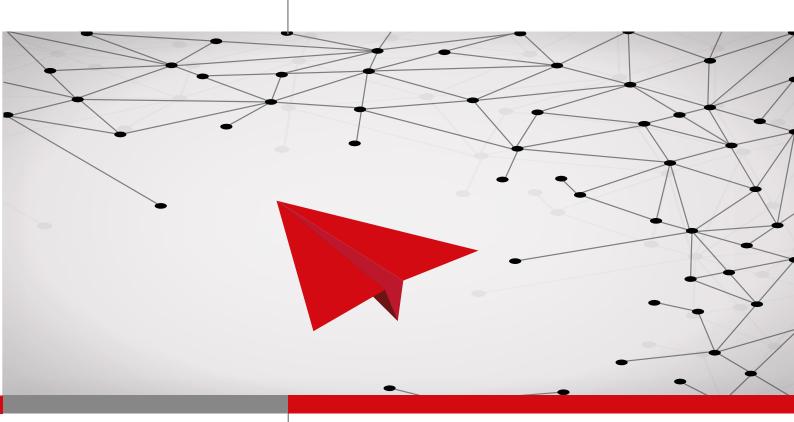


# Arab Air Transport Statistics 2014





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## **AACO Members Quick Facts 2013**

Member Airlines	32
Billion \$ Revenue	(+10.0% over 2012) <b>49.5</b>
Million Passengers Carried	(+7.5% over 2012) <b>153</b>
Million Tonnes of Cargo	(+11.6% over 2012) <b>4.8</b>
Destinations Served	412
Countries Served	127
Average Daily Flights	(+11.5% over 2012) <b>3,851</b>
Average Daily Seats	(+13.2% over 2012) <b>750,943</b>
Aircraft in Fleet	(+72 A/C over 2012) <b>1,069</b>
Employees (reported)	(+5.3% over 2012) <b>146,088</b>





The relative stability which we alluded to in 2012 unfortunately did not continue into 2013 in some Arab countries. This situation persists in subduing, albeit marginally, the bright and excellent performance of AACO members.

Moreover, the weakness in the economies of some European countries continues to be a challenge for airlines across the globe. Yet AACO members were able in 2013 to expand their presence and market share in global markets including Europe.

AACO members, and particularly those of the GCC, have become pace-setters for the whole industry. Dubai Airshow of 2013 was a landmark in how airlines in developing nations have become global players with massive orders of new generation aircraft which will continue to reinforce and expand the global footprint of the Arab airlines.

The reasons for success of the airlines of the region are multifold: Governments which embrace the economic role and contribution of the air transport industry in sustainable development, Infrastructure which is continuously expanded and developed, Airlines which maintain a grip over costs in order to continue to present to the customer value-for-money travel while offering superior products that attract the loyalty of customers around the world, and last but not least making use of an excellent geographical location to provide the customers with delight in their travel experience.

AATS 2013 is an explanation of the story of success which AACO members were able to maintain and expand in 2013.

Enjoy your reading,,,

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#### **Geographical Areas**

Americas North, Central, & South American Countries.

Mid Asia Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Iran, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka.

Australasia Australia, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore

and Thailand.

Europe All European Countries.

Arab World Algeria, Bahrain, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman,

Palestine, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates and

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Yemen.

Sub-Saharan Africa All African Countries except: Egypt, Sudan, Libya, Tunisia, Algeria and Morocco.

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ASK	Available Seat Kilometer
ATK	Available Ton Kilometer
PAX	Passengers
PLF	Passenger Load Factor
RPK	Revenue Passenger Kilometer
RTK	Revenue Ton Kilometer
Unit Cost	Operating Expense per ASK

Operating Revenue per RPK

**Abbreviations and Definitions:** 

### AACO Member Airlines IATA Codes

8U: Afriqiyah Airways **RB**: Syrian Arab Airlines IY: Yemenia 9P: Petra Airlines KU: Kuwait Airways RG: Rotana Jet AH: Air Algerie LN: Libyan Airlines RJ: Royal Jordanian AT: Royal Air Maroc SD: Sudan Airways ME: Middle East Airlines BJ: Nouvelair SF: Tassili Airlines MS: Egyptair SM: Air Cairo **EK**: Emirates Airline MXU: Maximus EY: Etihad Airways SV: Saudia NP: Nile Air TU: Tunisair FZ: flydubai N2: TMA G9: Air Arabia WY: Oman Air PF: Palestinian Airlines GF: Gulf Air XY: flynas QR: Qatar Airways IA: Iraqi Airways **R5: Jordan Aviation**