



ABIA logs new passenger record in June

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Austin-Bergstrom International Airport saw its busiest month yet in June, with passenger traffic totaling 869,308, or a 8.5 percent increase from June 2007. That number breaks the airport's previous July 2007 record of 832,455 passengers in a single month.

Year-to-date, ABIA has had 4.5 million passengers, up 6 percent from the same six months in 2007.

From January to June 2008, Express Jet Airlines, which announced in early July it would cease its operations on Sept. 2, saw 97,667 passengers, or a 184 percent increase compared with the same period last year. JetBlue Airways totaled 151,714 passengers, or a 32 percent increase from the same period last year.

Delta Air Lines had the largest decrease with 362,622 passengers, or a 9 percent decrease from the same six months in 2007.

Year-to-date, cargo totaled 105 million pounds, up 4.5 percent.

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