

OMA reports an 11.1% increase in July 2016 passenger traffic

Monterrey, Mexico, August 4, 2016—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 11.1% in July 2016, as compared to July 2015. Domestic traffic increased 13.4%, and international traffic decreased 4.4%.

Of total July traffic, 98.4% was commercial aviation and 1.6% was general aviation.

Total Passengers*

	Jul-15	Jul-16	Change %	Jan-Jul 2015	Jan-Jul 2016	Change %
Domestic	1,466,563	1,663,531	13.4	8,221,946	9,159,385	11.4
International	224,401	214,471	(4.4)	1,442,779	1,426,900	(1.1)
OMA Total	1,690,964	1,878,002	11.1	9,664,725	10,586,285	9.5

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

Domestic traffic increased in eleven airports in July. The most noteworthy increases were in Monterrey (+11.3%; +82,376 passengers), Ciudad Juárez (+33.6%; +28,666), Chihuahua (+23.4%; +24,064), and Culiacán (+16.2%; +21,344). Monterrey traffic increased principally because of higher traffic volumes on the Guadalajara and Mérida routes. Ciudad Juárez traffic increased as a result of higher volumes on its Mexico City and Monterrey routes. Chihuahua traffic increased volumes on its Mexico City route. Culiacán traffic increased principally as a result of increased volumes on the Tijuana route.

Seven new domestic routes opened in July. TAR opened the Ciudad Juárez–Torreón, Ciudad Juárez–Puerto Peñasco, Chihuahua–Hermosillo, Torreón–Bajío, and Torreón–Ciudad Juárez routes. VivaAerobus opened the Culiacán–Guadalajara route, and Aeroméxico opened the Monterrey–Mérida route.

International traffic increased in seven airports in July. Traffic increased most significantly in Durango (+80.7%; +2,698 passengers), principally because of higher volumes on its Chicago and Los Angeles routes; Zacatecas (+17.1%; +2,147), principally because of increased traffic on its Los Angeles route; and Culiacán (+105.8%; +2,101), in large part because of traffic on its Phoenix route. Monterrey (-11.3%; -16,127 passengers) recorded the largest decrease, principally because of reduced traffic on its Dallas and Las Vegas routes.

During July, Volaris opened two new routes: Durango-Los Angeles and Monterrey-Dallas.

The number of **flight operations** (takeoffs and landings) in July was practically unchanged from the prior year period (+0.1%). The number of domestic operations increased 1.7%, and international operations decreased 10.1%.

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Total Passengers*

	Jul-15	Jul-16	Change %	Jan-Jul 2015	Jan-Jul 2016	Change %
Acapulco	69,861	70,904	1.5	440,148	436,285	(0.9)
Ciudad Juárez	85,491	114,668	34.1	486,966	624,498	28.2
Culiacán	133,516	156,961	17.6	799,453	953,448	19.3
Chihuahua	115,658	138,118	19.4	618,403	710,673	14.9
Durango	31,653	43,150	36.3	166,510	243,578	46.3
Mazatlán	72,668	82,453	13.5	507,414	576,214	13.6
Monterrey	874,829	941,078	7.6	4,807,719	5,119,149	6.5
Reynosa	55,812	62,867	12.6	286,071	313,333	9.5
San Luis Potosí	46,849	50,964	8.8	254,961	277,851	9.0
Tampico	74,473	70,961	(4.7)	440,067	415,367	(5.6)
Torreón	51,813	61,928	19.5	304,395	360,334	18.4
Zacatecas	33,717	35,673	5.8	178,840	193,849	8.4
Zihuatanejo	44,624	48,277	8.2	373,778	361,706	(3.2)
OMA Total	1,690,964	1,878,002	11.1	9,664,725	10,586,285	9.5

Domestic Passengers*

	Jul-15	Jul-16	Change %	Jan-Jul 2015	Jan-Jul 2016	Change %
Acapulco	65,985	67,495	2.3	400,563	396,020	(1.1)
Ciudad Juárez	85,430	114,096	33.6	486,536	617,563	26.9
Culiacán	131,531	152,875	16.2	789,542	940,483	19.1
Chihuahua	102,957	127,021	23.4	554,115	647,526	16.9
Durango	28,309	37,108	31.1	153,997	219,300	42.4
Mazatlán	59,846	69,249	15.7	316,402	390,446	23.4
Monterrey	731,674	814,050	11.3	4,052,431	4,404,162	8.7
Reynosa	55,768	62,835	12.7	285,811	313,006	9.5
San Luis Potosí	32,366	34,698	7.2	180,987	196,366	8.5
Tampico	69,227	66,752	(3.6)	412,580	390,501	(5.4)
Torreón	45,998	57,043	24.0	273,815	327,653	19.7
Zacatecas	21,147	20,956	(0.9)	114,120	124,889	9.4
Zihuatanejo	36,325	39,353	8.3	201,047	191,470	(4.8)
OMA Total	1,466,563	1,663,531	13.4	8,221,946	9,159,385	11.4

International Passengers*

	Jul-15	Jul-16	Change %	Jan-Jul 2015	Jan-Jul 2016	Change %
Acapulco	3,876	3,409	(12.0)	39,585	40,265	1.7
Ciudad Juárez	61	572	837.7	430	6,935	1,512.8
Culiacán	1,985	4,086	105.8	9,911	12,965	30.8
Chihuahua	12,701	11,097	(12.6)	64,288	63,147	(1.8)
Durango	3,344	6,042	80.7	12,513	24,278	94.0
Mazatlán	12,822	13,204	3.0	191,012	185,768	(2.7)
Monterrey	143,155	127,028	(11.3)	755,288	714,987	(5.3)
Reynosa	44	32	(27.3)	260	327	25.8
San Luis Potosí	14,483	16,266	12.3	73,974	81,485	10.2
Tampico	5,246	4,209	(19.8)	27,487	24,866	(9.5)
Torreón	5,815	4,885	(16.0)	30,580	32,681	6.9
Zacatecas	12,570	14,717	17.1	64,720	68,960	6.6
Zihuatanejo	8,299	8,924	7.5	172,731	170,236	(1.4)
OMA Total	224,401	214,471	(4.4)	1,442,779	1,426,900	(1.1)

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