

	Total movements (000)	Air transport movements (000)	Terminal passengers (000)	Freight tonnes (000)
1976	1 896	740	44 666	659
1977	1 912	759	45 927	705
1978	2 029	862	52 829	748
1979	2 198	924	56 992	797
1980	2 181	954	57 823	744
1981	2 103	927	57 771	725
1982	2 113	973	58 778	690
1983	2 238	1 019	61 109	726
1984	2 363	1 079	67 572	861
1985	2 354	1 097	70 434	850
1986	2 414	1 117	75 064	881
1987	2 598	1 185	85 914	976
1988	2 883	1 273	93 066	1 088
1989	3 144	1 368	98 465	1 148
1990	3 209	1 416	102 300	1 192
1991	2 872	1 365	95 684	1 126
1992	2 804	1 444	106 042	1 238
1993	2 821	1 477	112 131	1 376
1994	2 935	1 544	122 073	1 588
1995	3 078	1 607	129 296	1 703
1996	3 081	1 684	135 792	1 772
1997	3 219	1 762	146 654	1 943
1998	3 364	1 865	158 808	2 080
1999	3 371	1 954	168 286	2 189
2000	3 380	2 040	179 824	2 314
2001	3 443	2 093	181 195	2 146
2002	3 308	2 093	188 750	2 195
2003	3 460	2 160	199 954	2 208
2004	3 524	2 277	215 688	2 371
2005	3 652	2 405	228 217	2 363
2006	3 639	2 452	235 199	2 315
2007	3 652	2 494	240 722	2 326
2008	3 525	2 437	236 114	2 283
<u>Twelve month period to:</u>				
December 2007	3 652	2 494	240 722	2 326
December 2008	3 525	2 437	236 114	2 283
<u>Latest year's growth</u>				
<u>(percentages)</u>	-3.5	-2.3	-1.9	-1.8

Notes:

(a) Terminal passengers and freight tonnes on air taxi services are excluded from this table.

(b) This table includes statistics for Brough, Portsmouth and Ashford, which closed in 1970, 1973 and 1974 respectively.

(c) Air Transport Movements statistics at BAA airports include air taxi movements for the first time in 1980 except Gatwick, which began reporting air taxi movements in February, 1982 and Aberdeen where, during 1980 some air taxi movements (about 1000) were incorrectly allocated to "aero club".

(d) Terminal passengers carried on air taxi flights at BAA airports were included for the first time in 1980 except Gatwick, which began reporting passengers on air taxi flights in February, 1982 and Aberdeen where, during 1980 some passengers travelling by air taxi were not recorded.

(e) No data available for Southend for December 1993.

(f) Biggin Hill began reporting June 1993.

(g) Barra began reporting April 1994.

(h) Campbeltown began reporting April 1996

(i) Sheffield City began reporting June 1997

(j) See foreward, note 2.2.