

## Air Canada Reports May Traffic

MONTREAL, June 6, 2011 /CNW Telbec/ - For the month of May, AirCanada reported a system load factor of 82.2 per cent, versus 82.0 per cent in May 2010, an increase of 0.2 percentage points. System traffic increased 5.0 per cent on a system-wide capacity increase of 4.7 per cent. Air Canada reports traffic results on a system-wide basis, including regional airlines from which Air Canada purchases capacity.

"For the month of May, Air Canada reported a system load factor of 82.2 per cent," said Calin Rovinescu, President and Chief Executive Officer. "Led by a 13 per cent increase on U.S. transborder routes, we generated greater traffic in all markets with system wide growth of 5 per cent, while overall capacity increased 4.7 per cent through higher utilization of our existing fleet. These strong results reflect Air Canada's ongoing focus on operating the airline in a disciplined and efficient manner with respect to capacity and asset deployment. I thank our employees for their strong commitment to taking care of our customers and for safely transporting them to their destinations."

		May			Year-To-Date		
		2011	2010	Change	2011	2010	Change
<b>Traffic</b> (RPMs mln)		4,448	4,236	+5.0%	21,121	19,797	+6.7%
<b>Capacity</b> (ASMs mln)		5,411	5,169	+4.7%	26,541	24,592	+7.9%
<b>Load Factor</b>		82.2%	82.0%	+0.2 pts	79.6%	80.5%	- 0.9 pts
<b>Canada</b>	<b>RPMs</b>	1,352	1,348	+0.3%	5,949	5,983	-0.6%
	<b>ASMs</b>	1,698	1,684	+0.8%	7,455	7,510	-0.7%
	<b>LF</b>	79.6%	80.0%	-0.4 pts	79.8%	79.7%	+0.1 pts
<b>US Transborder</b>	<b>RPMs</b>	642	568	+13.0%	3,818	3,381	+12.9%
	<b>ASMs</b>	817	770	+6.1%	4,887	4,425	+10.4%
	<b>LF</b>	78.6%	73.8%	+4.8 pts	78.1%	76.4%	+1.7 pts
<b>Atlantic</b>	<b>RPMs</b>	1,161	1,117	+3.9%	4,481	4,244	+5.6%
	<b>ASMs</b>	1,415	1,324	+6.9%	5,902	5,335	+10.6%
	<b>LF</b>	82.0%	84.4%	-2.4 pts	75.9%	79.6%	- 3.7 pts
<b>Pacific</b>	<b>RPMs</b>	851	797	+6.8%	3,816	3,386	+12.7%
	<b>ASMs</b>	944	882	+7.0%	4,501	3,852	+16.8%
	<b>LF</b>	90.1%	90.4%	-0.3 pts	84.8%	87.9%	-3.1 pts
<b>Latin Amer &amp; Other</b>	<b>RPMs</b>	442	406	+8.9%	3,057	2,803	+9.1%
	<b>ASMs</b>	537	509	+5.5%	3,796	3,470	+9.4%
	<b>LF</b>	82.3%	79.8%	+2.5 pts	80.5%	80.8%	-0.3 pts



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