Operating revenues in transportation and storage activities increase by 4.8% in 2024

The total operating revenues of transportation and storage activities amounted to SAR 178 billion, recording a growth of 4.8% compared to the previous year. Total operating expenditures reached SAR 76.5 billion, reflecting an increase of 5.4%, while total compensation of employees amounted to SAR 32.3 billion, representing an increase of 7.2% from the previous year.

Operating revenues in 2024

According to the results, land transportation and pipeline transportation constituted the highest proportions of total operating revenues, at 36.0%, with approximately SAR 64.1 billion, followed by warehousing and support activities for transportation at 29.3% with around SAR 52.1 billion, then air transport, water transport, and postal and courier activities with contributions of 21.1% at about SAR 37.5 billion, 10.0% at about SAR 17.8 billion, and 3.6% at about SAR 6.4 billion, respectively.

Figure 1: Operating revenues by transportation and storage activities in 2024

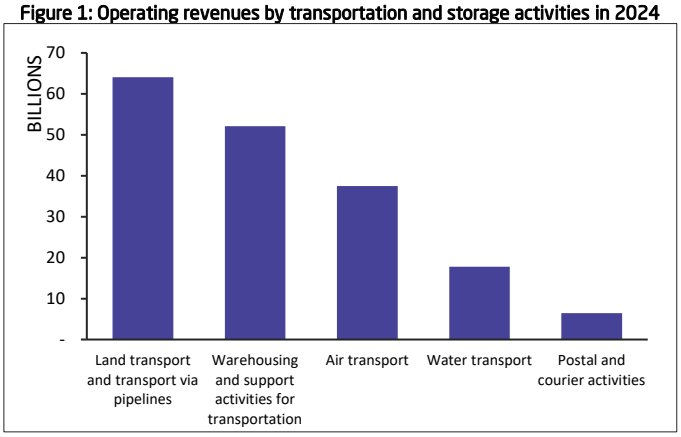
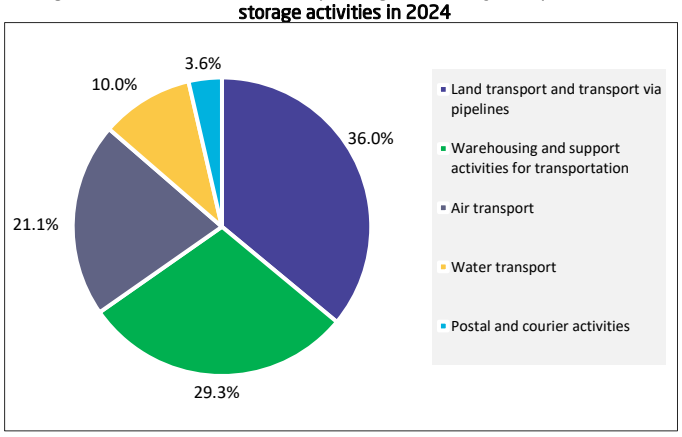


Figure 2: Relative distribution of operating revenues by transportation and storage activities in 2024



Operating expenditure in 2024

Warehousing and support activities for transportation constituted 28.1% of the total operating expenditure at around SAR 21.4 billion, followed by air transport activities at 26.2%, amounting to SAR 20 billion. The rest of the three activities, land transport and transport via pipelines, water transport and postal and courier activities, amounted to 25.8% approximating SAR 19.7 billion, 15.3% approximating SAR 11.7 billion, and finally 4.6%, amounting to SAR 3.5 billion, respectively.

Figure 3: Operating expenditures by transportation and storage activities in 2024

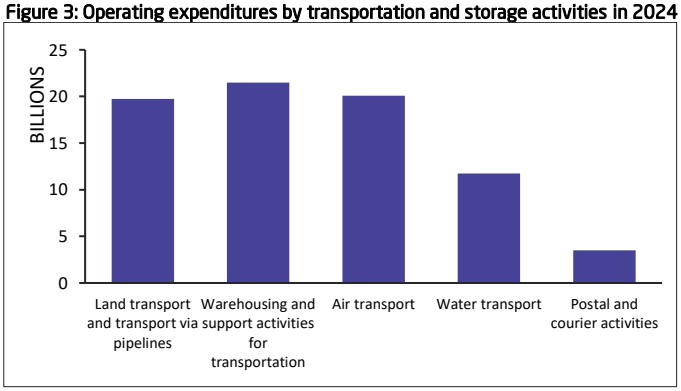
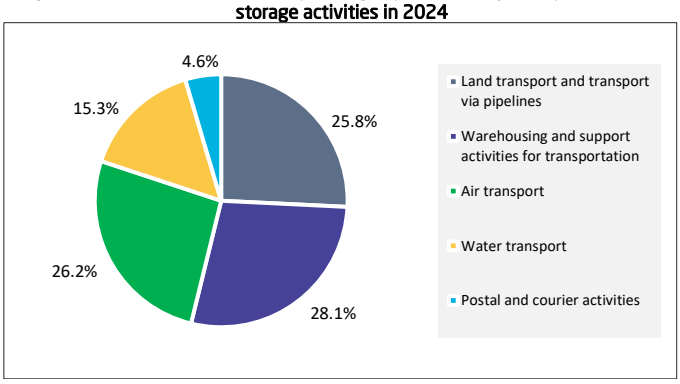


Figure 4: Relative distribution of operating expenditures by transportation and storage activities in 2024



Employee compensation in 2024

Both activities, land transport and transport via pipelines and warehousing and support had the highest compensation combined with approximately SAR 23.1 billion, constituting around 71.7% of total compensation, followed by air transport, water transport and postal and courier activities, which constituted the following percentages and amounts, respectively. 18.7% approximating SAR 6 billion, 5.4% approximating SAR 1.7 billion, and finally 4.3% approximating SAR 1.3 billion.

Figure 5: Employees' compensation by transportation and storage activities in 2024

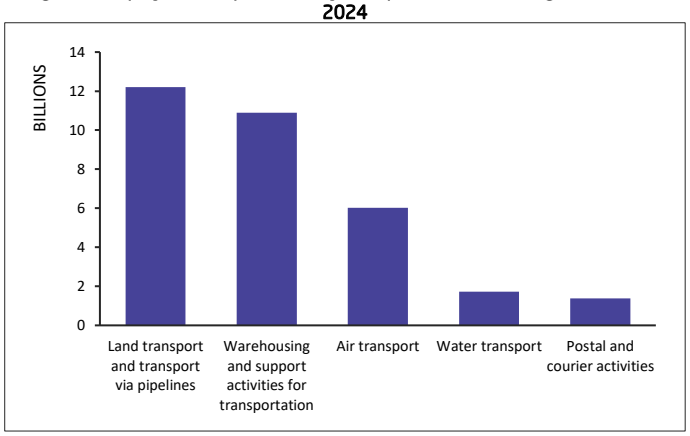
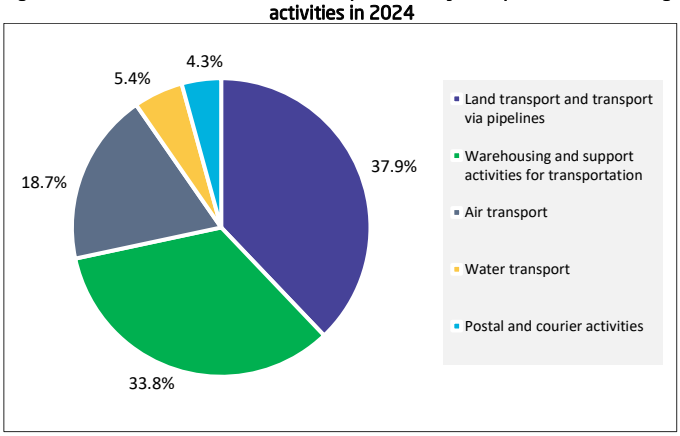


Figure 6: Relative distribution of total compensation by transportation and storage activities in 2024



Methodology and Quality

Transportation and storage statistics are among the most prominent economic statistics that provide comprehensive insights into the structure of this activity in the Kingdom. These statistics aim to provide indicators related to operating revenues, operating expenditures, and compensation of employees, in accordance with the International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities (ISIC4). Methodology and Quality Report , table