

# **Action Plan for Aviation Environment sustainability**

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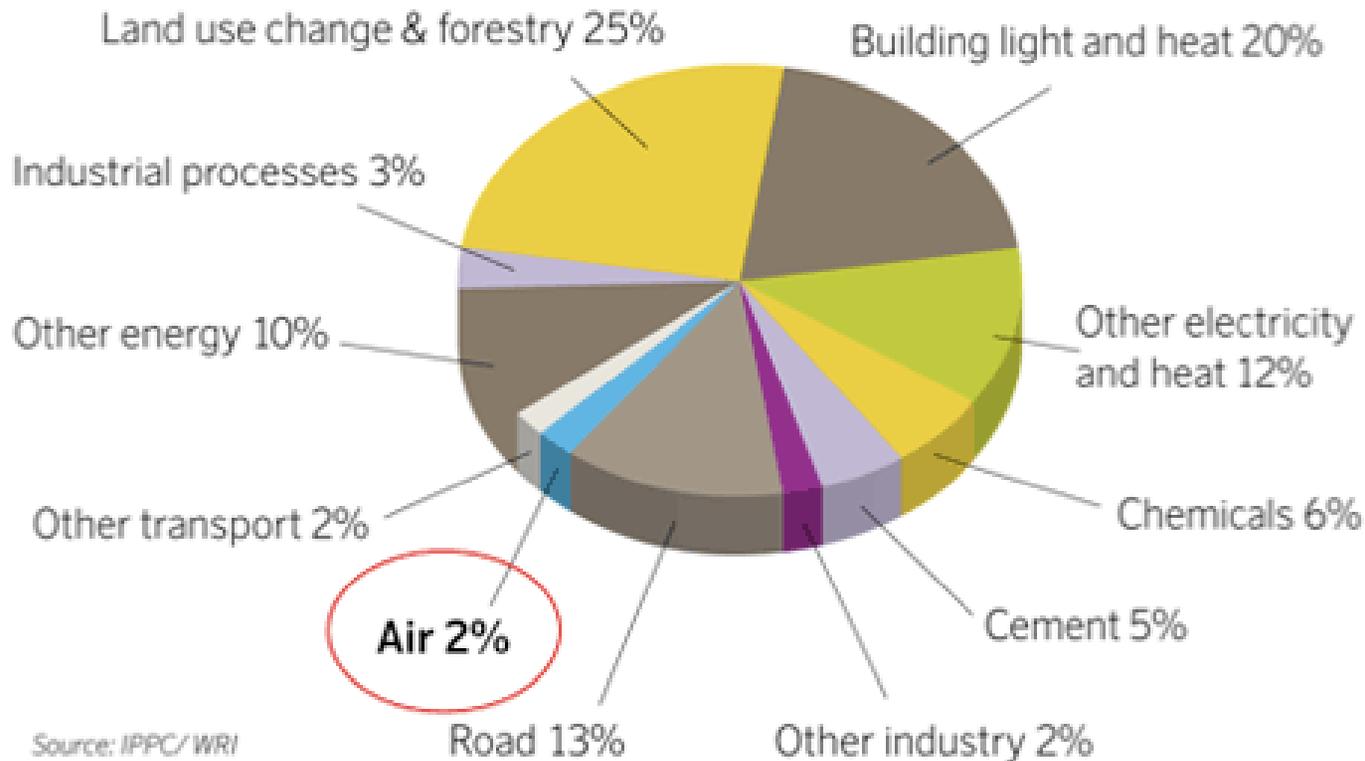
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# Introduction

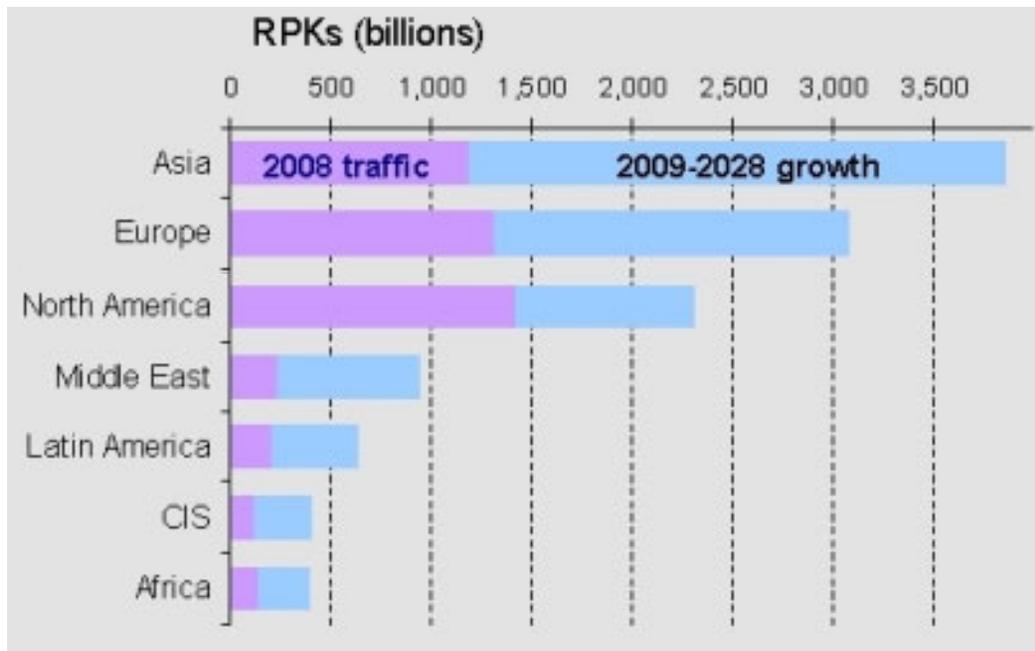
- Kyoto Protocol
- Aviation emissions expected to increase fourfold by 2050
- Fuel efficiency improvements will not offset projected growth
- International aviation emissions less than 2% of total global CO<sub>2</sub> emissions



Source: IPCC/WRI

# Introduction cont.

- 5% average yearly air transport growth depending on the region:



20-year growth	% of 2028 World RPKs
6.0%	33%
4.3%	26%
2.4%	20%
6.9%	8%
5.8%	6%
5.9%	4%
5.2%	3%

# Principles that govern My Action plan

## ● **Environmental Strategy:**

- Cover all aviation environmental aspects

## ● **Aviation Environment should be treated as a Global Problem:**

- Work through ICAO

## ● **Cultural change:**

- increase awareness and create an environmental friendly culture
- Incentives

## ● **The goal of any market based measures should be to reduce emissions:** not cap growth

- Avoid Taxation and Levies
- Any revenues generated from emission reductions should go back in aviation environmental investments and research.

## ● **Balance UNFCCC's CBDR ICAO's non discrimination principle:**

- De-minis : non-major polluters should be out of the system.

# Action Plan

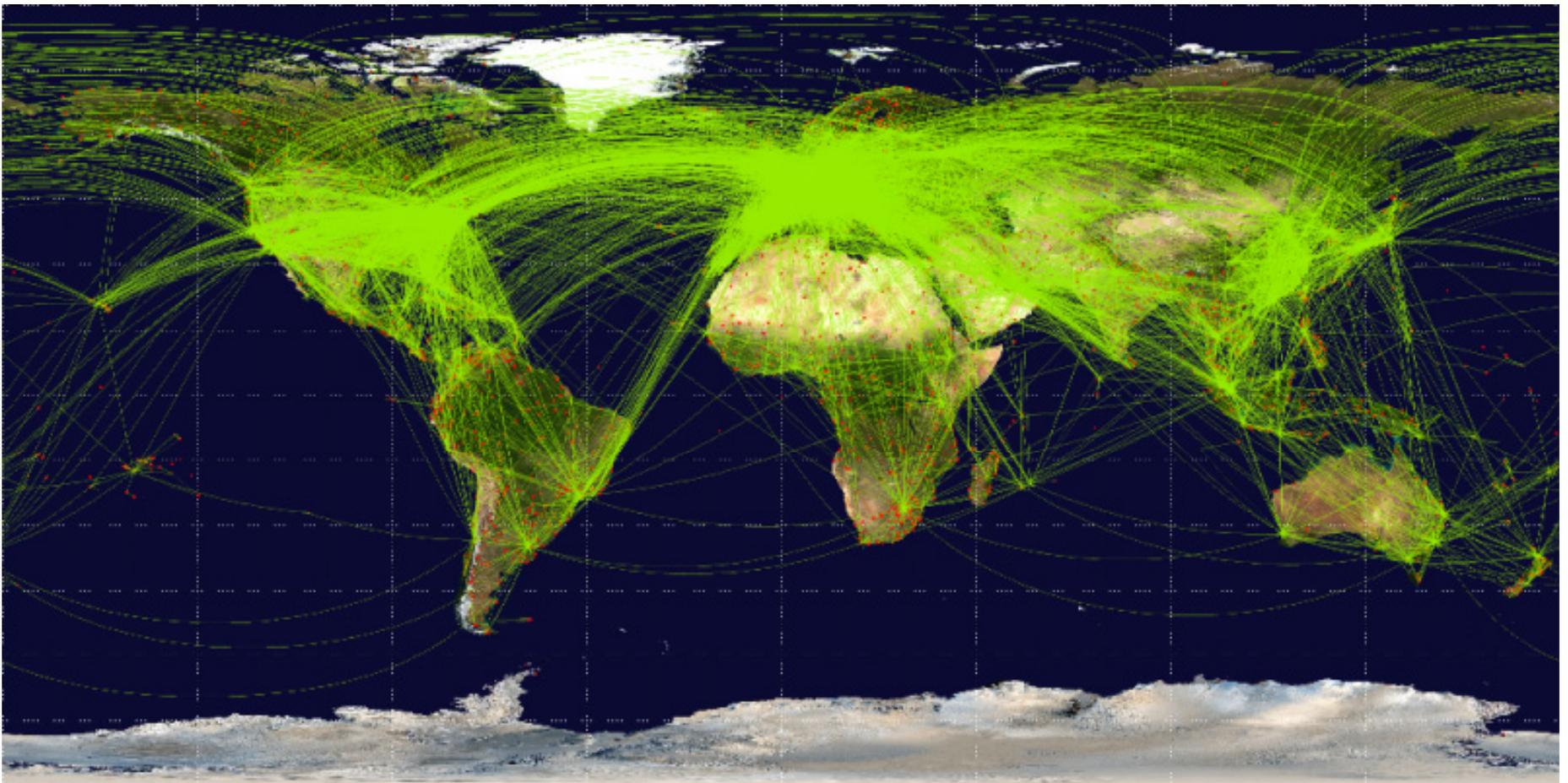
## ● Environmental Strategy:

- Environmental Management plan
  - Environmental Impact assessment
- Environmental Mitigation
  - Operational Measures
  - Infrastructure
  - Technology
  - Alternative Fuels
  - Market based measure
  - Data Bank
- Environmental Adaptation
  - How aviation infrastructure will have to be adapted to cope with the changes in climate change

# Environmental Mitigation

## Operational Measures & infrastructure

ICAO Guidelines on Operational Measures (DOC 9931 CDO, RVSM)



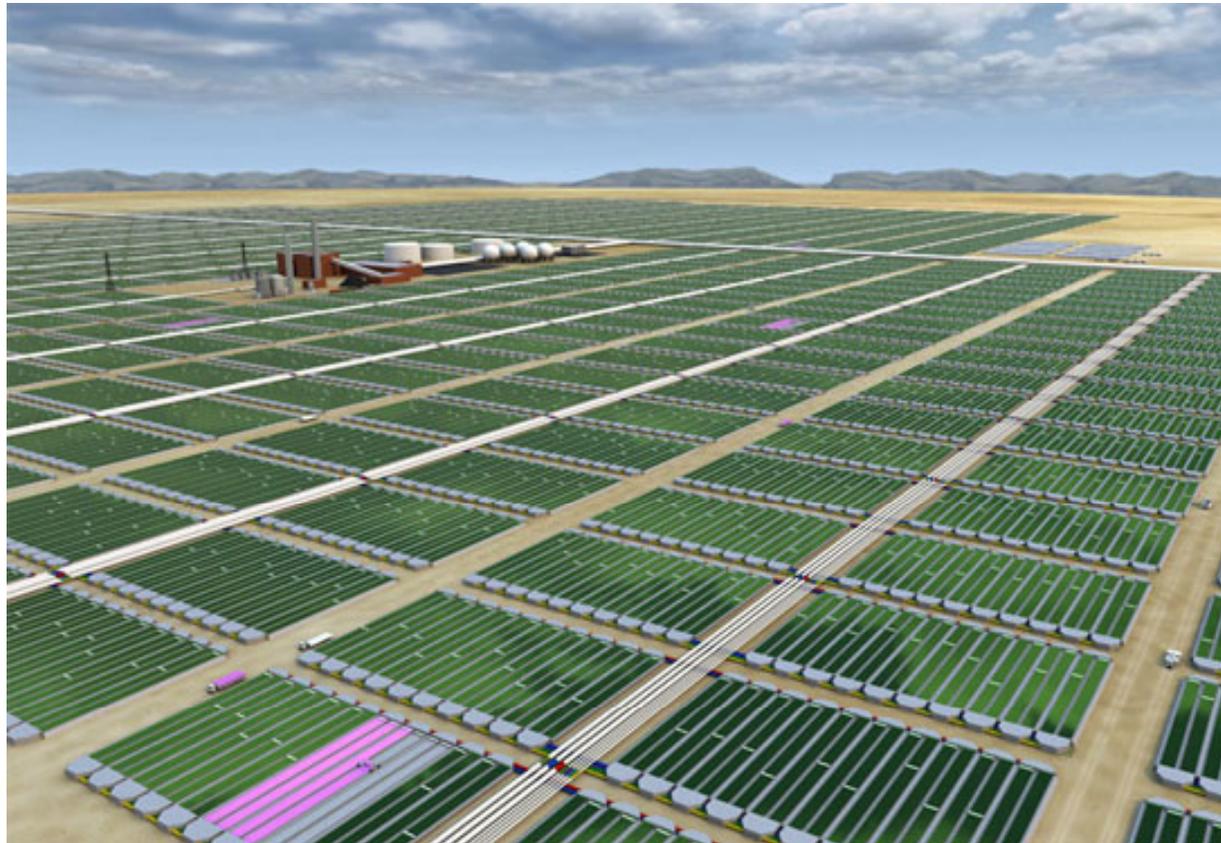
# Environmental Mitigation Technology

- Fleet renewal or Engine upgrading
- Facilitate financing new equipment



# Environmental Mitigation Alternative Fuels

- Encourage research
- Facilitate investment

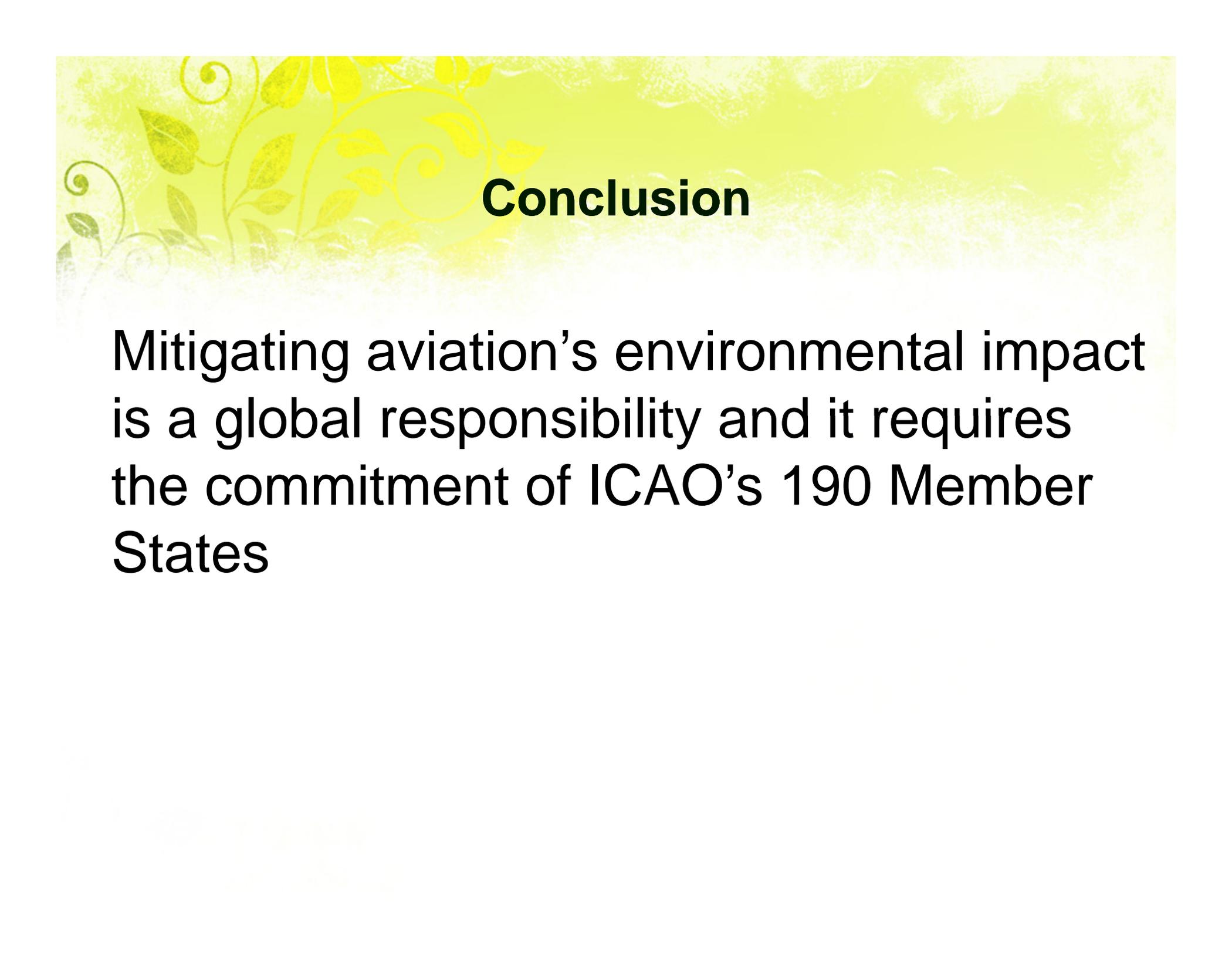




# **Environmental Mitigation**

## **Market-based measures**

- **Adopt global, sectoral approach through ICAO**
  - **Revenues should go back for aviation environment mitigation**
  - **Incentivizes participation**
  - **Not distort competition amongst operators**
  - **Account (and pay) for aviation emissions only once**
  - **Recognize aircraft operators that have already invested heavily in modern, low emission fleets**



## **Conclusion**

**Mitigating aviation's environmental impact is a global responsibility and it requires the commitment of ICAO's 190 Member States**