2011 Georgia Statewide Airport Economic Impact Study

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Study Elements

- Statewide Economic Impact Analysis
- Aviation Generated Revenue Study
- Airport Case Studies
- Business Case Studies
- DVD Georgia Airports Mean Business





Impact Measurement Factors

- On-airport businesses
- On-airport capital improvements
- Visitor spending
- Non-aviation businesses dependent on airports





Data Collected

Surveys of:

- 103 study airports
- 520 on-airport businesses
- Commercial airline visitors
- Transient GA visitors
- Non-aviation businesses





Economic Benefits Reported

Jobs

- Annual payroll
- Annual economic output
 - airport-related spending
 - capital improvements
 - all visitor spending





On-Airport Impacts

- On-airport businesses and tenants
 - Fixed base operators (FBO)
 - Airlines
 - Air traffic control
 - Aircraft maintenance
 - Other aviation-related businesses
- Capital improvement projects (CIP)

 FAA, GDOT, local investment
 Averaged over multi-year period





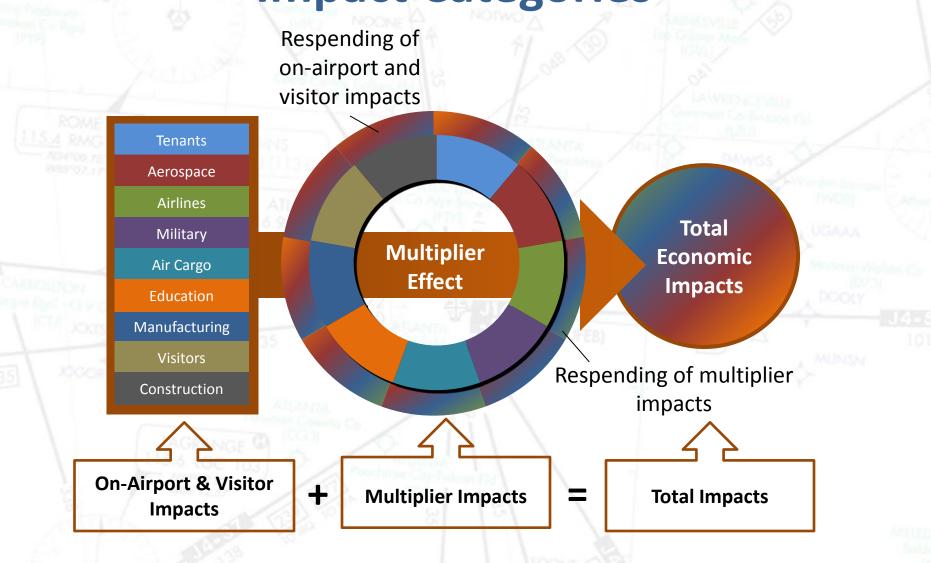


Visitor Spending Impacts

- Jobs per \$1 million in visitor spending
 - Commercial Service Airports = 10-13 jobs
 - General Aviation Airports = 17-22 jobs
- Jobs supported by visitor spending are primarily in
 - the service industry

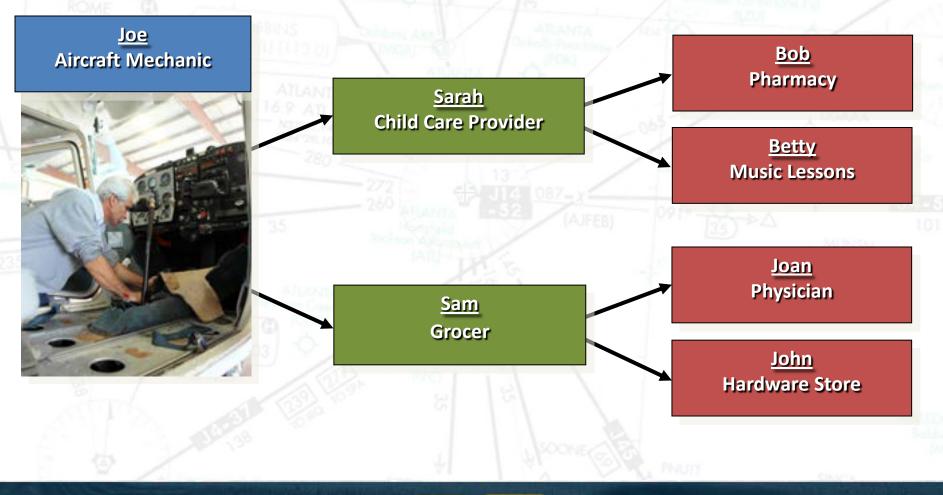


Impact Categories





Multiplier Impacts





Summary of Economic Impacts

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	Impacts	Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International	Other Commercial Service Airports	General Aviation Airports	Statewide Totals
JOBS	On-Airport	68,323	10,569	3,997	82,889
	Visitor	169,522	4,549	1,548	175,619
	Multiplier	196,589	11,333	4,745	212,667
Total Jobs		434,434	26,451	10,290	471,175
PAYROLL	On-Airport	\$5,127,000,000	\$595,000,000	\$183,000,000	\$5,905,000,000
	Visitor	\$3,402,000,000	\$92,000,000	\$31,000,000	\$3,525,000,000
	Multiplier	\$7,784,000,000	\$423,000,000	\$140,000,000	\$8,347,000,000
Total Payroll		\$16,313,000,000	\$1,110,000,000	\$354,000,000	\$17,777,000,000
ECONOMIC OUTPUT	On-Airport	\$18,678,000,000	\$1,818,000,000	\$698,000,000	\$21,194,000,000
	Visitor	\$13,902,000,000	\$382,000,000	\$85,000,000	\$14,369,000,000
	Multiplier	\$25,640,000,000	\$1,006,000,000	\$421,000,000	\$27,067,000,000
Total Economic Output		\$58,220,000,000	\$3,206,000,000	\$1,204,000,000	\$62,630,000,000

Note: Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport data is from 2009 Economic Impact Study. All other data is based on CY2010.



Gwinnett County – Briscoe Field

Jobs:

On-Airport Jobs

Jobs Supported by General Aviation Visitor Spending 104

Total On-Airport and Visitor Jobs

Multiplier Jobs

Total Jobs



366

260

364

730

Total Economic Impact: Gwinnett County – Briscoe Field

On-Airport

Multiplier

Total Impacts

General Aviation Visitor

Total On-Airport and Visitor Impacts

\$47,736,500

\$6,138,400

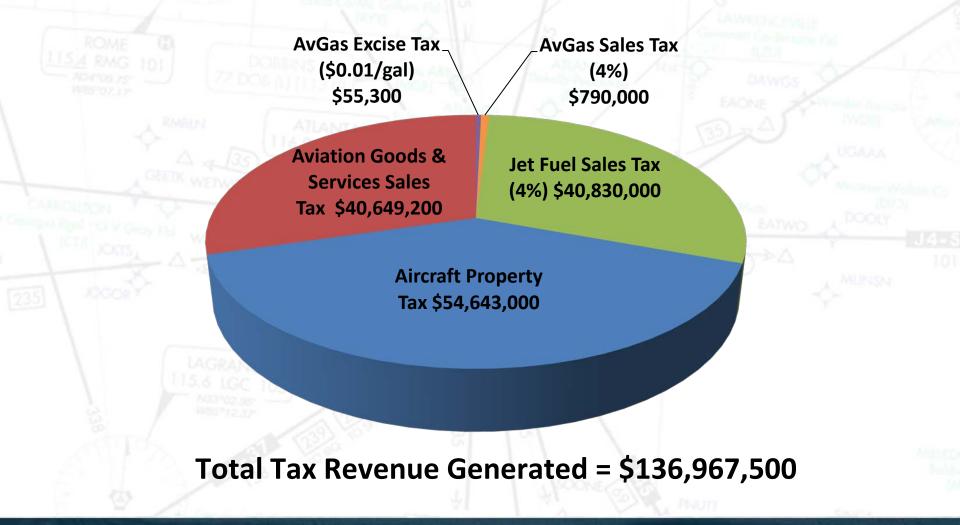
\$53,874,900

\$31,496,300

\$85,371,200



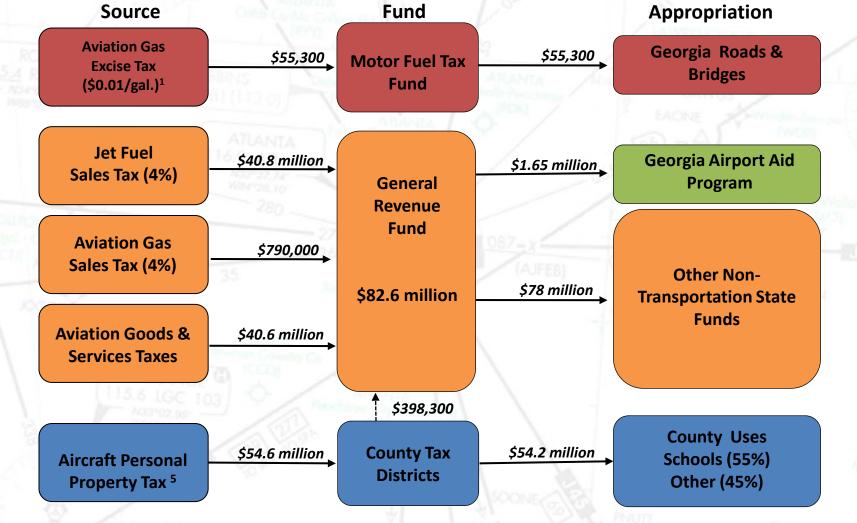
Direct Aviation-Related Revenue Summary





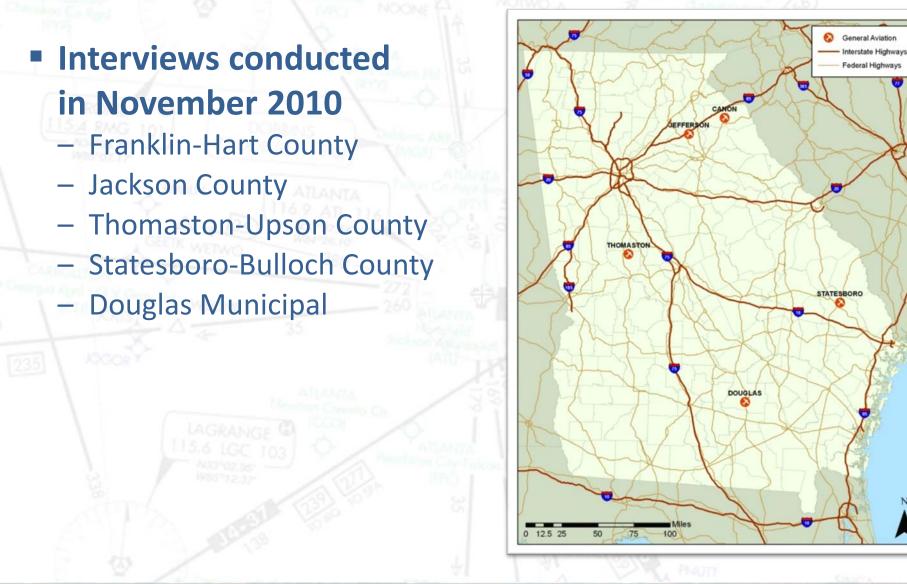
Revenue Study:

Flow of Aviation Generated Revenues





Airport Case Studies





Statesboro Case Study

Since 1991, Statesboro-Bulloch County has:

- Attracted 43 new industries and businesses
- Experienced \$900 million in investment
- Added more than 4,400 new jobs
- 25% increase in population

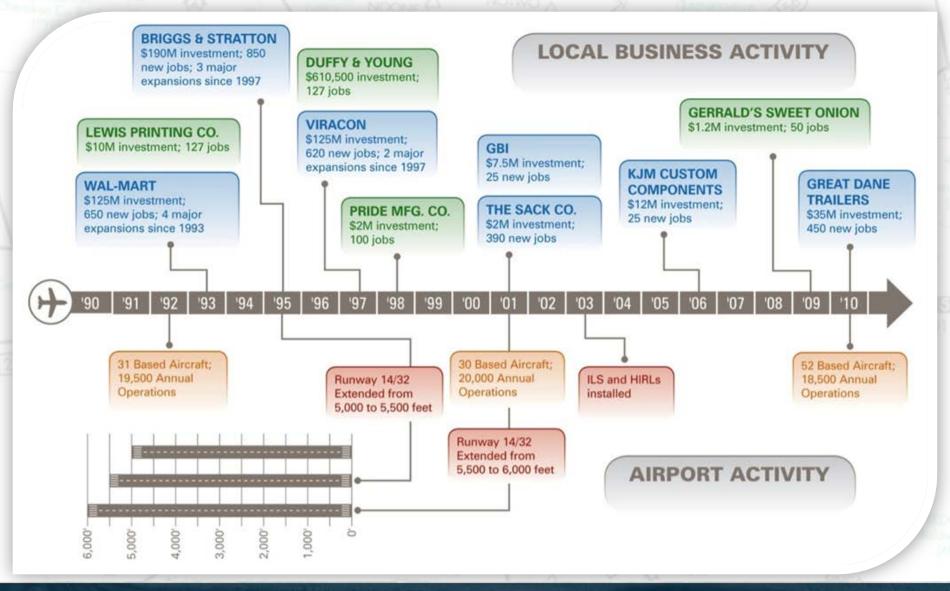
Local businesses rely on the airport:

- Briggs & Stratton
- Georgia Southern University
- Local doctors
- RB Baker Construction
- Carmike Cinemas





Statesboro Case Study





Business Profiles



Standridge **Color Corporation**

In operation since 1980, Standridge Color Corporation is a of high quality colorants for the plastics industry. Headqu Circle, Georgia, the company employs more than 350 peo located in the U.S., Europe, and China with combined sale \$220 million in 2010. The colorants they manufacture are u products including carpet fibers, food packaging, and auto

In 1992, Standridge Color purchased its first aircraft, a Ces the numerous trips made to Dalton. Georgia and various p Nearly 20 years later, the company's corporate flight depart to consist of three Beechcraft King Air aircraft and one Be

Owner, Bob Standridge, believes Standridge Color is not but also a service provider. The company is committed to customers, often located in rural areas, with rapid support of corporate aircraft, Standridge Color can respond to any U.S. within a 12 hour window, and typically, within a five he





EXAMPLES OF HOW STANDRIDGE COLOR UTILIZES THEIR CORPORATE AIRCRAFT

- · Quality control experts make frequent pick-ups and deliveries of rush color matches and provide hands-on support assisting with product specifications.
- Sales personnel fly extensively to visit current and potential customers in distant locations. They frequently fly those customers to their corporate headquarters to showcase their facilities and capabilities
- · Maintenance staff travel to plants located in other cities and states to upgrade machinery.

STANDRIDGE COLOR AVIATION HIGHLIGHTS

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00-300 hours flown in 2010

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"First impressions always make a big impact and we're proud of the Covington Municipal Airport when we bring customers to Social Circle." Henry Stowe, Project Manager



Flowers Foods

Headquartered in Thomasville, a sma Foods is a leading producer and mark 41 bakeries and annual sales of more fresh products are available to more t snack cakes and frozen products are acquisitions; in the last seven years a

In the mid-1960s, owner William H. Fl aviation as a way to efficiently visit th bakeries and potential capital investr aviation has played a strategic role in and time management during ongoin

Flowers Foods continues to grow its reach, making it even more critical fo management to visit its bakeries arou aircraft has helped the company main unique culture and get team member they need to be when they need to be

FLOWERS FOODS AVIATION TIMELINE

1964 or 1965 Flowers purchases Beech E18S N42D (manufactured in 1954-55); Al Tynes who had flown for American Airline: was the company's first pilot

1965-1968 Flowers purchases Beechcraft Baron A55; John Hunt hired as new chief pil Don Watt later replaces Hunt

1968 or 1969 Flowers purchases new Cessna 421 Early 1970s Flowers purchases Beech Baron D55

1973 or 1974 Flowers purchases Mitsubishi MU2 "F" model; Irv NeSmith hired as chief pilot

Mid 1970s Flowers purchases MU2 "J" model **Beechcraft Baron**

1975 Ken Linthacum hired as pilot

Late 1970s Flowers purchases Beechcraft Baron "Model 58"; trades the MU2 "J"model for a MU2 "Solitaire" and two MU2 "Marquis": Ken Linthaci pillot in 1977

Early 1980s Flowers sells the Barons; retains the MI124

> Company purchases first jet—a Mitsubishi Diamond; traded all MU2s for a second Diamond jet 1999 Flowers trades both Diamonds for



FLOWERS FOODS AVIATION HIGHLIGHTS

rrent Beech jets

Eight employees: six pilots, one aircraft mechanic, and one dispatcher

Two Beech Jets: 800 hours flown in 2010

1986

Most bakeries are located within 15 minutes of a general aviation airport

Vendors frequently use Thomasville Regional Airport to visit Flowers Foods' headquarters and use other general aviation airports to access other plant sites.

"There is no way we could be as effective as we are if we did not have our corporate planes."

Using corporate aviation allows management to be in the air in 20 minutes versus a minimum of 2 ½ hours when flying commercially.



Next Steps

Publish Final Study Documentation in November Final meeting with Project Steering Committee

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