# TENZING HILLARY (LUKLA) AIRPORT



### **Brief Description**

Tenzing-Hillary (Lukla) Airport is situated at Khumbu Pasang Lamhu-2 Rural Municipality of Solukhumbu District, Koshi Province. It is the gateway to the Mount Everest, the world famous tourist destination. The airport is situated at Solukhumbu District of Sagarmatha Zone. Lukla airport is the busiest STOL airport and considered as the major airport for earning foreign currency. The airport is also located inside the buffer zone of Sagarmatha National Park.

#### **General Info:**

Name	TENZING HILLARY (LUKLA)
Location Indicator	VNLK
IATA Code	LUA
Aerodrome Reference Code	1B
Aerodrome Reference Point	274116 N/0864353 E
Province/District	Koshi/Solukhumbu

Distance and Direction from City	Amidst Lukla Bazaar		
Elevation	2846 m /9337 ft		
Contact	Off: 977-38550197		
	Tower: 977-38550044		
	Fax: 977-38550197		
	AFS: VNLKYDYX		
	E-mail: tenzinghillary_cao@caanepal.gov.np		
Operation Hours	16 <sup>th</sup> Feb to 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov	0600LT-1845LT	
	16 <sup>th</sup> Nov to 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb	0630LT-1800LT	
Status	In Operation		
Year of Start of Operation	September, 1971		
Serviceability	All Weather		
Land	Approx. 81509.17 m <sup>2</sup>		
Re-fueling Facility	Not Available		
Service	AFIS		
Type of Traffic Permitted	Visual Flight Rules (VFR)		
Type of Aircraft	D228, DHC6, L410, Y12		
Schedule Operating Airlines	Tara Air, Summit Air, Sita Air, Nepal Airlines		
Schedule Connectivity	Kathmandu, Ramechhap, Phaplu		
RFF	Available		

## Infrastructure Condition

#### Airside

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Runway	Type of Surface Bituminous Paved (Asphalt Concrete)	
	Runway Dimension	527 m x 20 m
	Runway Designation	06/24
Parking Capacity	4, D228 Type Aircraft	
Size of Apron	2800 sq.m.	
Apron Type	Asphalt Concrete	

## **Passenger Facilities**

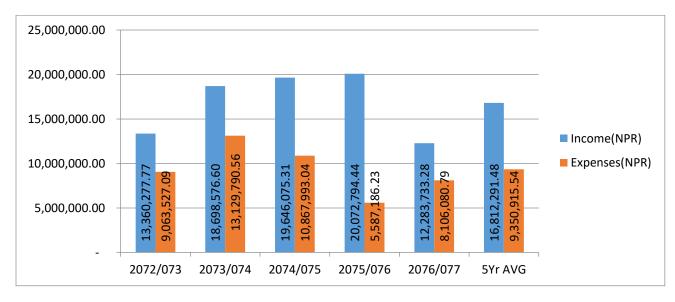
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Hotels	Yes	
Restaurants	Yes	
Banks/ATMs	Yes	
Internet Facility	Wi-Fi	
Cable TV	Yes	

## **Airport Facilities**

Console	One Man Position Tower Console with Associated Equipment and Accessories		
Communication, Navigation & Surveillance Systems			
	Communication	HF SSB, VHF, AMHS, Hotline	
	UHF Band Communication System	Yes	
Security and Facilitations			
	Hand Held/ Walk Through Metal Detector	Yes	
	CCTV Surveillance System	Yes	
Meteorological Services		Tower Observation	
Electro-Mechanical Facilities			
	Power Supply	Yes (Single Phase & Solar Supply)	
	Airfield Ground Lighting (AGL)	Yes	
	Stand -by-supply	Solar, Inverter, Generator	
Rescue and	Fire-fighting Services	Yes	

## Financial Overview (Income & Expenditure)

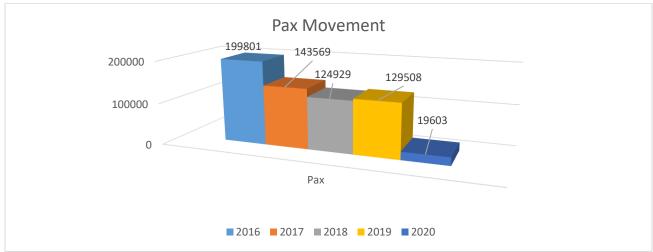
Fiscal Year	Income(NPR)	Expenses(NPR)
2072/073	13,360,277.77	9,063,527.09
2073/074	18,698,576.60	13,129,790.56
2074/075	19,646,075.31	10,867,993.04
2075/076	20,072,794.44	5,587,186.23
2076/077	12,283,733.28	8,106,080.79
5Yr AVG	16,812,291.48	9,350,915.54

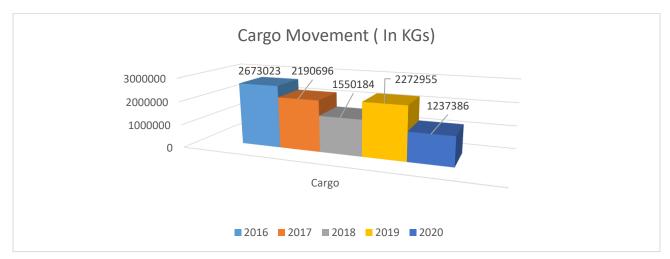


Note: Expenses do not include Staff Expenses and Expenses Directly incurred by Head Office.

## Tenzing Hillary Flight Movement Comparison 2016-2020







<sup>\*</sup> Data 2020 (upto November)