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Delta Air Lines Reports May Traffic

ATLANTA, June 3, 2011 – Delta Air Lines (NYSE: DAL) today reported traffic results for May 2011. System traffic in May 2011 increased 2.2 percent compared to May 2010 on a 2.2 percent increase in capacity. Load factor was flat versus prior year at 83.9 percent.

Domestic traffic increased 1.9 percent year over year on a 0.4 percent increase in capacity. Domestic load factor increased 1.3 points to 85.1 percent. International traffic increased 2.6 percent year over year on a 5.0 percent increase in capacity, and load factor decreased 2.0 points to 82.2 percent.

Detailed traffic and capacity are attached.

Delta Air Lines serves more than 160 million customers each year, and was named by Fortune magazine as the most admired airline worldwide in its 2011 World's Most Admired Companies airline industry list. With an industry-leading global network, Delta and the Delta Connection carriers offer service to 354 destinations in 65 countries on six continents. Headquartered in Atlanta, Delta employs 80,000 employees worldwide and operates a mainline fleet of more than 700 aircraft. A founding member of the SkyTeam global alliance, Delta participates in the industry's leading trans-Atlantic joint venture with Air France-KLM and Alitalia. Including its worldwide alliance partners, Delta offers customers more than 13,000 daily flights, with hubs in Amsterdam, Atlanta, Cincinnati, Detroit, Memphis, Minneapolis-St. Paul, New York-JFK, Paris-Charles de Gaulle, Salt Lake City and Tokyo-Narita. The airline's service includes the SkyMiles frequent flier program, a world-class airline loyalty program; the award-winning BusinessElite service; and more than 50 Delta Sky Clubs in airports worldwide. Delta is investing more than $2 billion through 2013 in airport facilities and global products, services and technology to enhance the customer experience in the air and on the ground. Customers can check in for flights, print boarding passes, check bags and review flight status at delta.com.

Delta Air Lines
Monthly Traffic Results [a]

	May 2011	May 2010	Change	
RPMs (000):				
Domestic	9,985,993	9,795,840	1.9%	
Delta Mainline	7,862,186	7,699,623	2.1%	
Regional	2,123,807	2,096,217	1.3%	
International	6,647,184	6,480,711	2.6%	
Latin America	1,015,180	974,035	4.2%	
Delta Mainline	997,433	951,680	4.8%	
Regional	17,747	22,355	(20.6%)	
Atlantic	3,801,098	3,771,114	0.8%	
Pacific	1,830,906	1,735,562	5.5%	
Total System	16,633,177	16,276,551	2.2%	
ASMs (000):				
Domestic	11,740,064	11,689,969	0.4%	
Delta Mainline	9,121,503	9,067,854	0.6%	
Regional	2,618,561	2,622,115	(0.1%)	
International	8,082,740	7,700,118	5.0%	
Latin America	1,346,760	1,265,569	6.4%	
Delta Mainline	1,321,284	1,234,563	7.0%	
Regional	25,476	31,006	(17.8%)	
Atlantic	4,540,011	4,387,306	3.5%	
Pacific	2,195,969	2,047,243	7.3%	
Total System	19,822,804	19,390,087	2.2%	
Load Factor:				
Domestic	85.1%	83.8%	1.3	Pts
Delta Mainline	86.2%	84.9%	1.3	Pts
Regional	81.1%	79.9%	1.2	Pts
International	82.2%	84.2%	(2.0)	Pts
Latin America	75.4%	77.0%	(1.6)	Pts
Delta Mainline	75.5%	77.1%	(1.6)	Pts
Regional	69.7%	72.1%	(2.4)	Pts
Atlantic	83.7%	86.0%	(2.3)	Pts
Pacific	83.4%	84.8%	(1.4)	Pts
Total System	83.9%	83.9%	(0.0)	Pts
Passengers Boarded	14,365,302	13,793,488	4.1%	
Mainline Completion Factor	99.5	98.9	0.6	Pts
Cargo Ton Miles (000)	197,110	193,104	2.1%	

Endnote:
[a] Results include flights operated under contract carrier arrangements.

Delta Air Lines
Year To Date Traffic Results [a]

	May 2011	May 2010	Change	
RPMs (000):				
Domestic	45,407,237	45,450,322	(0.1%)	
Delta Mainline	35,788,782	35,531,338	0.7%	
Regional	9,618,455	9,918,984	(3.0%)	
International	29,629,071	28,277,889	4.8%	
Latin America	5,730,215	6,027,058	(4.9%)	
Delta Mainline	5,649,846	5,893,852	(4.1%)	
Regional	80,369	133,206	(39.7%)	
Atlantic	15,046,475	13,994,682	7.5%	
Pacific	8,852,381	8,256,149	7.2%	
Total System	75,036,308	73,728,211	1.8%	
ASMs (000):				
Domestic	56,139,811	55,592,545	1.0%	
Delta Mainline	43,462,987	42,778,721	1.6%	
Regional	12,676,824	12,813,824	(1.1%)	
International	39,051,367	35,277,506	10.7%	
Latin America	7,556,811	7,765,318	(2.7%)	
Delta Mainline	7,434,866	7,585,189	(2.0%)	
Regional	121,945	180,129	(32.3%)	
Atlantic	20,178,991	17,643,837	14.4%	
Pacific	11,315,565	9,868,351	14.7%	
Total System	95,191,178	90,870,051	4.8%	
Load Factor:				
Domestic	80.9%	81.8%	(0.9)	pts
Delta Mainline	82.3%	83.1%	(0.8)	pts
Regional	75.9%	77.4%	(1.5)	Pts
International	75.9%	80.2%	(4.3)	Pts
Latin America	75.8%	77.6%	(1.8)	Pts
Delta Mainline	76.0%	77.7%	(1.7)	Pts
Regional	65.9%	74.0%	(8.1)	Pts
Atlantic	74.6%	79.3%	(4.7)	Pts
Pacific	78.2%	83.7%	(5.5)	Pts
Total System	78.8%	81.1%	(2.3)	Pts
Passengers Boarded	64,596,124	63,679,712	1.4%	
Cargo Ton Miles (000)	983,214	873,583	12.5%	

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