

ATHENS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
PASSENGER TRAFFIC DEVELOPMENT 2009

PASSENGER TRAFFIC	Domestic			International			Total		
	2009	2008	%2009/ 2008	2009	2008	%2009/ 2008	2009	2008	%2009/ 2008
January	380,056	383,878	-1.0%	570,673	636,615	-10.4%	950,729	1,020,493	-6.8%
February	373,112	362,574	2.9%	495,348	544,573	-9.0%	868,460	907,147	-4.3%
March	413,002	427,747	-3.4%	639,856	763,853	-16.2%	1,052,858	1,191,600	-11.6%
April	499,688	471,723	5.9%	872,800	849,179	2.8%	1,372,488	1,320,902	3.9%
May	515,783	525,119	-1.8%	860,354	995,740	-13.6%	1,376,137	1,520,859	-9.5%
June	594,485	556,773	6.8%	989,970	1,056,541	-6.3%	1,584,455	1,613,314	-1.8%
July	652,792	602,491	8.3%	1,193,863	1,208,543	-1.2%	1,846,655	1,811,034	2.0%
August	677,259	614,424	10.2%	1,241,643	1,265,331	-1.9%	1,918,902	1,879,755	2.1%
September	591,568	568,415	4.1%	1,054,748	1,079,863	-2.3%	1,646,316	1,648,278	-0.1%
October	515,555	504,186	2.3%	858,987	929,889	-7.6%	1,374,542	1,434,075	-4.2%
November	465,836	417,693	11.5%	629,380	638,705	-1.5%	1,095,216	1,056,398	3.7%
December	453,430	391,817	15.7%	685,401	670,819	2.2%	1,138,831	1,062,636	7.2%
Total year	6,132,566	5,826,840	5.2%	10,093,023	10,639,651	-5.1%	16,225,589	16,466,491	-1.5%

In 2009, Athens International Airport, with 16.2 million passengers, presented an annual slight traffic decline of -1.5% (significantly more limited than the major European airports' average:-5.9%), and recorded the 2nd least decline of passenger traffic among its European counterparts. The dynamic development of the domestic sector (+5.2%) contributed to this favourable outcome, while international passenger traffic, despite the overall decrease (-5.1%), showed clear signs of recovery during the second half of the year.