

**ACTIVE<sup>a</sup> U.S. AIR CARRIER FLEET  
BY TYPE OF AIRCRAFT, NUMBER OF ENGINES, AND MODEL**

As of December 2001–2005

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	8,497	8,194	8,176	8,186	8,225
<b>Turbojets—TOTAL</b> .....	6,296	6,383	6,523	6,691	6,839
<b>Four-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	419	365	337	305	310
Boeing 707.....	1	—	—	—	—
Boeing 747.....	209	175	180	162	164
B.Ae./AVRO 146.....	54	53	53	52	48
McDonnell Douglas DC-8.....	155	137	104	91	98
<b>Three-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	996	790	602	519	540
Boeing 727.....	674	514	361	296	293
Lockheed L-1011.....	24	20	17	12	8
McDonnell Douglas DC-10/MD-11 ...	298	256	224	211	239
<b>Twin-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	4,881	5,228	5,584	5,867	5,989
Airbus A-300.....	113	119	132	133	153
Airbus A-310.....	46	46	51	51	62
Airbus A-318.....	—	—	4	6	7
Airbus A-319.....	170	218	238	258	285
Airbus A-320.....	231	278	308	327	350
Airbus A-321.....	23	28	29	32	34
Airbus A-330.....	9	9	13	22	27
Beech 400.....	1	—	—	—	—
Boeing 717.....	57	83	95	105	117
Boeing 737.....	1,359	1,396	1,387	1,407	1,304
Boeing 757.....	599	647	652	651	644
Boeing 767.....	340	366	361	378	370
Boeing 777.....	96	129	129	125	122
Canadair CL-600.....	324	459	693	872	936
Cessna C500/C501/C525/C650.....	—	1	5	6	3
Dassau AMD.....	26	—	—	—	—
Embraer ERJ-135.....	69	123	158	160	160
Embraer ERJ-145.....	217	275	346	446	493
Embraer ERJ-170.....	—	—	—	29	73
Embraer ERJ-190.....	—	—	—	—	7
Fokker F-28.....	133	86	77	11	5
Israel Aircraft 1124.....	1	—	—	—	—
Learjet LR-24/25/31/35.....	4	2	1	1	—
McDonnell Douglas DC-9/MD-80/ MD-90.....	1,060	963	905	847	837
Mitsubishi MU-300.....	2	—	—	—	—
North American NA-265.....	1	—	—	—	—
<b>Turboprops—TOTAL</b> .....	1,494	1,250	1,123	989 <sup>r</sup>	889
<b>Four-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	24	17	16	17 <sup>r</sup>	7
De Havilland DHC-7.....	4	2	2	—	—
Lockheed 188 Electra.....	12	9	8	12	—
Lockheed 382.....	8	6	6	5 <sup>r</sup>	7

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<b>Twin-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	<u>1,470</u>	<u>1,233</u>	<u>1,107</u>	<u>968</u>	<u>880</u>
Airtech CN-235 .....	1	1	—	—	—
Beech BE90 .....	3	1	1	1	1
Beech BE99 .....	14	9	9	13	12
Beech BE100 .....	3	3	4	4	4
Beech BE200 .....	8	6	3	3	3
Beech BE300 .....	2	—	—	—	—
Beech BE1900 .....	185	163	172	159	133
B.Ae. Jetstream .....	100	89	83	73	45
CASA C212 Aviocar .....	4	9	8	4	4
Cessna CE208B .....	159	38	50	50	55
Cessna C441 .....	—	4	3	3	3
Convair 580/600/640 .....	5	5	1	—	1
Curtis C-46 .....	2	2	2	2	2
DeHavilland DHC-6 .....	51	27	25	18	28
DeHavilland DHC-8 .....	190	183	170	154	149
Dornier DO328 .....	85	87	79	46	14
Embraer EMB110 .....	1	1	1	1	1
Embraer EMB120 .....	176	160	136	127	104
Fairchild/Fokker F-27/FH-227 .....	38	38	34	—	17
Grumman G-73 .....	5	5	5	5	5
Gulfstream 695 .....	—	1	—	—	—
Gulfstream GA1159 .....	3	—	—	—	—
Piper PA31T .....	4	4	5	5	2
Saab-Fairchild SF340 .....	255	232	210	208	195
Shorts SC-7 .....	3	3	3	3	3
Shorts SD-3 .....	13	6	4	5	4
SNAIS ATR-42.....	66	64	16	7	28
SNAIS ATR-72.....	65	63	62	61	57
Swearingen SA-226 .....	2	2	—	—	—
Swearingen SA-227 .....	27	27	21	16	10
<b>Single-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	—	—	—	4	2
<b>Piston-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	580	528	498	470 <sup>r</sup>	454
<b>Four-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>20<sup>r</sup></u>	<u>20</u>
Douglas DC-6.....	16	12	13	20	20
<b>Three-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Pilatus Britten-Norman BN2A-MK-3 Turbo Islander .....	3	3	3	2	2
<b>Twin-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	173	154	143	125	126
<b>Single-Engine—TOTAL</b> .....	388	359	339	323	306
<b>Helicopters—TOTAL</b> .....	127	33	32	36	43

Source: Federal Aviation Administration.

NOTE: Includes certificated route air carriers, supplemental air carriers (charters), multi-engine aircraft in passenger service of commuters, and all aircraft over 12,500 pounds operated by Part 121 and Part 135 commuter operators.

a "Active aircraft" equals the average number of aircraft reported in operation during the last quarter of the year.