



Valuation Implications of Aircraft Life Cycle

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AVITAS Facts and Figures



- **Founded in 1985**
- **Offices in Washington, D.C.; London**
- **Advised in over 500 Aircraft Restructurings**
- **Over 50,000 aircraft inspected / appraised**
- **Managed over 600 Aircraft for Financial Clients**
- **Senior Staff with Industry Experience from OEMs, Financiers / Lessors, Airlines, and MROs**

AVITAS Practice Areas

Asset Management

Lease Negotiations

Restructuring

Portfolio Monitoring

Risk Management

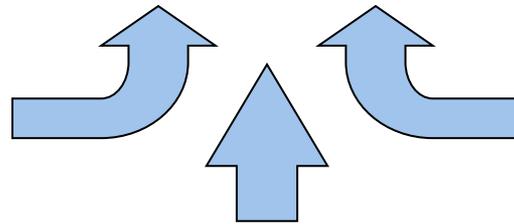
Valuation

Aircraft Appraisals

Market Analysis

Value Modeling

BlueBooks/Online Service



Technical

Aircraft Inspections

Delivery Assistance

Lease Language Drafting

Technical Consulting

Consulting

Strategic Planning

Industry Forecasting

Global Outlook Book

Airline Planning

Fleet Planning / Route Perf. Anal.



Experience

AVITAS Appraisals

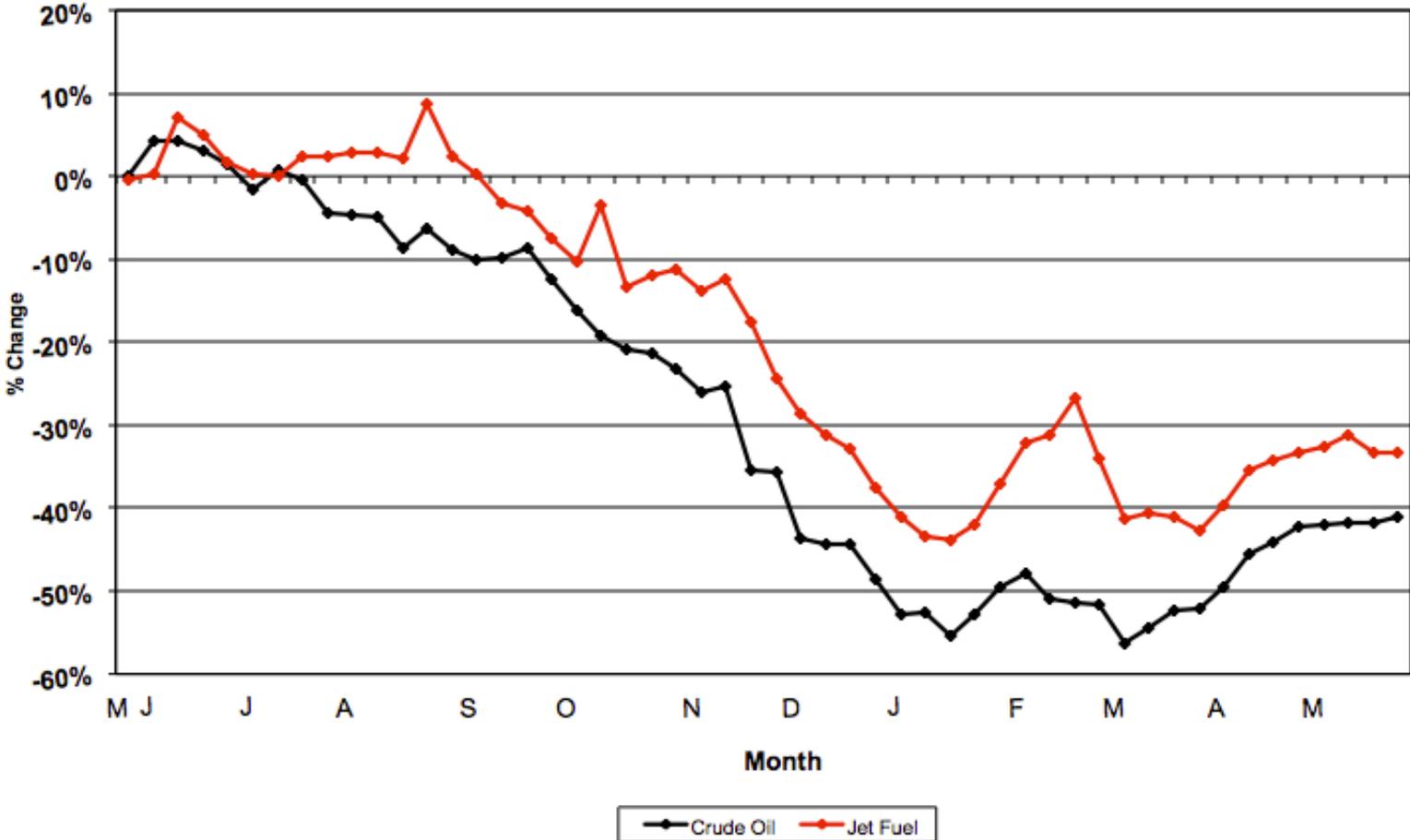
- 50,000 Aircraft Appraisals / Inspections
- 20 Million Parts Valued
- 100 Engine / Aircraft Teardowns

Paradigm Shift

- Last Few Years in Valuations - new industry trends
- Big Players / Big Money
- High Tech Companies with Financial Sophistication
- Number of Aircraft Teardowns Declining

Crude Oil Prices

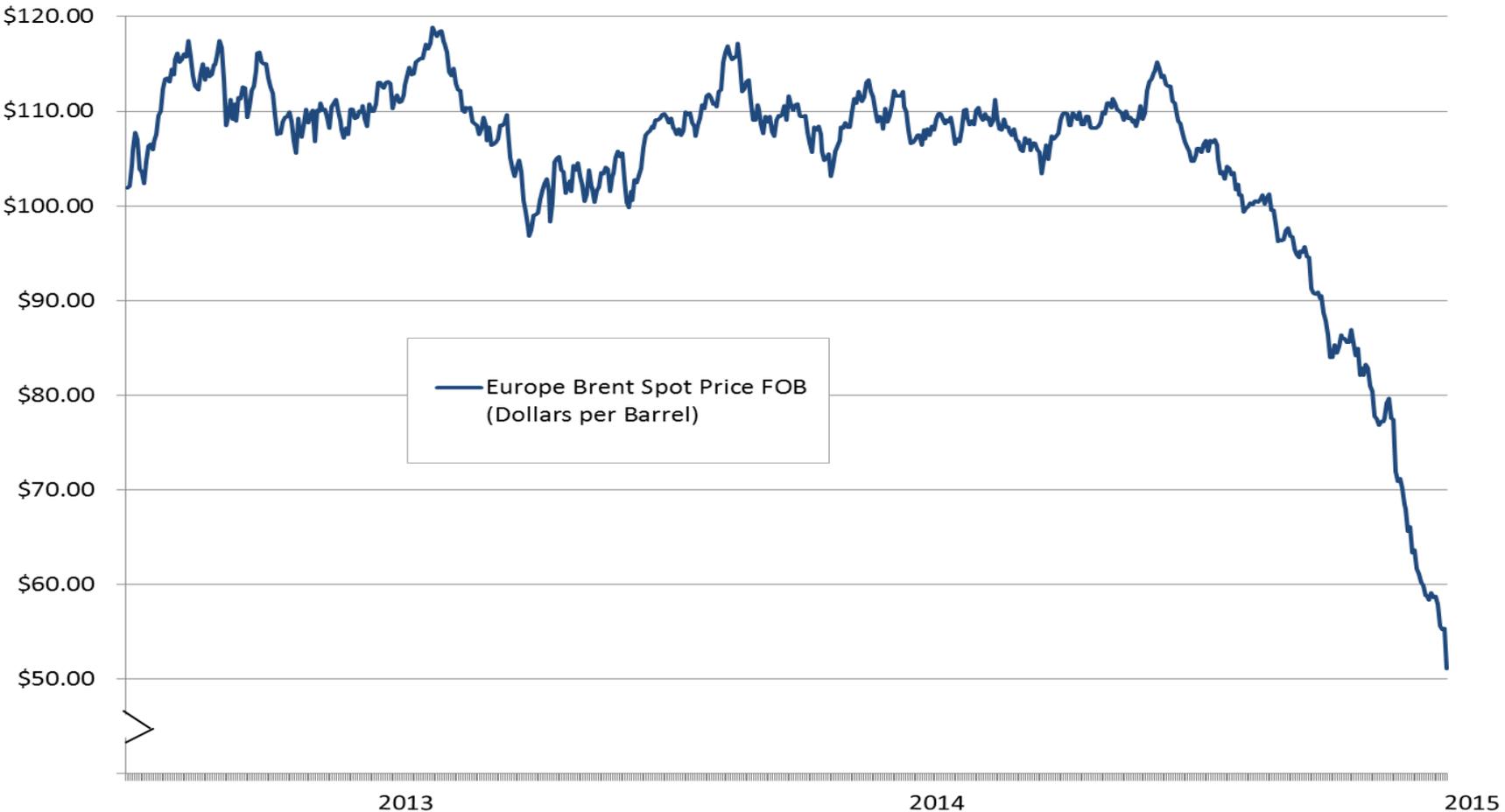
Crude Oil - Jet Fuel
(52-Week Change)



Oil Price

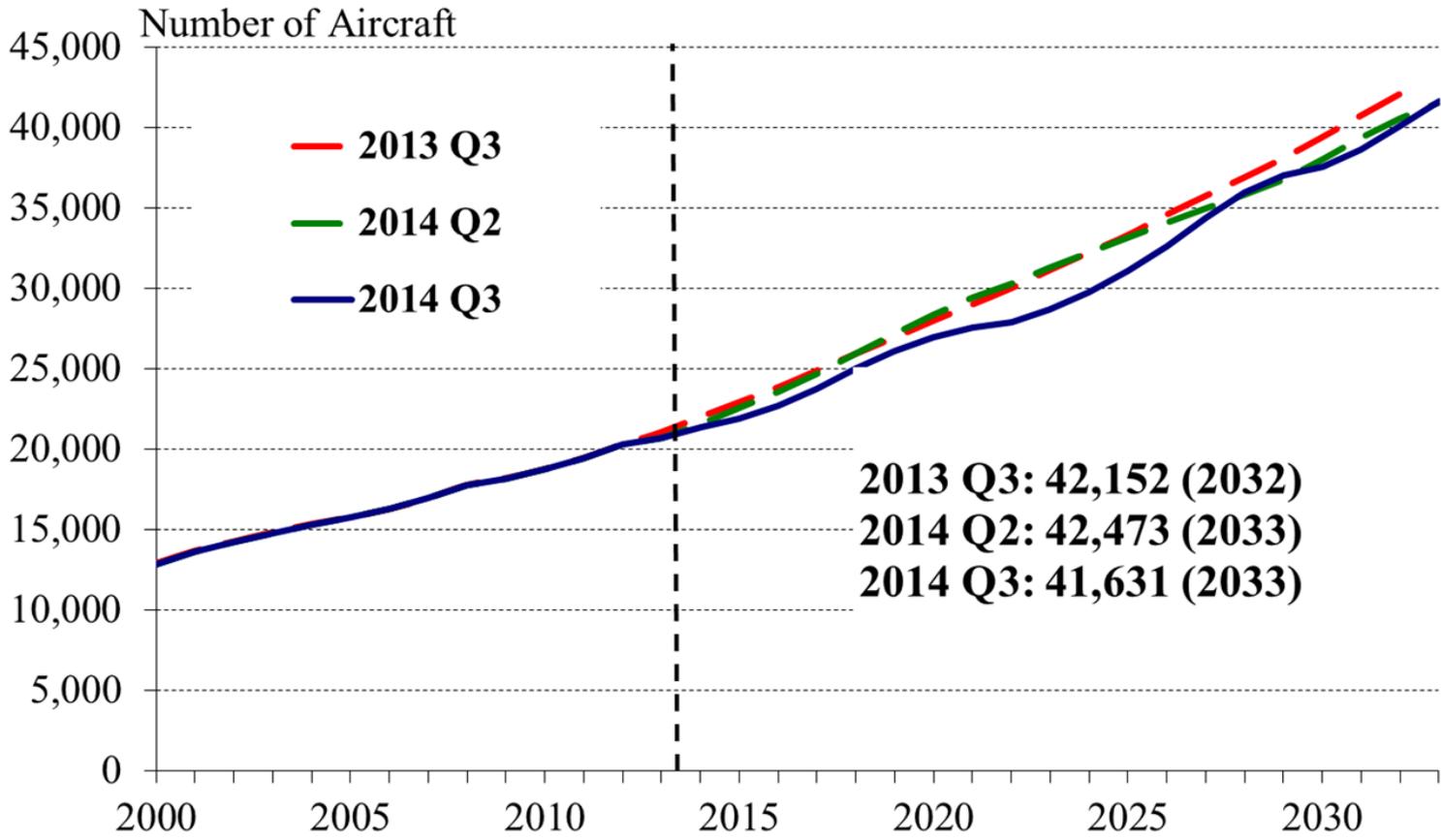
Daily Spot Prices July 2012 to January 2015

Dollars per Barrel



Global Fleet Forecast

World Passenger Aircraft Fleet, 2000 - 2033

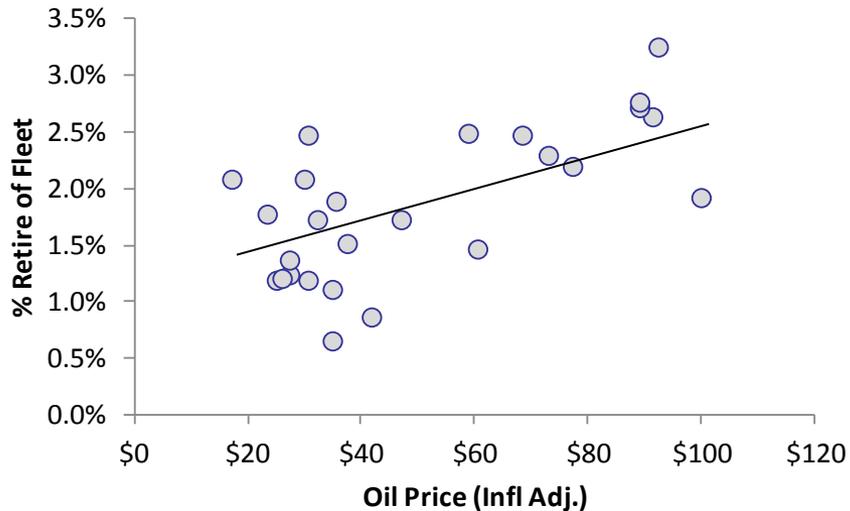


What Drives Retirements?

Many factors influence retirements,
but Oil Price and Interest Rates are primary ones

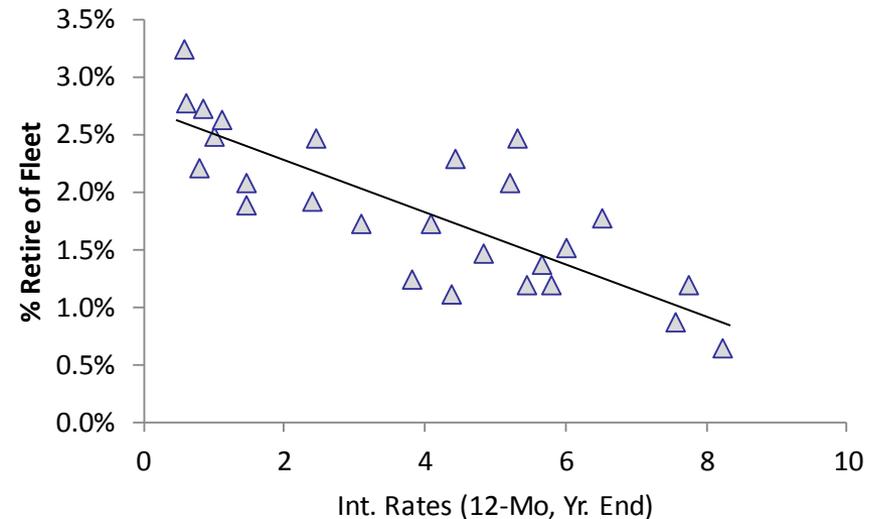
Oil Price and % of Fleet Retired

Scatterplot of % Retire of Fleet vs Oil Price (Infl Adj.)



Interest Rates and % of Fleet Retired

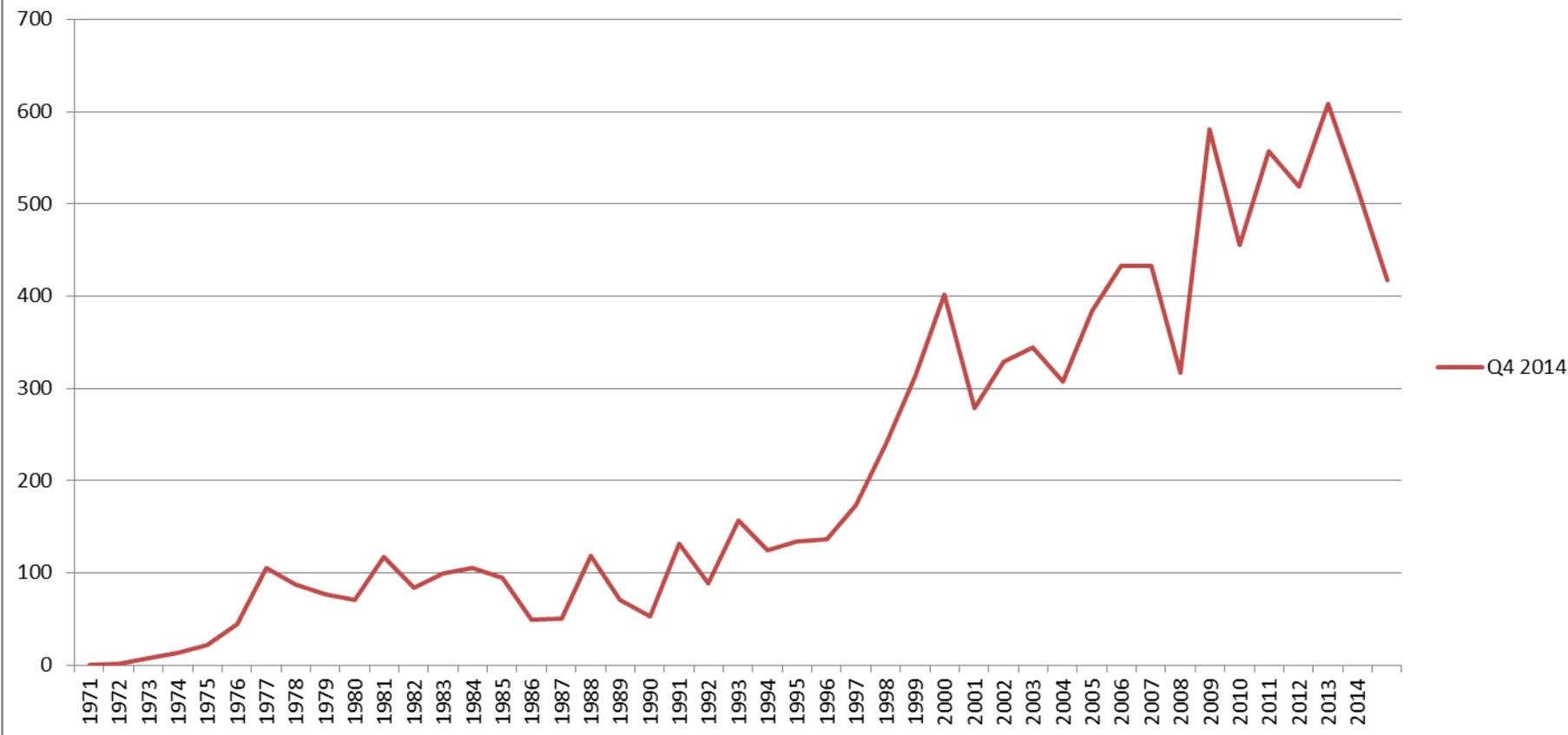
Scatterplot of % Retire of Fleet vs Int. Rates (12-Mo, Yr. End)



Note: All data are year-end 1990 to 2014 for commercial jet aircraft; oil price is in constant 2014 US\$, interest rates are year end 12-mo. LIBOR
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Annual Aircraft Retirements

World Passenger Aircraft Retirement, 1970 - 2014



Fuel Price Effect



The Price of Cheap Oil

Drop In Oil Prices Means An Airline Profitability Boost Now, But...

✉ [Aviation Week & Space Technology Feb 20, 2015](#) , p. 62

Jens Flottau, Sean Broderick, Madhu Unnikrishnan, Adrian Schofield Frankfurt, Washington, San Francisco and Auckland

Airlines

Fuel Price Drop Does Not Deter Cathay's A340-Retirement Plan

✉ [Aviation Daily Feb 17, 2015](#) , p. 3

Bradley Perrett

Analysis

Low Fuel Price May Increase Pricing Pressure On Late 737NGs, A320ceos

✉ [Aviation Daily Feb 11, 2015](#) , p. 1

Jens Flottau



Low Fuel Prices Contribute To Fewer Aircraft Being Torn Down

Aviation Daily May 06, 2015 , p.
Lee Ann Shay BUDAPEST

Analysis

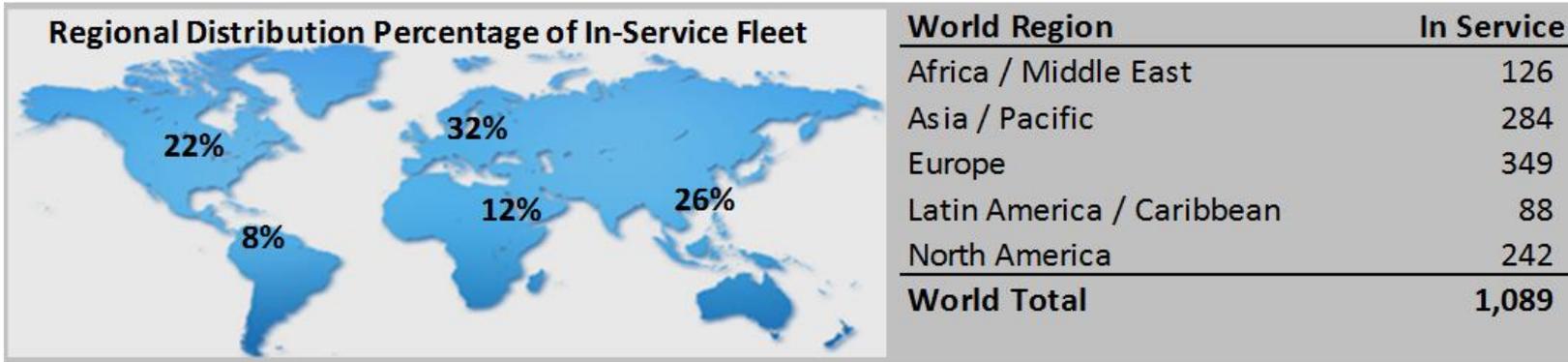
Avolon Analysis Of Storage Trends Concludes 800 Parked Aircraft Likely To Fly Again

Aviation Daily Apr 06, 2015 , p. 1
Sean Broderick

- **Factors affecting probability of returning to service**
 - Time in storage
 - 66% of aircraft parked less than two years will fly again
 - 50% if parked 3 years
 - 20% if parked 5 years or more
 - Program Status
 - 90% of in-production aircraft re-emerge
 - 56% of out-of-production emerge
 - Age when parked
 - Young aircraft – almost always return to service
 - Mid-life (up to 15 years old) - will return to service
 - Older aircraft - unlikely



Fleet Trends – 737-300/400/500



Source: Aviation Week Intelligence Network Fleets Database

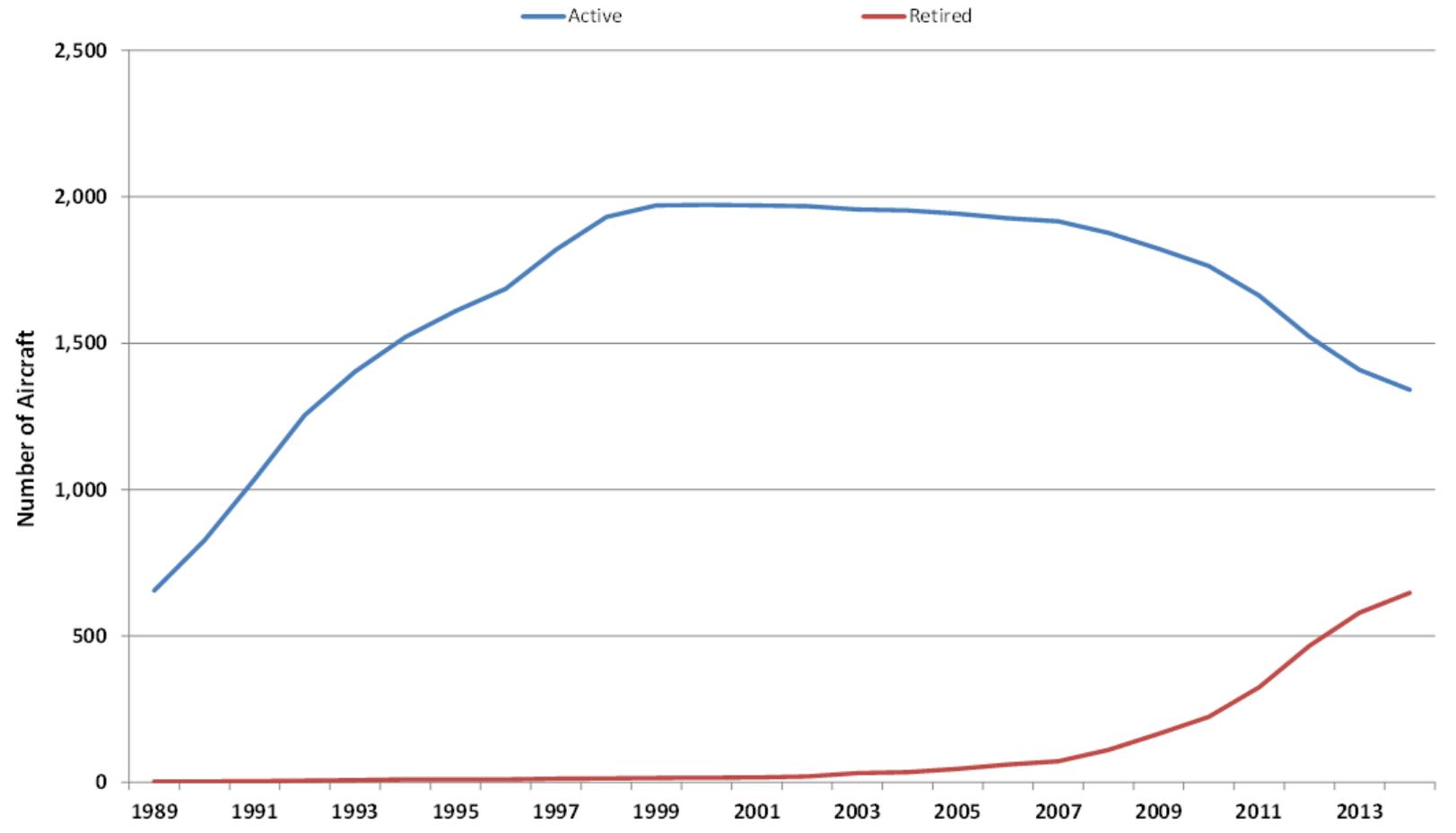
737 Classic Aircraft Distribution By Aircraft Model as of April 2015				
Model	In Service	Retired	In Storage	Grand Total
737-300	425	450	62	937
737-300QC	21			21
737-300SF	120	1	1	122
737-400	230	99	45	374
737-400SF	80	1	1	82
737-500	213	133	30	376
Grand Total	1,089	684	139	1,912

Source: Aviation Week Intelligence Network Fleets Database

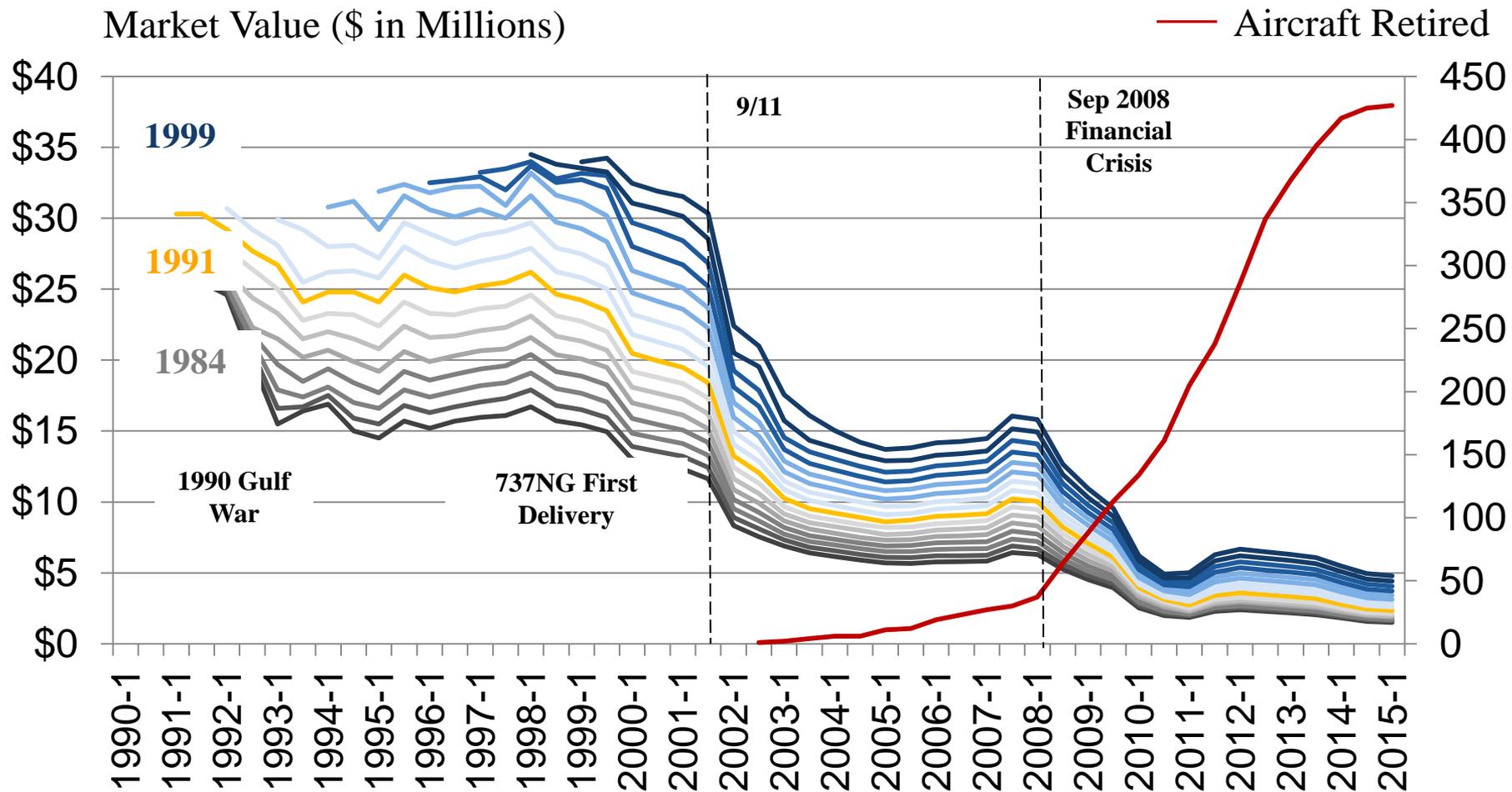
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737 Classic Fleet Trends

Active and Retired Aircraft, 1989 - 2014



737-300 Historical *BlueBook* Market Values



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BlueBook Edition



Fleet Trends – A320 Family



Source: Aviation Week Intelligence Network Fleets Database

**Airbus A320 Series Aircraft
Distribution By Aircraft Model
as of April 2015**

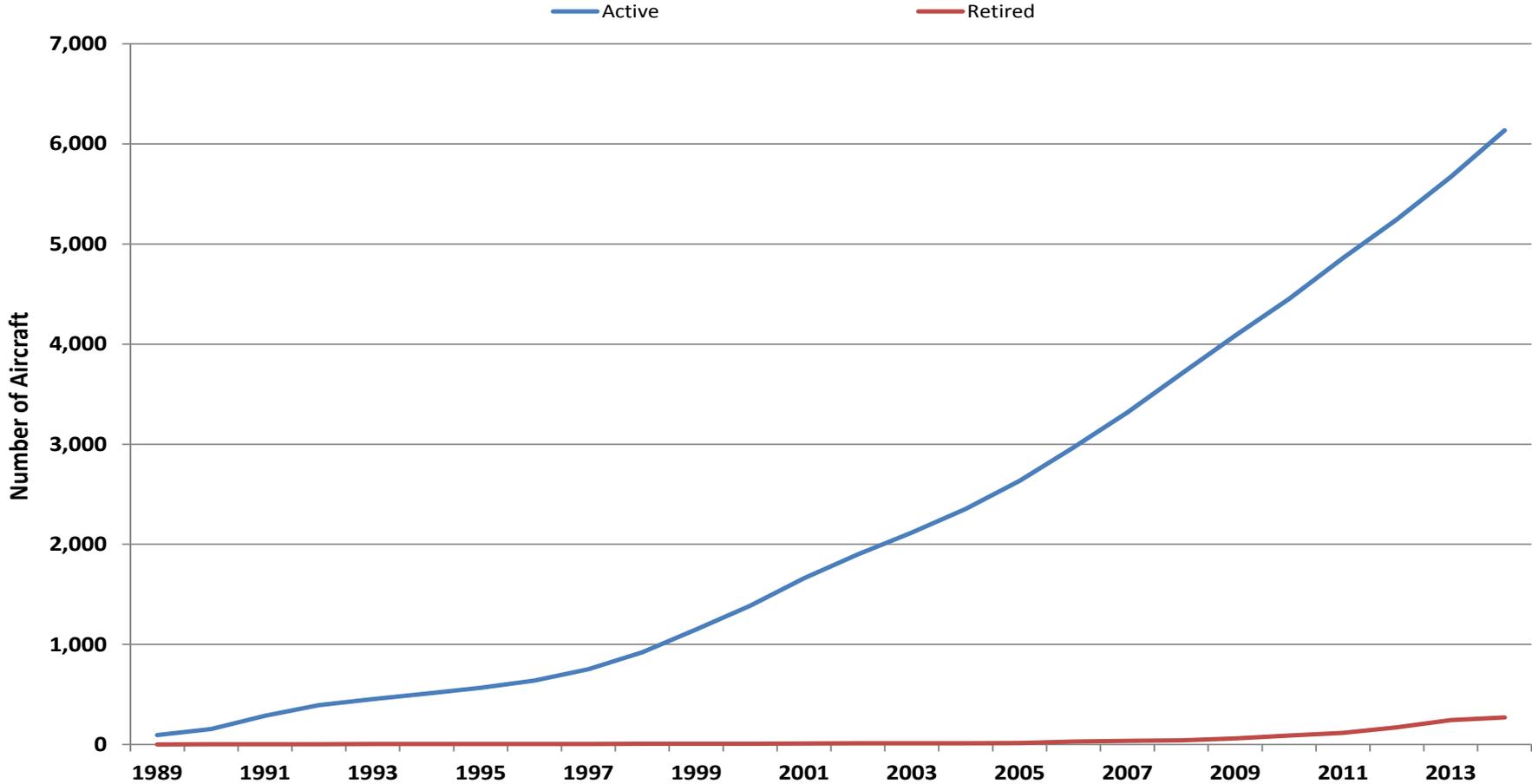
Model	In Service	Firm Orders	Options	Retired	In Storage	Grand Total
A318-100	69			11		80
A319-100	1,395	31	32	18	7	1,483
A320-100				19		19
A320-200	3,637	823	105	223	37	4,825
A321-100	66			10	2	78
A321-200	991	503		4	10	1,508
Grand Total	6,158	1,357	137	285	56	7,993

Source: Aviation Week Intelligence Network Fleets Database

Note: Includes Airbus Corporate Jets, but does not include A320neo series aircraft

Fleet Trends – A320 Family

A320 Series Fleet Trends Active and Retired Aircraft, 1989 - 2014



Fleet Trends – 747

Regional Distribution Percentage of In-Service Fleet



World Region	In Service
Africa / Middle East	70
Asia / Pacific	207
Europe	202
Latin America / Caribbean	-
North America	123
World Total	602

Source: Aviation Week Intelligence Network Fleets Database

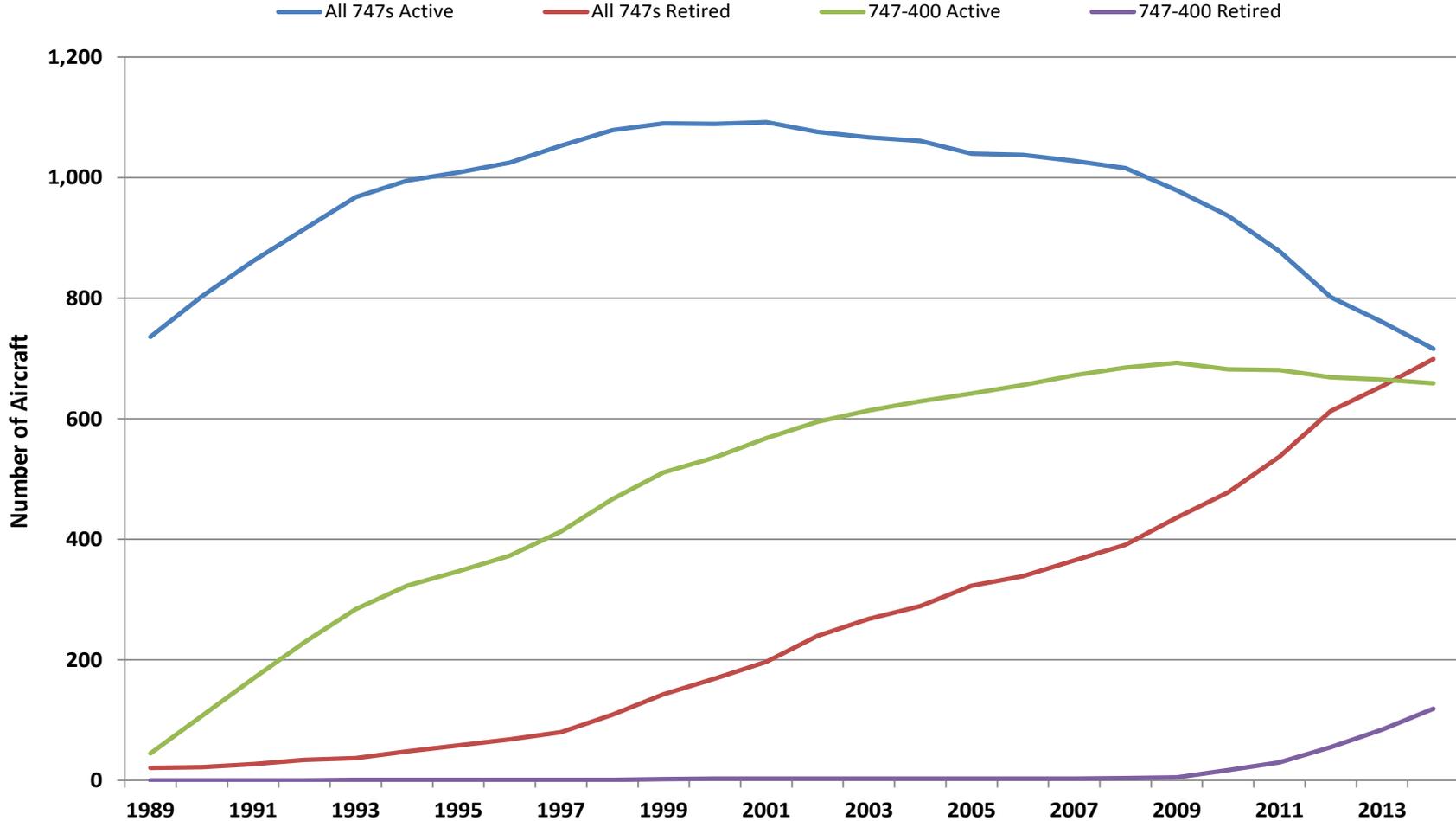
Boeing 747 Series Aircraft
Distribution By Aircraft Model
as of April 2015

Model	In Service	Firm Orders	Retired	In Storage	Grand Total
747-100 & 747SP	14		205		219
747-200	33		321	1	355
747-300	8		65	1	74
747-400 Pax	258		142	19	419
747-400 Ftr	159		13	33	205
747-400ER	6				6
747-400ERF	37			3	40
747-8	28	18		2	48
747-8F	59	12		1	72
Grand Total	602	30	746	60	1,438

Source: Aviation Week Intelligence Network Fleets Database

Fleet Trends – 747

Boeing 747 and 747-400 Fleet Trends Active and Retired Aircraft, 1989 - 2014



Fleet Trends – 737NG (-600/-700/-800/-900)



Source: Aviation Week Intelligence Network Fleets Database

Boeing 737NG Aircraft Distribution By Aircraft Model as of April 2015						
Model	In Service	Firm Orders	Options	Retired	In Storage	Grand Total
737-600	57			11	1	69
737-700	1,162	111	3	33	4	1,313
737-800	3,586	1,192	8	5	11	4,802
737-900	52					52
737-900ER	315	195			2	512
Grand Total	5,172	1,498	11	49	18	6,748

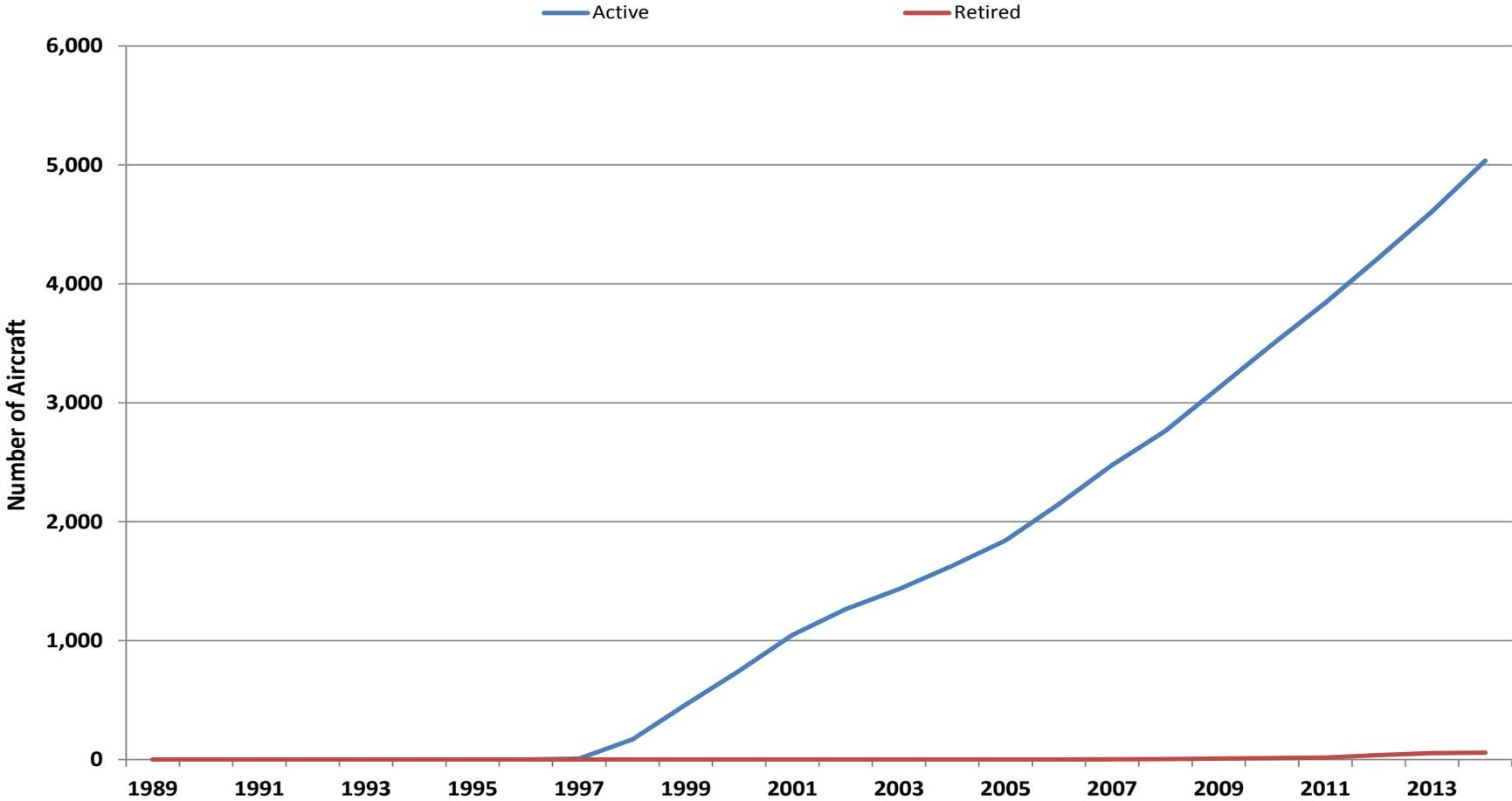
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Note: Includes BBJs but not the 737MAX

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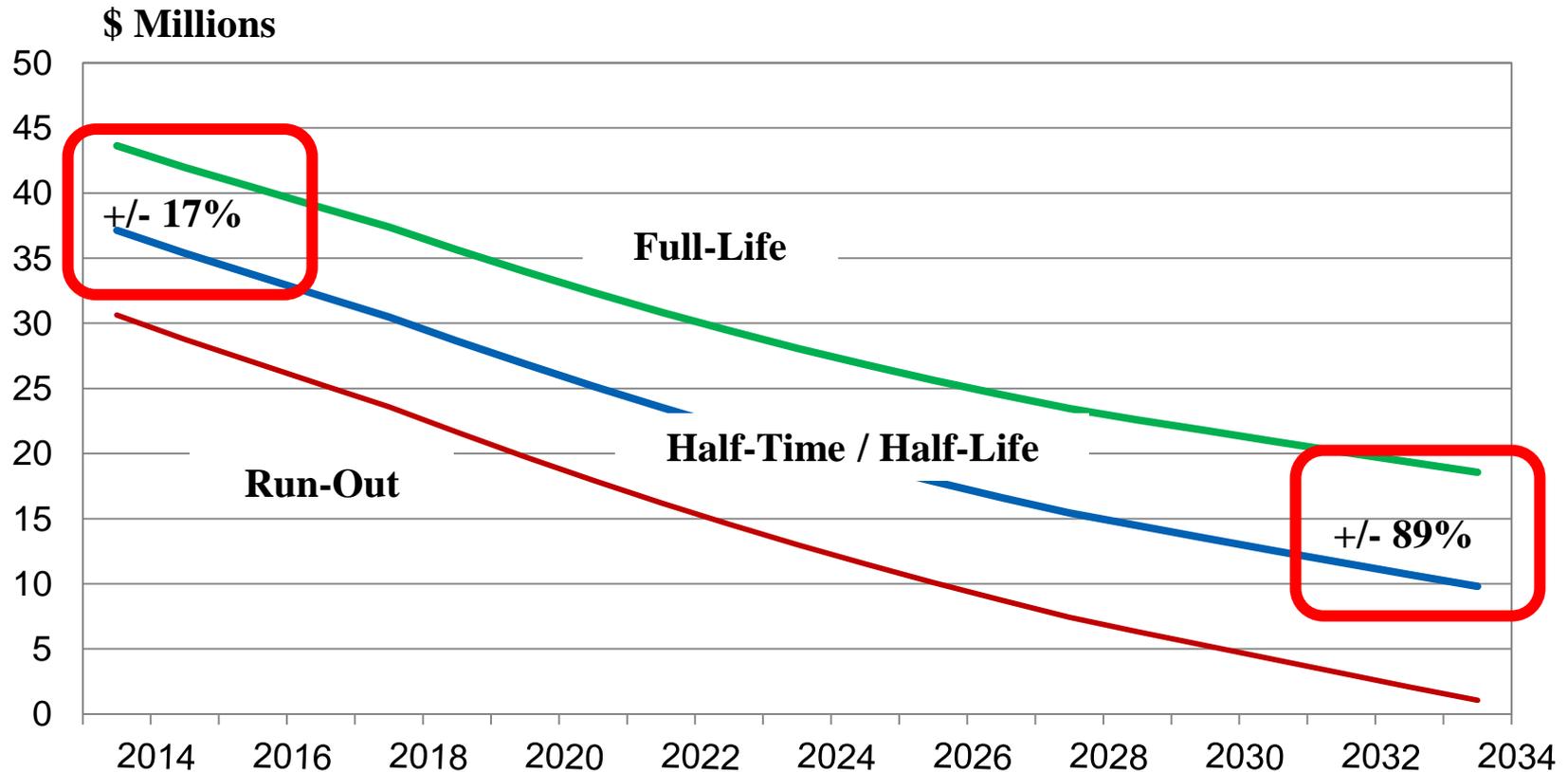
737NG Fleet Trends

Active and Retired Aircraft, 1989 - 2014



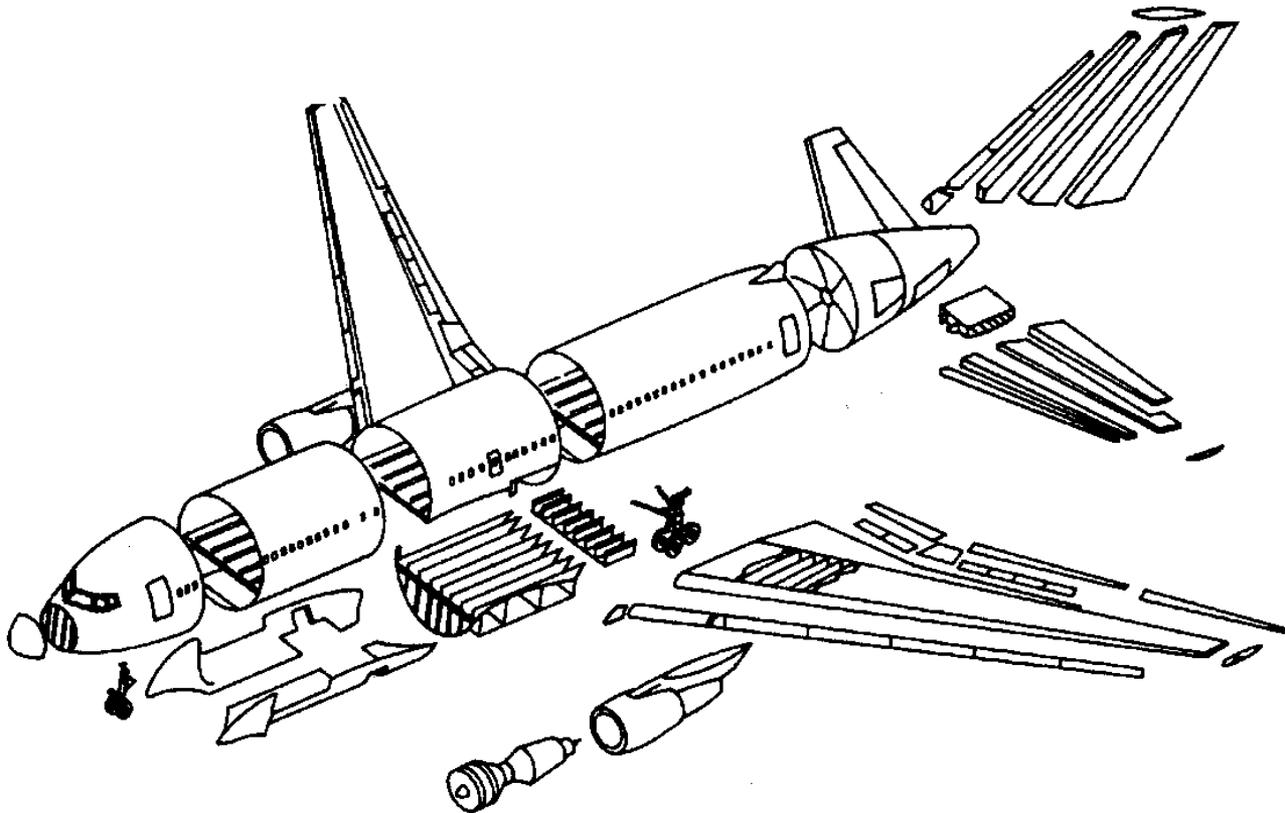
Maintenance Impact on Value Grows over Time

2010 Vintage 737-800 Value vs. Maintenance Cost

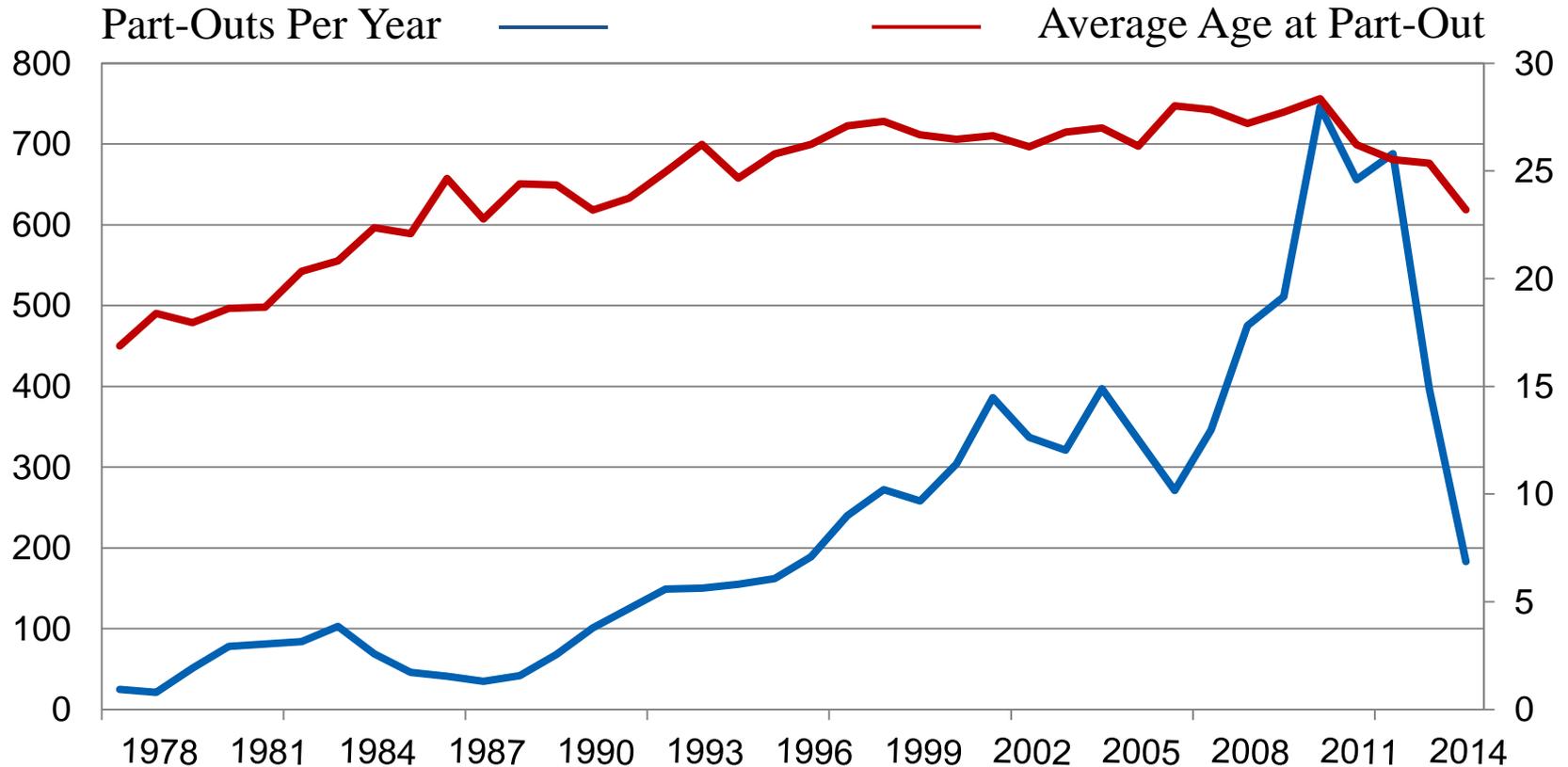


Parts Values

So what does this have to do with parts?



Jet Aircraft Part-Outs Per Year and Average Age



Younger Aircraft Parted Out

- **A318**
 - First few did very well from airframe
 - Engines sales lagging due to on-wing life is too long
- **777-200**
 - First few did very well on airframe
 - PW4000 has a long service record
- **A340**
 - Commonality with A330
 - Engines unique to type and shrinking fleet
- **A330LW**
 - Slowing sales
- **787**
 - Rumors of Air India partout were untrue

A318 Story – Perfect Storm

- **More lessors – 20% - 50%**
- **Decline in aircraft value due to financial crisis**
- **Frontier financial issues beginning in April 2008**
- **Large maintenance reserves – back to full life**
- **Commonality with A320 family**
- **Cost of parts from OEM**
- **First 6 year check determined to be worth more in parts**
- **Earliest part out was 6 years old aircraft**
- **Ten of 11 Frontier A318s were scrapped**

Engines Teardowns

What are we seeing in the market in last 12-18 months?

- **Older technology engines** (CFM56-3, CF6-80C2, PW4000, etc.)
 - Pro-rated LLPs have fallen in value by more than 25% - some 50%
 - Fan blades values have followed similar trajectory
 - Engine overhauls are markedly slowing
 - What are engine carcasses values if demand for overhauls is limited?
 - Demand for serviceable engines is there – short term leases to burn off green time – but lease rates have fallen even in just the last 4-6 months
- **Newer technology engines** (CFM56-5B, CFM56-7B)
 - Time on wing is “too good” – at least from a spare parts perspective
 - Almost 40% of engines haven’t hit the first shop visit
 - Almost 75% of engines haven’t hit the second shop visit
 - Limited demand for USM so far
 - Bids on engines for part outs are still strong

Question – What Will be the Impact of OEM PBH Deals?

Rolls-Royce and GE control the majority of the aftermarket of the Trent and GE90 engines

- Repairs completed at either OEM or licensed MROs only
- Will there be any incentive for the use of USM vs. new?
- If engines typically account for 80% or more of an aircraft's value at end of life, how will PBH plans impact aircraft value as it ages?
- How will PBH plans impact aircraft liquidity?
 - 0.1% of A330s with Rolls-Royce Trent engines have been retired
 - Rolls reported controls nearly 90% of the market for Trent MRO
 - ~5% of Pratt & Whitney A330s have been retired.
 - P&W is not as involved in PBH plans
- Who benefits from PBH agreements?
 - OEMs – control entire life cycle of engine
 - Airlines – predictable maintenance costs
 - Asset owners/financiers – difficult to see benefit as asset ages

Future - Is There Hope?

- **Narrow Body Fleet**
 - Maybe
- **Older Wide Body Fleet**
 - No - due to maintenance and transition costs
 - A340 and 747 maintenance costs
 - Freighter market?
 - No – market is saturated with used aircraft
 - Last conversion completed in 2012
- **777MAX vs 777**
- **A320 and A330 neo vs ceo**
- **737MAX vs NG parts commonality**



Discussion



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