



## **DUPAGE**

## ABOUT THE AIRPORT

DuPage Airport (DPA) is a general aviation airport in northwest Illinois, approximately 29 miles west of downtown Chicago. Located in DuPage County, the Airport is owned and operated by DuPage Airport Authority. The length of the primary runway and the proximity of the Airport to the DuPage Business Park allows DPA to accommodate air cargo and business/corporate activity. Because of its role as a designated FAA Reliever airport to Chicago O'Hare International Airport and Chicago Midway International Airport, DPA sees significant corporate/business activity and acts a gateway to the Chicagoland region. DPA serves the community through hosting fundraisers, tours, and outreach events. Additionally, the Airport supports law enforcement operations, emergency management activity, and essential medical transport services.

To understand the geographic reach of DPA, the map below illustrates the domestic origin and destination flights into and out of the Airport in 2019. **Visitor Spending On-Airport** \$1.4 \$66.5 **DPA Route Map BILLION MILLION** (8) **Employment Labor Income** 5,524 \$403.0 **IOBS MILLION** ECONOMIC Value Added \$676.1 **MILLION BILLION** 

# WHAT IS ECONOMIC IMPACT?



### On-Airport Activity

The impacts generated by airports including airport management and administration, airport tenants, as well as on-airport construction.



## **Visitor Spending**

The impacts generated by out-of-state visitors to Illinois, for personal or business reasons, who spend money on accommodations, food and beverage, local ground transportation, retail, and entertainment.



### **Employment**

Number of people employed, including part-time and full-time.



#### Labor Income

Also known as "payroll"; total employment compensation, including wages and other benefits (e.g., healthcare insurance payments, retirement).



Economic contributions from industries in Illinois that receive or ship air cargo through Illinois airport.
Air Cargo impacts are quantified at the District and Statewide levels only.

#### Value Added



The economic productivity of each aviation-related business establishment, calculated as business revenue earned minus the cost of purchasing goods and services from other businesses. It includes all labor compensation, profits, and business taxes paid.

# REGION 1

IDOT District 1

Region 1 is located in northeast Illinois and encompasses the Chicago Metropolitan Area, also known as Chicagoland, that borders Wisconsin, Indiana, and Lake Michigan. Thirty-six Fortune-500 companies have a presence in the Chicago area and act as significant economic drivers for the region. The Region's 17 airports support passenger, recreational, and business users within Illinois and in bordering states. Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD) and Chicago Midway International Airport (MDW) are two of the largest and busiest airports in the state and serve as international hubs for passenger travel. In 2019, Region 1's airports generated 375,370 jobs, \$25.5 billion in labor income, \$42.7 billion in value added, and \$73.5 billion in total economic impact.



**On-Airport** \$27.1 BILLION



**Visitor Spending** \$20.0 BILLION



**Employment** 375,370 JOBS



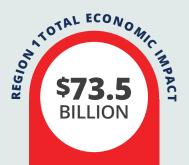
Air Cargo \$26.4 BILLION



**Labor Income** \$25.5 BILLION



Value Added \$42.7 BILLION





# STATEWIDE

Illinois boasts a robust aviation system of over 80 airports, including some of the busiest facilities on the globe. To support this robust system, the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) initiated the development of the Illinois Aviation Economic Impact Analysis (EIA) to quantify each airport's annual monetary contribution to their local, regional, and statewide economies. The EIA determined that Illinois' airports generated 492,768 jobs and contributed \$95.5 billion to the state's economy in 2019.



**On-Airport** \$38.4 BILLION



**Visitor Spending** \$21.2 BILLION



**Employment** 492,768 JOBS



Air Cargo \$35.9 BILLION



**Labor Income** \$32.6 BILLION



Value Added \$53.8 BILLION



