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Postal Services Data

(2024)

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METHODOLOGY

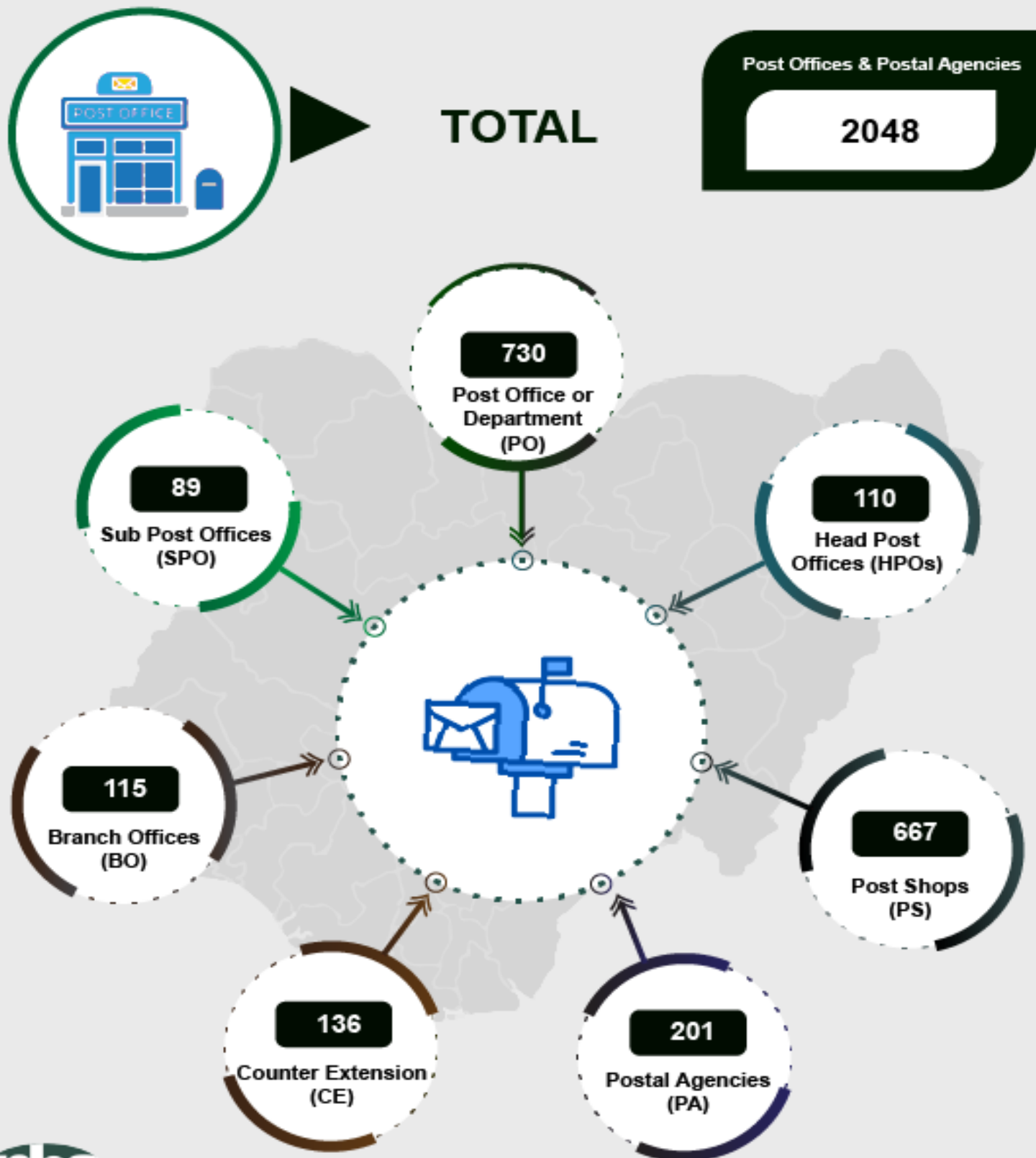
Data is provided by the Nigerian Postal Service (NIPOST) and reported by the National Bureau of Statistics.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- In 2024, total revenue generated from postal activities declined by 12.37%, from ₦3.48 billion in 2023 to ₦3.05 billion.
- The total number of Post Offices and Postal Agencies stood at 2,048 in 2024, representing a 9.02% decrease from 2,251 in 2023.
- The number of boxes installed increased from 775,854 in 2023 to 788,124 in 2024, reflecting a 1.58% growth.
- The total number of Private Mail Bags (PMBs) available remained unchanged in 2024 at 22,064 compared to the previous year.
- The volume of postal articles handled rose significantly from 15,829,601 in 2023 to 23,990,357 in 2024, representing a 51.55% increase.
- At the state level, Lagos state recorded the highest number of installed boxes in 2024, with 143,416 boxes, while Jigawa state had the lowest number, with 1,800 boxes installed.

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Number of Post Offices & Postal Agencies



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Number of Postal Articles Handled



TOTAL

23,990,357

**TOTAL MAIL HANDLED
DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL**



Domestic Mail Handled

14,721,028



Dispatched Abroad

515,110



**Mail Received from Abroad
and Delivered in Nigeria**

8,754,219

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COMPANY & BUS NAME FEE 325,503,333.00	TENDER FEE 2,903,288.00	BILL BOARD/ ADVERTISEMENT FEE 4,502,000.00	AGENCY FEES 25,255,953.38
ACQUISITION/ RENEWAL OF PRIVATE MAIL BAGS 18,855,301.90	ACQUISITION/ RENEWAL OF P.O.BOXES 126,584,360.50	INTERNATIONAL MAIL INCOME 374,180.00	BULKPOST & HYBRID MAILS 188,089,019.12
PARCEL ACCEPTANCE FEE 40,086,695.00	PARCEL CLEARANCE FEE 71,045,789.48	SPEEDPOST 237,489,383.30	EXPEDIATED MAIL SERVICE 780,367,293.94
ADDRESS VERIFICATION FEE 3,857,198.00	SUNDRY FINES- MISCELLANEOUS, PENALTIES, SUBCHARGES 1,520,835.71	SALES OF JOURNALS/ PUBLICATIONS 266,950.11	SALES OF P. O. ID CARD 529,807.00
SALES OF STORE- NON REFUNDABLE BAG DEPOSIT 1,574,318.00	SALES OF STORE- CARTONS (CONVENTIONAL) 2,295,800.00	SALE OF STORE- EMS PACKING/ WRAPPERS 2,370,949.39	PROCEED FROM SALES OF GOODS BY PUBLIC AUCTION 38,662,940.00
STAMP SALES ON RECEIPT & DOCUMENTATION 443,326,441.33	PHILATELY 6,900,922.00	SALE OF POSTAGE STAMP/ TAXED ITEMS 146,379,420.00	STAMPS SOLD TO POSTSHOP/ POSTAL AGENCIES 66,796,350.00
NIPOST SHARE OF STAMP DUTY 49,200.00	SMALL PACKETS FEE 1,983,745.00	SPECIAL POSTAL DELIVERY SERVICE FEE 12,565,381.00	EARNINGS FROM USE OF GOVT VEHICLES-CARGO/ HAULAGE 67,474,013.88

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EARNINGS FROM
COMMERCIAL
ACTIVITIES-WORKSHOP

2,525,917.50

EARNINGS FROM
COMMERCIAL ACTIVITIES
-TUITION, EXAM FEES

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EARNINGS FROM
FINANCIAL SERVICES -
DOMESTIC/INT.MONEY
TRANSFER FEE

3,297,886.21

EARNINGS FROM
FINANCIAL SERVICES-
AGENCY BANKING FEE/
E-GOV. SERVICES

1,212,193.45

RENT/LEASE
ON
FED.GOV'T BUILDINGS

404,424,169.51

OTHER INVESTMENT
INCOME

11,400,175.00

MOTOR VEHICLE
ADVANCES (INTEREST)

305,060.00

BANK INTEREST R
ECIEVABLE

317,261.50

RECOVERIES

781,528.25

GAINS ON FOREIGN
EXCHANGE/ ARBITRAGE

128,390.00

E-REGISTRATION/
TECH.FEE

9,692,022.48

TOTAL

3,051,695,472.94

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