Record Nr. UNINA9910138092603321 Competitive Interaction between Airports, Airlines and High-Speed Rail **Titolo** // Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Pubbl/distr/stampa Paris:,: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development,, 2009 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (20 pages) Collana Round table (Transport Research Centre) 385.22 Disciplina Soggetti High speed trains Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese Materiale a stampa **Formato** Livello bibliografico Monografia How should airports be regulated to contain market power? This round Sommario/riassunto table proceedings first examines whether they need to be regulated at all. It concludes that because regulation is inevitably imperfect and costly, policy makers should establish conditions for competition to emerge between airports in preference to comprehensive regulation, whenever possible. Economic regulation is sometimes necessary, such as when airports are heavily congested. The proceedings determines which approaches are likely to work best and also assesses strategies for managing greenhouse gas emissions. They find that although including aviation in an open emission trading scheme could help mitigate emissions efficiently across the economy, it should not be expected to produce major cuts in CO2-emissions in aviation itself. Finally they identify the economic conditions under which high-speed rail can provide a competitive substitute for aviation, revealing the limited relevance of rail to reducing greenhouse gas emissions from

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