



## OMA reports a 14.9% increase in September 2018 passenger traffic

- The Monterrey (+12.3%), Culiacán (+22.7%), and Chihuahua (+16.7%) airports contributed most to traffic growth

**Monterrey, Mexico, October 8, 2018**—Mexican airport operator Grupo Aeroportuario del Centro Norte, S.A.B. de C.V., known as OMA (NASDAQ: OMAB; BMV: OMA), reports that terminal passenger traffic at its 13 airports increased 14.9% in September 2018, as compared to September 2017. Domestic traffic increased 16.2%, and international traffic increased 4.5%.

Total Passengers*						
	Sep-17	Sep-18	Change %	Jan-Sep 2017	Jan-Sep 2018	Change %
Domestic	1,303,400	1,514,441	16.2	12,815,095	14,124,126	10.2
International	159,782	167,036	4.5	1,837,382	1,911,139	4.0
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>1,463,182</b>	<b>1,681,477</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>14,652,477</b>	<b>16,035,265</b>	<b>9.4</b>

\* Terminal passengers: includes passengers on the three types of aviation (commercial, charter, and general aviation), and excludes passengers in transit.

During September 2018, **domestic traffic** increased in **all** our airports, with the largest increases in:

- **Monterrey** (+13.7%), with 50% of total domestic traffic, benefitted from increases in the number of passengers on the Mexico City, Cancún and Guadalajara routes.
- **Culiacán** (+22.3%) increased traffic on the Tijuana route.
- **Ciudad Juárez** (+19.7%) increased traffic on the Guadalajara and Mexico City routes.
- **Chihuahua** (+17.3%) increased traffic on the Mexico City route.
- **Acapulco** (+49.9%) increased traffic on the Mexico City route.

During September 2017, domestic traffic volumes were affected by the effects of Hurricane Max (in Acapulco) and the earthquakes of September 7 and 19 in central and southern Mexico.

In September 2018, Vivaaerobus started flying the Monterrey – Morelia route.

**International traffic** grew in **ten** airports in September, with the largest increase in Monterrey (+3.6%), as a result of increases in the number of passengers on the Houston route.

Of total passenger traffic, 99.2% was commercial, and 0.8% was general aviation.

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#### Total Passengers\*

	Sep-17	Sep-18	Change %	Jan-Sep 2017	Jan-Sep 2018	Change %
Acapulco	36,061	54,038	49.9	522,905	563,053	7.7
Ciudad Juárez	91,611	109,594	19.6	881,121	1,012,135	14.9
Culiacán	138,649	170,065	22.7	1,380,036	1,680,334	21.8
Chihuahua	112,772	131,588	16.7	1,056,048	1,163,604	10.2
Durango	30,346	32,301	6.4	299,154	312,040	4.3
Mazatlán	60,850	66,191	8.8	739,952	770,929	4.2
Monterrey	769,292	864,256	12.3	7,257,823	7,969,246	9.8
Reynosa	31,726	35,879	13.1	376,108	346,951	(7.8)
San Luis Potosí	42,850	50,128	17.0	411,277	468,780	14.0
Tampico	54,013	57,608	6.7	532,450	551,822	3.6
Torreón	44,190	55,265	25.1	462,858	504,254	8.9
Zacatecas	27,198	29,222	7.4	267,803	261,960	(2.2)
Zihuatanejo	23,624	25,342	7.3	464,942	430,157	(7.5)
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>1,463,182</b>	<b>1,681,477</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>14,652,477</b>	<b>16,035,265</b>	<b>9.4</b>

#### Domestic Passengers\*

	Sep-17	Sep-18	Change %	Jan-Sep 2017	Jan-Sep 2018	Change %
Acapulco	34,831	52,220	49.9	478,184	514,007	7.5
Ciudad Juárez	91,337	109,293	19.7	878,847	1,008,835	14.8
Culiacán	137,199	167,807	22.3	1,355,852	1,658,251	22.3
Chihuahua	103,282	121,113	17.3	972,156	1,072,508	10.3
Durango	25,753	27,535	6.9	254,525	269,791	6.0
Mazatlán	52,166	58,317	11.8	520,772	549,227	5.5
Monterrey	669,337	760,737	13.7	6,318,844	6,984,776	10.5
Reynosa	31,474	35,508	12.8	373,552	344,240	(7.8)
San Luis Potosí	30,483	37,077	21.6	294,096	337,464	14.7
Tampico	50,495	53,423	5.8	499,811	512,339	2.5
Torreón	39,378	50,613	28.5	422,193	459,904	8.9
Zacatecas	17,312	18,575	7.3	167,568	158,424	(5.5)
Zihuatanejo	20,353	22,223	9.2	278,695	254,360	(8.7)
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>1,303,400</b>	<b>1,514,441</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>12,815,095</b>	<b>14,124,126</b>	<b>10.2</b>

#### International Passengers\*

	Sep-17	Sep-18	Change %	Jan-Sep 2017	Jan-Sep 2018	Change %
Acapulco	1,230	1,818	47.8	44,721	49,046	9.7
Ciudad Juárez	274	301	9.9	2,274	3,300	45.1
Culiacán	1,450	2,258	55.7	24,184	22,083	(8.7)
Chihuahua	9,490	10,475	10.4	83,892	91,096	8.6
Durango	4,593	4,766	3.8	44,629	42,249	(5.3)
Mazatlán	8,684	7,874	(9.3)	219,180	221,702	1.2
Monterrey	99,955	103,519	3.6	938,979	984,470	4.8
Reynosa	252	371	47.2	2,556	2,711	6.1
San Luis Potosí	12,367	13,051	5.5	117,181	131,316	12.1
Tampico	3,518	4,185	19.0	32,639	39,483	21.0
Torreón	4,812	4,652	(3.3)	40,665	44,350	9.1
Zacatecas	9,886	10,647	7.7	100,235	103,536	3.3
Zihuatanejo	3,271	3,119	(4.6)	186,247	175,797	(5.6)
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>159,782</b>	<b>167,036</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>1,837,382</b>	<b>1,911,139</b>	<b>4.0</b>

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