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### **Task B: Final results**

# Investigation in economic effects and justification of PSO/RDF



### **Results for Savonlinna Airport**



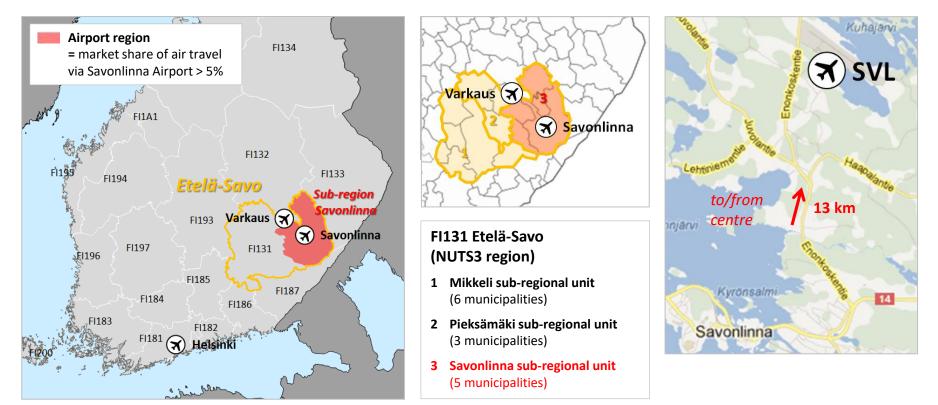
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# Socio-economic parameters of the Airport region

# **<u>Step 1</u>**: The Airport region of Savonlinna includes the 5 municipalites of the sub-regional unit Savonlinna



#### Airport region of Savonlinna (SVL)



Source: UNICONSULT 2013

#### Criteria for selection of regions

- Market share of air travels via SVL Airport is higher than 5%; calculation of catchment area was performed by MKmetric (BALTIC BIRD Work package 3)
- Regional economic data are available for EU-NUTS 3 level (= 19 maakunta/regions in Finland); more detailed data were provided by partners (e.g. local business statistics for sub-regions and municipalites)



#### **Basic figures of the Airport region**

	Land area, km <sup>2</sup>	Population (2011)	Population per km² (2011)	Market share of SVL airport
Finland	303 892	5 375 276	17.7	< 5%
FI181 - Uusimaa (Helsinki)	9 097	1 435 811	157.8	< 5%
FI131 - Etelä-Savo	13 980	154 668	11.1	16.6%
Mikkeli sub-regional unit	5 952	73 506	12.3	n.a.
Pieksämäki sub-regional unit	3 308	31 944	9.7	n.a.
Savonlinna sub-regional unit	4 719	49 072	10.4	n.a.
Enonkoski (munic.)	306	1 566	5.1	n.a.
Heinävesi (munic.)	1 030	3 827	3.7	n.a.
Rantasalmi (munic.)	559	3 949	7.1	n.a.
Savonlinna (munic./region) *	2 239	36 854	16.5	n.a.
Sulkava (munic.)	585	2 876	4.9	n.a.

Source: Statistics Finland / EUROSTAT / MKmetric 2013

- $\rightarrow$  Airport region accounts for 34% of the area and for 32% of the population of Etelä-Savo
- ightarrow Municipality of Savonlinna is the demographic and economic "core" of the sub-regional unit
- → Approx. 16,6% of air travels in Etelä-Savo is done via SVL Airport (measured in attracted population)

\* Savonlinna airport is located in this municipality which includes Savonlinna City and the formerly independent municipalities of Kerimäki and Punkaharju



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#### Data sources (overview)

Category	Desk research (secundary data)	On-site research (primary data) ■ data sheet (February – Ap 2013) ✓ ■ interviews (May 2013) ✓	
A. Local airport data		Savonlinnan seudun kuntayhtymä YRITYS-SUOMI Savonlinnan seutu	\$
B. Data / information about the region	Statistics Finland	Savonlinnan seudun kuntayhtymä YRITYS-SUOMI Savonlinnan seutu	
C. Data about tax income and expenditures on social transfers	Statistics Finland		
D. Regional and national economic data by branches	Statistics Finland		

#### → Missing data (especially local data):

Interpolation and estimation from Regional and National Accounts data (category D)



#### **Profile of the Airport region**

2011	Population	Gross value added (million EUR) *	Employees	Gross value added per employee (EUR) *	Number of business units **	Number of tourist accomodation
Finland	5 375 276	163 424	2 509 500	65 122	329 628	1 309
FI181 - Uusimaa (Helsinki)	1 435 811	59 819	775 041	77 181	114 105	153
FI131 - Etelä-Savo (Airport region)	154 668	3 505	65 471	53 531	9 159	82
Mikkeli sub-regional unit	73 506	1 753 *	32 620	53 749 *	4 685	n.a.
Pieksämäki sub-regional unit	31 944	698 *	12 814	54 480 *	1 754	n.a.
Savonlinna sub-regional unit	49 072	1 054 *	19 513	54 002 *	2 720	n.a.
Enonkoski (munic.)	1 566	28 *	533	51 747 *	77	n.a.
Heinävesi (munic.)	3 827	86 *	1 450	59 384 *	215	n.a.
Rantasalmi (munic.)	3 949	90 *	1 355	66 127 *	226	n.a.
Savonlinna (munic./region)	36 854	784 *	15 167	51 662 *	2 025	n.a.
Sulkava (munic.)	2 876	67 *	1 008	66 369 *	177	n.a.

Source: Statistics Finland 2013 / Local business statistics of Savonlinna

- Economy & business activities: Approx. 30% of gross value added of Etelä-Savo is generated in the Airport region by 2 700 local business units
- Tourism: Etelä-Savo accounts for 6.9% of all tourist accomodations in Finland and tourist accomodation density (per million inhabitants) is higher than the finish average

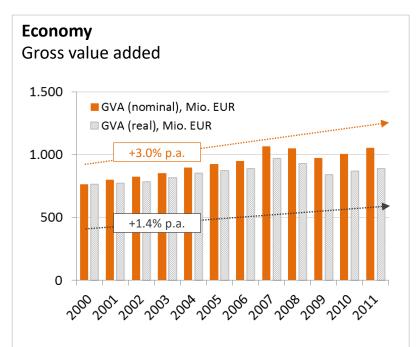
\* Estimate of GVA for sub-regional units based on number of employees; estimate for municipalities based on available number of business locations

\*\* Data for Finland, Helsinki and Etelä-Savo from 2010 and w/o agriculture sector; data for sub-regional units estimated with local business statistics

# While the number of inhabitants and employees remains almost constant in the region, economy grew by 1.4% p.a.

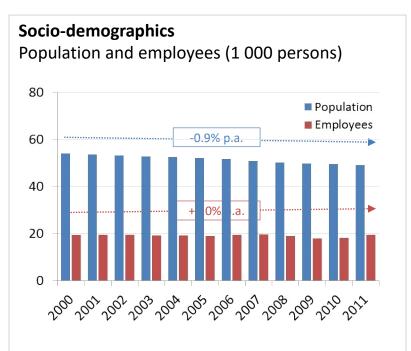
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#### Socio-economic development: Basic parameters of the aiport region, 2000-2011



 With exception of 2009, the economy in Etelä-Savo grew steadily, both at current prices (nominal) and at basic prices (real)

<u>Note:</u> Regional Accounts data do not include real values of GVA, thus regional GVA was calculated with national "deflator" (= ratio between real/nominal values)



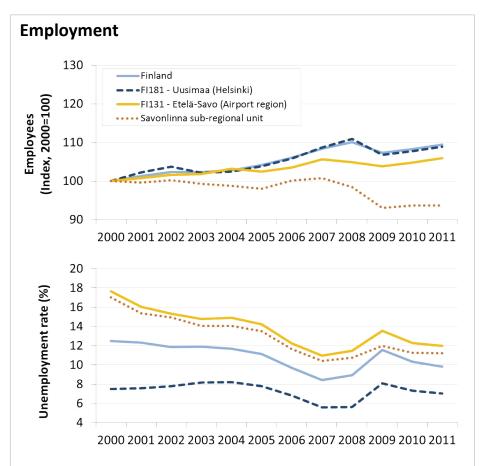
- Despite a shrinking number of inhabitants the number of employees increased slighty by +0.5% p.a.
- Thus, employment rate grew up to 42.3% and is few lower than in the whole country where 46.7% of the population is employed

Source: Statistics Finland / EUROSTAT 2013

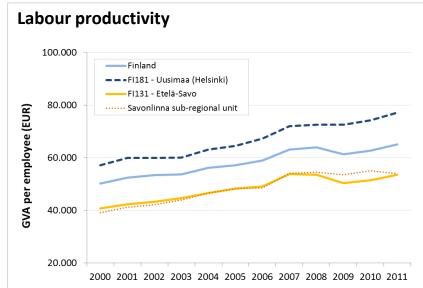
### Due to relatively constant employment, labour productivity grew to the same extent as gross value added



#### Socio-economic development: Employment and labour productivities



- Number of employees is slightly increasing in Finland and the Aiport region
- Unemployment rate has decreased in the Airport region from almost 18% to 12%



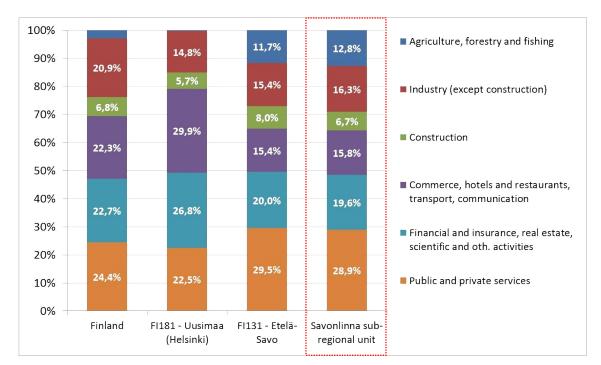
- With the exception of 2008/2009 labour productivity has grown every year in all regions
- Labour productivity in the Airport region has risen up to EUR 53 000 per employee which is lower than the national average of EUR 65 000 per employee

Source: Statistics Finland / EUROSTAT 2013

# With a high proportion of agriculture and forestry, the Airport region shows a balanced mix of sector activities



#### Socio-economic structure: Gross value added by sector (2011) \*



#### GVA structure (% of Mio. EUR):

- Almost 13% of gross value added in the Airport Region is realized in the agriculture and forestry sector – which is a much higher proportion than in Finland or the capital region
- Financial and scientific services, industry and commerce, transport and tourism sectors contribute to gross value added by similar shares between 16% and 20%

Source: Statistics Finland / EUROSTAT 2013

#### $\rightarrow$ Main economic "pillars" in the Savonlinna region

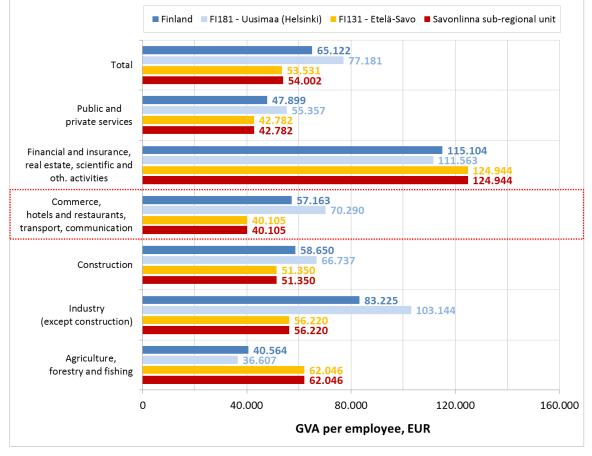
- Forestry and lumber industry (e.g. Metsä Group, UPM-Kymmene Oy)
- Associated metal and machinery industry (e.g. Andritz Oy, Savonlinna Works Oy)
- Services (e.g. I&C technology companies like Blue Lake Communication Oy)
- Tourism (e.g. Savonlinna Opera Festival, Charms of Saimaa/boat trips)

\* Main industry branches according to NACE classification Rev. 2 (EU) / TOL 2008 (Finland)

# Regional labour productivity is high in agriculture and forestry, but low in commerce, transport and tourism sector

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#### Socio-economic structure: Labour productivity by sector (2011)



Source: Statistics Finland / EUROSTAT 2013

#### Labour productivity (GVA per employee, EUR):

- The Airport region shows high labour productivity in agriculture and forestry sector – in this sector, labour productivity is 1.53 times higher than the national average
- In the commerce, transport and tourism sector labour productivity is lower than in Finland (factor 0.70) and even lower than in the capital region (factor 0.57) – this is relevant for the calculation of economic effects arising from the production of air transport services

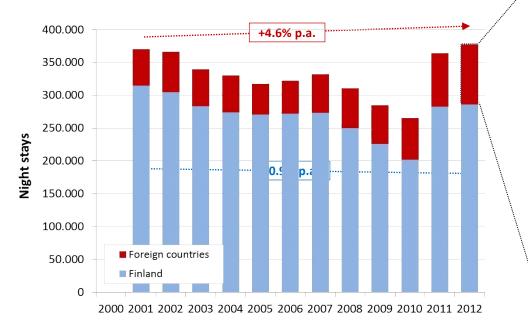
→ All "regional factors" of labour productivity per sector are applied for calibration of the Input-Output model in working step 4

#### Domestic tourism is still dominant but decreasing in Savonlinna Region – number of foreign tourists increased steadily

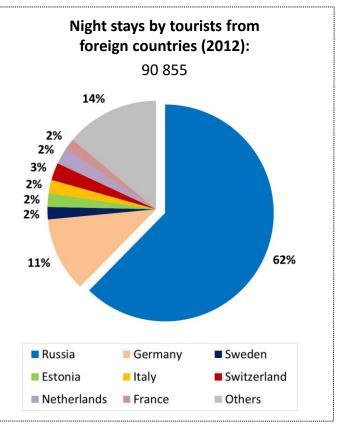


#### Socio-economic structure: Tourism

Tourist night stays in the Airport Region at registered accomodation facilities (2000-2011)



- Growth of tourist night stays in Savonlinna Region (+0.2% p.a.) was mainly driven by foreign tourists (+4.6% p.a.) thus, share of inbound tourists has risen up from 15% in 2000 to 24% in 2012
- In 2012, approx. 200 000 tourists arrived and spent 393 000 nights – most of inbound tourists came from Russia (62%), Germany (11%) and Sweden (2%)



Source: Savonlinna Business Services 2013

#### Arriving tourists stay for 2.8 nights on average in Savonlinna Region, inbound tourists from abroad stay for 3.7 nights



#### Socio-economic structure: Tourism

Total nights spent and average nights per tourist (2011)

		Total (domestic + inbound)					Foreign tourist (inbound)				
			ed acco- n facilities		rrivals estimate)			Registered acco- modation facilities		estimate)	
		nights spent (1.000)	Ø nights per tourist	nights spent (1.000)	Ø nights per tourist		spent per sp		nights spent (1.000)	Ø nights per tourist	
Finland	Total	19 988	1.9	125 690	2.9		5 507	2.1	34 632	4.2	
	Business	n.a.	n.a.	13 642	2.3		v	-	5 323	2.7	
	Non-business	n.a.	n.a.	112 047	3.0		-	-	29 309	5.1	
Savonlinna	Total	364	1.8	1 204	2.8		81	2.3	293	3.7	
Region	Business	96	1.4	134	2.0		21	1.8	21	2.7	
	Non-business	268	2.0	1 070	3.0		61	2.5	272	5.1	

Source: Statistics Finland 2013 / Savonlinna Business Services 2013 / University of Eastern Finland 2010 (survey) / UNICONSULT 2013 (estimate)

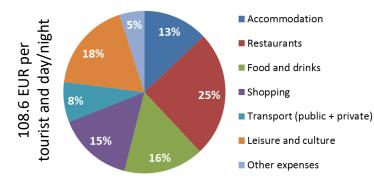
- In 2011, 364 000 tourist nights were registered by different accomodation facilities in Savonlinna Region (hotels, camping sites, registered cottages) average length of stay was 1.8 nights per registered tourist
- Based on the survey of University of Eastern Finland in 2010 it can be assumed that in total more than 1.2 million nights were spent in Savonlinna Region including stays at relatives or friends, stays in own cottages, stays on boats etc. – all tourists arriving in the region stayed approx. 2.8 nights on average
- Inbound tourist from abroad stayed longer time than total average, both at registered accomodations (2.3 nights per tourist) and in total (3.7 nights per tourist)

# Tourists staying at registered accomodations spend EUR 109 per day – most of it for restaurants and food



#### Socio-economic structure: Tourism

Tourists' expenditures by category in Savonlinna Region (2010)



Source: Own Calculation based on survey data of University of Eastern Finland 2010 (only tourists in registered accomodation facilities)

- In 2010, total income from tourists' expenditures amounted to EUR 97 million in Savonlinna Region
- Thereof, EUR 36 million were spent by tourists who stayed at registered accomodation facilities where they spent approx. 334 000 nights

### Attribution of expenditure type to <u>addressed</u> branches of industry (NACE Rev. 2)

Category	Share	NACE Rev. 2	Branch
Accommodation	100%	I	Accommodation and food service activities
Restaurants	100%	I	Accommodation and food service activities
Food and drinks	100%	G47	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles
Shopping	100%	G47	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles
Transport	100%	H49	Land transport and transport via pipelines
Leisure and culture	90%	R90- R92	Creative, arts and entertainment activities; libraries, archives, museums etc.
	10%	R93	Sports activities and amusement and recreation activities
Other expenses	100%	0	Public administration and defence; compulsory social security

Source: UNICONSULT 2013

- → Average expenditure of tourists staying at registered accomodations is EUR 36 mln / 334 000 nights = EUR 108.6
- → Tourists' expenditures generate *output* and *value added* in the addressed branches of tourism industry
- → Most addressed branches are accommodation and food service activities, retail trade and creative, arts and entertainment activities (incl. museums)



### **Results for Savonlinna Airport**

### SVL Airport as economic and location factor



#### Savonlinna Airport: Basic figures (2012)

IATA code	SVL
Runway	2300 × 45 m, asphalt
Distance to Savonlinna City	13 km
Passenger volume	13 206 (incl. charter flights)
Destinations of scheduled flights	Helsinki
Employees	17
Airport company (Finavia)	13
Other companies located at the airport	4
Output (= revenue), in EUR	1.70 mln *
Airport company / Finavia	1.35 mln
Other companies located at the airport	0.35 mln

Source: Savonlinna Airport (Finavia) / UNICONSULT 2013



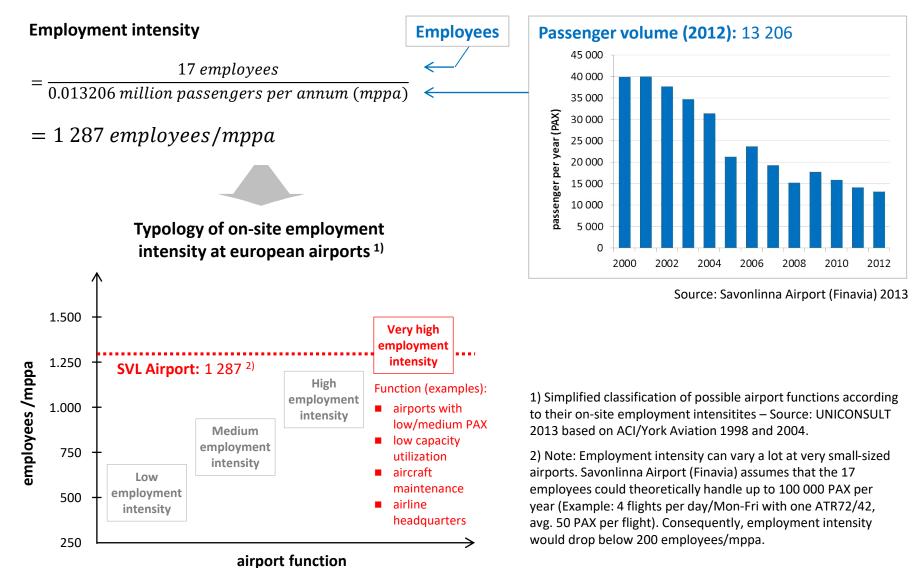


\* Estimate by Savonlinna Airport/Finavia; share of airport company and other companies has been estimated through multiplication of employees by regional labour productivities 2011 (= average output per employee for each corresponding secotor of indstry to which the employees are assigned, e.g. "air transport" or "land transport")

### Owing to currently low PAX volume and low capacity utilization, employment intensity of SVL Airport is very high

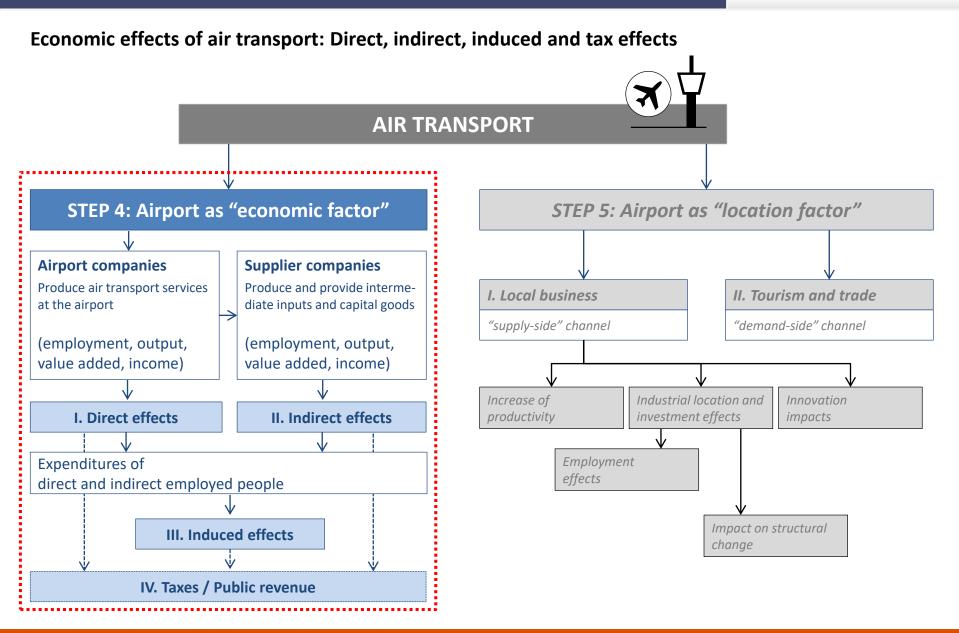
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#### Savonlinna Airport: Employment intensitites



#### Airport as "economic factor"





#### For the provision of all transport and auxiliary services 17 persons are employed at Savonlinna Airport



#### Savonlinna Airport: Employees and financial data (direct effects)

→ Employees of **all companies located at the airport** which are relevant for air transport services or have access to the airfield

Company	Employees
Administration (Finavia)	2
Operations (Finavia)	9
Maintenance/Fireman etc. (Finavia)	
ATC (Finavia)	2
Ground Handling (Airpro)	3
Restaurants (Bar Avion)	1
Other	0
Total	17

Source: Savonlinna Airport/Finavia 2013

→ Attribution to **branches of industry** according to the system of National Accounting (ESA 95 / NACE Rev. 2)

NACE Rev. 2	Sectors and branch of industry	Em- ployees	Revenue (EUR) *
	erce, hotels and restaurants, prt, communication	17	1 700 000
H52	Warehousing and support activities for transportation (incl. air transport)	16	1 663 928
I	Accommodation and food service activities	1	36 072
Total		17	1 700 000

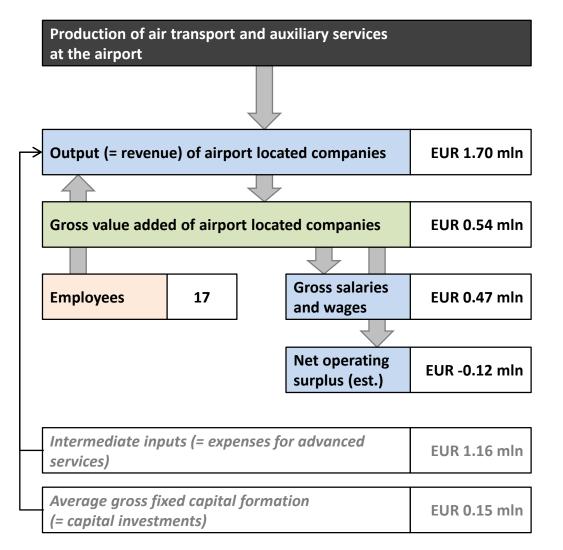
→ Input for I/O model (direct effects)

\* Missing financial data (revenue, investments, salaries and wages etc.) of airport companies were estimated through *national and regional average* productivities and a qualified estimation by Savonlinna Airport (Finavia).



#### **Economic effects of the airport (status quo):**

I. Direct effects on employment and income



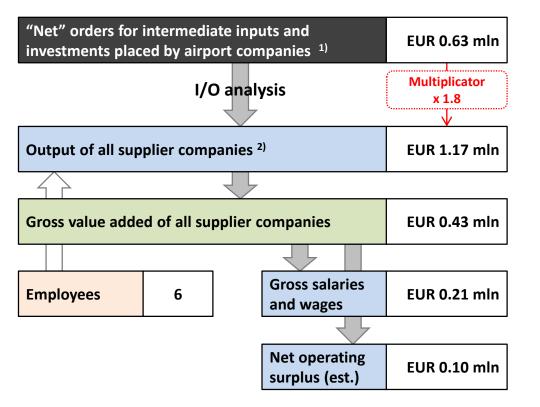
- In 2012, all companies located at the airport employed 17 people and contributed to a <u>regional</u> gross value added in the amount of EUR 0.54 million.
- The airport located companies expended EUR 0.47 million for wages and salaries, which equals EUR 27 820 per employee
- The companies needed intermediate inputs of EUR 1.16 million and average investments in machinery, buildings etc. of EUR 0.15 million

→ Both intermediate inputs and investments are produced by supplier companies outside the airport which in turn leads to further value-added processes in the region and the whole country



#### **Economic effects of the airport (status quo):**

II. Indirect effects on employment and income



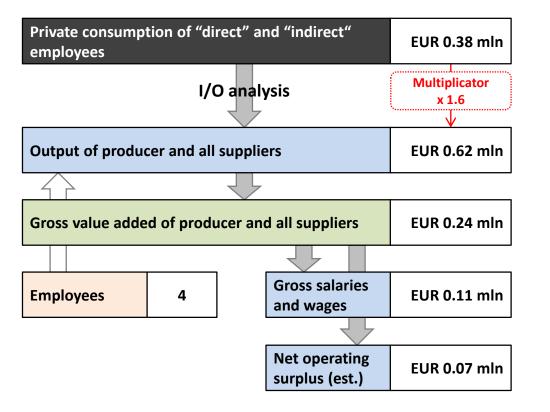
- Orders from companies located at the airport led to a total output of EUR 2.41 million realized by all suppliers and suppliers' suppliers
- This led to a <u>national</u> gross value added (GVA) of EUR 0.43 million of which approx. 38% remained in the airport region <sup>3)</sup>
- 6 employees were needed as a factor of production; salaries and wages accounted for 49% of gross value added or EUR 0.21 million

- The total volume of orders equals the sum of intermediate consumption and gross fixed capital consumption needed by all airport located companies less the output value of administration and operation activities (Finavia). The reason for this is that the main part of the output generated by the operating company is at the same time the intermediate input of other airport located companies. These companies purchase services provided by the operating company (e.g. rents for rooms, landing fees). If these services were not subtracted, this would lead to double counting of the "true" output values.
- 2) The domestic I/O table is used, which means that the effects refer only to the economy of Finland and do not include imported goods.
- 3) The regional share of economic effects is estimated for the main indutry branches (6 sectors) and applied in the I/O analysis.



#### **Economic effects of the airport (status quo):**

III. Induced effects on employment and income



- A part of the gross salaries and wages earned by the employees at the airport located companies and their suppliers are spent for private consumption (e.g. food, rents, mobility)<sup>1)</sup>
- For the supply of these goods and services all producers, suppliers and suppliers' supplier generate an output of EUR 0.62 million EUR
   0.24 million of it remained as national gross value added <sup>2</sup>)
- For this, 4 employees are needed as production factor; salaries and wages come up to EUR 0.11 million
- The amount of private consumption equals the sum of the direct and indirect gross salaries and wages multiplied with a consumption rate of 56%. In 2011, the consumption rate in Finland (= consumption of all private househlds divided by GDP) was 55.4%. Assuming that the consumption rate of employed people is slightly higher than of self-employed people, the consumption rate was rounded up to 56%.
- 2) Approximately 40% of gross value added remained in the airport region.

### All economic activities together generated a total tax revenue of approx. EUR 660 000



#### Economic effects of the airport (status quo):

IV. Tax revenues and saved expenditures on unemployment benefits

Tax type	Tax base9(direct + indirect + induced effects)		% of tax base	Tax revenue	Total tax revenue 2011 (Finland)
- Personal income tax	Gross wages and salaries	EUR 0.79 mln	30,9%	EUR 0.25 mln	EUR 24 181 mln
- Value added tax (VAT)	Gross value added	EUR 1.12 mln	10,2%	EUR 0.12 mln	EUR 16 654 mln
- Corporate income tax	Net operating surplus	EUR 0.05 mln	13,1%	EUR 0.01 mln	EUR 5 153 mln
- Other taxes	(calculated from residual sh	are of total tax r	evenue)	EUR 0.10 mln	EUR 12 080 mln
Total				EUR 0.47 mln	EUR 58 068 mln

Source: Statistics Finland / EUROSTAT 2013

	Employed people (direct + indirect + induced effects)	unemployed	Saved expenditures (in case of unemployment)	people 2010 (Finland)	Total expenditures for unemployment benefits 2010 (Finland)
Social protection benefits for unemployment	27	EUR 19 517	EUR 0.53 mln	224 000	EUR 4 372 mln

Source: ESSPROS / EUROSTAT 2013

- Tax revenue for Finish Treasury arising from direct, indirect and induced income (salaries and wages, gross value added, net operating surplus) is approx. EUR 470 000
- If all 35 persons who are needed as production factor for the generated output would be unemployed, public expenditures on social protection benefits would be approx. EUR 530 000

# All effects added up to a national gross value added of EUR 1.21 million and a public revenue of EUR 1.00 million



#### Economic effects of the airport (status quo):

#### **Summary**

Effect Dimension	Direct	Indirect			therof in the Airport Region
Employees	17	6	4	27	77.0%
Gross wages and salaries, EUR mln	0.47	0.21	0.11	0.79	75.3%
Output (= revenue), EUR mln	1.70	1.17	0.62	3.49	67.4%
Gross value added, EUR mln	0.54	0.43	0.24	1.21	65.4%
Tax revenue (total), EUR mln	-	-	-	0.47	-
Saved unemployment benefits, EUR mln	-	-	-	0.53	-

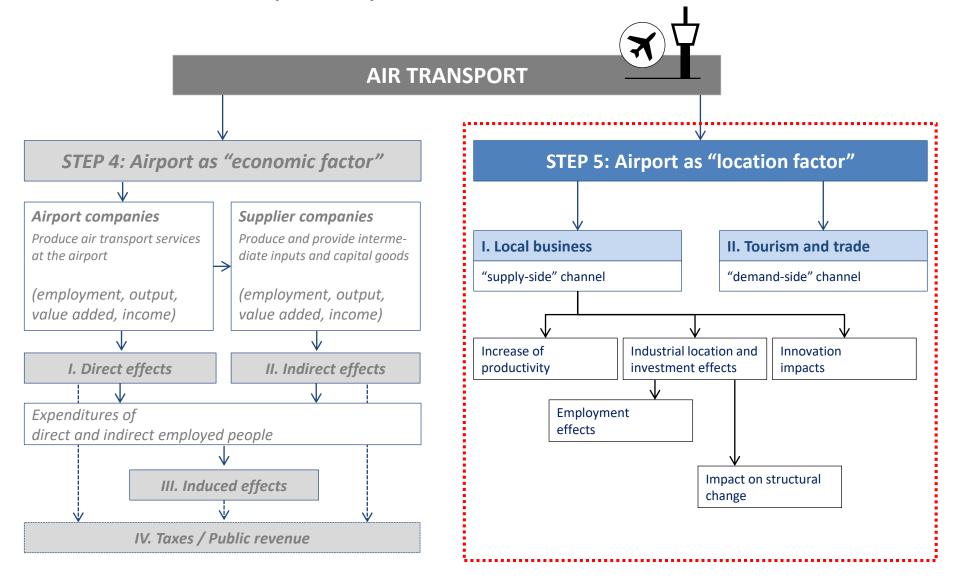
In 2012, across all value added stages <u>27 persons</u> were employed due to the direct and indirect production of the air transport services and due to the induced production of goods and services for private consumption; approx. 77% of the persons were employed in the Airport region

The production of air transport and all indirect services generated a total national gross value added of almost EUR 1 million. Adding the induced value added, the total benefits added up to <u>EUR 1.21 million</u>, whereas approx. 65% remained in the Airport region.

Moreover, tax revenues of <u>EUR 470 000</u> were generated, with the main part arising from value added taxes (50%), personal income taxes (27%) and corporate income taxes (3%)



#### **Economic effects of air transport: Catalytic effects**



# In Finland, some of the "major" branches of industry show a high use of air transport services

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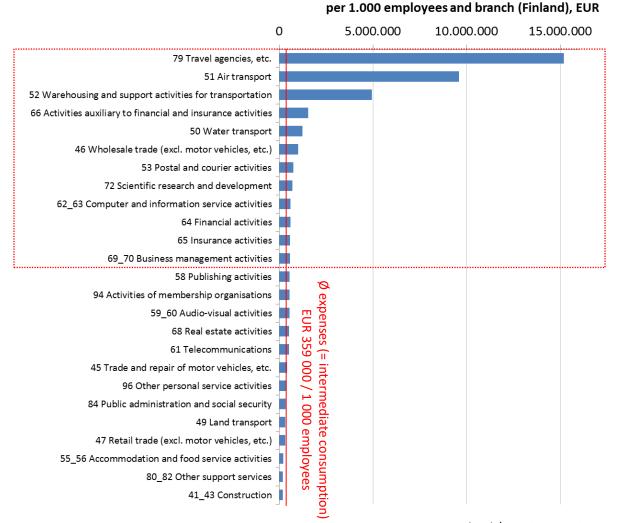
Expenses of business units for air transport services

#### I. Business & innovation indicators: Companies/branches with high affinity to air transport

#### → Analysis of the input-output structure of the 64 branches of industry in Finland (I/O table)

- In 2011, all branches of industry together employed 2.51 million people and needed EUR 900 bn. of air transport services as input (= intermediate consumption) for the production of their specific goods and services
- This equals average expenses for air transport services of EUR 359 000 per 1 000 employees

   wheras travel agencies and the air transport sector itself show a very high value, followed by auxiliary transport services, auxiliary finance and insurance services, water transport, postal and courier services, scientific and computer services, financial and insurance activities



Source: Statistics Finland / EUROSTAT 2013

#### Average expenses of branches for air transport varies a lot across the branches to which "TOP" companies belong

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#### I. Business & innovation indicators: Selected TOP-companies in the Airport region

Company	Number of employees	Branch	Nace Rev. 2 classification	Avg. expenses of branch for air transport services per 1.000 employees, EUR	Avg. affinity of branch to air transport (expenses per employee at	National average affinity of branches to air transport services	
					national average)		Very high
METSÄLIITTO OSUUSKUNTA/METSÄLIITTO COOPERATIVE	250-499	Manufacture of plywood and laminboard	C16	12.129			affinity
SOCIETY/Punkaharju Plywood factory	employees				, in the second s		anning
UPM-KYMMENE WOOD OY, Savonlinna plywood factory	250-499 employees	Manufacture of plywood and laminboard	C16	12.129	•		High
ANDRITZ OY	100-249 employees	Manufacture of machinery for paper and paperboard production	C17	21.826	5	$\sim$	affinity
KRUUNUPUISTO OY	100-249 employees	Rehabilitation centres and nursing homes	Q86	158.873			Medium
METSÄLIITTO OSUUSKUNTA, Finnforest Punkaharju, laminated veneer lumber factory	100-249 employees	Manufacture of builders' carpentry and joinery n.e.c.	C16	12.129	, L		affinity
NORELCO OY	100-249 employees	Manufacture of electricity distribution and control apparatus	C27	40.824	<u></u>		
OSUUSKAUPPA SUUR-SAVO, Prisma	100-249 employees	Retail sale in self-service department stores (over 2,500 m <sup>2</sup> )	G47	305.245	K	$\Sigma$	Low affinity
SAVONLINNA WORKS OY	100-249 employees	Manufacture of machinery for paper and paperboard production	C28	31.994	<u></u>		·
BLUE LAKE COMMUNICATIONS OY	50-99 employees	Wired telecommunications activities	J61	522.426		<b>.</b>	Very low affinity
CARLSON-SAVONLINNA OY	50-99 employees	Non-specialized retail sale of hardware, plumbing and building materials	G47	305.245	K S		unnity
KIINTEISTÖPALVELU SAVOTEK OY	50-99 employees	Combined facilities support activities	N80-N82	191.677	′ <mark>⇔</mark>		
MIKKELIN AMMATTIKORKEAKOULU OY, Mikkeli Polytechnic of Applied Sciences	50-99 employees	Tertiary education	Р	170.377	′ <b>⊳</b>		
PESTI HENKILÖSTÖPALVELU OY	50-99 employees	Temporary employment agency activities	N78	121.234	. ₽		
RUDUS RAKENNUSTUOTTEET OY	50-99 employees	Manufacture of concrete products for construction purposes	C23	27.142	<u></u>		
SAVONLINNAN OOPPERAJUHLIEN KANNATUSYHDISTYS	50-99	Performing arts	R90-R92	301.919			
RY/Savonlinna Opera Festival Patron's Association	employees				<b>V</b>		
SAVONLINNAN SEURAKUNTA/Savonlinna Lutheran congregation	n 50-99 employees	Activities of religious organisations	S94	557.341	ک		
SOL PALVELUT OY	50-99 employees	General cleaning of buildings	N80-N82	191.677			
SUUR-SAVON OSUUSPANKKI/OP-Pohjola Group, Savonlinna office	50-99 employees	Other monetary intermediation	К64	593.509	N N		

Source: Business Region Savonlinna / UNICONSULT 2013

#### "Crucial" need for air accessibility is often higher in remote regions and depends on specific company characteristics



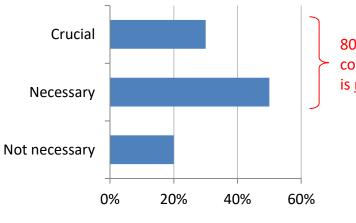
#### I. Business & innovation indicators: Importance of air connections for TOP companies (1/2)

- Some "TOP" companies in the Airport region of Savonlinna belong to branches with high affinity to air transport services
- However, average expenses of companies for air transport services can be one indicator for the importance, but might not be sufficient for explaining the specific needs and situation of a single company in the region
- Expenses and "dependency" on air traffic varies a lot in each branch depending on specific characteristics such as
  - Location and transport connections (e.g. road, rail)
  - Company size, type of business unit (e.g. headquarter, branch plant)
  - International relations and networks
  - Geographical distribution of procurement and sales markets
  - Fields of activity and specialisation (e.g. sales/distribution/marketing, purchasing, production, services/assembling, research and development)



#### I. Business & innovation indicators: Importance of air connections for TOP companies (2/2)

- Several company polls carried out by local authorities or Chamber of Commerce of Etelä-Savo have shown that e.g. air traffic is a important location factor for major industrial clusters in Savonlinna such as wood and paper manufacturing although the national average expenses per employee for air transport services are quite low in this branch
- In April 2013, the City of Savonlinna has surveyed again the 20 "TOP" companies in the region and asked about the importance of air connection for their business activities; the main finding was that air connections to/from SVL Airport are necessary or even crucial for 80% of the surveyed companies



#### Importance of air connection for local companies (N=14)

80% of companies said that air connection to/from Savonlinna is <u>necessary</u> or <u>crucial</u>

→ Survey results correspond with other European surveys where air accessibility ranks among the "TOP" location factors for business companies (80-90%)

See: Chapter "Methodology and general conclusions" (Step 5)

Source: City of Savonlinna 2013

# Estimated share of air travellers to all arriving tourists is quite small



- II. Tourism indicators: Importance of SVL Airport for tourism industry (1/2)
- Main number of inbound passengers is related to the only scheduled destination (Helsinki), some charter flights during summer time (e.g. for Savonlinna Opera Festival)
- Share of tourists arriving by air is currently quite low and has been falling steadily since 2000; estimate for 2011:
  - Total passengers (incl. charter flights):
     14 175 PAX / 2 ≈ 7 100 persons (in = out)
  - Therof inbound passenger (not resident in the region):
     7 100 x 50% = 3 550 persons
  - Share of total tourist arrivals:
    3 550 / 437 000 tourist arrivals in the region = 0.8%

# In 2012, 3 300 inbound tourists used SVL Airport and generated "direct" gross value added of EUR 329 000



II. Tourism indicators: Importance of SVL Airport for tourism industry (2/2)

### → Assumption for calculation of economic effects on income and employment for tourism industry generated by each inbound passenger:

- Although share of air travellers is quite low it can be assumed that average duration of stay is similar to the overall average in the region:
  - Total (Domestic + Inbound): 1 204 000 / 437 000 = 2.8 nights
  - Foreign tourists (Inbound): 262 000 / 72 000 = 3.7 nights
- Moreover, it is assumed that air travellers have a relatively high purchasing power and thus, spend at least the same amount per day as the average tourists arriving and staying at registered accomodations (EUR 109)

#### "Direct" effects on tourism industry **Employees** 8 Gross wages and salaries, EUR 0.18 mln Output (= gross revenue incl. VAT), EUR 0.79 mln Gross value added, EUR 0.33 mln Tax revenue (VAT), EUR 0.11 mln

#### → Overall estimate of "direct" economic effects on local tourism industry (status quo):

- In 2012, approx. 3 300 inbound tourists came by plane into the region using SVL Airport
- They spent EUR 792 000 in different branches of tourism industry (e.g. accomodation, retail trade, land and water transport) for which 8 people had to be "fully" employed
- Approx. EUR 329 000 of gross value added and EUR
   111 000 of VAT remained as "net" economic benefit in the region or rather in the state treasury

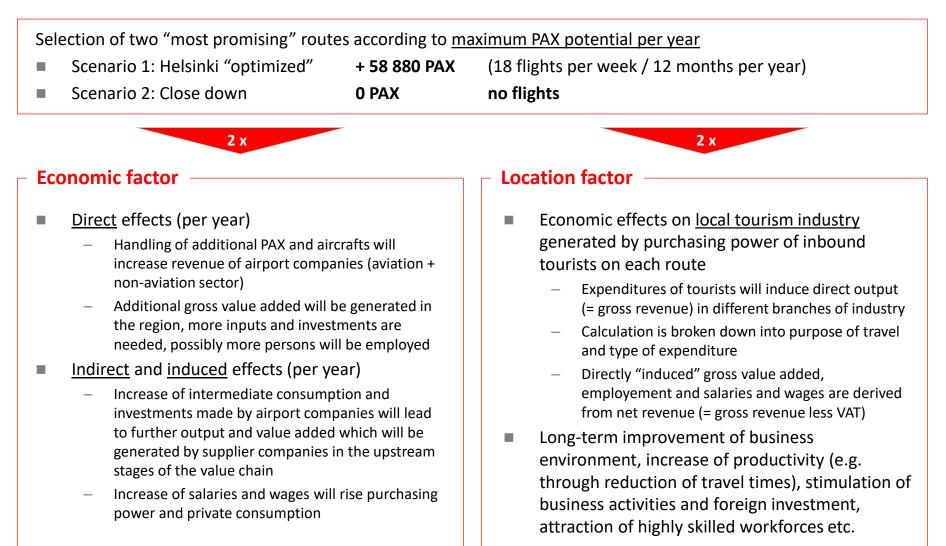


### **Results for Savonlinna Airport**

# Economic benefits of selected PSO/RDF routes

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#### Working steps for calculation of economic benefits for selected PSO/RDF routes

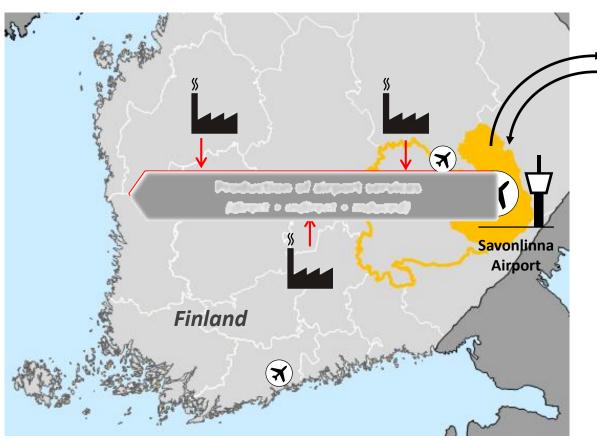


#### Handling and serving opitmal passenger demand increases "economic acitivities" within the Airport region and beyond

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#### Scenario 1: Helsinki "optimized" / HEL

Effects on airport and supplier companies *(economic factor)* 



Source: UNICONSULT 2013

PAX potential to be handled and served with all kind of services:

- Total: 58 880
- *thereof* inbound: 30%
- *thereof* transfer at HEL: 79%

#### Aircrafts to be handled:

18 flights per week / 12 months

### Increase of "direct" output and employment of airport companies

#### **Estimated revenue effects:**

- Total: EUR 3.72 mln
- thereof aviation: EUR 3.37 mln
- thereof non-aviation: EUR 0.16 mln

**Estimated employment effects:** No extra employees needed (assumption of increasing labour productivity)

#### Increase of "indirect" and "induced" effects

- $\rightarrow$  Total employment = 27 (Status Quo) + 11 = 38
- $\rightarrow$  Total output/revenue = EUR 7.61 mln
- → Total gross value added = EUR 2.64 mln



#### Scenario 1: Helsinki "optimized" / HEL

Direct, indirect and induced effects (economic factor)

Effect Dimension	Direct	Indirect			therof in the Airport region
Employees	≥ 0	17	4	21	46.6%
Gross wages and salaries, EUR mln	≥ 0	0.61	0.09	0.70	46.4%
Output (= revenue), EUR mln	3.72	3.35	0.54	7.61	71.0%
Gross value added, EUR mln	1.19	1.24	0.21	2.64	69.4%
Tax revenue (total), EUR mln	-	-	-	0.84	-
Saved unemployment benefits, EUR mln	-	-	-	0.41	-

The increase of "direct" production of the aviation sector (e.g. landing fee, handling fee, administration costs) and non-aviation sector (e.g. revenue of restaurants, local transport provider) would lead to further economic effects along the value chain

Due to stimulated demand for upstream products, capital goods and private consumption, the total demand of goods and services would add up to EUR 7.61 mln – this equals a national gross value added of EUR 2.64 mln, of which EUR 1.83 mln would be generated in the Aiport region

The yearly **tax revenue for the Finish Treasury would be around EUR 840 000,** the sum of saved unemployment benefits would be EUR 410 000

### 20 608 inbound passengers from Helsinki would spend EUR 3.00 mln and lead to gross value added of EUR 1.25 mln



#### Scenario 1: Helsinki "optimized" / HEL

#### Direct effects on tourism industry (location factor)

Pax potential	Total		<i>thereof:</i> O&D passengers	<i>thereof:</i> persons	Ø nights per tourist	Total nights spent
Total	58 880	20 608	20 608	10 304		27 673 –
- business	18 380	6 433	6 433	3 217	x 2.0	6 471
- tourists	40 500	14 175	14 175	7 088	х 3.0	21 202



	G47	1	H49	0	R90-R92	R93	Total	
	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	Accommoda tion and food service activities	Land transport and transport via pipelines	Public administrati on and defence; compulsory social security	Creative, arts and entertain- ment activities; libraries, archives, museums and other cultural acti- vities etc.	Sports activities and amusement and recreation activities		
Employees	11	12	2	1	5	1	31	
Gross wages and salaries, EUR	237 736	245 729	48 550	40 017	112 280	14 012	698 325	
Output (= gross revenue incl. VAT), EUR	931 700	1 142 083	240 439	150 274	486 888	54 099	3 005 483 <	(
Gross value added, EUR	430 943	407 954	100 412	67 116	220 191	24 965	1 251 581	
Taxe revenue (VAT), EUR	34 357	42 115	8 866	5 541	17 954	1 995	420 768	



# **Results for Savonlinna Airport**

# Scenario 2 - "Close-Down" Scenario



#### Working steps for calculation of economic loss in case of close down of SVL Airport

#### Negative short-term effects

- Loss of all "economic values" referable to the production of air transport services at SVL Airport (Finavia, Groundhandling, Bar & Restaurants), including indirect and induced effects arising from production of up-stream products along the value chain and production of consumer goods
- II. Additional time costs due to substitution of air connection by surface transport means, differentiated between purpose of travel (business / leisure)

#### Negative long-term effects

- III. Loss of jobs and economic activities of regional businesses; loss of purchasing power and demand for consumer goods
  - Employees
  - Revenue + Gross value added
  - Loss of taxes
  - Payment of unemployment benefits

Public revenue



#### I. Loss of all economic values referable to the production of air transport services at SVL Airport

Effect Dimension	Direct	Indirect	Induced		therof in the Airport Region
Employees	-17	-6	-4	-27	77.0%
Gross wages and salaries, EUR mln	-0.47	-0.21	-0.11	-0.79	75.3%
Output (= revenue), EUR mln	-1.70	-1.17	-0.62	-3.49	67.4%
Gross value added, EUR mln	-0.54	-0.43	-0.24	-1.21	65.4%
Tax revenue (total), EUR mln	-	-	-	-0.47	-
Unemployment benefits, EUR mln	-	-	-	-0.53	-

- → Closure of SVL Airport would **put at risk 27 jobs in Finland** which are directly or indirectly connected to the production of the air transport services provided by the airport located companies and the supplier companies along the value added chain; 21 of the job losses would be in the Airport region itself
- → Loss of yearly net revenue would be EUR 3.5 mln, leading to a loss of national gross value added of EUR 1.21 mln p.a. and a net loss of public revenue (tax revenue + payment of unemployment benefits) of EUR 1.00 mln p.a.



### II. Additional time costs through decline of regional accessibility of Savonlinna

#### Assumptions for one way ride "Savonlinna Centre" → "Helsinki Airport"

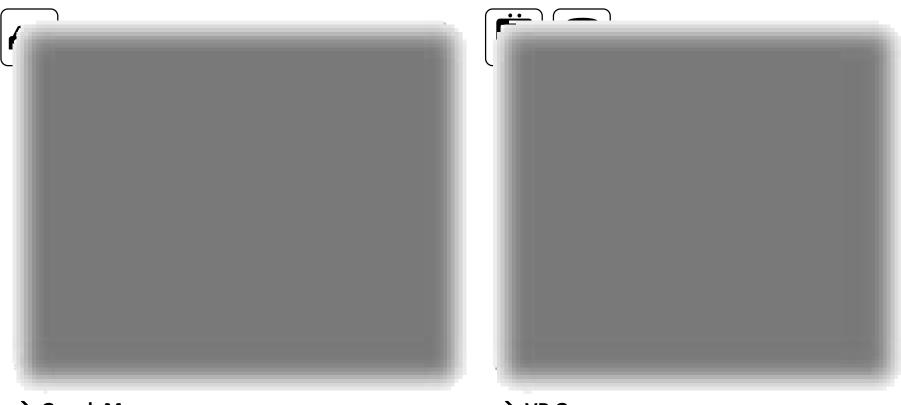
Mode		Modal share	Frequency	Travel costs (range)	Travel costs (average)	Net travel time	Gross travel time	Comments
Air		100%	2	100-300 EUR	200.00€	01:10	02:30	Car/bus drive from Savonlinna Centre to Airport: 00:20 h / Time for Check-in: 01:00 h
Total: Land trans	sport	100%			160.75€	03:44	04:39	
Car	Own car / Rented car	85%	flexible	150-200 EUR	175.00€	03:35	04:35	Time buffer, parking, car return and footway to terminal at HEL: 01:00 h
Train + Bus	Regional Train + InterCity Train + Bus	15%	5	60-100 EUR	80.00€	04:35	05:05	Access to train station: 00:15 h/ Footway to terminal at HEL: 00:15 h
<b>Difference:</b> Land transport /	air					+ 02:34	+ 02:09	

→ Additional gross travel time due to replacement of air connection by car and train/bus is 2:09 hours



#### II. Additional time costs through decline of regional accessibility of Savonlinna

Land transport "Savonlinna Centre" → "Helsinki Airport"



### → GoogleMaps

- Distance: 326 km
- Net travel time: 03:35 h

### $\rightarrow$ VR Group

- Products:
- Regional + InterCity + Bus
- Net travel time: 04:35 h



#### II. Additional time costs through decline of regional accessibility of Savonlinna

	PAX (status quo)	Time value, per hour	Additional time costs per PAX (weighted)	Additional/ Saved time hours	Addtitional time costs (total)		
Total	13 206	-	33.42€	28 393 €	441 352 €		
business	5 336	28.00€	60.43€	11 471€	322 442 €		
tourism + other	7 871	7.00€	15.11€	16 922 €	118 910 €		
$Time \ value \ (business) = \frac{Gross \ salaries \ and \ wages + net \ operating \ surplus}{hours \ worked} = \frac{78.3 \ bn \ EUR + 39.2 \ bn \ EUR}{4.23 \ bn \ h} = \frac{28 \ EUR/h}{4.23 \ bn \ h}$							
Time value (leisure) = Time value (busi	ness) · <del>l</del> eisure	hours work time hours (1		$=\frac{28EUR}{h}\cdot\frac{365}{365}$	4.23 bn h 5 • 12 – 4.23 bn		

- → Time costs are equivalent to the minimum loss of potential gross value added (opportunity costs); additional time costs for 13 000 passengers presently using flights mainly from/to Helsinki would be approx. EUR 440 000; accordingly, the total loss of potential tax revenue would be approx. EUR 157 000 (= 35% of lost gross value added) \*
- → Assuming that outbound passenger mostly represent the local population and employees (= approx. 50% of total), additional time costs for regional employees would be EUR 220 000 which equals a loss of potential value added for the regional economy <u>at least</u> at the same level of the time costs

\* Tax revenue is comlpetely considered as income for Finish Treasury even though some foreign air travellers use the air connection to/from Savonlinna



# III. Loss of jobs and economic activities of regional businesses; loss of purchasing power and demand for consumer goods

- Air traffic is a **important location factor** for major industrial clusters in Savonlinna such as
  - wood and paper manufacturing (e.g. plywood and laminate production)
  - engineering works (e.g. production and maintenance of machinery for wood and paper manufactering)
  - manufacture of electronic products
  - tourism, culture activites (e.g. Savonlinna Opera Festival)
- Many companies are dependent on global market access due to international customer relations; especially "high value" activities provided by local business units in Savonlinna (e.g. worldwide technical services and consultancy) come along with a "crucial" need for high regional accessibility
- According company surveys carried out by City of Savonlinna, Savonlinna Region and Chamber of Commerce, a total cut off from commercial air traffic would imply a **relocation of jobs out of the region;** current estimate of job losses in different branches of industry is:

Surveyd companies (aggregated by branches)	
Forest industry including wood processing	
Electronics	
Engineering works	
Creative industry	

Sector of industry according NACE Rev. 2 classification (Finland: TOL 2008)					
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood	C16	20			
Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products	C26	25			
Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	C28	325			
Creative, entertainment and other cultural/leisure activities	R90-R92	50			
TOTAL		420			

→ Assignment of companies to sectors of industry according to their major field of activity



# III. Loss of jobs and economic activities of regional businesses; loss of purchasing power and demand for consumer goods

Loss of jobs at local business units (direct + indirect effects)

Sector of industry		Direct loss of economic values at local business units					
		Employees	•	Gross value added (Regional)	Net operating surplus (Regional)	Gross salaries and wages (Regional)	
Total		-420	-113 356 027	-33 167 493	-10 572 257	-16 369 913	
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood	C16	-20	-4 279 401	-873 408	-32 210	-552 809	
Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products	C26	-25	-10 043 103	-1 716 954	326 149	-1 376 437	
Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	C28	-325	-94 694 940	-28 295 635	-10 381 944	-13 277 282	
Creative, entertainment and other cultural/leisure activities	R90-R92	-50	-4 338 583	-2 281 496	-484 252	-1 163 386	

Loss of purchasing power

(induced effects)

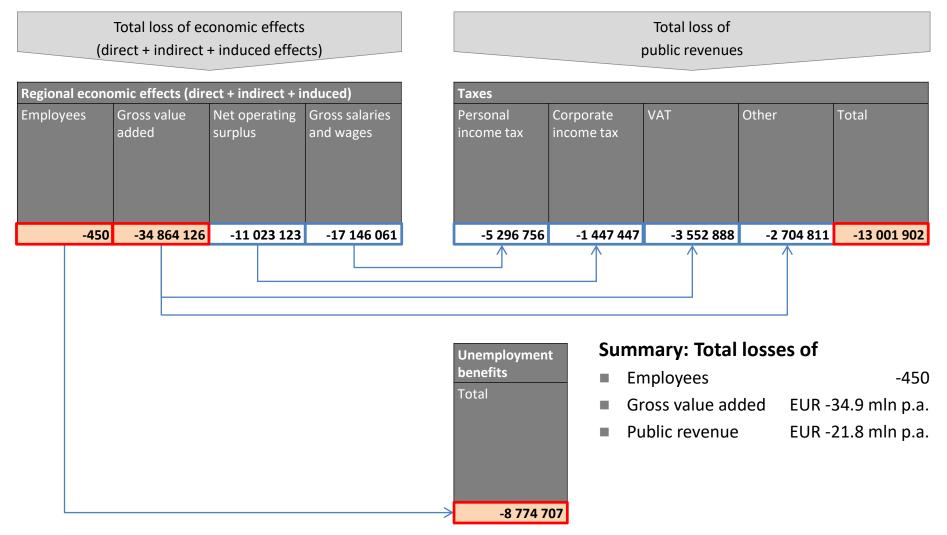
		Loss of private consumption and domestic demand through loss of purchasing power of employees					
Regional producer of consumer goods: Employees	Regional producer of consumer goods: Output	Regional producer of consumer goods: Gross value added	Regional producer of consumer goods: Net operating surplus	Regional producer of consumer goods: Gross salaries and wages			
-29.6	-4 171 054	-1 696 633	-450 867	-776 148			

Output of consumer good producers

- = Gross salaries and wages
  - x consumptions rate (56%)
  - x regional consumption quota (35%)
  - x multiplier for supplier effects (1.3)



# III. Loss of jobs and economic activities of regional businesses; loss of purchasing power and demand for consumer goods



## "Close-Down"-Scenario: Negative effect due to a close-down will be even higher than positive effects in the status quo



Summary		Long-term effects			
	Production of airport transport services (direct + indirect + induced)	Additional time costs (opportunity costs in terms of lost value added)	TOTAL	<i>thereof:</i> in the region	Job losses in regional industry (direct + induced)
Employees	-27	-	-27	-21	-450
Gross value added, EUR mln p.a.	-1.21	-0.44	-1.65	-1.02	-34.9
Public revenue, EUR mln p.a.	-1.00	-0.16	-1.16	-1.08	-21.8

- → In the short-term, negative effects on regional economy would be over one million EUR per year
   both in terms of gross value added and of public revenue; 21 jobs would be at risk in the region, 27 in total
- → 420 "direct" job losses in regional industry would lead in the long-term to an enormous loss of regional economic values; taking into account the induced effects arising from a decrease of regional purchasing power, further 30 jobs would be at risk; the total loss of regional gross value added would be EUR 35 mln p.a., whereas public revenue would decrease by EUR 22 mln p.a.

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