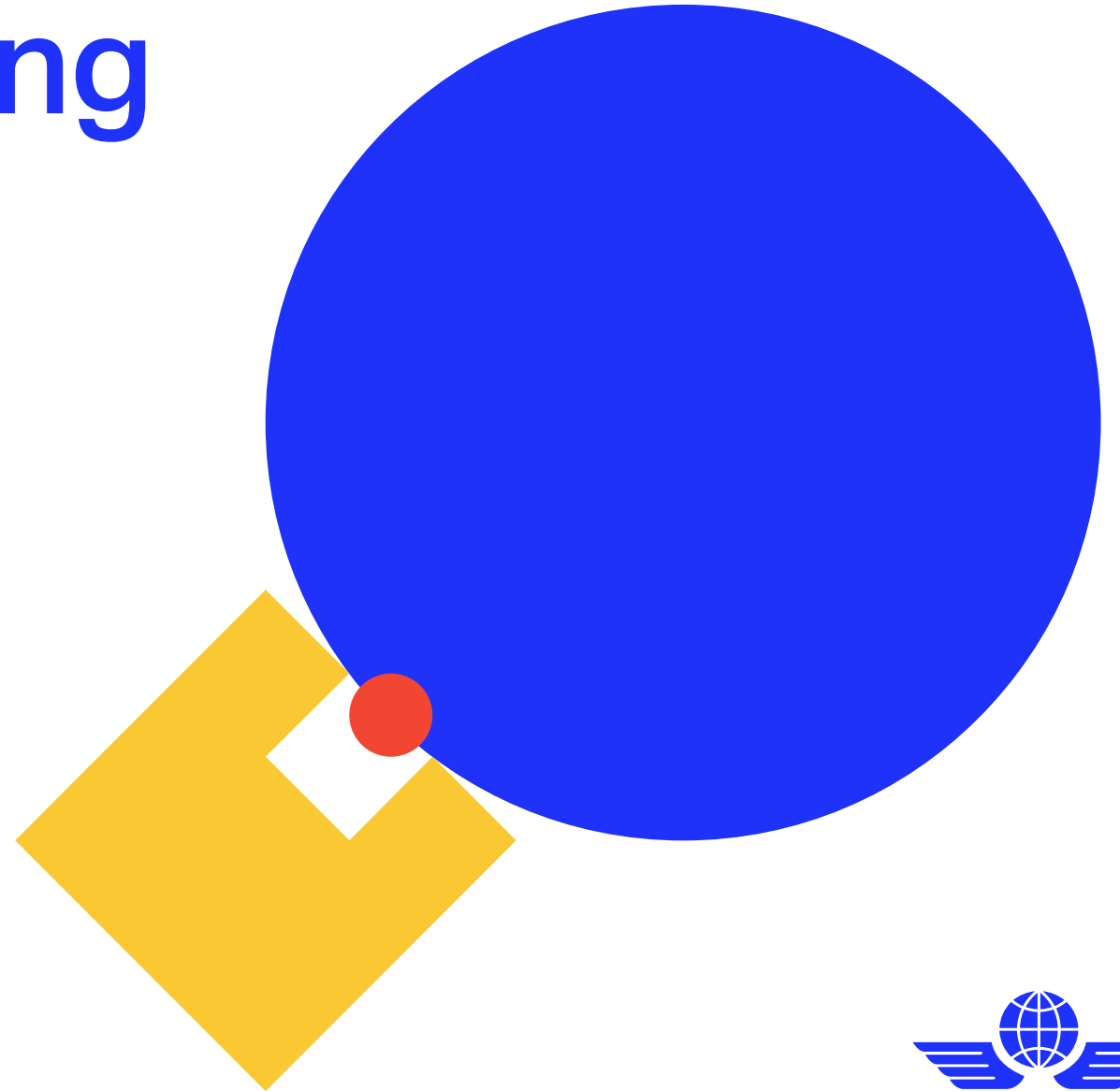


# AME Media Briefing COVID-19

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# COVID-19 Effect on African Aviation

African Region	Airline Revenues	Passenger Numbers
East Africa	- 56%	- 53%
Western Africa	- 60%	- 58%
Northern Africa	- 58%	- 56%
Southern Africa	- 60%	- 58%

➤ **Airlines in Africa will lose USD \$42 for every passenger they carry in 2020**

# COVID-19 Effect on Aviation in the Middle East

African Region	Airline Revenues	Passenger Numbers
GCC	- 56%	- 54%
Levant	- 58%	- 56%

- **Airlines in the Middle East will lose USD \$37 for every passenger they carry in 2020**

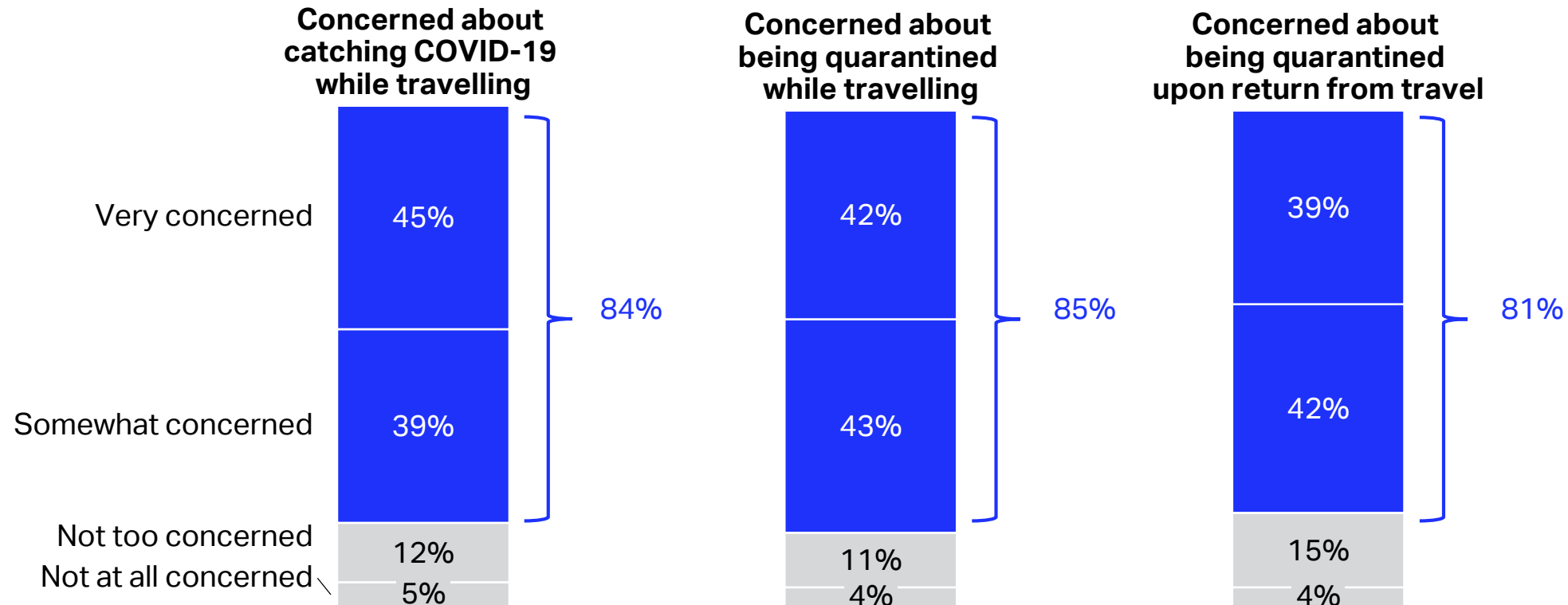
# Three factors critical to the restart of aviation

1. The opening or closing of borders should not be politicized
2. Avoid costs that could be a barrier to travel
3. Governments should consider alternatives to quarantine



# Travelers are as concerned about quarantine as they are about catching the virus

Travelers' concerns about catching the virus vs. being quarantined

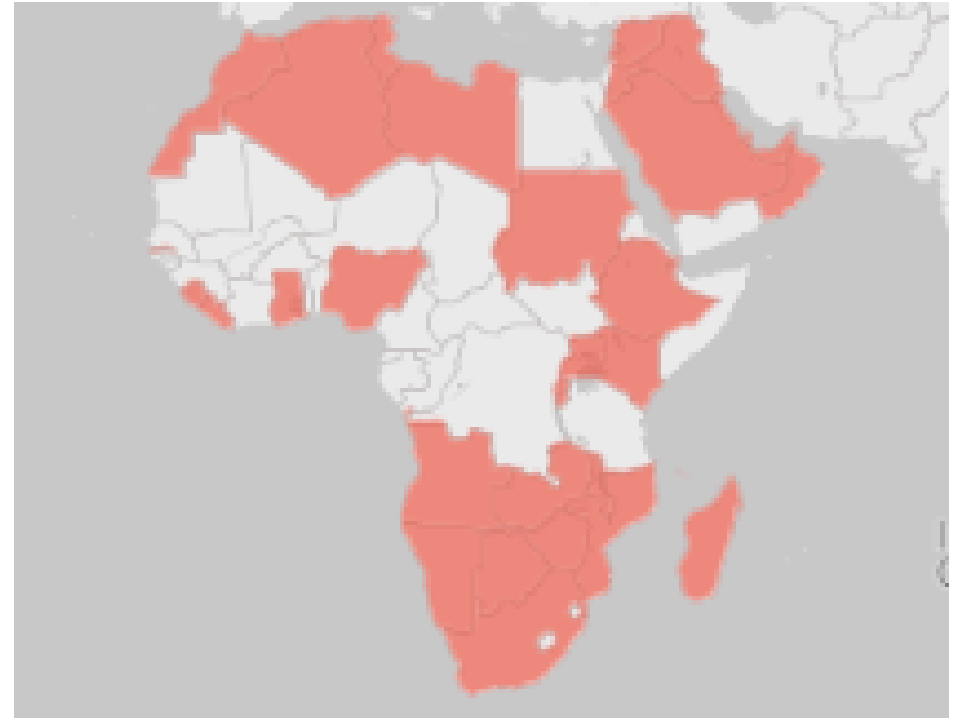


Source: IATA Economics using data from end May–early June passenger survey by Rockland Dutton for IATA



# Critical that AME Governments Implement Alternatives to Quarantine

Government-imposed quarantine measures in **36** countries across Africa and the Middle East (AME) account for **40%** of all quarantine measures globally.



# IATA proposes a layering of measures to protect public health while re-starting aviation, focused on two areas:

## 1. Reducing the risk of imported cases via travelers

- Discouraging symptomatic passengers from traveling
- Health screening by governments in the form of health declarations.
- COVID-19 testing for travelers from countries perceived to be “higher-risk”

## 2. Mitigating Risk in Cases Where an Infected Person Does Travel

- Implementation of the Take-Off guidelines published by the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)
- Contact tracing to efficiently isolate any traveler who may become symptomatic and infectious after arrival
- Reducing risk of transmission at destination through overall government measures to fight the virus,



# Questions

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