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COMPANY PROFILE

Air China is the exclusive national flag carrier of China. In addition to its commercial operations, it also provides special flight services for China's state leaders on official visits to other countries. It is the only Chinese carrier given the privilege of having the image of China's national flag painted on the fuselage of its fleet.

Its enterprise logo is a stylized rendering of a phoenix, an auspicious mythical creature. It is also an artistic rendering of the word "VIP." No less than China's revered former leader, the late Deng Xiaoping, wrote the Chinese version of the airline's company name.

Air China holds the controlling interests in Air Macau, Shenzhen Airlines, Shandong Airlines, Dalian Airlines, Tibet Airlines, Air China Inner Mongolia Limited, Beijing Airlines and 29.9% of Cathay Pacific Airways, making it the airline's largest shareholder after the Swire Group.

It offers unrivaled connections to cities within China and beyond. Together with its holding companies, Air China owns and operates more than 540 Boeing and Airbus aircraft with an average age of 6.08 years. Its robust network of 322 passenger routes extends throughout Asia, the Middle East, Europe, Oceania, South and North America. As a Star Alliance member, Air China's service network further expands to 1,356 destinations in 193 countries.

Air China offers nonstop flights to Beijing from its nine gateways in North America: Los Angeles (three times daily), New York, New Jersey, San Francisco, Houston, Honolulu, Washington Dulles, Vancouver and Montreal with a Havana, Cuba extension. It's the only international carrier with nonstop services between Los Angeles, Houston, New York and Beijing.

On Sept. 2016, it will launch its three times weekly nonstop service between Silicon Valley (San Jose, California) and Shanghai.

Air China is an important cultural and socio-economic bridge between China and the United States. It is an active supporter of cultural exhibitions and organizations that promote deeper understanding and appreciation of the arts and antiquities of China.

It continues its mutually beneficial investments in the Americas with new nonstop services, product upgrades and increase in flight frequencies.

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