

## MAIN FIGURES OF TRANSPORTATION 2018

In 2018 the extent of freight transportation increased by 7,3 %, and passenger transportation decreased by 1,1 %. The freight transportation by rail increased by 7,9 %, transit flows by railway to/from Klaipeda Seaport increased by 14,5 %, and via Kaliningrad District increased by 15,6 %. The amount of goods transported by road reached 82,8 million tons, which is by 7,5 % more than in 2017.

Over the reported period the amount of incoming and outgoing passengers in Lithuanian international airports increased by 19,2 %. Now the amount reaches 6,25 million passengers. The amount of cargo and mail transported by air increased 23,3 %.

Extent of cargo handling at Klaipeda Seaport increased by 7,9 %, container handling (TEU) increased by 58,6 %, fertilizers – 4,1 %, oil products decreased – 11 %.

One of the main economic indices of transport activities is the provided balance in the first nine months of 2018, which showed that the export of transport services reached 4259 million EUR, import – 2253 million EUR. Lithuania has earned 2006 million EUR. Actually, transport sector makes 59 % of total Lithuanian export of services.

The contribution of transport and warehousing activities into the general national value added increased from 5,7 % (during the first nine months of 2018) to 3479 million EUR.

<b>Transport means</b>	<b>Units of measure</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Carriage of goods</b>	<b>thous/t</b>	136 632,3	146 540,7	7,3%
By railway	thous/t	52 638,2	56 775,7	7,9%
By road transport	thous/t	76 979,6	82 750,0	7,5%
By inland navigation transport	thous/t	1 076,5	1 070,0	-0,6%
By maritime transport	thous/t	5 937,6	5 945,0	0,1%
<b>Carriage of passengers</b>	<b>thousand</b>	385 917,8	380 163,0	-1,5%
By railway	thousand	4 654,7	5 168,8	11,0%
By road transport	thousand	378 103,0	371 506,0	-1,7%
from them: by trolleybuses	thousand	85 860,1	82 821,8	-3,5%
by buses	thousand	292 243,0	288 684,0	-1,2%
By inland navigation transport	thousand	1 999,3	2 343,1	17,2%
By maritime transport	thousand	348,4	308,6	-11,4%
By air transport	thousand	812,4	836,3	2,9%
<b>Arriving and departing passengers at the airports</b>	<b>thousand</b>	5 244,0	6 251,0	19,2%
<b>Handling of cargo in Klaipeda Seaport and Butinge Terminal</b>	<b>thous/t</b>	52 991,9	55 988,9	5,7%
<b>In Klaipeda Seaport</b>	<b>thous/t</b>	43 170,2	46 581,6	7,9%
Number of passengers in Klaipeda	thousand	369 743	375 768	1,6%

\*preliminary data