



UK Airlines' Activity 1997 - 2010

Introduction

The following statistics and graphs relate to all UK registered airlines. They have been compiled, with kind permission, from data on the CAA website.

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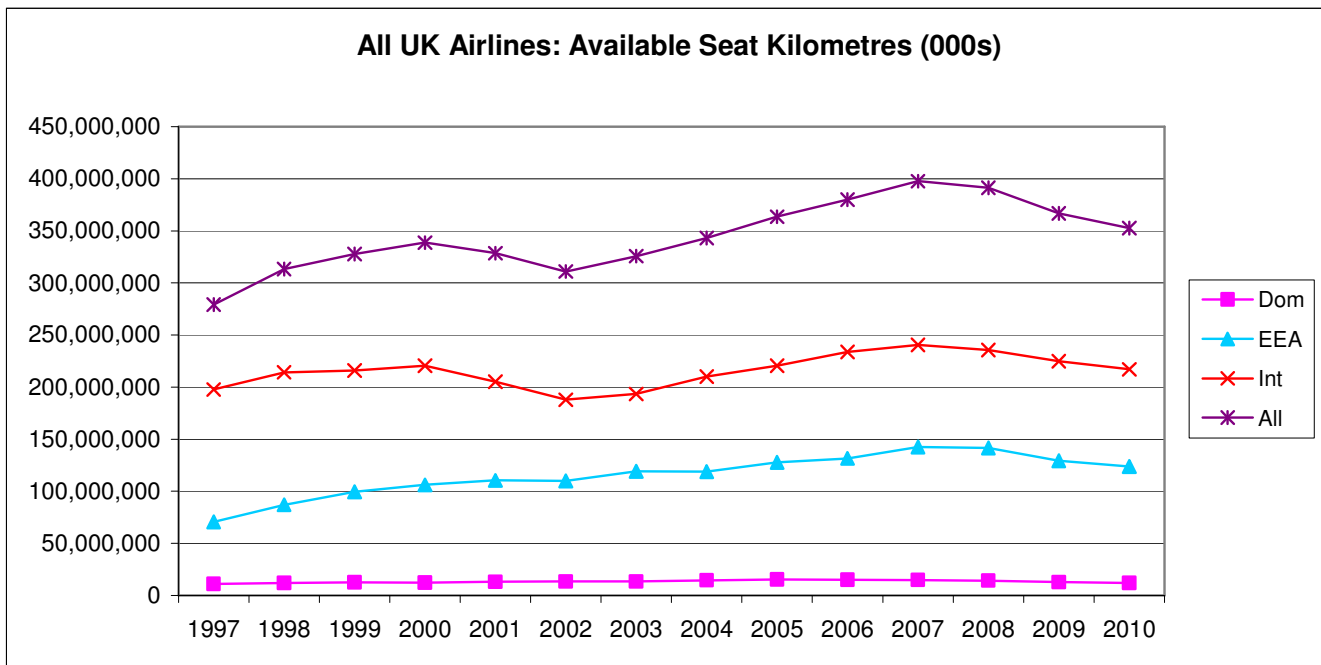
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All UK Airlines: Available Seat Kilometres (000s)

Year	UK Domestic Dom	Change %	European Economic Area EEA	Change %	Other International Int	Change %	All	Change %
1997	11,091,966		70,490,315		197,731,783		279,314,064	
1998	11,922,900	7.49%	87,045,308	23.49%	214,255,183	8.36%	313,223,391	12.14%
1999	12,370,892	3.76%	99,498,499	14.31%	215,989,580	0.81%	327,858,971	4.67%
2000	12,184,781	-1.50%	106,096,943	6.63%	220,418,333	2.05%	338,700,057	3.31%
2001	13,046,940	7.08%	110,387,268	4.04%	205,252,706	-6.88%	328,686,914	-2.96%
2002	13,302,465	1.96%	109,902,768	-0.44%	187,831,855	-8.49%	311,037,088	-5.37%
2003	13,404,236	0.77%	119,030,910	8.31%	193,384,210	2.96%	325,819,356	4.75%
2004	14,414,271	7.54%	118,757,043	-0.23%	210,035,514	8.61%	343,206,828	5.34%
2005	15,180,491	5.32%	127,642,820	7.48%	220,623,042	5.04%	363,446,353	5.90%
2006	14,997,004	-1.21%	131,393,406	2.94%	233,700,963	5.93%	380,091,373	4.58%
2007	14,655,289	-2.28%	142,513,391	8.46%	240,448,495	2.89%	397,617,175	4.61%
2008	14,027,422	-4.28%	141,671,794	-0.59%	235,571,847	-2.03%	391,271,063	-1.60%
2009	12,679,967	-9.61%	129,141,633	-8.84%	224,843,141	-4.55%	366,664,741	-6.29%
2010	11,865,906	-6.42%	123,566,943	-4.32%	217,180,636	-3.41%	352,613,485	-3.83%

Source:CAA UK airline statistics.

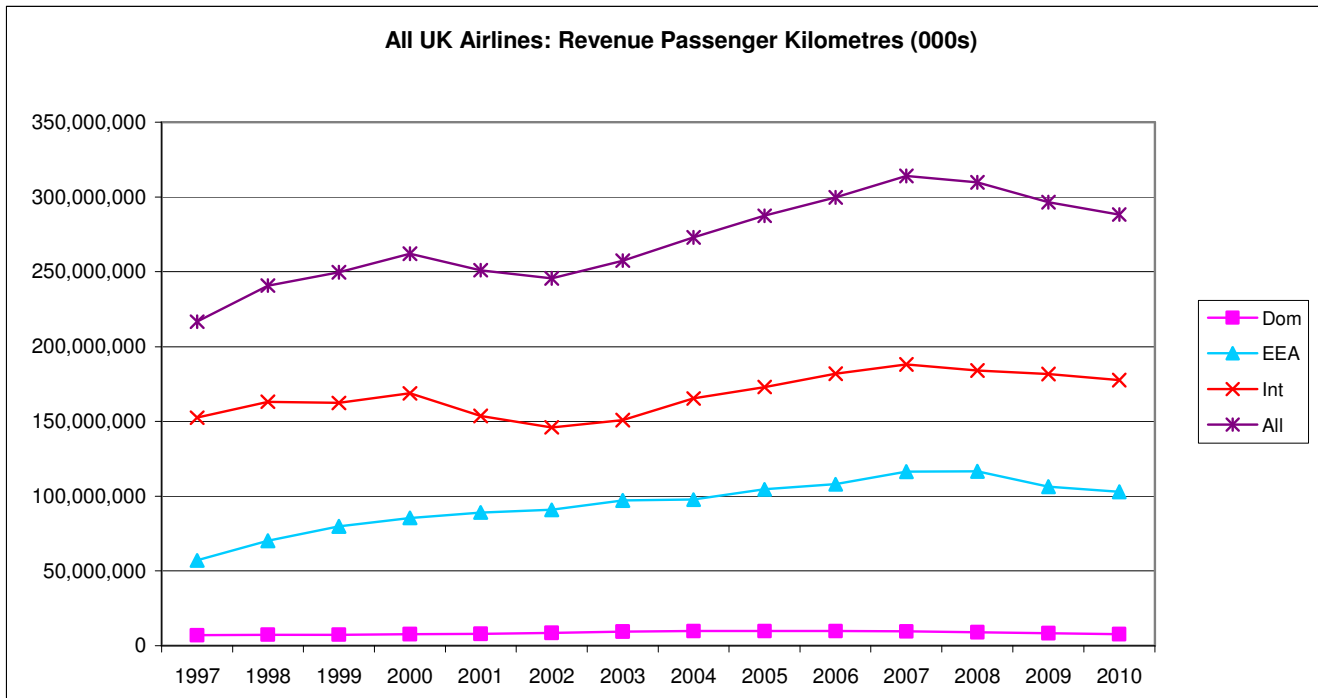


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All UK Airlines: Revenue Passenger Kilometres (000s)

Year	UK Domestic Dom	Change %	European Economic Area EEA	Change %	Other International Int	Change %	All	Change %
1997	7,126,441		57,115,984		152,431,773		216,674,198	
1998	7,394,810	3.77%	70,176,798	22.87%	163,132,872	7.02%	240,704,480	11.09%
1999	7,509,511	1.55%	79,873,298	13.82%	162,314,557	-0.50%	249,697,366	3.74%
2000	7,816,319	4.09%	85,472,299	7.01%	168,773,329	3.98%	262,061,947	4.95%
2001	8,048,074	2.97%	89,198,441	4.36%	153,777,015	-8.89%	251,023,530	-4.21%
2002	8,733,207	8.51%	90,874,806	1.88%	146,029,848	-5.04%	245,637,861	-2.15%
2003	9,376,413	7.37%	97,173,239	6.93%	150,822,718	3.28%	257,372,370	4.78%
2004	9,772,988	4.23%	97,819,741	0.67%	165,434,310	9.69%	273,027,039	6.08%
2005	9,862,053	0.91%	104,554,881	6.89%	172,994,082	4.57%	287,411,016	5.27%
2006	9,876,429	0.15%	107,982,217	3.28%	181,895,655	5.15%	299,754,301	4.29%
2007	9,559,729	-3.21%	116,414,849	7.81%	187,990,971	3.35%	313,965,549	4.74%
2008	8,992,952	-5.93%	116,661,048	0.21%	184,087,912	-2.08%	309,741,912	-1.35%
2009	8,394,421	-6.66%	106,440,593	-8.76%	181,668,808	-1.31%	296,503,822	-4.27%
2010	7,776,638	-7.36%	102,913,686	-3.31%	177,590,552	-2.24%	288,280,876	-2.77%

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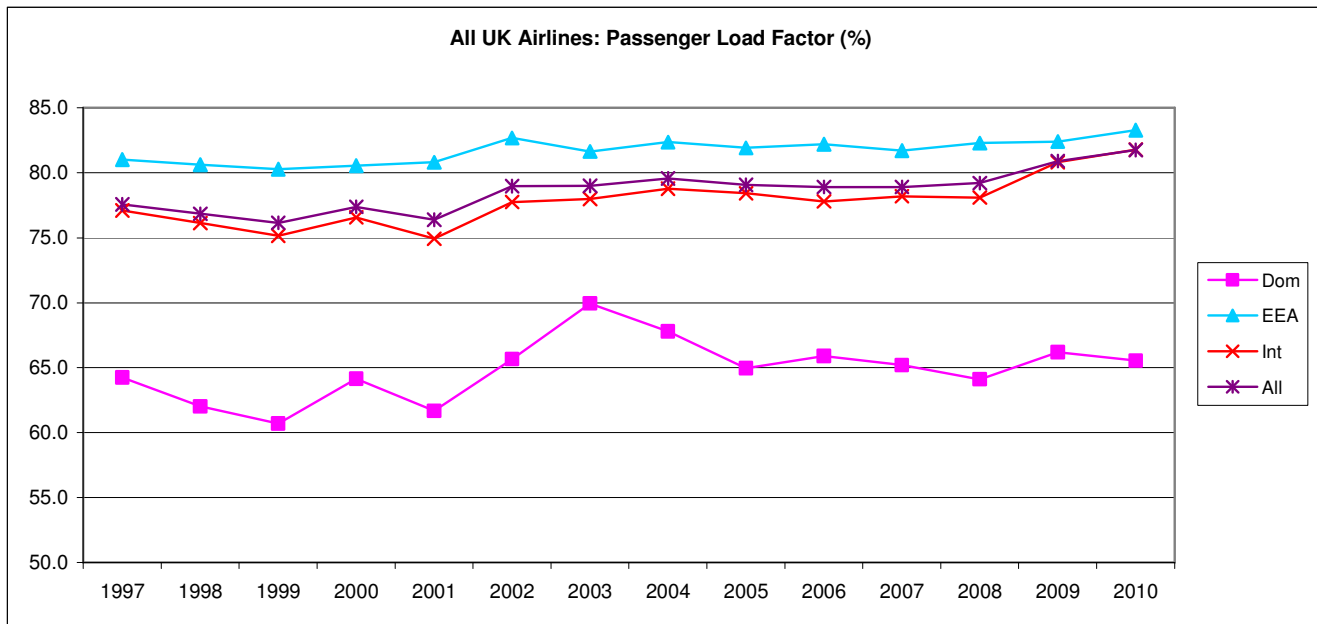


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All UK Airlines: Passenger Load Factor

Year	UK Domestic		European Economic Area		Other International		All	Change
	Dom	Change	EEA	Change	Int	Change		
1997	64.2		81.0		77.1		77.6	
1998	62.0	-2.2	80.6	-0.4	76.1	-1.0	76.8	-0.7
1999	60.7	-1.3	80.3	-0.3	75.1	-1.0	76.2	-0.7
2000	64.1	3.4	80.6	0.3	76.6	1.4	77.4	1.2
2001	61.7	-2.5	80.8	0.2	74.9	-1.6	76.4	-1.0
2002	65.7	4.0	82.7	1.9	77.7	2.8	79.0	2.6
2003	70.0	4.3	81.6	-1.0	78.0	0.2	79.0	0.0
2004	67.8	-2.2	82.4	0.7	78.8	0.8	79.6	0.6
2005	65.0	-2.8	81.9	-0.5	78.4	-0.4	79.1	-0.5
2006	65.9	0.9	82.2	0.3	77.8	-0.6	78.9	-0.2
2007	65.2	-0.7	81.7	-0.5	78.2	0.4	78.9	0.0
2008	64.1	-1.1	82.3	0.6	78.1	-0.1	79.2	0.3
2009	66.2	2.1	82.4	0.1	80.8	2.7	80.9	1.7
2010	65.5	-0.7	83.3	0.9	81.8	1.0	81.8	0.9

Source:CAA UK airline statistics.

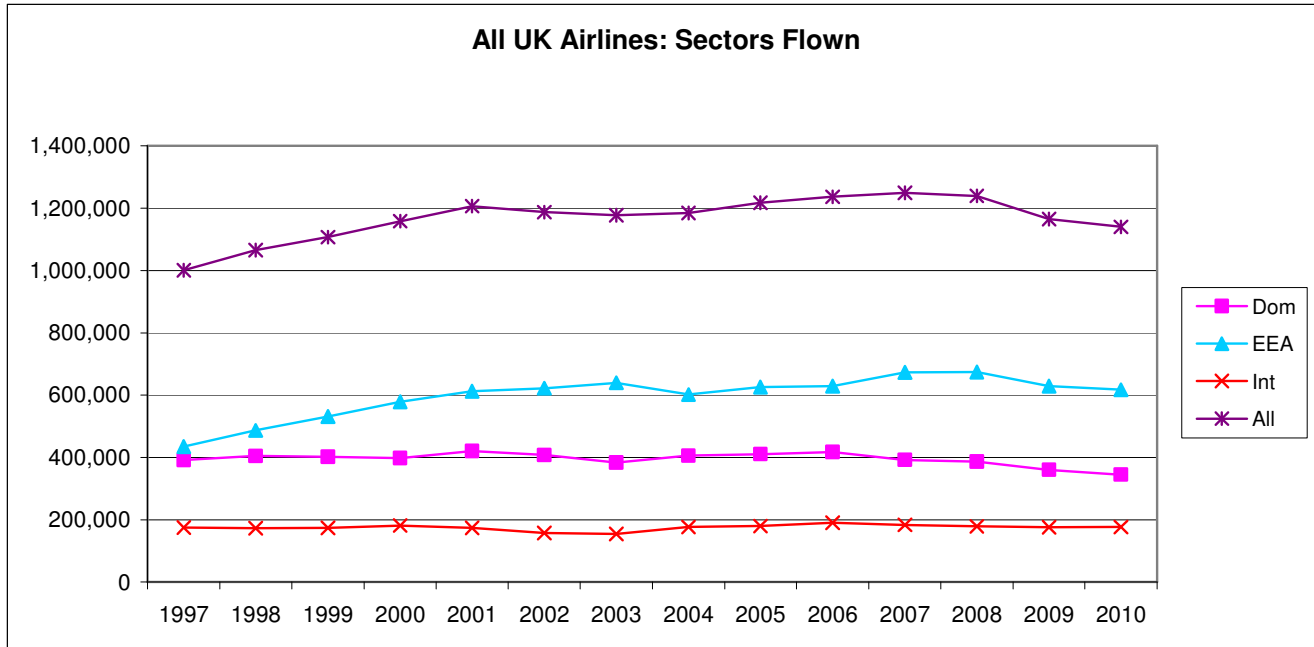


UK Airlines' Activity 1997 - 2010

All UK Airlines: Sectors Flown

Year	UK Domestic Dom	Change %	European Economic Area EEA	Change %	Other International Int	Change %	All	Change %
1997	391,338		435,011		174,562		1,000,911	
1998	404,909	3.47%	487,397	12.04%	173,022	-0.88%	1,065,328	6.44%
1999	402,371	-0.63%	531,618	9.07%	173,486	0.27%	1,107,475	3.96%
2000	398,116	-1.06%	578,854	8.89%	181,585	4.67%	1,158,555	4.61%
2001	420,198	5.55%	612,530	5.82%	173,629	-4.38%	1,206,357	4.13%
2002	407,679	-2.98%	621,780	1.51%	157,611	-9.23%	1,187,070	-1.60%
2003	383,757	-5.87%	639,525	2.85%	154,229	-2.15%	1,177,511	-0.81%
2004	405,397	5.64%	602,176	-5.84%	176,885	14.69%	1,184,458	0.59%
2005	411,044	1.39%	626,536	4.05%	179,951	1.73%	1,217,531	2.79%
2006	417,340	1.53%	628,889	0.38%	190,199	5.69%	1,236,428	1.55%
2007	392,529	-5.95%	673,384	7.08%	183,429	-3.56%	1,249,342	1.04%
2008	386,771	-1.47%	674,124	0.11%	178,354	-2.77%	1,239,249	-0.81%
2009	360,202	-6.87%	628,599	-6.75%	176,141	-1.24%	1,164,942	-6.00%
2010	345,260	-4.15%	617,618	-1.75%	177,132	0.56%	1,140,010	-2.14%

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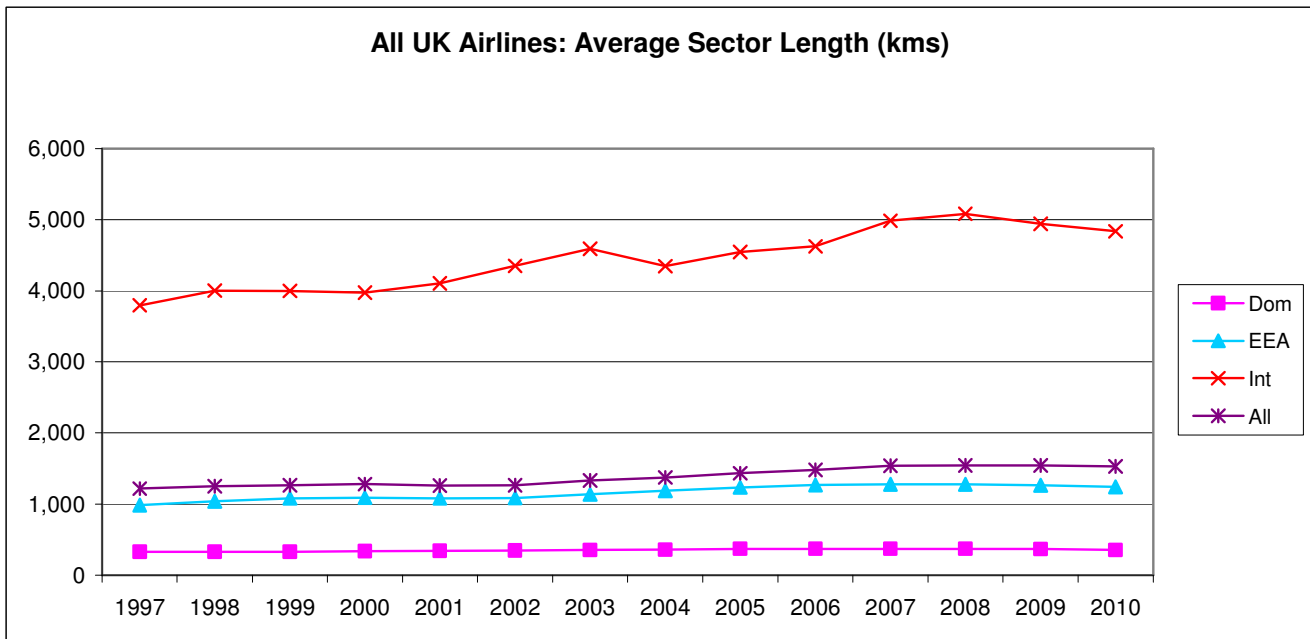


UK Airlines' Activity 1997 - 2010

All UK Airlines: Average Sector Length (kms)

Year	UK Domestic Dom	Change %	European Economic Area EEA	Change %	Other International Int	Change %	All	Change %
1997	328		986		3,798		1,219	
1998	330	0.63%	1,042	5.68%	4,005	5.46%	1,253	2.75%
1999	331	0.10%	1,084	3.97%	3,997	-0.20%	1,266	1.08%
2000	337	1.92%	1,090	0.54%	3,975	-0.54%	1,283	1.33%
2001	344	2.12%	1,084	-0.53%	4,106	3.30%	1,261	-1.72%
2002	347	0.90%	1,085	0.15%	4,350	5.94%	1,265	0.33%
2003	357	2.88%	1,137	4.73%	4,590	5.51%	1,335	5.50%
2004	361	1.02%	1,187	4.44%	4,346	-5.32%	1,376	3.08%
2005	374	3.52%	1,236	4.08%	4,545	4.58%	1,434	4.19%
2006	374	0.11%	1,269	2.69%	4,623	1.72%	1,483	3.44%
2007	373	-0.27%	1,279	0.78%	4,985	7.83%	1,538	3.73%
2008	372	-0.30%	1,279	0.02%	5,082	1.94%	1,543	0.32%
2009	368	-0.91%	1,267	-0.96%	4,942	-2.75%	1,545	0.10%
2010	355	-3.68%	1,242	-1.94%	4,835	-2.17%	1,532	-0.85%

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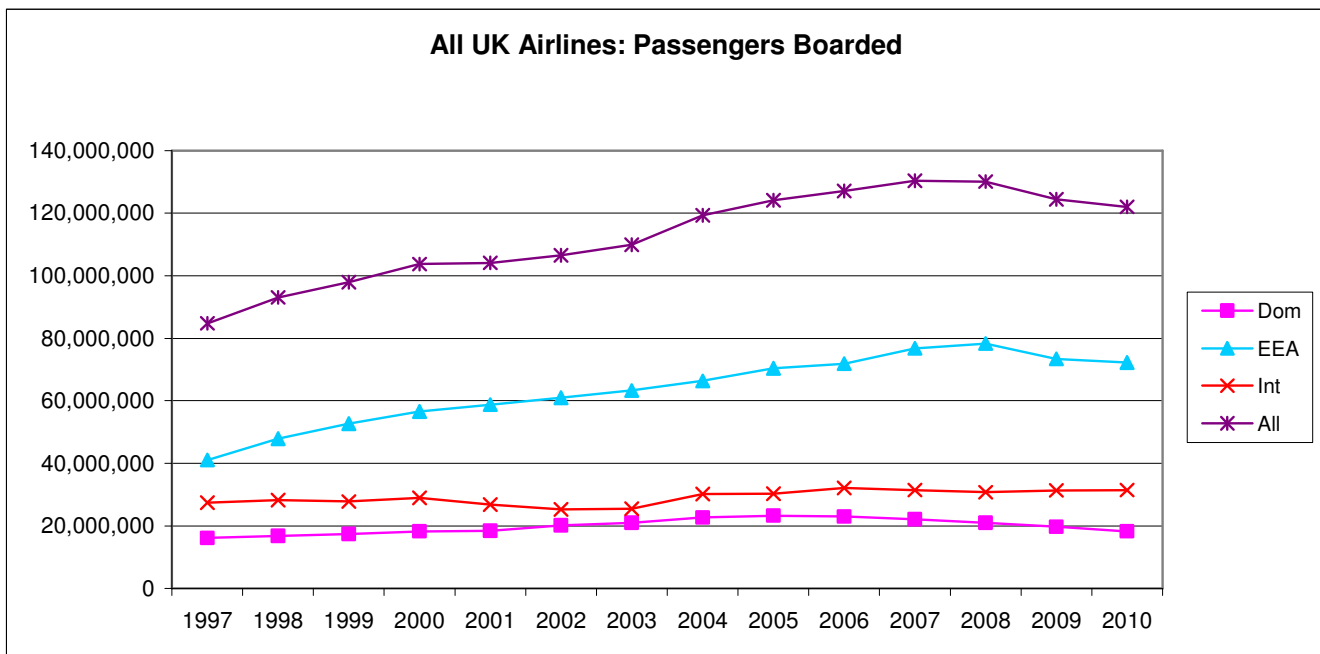


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All UK Airlines: Passengers Boarded

Year	UK Domestic Dom	Change %	European Economic Area EEA	Change %	Other International Int	Change %	All	Change %
1997	16,199,566		41,122,954		27,416,807		84,739,327	
1998	16,852,634	4.03%	47,946,417	16.59%	28,242,862	3.01%	93,041,913	9.80%
1999	17,373,134	3.09%	52,761,451	10.04%	27,771,252	-1.67%	97,905,837	5.23%
2000	18,241,925	5.00%	56,553,095	7.19%	28,955,437	4.26%	103,750,457	5.97%
2001	18,498,855	1.41%	58,756,439	3.90%	26,812,178	-7.40%	104,067,472	0.31%
2002	20,192,882	9.16%	61,027,736	3.87%	25,339,664	-5.49%	106,560,282	2.40%
2003	21,017,545	4.08%	63,352,058	3.81%	25,535,436	0.77%	109,905,039	3.14%
2004	22,704,902	8.03%	66,351,882	4.74%	30,248,831	18.46%	119,305,615	8.55%
2005	23,283,806	2.55%	70,459,917	6.19%	30,341,112	0.31%	124,084,835	4.01%
2006	23,042,105	-1.04%	71,889,083	2.03%	32,165,251	6.01%	127,096,439	2.43%
2007	22,150,761	-3.87%	76,808,831	6.84%	31,445,444	-2.24%	130,405,036	2.60%
2008	21,010,999	-5.15%	78,356,983	2.02%	30,764,958	-2.16%	130,132,940	-0.21%
2009	19,710,109	-6.19%	73,394,261	-6.33%	31,355,075	1.92%	124,459,445	-4.36%
2010	18,297,596	-7.17%	72,291,492	-1.50%	31,434,559	0.25%	122,023,647	-1.96%

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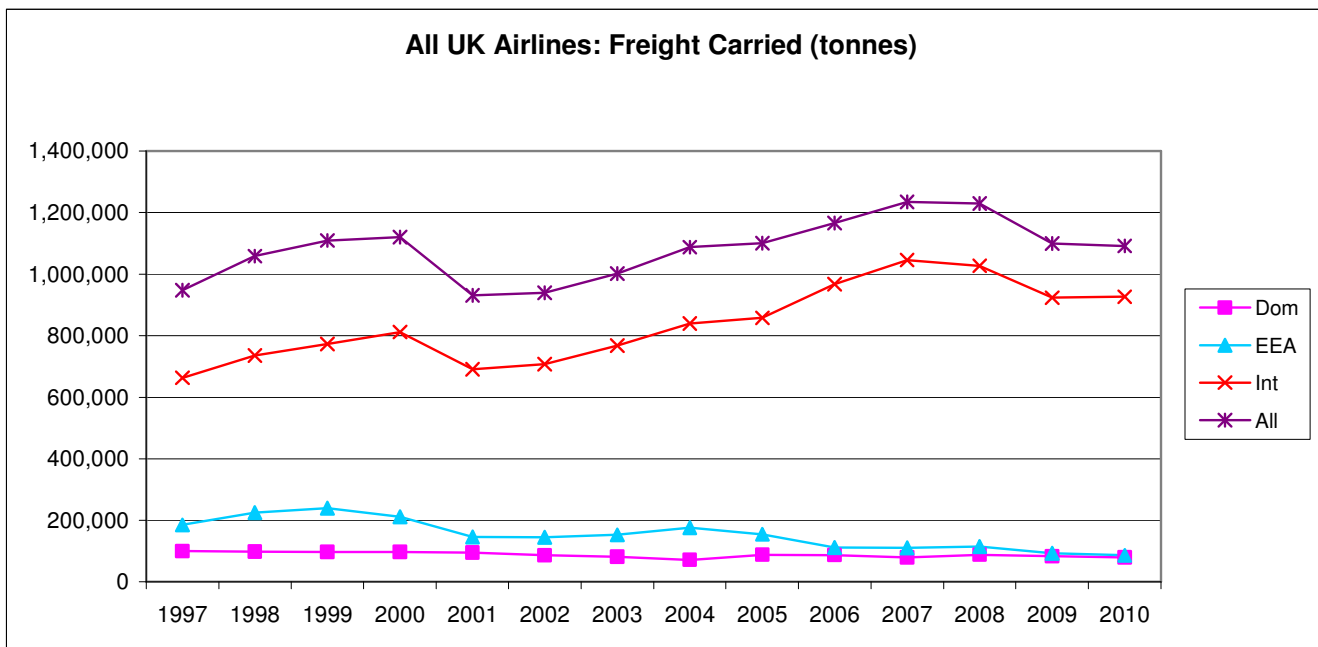


UK Airlines' Activity 1997 - 2010

All UK Airlines: Freight Carried (tonnes)

Year	UK Domestic Dom	Change %	European Economic Area EEA	Change %	Other International Int	Change %	All	Change %
1997	99,333		185,123		663,359		947,815	
1998	98,228	-1.11%	225,126	21.61%	735,227	10.83%	1,058,581	11.69%
1999	96,746	-1.51%	239,329	6.31%	773,116	5.15%	1,109,191	4.78%
2000	96,390	-0.37%	211,232	-11.74%	812,334	5.07%	1,119,956	0.97%
2001	94,481	-1.98%	145,970	-30.90%	691,183	-14.91%	931,634	-16.82%
2002	86,504	-8.44%	145,254	-0.49%	707,308	2.33%	939,065	0.80%
2003	81,120	-6.22%	152,375	4.90%	767,945	8.57%	1,001,440	6.64%
2004	71,065	-12.40%	176,576	15.88%	839,886	9.37%	1,087,526	8.60%
2005	88,113	23.99%	154,956	-12.24%	858,026	2.16%	1,101,094	1.25%
2006	87,103	-1.15%	111,336	-28.15%	967,509	12.76%	1,165,948	5.89%
2007	78,868	-9.45%	110,282	-0.95%	1,045,623	8.07%	1,234,773	5.90%
2008	87,910	11.47%	114,559	3.88%	1,027,324	-1.75%	1,229,793	-0.40%
2009	83,121	-5.45%	93,369	-18.50%	923,062	-10.15%	1,099,551	-10.59%
2010	79,555	-4.29%	86,033	-7.86%	926,648	0.39%	1,092,236	-0.67%

Source:CAA UK airline statistics.



UK Airlines' Activity 1997 - 2010

Number of commercial aircraft in service with UK airlines.

As at 31st December each year

Source CAA table 1.11.1

Year	Number of Aircraft in Service
1997	758
1998	837
1999	850
2000	889
2001	928
2002	903
2003	921
2004	921
2005	952
2006	963
2007	957
2008	967
2009	1010
2010	976

Source: CAA UK airline statistics

