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NOVOAIR takes Gold for Best On-Time Performance (Domestic)

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Dhaka: NOVOAIR was awarded the Gold in the Best On-Time Performance (Domestic) category at the ShareTrip-Monitor Airline of the Year Awards 2024, in recognition of its consistent punctuality and operational discipline across Bangladesh's domestic aviation sector.

US-Bangla Airlines received the Silver, while Air Astra, the country's newest scheduled carrier, secured the Bronze, reflecting a competitive field among local airlines prioritizing reliability for time-sensitive travelers.

Gold winner NOVOAIR has earned a strong reputation for operational consistency and flight punctuality. Its focused domestic network and well-maintained fleet contribute to its excellent on-time track record. Highlights include: highest on-time departure rate among Bangladeshi carriers in 2024; efficient turnaround time and rigorous maintenance

scheduling; timely communication with passengers regarding any delays; and strong presence on high-traffic routes such as Dhaka-Cox's Bazar and Dhaka-Chattogram. For business travelers and frequent flyers in Bangladesh, NOVOAIR remains a trusted name for reliability and time-sensitive travel.



US-Bangla representative receiving Silver trophy

Silver winner US-Bangla Airlines has maintained a solid performance record despite operating one of the most extensive domestic and regional networks. Key strengths include: advanced dispatch and scheduling systems to reduce turnaround delays; a well-coordinated ground team and proactive weather management; high-frequency operations on major routes like Dhaka-Saidpur, Sylhet, and Barishal; and continued investments in flight data monitoring and crew efficiency. US-Bangla's focus on maintaining reliability amid rapid expansion

earned it the Silver distinction.



Air Astra official receiving Bronze trophy

As the newest entrant in Bangladesh's skies, Bronze winner Air Astra has quickly gained attention for its modern fleet and focused performance. While still scaling operations, the airline has already shown: a disciplined approach to schedule adherence on its initial network; a growing reputation for prompt departures and arrivals; and lean operational practices allowing flexibility during disruptions.