REDUCING IMPACT
TECHNOLOGY
DESIGN
OPERATIONS
REGULATION

WHAT ARE THE PRIORITIES?
HOW CAN GBD HAVE MOST IMPACT?
UK, EUROPE, WORLD



ENGINE TECHNOLOGY
ENGINE DESIGN
AIRFRAME TECHNOLOGY
OPERATIONS
PHASE OUT OF NOISIER TYPES
LAND MANAGEMENT

 Exposure predicted to fall to a minimum between 2010 and 2020 and then rise again with growing traffic

LOCAL AIR QUALITY

COMBUSTOR TECHNOLOGY
ENGINE DESIGN
PHASE OUT OF DIRTIER TYPES

 Conflict between reducing fuel burn and reducing NO_X

CLIMATE CHANGE

CO₂
NO_X
CONTRAILS AND CIRRUS

Most serious long term threat to continued growth of air transport
 Conflicts

REDUCING CO₂

• TECHNOLOGY **Reduce drag Reduce weight** Increase propulsive efficiency **o** DESIGN **Design range Cruise Mach number** Cruise altitude Advanced propellers **o** INCENTIVES??

TECHNOLOGY Low NO_x combustors **o** DESIGN Trade NO_{X} for CO_{2} **Design for minimum environmental** impact **OPERATIONS Optimise cruise altitude** • INCENTIVES?? • ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE

REDUCING IMPACT OF CONTRAILS AND CIRRUS **o TECHNOLOGY** Nothing to offer **O** OPERATIONS Avoid cold moist air **O** DESIGN Reduce economic impact of avoidance strategy INCENTIVES?? **O** ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE

QUESTIONS FOR GBD

OUKPRIORITIES? • RELATION TO EU PROGRAMMES? **O** TECHNOLOGY v DESIGN v OPS Relative potential? In what timescale? Is a change of mind set needed? What incentives would work? Is the atmospheric science solid enough to help focus design thinking?