

# LAVATORY 100% BARRIER-FREE



LAV4ALL – the aircraft lavatory anyone can use without assistance on single-aisle aircraft.

### **1** Bn. people



Individuals with disabilities worldwide

## largest minority



Individuals with disabilities worldwide

### Rising rates



Due to ageing populations and increasing chronic health conditions

200 Mio. people



Have significant disabilities

**DISABILITY OVERVIEW** 





#### **GOOD EXISTING SOLUTIONS**

- Accessibility in daily mobility
- Accessibility in rail system, bus system etc.

## ALL PEOPLE MUST BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN MOBILITY EQUALLY

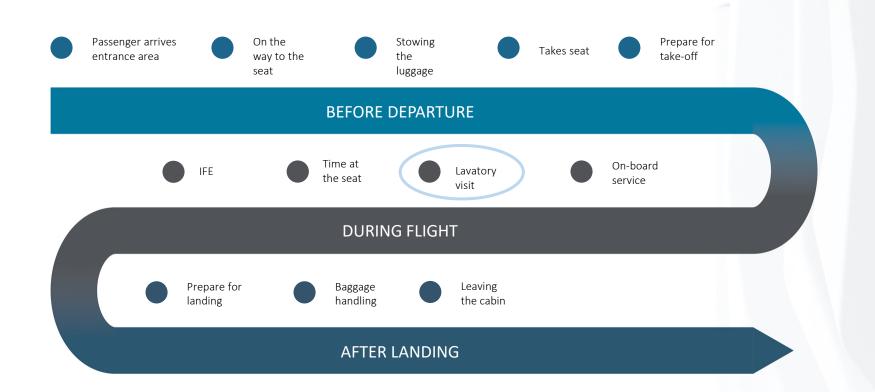
- Accessibility of transportation systems is a must
- Ethical Question
- Different national & international regulations (e.g. European Accessibility Act, US NPRM)



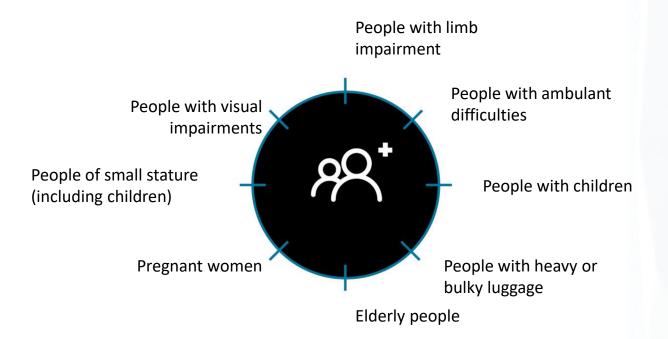
#### **AIR TRANSPORTATION**

• Poor situation in aircraft cabins

**INITIAL SITUATION** 



PROBLEM IDENTIFICATION IN THE CUSTOMER JOURNEY

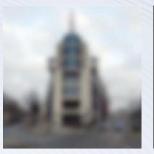


#### TARGET GROUPS





Perception without any visual impairment



Perception with Cataract



Perception with **Glaucoma** 



Perception with **AMD** (Age-releated) Macular Degeneration



Perception with

Diabetic Retinopathy



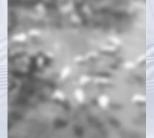
Perception with **Retinitis Pigmentosa** 



Perception with red-green color deficiency

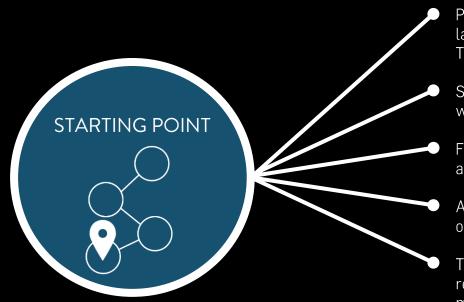


Perception with total color blindness



#### TYPES OF VISUAL IMPAIRMENT





Prohibition of disability discrimination in air travel by US and EU law. Further legal regulations by the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) in preparation.

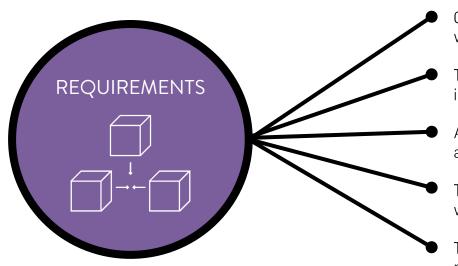
Single-aisle aircraft are increasingly used for long-haul flights where aircraft lavatories are usually not barrier-free.

Fears of cost and feasibility issues for airlines with single-aisle aircraft due to the possible loss of seats.

According to the WHO, 75 million people worldwide are dependent on a wheelchair every day.

The inability to use a toilet is reason enough for passengers with reduced mobility (PRM) either NOT to fly or to do so only with major effort.





Grab bars must be available and adapted to the needs of people with disabilities.

To prevent burns, water taps should have controls with tactile information about the temperature.

Attendant call buttons, controls and door locks should be accessible and haptic identifiable.

The door sill shall not block the entry and exit of the on-board wheelchair and at the same time prevent the leakage of liquids.

The legroom shall not be reduced compared to the current measurements.

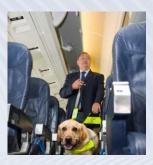




Embossed printing (Braille)



Tactile elements



Guide dog



Strong contrasts

MOBILITY AIDS FOR BLIND & VISUALLY IMPAIRED PEOPLE





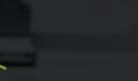
#### RETROFITABLE

Retrofittable for A3SA aircraft. Available for other aircraft types on request



#### HYGIENIC SURFACES

Permanent antimicrobial coating (PURE CABIN), seamless design



#### COMPLIANT WITH NEW **REGULATIONS**

SAME EXTERNAL DIMENSIONS

of only 930 mm (in flight direction)

Maximum seating capacity and galley

space remains unchanged with a width

Already compliant with upcoming aviation regulations



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#### **BRAILLE**

Optimization for people with visual disabilities



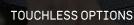
100% BARRIER-FREE

with special needs

Appreciation for passengers

#### **NEW MARKET SEGMENTS**

PRMs represent one of the fastest-growing demographics in aviation



Highly developed sensors and actuators enable contactless processes at the customer's request



#### MAXIMUM COMFORT

Significantly increases travel comfort, privacy and dignity of passengers



#### MORE SPACE

A tapered geometry of the lavatory offers passengers more free moving space



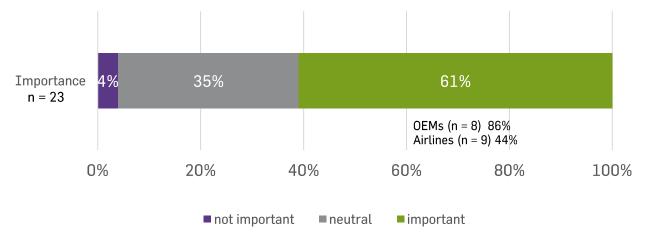


Features	"LAV4ALL" by FACC
Optimization for people with visual disabilities by using a special concept and braille	X
Hygienic surfaces with PURE CABIN	X
Easy stand-alone transfer by reduced transfer angle	Х
Touchless features where useful. Studies showed that often mechanical actions increase the sense of security of PRMs. (Locking the door, opening/closing the toilet seat, etc.)	X

## LAV4ALL SURVEY IMPORTANCE OF ACCESSIBILITY

How important do you evaluate the topic accessibility on airplanes within your company?

(scale: 0 = not important at all, 10 = very important, only participants who answered "yes" at last question)

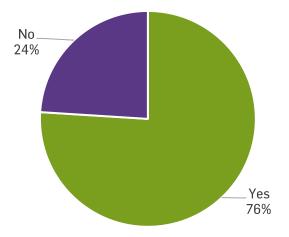


Categories 0, 1, 2, 3 merged to not important Categories 4, 5, 6 merged to neutral Categories 7, 8, 9, 10 merged to important

## LAV4ALL SURVEY

#### DEMAND FOR A PRM LAVATORY I (PRM = persons with reduced mobility)

Do you think a PRM lavatory could be a competitive advantage for airlines?

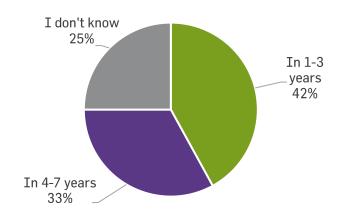


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## LAV4ALL SURVEY DEMAND FOR A PRM LAVATORY III

EXISTING FLEET (RETROFIT)

When do you think the aircraft will be refurbished with a PRM lavatory?

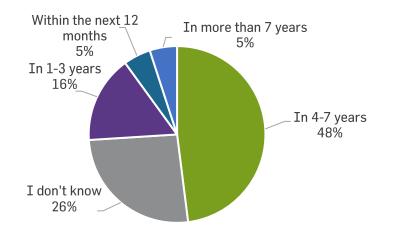


## $n=24,\,0\% \ within \ the \ next \ 12 \ months, \ 0\% \ in \ more \ than \ 7$ $vears \\ only \ participants \ who \ gave \ the \ relevant \ answer \ on \ the \ last \ question, \ see \ previous$

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#### NEW FLEET (LINE-FIT):

When do you think the aircraft will be purchased/leased with a PRM lavatory?

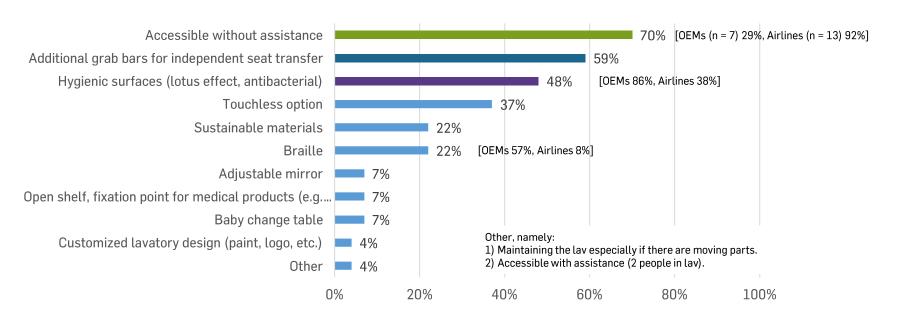


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## LAV4ALL SURVEY PRODUCT FEATURES I

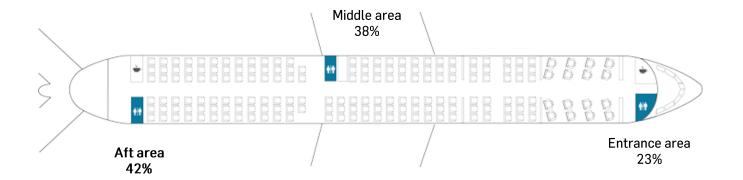
Please choose what you consider the 3 most important features for a PRM lavatory.



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## LAV4ALL SURVEY

Which location for your PRM lavatory would you prefer?



## LAV4ALL Target market for replacement

Replacement of 7 - 18 years A320 & A321 for mid & long haul flights

216

22-24

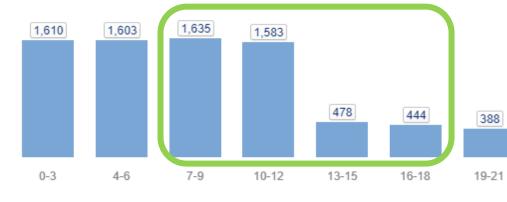
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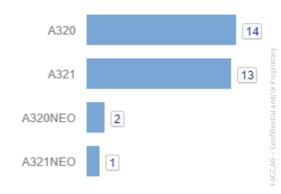
with existing corner lavatories: Potential of 4140 Aircraft

**Age** 2022





#### Top Aircraft Groups By Age









Bundesministerium für Verkehr, Innovation und Technologie









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YES TO #EQUALITY

