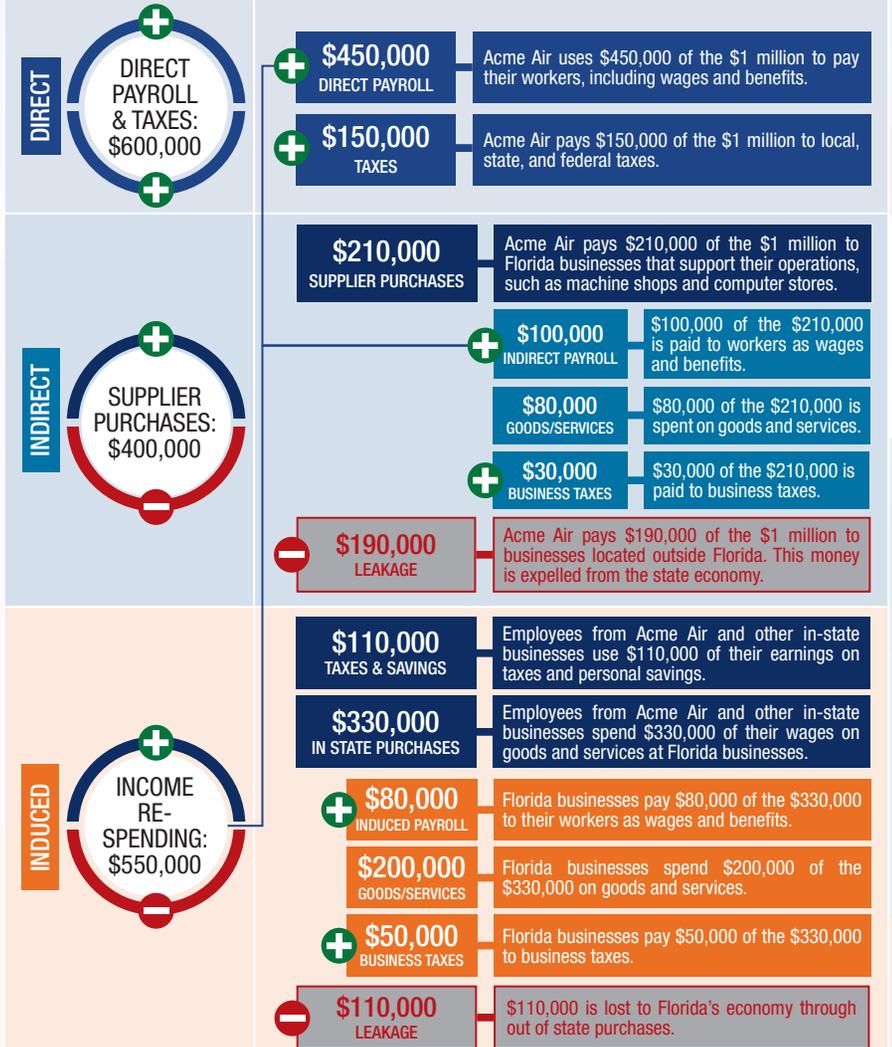


The following graphic is an example of how activity at Florida airports generates economic impacts throughout the state.

ACME AIR IS PAID \$1 MILLION TO REPAIR AIRCRAFT

THE MONEY

HOW THE MONEY IS CIRCULATED



DIRECT		INDIRECT		INDUCED	
\$450,000	\$150,000	\$100,000	\$30,000	\$80,000	\$50,000
DIRECT PAYROLL	BUSINESS TAXES	INDIRECT PAYROLL	BUSINESS TAXES	INDUCED PAYROLL	BUSINESS TAXES
+ Value Added = \$860,000					

THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF

Vero Beach Regional Airport (VRB)



VERO BEACH REGIONAL AIRPORT

Vero Beach Regional Airport is located in Indian River County, just over one mile from downtown Vero Beach. The airport has three runways, with the longest runway measuring 7,314 feet. The airport serves all facets of general aviation, including intercontinental business jets and most air carrier aircraft.

The airport primarily supports corporate/business activity, air taxi/charter services, and flight training. The airport's proximity to the pristine shores of Vero Beach benefits the community's tourism industry. Piper Aircraft, a general aviation aircraft manufacturer, maintains a production facility at the airport that provides nearly 1,000 jobs. Many of Vero Beach municipal utilities are located on airport property. The airport also hosts community events, such as the Vero Beach Air Show, which increase aviation education and promote the city and the airport. Two aviation schools located at the airport provide flight trainings and draw in foreign students whose local spending contributes to the community. Military and law enforcement aviation units also regularly use the airport for training operations.



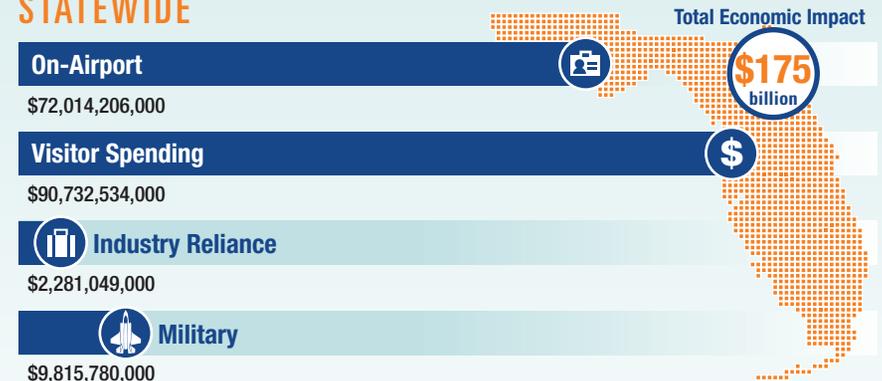
Previous versions of this Study used different terminology to communicate results. The following terms were updated: Direct Impacts changed to On-Airport Impacts; Indirect Impacts changed to Visitor Spending Impacts; Total Payroll changed to Total Labor Income; and Total Output changed to Total Business Sales.

Florida's Statewide Benefits From Aviation

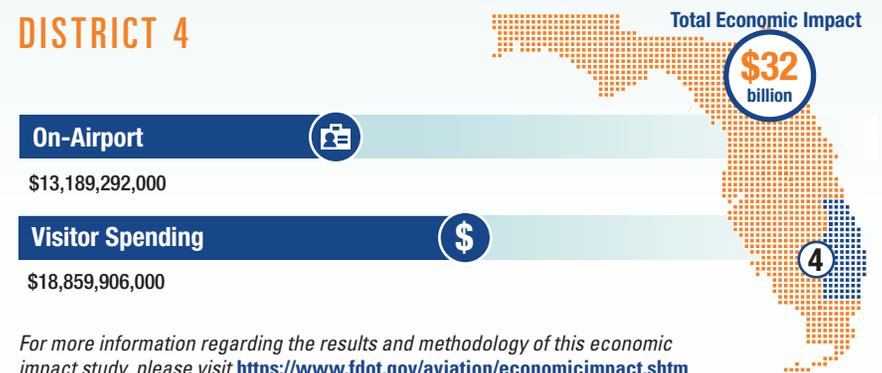
Florida realizes significant economic benefits from aviation. The Florida Department of Transportation completed a comprehensive economic impact analysis to measure these benefits. Benefits measured in the FDOT study considered direct impacts, supplier purchases (indirect impacts), and employee spending (induced impacts).

Florida's 129 public-use airports (including 20 commercial service facilities) are a major economic engine of the State's economy. The aviation system keeps Florida connected to the global marketplace while simultaneously driving local economies. Florida's airports provide space and infrastructure for important activities such as manufacturing, logistics, tourism, and emergency response. Below is a summary of the total statewide economic impact as well as the impact of District 4.

STATEWIDE



DISTRICT 4



For more information regarding the results and methodology of this economic impact study, please visit <https://www.fdot.gov/aviation/economicimpact.shtm>