Port Authority of New York and New Jersey Air Passenger Traffic per Month Overview

General Description

The Port Authority collects monthly data for domestic and international flights, passengers, cargo, and aircraft equipment type from each carrier at PANYNJ-operated airports. The data also includes arrival and departure information to various regions of the world (Transatlantic, Central America, South America, Asia Pacific and Mexico). The passenger data exclude "non-revenue passengers." A non-revenue passenger refers to any passenger that does not provide revenue to the airlines (e.g., airline crews and other non-paying passengers).

The data form the basis for estimating flight fees, parking, concession revenues, airport planning, TSA workload/schedules, and Passenger Facility Charges (PFC) at the Port Authority Airports.

Data Collection Methodology

Data is collected monthly via fax and electronic means.

Limitations of Data Use

The data does not include country-specific or city-specific information. The domestic data are an aggregation of arrival and departure information for all domestic points to and from PANYNJ-operated airports. It does not provide information on the number of flights, cargo, or passengers to and from any of the PANYNJ-managed airports to any specific city or airport. The international data also aggregates the information. There is no country-specific information. The data is generated on a monthly basis. There are no daily information. The passenger data counts only passengers that provide revenue to the airlines. Non-revenue passengers, such as crew members and other non-paying passengers, are not included.