

CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 : WEST AFRICA SHIPPING & LOGISTICS OPERATIONAL UPDATE

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Country	Country Status - lockdown / or curfew	Are Port operations continuing for cargo ships?	Is crew change possible?	Are road borders open for cargo?	Are cargo flights operating	
Benin	No lockdown.	Yes	YES - please check the Benin page for conditions	Yes - all borders are open for passengers and cargo transport.	Yes - please contact OMA office for details	08/10/2021
Burkina Faso	No Lockdown. Airports open.			Yes - all borders are open for cargo transport only.	Yes - please contact OMA office for details	08/10/2021
Côte d'Ivoire	No lockdown. International flights have resumed.	Port operations are continuing for cargo ships	YES - following certain rules, please see the Cote D'Ivoire page for details. All Travellers must take Covid PCR test - please see the CI page for details.	Maritime & Shore borders still closed for passengers.	Yes - please contact OMA office for details	30/09/2021
Ghana	No lockdown. Normal professional and commercial activity continues. Airport open.	Both Tema & Takoradi Ports are currently operating.	Yes - subject to new protocols from Sept 1st	All the borders (CI, TG, BF) are open for all types of commodities, but no movement of people is allowed.	Cargo flights are operating	21/09/2021
Senegal	No Lockdown. Air borders open.	The port is currently operational 24/7. Vessels are inspected on arrival and if no Covid-19 cases detected, they can proceed to berth.	YES subject to travel bans and Covid-19 testing. Please contact the office for details.	Yes - all borders are open for passengers and cargo transport.	Yes - please contact OMA office for details	21/09/2021
Togo	No Lockdown. Air borders open.	The port is operating 24/7. Please check Togo page for further info.	YES. Subject to testing and quarantine procedures via www.voyage.gouv.tg - please see Togo page for details.	Coastal borders and hinterland borders are open for cargo but closed for travellers	Yes - please contact OMA office for details	08/10/2021
Gambia	No Lockdown, new restrictions for travellers from 4th January.	Banjul Port Is still operational 24/7	Crewchange is now available	Road borders are now official open in the Gambia	Yes	08/10/2021
Mauritania	No lockdown, no curfew	Nouakchott port is operational	Yes Please check the Mauritania page to see the process.	Land borders with Senegal & Mali are open. Airport is open for worldwide cargo & commercials flights.	Yes - please contact OMA office for details	08/10/2021

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