



ASEAN Air Transport Milestones - ASEAN Plan of Action in Transport and Communications 1994-1996 - Ministerial Understanding on ASEAN Cooperation in Transportation, 19 March 1996, Bali - Roadmap for Integration of ASEAN (RIA) for ASEAN Competitive Air Services Policy, 2004 - ASEAN Open Skies Agreements, 20 May 2009, Manila - ASEAN Multilateral Agreement on Full Liberalisation of Passenger Air Services, 12 November 2010, Bandar Seri Begawan - ASEAN-China Air Transport Agreement - ASEAN Single Aviation Market

















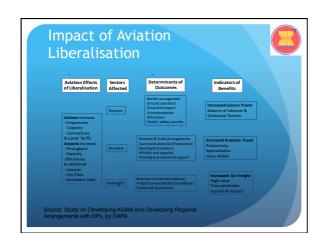




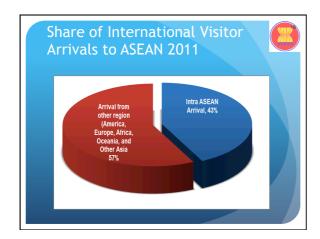


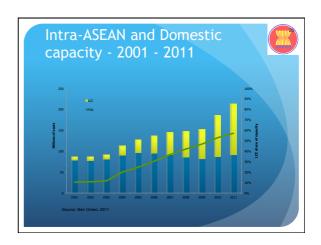






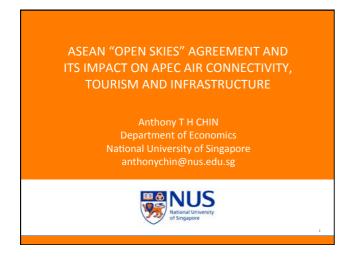




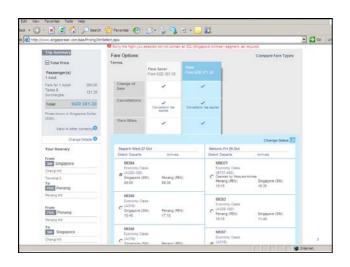


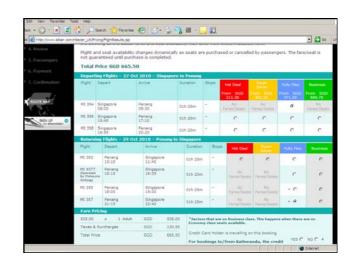


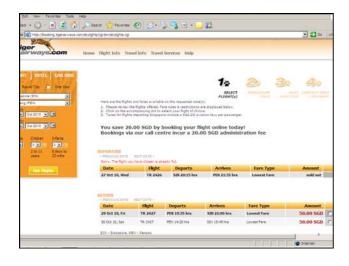


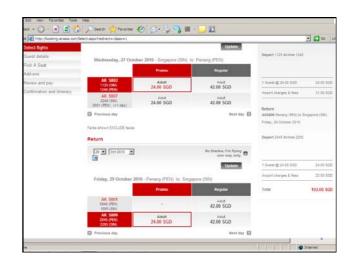


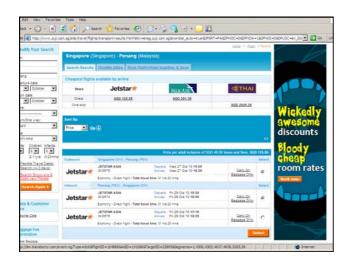




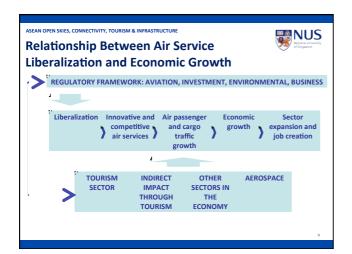






















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Outline

- Key elements of ASEAN "OPEN SKIES"
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What is ASEAN connectivity?

- The physical, institutional and people-to-people linkages to achieve the objectives of the economic, political-security and socio-cultural pillars of the ASEAN Community by 2015;
- The physical connectivity encompassing transport, information communications technology and energy. Community building through,
- 1. institutional connectivity (trade and economics such as trade and investment liberalization and facilitation, investment, mutual recognition arrangements and capacity building), and
- 2. People-to-people connectivity (tourism, education and culture);
- Physical and institutional connectivity: Reduction in business transaction costs, time and cost of travel.

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Assessment of ASEAN connectivity?

- •Traffic congested cities require urgent infrastructure investment, demand management strategies and innovative behavioral changes;
- Poor quality roads: ASEAN Highway Network (38,400 kilometers): missing links, poor quality; 50% 'Class-III and below;
- New railway development is slow. The Singapore-Kunming Rail Link: Missing links connecting Thailand & Cambodia, Thailand & Myanmar, and between Cambodia & Viet Nam; Spur lines within Lao PDR to the Viet Nam border;

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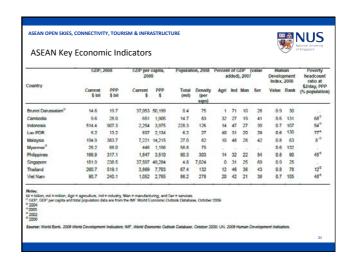


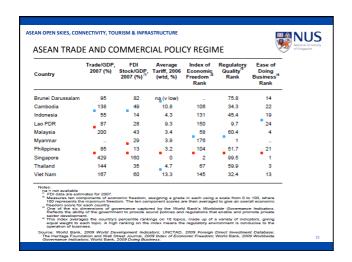
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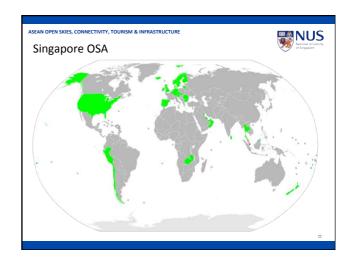
- ADB estimates for construction of missing links: US\$ 9.6 billion = only about 56 percent of the missing rail track.
 Does not include rolling stock and the facilities and equipment;
- Maritime transport: Large variation in port infrastructure quality and port performance, poor accessibility of gateway ports to land based transport;
- Aviation: Sufficient capacity in capitals but not in other airports. Air navigation system and procedures not harmonized.

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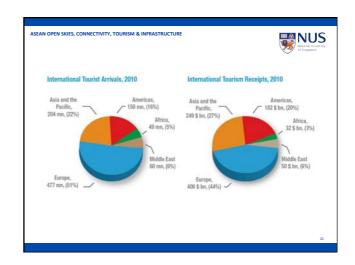


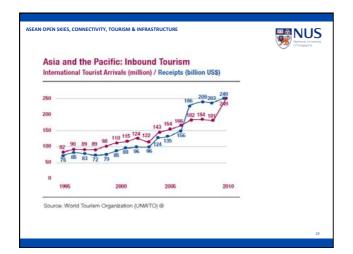




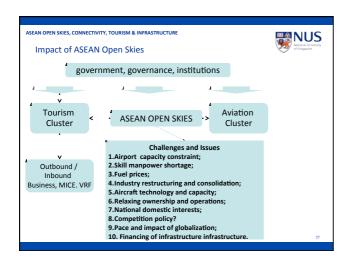








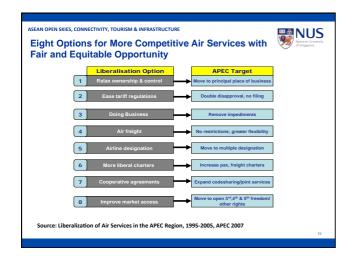












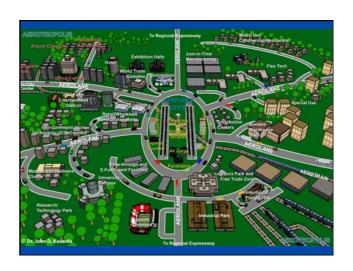


NUS Strategies and Areas of Cooperation 1. Freeing aviation support services; 2. Freeing up airline airport alliance and partnerships; 3. Liberalize investment in infrastructure and operations; 4. Liberalize ownership, control and operations; 5. Creation of competition commission and ensure level playing 6. Harmonization of rules, regulations to enhance passenger flows; 7. Avenues for negotiation and renegotiation 8. Sharing of best practices to 'enable' stakeholders 9. Identify and understand the relationship between in the tourist service supply chain 10. Ensure seamless integration between airline, airport & tourism sector

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In Conclusion 1

- Identify strategically investment gaps impediments, develop strategies to assist the tourism industry and attract further investment including soft and hard infrastructure including financing options.
- Liberalize tourism sector in APEC: Allow foreign equity participation with fair conditions of competition with effective safety nets for low income members and visa liberalization;
- Develop airports focusing on the dynamic global supply chain. Airports are not just people and cargo processing points! It's a business!

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In Conclusion 2

- Utilize IT to promote an integrated differentiated tourist focus on impression branding at critical point of contact with ASEAN + RoA destinations;
- Develop airports as business hubs and entities;
- Human resource development and management and benchmarking performance and competency in tourism services.
- It's nice to think big and reap big but do not ignore small and medium airport development: the missing vital links!
- Let private sector with global mindsets take the lead!

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Thank you

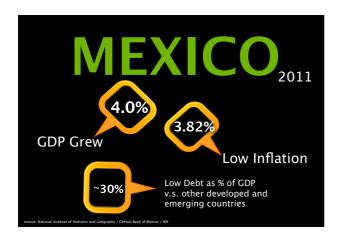
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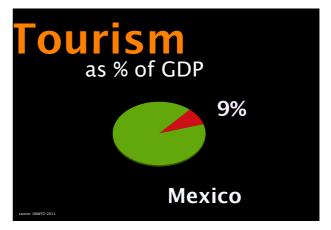


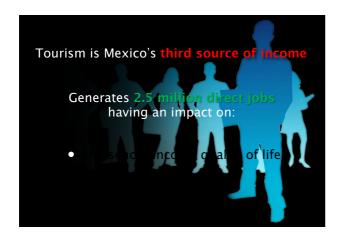




What
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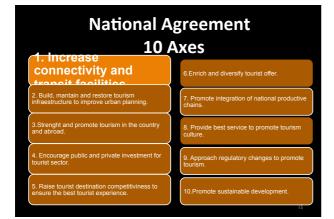


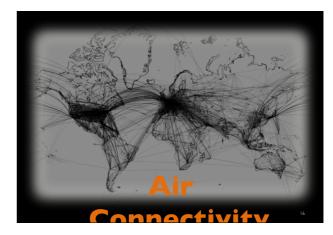


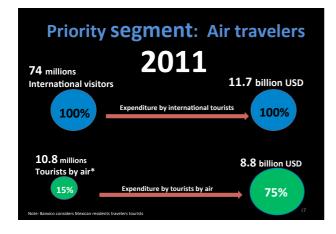


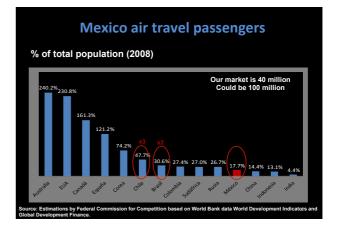


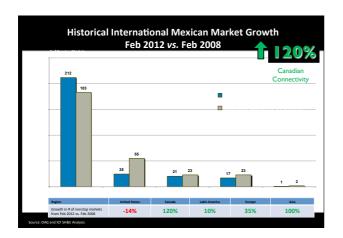


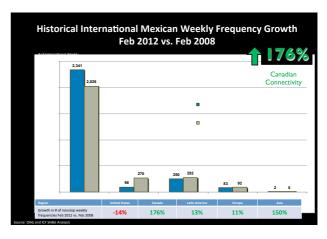


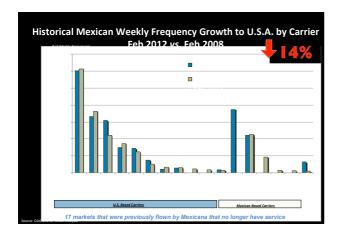


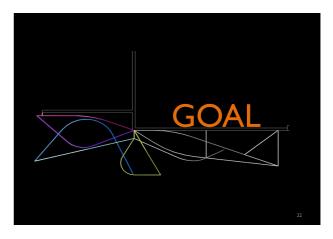




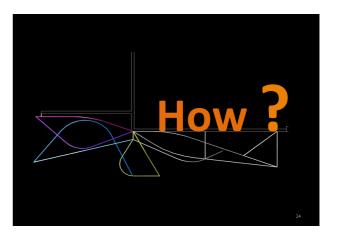




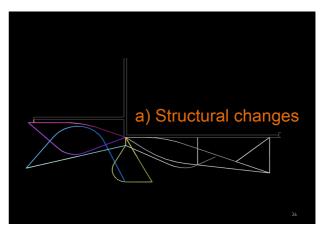


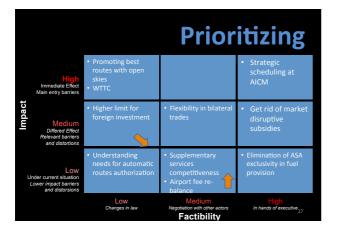


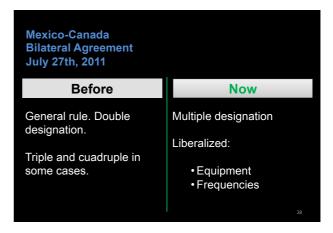


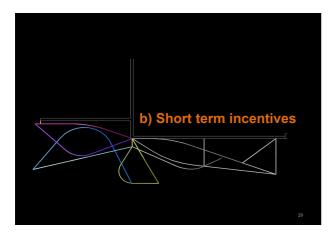












Mexico's Tourism Ministry (SECTUR) project to enhance Air Connectivity

Technical analysis to identify air service opportunities for 42 destinations in Mexico developed by a consultant company: ICF SH&E.

The project is divided in two stages

- In stage 1, 116 unique routes were identified for 20 destinations including airline, schedule proposed and a route forecast.
 - 65 internacionales (78 rutas potenciales porque se pueden proponer a más de una
 - 51 nacionales (55 rutas potenciales porque se pueden proponer a más de una aerolínea).
- Stage 2 analyzed routes possibilities for 22 left destinies.
- Once two stages are completed, next step will consist on meeting airlines in a joint effort to attract them.

Air Connectivity limitations

- The high elevation of Mexico City
 - Limits the operation of non-stop service to some regions such as Asia
- The current aircraft range capabilities
 - Limits the operation of non-stop service from Europe to Leisure destinations in the Mexico West Coast such as Los Cahos
- Lack of Immigration and Custom facilities at some airports
- Bilateral agreements

Some of the technical constraints will be taken care in the future with advanced technology and negotiations from the Federal Government

