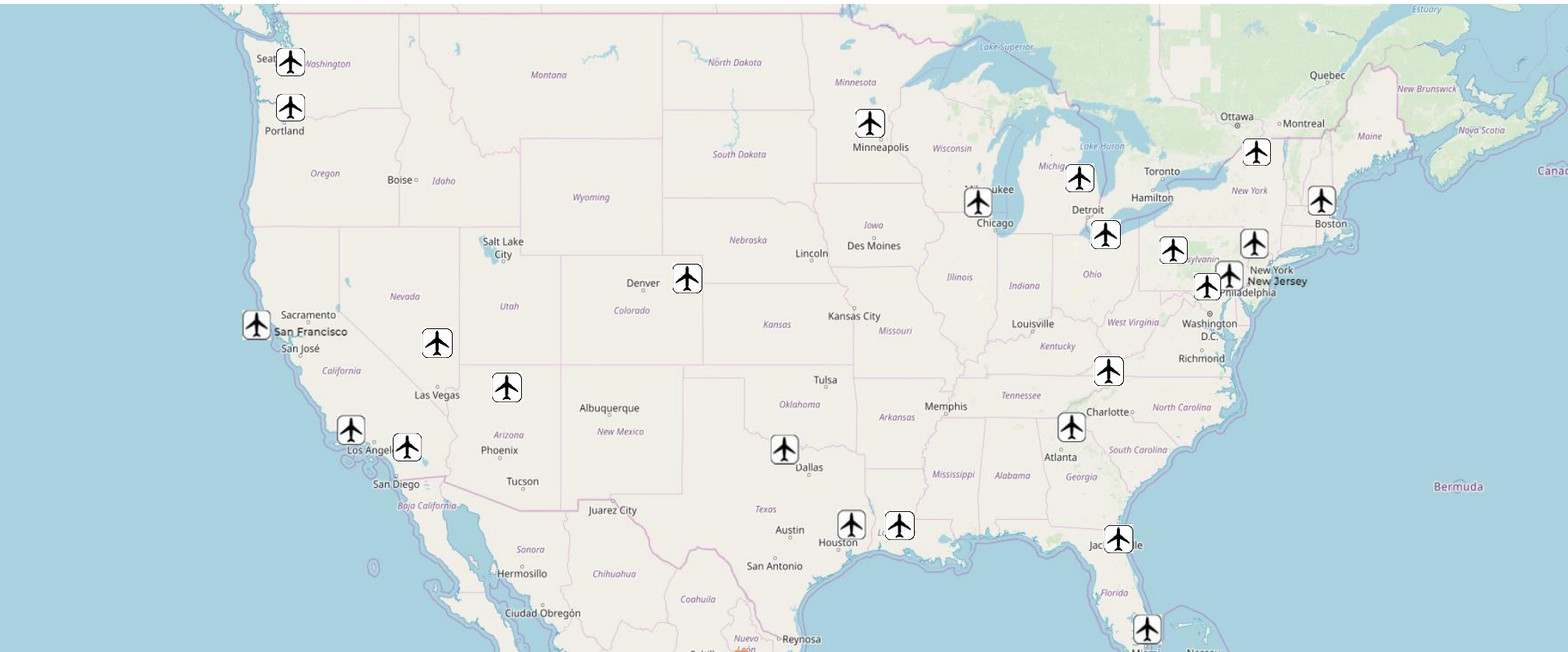
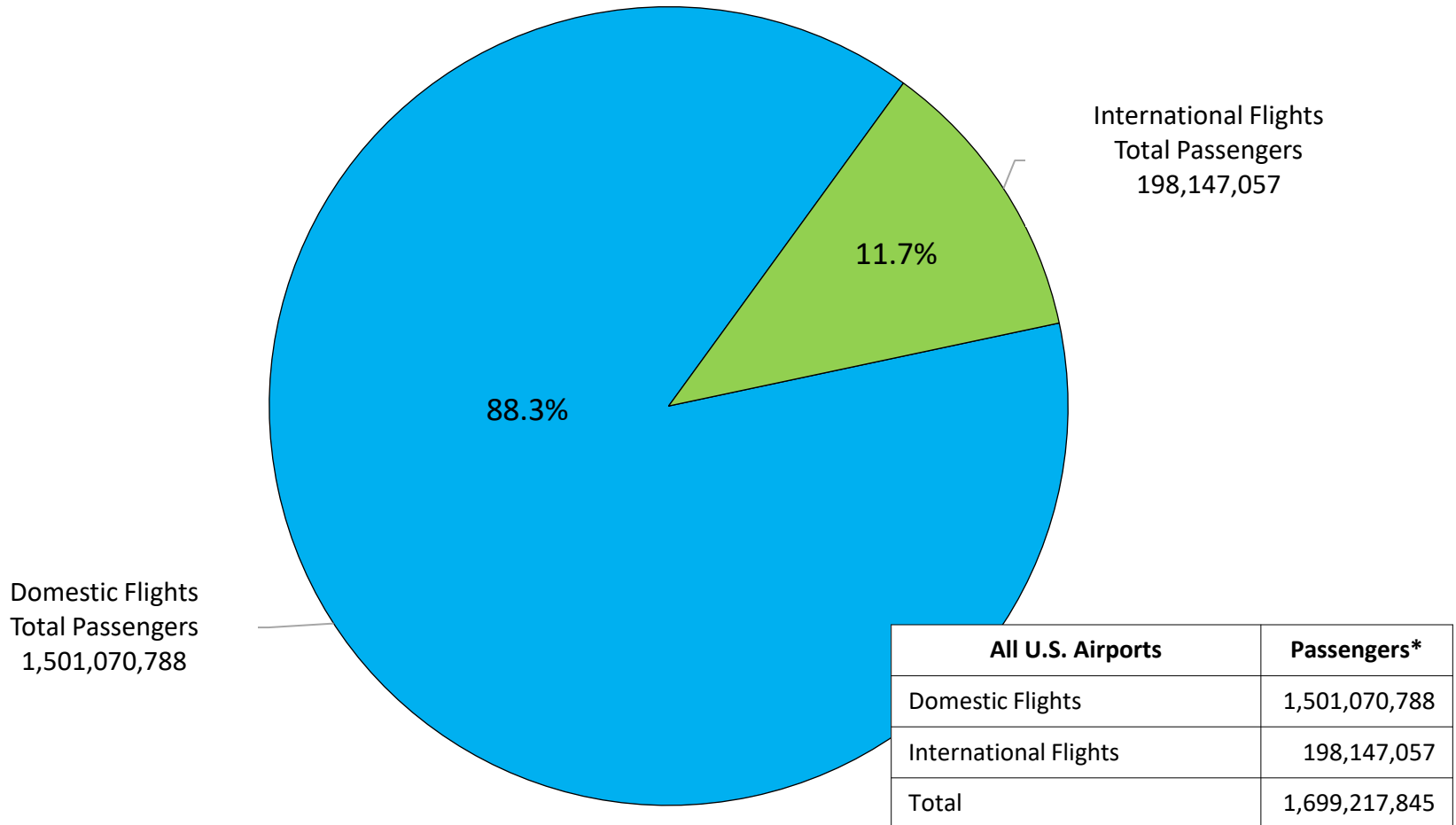


# 2022: Profile of International Air Passengers Traveling To/From the U.S. Combined Total International Air Passenger Traffic Arriving/Departing the U.S. (Survey of International Air Travelers)



# Approximately 1.7 Billion Passengers Reported for All U.S. Airports (2022)

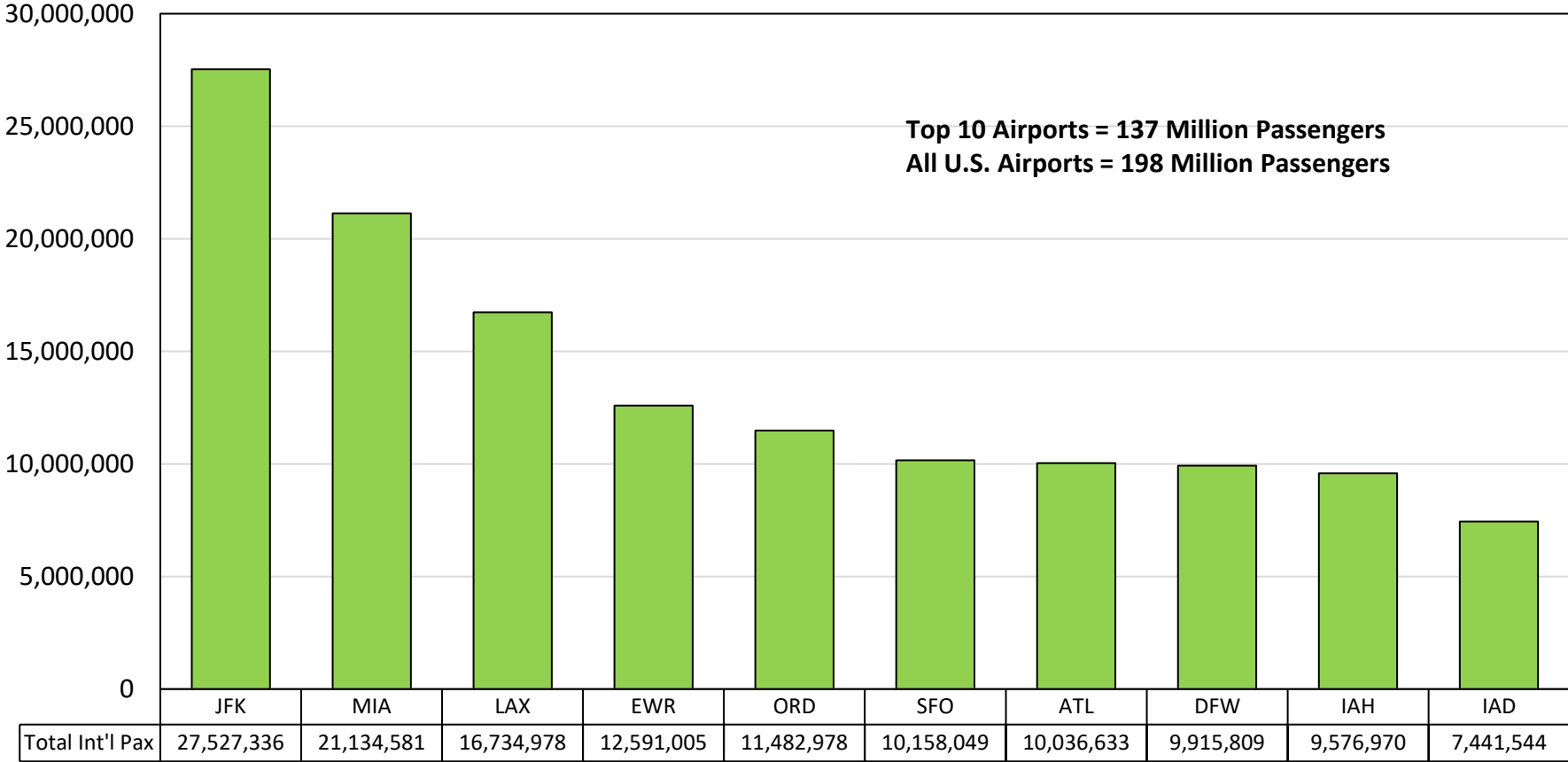


\*All U.S. Airport reported embarking and disembarking passengers.

Source: T-100 Domestic Market Data.  
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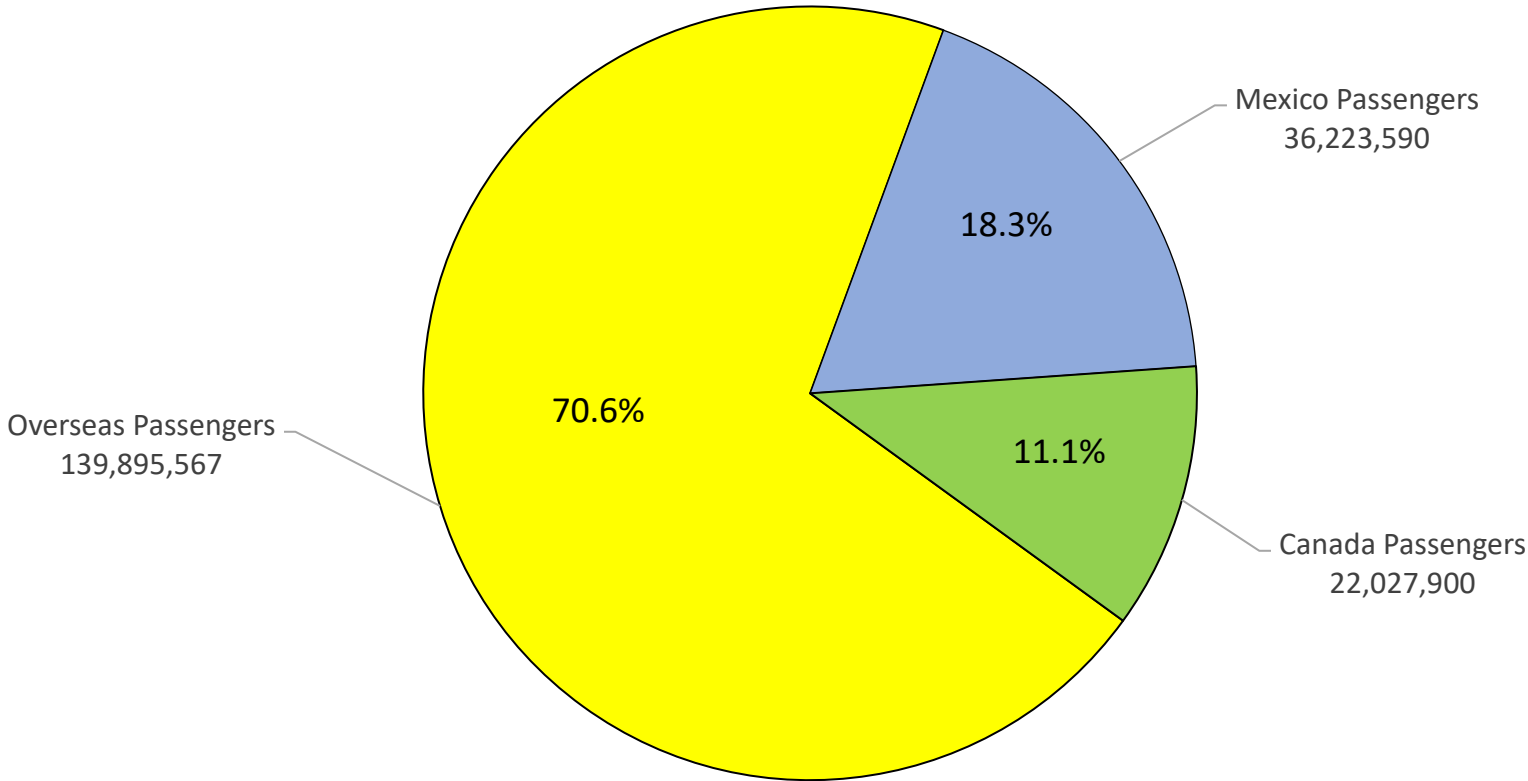
# Top 10 U.S. Airports

## 2022 Total International Passengers to/from the U.S.



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# 2022 U.S. Airport Total International Air Passengers 198 Million Passengers to/from the U.S.



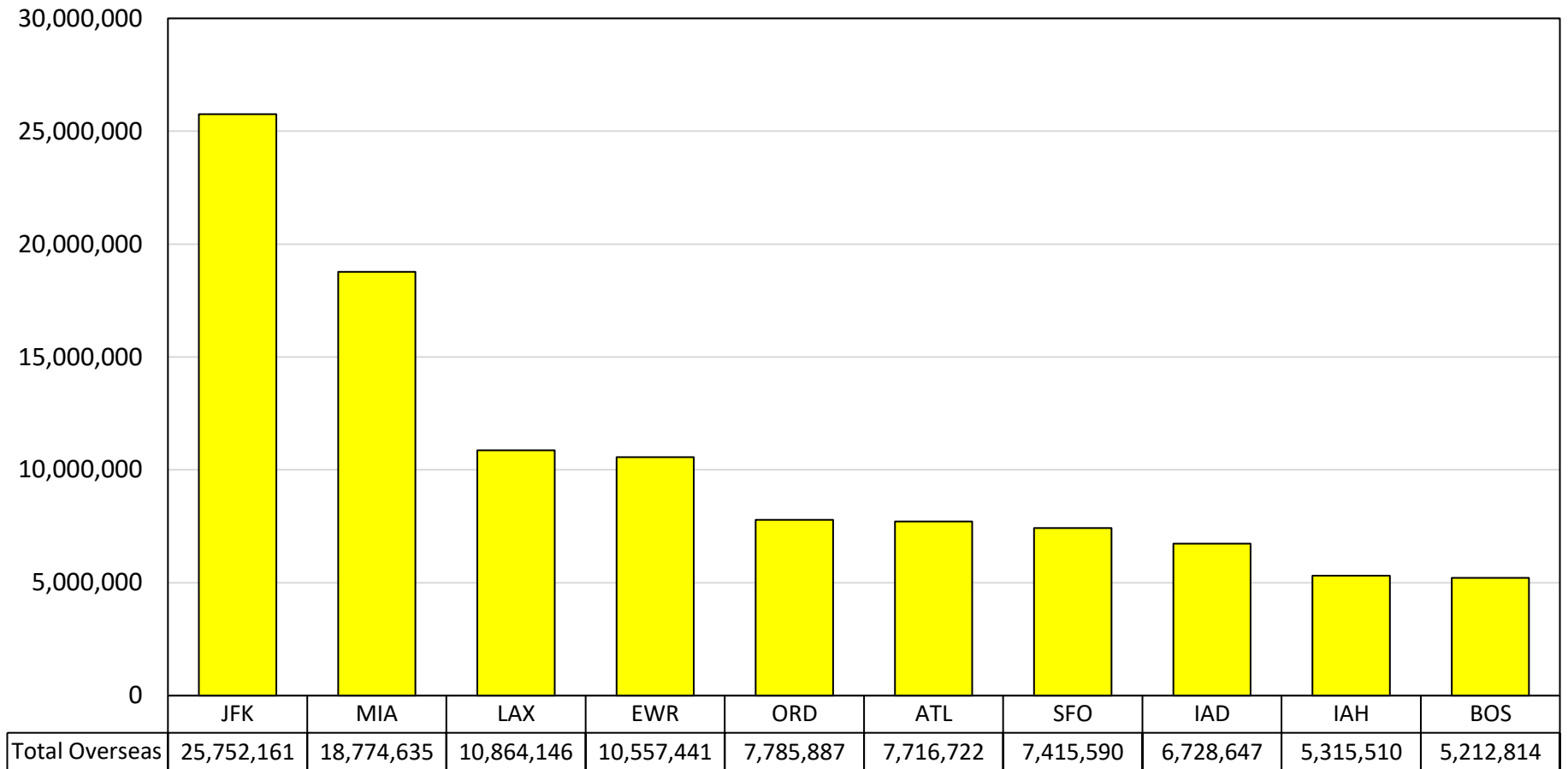
➤ Of the 198 Million international passengers arriving or departing from U.S. airports, 11% are traveling on U.S./Canada flights, 18% are traveling on U.S./Mexico flights and seven in ten (71%) are on U.S./overseas flights.

Source: APIS/I-92 U.S. International Flights (embark/debark passengers)



# Top 10 U.S. Airports

## 2022 Total Overseas Passengers to/from the U.S.



➤ Top 10 U.S. airport arrivals and departures by overseas passengers (excludes Canada and Mexico flights).

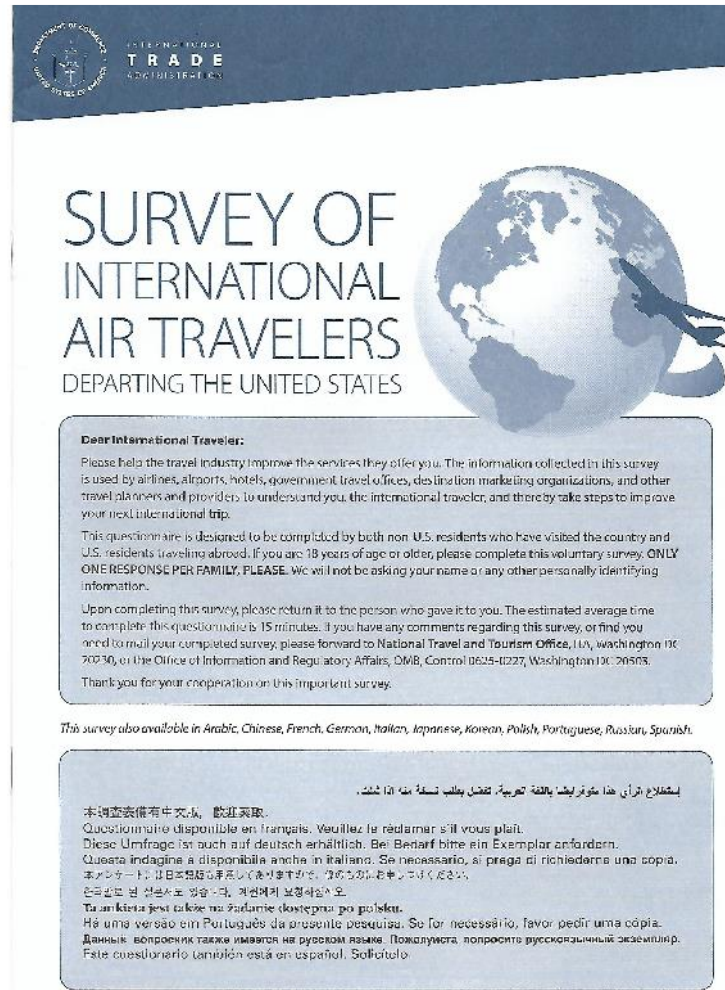
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# Trip Decision Information - 2022 Travelers Using All U.S. International Airports as Port of Entry/Embarkation

Trip Decision Information	Overseas Travelers to the U.S.	U.S. Residents on an Overseas Trip	Combined U.S. Residents & Overseas Visitors
Trip Decision Time Prior to Departure (days)	103	102	103
Airline Reservation Time Prior to Departure (days)	76	70	72
Top 3 Source for Making Airline Reservations			
Directly with the Airline	48%	54%	51%
Internet Booking Service	27%	27%	27%
Travel Agency Office	18%	13%	15%
% of Travelers Buying Travel Insurance for Trip	56%	35%	44%

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers

# Trip Decision Information – 2022 Canada Travelers Using All U.S. International Airports as Port of Entry/Embarkation

Trip Decision Information	Canada Visitors Traveling to/from the U.S.	U.S. Residents Traveling to/from the U.S. and Canada	Combined Canada Visitors to the U.S. and U.S. Residents to Canada
Trip Decision Time Prior to Departure (days)	74	71	73
Airline Reservation Time Prior to Departure (days)	54	46	51
Top 3 Source for Making Airline Reservations			
Directly with the Airline	55%	52%	54%
Internet Booking Service	29%	32%	31%
Travel Agency Office	8%	5%	7%
% of Travelers Buying Travel Insurance for Trip	32%	23%	28%

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers



# Trip Decision Information – 2022 Mexico Travelers Using All U.S. International Airports as Port of Entry/Embarkation

Trip Decision Information	Mexico Visitors Traveling to/from the U.S.	U.S. Residents Traveling to/from the U.S. and Mexico	Combined Mexico Visitors to the U.S. and U.S. Residents to Mexico
Trip Decision Time Prior to Departure (days)	60	86	80
Airline Reservation Time Prior to Departure (days)	43	63	58
Top 3 Source for Making Airline Reservations			
Directly with the Airline	56%	57%	57%
Internet Booking Service	28%	33%	32%
Travel Agency Office	9%	8%	8%
% of Travelers Buying Travel Insurance for Trip	23%	29%	28%

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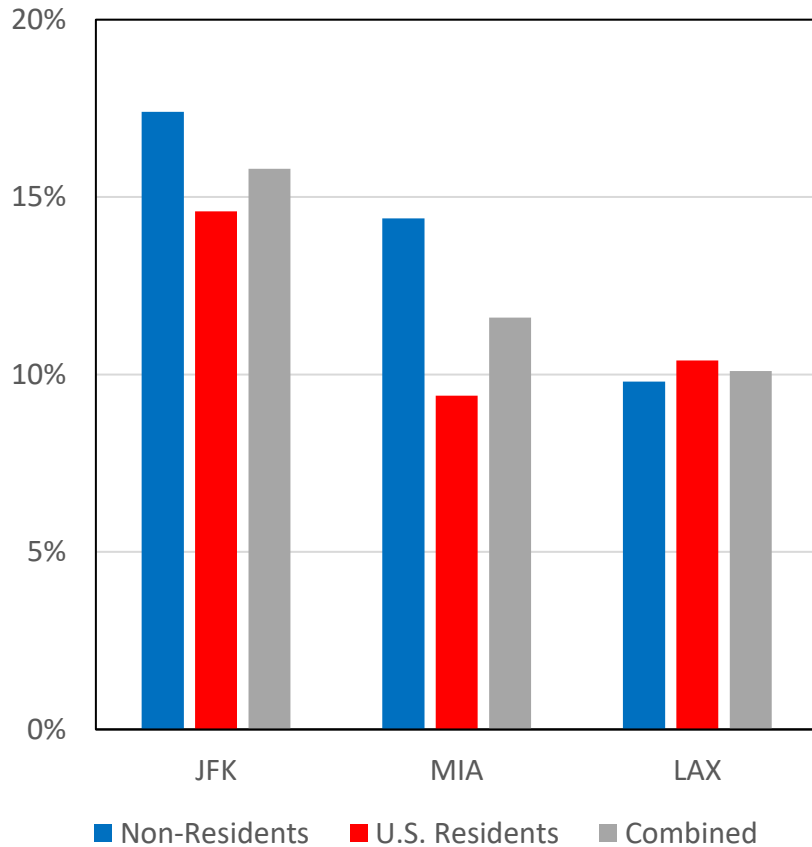
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Trip Decision Time Prior to Departure (days)	95	97	96
Airline Reservation Time Prior to Departure (days)	69	67	68
Top 3 Source for Making Airline Reservations			
Directly with the Airline	49%	54%	52%
Internet Booking Service	28%	29%	28%
Travel Agency Office	15%	11%	13%
% of Travelers Buying Travel Insurance for Trip	49%	33%	40%

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers

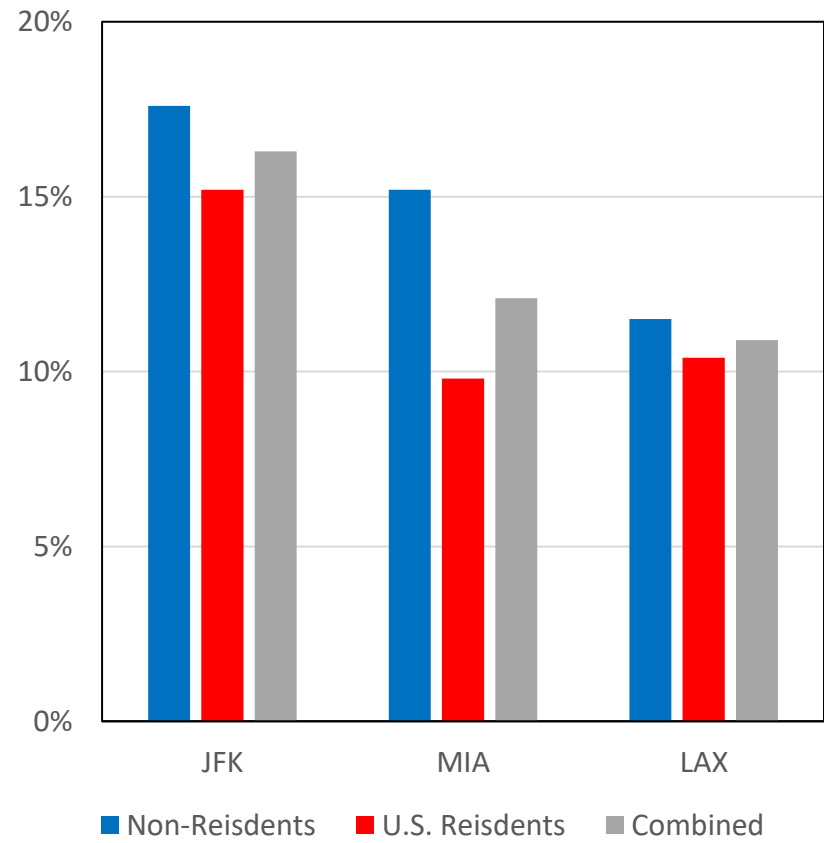
# Total International Traffic Traveling Overseas via All U.S. International Airports as Port-of-Entry/Port of Embarkation 2022

## Top Ports of Entry



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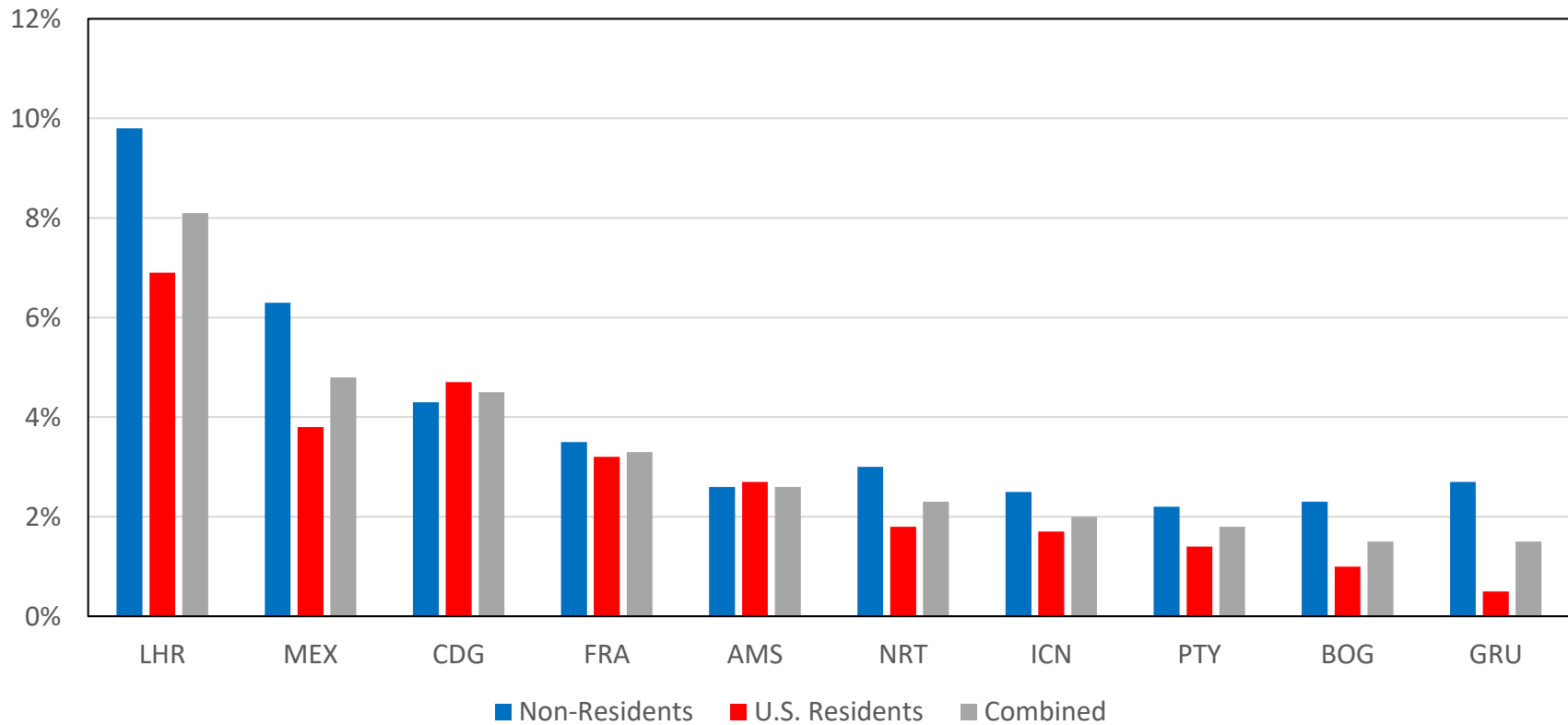
## Top Ports of Embarkation



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# 2022 Total International Traffic Traveling Overseas via All U.S. International Airports as Port-of-Entry/Port of Embarkation – Foreign Debarcation Airport

## International Airport Debarked



Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers

# Types of Transport Used by Non-Resident Overseas Visitors and U.S. Residents Traveling Overseas for Travelers Using All U.S. International Airports as Port of Entry/Embarkation 2022

Transport Used in Trip Destination	Overseas Travelers to the U.S.	U.S. Residents on an Overseas Trip	Combined U.S. Residents & Overseas Visitors
Auto, Private or Company	41%	42%	41%
Air Travel Between Cities	29%	29%	29%
Taxicab/Limo	23%	25%	24%
City Subway/Tram/Bus	30%	22%	26%
Rented Auto	27%	14%	20%
Ride Sharing Service	20%	17%	18%
Bus Between Cities	12%	19%	16%
Railroad Between Cities	7%	16%	12%

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers

# Types of Transport Used by Canadian Travelers to the U.S. and U.S. Residents Traveling to/from the U.S. and Canada for Travelers Using All U.S. International Airports as Port of Entry/Embarkation 2022

Transport Used in Trip Destination	Canada Travelers to/from the U.S.	U.S. Residents Traveling to/from the U.S. and Canada	Combined Canada Visitors to the U.S. and U.S. Residents to Canada
Auto, Private or Company	37%	42%	39%
Rented Auto	23%	19%	22%
Ride Sharing Service	33%	28%	31%
Taxicab/Limo	27%	20%	24%
Air Travel Between Cities	14%	28%	20%
City Subway/Tram/Bus	18%	19%	19%
Cruise Ship/River Boat 1+ Nights	5%	5%	5%
Bus Between Cities	7%	9%	8%

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers



# Types of Transport Used by Mexican Visitors and U.S. Residents Traveling to/from the U.S. and Mexico for Travelers Using All U.S. International Airports as Port of Entry/Embarkation 2022

Transport Used in Trip Destination	Mexico Travelers to/from the U.S.	U.S. Residents Traveling to/from the U.S. & Mexico	Combined Mexico Visitors Traveling to the U.S. and U.S. Residents to Mexico
Auto, Private or Company	48%	47%	47%
Air Travel Between Cities	18%	27%	25%
Taxicab/Limo	16%	28%	25%
Ride Sharing Service	21%	19%	19%
Rented Auto	22%	9%	13%
Bus Between Cities	10%	13%	12%
City Subway/Tram/Bus	15%	6%	8%
Ferry/River Taxi/Short Scenic Cruise	5%	4%	4%

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers



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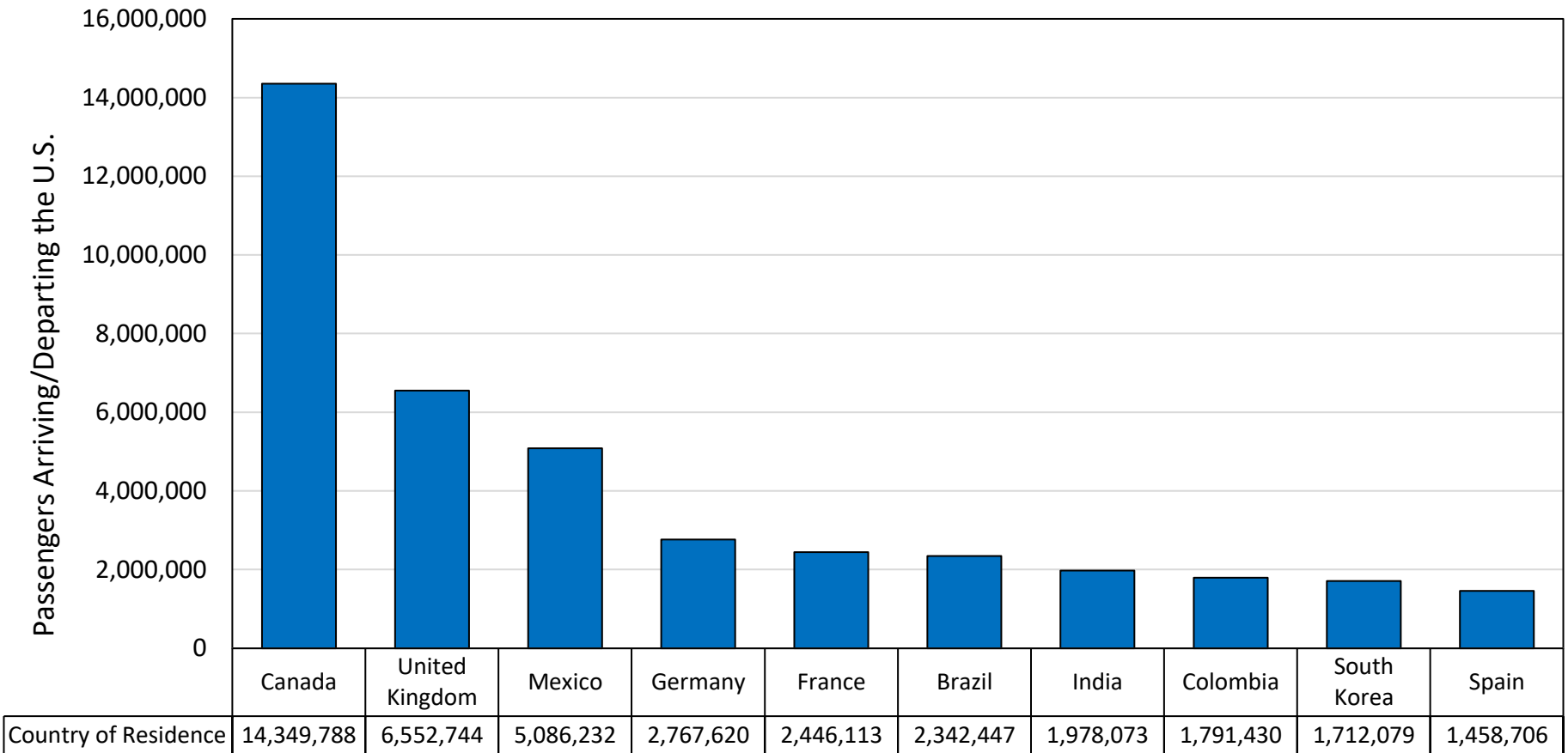
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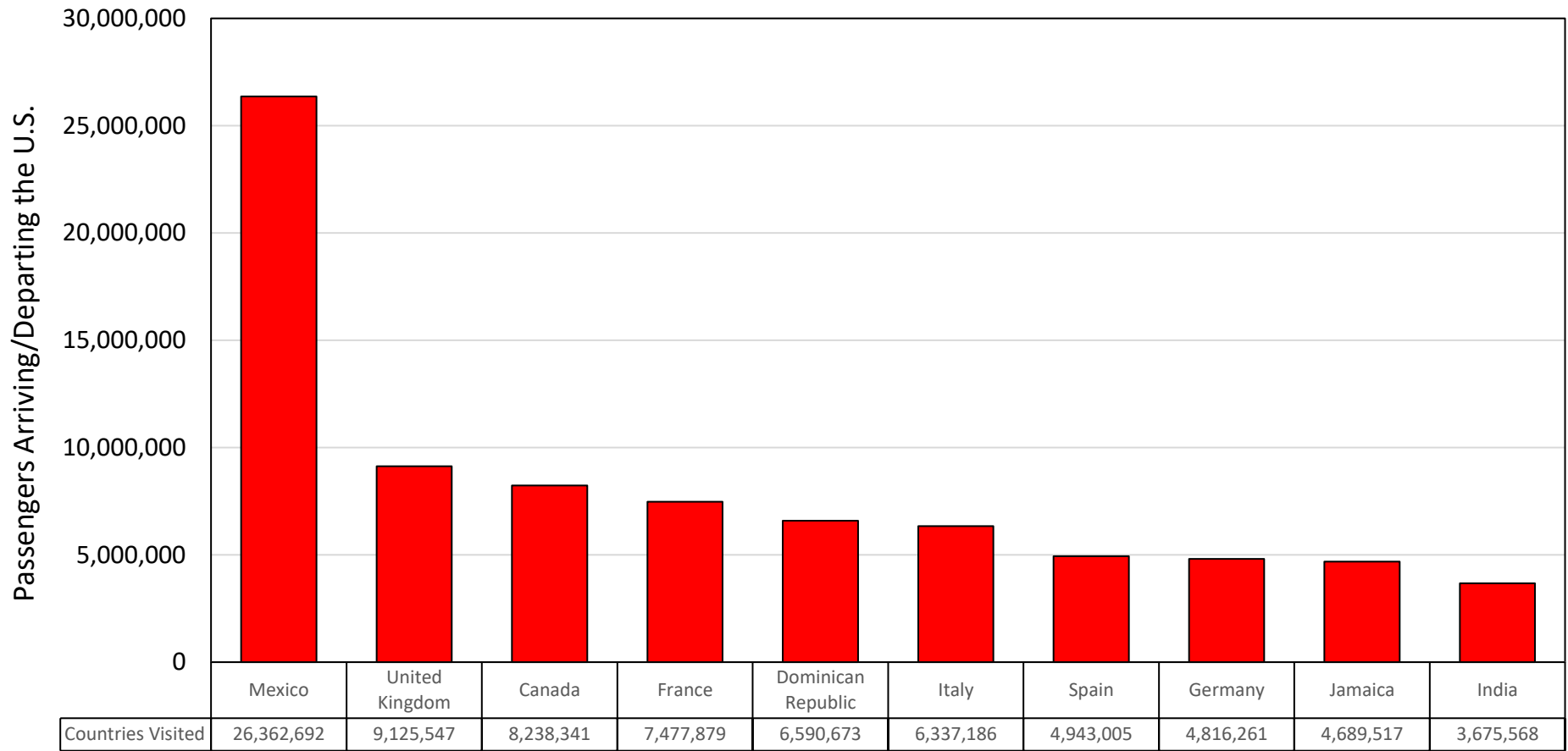
# Top 10 International Countries of Residence for Visitors to the U.S. 2022 Total Arriving/Departing Passengers on U.S. International Flights



- 40.5 million passengers arriving/ departing the U.S. from the top 10 international countries of residence in 2022.
- 63.9 million passengers arriving/ departing the U.S. – residents of all international countries.

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers

# Top 10 International Countries Visited by U.S. Residents 2022 Total Arriving/Departing Passengers on U.S. International Flights



➤ U.S. residents who visited Mexico generated nearly triple the volume of passengers arriving/departing the U.S. compared to any other country visited by U.S. residents.

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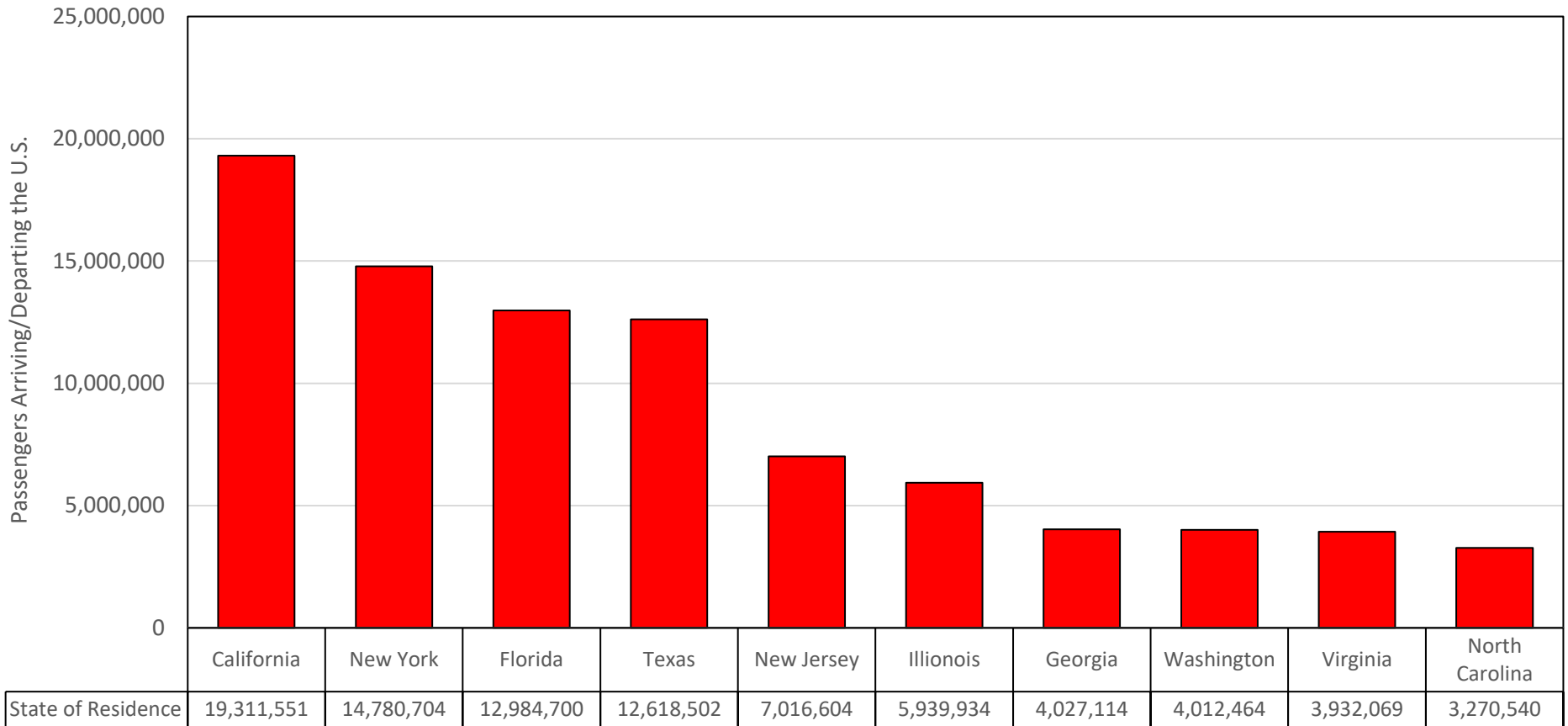


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# U.S. Residents: Top 10 States of Residence for Passengers Arriving/Departing the U.S. on International Flights in 2022



- Residents of California generated the largest volume of passengers arriving/departing the U.S. on international flights.
- Combined the residents of the top 10 states generated 84.6 million (67%) of the total 126.7 million U.S. resident passengers arriving/departing on U.S. international flights.

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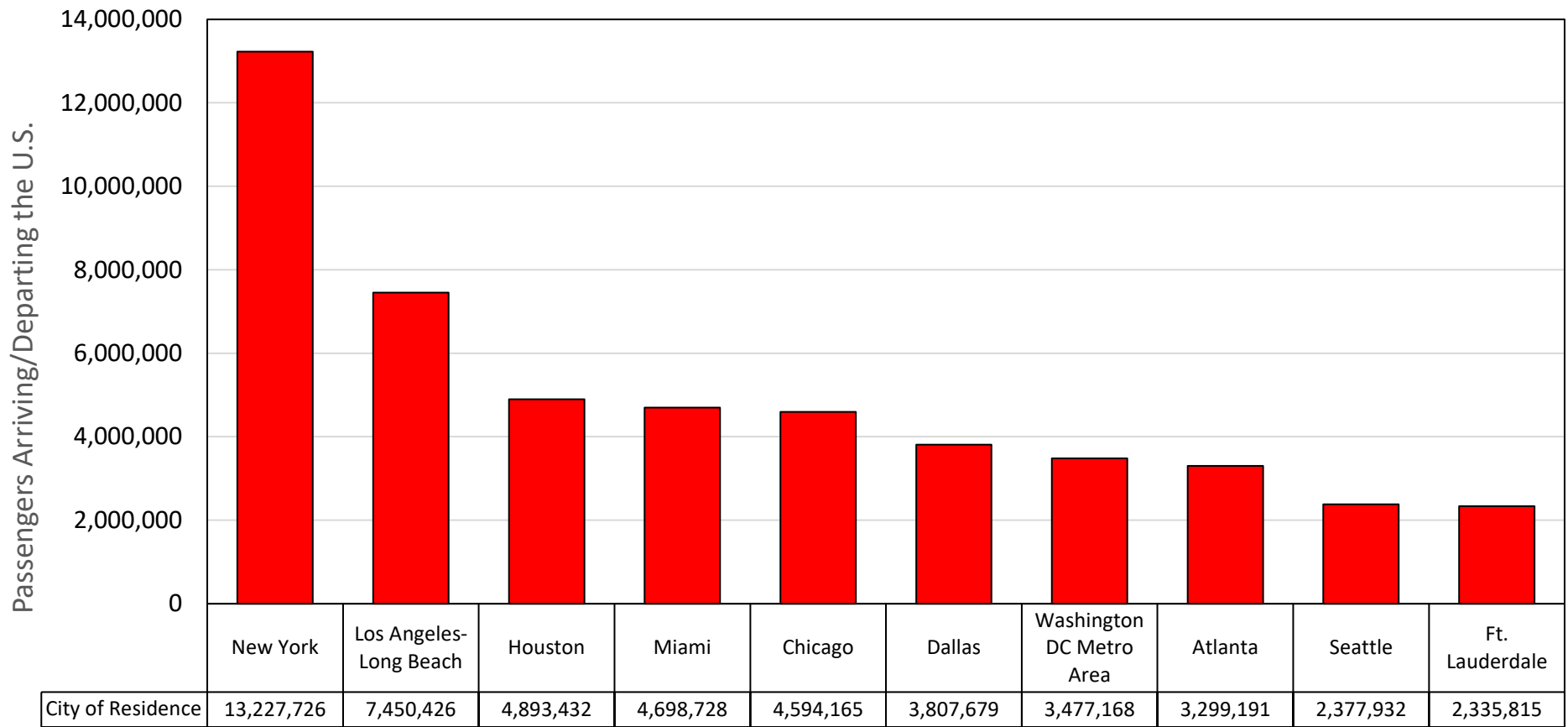


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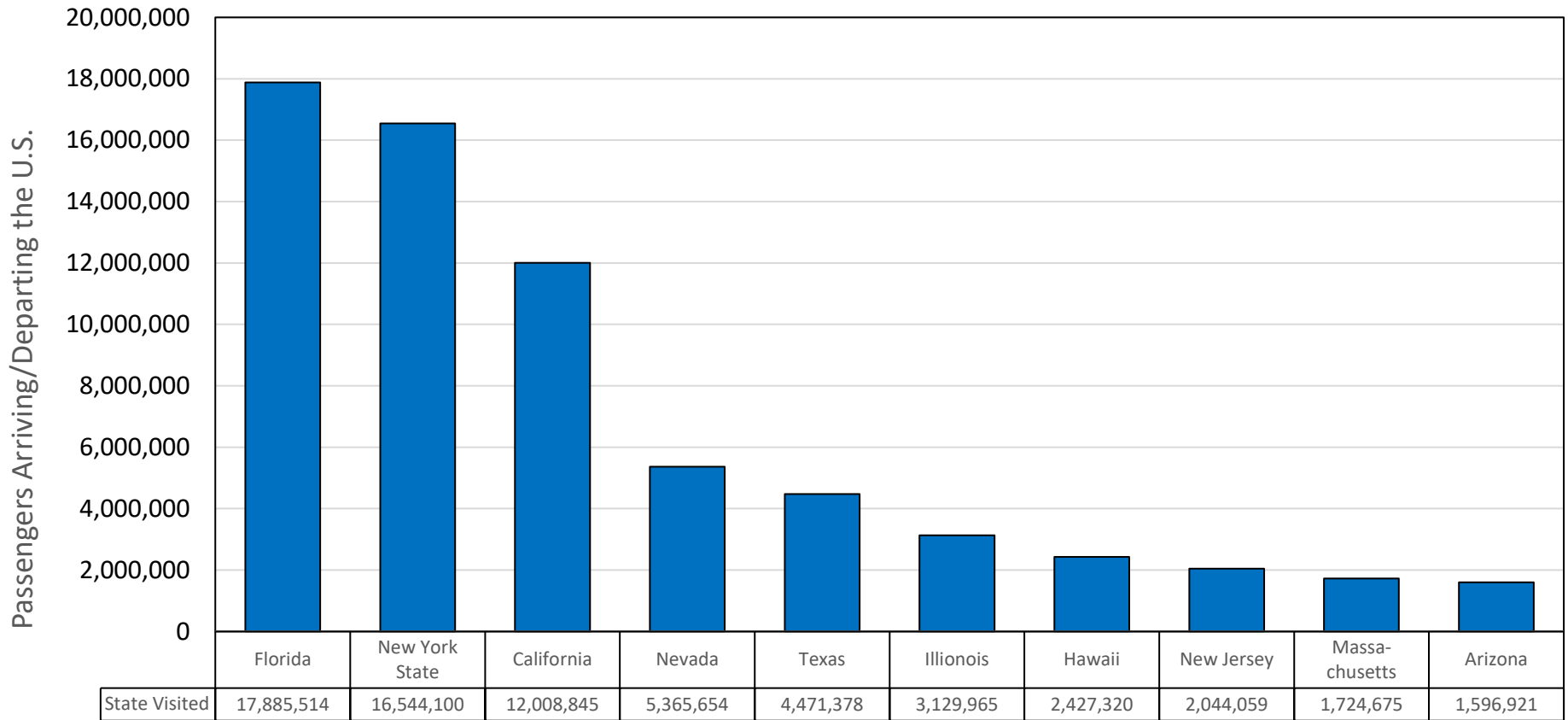


- Residents of New York City generated the largest volume of passengers arriving/departing the U.S. on international flights.
- Combined the residents of the top 10 cities generated 47.8 million (38%) of the total 126.7 million U.S. resident passengers arriving/departing on U.S. international flights.

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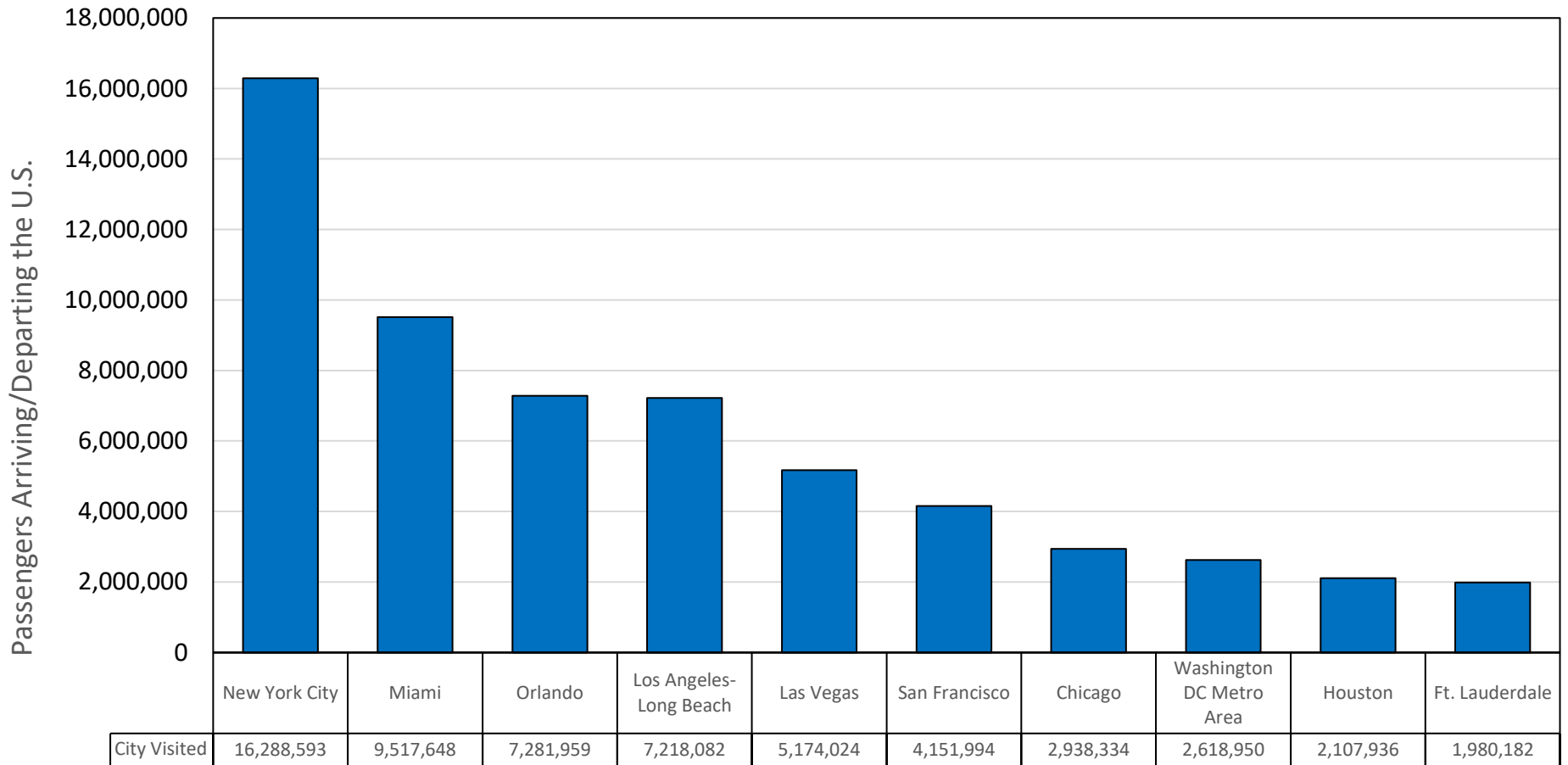
# Top 10 States Visited by Non-U.S. Resident Passengers Arriving/Departing the U.S. on International Flights - 2022



- Florida was the highest ranked state destination reported by Non-U.S. residents arriving/departing the U.S. on international flights in 2022.
- New York was a close second, followed by California, Nevada, and Texas in the top five reported state destinations.

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers

# Top 10 Cities Visited by Non-U.S. Resident Passengers Arriving/Departing the U.S. on International Flights in 2022



- New York City was ranked the #1 metro area destination (true O&D) in the U.S. by Non-U.S. residents arriving/departing the U.S. on international flights in 2022 with almost 16.3 million total passengers (26%). Miami ranked second, followed by Orlando and Los Angeles.

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers

# Trip Purpose, Travel Group, Nights Away from Home, and Spending All Passengers Departing the U.S. on an International Flight - 2022

Trip Characteristics	Non-U.S. Residents	U.S. Residents	Combined Non-U.S. Residents & U.S. Residents
<b>Top 3 Main Purpose of Trip</b>			
Vacation/Holiday	55%	57%	56%
Visit Friends & Relatives (VFR)	27%	31%	29%
Business	9%	6%	7%
<b>Top 3 Travel Party Descriptions</b>			
Traveling Alone	62%	62%	62%
Spouse/Partner	20%	23%	21%
Family/Relatives	16%	16%	16%
<b>Nights on International Trip</b>	19	16	17
<b>Trip Spending</b>			
Mean Total Trip Expenditure per visitor/trip	\$2,635	\$2,540	\$2,546
Mean International Airfare Per visitor/trip	\$1,010	\$998	\$1,004

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers



# Air Carrier: Flag, Flight Choice, Seating Information

## All Passengers Departing the U.S. on an International Flight - 2022

Flight Information	Non-U.S. Residents	U.S. Residents	Combined Non-U.S. Residents & U.S. Residents
Flag of Carrier			
U.S. Flag	28%	57%	45%
Foreign Flag	72%	43%	55%
Top 3 Reasons for Flying on Departure Airline			
Airfare	51%	50%	51%
Convenient Schedule	47%	47%	47%
Non-Stop Flights	43%	42	42%
Seating Area			
Economy/Coach/Tourist	80%	73%	76%
Premium Economy	14%	18%	16%
1st/Executive/Business	7%	9%	8%

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# Demographics: Gender, Age, and Income

## All Passengers Departing the U.S. on an International Flight - 2022

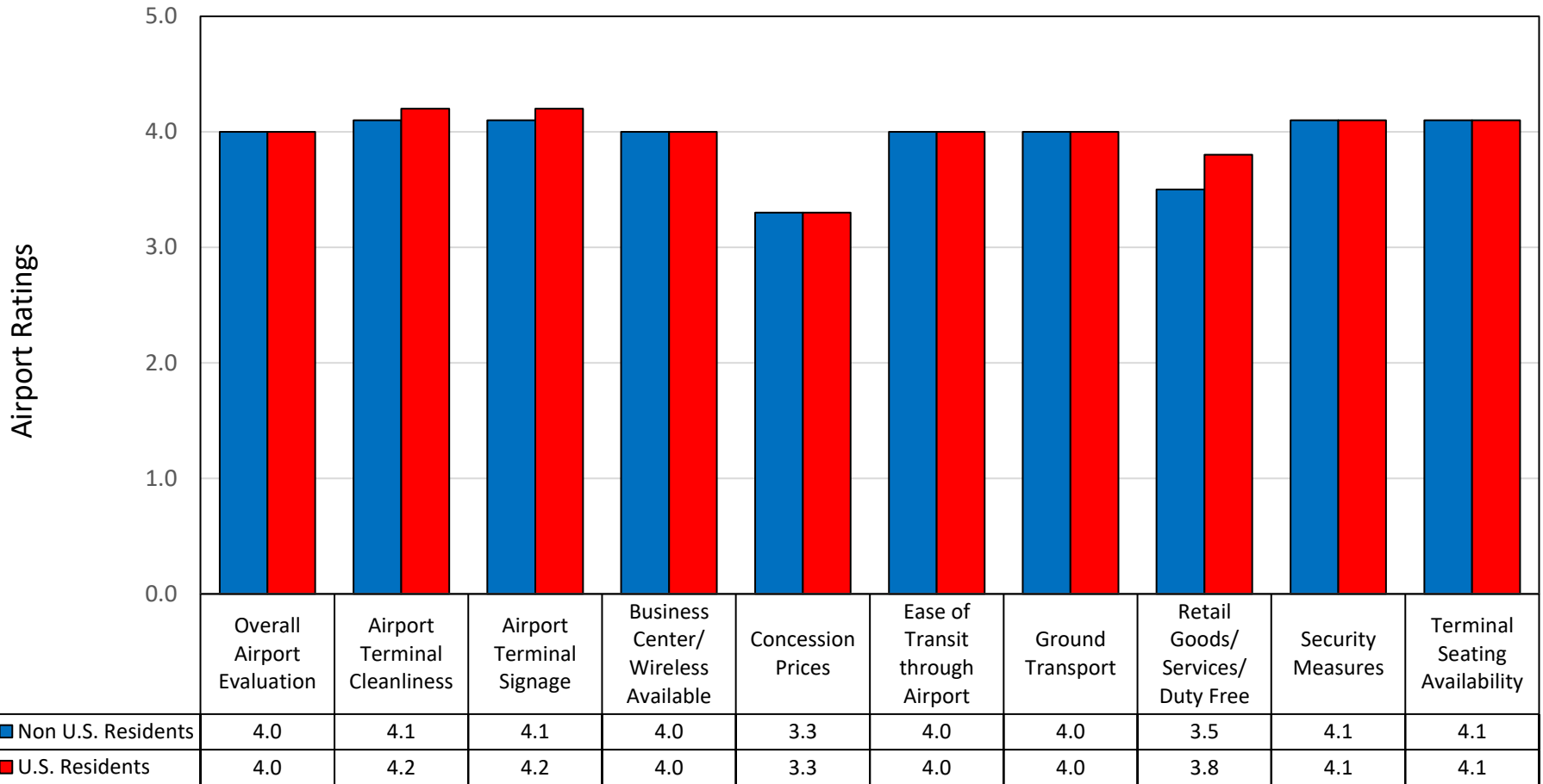
Demographics	Non-U.S. Residents	U.S. Residents	Combined Non-U.S. Residents & U.S. Residents
Percent of Male Travelers	48%	45%	46%
Percent of Female Travelers	52%	55%	54%
Average Age Males (years)	42	45	44
Average Age Females (years)	41	43	43
Average Household Income	\$89,087	\$147,780	\$123,874
Percent of Travelers on 1 <sup>st</sup> Int'l Trip	16%	7%	11%
# of Trips in Past 12 Months			
1 Trip	64%	47%	55%
2 or More	36%	53%	46%
Average	1.8	2.2	2.0

Source: NTTO Survey of International Air Travelers



# Airport Ratings: All U.S. Airports

## All Passengers Departing the U.S. on an International Flight - 2022



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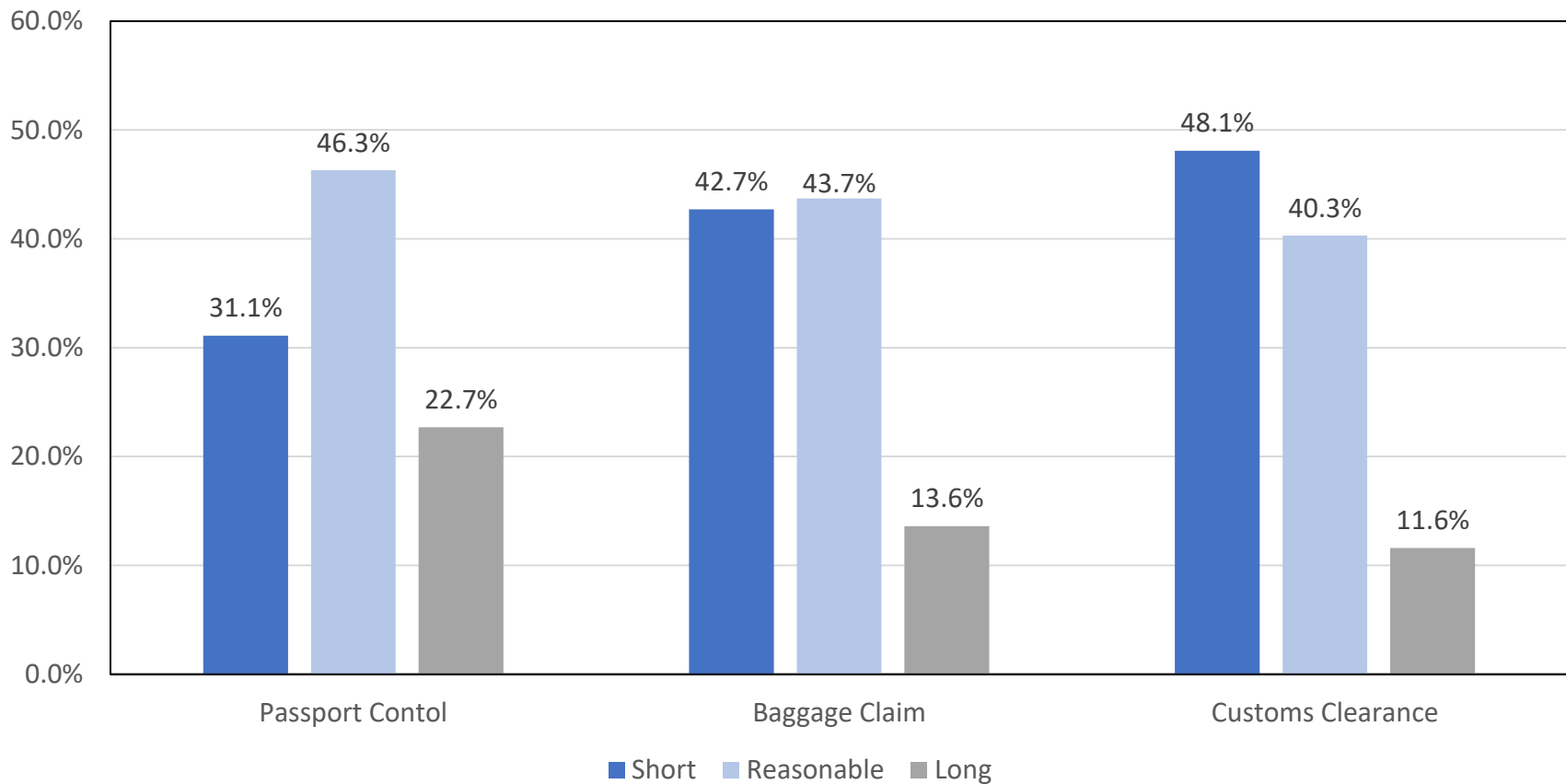


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# Ratings: Passport Control, Baggage, & Customs Clearance

## Non-U.S. Resident Passengers Port of Entry Airport

How Would you Describe the Wait Time for:



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