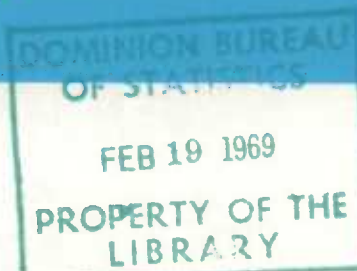


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To improve upon the timeliness of information published in the Civil Aviation monthly publications certain items have been selected for release in the Service Bulletin before the complete monthly report can be printed.

Data from the monthly reports of some 114 Canadian commercial air carriers are edited and compiled as soon as they are received. Results are then summarized by carrier group. Carrier groupings are financial categories which separate airline operators by size and, to some extent, type of service. Groups I and II consist of the two major airlines and four regional carriers. Group III is composed of twenty-nine carriers with over \$500,000 gross annual flying revenue and in Group IV there are seventy-nine companies with \$150,000 - \$500,000 gross annual flying revenues.

As can be seen from the accompanying table, carriers in Groups I and II account for most of the unit toll traffic and revenues. The smaller carriers, Group III and Group IV, are more concerned with charter activities between centres not served by the major airlines.

The table excludes the operations of foreign carriers, Group V operators and specialty flying services. Information concerning these operations may be found in the Civil Aviation monthly publication.

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Month of August 1968 and Eight Months Total 1968

	August 1968 Group I and II	August 1968 Group I-IV	% change from August 1967 I-IV	Jan.-Aug. 1968 Group I-IV	% change from Jan.-Aug. 1967 I-IV
<u>Unit Toll</u>					
Hours flown	40,842	47,566	+ 6.6	325,686	+ 9.6
Passengers carried	847,253	877,249	- 0.6	5,653,798	+ 3.9
Passenger-miles	861,785,016	867,521,213	+ 6.1	5,137,807,754	+ 10.7
Goods carried ... (lbs.)	22,291,718	24,171,748	+ 17.1	183,588,535	+ 16.8
Goods ton-miles	16,162,095	16,574,435	+ 34.3	124,675,934	+ 29.0
Unit toll revenues	\$ 54,908,279	56,115,316	+ 10.8	343,931,452	+ 12.5
<u>Bulk</u>					
Hours flown	3,474	63,712	+ 7.1	284,888	+ 3.5
Passengers carried	23,806	131,466	+ 15.1	605,640	+ 13.8
Passenger-miles	52,960,706	124,783,223	+ 63.8	461,975,552	+ 61.8
Goods carried ... (lbs.)	1,261,990	19,022,805	+ 26.3	107,274,228	+ 21.8
Goods ton-miles	576,662	1,367,386	+ 22.6	12,384,452	+ 24.5
Bulk transport revenues \$	2,300,624	11,253,527	+ 25.5	48,737,946	+ 20.5
Total operating revenues \$	57,834,928	70,211,422	+ 11.8	409,086,488	+ 12.6
Total operating expenses \$	45,497,015	54,168,005	+ 10.8	382,861,897	+ 12.9
Net income after taxes \$	6,961,226	10,419,487	+ 4.5	26,244,591	+ 101.1