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Southwest Airlines The 'LUV' airline

- Established in 1967
- Headquartered at Love Field in Dallas, Texas
- Herb Kelleher, CEO and co-founder
- Began with 3 Boeing 737 aircraft
- Competitors: Texas International, Braniff and Continental

The situtation in 1995

- By 1993, became the leader in passenger boarding
- Strategy: Low costs, low fares, frequent flights and keep the fares simple
- Emphasizes point-to-point routes with no central hub, and an average flight of 65 minutes. Avoids delays
- Maintains the same strategy and operating style



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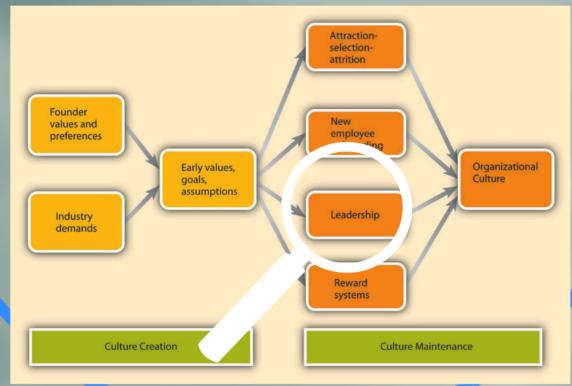
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Culture creation and management model



Herb Kelleher: Southwest CEO & Leader Thecasesolutions.com

- 12 march 1931
- Studied philosophy and literature. Worked as a laywer
- Co-founder and CEO of Southwest Airlines
- He's renowned for his love of bourbon
- His colourful personality helped creating and instauring a corporate structure in Southwest