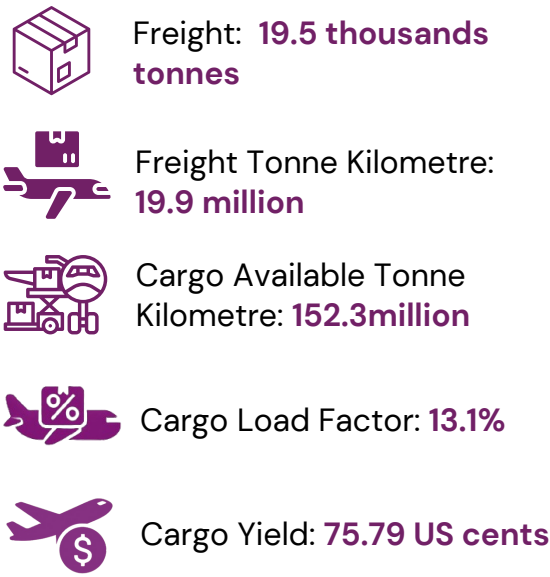


# PLURINATIONAL STATE OF BOLIVIA: AIR CARGO INDICATORS

Bolivia is a landlocked developing country (LLDC). In 2023 is ranked as at **83rd** in the category the ICAO Freight tonne-kilometres performed on scheduled services.

### AIRLINES AIR CARGO INDICATORS, 2023



Source: ICAO, Air Transport Reporting Forms, Form A and EF

### INTERESTING FACTS, 2023

- **94%** of international air freight to and from Bolivia was transported in the belly of narrow-body aircraft.
- The freight average distance flown was **1,016 km**.
- An average of **0.87** tonnes was carried per departure.
- **63%** of Bolivia's air cargo traffic is international.

Source: ICAO, Air Transport Reporting Forms, Form A

### MAIN AIR CARGO FLOWS TO/FROM BOLIVIA



San José de Chiquitos, also known as Capitán Germán Busch Airport, is located in San José de Chiquitos, in the department of Santa Cruz, eastern Bolivia.

It is part of the economic development corridor between Santa Cruz and the border with Brazil. The airport lies in the Chiquitania region, an area of great ecological, cultural, and historical significance.

Source: ICAO, Air Transport Reporting Forms, Form B

#### Freight



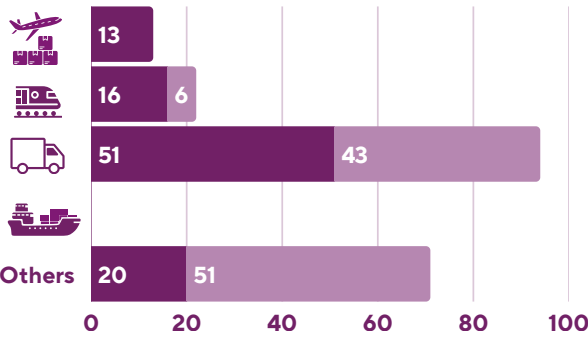
#### Mail



### EXPORTS, 2024

Value  
Volume

Even though the volume exported and transported by air represents only **0.3%**, in terms of the value of the goods transported, it accounts for **13%** of the total value of exports.

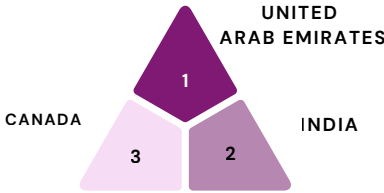


As shown, the top three exports from Bolivia transported by air are high-value goods. This trend may be attributed to the enhanced security and safety procedures that characterise air transport.

### MAIN EXPORTS BY AIR BY VALUE

- 01 Other forms of raw gold
- 02 Jewellery articles of other precious metals, including those plated or clad with precious metal (plaqué)
- 03 Silver (including gold-plated and platinum-plated silver), in raw alloyed form

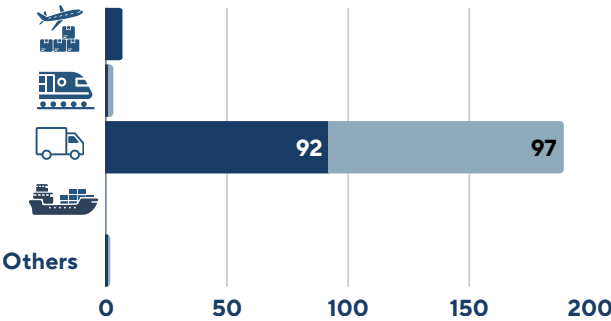
### MAIN EXPORTS PARTNERS BY VALUE



### IMPORTS, 2024

Value  
Volume

The volume imported and transported by air represents only **0.1%**, in terms of the value of the goods transported, it accounts for **7.0%** of the total value of imports.



As shown, the top three imports from Bolivia transported by air are strict-handling required goods. Medicines and vaccines stand out due to their vital role in public health and their high sensitivity — requiring rapid, reliable, and carefully controlled transport conditions that only air freight can provide.

Source: Instituto Nacional de Estadística. Estadísticas de Comercio Exterior Bases de Datos, exportaciones e importaciones. <https://www.ine.gob.bo/index.php/estadisticas-economicas/comercio-exterior/importaciones-bases-de-datos/>

### MAIN IMPORTS BY AIR BY VALUE

- 01 Other medicines for human use
- 02 Other parts of turbojets, turbopropellers and other gas turbines
- 03 Other vaccines for use in human medicine

### MAIN IMPORTS PARTNERS BY VALUE

