# TENZING HILLARY (LUKLA) AIRPORT



#### **Brief Description**

Tenzing-Hillary (Lukla) Airport is situated at Chaurikharka Municipality of Solukhumbu District, Province No. 1. 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
Aerodrome Reference Code	1'A' Type 3
Aerodrome Reference Point	27 41 16 N/086 43 53 E
Province/District	1(One)/Solukhumbu
Distance and Direction from City	Amidst Lukla Bazaar

Elevation	2846 m./9338 ft. (Ref. Topographical base map of Survey Dept.)	
Contact	Off: 977-38550197 Tower: 977-38550044 Fax: 977-38550197	
	AFS: VNLKYDYX	
	E-mail: tenzinghillary_cao@caanepal.org.np	
Operation Hours	Jan, Feb, Nov, Dec	0645LT-1800LT
	Mar, Apr, Sept, Oct	0615LT-1830LT
	May, Jun, July, Aug	0600LT-1845LT
Status	Operational	
Year of Start of Operation	September, 1971	
Serviceability	All Weather	
Land	Approx. 81509.93 m <sup>2</sup>	
Re-fueling Facility	Not Available	
Service	AFIS	
	Visual Flight Rules (VFR)	
Type of Aircraft	D228, DHC6, L410, Y12, C208	
RFF Category	Not Available	

#### **Infrastructure Condition**

### Airside

Runway	Type of Surface	Bituminous Paved (Asphalt Concrete)
	Runway Dimension	527 m x 20 m
	Runway Designation	06/24
Parking Capacity	Four Small Aircrafts	

## Passenger Facilities

Hotels	Yes (city area)
Restaurants	Yes
Transportations	No
Banks/ATMs	No
Internet Facility	Wi-Fi
Cable TV	Yes
Baggage Trolley	No

#### **Airport Facilities**

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Console	One Man Position Tower Console with Associated Equipment and Accessories		
Communication, Navigation & Surveillance Systems			
	Communication	HF SSB, VHF, AMHS	
	Navigation	None	

Security and Facilitations		
X-Ray	No	
Metal Detector	Hand Held	
CCTV Surveillance System	No	
UHF Band Communication System	No	
FIDS	No	
Meteorological Services	Yes [Tower Observation]	
Electro-Mechanical Facilities		
Supply Condition	Single Phase Supply without AGL	
PAPI/APAPI Light	APAPI	
Stand -by-supply	Solar/Invertor	
Air Conditioner	No	
Rescue and Fire Fighting Services	No	

Tenzing Hillary Flight Movement Comparison 2014-2016





