

**OBJECTIVE / OBJECTIF**

This document provides a situational update on airport status and Customs entry points during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Ce document fait le point sur le statut des aéroports et des points d'entrée des douanes pendant la pandémie de COVID-19.

NUMBER OF COVID-19 CASES AT THE GHRP'S DATE / NOMBRE DE CAS DE COVID-19 A LA DATE DU GHRP

113

NUMBER OF COVID-19 CASES ON 4 JUNE 2020 / NOMBRE DE CAS DE COVID-19 LE 4 JUIN 2020

25,411**COUNTRY BRIEF / COMPTE RENDU**

Ukraine was included in the United Nations' 2020 COVID-19 Global Humanitarian Response Plan (GHRP). The Humanitarian Response Plan for Ukraine took note of the situation in Eastern Ukraine:

"A COVID-19 outbreak in eastern Ukraine could be of considerable scale; the risk is high due to (i) a large older people population; (ii) large and regular population movements across the "contact line"; and (iii) the deterioration of the health-care system."

The government of Ukraine has begun the gradual easing of certain quarantine measures under an "adaptive quarantine" plan. In most regions, the following services and institutions are now open: public transportation, hotels, certain restaurants, church services, and many other areas. Inter-regional transportation, including some passenger rail travel, restaurants, coffee shops and cultural institutions will re-open on 10 June 2020. Masks must be worn in public places at all times.

AIRPORT STATUS / STATUT DES AEROPORTS**1. Airport / Flight restrictions** (updated 2 June 2020)

According to an update published to ICAO on 22 May 2020, commercial passenger arrival and departure flights are banned. This does not apply to:

- Representatives of official international missions and diplomatic missions and their families;
- Members of train, locomotive, aircraft and sea crews;
- Spouses or children of Ukrainian citizens;
- Foreigners with valid residency permits.

International and domestic air travel are due to be resumed on 15 June 2020 according to a WFP update on 2 June.

2. Passengers / Quarantine (updated 2 June 2020)

According to a WFP update on 2 June 2020, travellers arriving from locations deemed 'high risk' will be subject to medical checks upon arrival. People returning to Ukraine are required to undergo a mandatory observation period of 14 days; either a 14-day home isolation or quarantine at a designated facility, with police and doctors to monitor compliance.

IMPORTATION AND CUSTOMS / IMPORTATION ET DOUANES**3. Customs, land, sea** (updated 2 June 2020)**At Sea ports:**

According to an update from Wilhelmsen on 25 May 2020, on vessels with a previous port call at 'COVID -19 high risk countries':

- Checks are implemented by sanitary authorities;
- All visitors from the shore boarding vessels must use disposable masks, gloves and shoes covers while on board;
- Removal of ship waste will only be possible after preliminary disinfection treatment;



- Crew change and shore leave are not permitted;
- All visitors are prohibited from boarding vessels, except for port authorities, agent, and stevedores, until 22 June 2020.

According to an update from Agility:

- Port operations are operating as normally, 100% depot capacity is resumed;
- Container availability is normal, there are no shortages.

Land ports:

According to a WFP update on 2 June 2020:

- All Ukrainian border crossing points are closed for rail and bus traffic;
- The Shehyni checkpoint on the Ukraine-Poland border has reopened for pedestrian crossing for Ukrainian citizens and residents;
- 123 land border crossings remain open for the return of Ukrainian citizens, and for foreign nationals exiting the country.

According to a Logistics Cluster update on 15 May 2020, cargo truck drivers will be temperature-checked and asked to wear protective gear.

According to an update from Agility:

- Road networks are operating as normal within city limits;
- There is normal cargo movement between cities.

Air ports:

According to an update from Agility:

- Terminals are operating normally for cargo, only passenger flights are impacted;
- Freighters are flying as normal.

4. Customs, importation procedure: (updated 15 May 2020)

Export procedures:

A decree issued by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (No. 214) dated 11 March 2020 forbid the exportation of various items. The list is as follows:

- Insulated waterproof laboratory suits;
- Disposable (single use) medical insulative overalls;
- Gloves of other polymer material;
- Nitrile medical gloves, non-sterile, non-starch;
- Nitrile non-powdered gloves;
- Medical and surgical face masks;
- Safety glasses;
- Full face visors;
- Respirators with a protection rate of not less than FFP2;
- Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80% or higher;
- Ethyl alcohol and other spirits, except for bioethanol, distilled beverages, denatured, of any strength, and similar.



- HS codes: 3926.20.00; 6210.10.92; 6210.10.98; 4015.11.00; 4015.19.00; 6307.90.98; 9004.90.10; 9004.90.90; 9020.00.00; 2207.

The full list can be found in the ‘*Useful Links*’ section below, in Ukrainian.

Importation procedures:

A resolution issued by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (No. 224) dated 20 March 2020 relates to importation regulations. It contained a list of various items relating to the fight against COVID-19 that are free from import duties and VAT upon importation into Ukraine. It is divided into the following sections:

- Drugs;
- Disinfectants, antiseptics and disinfection equipment;
- Medical devices, medical equipment and other goods.

It refers to the following HS chapters: 22; 28; 29; 30; 34; 38; 39; 40; 42; 48; 61; 62; 63; 65; 70; 84; 85; 90; 94.

The full list can be found in the ‘*Useful Links*’ section below, in Ukrainian.

According to an update from Agility, Customs are operating as normal.

5. Annex J-5 of the Revised Kyoto Convention: Ratified 15 June 2011.

6. Annex B.9 of the Istanbul Convention: Ratified 22 June 2004.

7. ASYCUDA user: No.

8. ASYREC user: No.

USEFUL LINKS / LIENS UTILES

CIQP Bulletins for other countries are available [here](#).

Country-specific:

Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine, [Decree No. 214 \(11 March 2020\) \(Ukrainian\)](#)

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General:

Agility, [Global Shipping Updates: COVID-19](#)

International Air Transport Association (IATA), [Coronavirus Outbreak – Update](#)

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International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), [COVID-19 airport status](#)

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United Nations, [*Global Humanitarian Response Plan: COVID-19 – May Update*](#)

United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, [*Observatory on Border Crossings Status due to COVID-19*](#)

Wilhemnsen, [*COVID-19 Global Port Restrictions Map*](#)

World Customs Organization, [*HS classification reference list for COVID-19 medical supplies \(2nd edition\)*](#)

World Customs Organization, [*COVID-19 – WCO Updates*](#)

World Customs Organization, [*List of national legislation of countries that adopted temporary export restrictions on certain categories of critical medical supplies in response to COVID-19*](#)

World Customs Organization, [*List of national legislation of countries that adopted temporary import support \(lowering or waiving of direct and indirect duties and taxes\) on certain categories of critical medical supplies in response to COVID-19*](#)

World Health Organization, [*Coronavirus disease \(COVID-2019\) situation reports*](#)

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