FEDEX AVIATION HISTORY

STARTED WITH
14 Dassault Cargo Falcons, 186 packages, and 25 U.S. cities

WENDY
First-named FedEx plane, christened after FedEx founder Fred Smith’s daughter

NOW flies an estimated 673 planes out of
375 GLOBAL AIRPORTS
and transports more than 4 million packages a day

22.6 MILLION PACKAGES shipped by FedEx on Dec. 15, 2014, the busiest day of the year

FIRST OVERNIGHT LETTER delivered in 1981

BOEING 777 — PRIDE OF THE FLEET

103 TONS
Maximum carrying load of the 777 Freighter — about the weight of 19 elephants

777’S 71 METERS WINGSPAN
Nearly 4 times longer than that of the original FedEx plane, the Dassault Cargo Falcon

777’s ENGINE has a diameter of 343 cm, nearly as wide as
2 COMPACT CARS

ONE 777 ENGINE puts out 110,000 horsepower, more than twice that of all the engines
ON THE TITANIC

3 MILLION PARTS from more than 500 suppliers

SPECIAL SHIPMENTS

MD-10 CARGO AIRCRAFT, donated by FedEx, is the newest Orbis Flying Eye Hospital

70,000 largest number of sea turtle eggs moved for rescue

12 PANDAS TRANSPORTED around the globe by FedEx

89,000 TONS of supplies delivered to Nepal by FedEx charter planes for earthquake relief

AVIATION INDUSTRY

4.26 MILLION TONS of cargo moved in 2014 from the world’s second-busiest airport in Memphis

4.41 MILLION TONS of cargo moved in 2014 from the world’s busiest airport in Hong Kong

37 METERS Length of the first flight — a shorter distance than the cabin of many current jetliners