STATISTICS FOR APRIL 2010

In April 2010 AS Tallink Grupp transported 712 939 passengers which is nearly a 15% increase compared to April 2009. The number of passenger vehicles increased over 12% to 73 345. The number of trucks and trailers increased by 11% to 21 626 units.

AS Tallink Grupp's passenger, cargo unit and passenger car numbers for April 2010 were the following:

	April 2010	April 2009	change
Passengers	**712 939**	**621 674**	**14.7%**
Finland-Sweden	257 772	238 407	8.1%
Estonia-Finland	324 440	278 396	16.5%
Estonia-Sweden	71 977	57 722	24.7%
Latvia-Sweden	58 567	39 452	48.5%
Finland-Germany	183	7 697	-97.6%
Cargo Units	**21 626**	**19 489**	**11.0%**
Finland-Sweden	8 053	6 918	16.4%
Estonia-Finland	9 279	7 408	25.3%
Estonia-Sweden	2 814	2 070	35.9%
Latvia-Sweden	1 296	1 005	29.0%
Finland-Germany	184	2 088	-91.2%
Passenger Vehicles	**73 345**	**65 184**	**12.5%**
Finland-Sweden	12 539	12 283	2.1%
Estonia-Finland	48 956	41 572	17.8%
Estonia-Sweden	5 283	4 042	30.7%
Latvia-Sweden	6 511	5 960	9.2%
Finland-Germany	56	1 327	-95.8%

The following operational factors influenced the development in April 2010.

ESTONIA-SWEDEN
The new cruise ferry Baltic Queen is in operations since April 2009 and has replaced the smaller MS Romantika which moved to Riga-Stockholm route.

LATVIA-SWEDEN
Since May 2009 the cruise ferry Romantika has replaced the smaller M/S Regina Baltica.

FINLAND-GERMANY
The vessels Superfast VII and Superfast VIII returned to the Helsinki-Rostock line on 26th and 30th of April respectively.

In April 2010 the Iceland volcano Eyjafjallajökull restricted air travel all over Europe, this had a positive effect on passenger numbers on all lines.

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