### KLM's view on changing Hub dynamics

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### **1. KLM in Key-Figures**

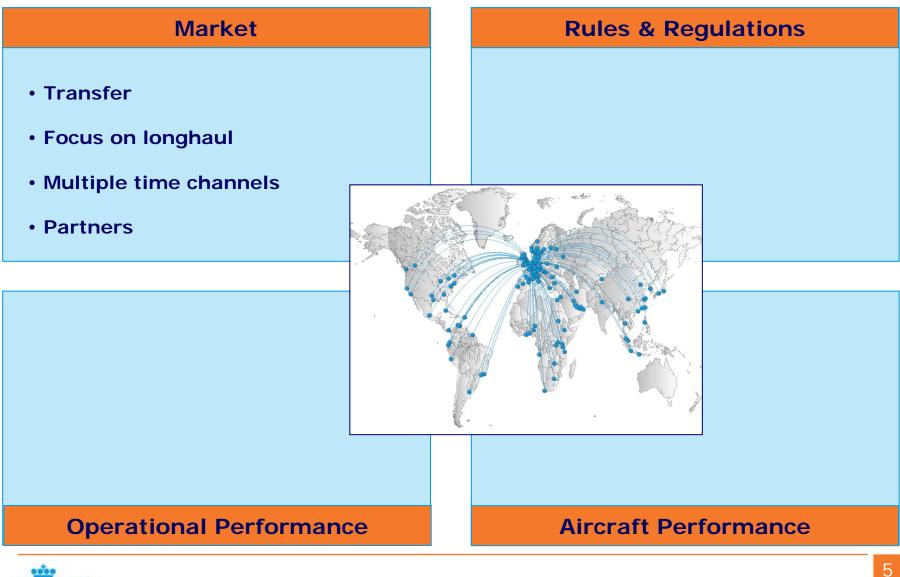


## 2. Drivers in hub dynamics



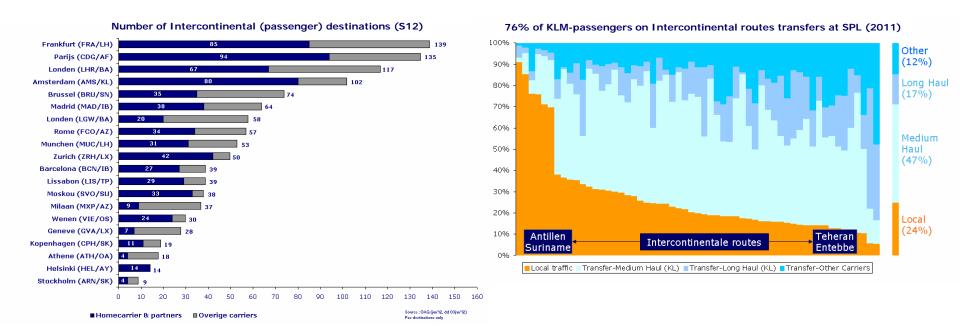


#### **Drivers in hub dynamics**





# Market characteristics and KLM's ambition: Small home market requires transfer passengers

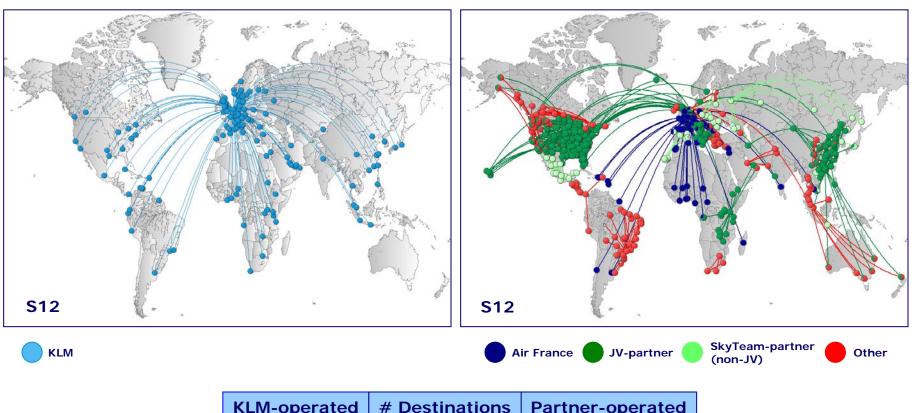


- 4th position Mainport Amsterdam thanks to KLM & partners and their relatively large portion of transfer
- Rome 8<sup>th</sup> position with 2.8 million inhabitants, whereas Amsterdam on 4<sup>th</sup> position with 800k inhabitants





#### KLM offers extensive worldwide portfolio...



KLM-operated	# Destinations	Partner-operated
69	Long Haul	403
63	Medium Haul	100
132	Total	503

Source : OAG jun'12 dd. 10apr'12



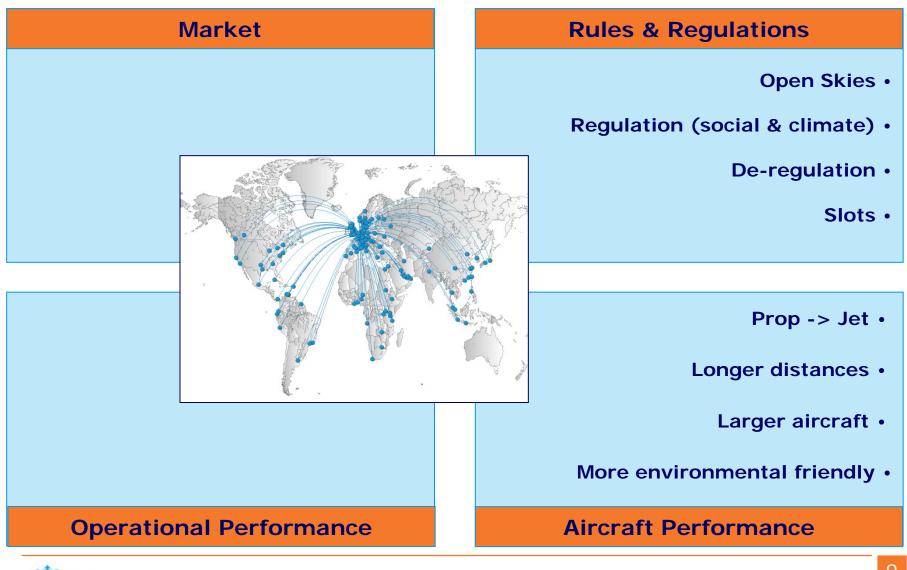
#### ... together with its partners







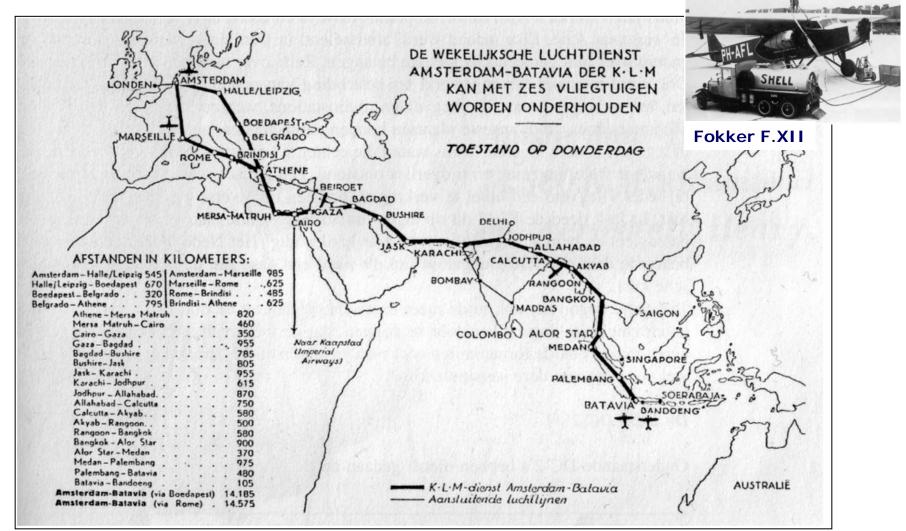
#### **Drivers in hub dynamics**





# Changing Hub-dynamics







#### Changing Hub-dynamics Seventies







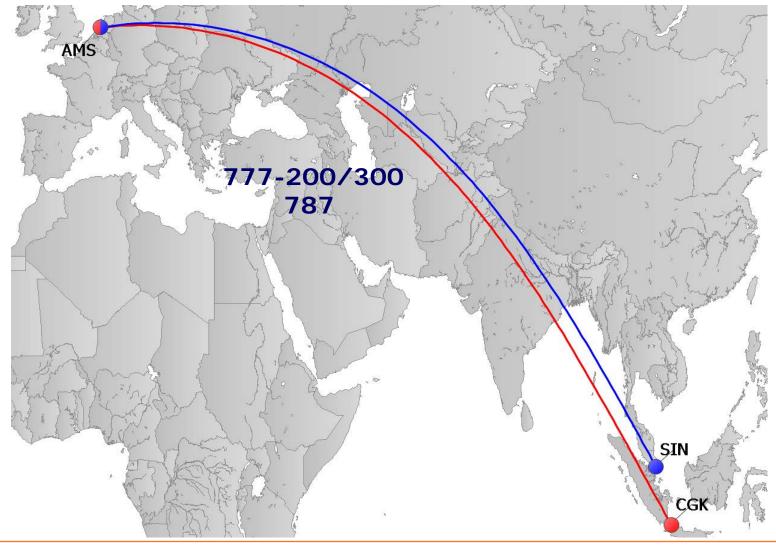
#### Changing Hub-dynamics Nowadays







#### Changing Hub-dynamics Near Future



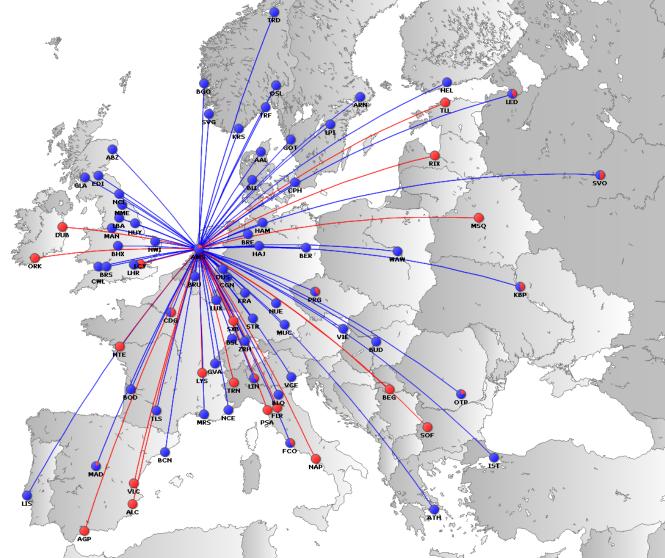






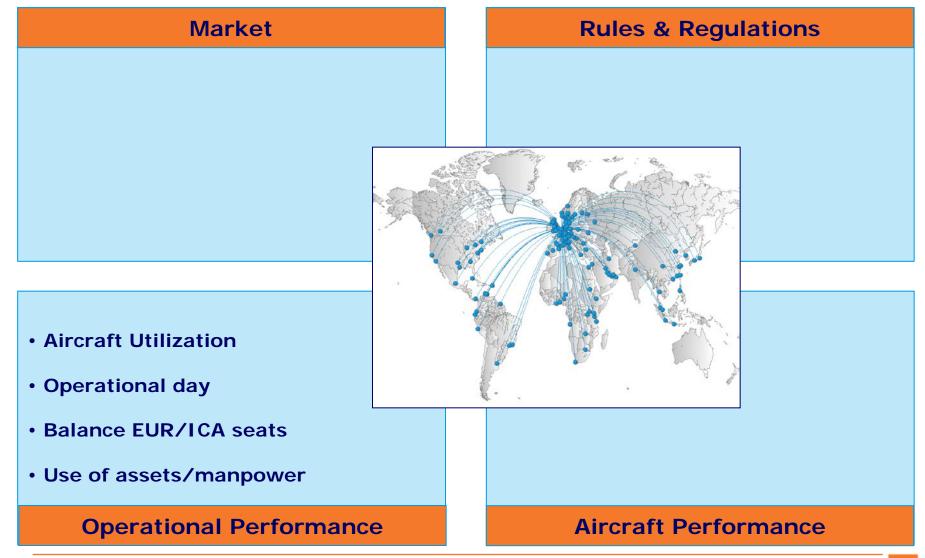
# A strong feedernetwork together with codeshare partners is needed







#### **Drivers in hub dynamics**

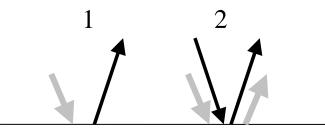




#### 2 Wave System (prior to early nineties)











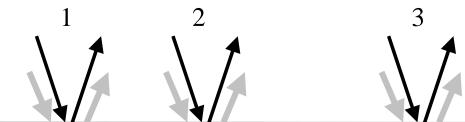
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#### 3 Wave System (1992)







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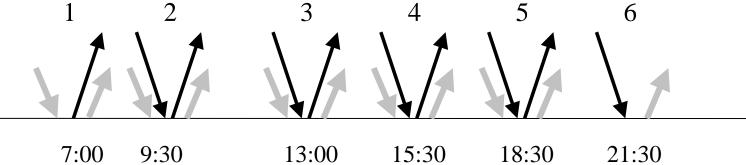


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#### 6 Wave System (1997)



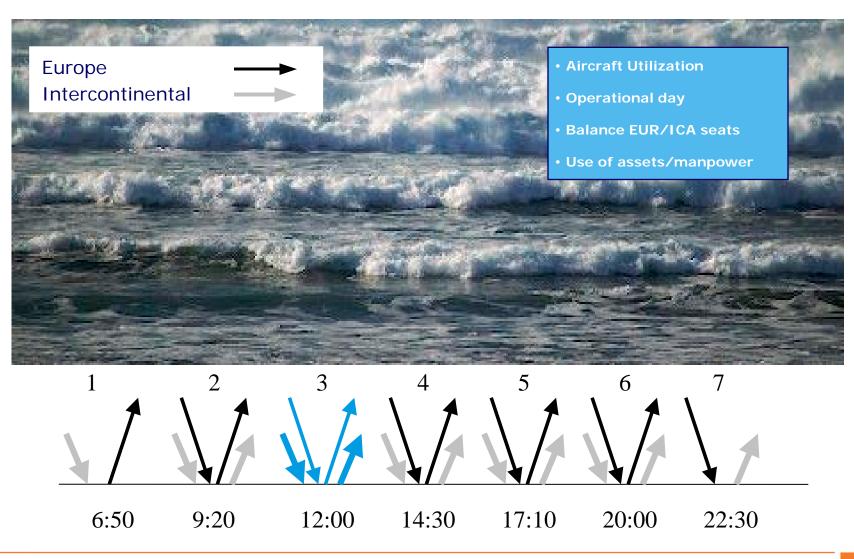






#### "Original" 7 Wave System (2006)



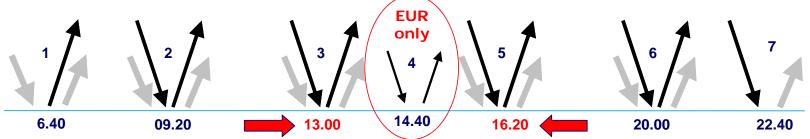




#### "Crisis" 7 Wave System (2009)



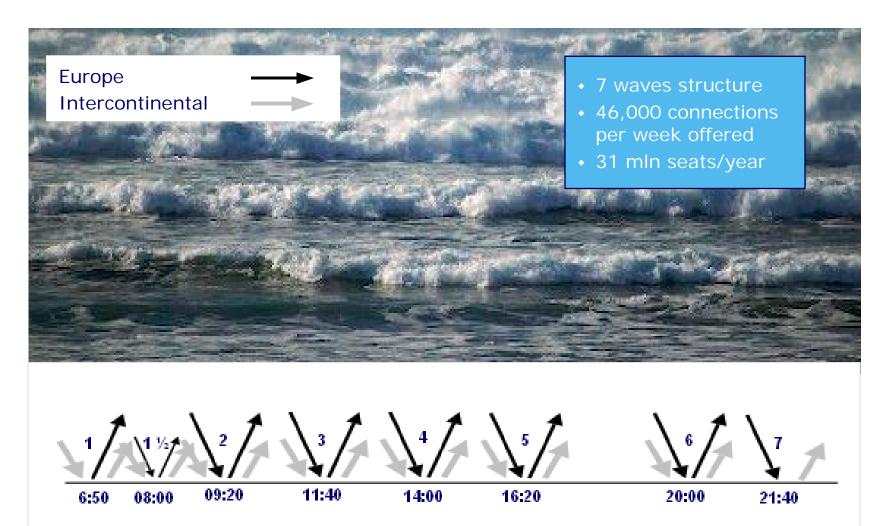






#### 7 Wave System "New Balance" (2011)

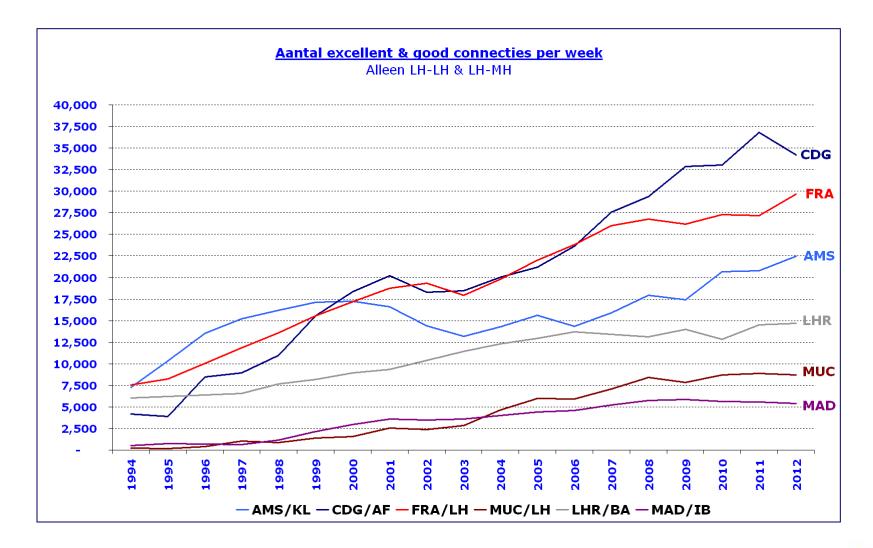








#### KLM 3rd in number of weekly connections (excl. intra-European connections)



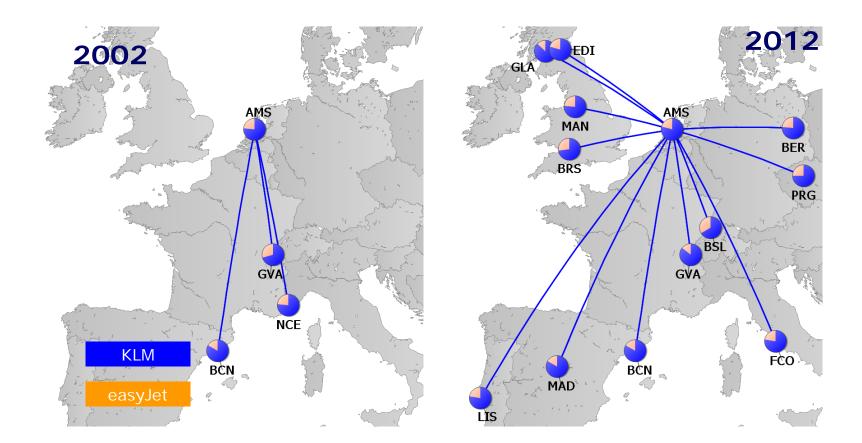


# 3. Current hub-system under threat?





#### Routes operated by both KL & EZY Feedernetwork under threat



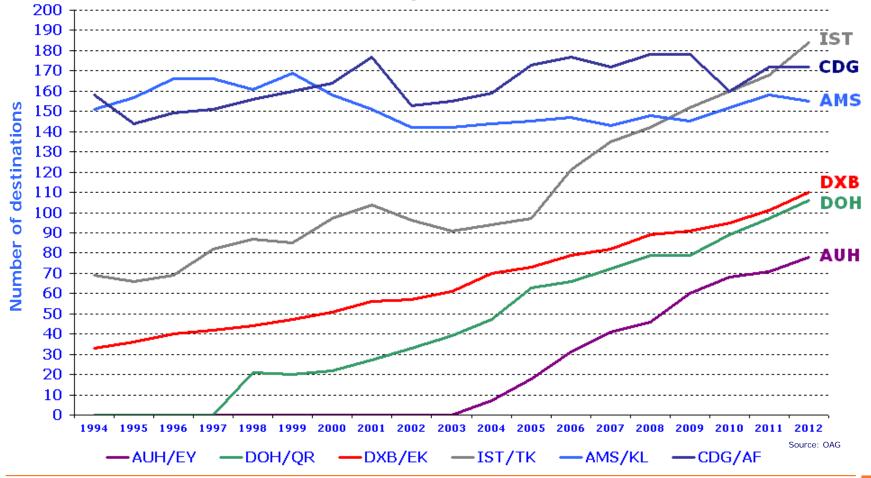




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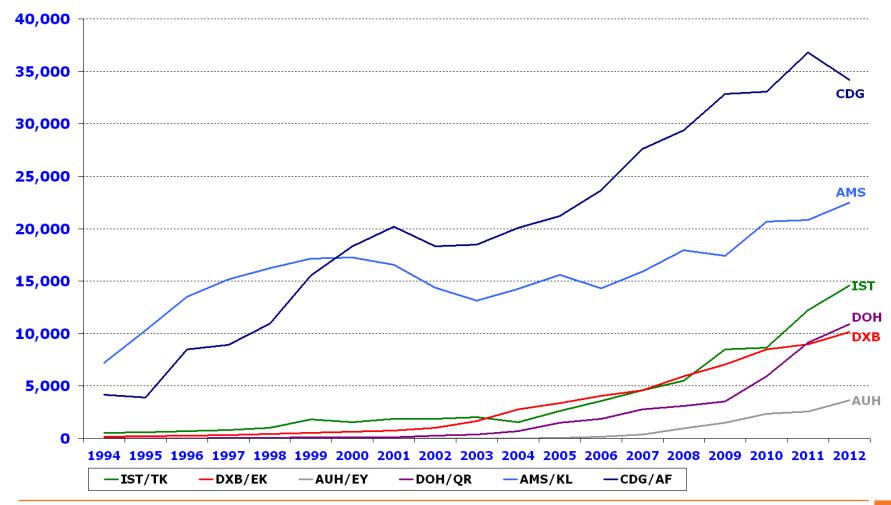
# Hubs in Gulf-region and Istanbul show substantial growth

#### Number of destinations (Hub-operations)





# Gulf-carriers and Istanbul show rapid growth in number of connections





# 4. KLM's response

- I. Wave system is precondition to maintain Mainport status (#4 in Europe)
- II. Some kind of "Seasonality" system
- III.Increasing strategic partnerships worldwide to strengthen position
- IV. Connecting emerging countries: Wave System to be geared to take profit from geographical position AMS







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#### IV. Examples of travelling time

