For the airport serving Río Branco, Uruguay, see Río Branco Airport.  
Rio Branco-Plácido de Castro International Airport (IATA: RBR, ICAO: SBRB) is the airport serving Rio Branco, Brazil. Since April 13, 2009 the airport is named after José Plácido de Castro (1873–1908) a politician leader of the Acrean Revolution.[4]  
It is operated by Infraero and Vinci SA.  
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History[edit]  
The airport was commissioned on November 22, 1999 as a replacement to Presidente Médici International Airport, which was then closed.  
Previously operated by Infraero, on April 7, 2021 Vinci SA won a 30-year concession to operate the airport.[5]  
Airlines and destinations[edit]  
Airlines Destinations  
Gol Transportes Aéreos Brasília, Cruzeiro do Sul, Manaus  
LATAM Brasil Brasília, São Paulo–Guarulhos  
Rio Branco Aerotaxia Charter: Feijó, Tarauacá  
a.^ Air taxi company operating systematic flights.  
Accidents and incidents[edit]  
30 August 2002: a Rico Linhas Aéreas Embraer EMB 120ER Brasília registration PT-WRQ, operating flight 4823 en route from Tarauacá to Rio Branco crashed on approach to Rio Branco during a rainstorm, 1.5 km short of the runway. Of the 31 passengers and crew aboard, 23 died.[6]  
Access[edit]  
The airport is located 25 km (16 mi) from downtown Rio Branco.  
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