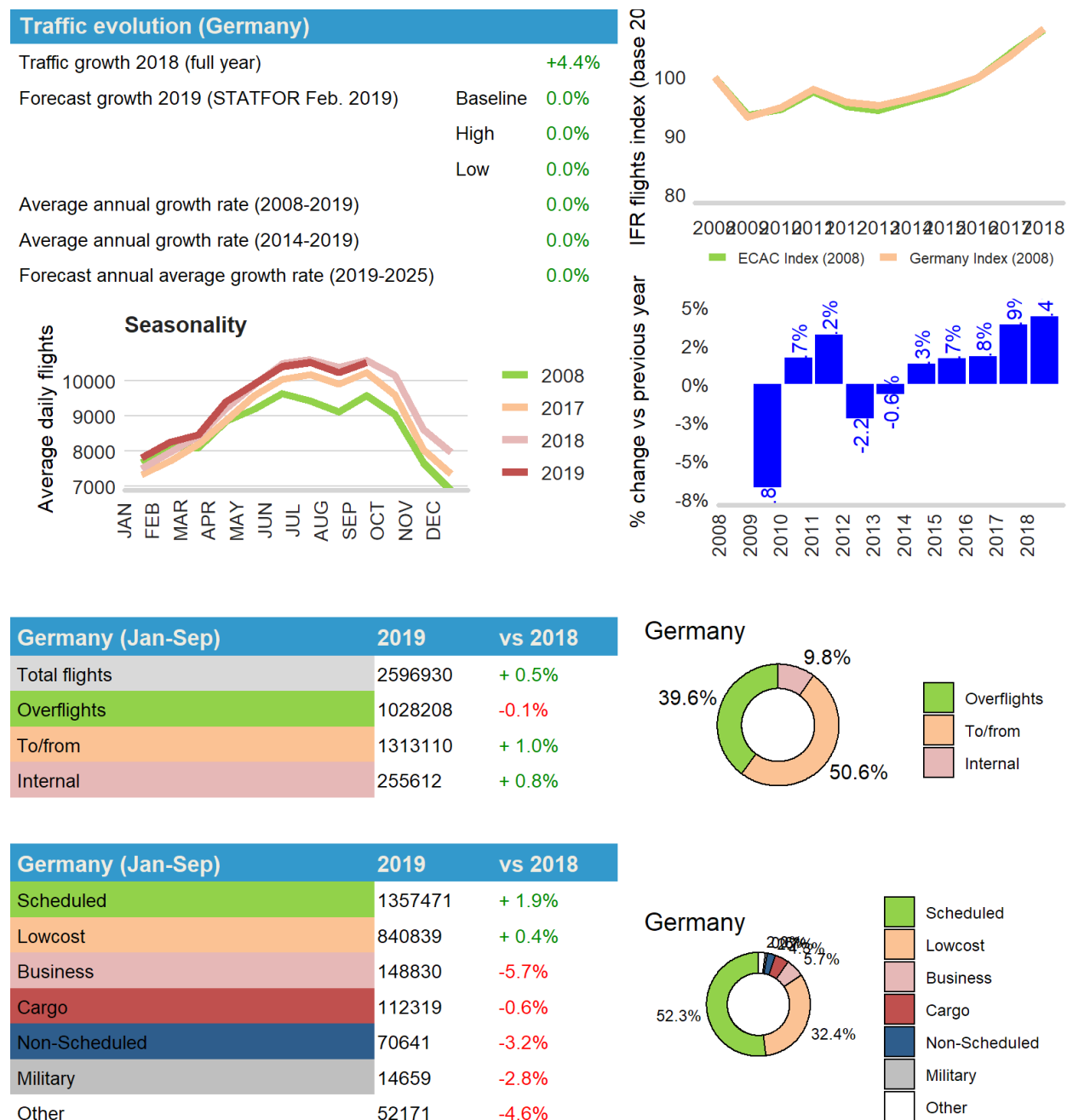


Figure 1: Traffic characteristics (IFR flights)

- In 2018, traffic increased by +4.4%. Between 2013 and 2018, traffic increased by 13.8%.
- In the first 9 months of 2019, traffic in Germany increased by +0.9% compared to the same period in 2018
- The largest traffic segment is traffic from and to Germany (50.6%), followed by overflights (39.6%) and domestic flights (9.8%).

3 Safety

4 Capacity

4.1 Air traffic flow management (ATFM) delays

Source: NM, PRU ANS Performance Data Portal [3] The data in this section is from the PRU ANS performance data portal (data section).

It is available at: <http://ansperformance.eu/data/performancearea/>

4.1.1 En-route ATFM delays

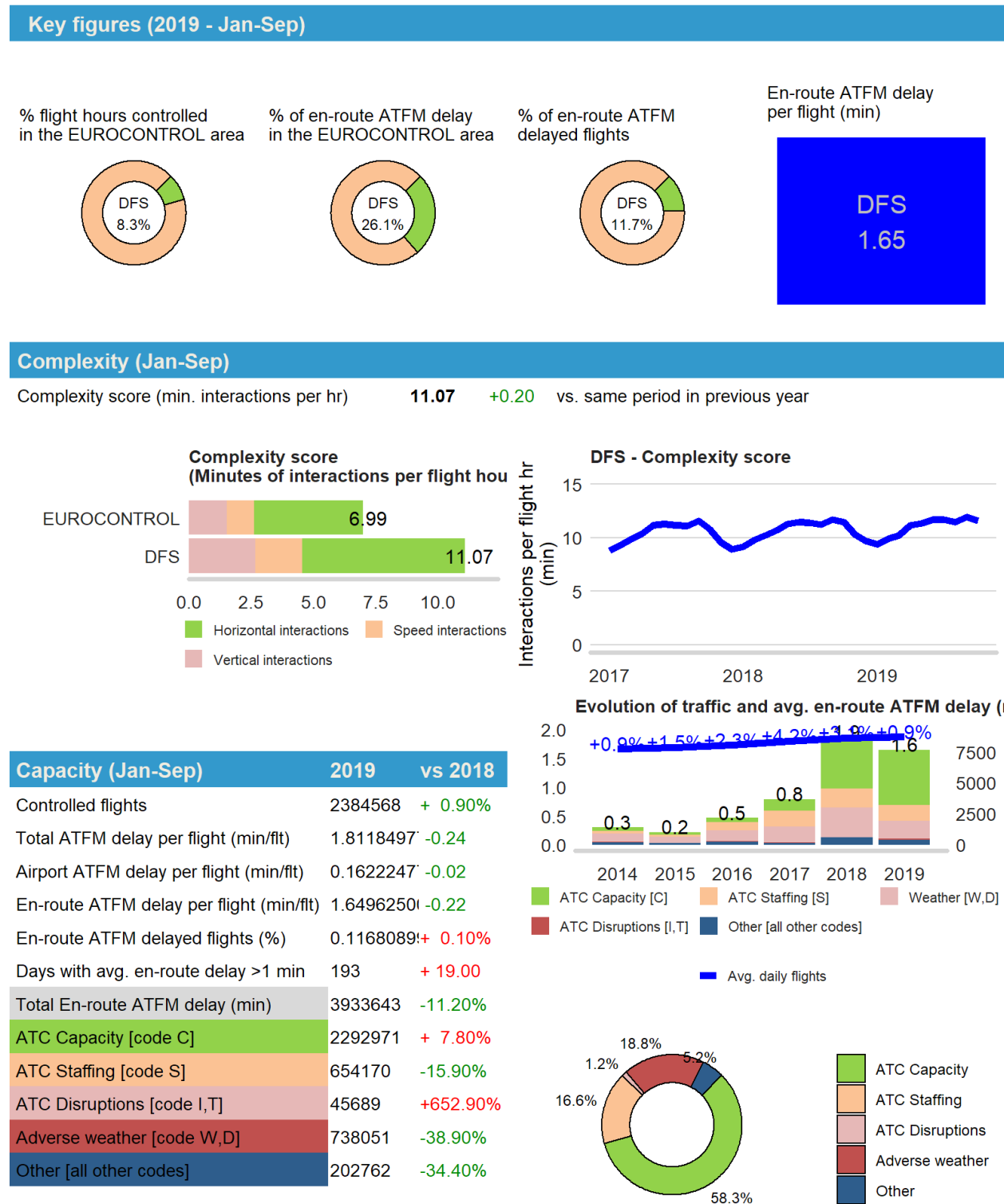


Figure 2: Traffic evolution and en-route ATFM delay

Stacked bar chart showing Average delay per flight (min.) for various airports and flight types, categorized by reason for delay. The y-axis ranges from 0.0 to 2.0 minutes. The x-axis lists various airports and flight types, with some bars labeled with their total average delay values.

Legend:

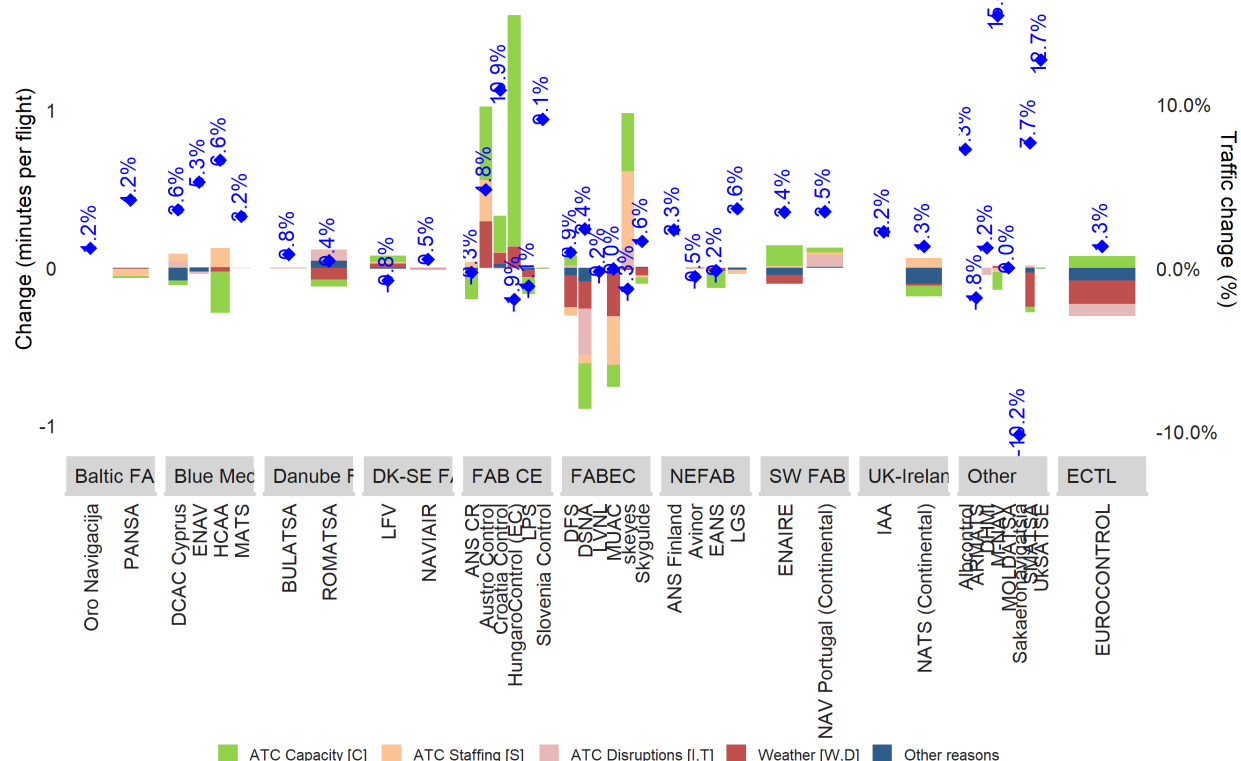
- ATC Capacity [C]
- ATC Staffing [S]
- ATC Disruptions [I,T]
- Weather [W,D]
- Other reasons

Approximate data values (Average delay per flight in minutes):

Category	Reason	Value (min.)
Baltic FAE	Other reasons	0.00
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.12
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
Blue Med	Other reasons	0.15
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.51
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
Danube F.	Other reasons	0.00
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.15
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
DK-SE FA	Other reasons	0.00
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.13
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
FAB CE	Other reasons	0.01
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.93
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
FAB EC	Other reasons	0.05
	Weather [W,D]	0.08
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.20
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
NEFAB	Other reasons	0.00
	Weather [W,D]	0.01
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.01
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.01
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
SW FAB	Other reasons	0.01
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.18
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
UK-Ireland	Other reasons	0.00
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.25
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
Other	Other reasons	0.00
	Weather [W,D]	0.05
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.05
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.05
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.00
EUROCONTROL	Other reasons	0.05
	Weather [W,D]	0.40
	ATC Capacity [C]	0.80
	ATC Staffing [S]	0.45
	ATC Disruptions [I,T]	0.05

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Change in traffic and average en route ATFM delay per flight vs same period in the previous year (Jan-Sep 2019)



Source: PRU analysis



Figure 4: Year on year change of average en route ATFM delay per flight (EUROCONTROL area)

- In the first 9 months of 2019, Germany accounted for 8.3% of total controlled flight hours and generated 26.1% of total en-route ATFM delays in the EUROCONTROL area. Overall, 11.7% of the controlled flights in the respective airspace were delayed by en-route ATFM delays (Jan-Sep 2019).
- Delays decreased in 2019 (-11.2% vs. Jan-Sep 2018) to reach 1.65 minutes per flight.

4.1.2 Airport arrival ATFM delays

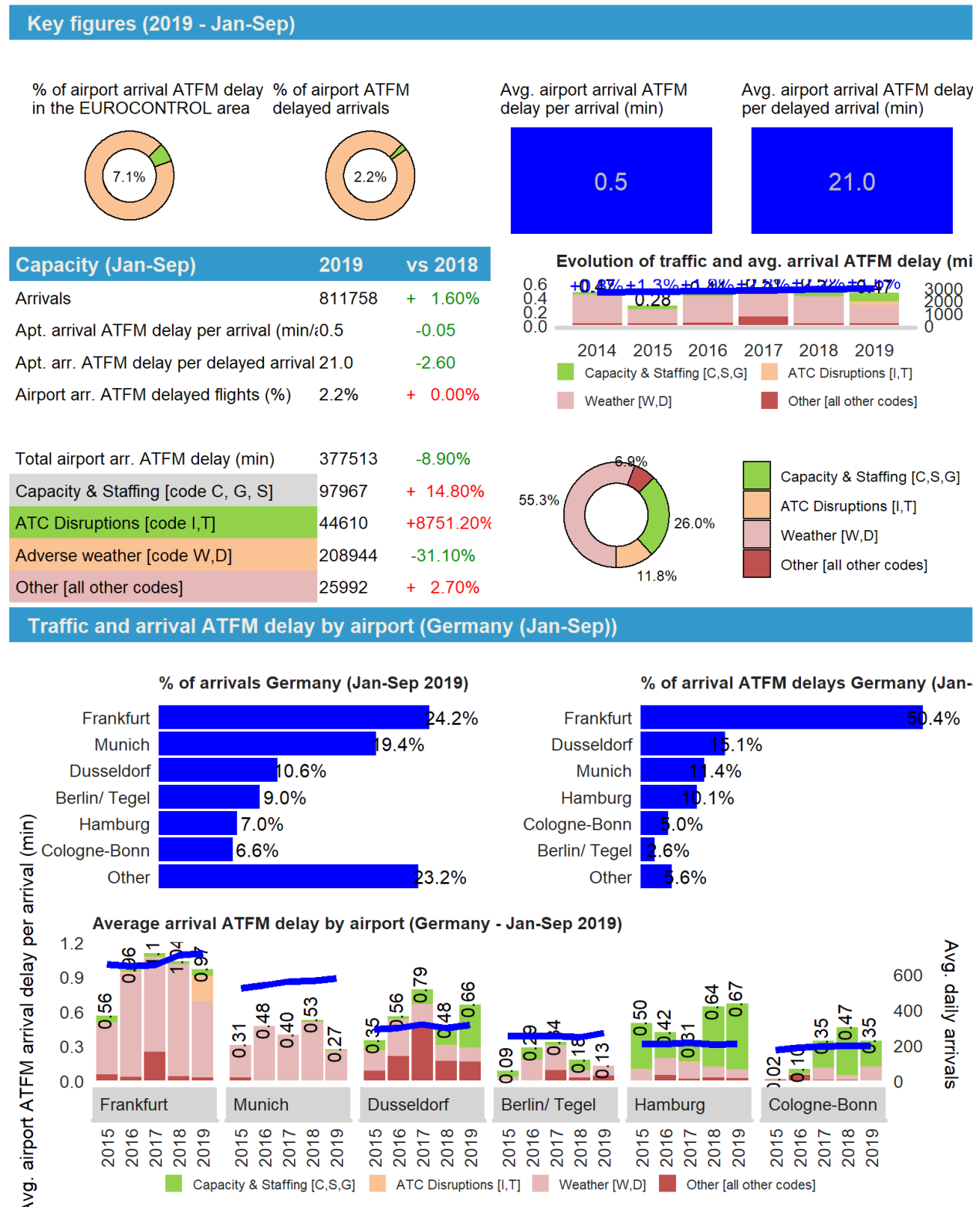


Figure 5: Traffic evolution of airport arrival ATFM delays

- Germany accounted for 7.1% of all arrival ATFM delay in the EUROCONTROL area (Jan-Sep 2019).
- Overall, 2.2% of the flights arriving at airports in Germany were delayed by arrival ATFM regulations (Jan-Sep 2019). Total arrival ATFM delay decreased by -8.9% vs. Jan-Sep 2018.
- The main share (50.4%) was generated by Frankfurt, closely followed by Dusseldorf accounting for 15.1% of all airport ATFM delay in Germany during the first 9 months of 2019.

5 Environment

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5.1 Horizontal en-route flight efficiency

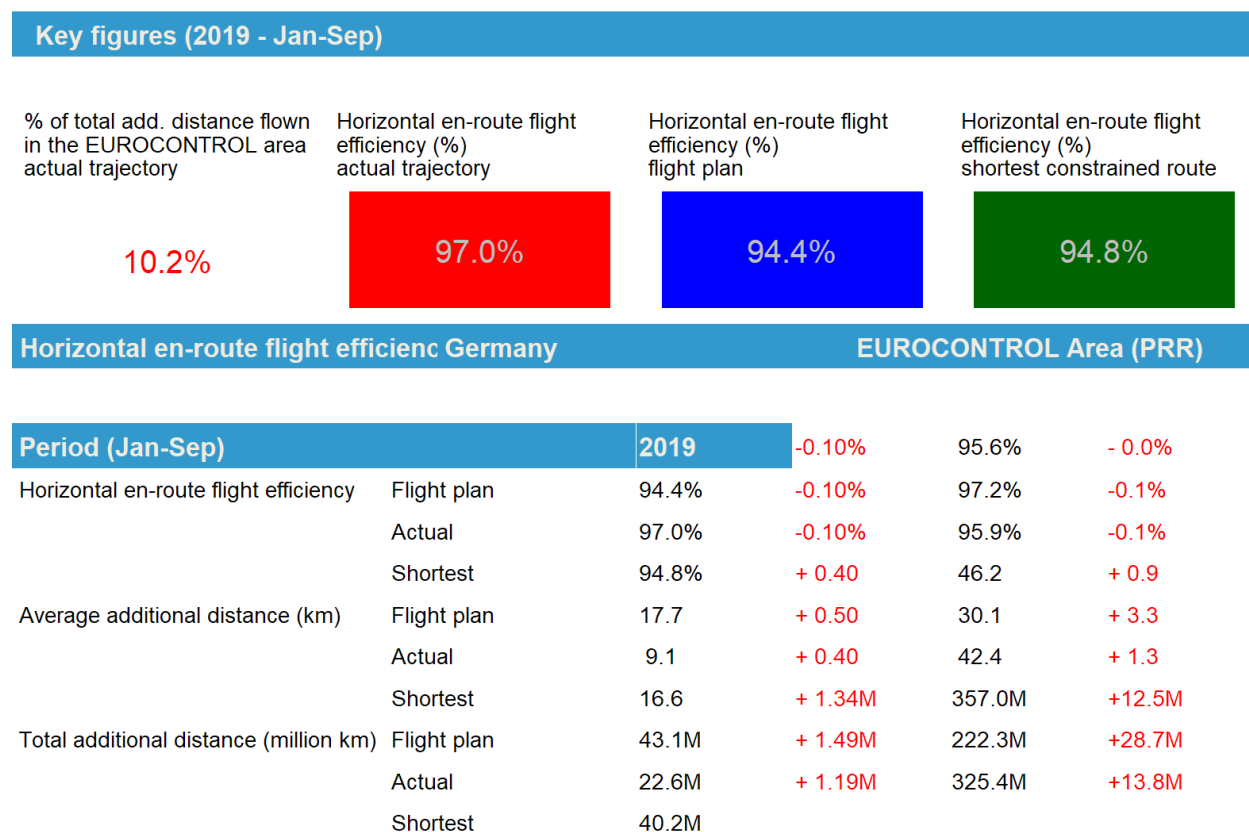


Figure 6: Horizontal en-route flight efficiency

5.2 Vertical en-route flight efficiency

5.3 Vertical flight efficiency during climb & descent

6 Cost-effectiveness

7 Annex 1: Evolution of cost-effectiveness performance (2012-2017)

8 Annex 2: Network Operations Plan (2018-2019/22)

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