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2014 ATRS Global Airport Performance Benchmarking Project

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OBJECTIVE OF THE BENCHMARKING STUDY

- ❑ To provide a comprehensive, unbiased comparison of airport performance focusing on
 - **Productivity and Operating/Mgt Efficiency**
 - **Unit Cost Competitiveness**
 - **Airport User Charges**
- ❑ Our study **does not treat service quality differentials** across airports because of our research resource constraints

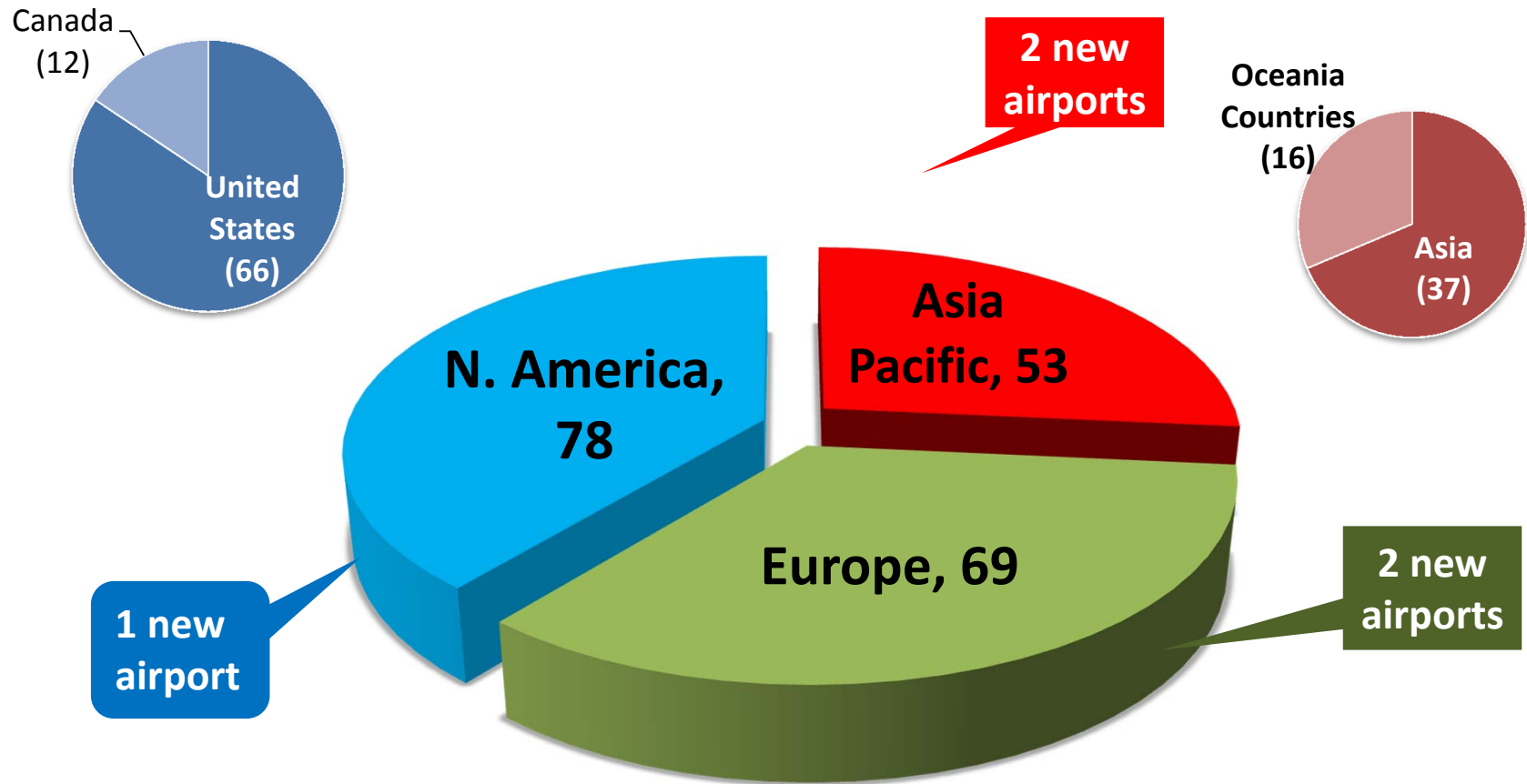


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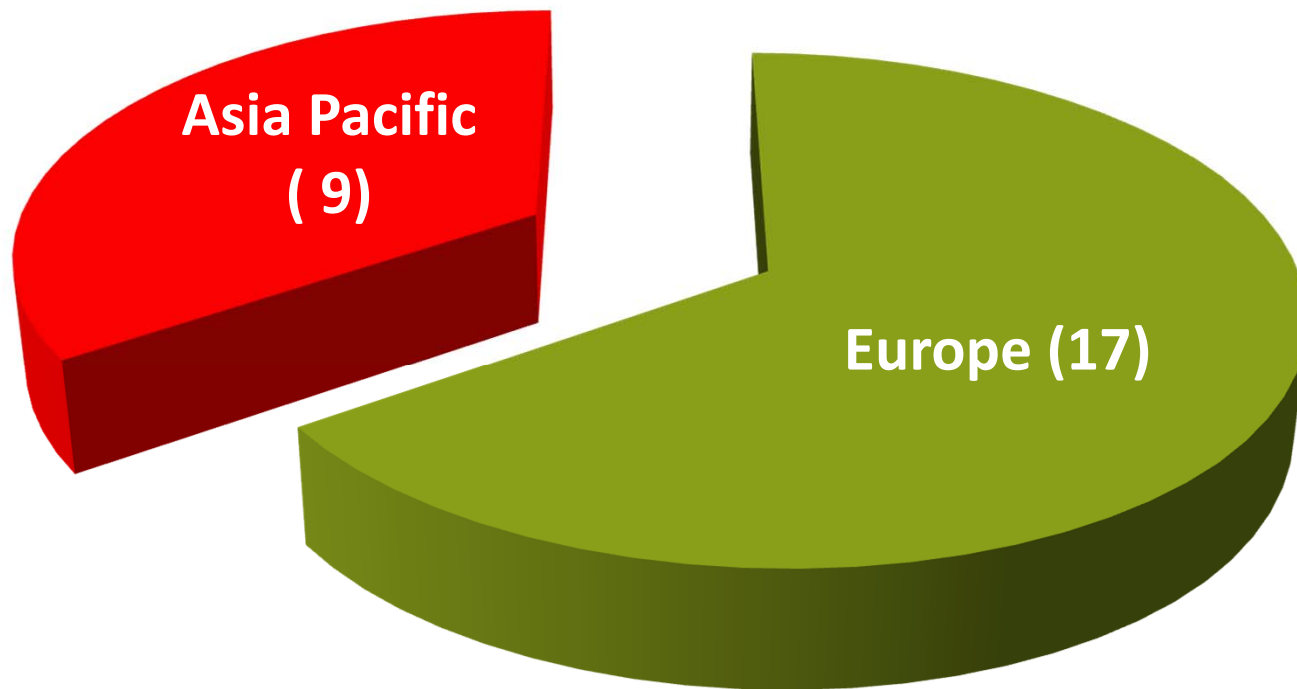
Airport Database



200 MAJOR AIRPORTS AROUND THE WORLD



26 AIRPORT GROUPS



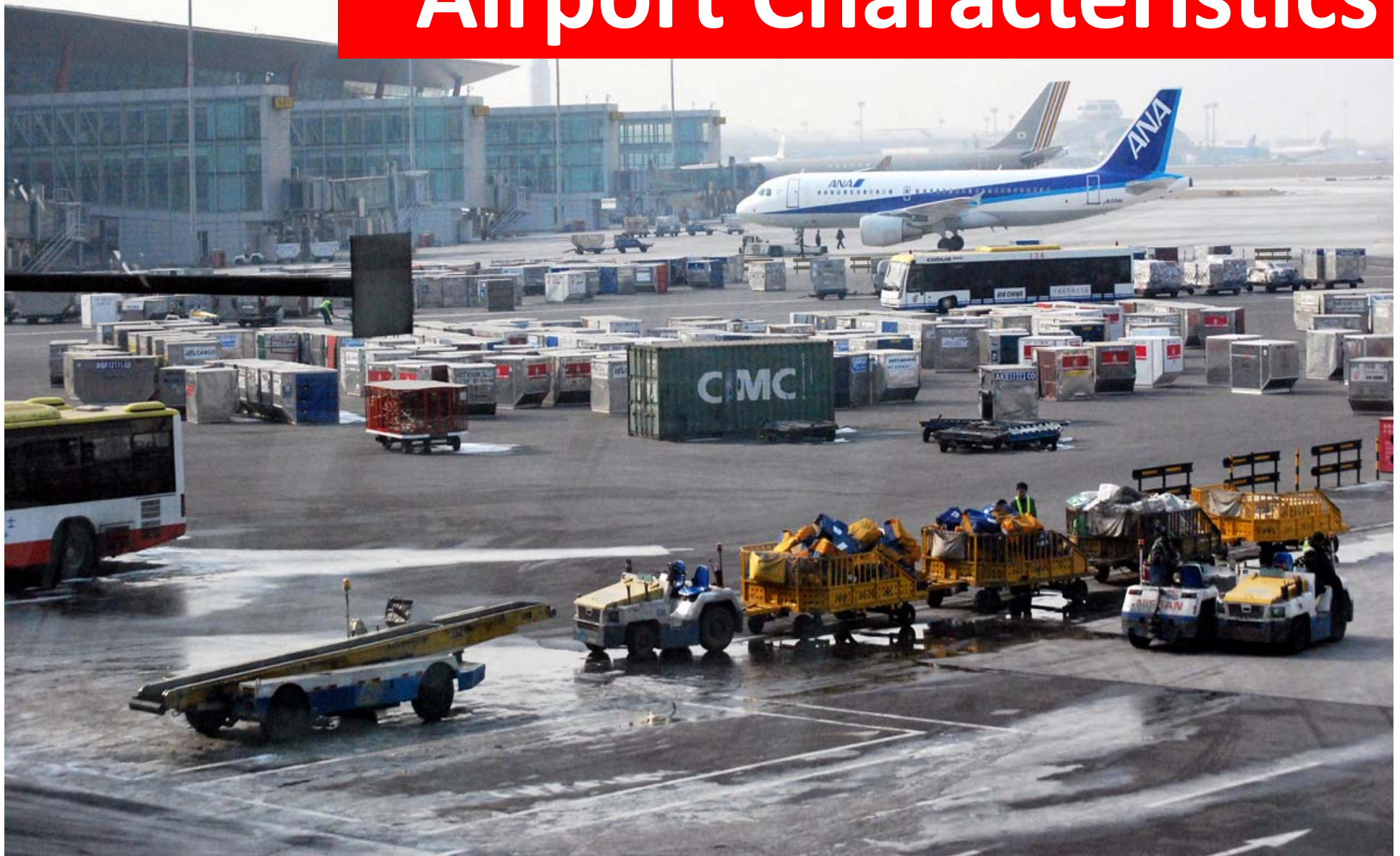
ATRS AIRPORT DATABASE, FY 2002-2012 (11 years)

- ❑ The ATRS Database contains historic information (since FY 2002) including financial data, traffic and capacity data for the major airports and airport groups in the following geographic regions:
 - **Asia Pacific including Oceania; Europe; North America**
 - Limited data on S. America and Africa
- ❑ The data in each continent is segregated into:
 - **Traffic statistics and composition**
 - **Airport characteristics** (runways, terminals, ownership form, etc)
 - **Aeronautical Activities and Revenue**
 - **Non-Aeronautical Activities and Revenue**
 - **Labor input and other Operating Expenses**
 - **Financial info obtained from Balance Sheets**
- ❑ Visit <http://www.atrsworld.org/Database.html> for more details and to purchase.

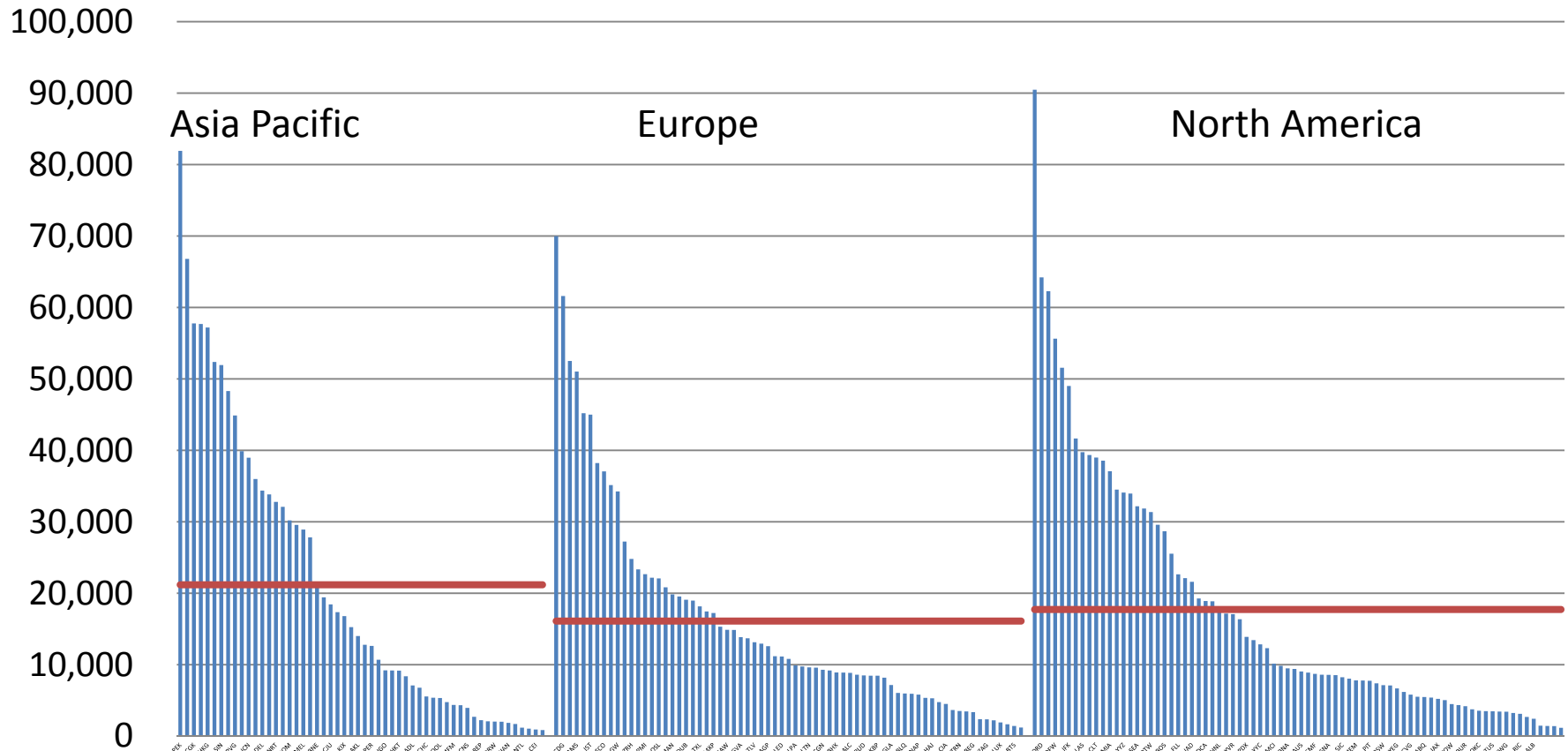


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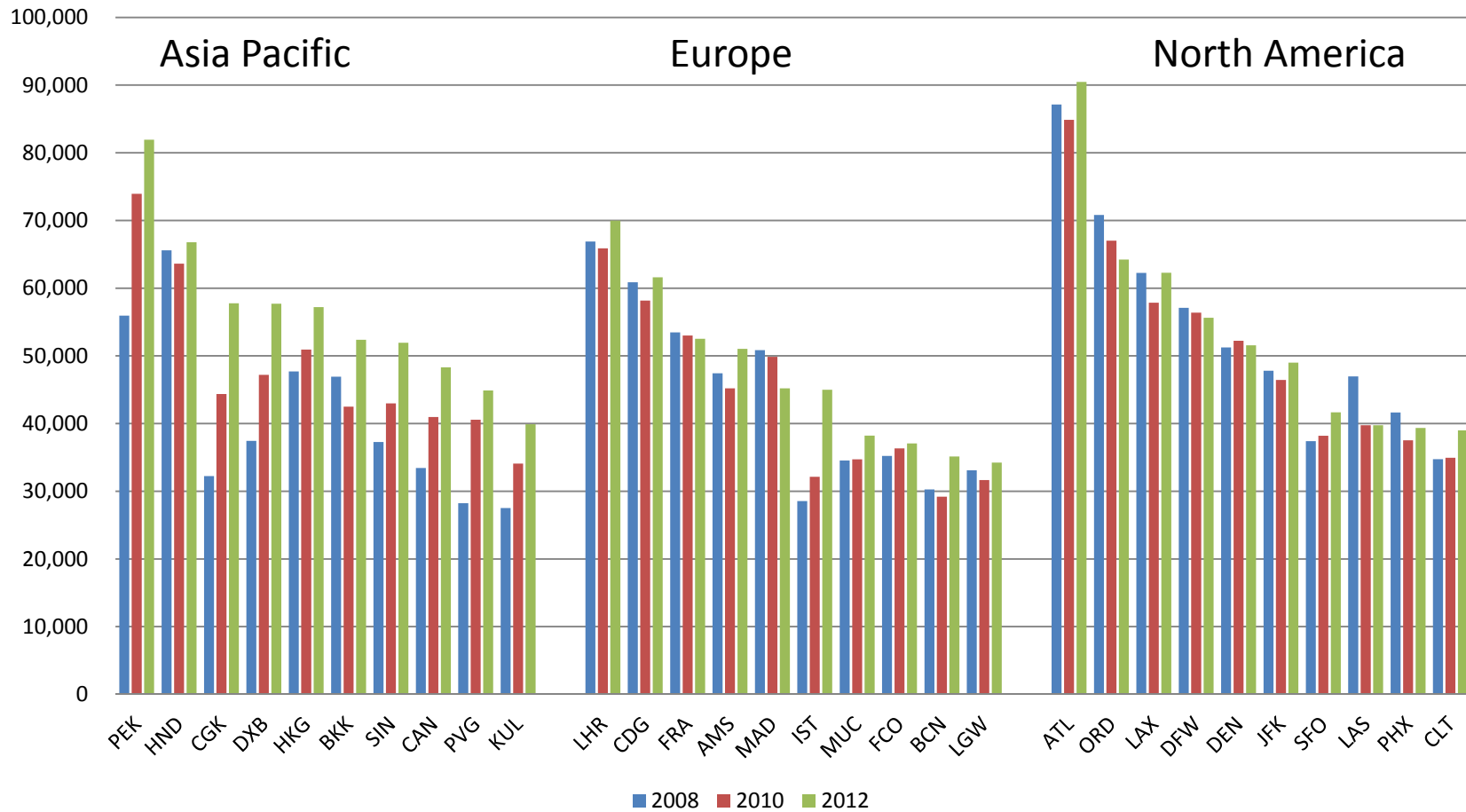
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PASSENGERS TRAFFIC, FY2012 (IN '000 PASSENGERS)

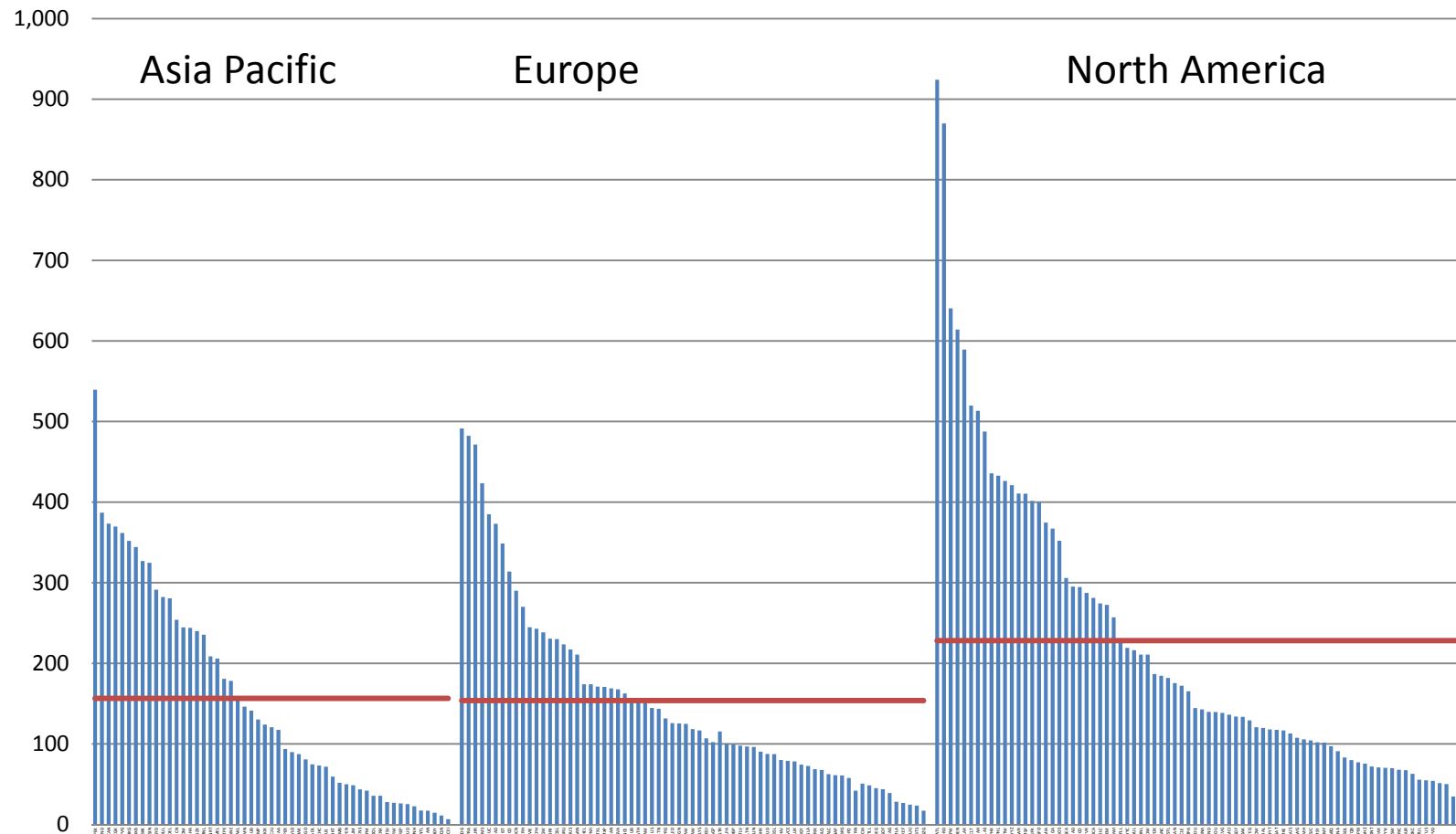


PASSENGER TRAFFIC ('000)- TOP 10 AIRPORTS: FY 2008, 2010, 2012



AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS, FY 2012

('000 ATM)



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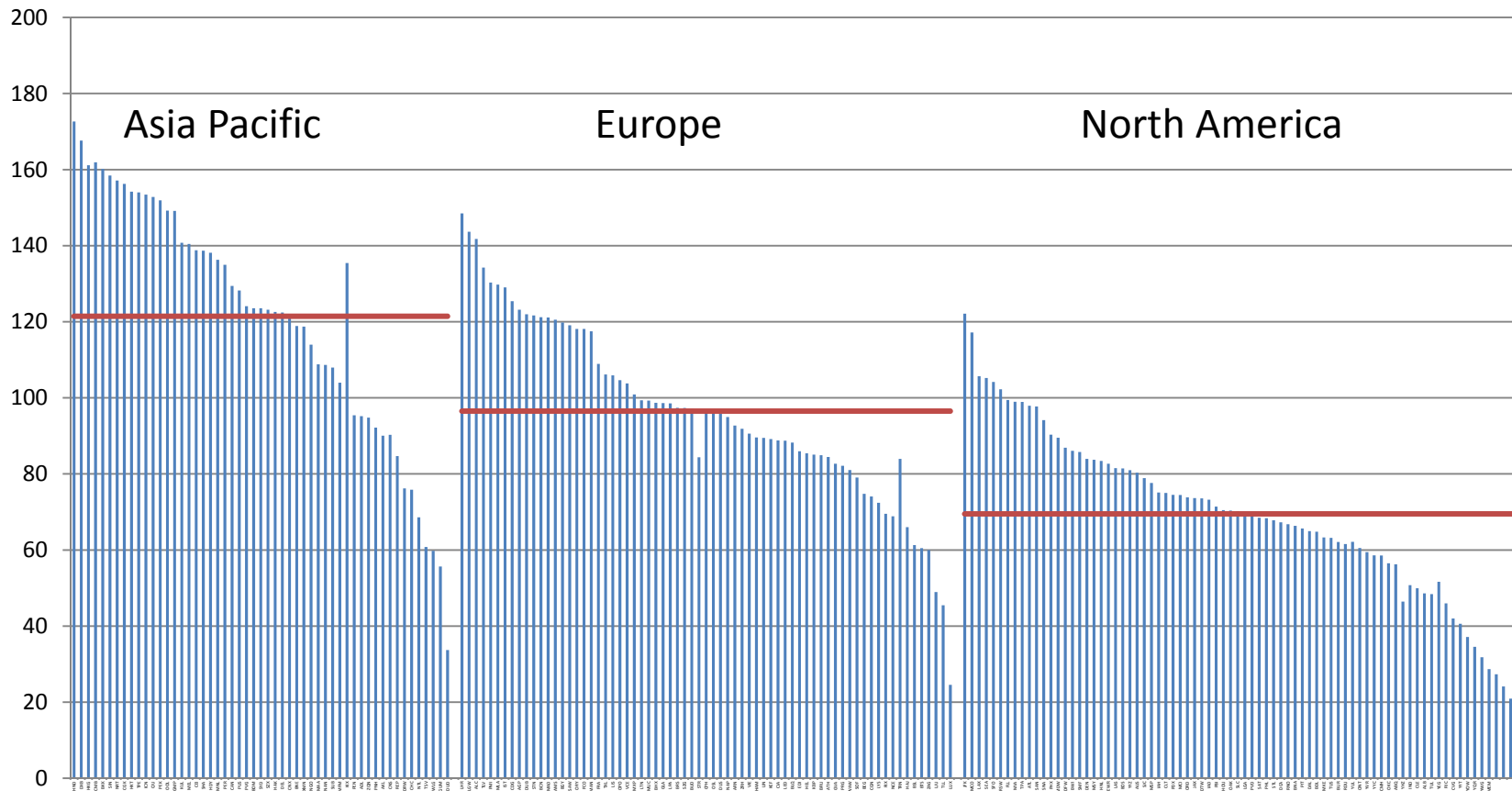
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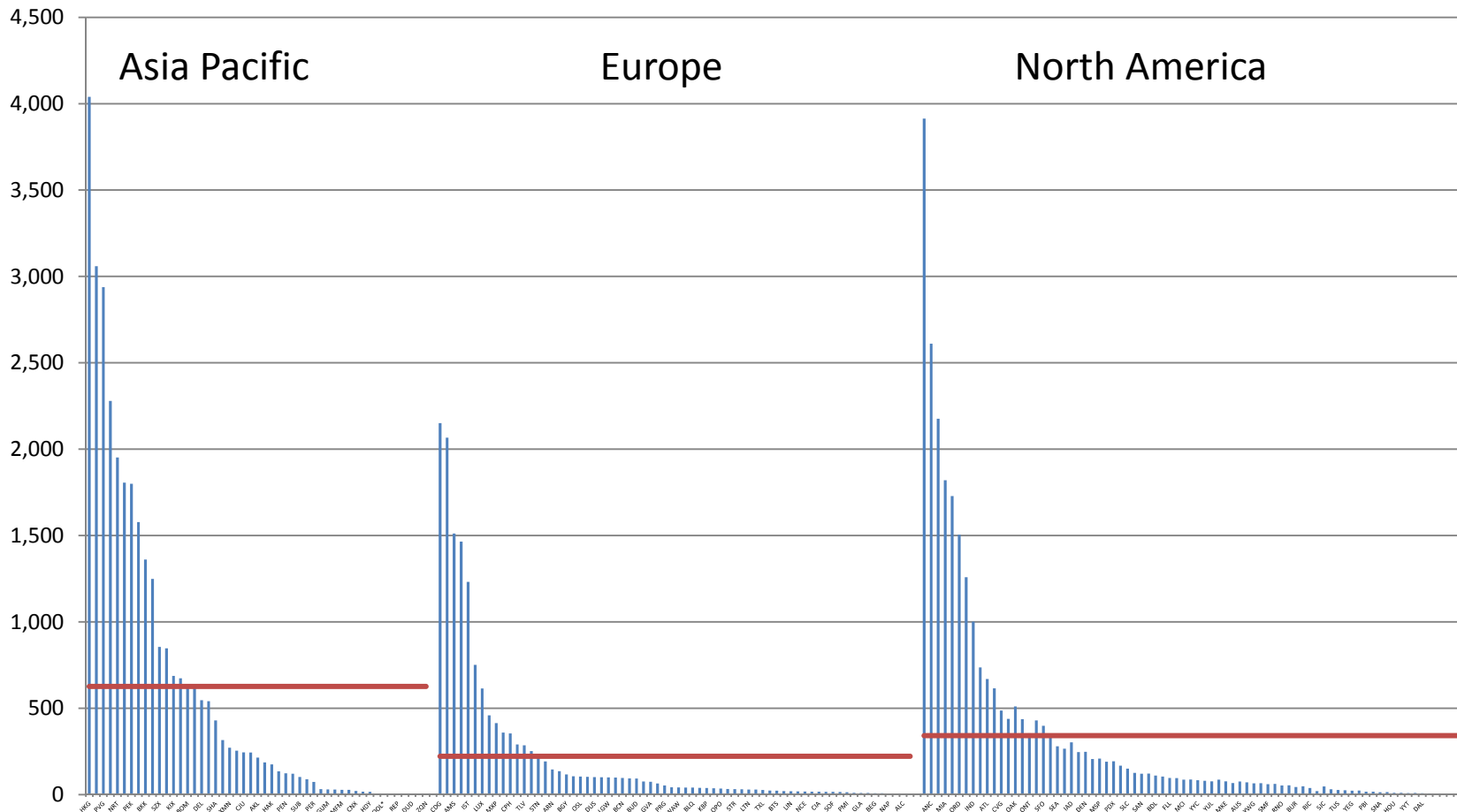
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PASSENGERS PER AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS, FY 2012

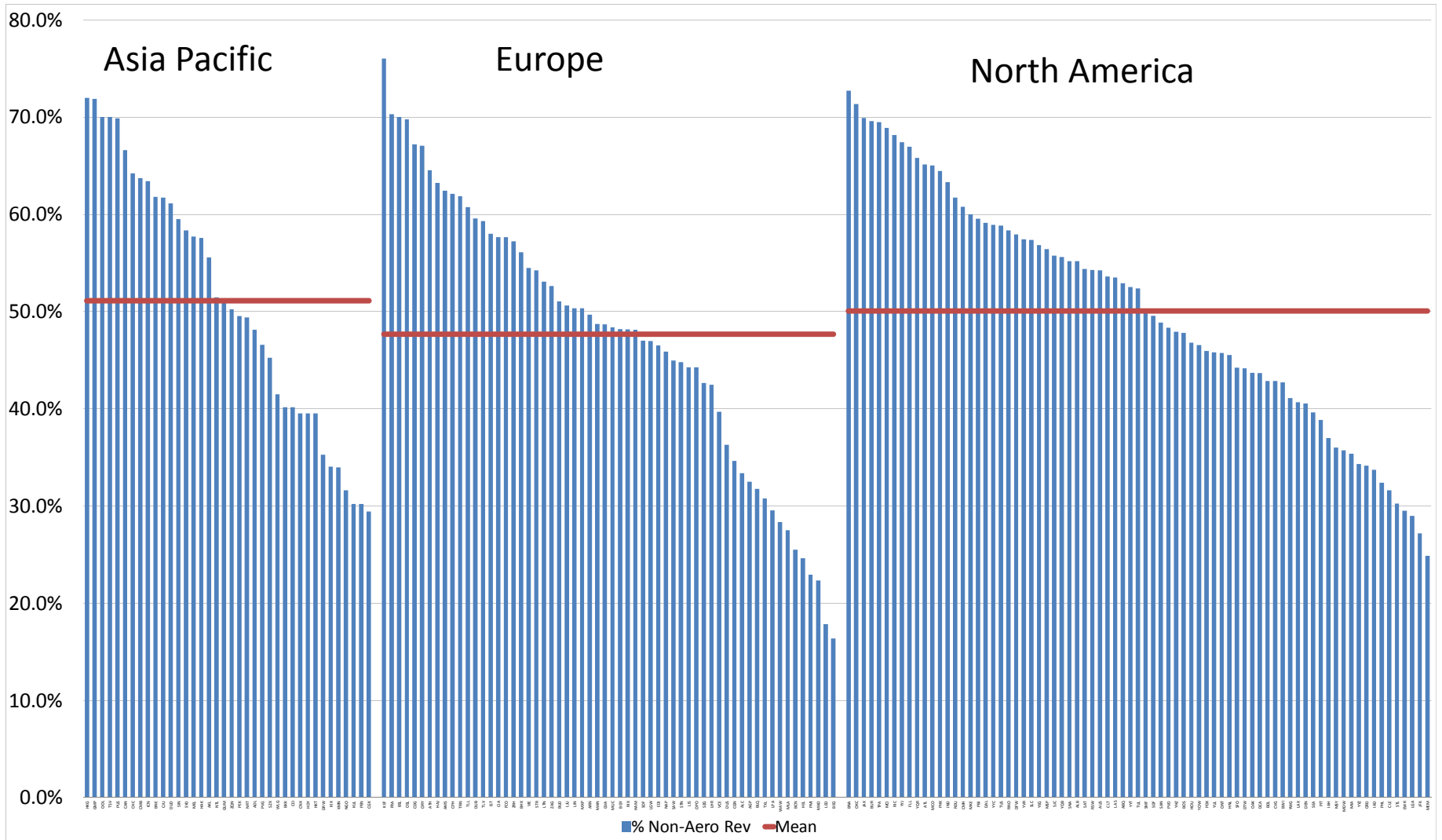


AIR CARGO TRAFFIC, FY 2012

('000 METRIC TONS)



% NON-AERO REVENUE, FY 2012



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AIRPORT PRODUCTIVITY INDEX

Outputs

- Aircraft movement
- Passenger
- {Cargo tonnes}
- Non-aeronautical revenue output

Inputs

- Labour
- Other non-capital (soft-cost) input
- [Runways, terminal size, # of gates]

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METHODOLOGY: EFFICIENCY MEASUREMENT

❑ Variable Factor Productivity (VFP) Index

- Impossible - Total Factor Productivity (TFP) because of capital input cost accounting problem (comparable across different countries)

❑ Unit Operating Cost Competitiveness Index: Combines **VFP** and **Input Price Index**



MULTILATERAL AGGREGATION METHOD

- This **multilateral output (input)** index procedure uses the following revenue (cost) shares to aggregate output (inputs)

$$\ln \frac{Y_i}{Y_j} = \sum \frac{R_{ki} + \bar{R}_k}{2} \ln \frac{Y_{ki}}{\tilde{Y}_k} - \sum \frac{R_{kj} + \bar{R}_k}{2} \ln \frac{Y_{kj}}{\tilde{Y}_k}$$

$$\ln \frac{X_i}{X_j} = \sum \frac{W_{ki} + \bar{W}_k}{2} \ln \frac{X_{ki}}{\tilde{X}_k} - \sum \frac{W_{kj} + \bar{W}_k}{2} \ln \frac{X_{kj}}{\tilde{X}_k}$$

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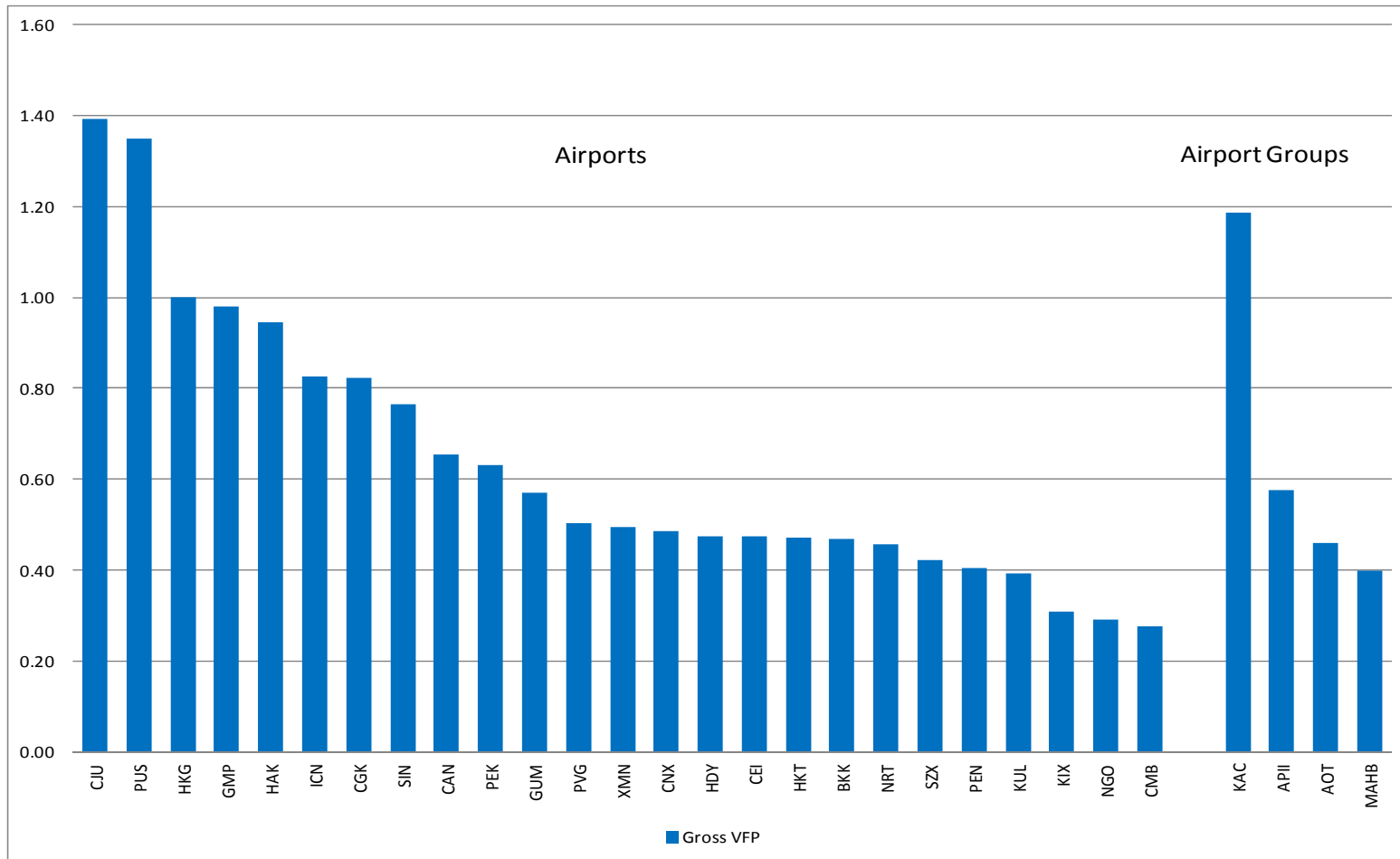
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GROSS VARIABLE FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY (VFP)

ASIAN AIRPORTS

(HKG=1.0), FY 2012



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POTENTIAL REASONS FOR THE MEASURED PRODUCTIVITY (GROSS VFP) DIFFERENTIALS

Factors Beyond Managerial Control:

- Airport size (Scale of aggregate output)
- Average aircraft size using the airport
- Share of international traffic
- Share of air cargo traffic
- Extent of capacity shortage - congestion delay
- Connecting/transfer ratio

We compute residual (Net) Variable Factor Productivity (RVFP) after removing effects of these Factors

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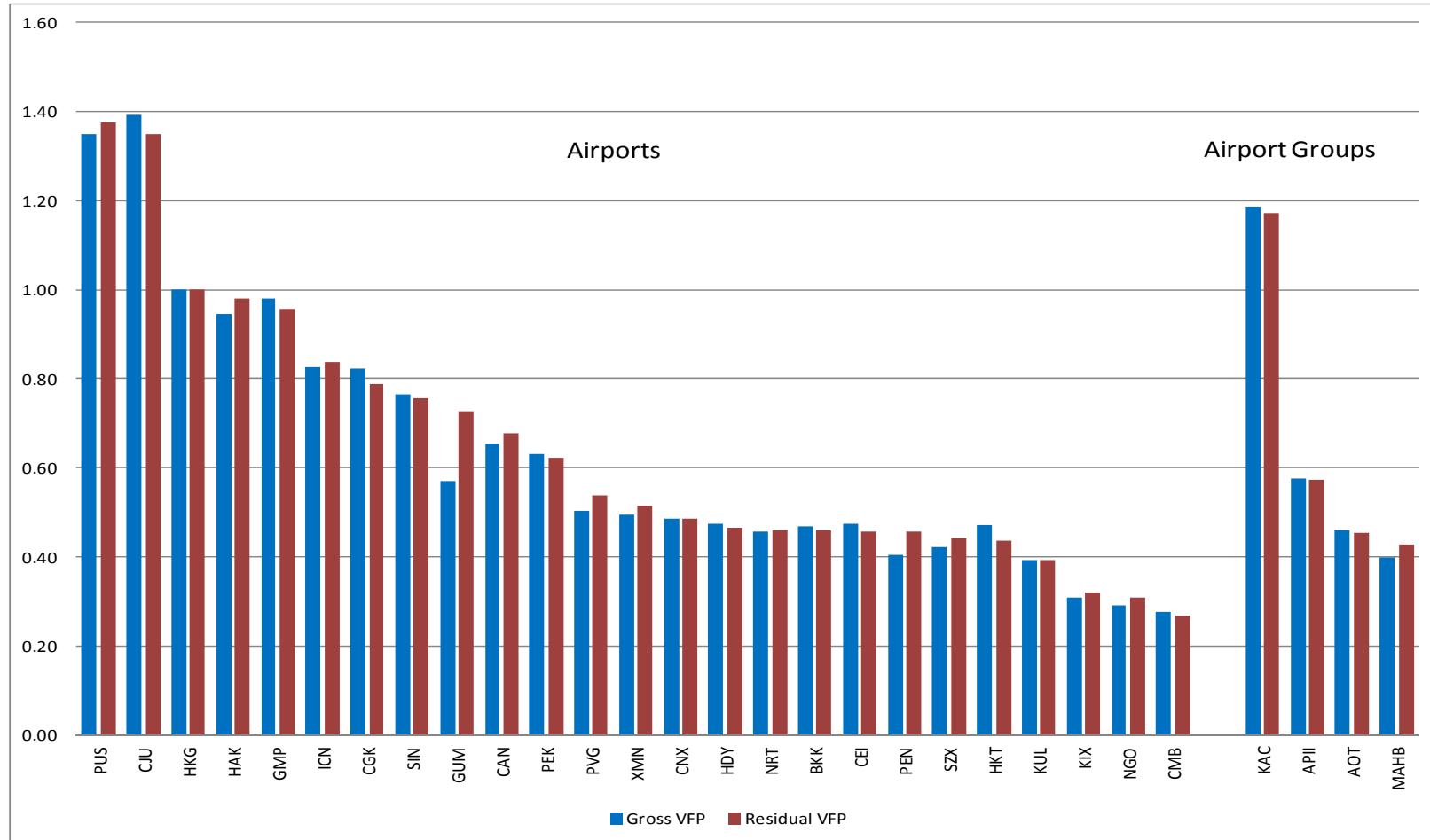
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GROSS VARIABLE FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY VS RESIDUAL VFP: ASIA (HKG=1.0), FY 2012

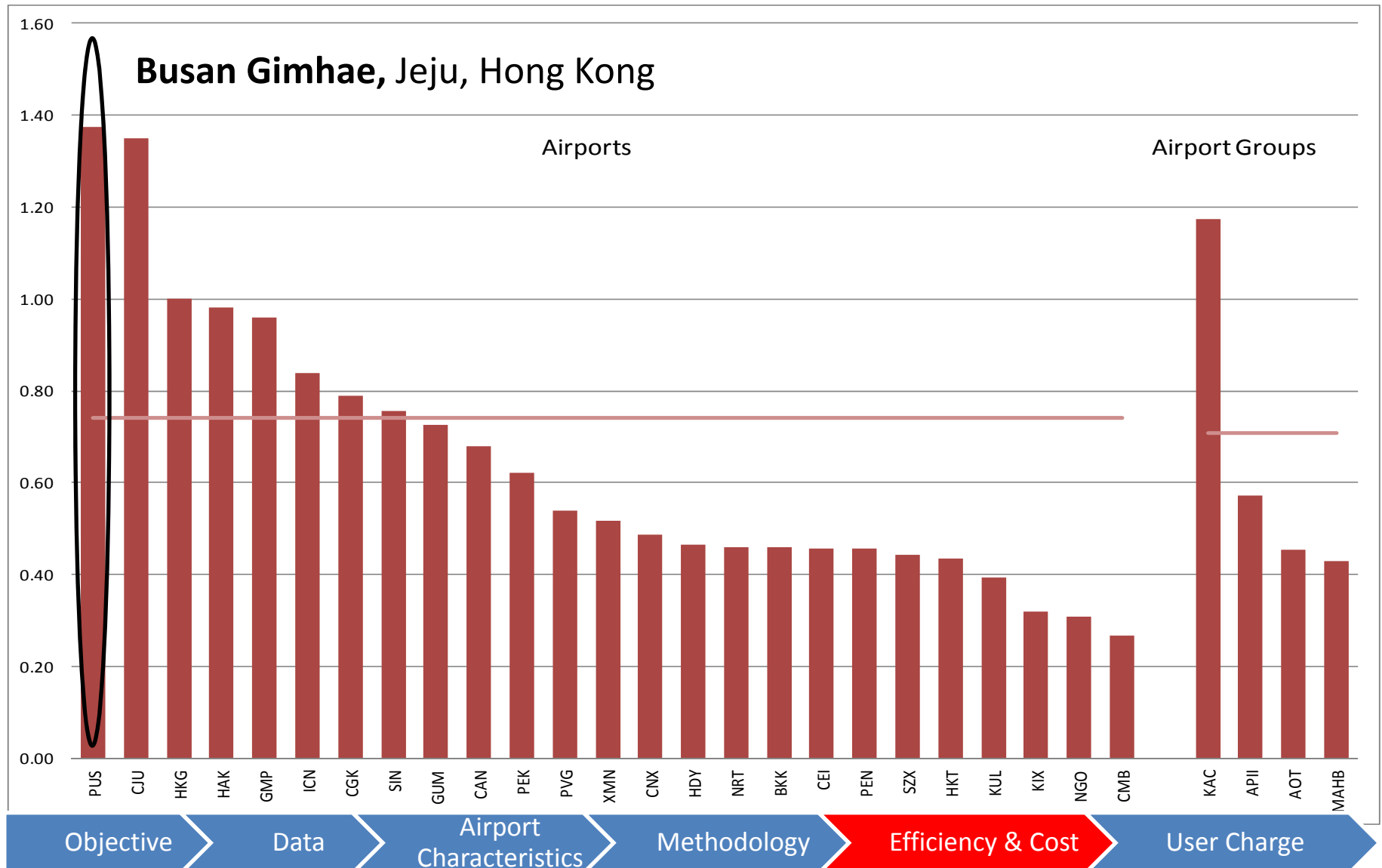


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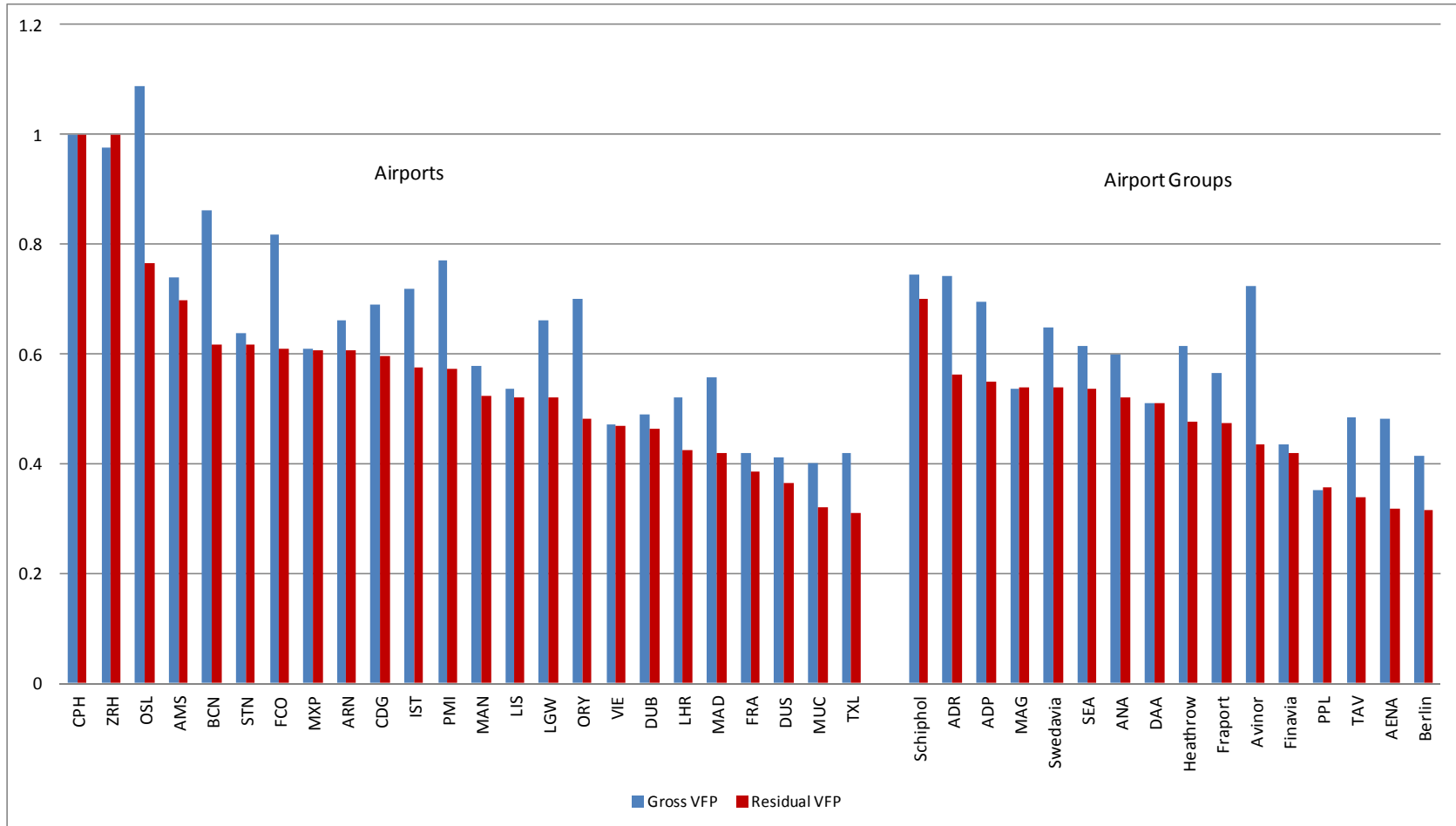
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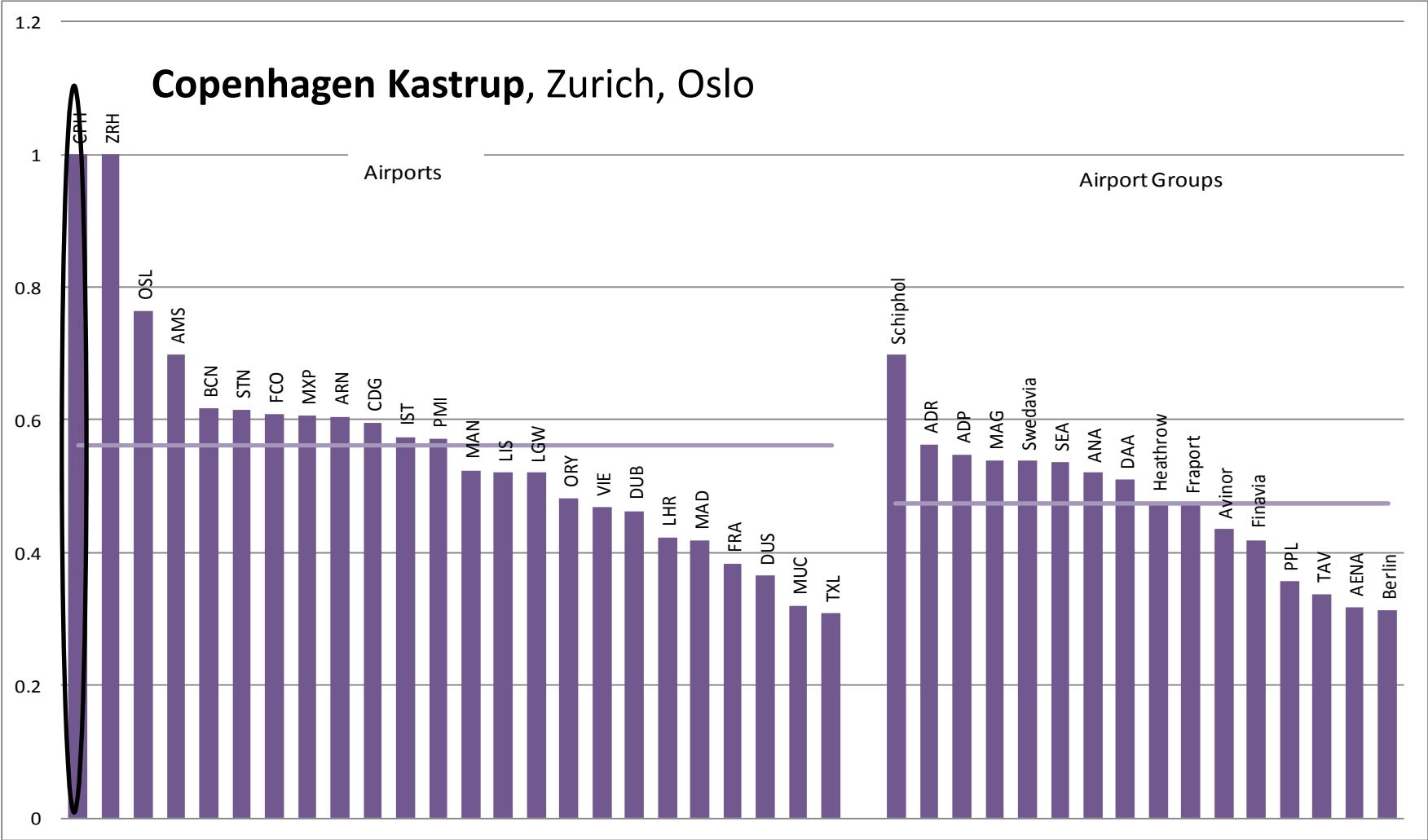
RESIDUAL (NET) VARIABLE FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY (VFP): ASIA (HKG=1.0), FY 2012



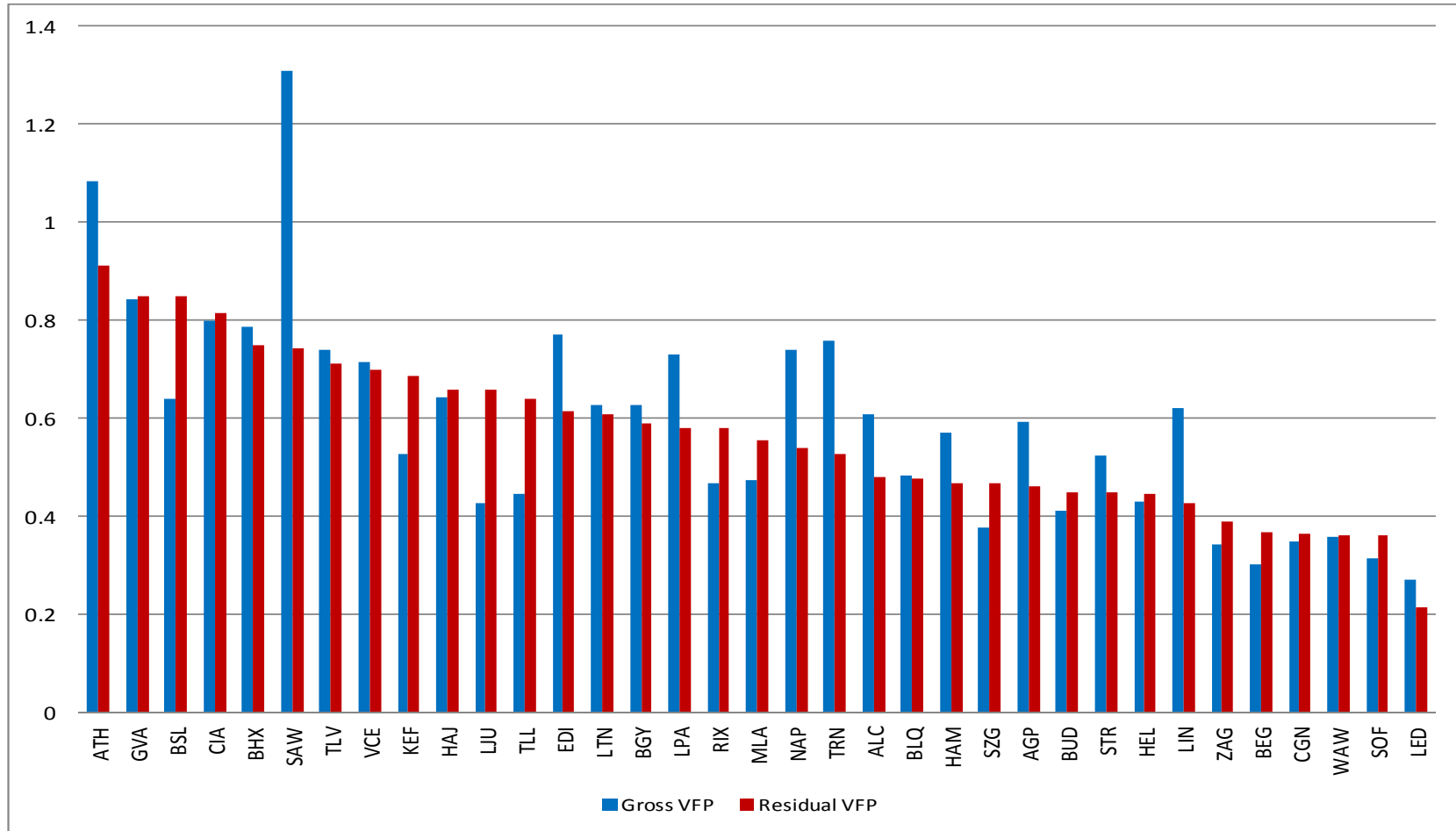
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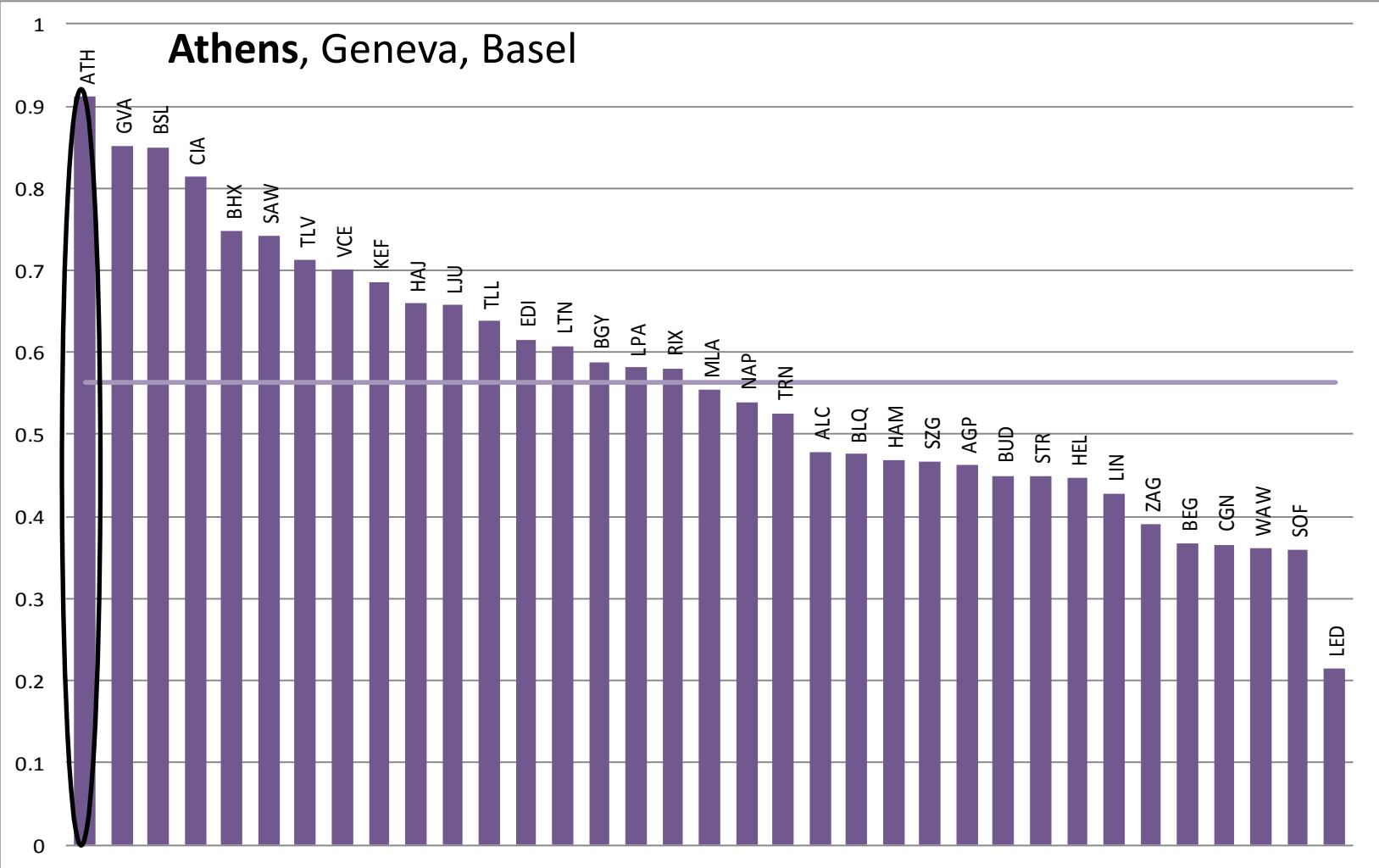
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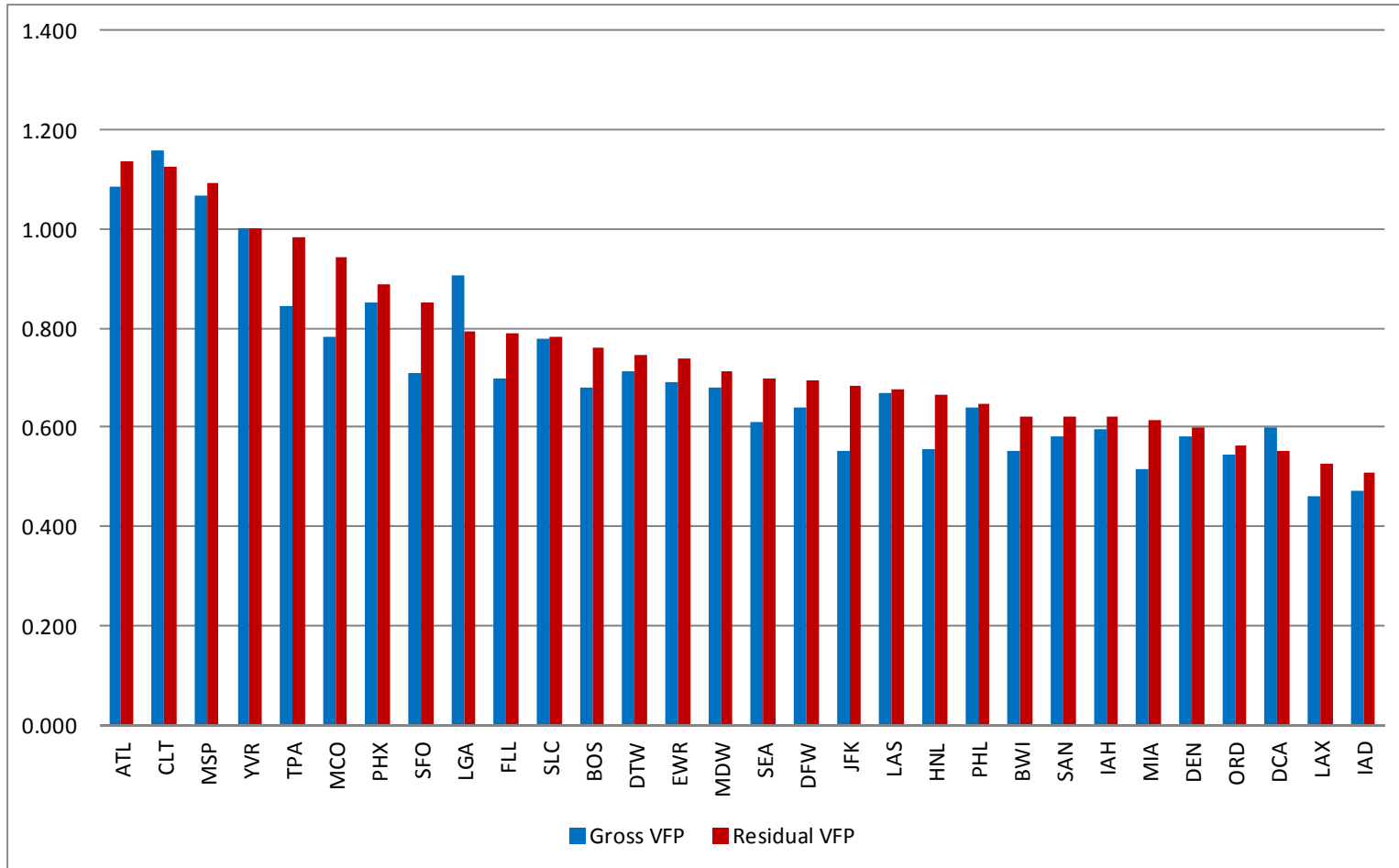
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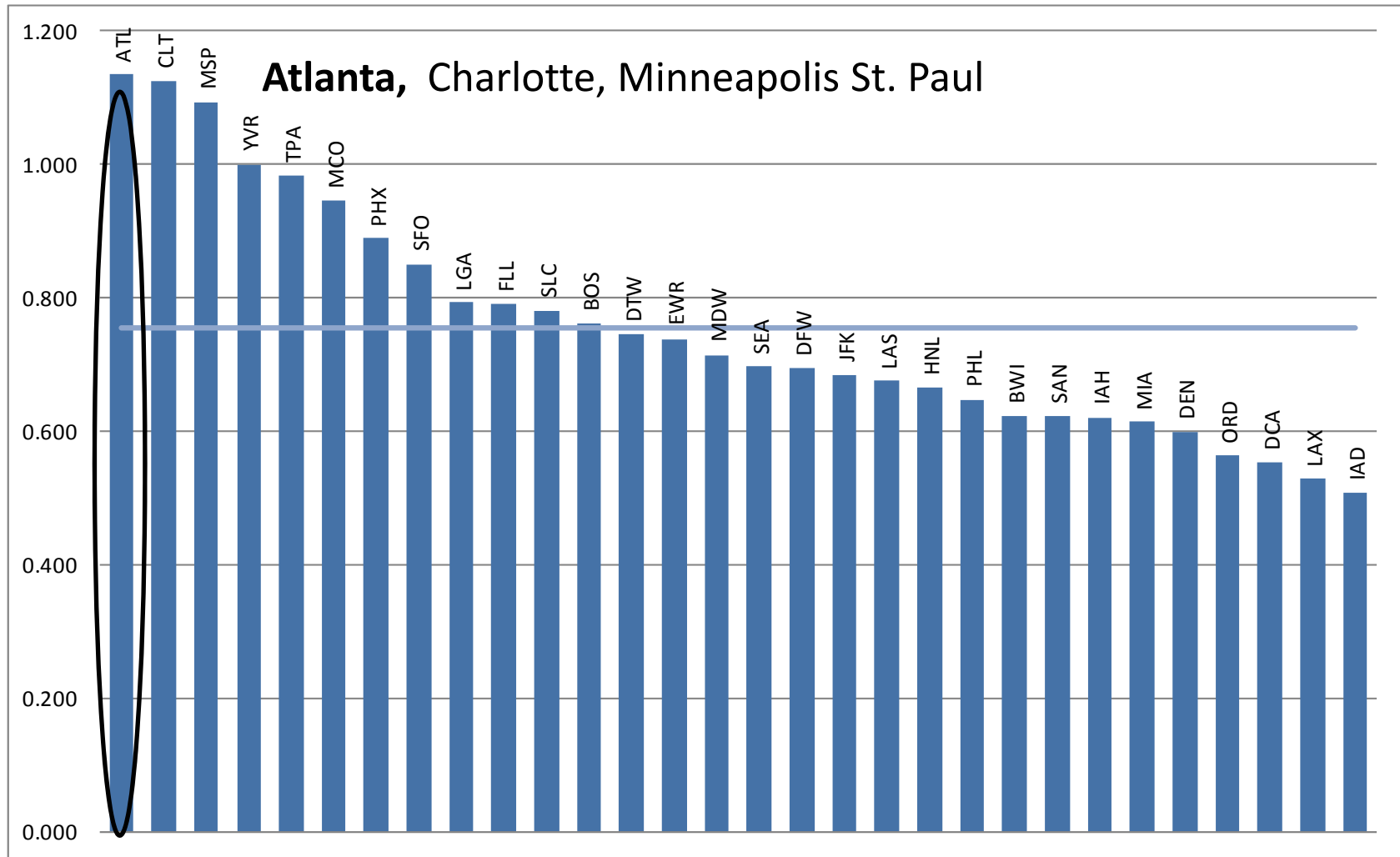
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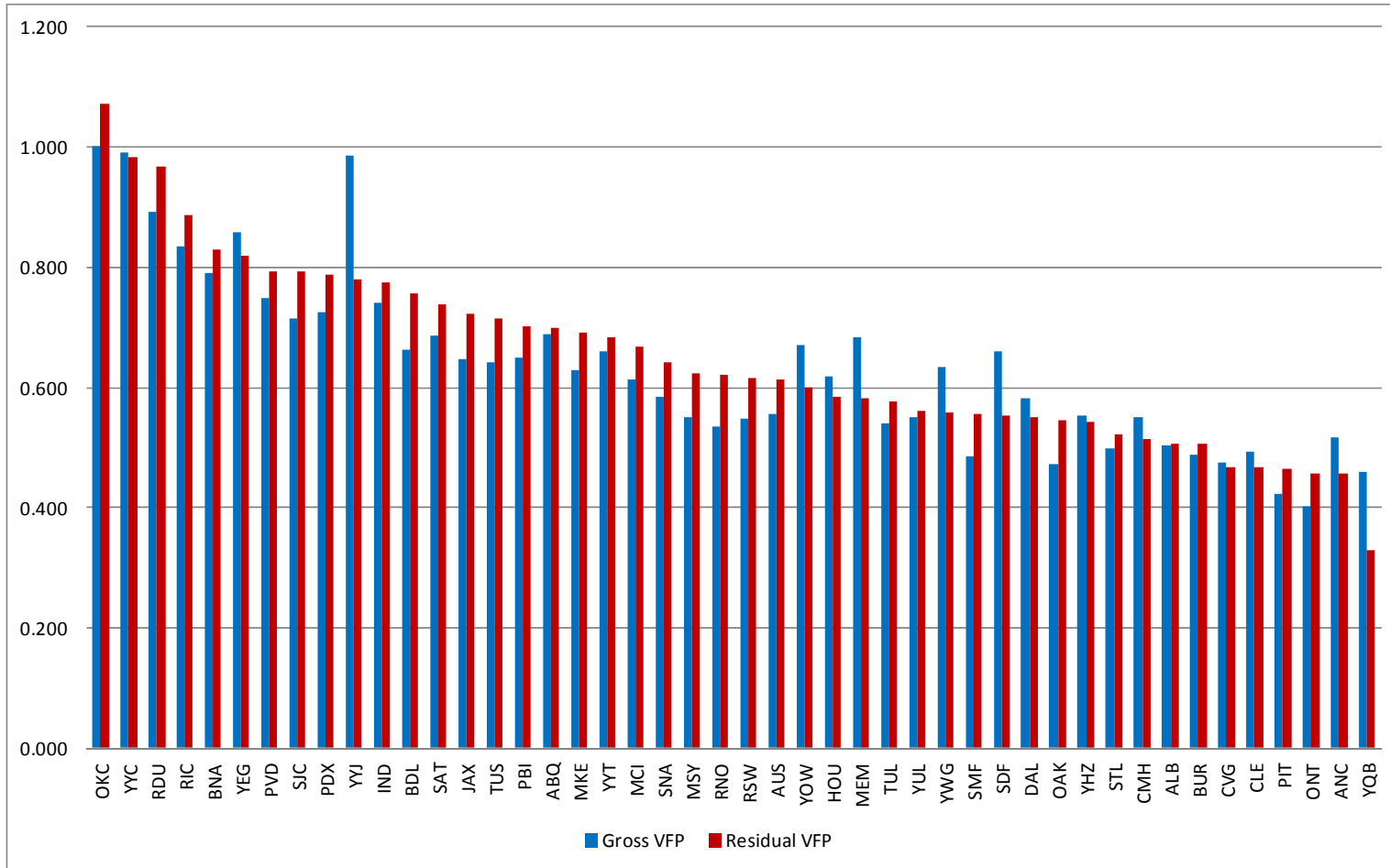
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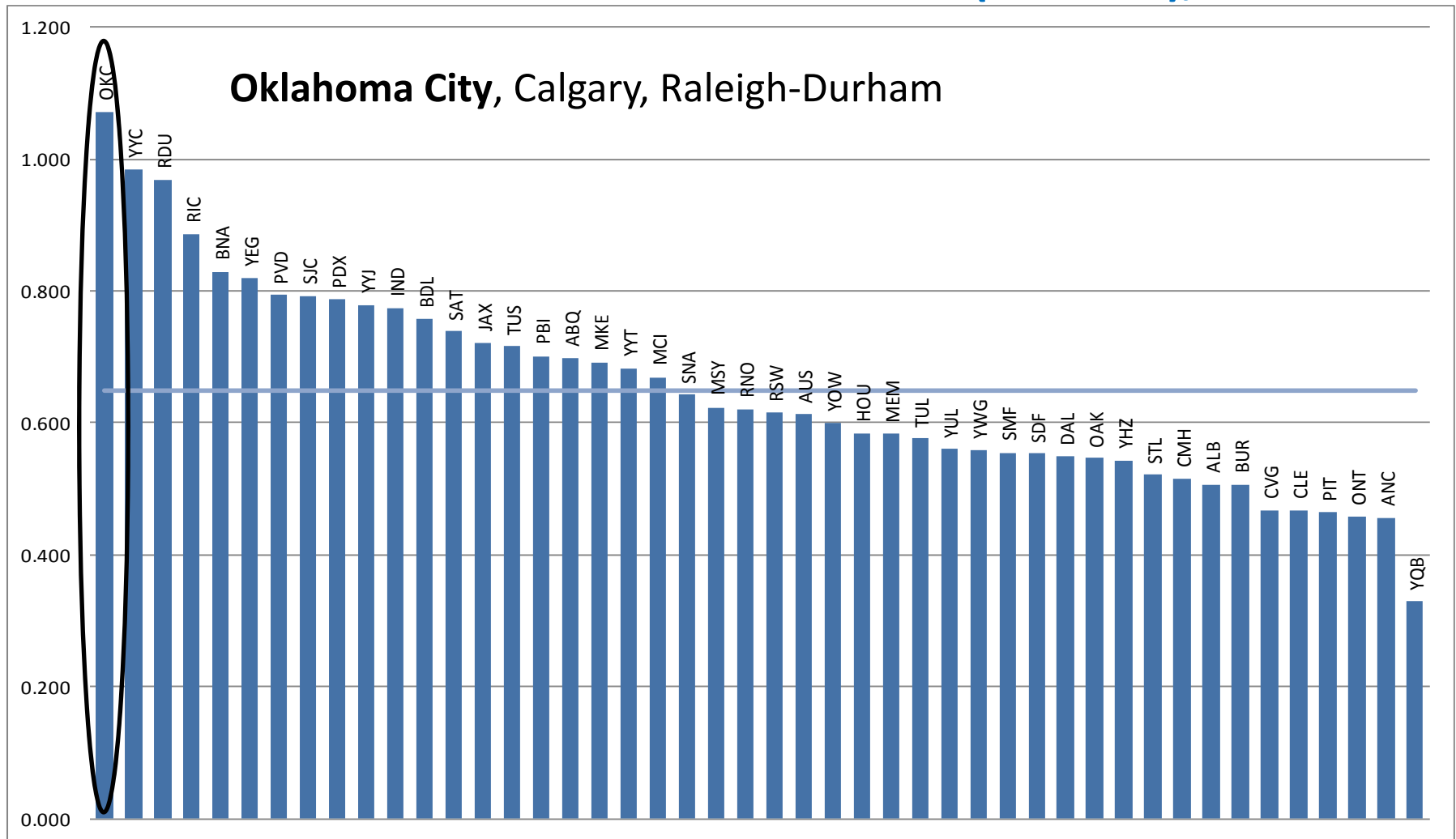
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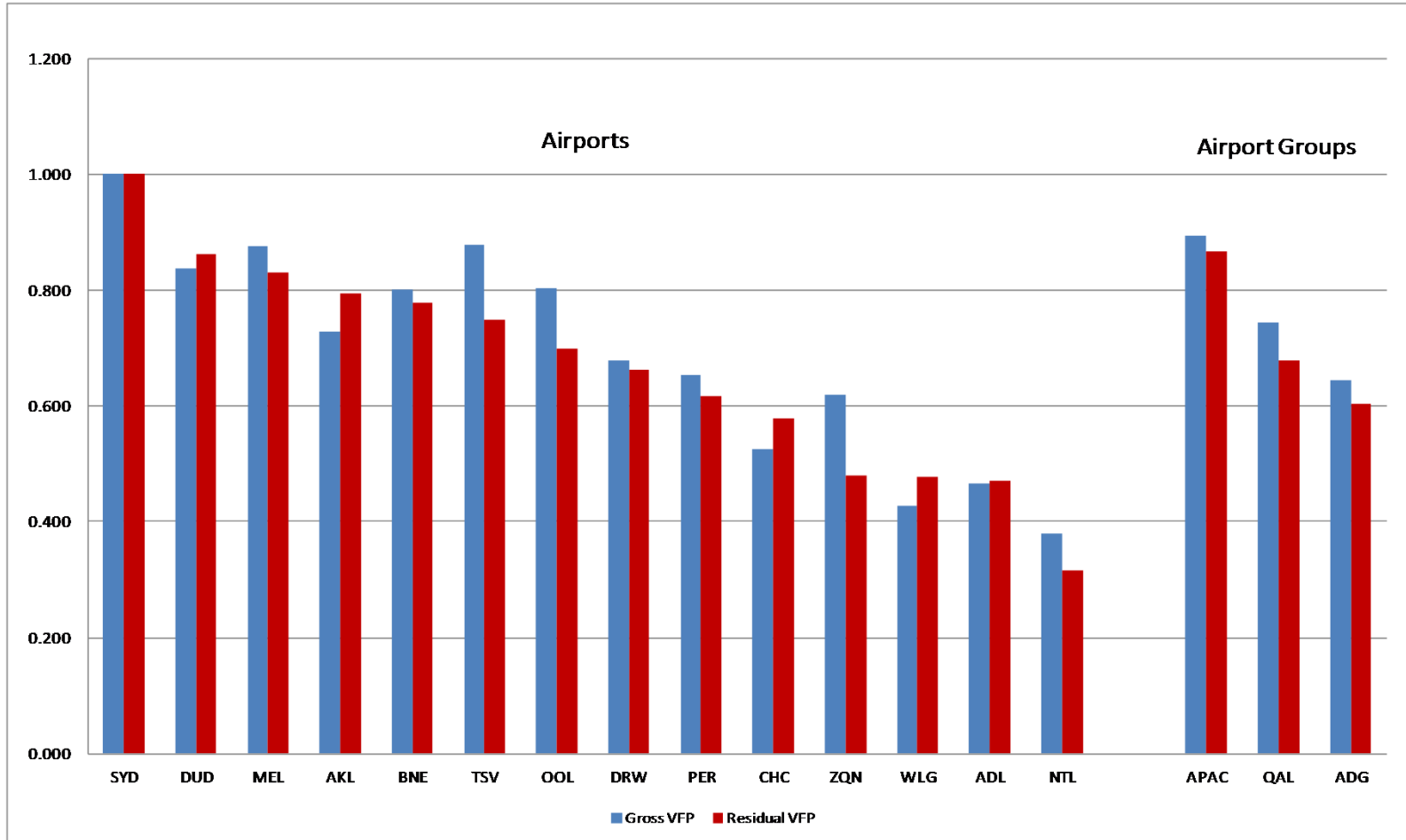
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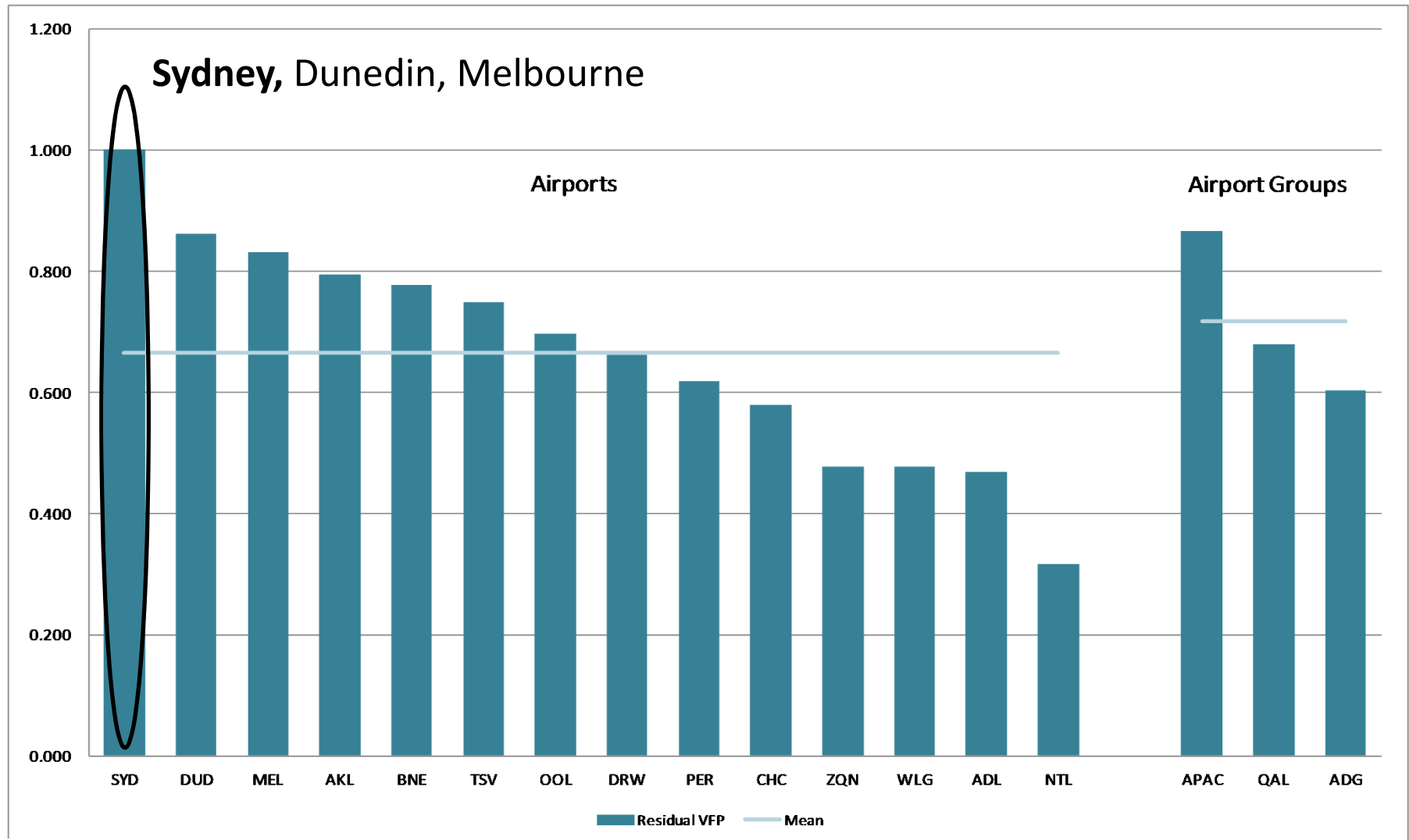
RESIDUAL (NET) VARIABLE FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY (VFP): N. AMERICA SMALL & MEDIUM AIRPORTS (YVR=1.0), FY 2012



GROSS VARIABLE FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY VS RESIDUAL VFP: Oceanian Airports (SYD=1.0), FY 2012



RESIDUAL (NET) VARIABLE FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY (VFP): OCEANIA (SYD=1.0), FY 2012



TOP EFFICIENCY PERFORMERS (2014)

(based on Net VFP index=operating/management efficiency)

Asia Pacific:

- Asian Airports:
 - **Busan Gimhae**, Jeju, Hong Kong
- Oceania Airports:
 - **Sydney**, Dunedin, Melbourne



Europe:

- Large Airports (> 15 million pax):
 - **Copenhagen Kastrup**, Zurich, Oslo
- Small/Medium Airports (< 15 millions Pax):
 - **Athens**, Geneva, Basel



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- Large Airports (> 15 million pax):
 - **Atlanta**, Charlotte, Minneapolis St Paul
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 - **Oklahoma City**, Calgary, Raleigh-Durham



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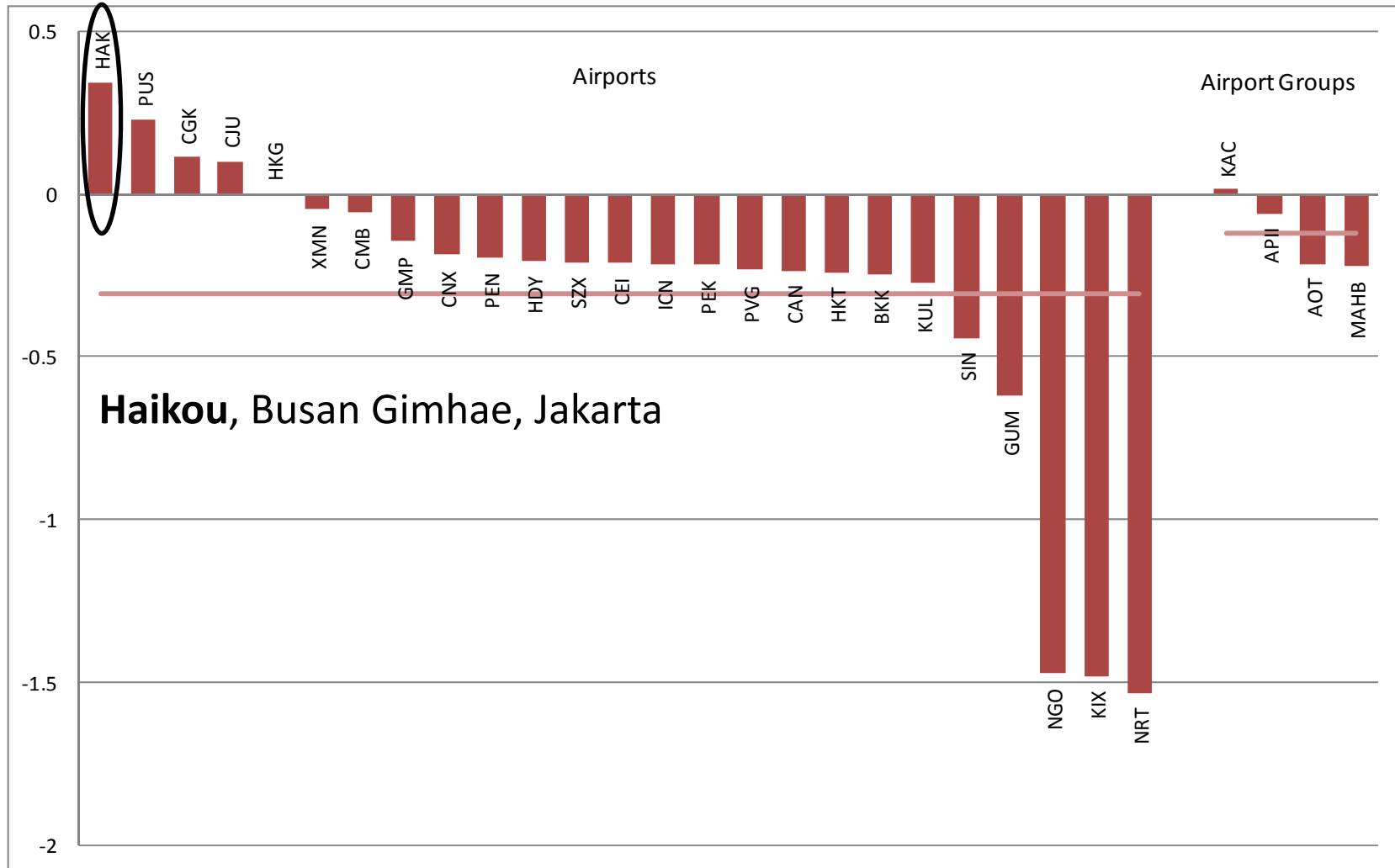
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PAST AIRPORT EFFICIENCY EXCELLENCE TOP PERFORMERS, 2009 - 2013

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
North America	Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport	Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport	Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport	Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport	Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport Minneapolis St. Paul International Airport Oklahoma City Will Rogers World Airport
Europe	Copenhagen Kastrup International Airport	<p><u>Large Airport Category:</u> Oslo International Airport</p> <p><u>Small/Medium Airport Category:</u> Geneva Cointrin International Airport</p>	<p><u>Large Airport Category:</u> Oslo International Airport Copenhagen Kastrup International Airport</p> <p><u>Small/Medium Airport Category:</u> Genève Aéroport</p>	<p><u>Large Airport Category:</u> Copenhagen Kastrup International Airport</p> <p><u>Small/Medium Airport Category:</u> Genève Aéroport</p>	<p><u>Large Airport Category:</u> Copenhagen Kastrup International Airport</p> <p><u>Small/Medium Airport Category:</u> Genève Aéroport</p>
Asia-Pacific	Hong Kong International Airport	<p><u>Large Airport Category:</u> Hong Kong International Airport</p> <p><u>Small/Medium Airport Category:</u> Seoul Gimpo International Airport</p>	<p><u>Asian Airport Excellence Award:</u> Hong Kong International Airport</p> <p><u>Oceania Excellence Award:</u> Sydney Airport</p>	<p><u>Asian Airport Excellence Award:</u> Seoul Gimpo International Airport</p> <p><u>Oceania Excellence Award:</u> Sydney Airport</p>	<p><u>Asian Airport Excellence Award:</u> Seoul Gimpo International Airport</p> <p><u>Oceania Excellence Award:</u> Sydney Airport</p>

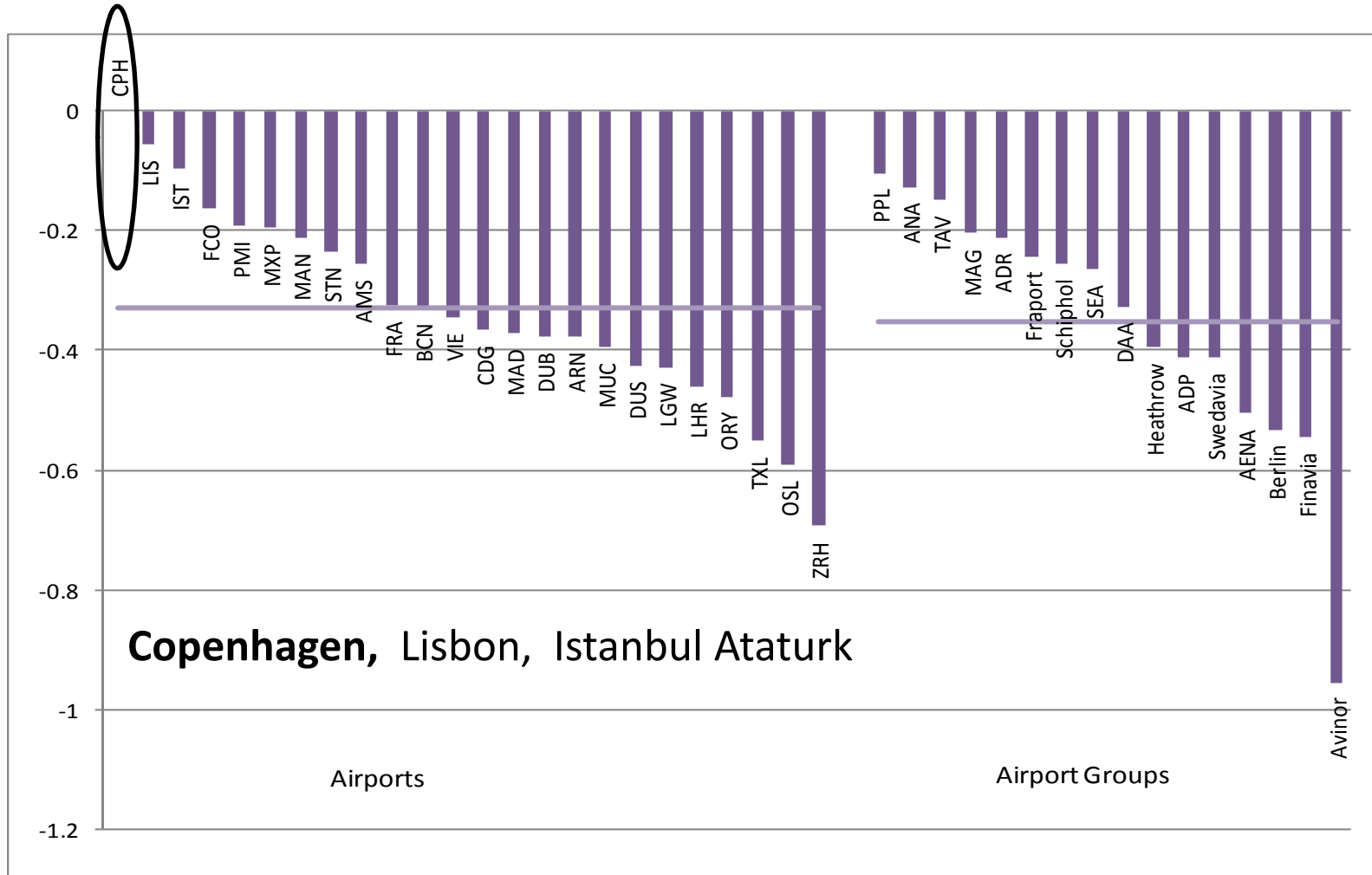


COST COMPETITIVENESS = NET VFP AND INPUT PRICE EFFECT
ASIA (HKG=0.0) – THE HIGHER THE BETTER



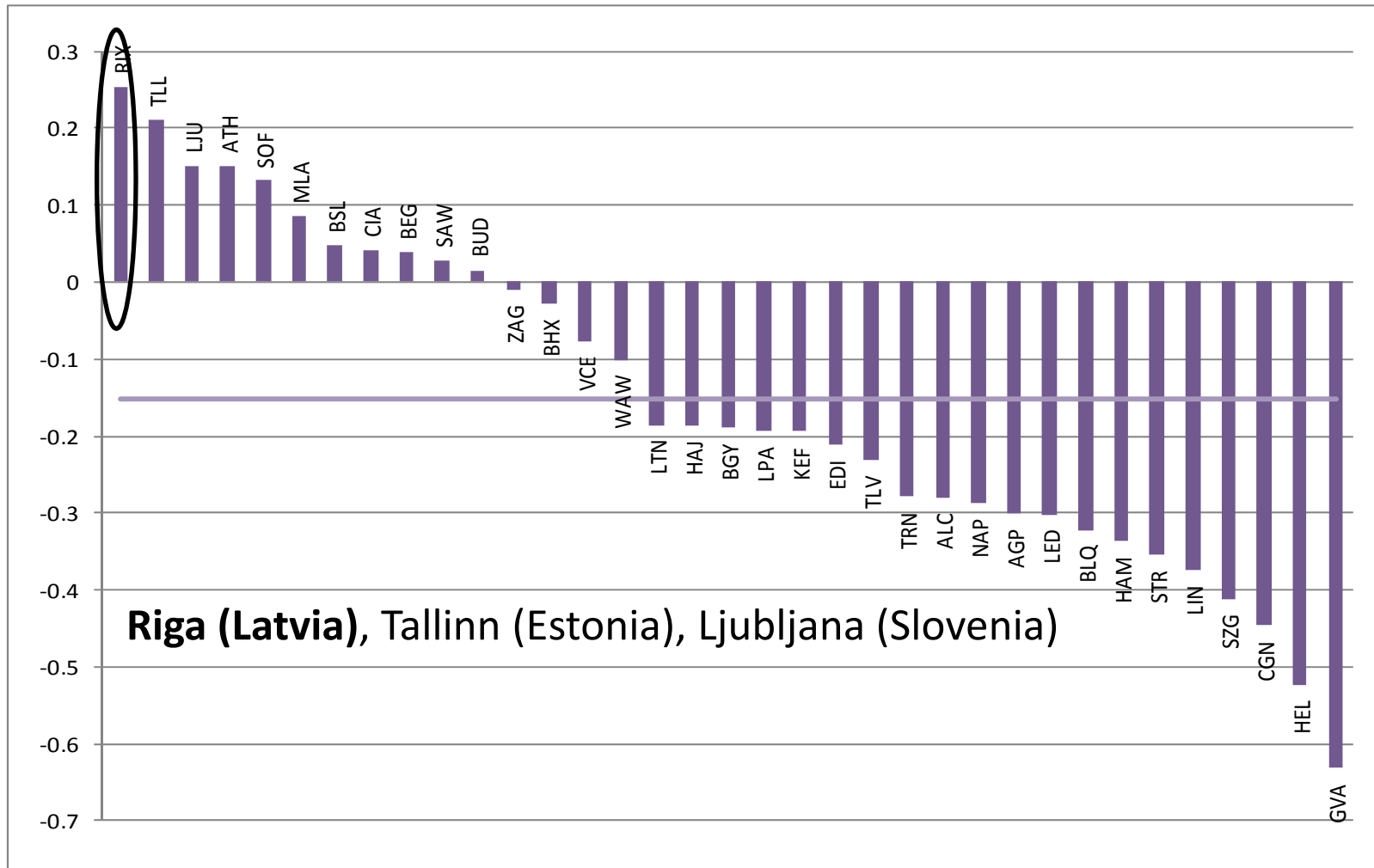
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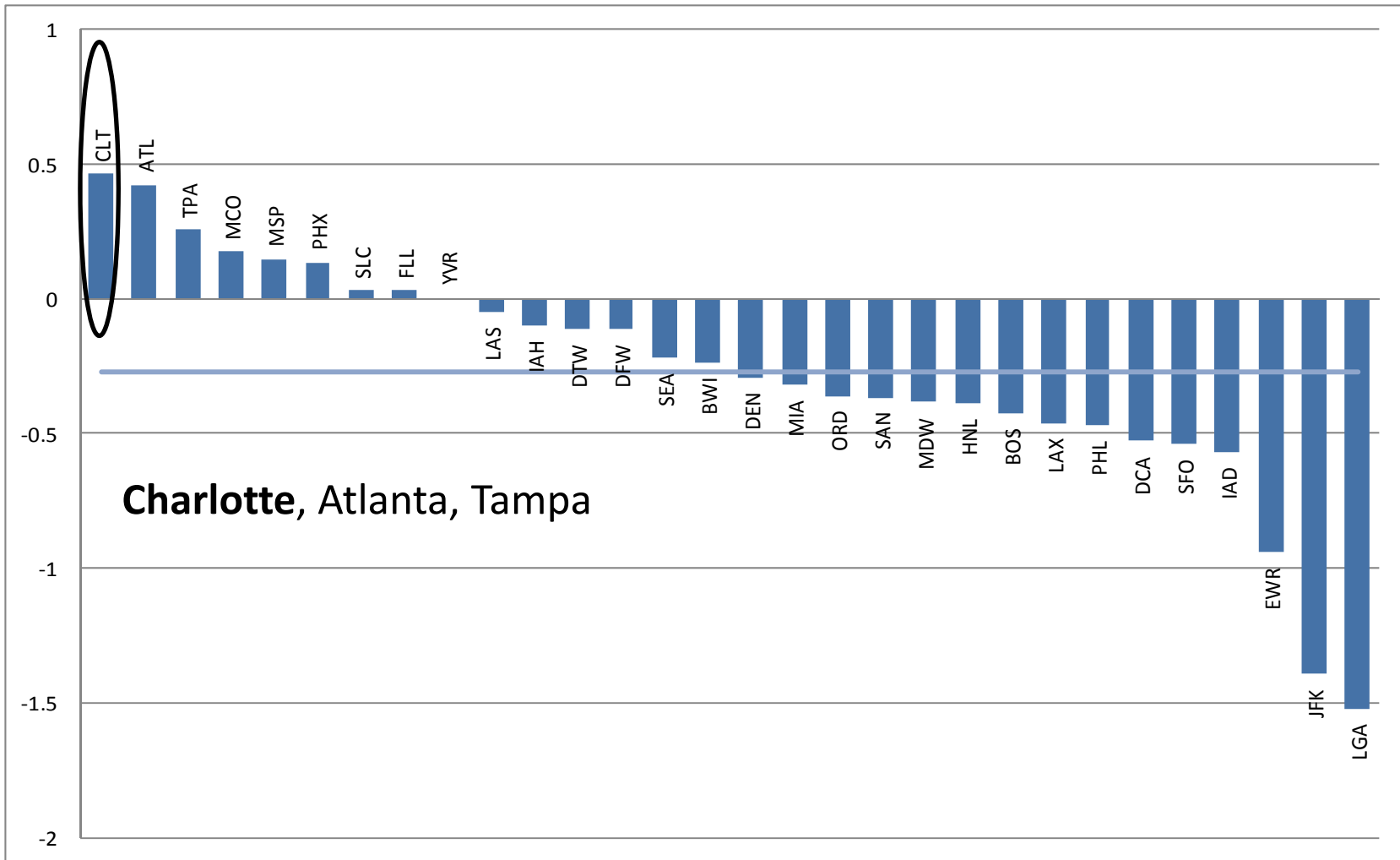
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EUROPE - SMALL & MEDIUM AIRPORTS (CPH=0.0)



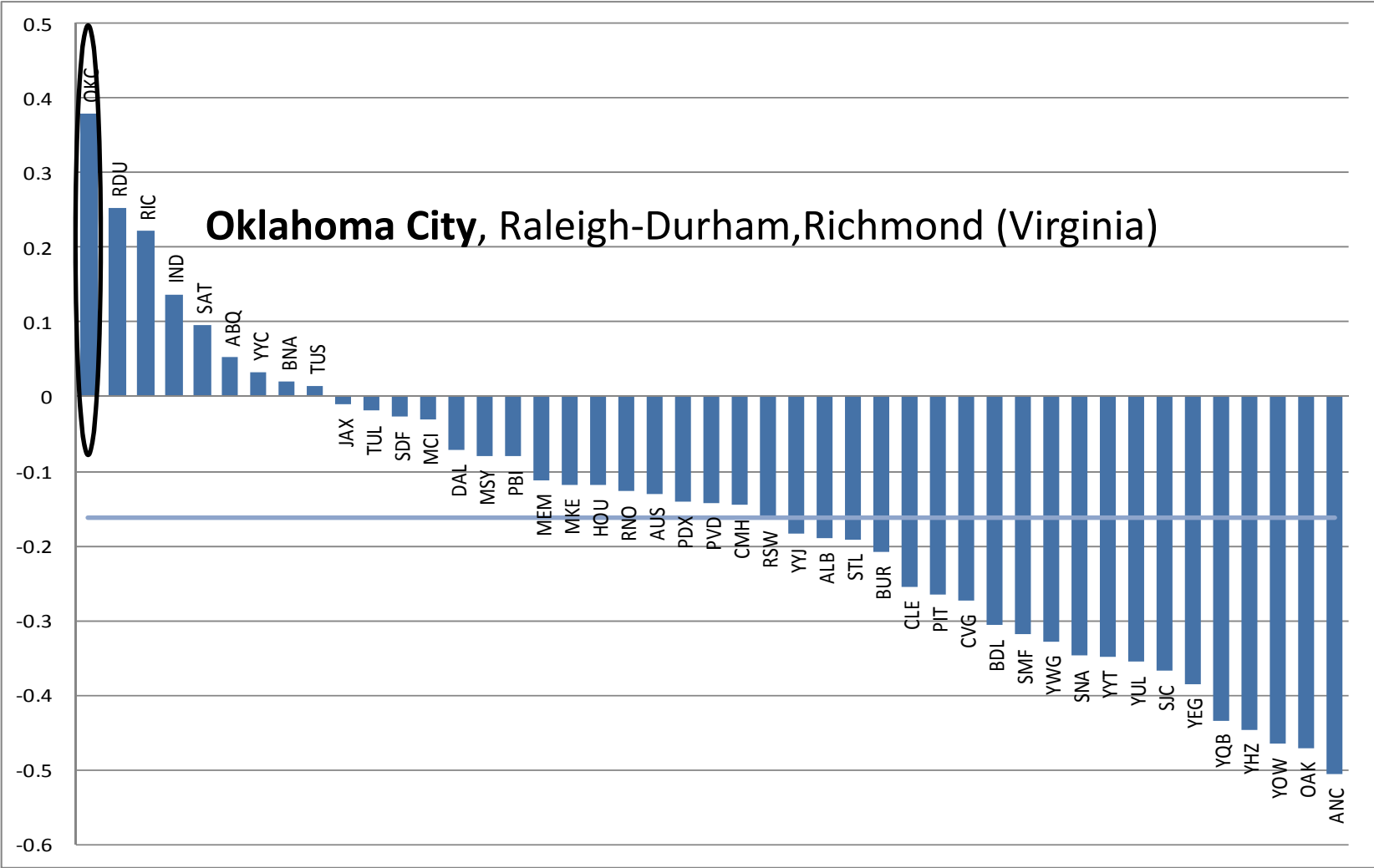
COST COMPETITIVENESS = NET VFP AND INPUT PRICE EFFECT

N. AMERICA - LARGE AIRPORTS (YVR=0.0)



COST COMPETITIVENESS: = NET VFP AND INPUT PRICE EFFECT

N. AMERICA - SMALL & MEDIUM AIRPORTS (YVR=0.0)



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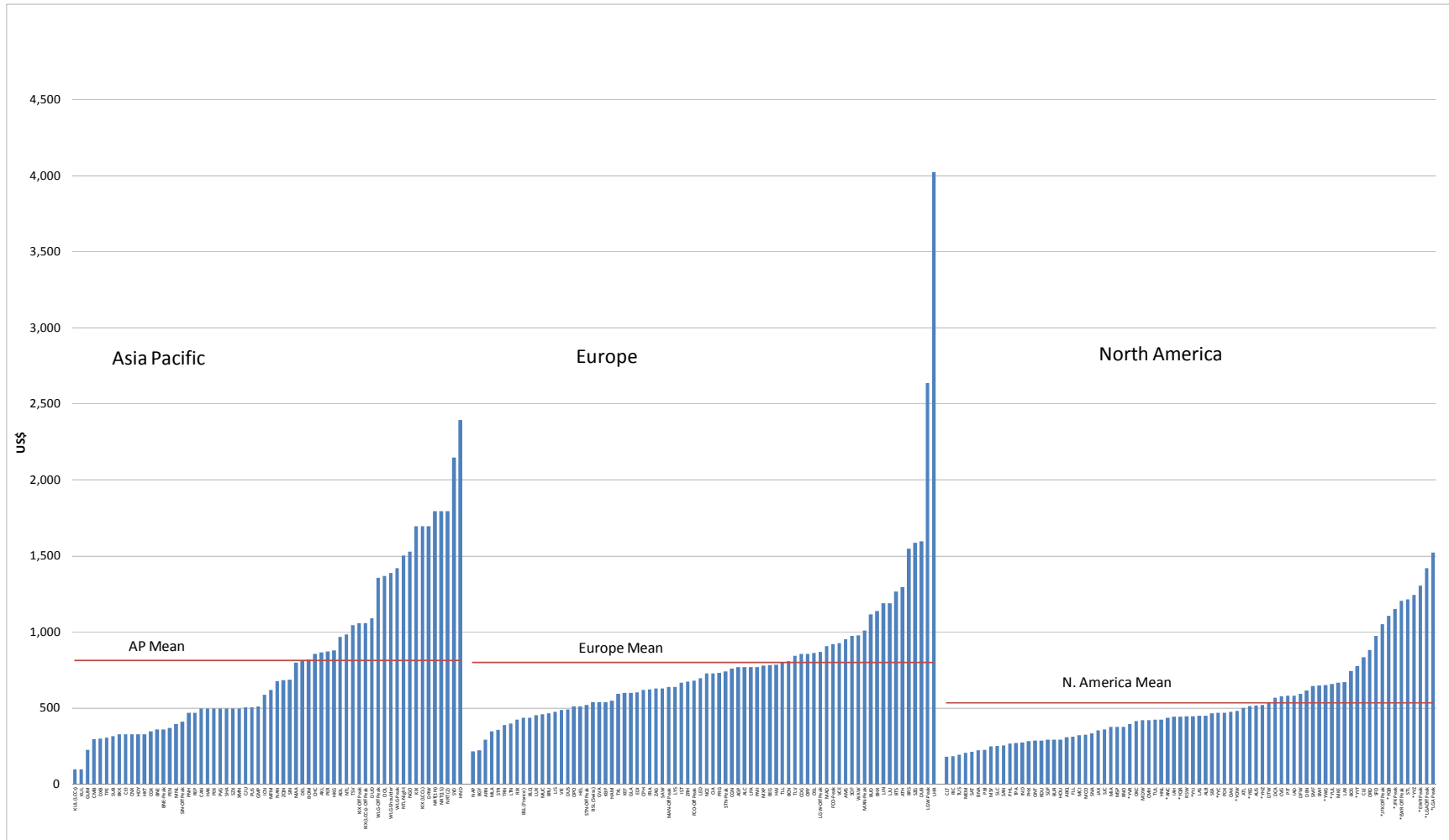
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LANDING CHARGES FOR AIRBUS 320, 2013 (IN US\$)



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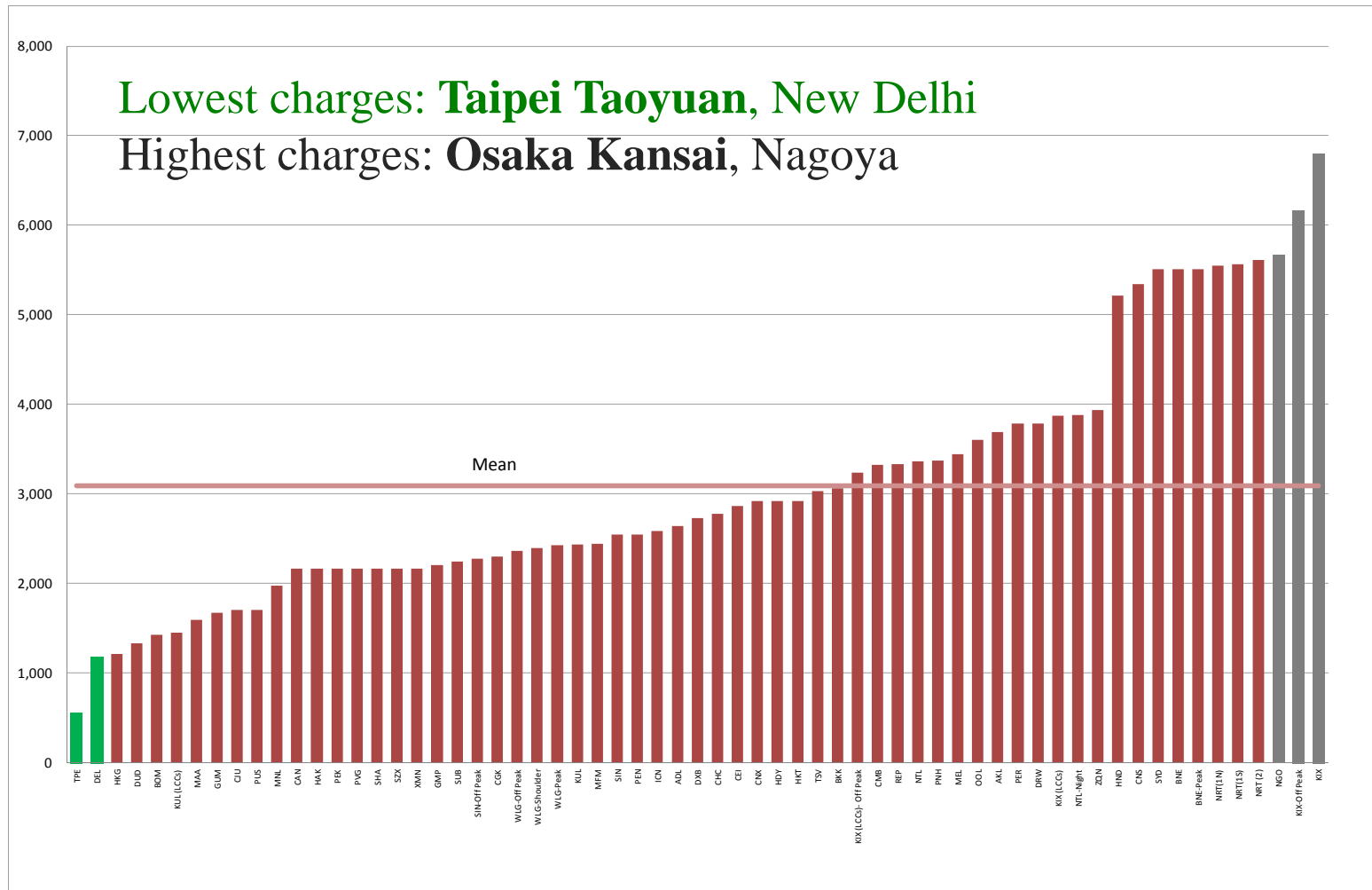
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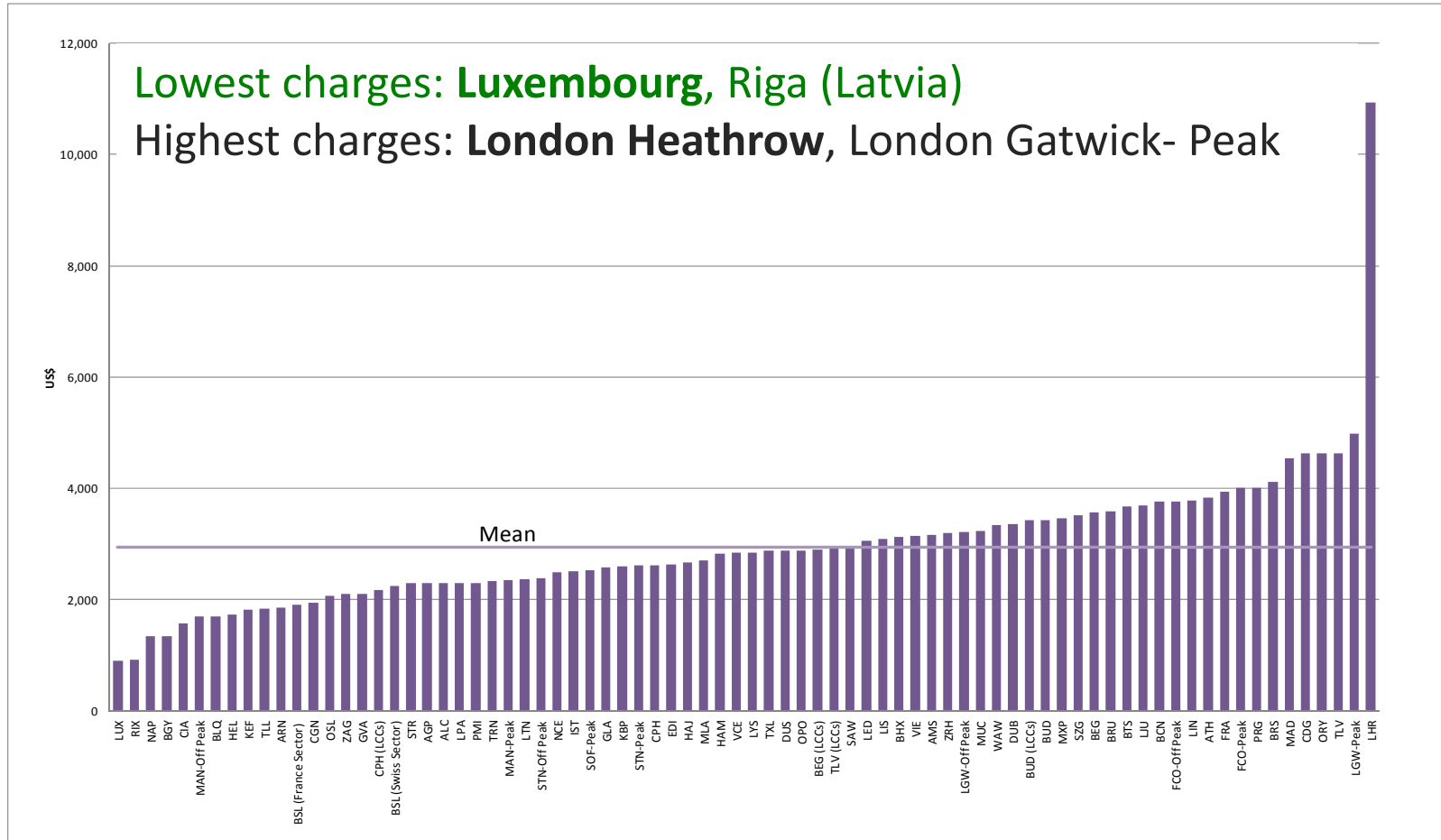
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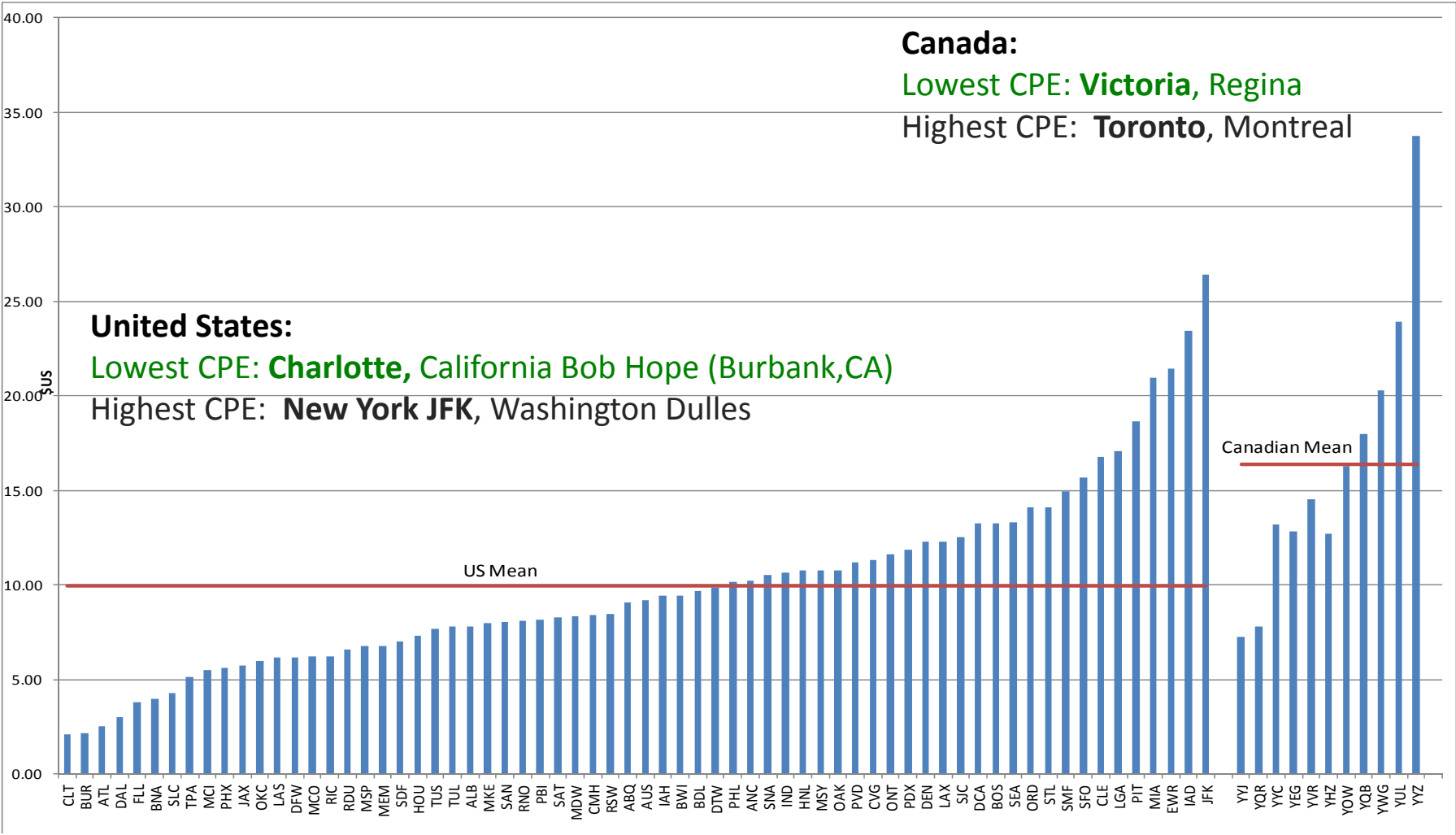
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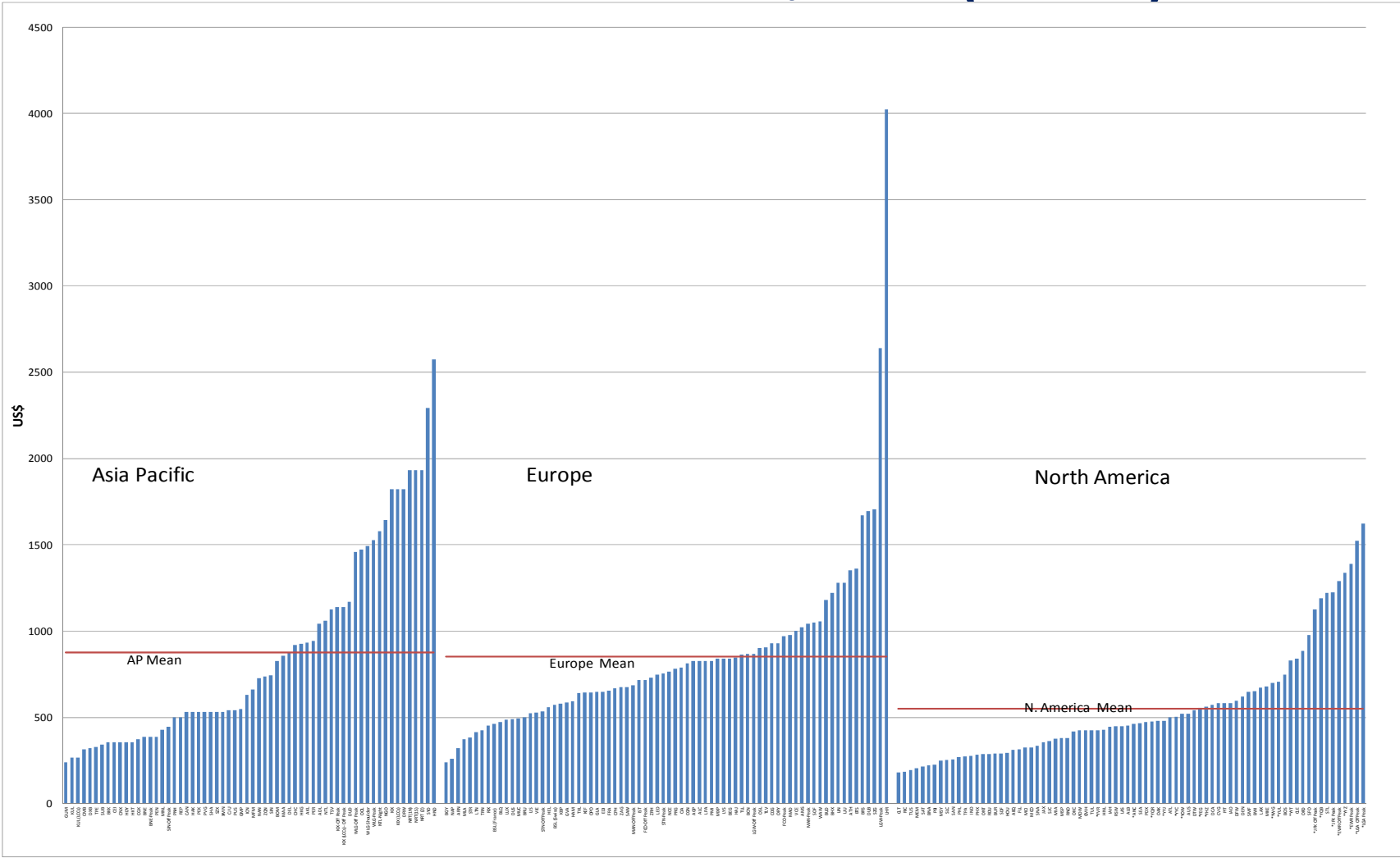
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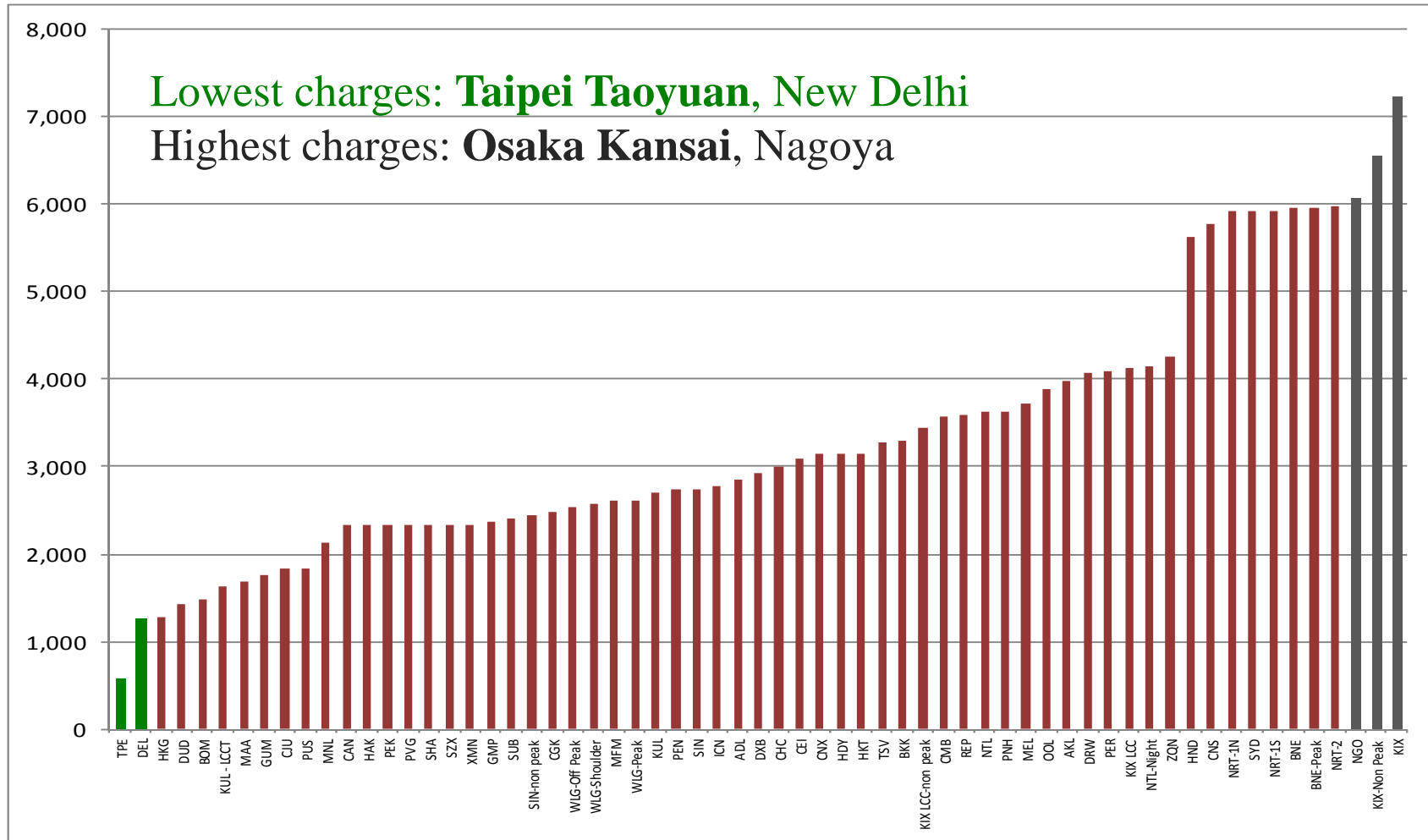
NORTH AMERICA: COST PER ENPLANED PASSENGER, 2012 (IN US\$)



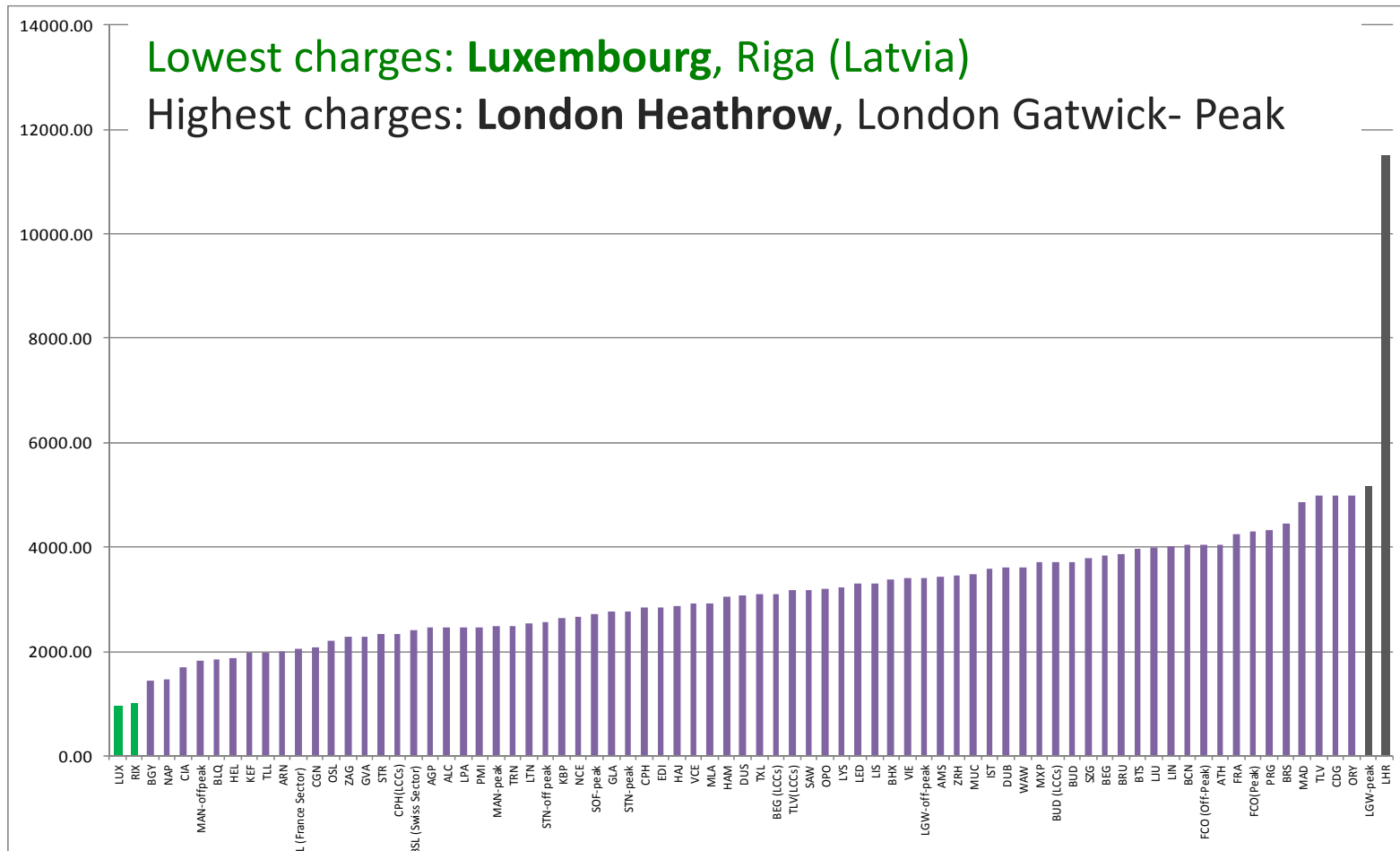
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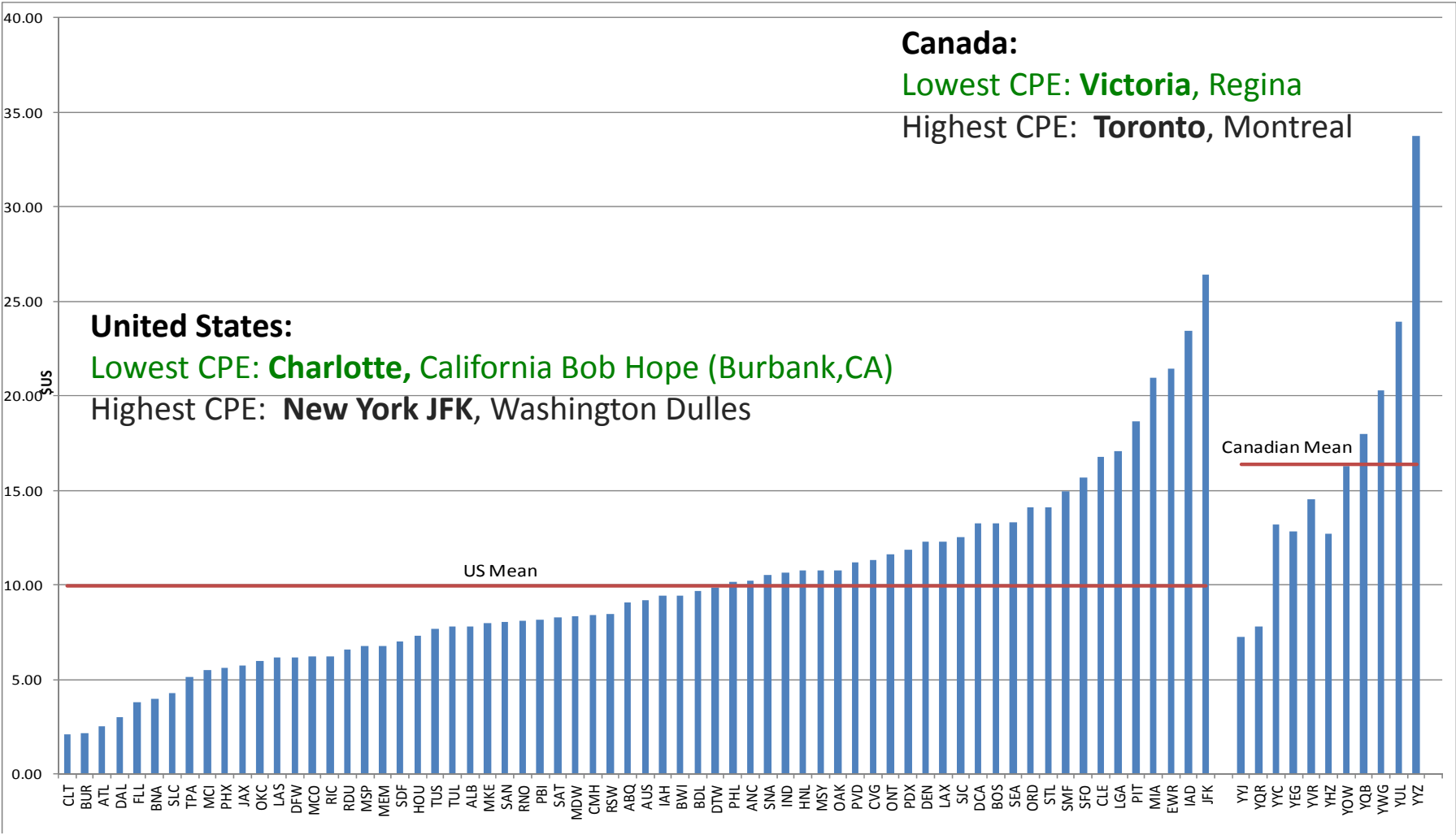
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EUROPE: COMBINED LANDING AND PASSENGER CHARGES FOR BOEING 737-800, 2013 (IN US\$)



NORTH AMERICA: COST PER ENPLANED PASSENGER, 2012 (IN US\$)



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