

Global Travel Restrictions during COVID-19 Outbreak

I. Entry Restrictions and Compulsory Quarantine for Persons Arriving in Hong Kong

Specified conditions imposed on inbound travellers who have visited specified places				
Vaccination	Boarding requirements	Compulsory quarantine at designated places	Self-monitoring after completion of compulsory quarantine	Virus testing
Group A1 specified places (Extremely high-risk): Brazil, India, Nepal, Pakistan, the Philippines, South Africa, Indonesia and the United Kingdom				
Persons applicable: Hong Kong residents who have stayed in the above places during the relevant period (the day of boarding for/arrival at Hong Kong or during the 21 days before that day)				
Whether completed or not	- Have not stayed in the relevant specified places for more than 2 hours during the relevant period - Negative result proof of a PCR-based nucleic acid test for COVID-19 - Confirmation of room reservation for 21 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	21 days	7 days	4 tests during compulsory quarantine & 26th day
Group A2 specified place (Very high-risk): Ireland and Russia				
Persons applicable: Hong Kong residents who have stayed in the above place during the relevant period (the day of boarding for/arrival at Hong Kong or during the 21 days before that day)				
Whether completed or not	- Negative result proof of a PCR-based nucleic acid test for COVID-19 - Confirmation of room reservation for 21 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	21 days	7 days	4 tests during compulsory quarantine & 26th day
Group B specified places (High-risk): Argentina, Bangladesh, Belgium, Cambodia, Canada, Colombia, Ecuador, Egypt, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Korea, Malaysia, the Netherlands, Romania, Singapore, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Arab Emirates, the United States of America and Vietnam				
Persons applicable: Hong Kong residents who have stayed in the above places during the relevant period (the day of boarding for/arrival at Hong Kong or during the 14 days before that day)				
Not Completed	- Negative result proof of a PCR-based nucleic acid test for COVID-19 - Confirmation of room reservation for 21 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	21 days	N/A	4 tests during compulsory quarantine
Completed	- Vaccination record - Negative result proof of a PCR-based nucleic acid test for COVID-19 - Confirmation of room reservation for 14 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	14 days	7 days	3 tests during compulsory quarantine; 16th & 19th day
Completed (positive antibody test)	- Vaccination record - Positive result proof of a recognised serology antibody test conducted in HK within the past three months	7 days	7 days	2 tests during compulsory quarantine;

	- Negative nucleic acid test result during “test-and-hold” upon arrival - Confirmation of room reservation for 7 nights in a designated quarantine hotel			12th, 16th & 19th day
Group C specified places (Medium-risk): All places except China (the Mainland, Macao and Taiwan) which are not Group A1, Group A2, Group B or Group D specified places Persons applicable: Hong Kong residents who have stayed in the above places during the relevant period (the day of boarding for/arrival at Hong Kong or during the 14 days before that day)				
Not Completed	- Confirmation of room reservation for 21 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	21 days	N/A	4 tests during compulsory quarantine
Completed	- Vaccination record - Confirmation of room reservation for 14 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	14 days	7 days	3 tests during compulsory quarantine; 16th & 19th day
Completed (positive antibody test)	- Vaccination record - Positive result proof of a recognised serology antibody test conducted in HK within the past three months - Negative nucleic acid test result during “test-and-hold” upon arrival - Confirmation of room reservation for 7 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	7 days	7 days	2 tests during compulsory quarantine; 12th, 16th & 19th day
Group D specified places (Low-risk): Australia, New Zealand, Mainland China or Macao Persons applicable: Hong Kong residents and non-Hong Kong residents* who have only stayed in the above places, Mainland China or Macao during the relevant period (the day of boarding for/arrival at Hong Kong or during the 14 days before that day)				
(*Non-Hong Kong residents will be allowed entry to Hong Kong if they have only stayed in any Group D specified places, Mainland China or Macao on the day of arrival at Hong Kong and during the 14 days before that day. However, they will be subject to the respective boarding and quarantine requirements applicable to Groups A1, A2, B or C specified places if they have stayed in those specified places during the relevant period.)				
Not Completed	- Confirmation of room reservation for 14 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	14 days	7 days	3 tests during compulsory quarantine; 16th & 19th day
Completed	- Vaccination record - Confirmation of room reservation for 7 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	7 days	7 days	2 tests during compulsory quarantine & 12th day
Taiwan Persons applicable: Hong Kong residents who have stayed in Taiwan and have not stayed in Group A1 or Group A2 specified place(s), on the day of boarding or during the 14 days before that day.				
Not	- Negative result proof of a PCR-based nucleic	21 days	N/A	4 tests

Completed	acid test for COVID-19 - Confirmation of room reservation for 21 nights in a designated quarantine hotel			during compulsory quarantine
Completed	- Vaccination record - Negative result proof of a PCR-based nucleic acid test for COVID-19 - Confirmation of room reservation for 14 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	14 days	7 days	3 tests during compulsory quarantine; 16th & 19th day
Completed (positive antibody test)	- Vaccination record - Positive result proof of a recognised serology antibody test conducted in HK within the past three months - Negative nucleic acid test result during “test-and-hold” upon arrival - Confirmation of room reservation for 7 nights in a designated quarantine hotel	7 days	7 days	2 tests during compulsory quarantine; 12th, 16th & 19th day

- Details about the specified conditions imposed on inbound travellers who have visited specified places can be found at: <https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/high-risk-places.html>
- Details about Serology Antibody Test can be found: <https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/inbound-travel.html#SerologyAntibodyTest>
- Details about exemption under the “Compulsory Quarantine of Certain Persons Arriving at Hong Kong Regulation” can be found here: https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/599C-quarantine_exemption.html
- Who is not affected by above rule: A person in transit in Hong Kong or a person exempted from compulsory quarantine under gazetted specifications.
- **Air transit/transfer services at Hong Kong International Airport (HKIA):** Passengers can use HKIA for transit/transfer on flights operated by different airlines with the same air ticket, provided they have checked through at the port of origin, with boarding passes printed and baggage tagged through to final destination.
- **Transfer/transit services** for passengers from airports in Mainland China resumed on August 15, 2020 until further notice. Transfer/transit services to destinations in Mainland China remain unavailable at HKIA. Layover time of transfer/transit passengers at HKIA must be within 24 hours.
- The Governments of the HKSAR and Singapore are keeping the developments of the COVID-19 epidemic situation under review to decide on the way forward for the Hong Kong-Singapore Air Travel Bubble (ATB). Both sides agreed that a review of the way forward could be conducted in late August, taking into account the effectiveness of the enhanced infection control measures implemented by Singapore and the global situation at that time. For details, please refer to the designated website: www.tourism.gov.hk/travelbubble.
- The following passenger flights are prohibited from landing in Hong Kong under the Prevention and Control of Disease (Regulation of Cross-boundary Conveyances and Travellers) Regulation (Cap. 599H):
 - all passenger flights from India, Pakistan, the Philippines, Nepal, Indonesia and the United Kingdom

- from Frankfurt operated by Lufthansa German Airlines from July 16 to 29, 2021
- from Doha operated by Qatar Airways from July 20 to August 2, 2021
- Under the Return2hk Travel Scheme, **Hong Kong residents** who, upon fulfilment of certain conditions, including not having been to places other than Hong Kong, the Mainland or Macao in the past 14 days prior to and upon the day of arrival in Hong Kong, and any area being classified as at-risk places that are temporarily inapplicable and that is included in a list published by the Department of Health on the Return2hk Scheme thematic website, could be exempted from the 14-day compulsory quarantine requirement when they return to Hong Kong. A proof of a valid negative COVID-19 (RT-PCR) test conducted within 3 days is required. A quota arrangement is in place to control the number of cross-boundary travellers. More details can be found here:
<https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/return2hk-scheme.html>
- **All inbound travellers** who are subject to compulsory quarantine specified above should not have any symptoms and should pass temperature checks upon entry. Travellers with symptoms will be referred to the Department of Health (DH) for further handling. Arrivals holding a **visa with insufficient validity period** will be denied entry to Hong Kong.
- **Inbound travellers arriving at HKIA** will proceed to the Temporary Specimen Collection Centre (TSCC) in the restricted area of airport for COVID-19 testing. They will remain at the centre for test results. If their test results are negative, they will be allowed to proceed with immigration procedures and reclaim baggage, and go to a designated place immediately to continue completion of the compulsory quarantine. To minimise the contact between travellers and the community, the Government will provide designated point-to-point transportation at the Airport to convey travellers to the designated quarantine hotels. Confirmed cases and their close contacts will respectively be arranged for admission to hospital and sent to designated quarantine centres direct.
- The testing and self-isolation arrangement for **air crew, sea crew and other exempted persons** can be found on <https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/exempted-persons-faq.html>

More information and updates on latest developments about COVID-19 in Hong Kong can be found on www.coronavirus.gov.hk

II. Restrictions on Entering Mainland China

- Since September 28, 2020, **foreign nationals holding valid Chinese residence permits for work, personal matters and reunion** are allowed to enter China with no need for applying for new visas. If the above three categories of residence permits held by foreign nationals expired after March 28, 2020, the holders may apply for relevant visas by presenting the expired residence permits and relevant materials to the Chinese embassies or consulates on the condition that the purpose of the holders' visit to China remains unchanged. The above-mentioned personnel shall strictly abide by the Chinese regulations on epidemic prevention and control.
- From March 15, 2021, the Office of the Commissioner of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of China in the HKSAR will provide **facilitation for visa applicants who have been inoculated with COVID-19 vaccines produced in China** and obtained the vaccination certificate. Details can be found on <http://www.fmcoprc.gov.hk/eng/vtc/t1860509.htm>.
- The Chinese Embassy in the United States issued a notice on the testing requirements for China-Bound passengers departing from Dallas after inoculated with COVID-19 vaccines in April 2021. For details: <http://www.china-embassy.org/eng/visas/zyxx/t1870474.htm>.

- On March 26, 2020, the Civil Aviation Administration of China announced that **every Chinese airline** is allowed to maintain only one route to any specific country, with only one flight per week. **Selected foreign airlines** are allowed to maintain one route to China with no more than one weekly flight. Since June 8, 2020, **all foreign airlines** are allowed to choose from a list of approved cities to operate one international passenger flight a week. On December 24, 2020, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs announced that China will suspend direct flights **to and from the United Kingdom**.
- On July 21, 2020, the Civil Aviation Administration of China, General Administration of Customs and Ministry of Foreign Affairs announced that **all airport arrivals from overseas** are required to undergo nucleic acid tests up to five days before departure at health centres designated or recognised by Chinese embassies overseas. Chinese embassies will evaluate the nucleic acid testing capacities of the countries in which they are located.
- From March 15, 2021, all **persons travelling from Hong Kong to Beijing** by direct flights are required to present a valid proof of a negative COVID-19 nucleic acid test result issued within seven days by a testing institutions recognised by the HKSAR Government. Travellers will not be allowed to board the plane if the specimen collection method is not nasopharyngeal swab or combined nasal and throat swab, or the method of specimen collection is not specified in the proof. For details: <https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/202103/09/P2021030900275.htm>
- **Guangdong** requires all inbound travellers (including travellers from Hong Kong, Macao, and Taiwan, and transit passengers), regardless of onward destination, to take COVID-19 nucleic acid tests and undergo 14-day quarantine at designated facilities. Travellers from Hong Kong are required to undergo health monitoring for another 7 days after quarantine.
- Travellers must present a valid proof of a negative COVID-19 nucleic acid test result within 24 hours issued by one of the testing institutions recognised by the Guangdong and HKSAR Government when travelling to Guangdong. People without acceptable proof will be refused entry to Guangdong. If they have to re-enter Hong Kong after being barred from the Mainland, they will be subject to compulsory quarantine of 14 days.
- From January 5, 2021, save for persons who are exempted from quarantine arrangement for performing essential official and business duties and cross-boundary goods vehicle drivers who would continue to be subject to the prevailing arrangements applicable to them, **all other persons who are entering Shenzhen via the Shenzhen Bay Port** are required to present a valid proof of a negative COVID-19 nucleic acid test result issued within 24 hours by one of the testing institutions recognised by the Guangdong and the HKSAR Government, as well as a hotel reservation confirmation for the 14-day period of centralised quarantine and medical surveillance after their entry into Shenzhen. For details: <https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/202012/29/P2020122900798.htm>
- From April 23, 2021, **cross-boundary goods vehicle drivers who have received two vaccine doses** for 14 days, and received a message in the mini-program of WeChat on the system of the Yuekang Code (粵康碼) at the Yueshengshi (粵省事) issued by Guangdong Province, are only required to possess proof of a negative result of a nucleic acid test conducted within 72 hours when entering Shenzhen and Zhuhai. They are not required to undergo a nucleic acid test once every day. For details: <https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/202104/16/P2021041600679.htm>
https://ka.sz.gov.cn/xxgk/qt/tzgg/content/post_8701452.html (Chinese only)

III. Travel Restrictions on Mainland China and Hong Kong by Other Places

Country/ Region	Confirmed Cases	Travel Ban/Restriction/Advisory	Flight/Cruise Suspension
Afghanistan	145008		
Albania	132891	[Jun 15, 2020] Reopens all maritime and air borders.	[Jun 15, 2020] Commercial flights resume.
Algeria	163660	[Mar 17, 2020] Closes all land borders. [Jun 1, 2021] Travellers are required to present a negative result of RT-PCR test less than 36 hours before the date of travel and undergo a 5-day compulsory quarantine in a designated hotel.	[Jun 1, 2021] Limited international flights resume.
Andorra	14577	[Jun 23, 2021] Travellers who spend 3 or more nights in the country are required to have (1) a vaccination certificate issued by the competent authorities of the country of origin from 14 days after the date of administration of the last dose; or (2) a proof of negative result of a PCR or TMA test conducted within 72 hours or of a rapid antigen detection test taken within 48 hours before arrival; or (3) a certificate of recovery issued by the competent authority or by a medical service at least 11 days after the first TMA or PCR test with a positive result. Visitors from a list of places (Mainland China, Hong Kong and Macao are not on list) are exempted from submitting these certificates.	
Angola	41879	[Jan 15, 2021] Travellers are required to have a negative result of PCR test taken 72 hours before arrival and be tested (Rapid Test for COVID) on arrival at 04 Fevereiro International Airport in Luanda. Home quarantine is mandatory for 10 days before taking another PCR test.	
Anguilla	113	[Aug 21, 2020] All travellers are required to obtain pre-travel authorisation by submitting a negative COVID-19 PCR test conducted within 3-5 days prior to arrival date and insurance which covers COVID-19 medical costs, and undergo a 10-day quarantine at approved location. [May 25, 2021] For visitors who are fully vaccinated, meaning who have had their last dose of vaccine administered at least three weeks before arrival, the quarantine period is reduced to 7 days.	

		[July 1, 2021] All visitors who are eligible to be vaccinated against COVID-19 are required to be fully vaccinated at least three weeks before arrival. Those who have evidence of full vaccination will not be required to quarantine on arrival. No proof of health insurance is required.	
Antigua and Barbuda	1280	[Feb 10, 2021] Arriving passengers by air must have a negative COVID-19 PCR test result within 7 days of their flights. [Jun 1, 2021] Passengers who can present verifiable documentation that they have received both doses of an approved 2-dose COVID-19 vaccine for at least 2 weeks and a negative PCR test result will be allowed to stay at bio-safe/certified accommodation. Fully vaccinated passengers not staying at a COVID-19 Certified accommodation may quarantine at home for 48 hours, subject to the result of an additional test taken upon arrival. Passengers who are not fully vaccinated or not vaccinated will be allowed to stay at a COVID-19 Certified Accommodation/Lodging or be subject to quarantine as determined by the Quarantine Authority.	
Argentina	4846615	[Nov 2020] Allows entry to travellers from Brazil, Chile, Uruguay, Paraguay and Bolivia. A negative PCR test result conducted no more than 72 hours in advance is required.	[Nov 2020] Tourists are allowed to fly to Buenos Aires only.
Armenia	229090	[May 17, 2021] All travellers are required to provide a negative COVID-19 PCR test result certificate taken within the previous 72 hours or a certification of complete vaccination against COVID-19 with 2 dosages and the second dosage taken at least 14 days before entry. Non-holders of relevant certificate are subject to PCR sampling at the checkpoint sampling points and compulsory isolation until a negative result is obtained.	
Aruba	11325	[Jun 10, 2020] Reopening of border announced. Travellers are required to have a negative PCR test result of COVID-19 within 72 hours prior to travel. Visitor medical insurance is	

		mandatory.	
Australia	33081	<p>[Jan 22, 2021] Non-citizens are not allowed to enter Australia unless in an exempt category or have been granted exemption. All travellers are required to present a negative PCR test result taken within 72 hours prior to departure and to undertake a mandatory 14-day quarantine at designated facilities.</p> <p>[Jun 10, 2021] Extends human biosecurity emergency period and relevant measures including limitations on outbound international travel and movement of cruise vessels until Sep 17, 2021.</p>	<p>[May 12, 2021] Qantas will adjust its planned international flights from end-Oct to late Dec 2021.</p> <p>[May 13, 2021] Jetstar will review its planned international flights from end-Oct to late Dec 2021.</p>
Austria	652164	<p>[Jan 15, 2021] All travellers are required to register electronically before entry to obtain a pre-travel clearance.</p> <p>[Jul 1, 2021] Travellers from the list of safe countries/places with low incidence rate (Hong Kong and Macao included) who can show proof of negative test/vaccination/past infection can enter and do not need to self-isolate. Travellers not from the above list of countries/places who can show proof of full vaccination do not need to self-isolate, but those who can only show a negative test result or proof of past infection need to self-isolate for 10 days. They can take a test after 5 days to end the quarantine earlier.</p>	<p>[Jul 16, 2020] Maintains the landing ban for aircraft from "SARS-CoV-2 risk areas", including China.</p>
Azerbaijan	340715	<p>[Jun 10, 2021] Reopens border to travellers from selected countries (China is not included). Passengers are required to submit an official document on complete vaccination or recovery from COVID-19 and a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours before the flight.</p>	
Bahamas	14252	<p>[Dec 7, 2020] Allows entry to visitors who apply for a Bahamas Health Visa and show proof of a negative COVID-19 PCR test taken no more than five days prior to the date of arrival. All travellers staying in Bahamas longer than four nights/five days are required to take a rapid COVID-19 antigen test.</p> <p>[May 1, 2021] International visitors who are fully vaccinated and have passed the two-week immunity period</p>	

		will be exempt from testing requirements for entry and inter-island travel.	
Bahrain	268626	[Feb 22, 2021] Travellers are required to take a COVID-19 PCR test upon arrival and self-isolate until a test result is issued. Additional tests are required on the 5th and 10th days after arrival.	
Bangladesh	1193052	[Jul 7, 2020] All foreign nationals are required to have BD visa and to produce a COVID-19 negative medical certificate issued within 72 hours of the trip. Visa on arrival is restricted. [Jun 4, 2021] Passengers from a list of countries (Mainland China and Hong Kong included) have to complete a 14-day strict home quarantine upon arrival.	[Jul 7, 2020] Scheduled international commercial passenger flights to or from Hong Kong are allowed to land at any airport in Bangladesh. [Sept 1, 2020] Scheduled international passenger flights to or from China are permitted to operate.
Barbados	4345	[May 8, 2021] Travellers are required to present negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to arrival. Those who have completed a full regimen of vaccines for any of the approved vaccines (BioNTech included) for more than two weeks prior to entry are required to receive a standard or rapid PCR test upon arrival at the airport or at their approved accommodation and will be free to travel on the island once a negative result is received. Unvaccinated travellers are required to undergo quarantine until a negative result is obtained for their second PCR test which are taken 5 days after arrival.	
Belarus	441356	[Sept 10, 2020] Travellers must complete a questionnaire upon arrival. Quarantine of 14 days is exempted for passengers from selected countries, including China.	
Belgium	1117697	[Jun 18, 2021] Hong Kong and Macao residents are allowed entry. PCR test before travel and quarantine upon arrival are not required.	
Belize	13917	[Mar 17, 2021] Travellers must present an official vaccine card reflecting receipt of vaccine at least two weeks prior to arrival or a proof of negative PCR test taken within 96 hours or rapid COVID-19 antigen test no more than 48 hours prior to travel. Failing to do so, travellers must take a test at the airport	[Oct 1, 2020] Philip Goldson International Airport reopens for commercial flights.

		upon arrival.	
Benin	8324	[May 12, 2020] Mandatory COVID-19 testing is required for all arriving airline passengers. Passengers will be required to undergo self-isolation for at least 48 hours until results have been confirmed negative, and may be subject to additional testing after 15 days.	
Bermuda	2538	[Dec 4, 2020] Travellers should apply for a Bermuda Travel Authorisation 1 to 3 days before departure. Visitors must provide a proof of a negative COVID-19 PCR test taken no more than 5 days before departure. [Apr 26, 2021] Travellers who have completed receiving appropriate doses of a COVID-19 vaccine (e.g. two doses for the Pfizer Vaccine) for two weeks and with a valid negative, pre-arrival COVID-19 PCR test are required to quarantine until they receive a negative result from their arrival test and get tested on day 4, 8 and 14. Those without a valid pre-arrival PCR test result are required to undergo quarantine until they receive a negative result from day 4 COVID-19 PCR test. They are also required to test on day 8 and 14. [May 2, 2021] All non-immunised travellers are required to undergo quarantine in their accommodation for four days and will be released after receiving a negative result from the day 4 PCR test.	
Bhutan	2500	[Jun 1, 2021] Denies entry to tourists until further notice.	
Bolivia	468423	[Sept 1, 2020] Travellers must have a negative test result for COVID-19.	[Sept 1, 2020] Commercial flights resume.
Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba	1693	[Jun 30, 2021] Travellers from a list of countries (China included) are exempted from having a negative NAAT- test taken within 72 hours and a negative antigen rapid test upon boarding.	[Jun 1, 2021] Lifts all flight bans.
Bosnia and Herzegovina	205495	[Jun 11, 2021] Foreigners from non-European countries may enter by presenting a negative result of PCR or rapid antigen test not older than 72 hours prior to arrival, a certificate of having received the second dose of	

		COVID-19 vaccine more than 14 days before arrival or a certificate of having recovered from COVID-19 in the previous period from 14 to 180 days before arrival.	
Botswana	102124	[Nov 9, 2020] Travellers are required to present a valid 72-hour negative COVID-19 PCR test result.	[Nov 9, 2020] Resumes air travel at Sir Seretse Khama International Airport, Kasane International Airport and Maun International Airport.
Brazil	19749073	[Aug 26, 2020] Extends suspension of all foreign nationals' entry by land or waterway. [Oct 2, 2020] Entry by air is permitted to all foreign nationals provided all migratory obligations, such as visas, when applicable, are met. [Dec 30, 2020] Travellers arriving by international flights must present to the airline company before boarding a supporting document of laboratory test (RT-PCR) performed 72 hours prior to the boarding time with a negative or non-reactive result. [May 31, 2021] Foreign citizens are not allowed to enter if they have been in the United Kingdom, Northern Ireland, India and South Africa over the 14 days prior to the flight.	
British Virgin Islands	2389	[May 15, 2021] Unvaccinated travellers have to undergo a 7-day quarantine. [Jun 15, 2021] Fully vaccinated travellers who can provide a negative result of PCR/antigen test taken within 5 days of arrival and evidence of vaccination are not required to take a test on arrival or undergo quarantine. Partially vaccinated travelers who can present a negative result of PCR test taken within 5 days of arrival and evidence of partial vaccination are required to take a test upon arrival and undergo a 4-day quarantine.	
Brunei Darussalam	333	[Oct 8, 2020] Allows entry to foreign nationals who are on essential business and official travel, seeking medical treatment or studying in Brunei, as well as compassionate circumstances where they have immediate family members who are Brunei citizens or residents. Travellers are required to obtain a	[Feb 15, 2020] Royal Brunei Airlines suspends flights to Mainland China. [Mar 4, 2020] Royal Brunei Airlines reduces flights to Hong Kong.

		negative PCR test result taken within 72 hours prior to departure and undergo self-isolation.	
Bulgaria	423879	[Jun 16, 2021] Travellers from selected countries (China included) are allowed to enter by presenting a document for a completed vaccination course against COVID-19 and an expiry of a 14-day period from the date of the last dose, or a document showing a positive result from a PCR or antigen test for persons suffering from COVID-19 from the 15th to the 180th day from the date of the test or a negative result of PCR or antigen test not older than 72 hours or 48 hours respectively prior to arrival.	
Burkina Faso	13550	[Aug 1, 2020] All international travellers are required to present a negative COVID 19 test certificate dated no more than 5 days prior to departure. A rapid COVID-19 test will be performed at the airport for passengers without a negative COVID-19 test proof, and the passenger will be detained until results are available. All land borders remain closed.	[Aug 1, 2020] Ouagadougou and Bobo airports return to normal operations.
Burundi	6573	[Nov 8, 2020] Travellers should provide proof of negative result of the test to COVID-19 done 72 hours before boarding. They will be screened and quarantined for 72 hours upon arrival.	[Nov 8, 2020] Reopens Melchior Ndadaye International airport.
Cabo Verde	33592	[Oct 12, 2020] Reopens borders to visitors with a proof of a negative COVID-19 PCR test result.	[Aug 1, 2020] Limited flights operate. [Oct 12, 2020] Resumes commercial air and maritime passenger traffic.
Cambodia	75152	[May 20, 2020] Lifts entry bans on six countries (China is not included) with entry requirements including negative COVID-19 health certificate, medical insurance, another COVID-19 test upon arrival and undergo 14-day self-quarantine. Foreign travellers need to obtain a visa from a Cambodian embassy as e-visas and visa-on-arrival services are still suspended. [Aug 17, 2020] All diplomats and international organisation officials are required to possess a COVID-19 negative health certificate issued by health authorities, recognised and	

		<p>certified by home countries 72 hours prior to departure; Visa A and Visa B holders are required to conduct a test upon arrival.</p> <p>[Dec 21, 2020] Visa A holders are required to undergo 14-day quarantine at the Embassy, Isolated Residences or Himawari Hotel.</p>	
Cameroon	82064	[Mar 18, 2020] Closes all its borders.	
Canada	1426215	<p>[Apr 22, 2020] Foreign nationals arriving from Canada-US borders and without COVID-19 symptoms are allowed to enter for essential travel.</p> <p>[Jun 8, 2020] Foreign nationals who are immediate family members of Canadian citizens and permanent residents, and who do not have COVID-19 or any symptoms of the disease are exempt from the prohibition on entry to Canada if entering to be with an immediate family member for a period of at least 15 days. Foreign nationals who are admitted into Canada pursuant to this exemption must quarantine for 14 days.</p> <p>[Jan 7, 2021] All air passengers aged 5 or above must have a negative result of COVID-19 PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure.</p> <p>[Feb 3, 2021] Expands the existing international flight restrictions which funnel scheduled international commercial passenger flights into four Canadian airports: Montréal-Trudeau International Airport, Toronto Pearson International Airport, Calgary International Airport, and Vancouver International Airport.</p> <p>[Feb 22, 2021] All travellers arriving by air are required to take a COVID-19 molecular test when they arrive in Canada before exiting the airport and take another test toward the end of 14-day quarantine period. Air travellers are also required to reserve a 3-night stay in a government-authorised hotel prior to departure to Canada.</p> <p>[July 6, 2021] Fully vaccinated travellers who are permitted to enter Canada (i.e. Canadian citizens/residents and persons under approved categories, e.g. immediate family members of</p>	<p>[Mar 25, 2021] Air Canada will resume Toronto-HK flights on May 6, 2021.</p> <p>[Aug 9, 2021] International flights carrying passengers are allowed to land at five additional Canadian airports: Halifax Stanfield International Airport; Québec City Jean Lesage International Airport; Ottawa Macdonald–Cartier International Airport; Winnipeg James Armstrong Richardson International Airport; and Edmonton International Airport.</p>

		<p>citizens, foreign workers and students, etc.) will not be subject to the federal requirement to quarantine or to take a COVID-19 test on day 8. Also, fully vaccinated travellers arriving by air will not be required to stay at a government-authorised hotel.</p> <p>[Aug 9, 2021] Fully vaccinated travellers are not required to conduct a post-arrival test unless they have been randomly selected to complete a Day 1 COVID-19 molecular test. No change to the mandatory testing requirements for unvaccinated travellers. Fully vaccinated travellers are exempted from quarantine but a quarantine plan is required.</p> <p>[Sept 7, 2021] Intends to open borders to any fully vaccinated travellers with a Canada-accepted vaccine at least 14 days prior to entry. Travellers are required to provide COVID-19-related information electronically through ArriveCAN including proof of vaccination prior to arrival.</p>	
Cayman Islands	636	<p>[Jun 23, 2021] Verifiably vaccinated travellers are required to take the 72-hour pre-arrival PCR testing and undergo a 5-day quarantine. Unvaccinated travellers are required to complete a 14-day quarantine. All travellers must be tested before exiting quarantine.</p>	<p>[Mar 16, 2020] Government denies entry to all cruise ships.</p> <p>[Oct 1, 2020] Arrival by air is limited to selected categories of travellers.</p>
Central African Republic	7148	<p>[Sept 9, 2020] A mandatory 21-day self-quarantine is in place for arriving international travellers.</p>	<p>[Sept 30, 2020] Limited international flight services resume at Bangui M'Poko International Airport.</p>
Chad	4969	<p>[Sept 3, 2020] Passengers must present a negative PCR test result issued at most 7 days before arrival and are subject to quarantine for 7 days.</p>	
Chile	1610345	<p>[Jun 15, 2021] Allows entry to Chileans, resident foreigners as well as non-resident foreigners who have not been to any country with community transmission of SARS-CoV-2 and/or cases caused by variants of concerns of the virus as determined by WHO. They are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken 72 hours before boarding and comply with a mandatory</p>	

		quarantine of 10 days. They will be able to leave the quarantine hotel if a negative result of PCR test is obtained after the 5th day and complete the rest of the quarantine at their final destination.	
Colombia	4727846	[Jan 7, 2021] International travellers are required to present a negative PCR test taken within 96 hours prior to departure, or alternatively, a statement that the traveller was unable to obtain a test result, followed by a COVID-19 test upon arrival. They must keep preventive isolation until obtaining a negative result for COVID-19 or make mandatory isolation for 14 days or during the term indicated by the health authority.	[Sept 21, 2020] Partially reactivate international flights.
Comoros	4021		
Congo	13156	[Aug 24, 2020] Opens air borders for international flights. Travellers must have a negative PCR test result issued at most 3 days before arrival. Land and river borders remain closed.	
Costa Rica	398608	[Oct 26, 2020] COVID-19 test not required and quarantine orders not issued for travellers who enter the country by land or air. [Aug 1, 2021] Travellers who are fully inoculated with COVID-19 vaccines (Pfizer-BioNTech is included) can enter without a travel policy. Unvaccinated or with incomplete vaccination or vaccinated with a serum other than those admitted by the Costa Rican authorities, are required to purchase mandatory travel insurance that covers lodging in case of quarantine and medical expenses due to COVID-19 disease.	
Côte d'Ivoire	49647	[Jan 21, 2021] All inbound airline travellers are required to present negative COVID-19 test results dated less than 5 days before arrival and complete the online Air Travel Declaration form 7 days before arrival.	
Croatia	362841	[Jan 13, 2021] Travellers coming from China, Hong Kong and Macao, are not required to present a negative test result for SARS-CoV-2 or self-isolation if they have not been in close contact with	

		an infected person and show no signs of disease.	
Cuba	341152	[Aug 10, 2020] Travellers must show a negative result of quick test carried out within 48 hours before the trip. [Jan 10, 2021] All travellers are required to present a PCR negative test result taken 72 hours before arrival.	[Oct 5, 2020] Havana International Airport is anticipated to reopen in Nov 2020. [Nov 15, 2020] Havana Jose Marti International Airport resumes operation.
Curaçao	13252	[Jun 9, 2021] Visitors will be placed under mandatory quarantine if they have been in contact with a person who tested positively for COVID-19 within 14 days prior to arrival. Travellers from very low-risk countries (Mainland China and Hong Kong included) are required to complete the digital immigration card online and digitally fill out the Passenger Locator Card 48 hours before departure.	
Cyprus	98569	[Mar 1, 2021] Persons travelling from countries or regions in the orange category, including China and Hong Kong, are required to undergo a molecular test at a certified lab within 72 hours prior to flight departure and upload a certificate that demonstrates a negative PCR result on Cyprus Flight Pass Platform. [May 25, 2021] Travellers who can prove they have received all necessary doses of an authorised vaccine are not required to undergo any test upon arrival.	[Jun 9, 2020] Resumes international air travel.
Czech Republic	1672764	[Jun 21, 2021] Listed Hong Kong as one of the safe destinations. The Czech citizens, their family members and residents from Hong Kong are not required to undergo pre-departure COVID-19 test and do online registration in advance.	
Democratic Republic of the Congo	48503	[Aug 15, 2020] Reopens airports, ports, and borders.	
Denmark	312292	[Apr 21, 2021] All persons entering Denmark are required to be tested before entry and upon arrival. Those not travelling from a yellow country (China not included) have to isolate for 10 days upon arrival. Isolation can end earlier if a negative result of another PCR test	[Mar 5, 2020] Scandinavian Airlines (SAS) suspends its flights to Hong Kong. [Sept 29, 2020] SAS resumes flights to Mainland China.

		taken no earlier than the fourth day after entry is obtained.	
Djibouti	11637		[Jul 17, 2020] Reopens Ambouli International Airport for incoming and outgoing passenger traffic.
Dominica	209	[Aug 7, 2020] Reopens its borders.	
Dominican Republic	340230	[Mar 3, 2021] Travellers no longer need to provide a negative COVID-19 test result upon arrival. Instead, airports and other ports of entry will administer a quick, aleatory breath test to 3-15% of passengers and all those who present symptoms upon arrival.	
Ecuador	480720	[Jul 1, 2021] Travellers are required to present a negative result of PCR/antigen test taken within 72 hours prior to the trip and a COVID-19 vaccination certificate or its equivalent issued at least 14 days prior to the flight.	[Jun 1, 2020] Government approves resumption of commercial flight operations.
Egypt	284059	[Sept 1, 2020] Travellers arriving from selected countries (including China) are allowed to provide a negative PCR test certificate performed at a maximum of 96 hours prior to flight departure. Other travellers must take the test within 72 hours before arrival. All travellers will be followed up for 14 days by the Quarantine Authorities and Ministry of Health Offices.	
El Salvador	84691	[Mar 29, 2021] Fully vaccinated travellers should present the vaccination certificate upon arrival. Other travellers are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to arrival.	[Sept 19, 2020] Reopens international airport.
Equatorial Guinea	8863	[Sept 25, 2020] Travellers arriving in the country, whether expatriates or nationals, have to present a negative PCR test certificate issued in the last 48 hours. Failing to do so, travellers must take a PCR test at the airport at their own cost and self-isolate in a hotel in the city while awaiting the PCR test results.	[Jun 15, 2020] Reopens its border to international flights.
Eritrea	6506		[Mar 25, 2020] Government bans commercial passenger flights to and from Eritrea.
Estonia	132717	[Oct 30, 2020] Allows entries to Estonian citizens, residents and their family members, and residents of a list	

		of countries (China is not included). Foreign citizens without symptoms arriving from states not included in the list are also allowed to enter Estonia for work or studies, but are subject to ten days restriction on freedom of movement.	
Eswatini	23347	[Feb 16, 2021] All travellers are required to present a negative PCR test result taken within 72 hours prior to arrival and may be required to undergo a quarantine not exceeding 14 days as advised by the port health officers.	
Ethiopia	278717	[Oct 5, 2020] International travellers coming through international airports of Ethiopia shall bring a certificate of negative RT PCR test done up to 120 hours or five days before arriving in the country, and are subject to self-quarantine at home for 7 days.	
European Union	N/A	[Jun 18, 2021] Member states should gradually lift the travel restrictions at the external borders for residents of a list of third countries/places, including Hong Kong and Macao. Mainland China would be subject to the condition of reciprocity.	
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	60	[Apr 7, 2021] Allows restricted entry for business visitors and other specified groups. Travellers must provide a negative PCR test result taken less than five days before arrival and undergo a 14-day quarantine.	
Faroe Islands	979	[Mar 5, 2021] All travellers must test for COVID-19 upon 3 days before their journey and upon arrival. Non-vaccinated visitors should self-isolate until a negative test on the 6th day after arrival. Visitors who have completed vaccination at least 8 days prior to their trip are not required to self-isolate but are still required to take a test on the 6th day after arrival.	
Fiji	24424	[Oct 20, 2020] Approval from the Office of the Prime Minister is required for non-Fijian citizens to enter Fiji. [Feb 3, 2021] All travellers are required to present a negative PCR test result taken within 72 hours prior to departure. They are required to undertake a mandatory 14-day quarantine in a	[Mar 20, 2020] Fiji Airways suspends all international flights. [Mar 30, 2020] Government bans foreign yacht from entering Fiji.

		government designated border quarantine facility, where a COVID-19 test will be conducted again.	
Finland	103851	[Jul 12, 2021] Travellers who could show proof of full vaccination or of recovery from COVID-19 within the past six months are not subject to other health security obligations upon arrival. Those who could not must show proof of a negative test result taken before entry or of a first dose of COVID-19 vaccine received at least 14 days prior to entry, and take a test 3 to 5 days after arrival. But the obligation to show proof or be tested for COVID-19 does not apply to people from countries/regions where incidence of COVID-19 or prevalence of virus variants does not pose a particular risk (Hong Kong, Mainland and Macao included).	[Feb 6, 2020] Finnair suspends all flights to Mainland China. [Mar 19, 2020] International air travel limited to the Helsinki-Vantaa, Mararianhamina, and Turku airports.
France	6026115	[Jun 25, 2021] Travellers from green list of countries/territories (Hong Kong included) are not required to have a compelling reason to access. Those who are vaccinated are required to present a vaccination record certificate, while those who are not are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken less than 72 hours before boarding. Vaccinated travellers from orange countries/places (including Mainland China and Macao) are required to present a vaccination record certificate and a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours or antigenic test conducted 48 hours before the flight, while non-vaccinated travellers must also have pressing grounds for travel and undergo a 7-day self-isolation.	[Jun 1, 2020] Air France resumes its capacity to Hong Kong.
French Guiana	29686		
French Polynesia	19392	[Jun 9, 2021] Vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine but to present a negative laboratory RT-PCR test result performed less than 72 hours or an antigen test performed less than 48 hours prior to departure. Unvaccinated travellers are not allowed to enter unless with a boarding authorisation granted by the High-	

		Commissioner and undergo a 10-day quarantine.	
Gabon	25344	[Jul 1, 2020] Land and sea borders remain closed.	[Jul 1, 2020] Resumes commercial air travel.
Gambia	7333	[Oct 16, 2020] Reopens its borders. [Apr 2, 2021] Travellers from non-hotspot countries (including Mainland China, Hong Kong or Macao) are required to provide a valid negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours. Such travellers are allowed to go home and observe a 14-day self-monitored quarantine with a condition to report for testing when experiencing COVID-19 symptoms.	
Georgia	407689	[Jul 8, 2020] Business trips from all countries are allowed, based on a completed special form and coordination with relevant sectoral agencies. Business visitors to Georgia are obligated to complete a PCR test for COVID-19 at their own expense every 72 hours, or complete a mandatory 14-day quarantine, also at their own expense.	
Germany	3758401	[May 13, 2021] Travellers are required to submit upon entry a negative result of PCR test carried out within 72 hours or rapid antigen tests within 48 hours. This does not apply to vaccinated and recovered persons (except for entry from virus variant areas). The vaccination must have been carried out with a vaccine recognised by the Paul Ehrlich Institute. A period of at least 14 days must have elapsed since the last vaccine dose. [Jun 20, 2021] Allows entry of Hong Kong residents irrespective of their nationality and without restrictions on the purpose of their journey. All passengers travelling by air have to furnish evidence of testing, recovery or vaccination before departure. Those who have spent time in a risk area within the last 10 days prior to entry must register at the online travel portal and undergo a 10-day quarantine upon arrival, which can end prematurely if a proof of complete vaccination, recovery from the disease or a negative result of	

		PCR/antigen test is provided. For those who have spent time in a high-incidence area prior to entry, the relevant test may not be conducted earlier than five days after entry. Those who have spent time in an area of variants of concern have to undergo a 14-day quarantine.	
Ghana	102103	[Feb 8, 2021] All international passengers are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure and take another test upon arrival.	[Sept 1, 2020] Reopens Accra Kotoka International Airport for regular international passenger travel.
Gibraltar	4799		
Greece	477975	[May 14, 2021] Lifts flight restrictions from EU and some other countries (including China), quarantine is not required. Travellers are required to have a negative result of PCR test taken no later than 72 hours before arrival. Proof of a negative test is not required for fully vaccinated travellers (i.e. 14 days have elapsed since the last vaccination, depending on the doses required) and hold a vaccination certificate.	[May 14, 2021] Lifts restrictions to cruise ships but protocols will be applied. [May 14, 2021] All international airports in the country are allowed to accept flights from abroad.
Greenland	92	[Jan 23, 2021] All travellers must enter Denmark to transit to Greenland. They are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 24 hours prior to departure to Denmark and within 72 hours prior to departure to Greenland, then to undergo a quarantine with a duration of 14 days or until another negative test result is obtained, which can be first conducted on day 5 after arrival. [May 3, 2021] Travel is reopened with access from Denmark.	
Grenada	165	[May 1, 2021] All travellers are required to present a negative PCR test result taken within 72 hours prior to departure, in addition to obtaining a Pure Safe Travel Certificate. Vaccinated travellers are required to quarantine for up to 48 hours, pending a negative result from a PCR test, administered on entry. Those who are not fully vaccinated or unable to provide proof of their vaccination, are required to quarantine for up to 7 days, with a PCR test being administered on day 5.	
Guadeloupe	18313	[Jan 18, 2021] All travellers are	

		required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure, go on a 7-day quarantine and be tested again.	
Guam	8237	[Jul 4, 2021] All incoming travellers are subject to a 10-day quarantine, except (1) those who are fully vaccinated, (2) those who can present a negative result of PCR/antigen test taken within 72 hours prior to arrival and (3) those with a previous COVID-19 infection.	
Guatemala	352584	[Apr 17, 2021] Reopens borders to international travel and tourism. Travellers are required to present a negative result of antigen or PCR test taken within 72 hours before boarding. Fully vaccinated travellers should present a valid certificate of vaccination (the last dose must have been administered 2 weeks before starting the trip).	
Guernsey	933	[Apr 23, 2021] All travellers must create a Travel Tracker account and register their journey. Travellers from "Category 3" countries (China included) are tested on arrival and on day 7, and must self-isolate until a negative result is obtained from both tests. They must continue to observe "passive follow-up" rules for a further 7 days.	
Guinea	25054		
Guinea-Bissau	4213		
Guyana	22150		[Oct 12, 2020] Reopens Cheddi Jagan International Airport. [Oct 14, 2020] Reopens Eugene F. Correia International Airport.
Haiti	19918	[Jul 1, 2020] The land border with the Dominican Republic is open to pedestrian and vehicular traffic.	[Jul 1, 2020] Commercial airlines resumes regular flight services to and from Haiti.
Holy See	26		
Honduras	286635		[Aug 17, 2020] Resumes international flights.
Hungary	809288	[Sept 1, 2020] Closed its borders to foreigners. Exceptions will be made for convoys of soldiers, some business people, some cross-border commuters, transit traffic, and diplomats. Citizens of the Czech Republic, Poland, and Slovakia will also be exempted if they can produce a negative coronavirus test	

		<p>from no more than five days earlier. Hungarians returning from abroad after Sept 1 will be required to produce two negative COVID-19 tests, 48 hours apart, to be exempted from a mandatory 14-day quarantine.</p> <p>[Sept 5, 2020] Foreigners granted entry into Hungary based on exemptions from the entry prohibition regulations can apply for exemption from the mandatory 14-day quarantine by producing two negative COVID-19 tests within 5 days, 48 hours apart. The public health authority accepts the first test result of PCR tests if it is taken in a Schengen State, the United States or Canada (before entering Hungary).</p>	
Iceland	7389	<p>[Mar 20, 2020] Foreign nationals, except EU/EEA, EFTA or UK nationals, are not allowed to enter Iceland, but those with immigration status in Iceland or another Schengen State, or those who have family members in the same countries, are allowed to enter Iceland.</p> <p>[Mar 26, 2021] Travellers who can provide proof of a full vaccination with a vaccine certified for use by the European Medical Agency (BioNTech is included) or proof of prior infection are allowed to enter without being subject to border measures including testing and quarantine.</p>	
India	31484605	<p>[Oct 22, 2020] Permits all "Overseas Citizens of India" and "Persons of Indian Origin" card holders and all other foreign nationals (including their dependents on appropriate category of dependent visa) intending to visit India for any purpose, except on a Tourist Visa, to enter by air or water routes through authorised airports and seaport immigration check posts. All such travellers should strictly adhere to the guidelines regarding quarantine and other COVID-19 matters which were effective from Aug 8, 2020.</p> <p>[Feb 23, 2021] All international travellers, except those arriving on flights originating from the UK, Europe and Middle East, should submit self-</p>	

		<p>declaration form on an online portal (www.newdelhiairport.in) before the scheduled travel and upload a negative COVID-19 RT-PCR report of which the test is conducted within 72 hours prior to the journey. A declaration with respect to authenticity of the report should also be submitted. Travellers should also give an undertaking to undergo home quarantine/self-monitoring of their health for 14 days. Arrival in India without negative report will only be allowed in the exigency of death in the family. Such travellers should seek exemption and apply to the online portal at least 72 hours before boarding.</p> <p>[Mar 30, 2021] Restore e-Visas (including e-Business, e-Medical and e-Conference; except e-Tourist). If the validity of such visas has expired, fresh visas of appropriate categories can be obtained from Indian Mission and Posts concerned.</p>	
Indonesia	3239936	<p>[Jan 1, 2021] Closes its borders to foreign travellers, with exceptions including holders of the Indonesian stay permit and holders of diplomatic or official visa for an official ministerial visit. Exempted persons are required to present a negative RT-PCR test taken 48 hours prior to departure and undergo a mandatory five-day quarantine.</p>	<p>[Apr 24, 2020] Government bans commercial and charter passenger flights, with exceptions including international flights to repatriate Indonesian citizens and foreigners, and sea transportation.</p>
Iran	3723246	<p>[Dec 29, 2020] All inbound travellers arriving in Iran must submit a negative COVID-19 test (PCR) report in English. The report must not be older than 96 hours. Otherwise, the passenger will be deported to the country of origin.</p>	<p>[Jan 31, 2020] Government bans all flights to and from China.</p>
Iraq	1564828	<p>[Aug 15, 2020] Land borders are open to commercial traffic.</p> <p>[Jan 14, 2021] Prohibits entry of passengers from a list of countries (China not included), except for Iraqi nationals who will be subject to a 14-day mandatory quarantine and a PCR test. Diplomats, official government delegations, international organizations, and experts working on service projects are exempted, provided they present a negative result of PCR test taken within</p>	<p>[Mar 17, 2020] Government suspends all flights to and from Iraq.</p>

		72 hours before arrival.	
Ireland	295386	[Feb 26, 2021] All travellers must complete a COVID-19 Passenger Locator Form, present a negative PCR test result taken within 72 hours prior to arrival and undergo a 14-day quarantine. Travellers not from the "Category 2 Countries" (China is non-Category 2 country) can finish the quarantine earlier if another negative PCR test result taken no less than 5 days after arrival is obtained.	
Isle of Man	3649	[May 24, 2021] Travellers who have been outside of the UK, Guernsey or Jersey in the 10 days prior to arrival only have to isolate for 7 days if they opt for taking a test within 48 hours of arrival and another on day 6. Those who do not undergo testing are required to isolate for 21 days.	
Israel	863680	[Jan 23, 2021] All travellers are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure, take another test upon arrival and undergo a 14-day isolation. Isolation can be shortened to 10 days if two test results taken in the time intervals set in the protocol are negative. Those who received the vaccine abroad can apply for an exemption from isolation if they take a serologic test.	[Jan 31, 2020] El Al Israel Airlines suspends its flight to Beijing. [Feb 13, 2020] El Al Israel Airlines suspends its flight to Hong Kong.
Italy	4325046	[Feb 22, 2020] Any person who has been in China, including Hong Kong and Macao, in the past 14 days is required to be under self-isolation at home or other selected accommodation. Alternative measures of equal force will apply if self-isolation does not prove feasible. [Sept 9, 2020] Permits entry to Hong Kong citizens for specific reasons, namely: work, health reasons, study, absolute necessity, etc. Entry for tourism is not allowed.	[Jan 30, 2020] Government bans all flights from China, including Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan. [Feb 2, 2020] Government lifts suspension on cargo flights.
Jamaica	52089	[Jun 15, 2020] Opens air and sea ports for all international travellers. [Mar 23, 2021] All travellers, 12 years of age and over, are required to present a negative COVID-19 molecular or Antigen test result to check in for a	

		flight to Jamaica, the sample must be collected within 3 days of the travel date.	
Japan	875506	<p>[Nov 1, 2020] Removes China (including Hong Kong and Macao) from the list of countries/regions which entry ban is applied to.</p> <p>[Jan 26, 2021] Acceptance of application and issuance of visas under “Phased Measures toward Resuming Cross-Border Travel (‘Short-term stay for business’ and ‘Holders of Certificate of Eligibility’)” (visa applications accompanied by a written pledge), temporarily suspended until the state of emergency declaration is lifted.</p> <p>[Mar 5, 2021] All travellers are requested to submit a negative COVID-19 test result conducted within 72 hours prior to arrival and take another test upon arrival. They are also subject to undergo a 14-day quarantine and to refrain from using public transportation.</p>	
Jersey	7508		
Jordan	766114	[Jan 26, 2021] Passengers are no longer required to self-quarantine for 7 days upon arrival. A valid proof of a negative PCR test result (taken within 120 hours of departure) or a verified vaccine is required and another mandatory PCR test will be given upon arrival in Jordan for passengers above 5 years of age.	[Sept 8, 2020] Resumes international flights into Jordanian airports.
Kazakhstan	588856	[Oct 6, 2020] Requires foreign travellers to present a negative COVID-19 PCR test certificate dated no more than three days prior to their entry.	<p>[Feb 3, 2020] Air Astana suspends all flights to China.</p> <p>[Feb 3, 2020] SCAT Airlines suspends all flights to China.</p>
Kenya	197959	[Aug 1, 2020] Allows entry of passengers with negative COVID-19 test conducted within 96 hours of arrival. Travellers from the approved states, including China, are exempted from quarantine.	[Aug 1, 2020] Resumes international flights
Korea	193427	<p>[Apr 1, 2020] All entrants from overseas are required to undergo 14-day quarantine. Visitors without local addresses will stay at designated facilities at their own expense.</p> <p>[Apr 13, 2020] Suspends visa waiver programs and visa-free entry for countries/regions imposing entry bans on Korea, including Hong Kong, Macao</p>	<p>[Feb 19, 2020] Jeju Air suspends its flights between Jeju and Hong Kong.</p> <p>[Jul 1, 2020] Air Busan resumes its Busan to Hong Kong and Macao routes.</p> <p>[Oct, 2020] Korean Air resumes flights between Incheon and Hong Kong</p>

		<p>and Taiwan, with exceptions including holders of diplomat or official passport holders; suspends all short-term visas issued on or before Apr 5, 2020, except for C-4 type visas and long-term visas (work, investment etc.), and the high talents invited by the employer in Korea. All visa applicants are required to submit a medical diagnosis diagnosed from medical institutions within 48 hours of application date.</p> <p>[May 1, 2020] Implements a “fast track procedure” to streamline the entry procedures to facilitate essential economic activities between China and Korea. Business people can be exempted from the prevailing quarantine measures if they can provide a negative coronavirus result 72 hours before departure and are tested negative at fresh test upon arrival. The “fast track procedure” is adopted in the provinces of Shanghai, Tianjin, Chongqing, Liaoning, Shandong, Jiangsu, Guangdong, Shaanxi, Sichuan, and Anhui.</p> <p>[May 11, 2020] All Koreans and long-term foreigner visitors are tested for coronavirus upon their landing in Korea, even if they are asymptomatic.</p> <p>[Jan 8, 2021] Foreigners are required to provide a negative PCR report for COVID-19 in English or Korean issued by a laboratory or health institution within 72 hours before departure.</p> <p>[July 1, 2021] Fully vaccinated people who visit the country for the purpose of business, academic/public interest, humanitarian reasons or government official overseas business trip are exempted from quarantine.</p>	<p>[Oct, 2020] Asiana Airlines resumes flights between Incheon and Hong Kong.</p>
Kosovo	107988		
Kuwait	393605	<p>[Mar 19, 2020] Suspends issuance of visas to all nationals except for official delegations and urgent visas; suspends online visa scheme and visa on arrival.</p> <p>[Feb 21, 2021] Denies entry to non-Kuwaitis until further notice. Only foreigners who are first-degree relatives of Kuwaitis and accompanied domestic workers are exempted. Arriving</p>	<p>[Feb 24, 2021] Closes land and sea border crossings until Mar 30.</p>

		passengers are required to undergo a one-week institutional quarantine and another one-week quarantine at home. [Mar 2, 2021] Certain categories of persons, including diplomats, their first-degree relatives and accompanying domestic workers, are exempted from institutional quarantine, while they are required to take two PCR tests on their own expenses, the first test upon arrival and the second test on day 6 from the arrival date, as well as to undergo a 14-day home quarantine.	
Kyrgyzstan	159089	[Aug 21, 2020] Allows entry of citizens from 31 countries, including China.	
Laos	5434	[Dec 16, 2020] Continues closing all border checkpoints throughout the country and suspension of visa issuance for those travelling from countries with community transmission of COVID-19. Diplomats, staff of international organisations, experts, investors, technicians, who have an essential and urgent need to enter Laos should submit request to the Task Force Committee (TFC) of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs at least seven days prior to the proposed date of entry to Laos. [Feb 26, 2021] Diplomats, staff of international organisations and their family members, who have been granted entry by the TFC, must have a negative COVID-19 RT-PCR test result taken within 72 hours before departure. They must undergo a COVID-19 RT-PCR test after arrival. Those with a negative test result shall continue a 14-day quarantine at a TFC-designated venue. Apart from observing the above requirements, other travellers allowed entry should wear medical tracking device and purchase COVID-19 insurance designated by the TFC.	[Mar 31, 2020] Suspends all international flights. [Oct 2020] Resumes charter flights with countries where there is no community outbreak of COVID-19.
Latvia	138504	[Jul 24, 2021] Vaccinated or recovered travellers from places with low public health threat (Hong Kong and Macao included) are not required to present a negative result of PCR test taken 72 hours or antigen test taken not earlier than 48 hours before boarding. They are not required to take a test upon arrival	

		or undergo compulsory self-isolation. Unvaccinated travellers are required to present negative result of a test taken before travelling.	
Lebanon	555643	[Jul 31, 2020] Requires all travellers to show a negative PCR test taken within 96 hours of travel. [Apr 17, 2021] Travellers who have been vaccinated with second dose of Covid-19 vaccine in Lebanon and certain countries (including Asian countries), minimum 15 days before their departure, are exempted from doing PCR test at the countries coming from and shall undergo PCR test upon arrival at BRHIA.	
Lesotho	12880		
Liberia	5404	[May 6, 2021] Requires all non-exempt travellers to take the COVID-19 test on their own expense in Liberia. Exempt travellers (diplomats and their families, honorary consuls, duly accredited international organisations and Liberian diplomats) are required to present valid negative result of PCR COVID-19 conducted within 96 hours upon arrival. Travellers are strongly recommended to stay home for 7 days.	[Jun 28, 2020] Resumes commercial flights at Roberts International Airport
Libya	236961	[Mar 16, 2020] Closes its land and air ports.	
Liechtenstein	3177		
Lithuania	281284	[Mar 10, 2021] All travellers are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours before arrival. [May 3, 2021] Travellers arriving from countries in the List of Affected Countries (including China) are subject to mandatory testing for COVID-19 and 10-day self-isolation. Self-isolation may be shortened by taking a PCR test on the 7th day of self-isolation at the earliest and obtaining a negative result. Those who have gone through full programme of COVID-19 vaccination with vaccine registered in the Union Register of Medicinal Products (BioNTech is included) are exempted from the testing and self-isolation requirements.	
Luxembourg	73551	[Nov 23, 2020] Denies entry to third-	

		country nationals, with exceptions including residents of Mainland China (subject to confirmation of reciprocity at EU level), Hong Kong and Macao. [Jun 30, 2021] Travellers are required to present a vaccination certificate, or a recovery certificate or a negative result of PCR/TMA/LAMP test conducted less than 72 hours or antigen test conducted less than 48 hours before departure.	
Macao	59	[Aug 26, 2020] Zhuhai-Macao boundary checkpoints (Checkpoint of Macao Port Zone of Hengqin Port, Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge Checkpoint and Border Gate Checkpoint) are reopened to vehicles of Guangdong-Macao dual licence plates with no prior reservation required. [Sept 23, 2020] Issuance of the group visit endorsements and the endorsements under IVS for Mainland residents to travel to Macao by Mainland authorities resumed. [Dec 23, 2020] Residents of mainland China, Hong Kong or Taiwan who have been to a foreign country in the 21 days prior to their arrival will be prohibited from entering Macao. [Jun 21, 2021] Individuals who have been to Taiwan 21 days prior to arrival must hold a certificate of negative result for COVID-19 nucleic acid test issued within 24 hours upon boarding and are required to undergo medical observation for 21 days at designated venue and 7-day health self-management period. [Jul 25, 2021] Residents of Mainland China, Hong Kong and Taiwan who have visited Mainland China 14 days prior to arrival must hold a certificate of negative result for COVID-19 nucleic acid test issued within the past 7 days. Those who have been to designated places in Jiangsu, Yunnan, Liaoning and Sichuan provinces within the past 14 days prior to arrival must undergo medical observation for 14 days at designated places.	[Mar 25, 2020] Government suspends all transit services at Macau International Airport.
Madagascar	42669	[Apr 22, 2021] Closes borders to all	[Apr 6, 2021] Overseas flights to

		passengers from overseas.	and from Antananarivo and Nosy Be are suspended.
Malawi	49009	[Apr 26, 2021] Passengers are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to arrival and proceed to self-monitor. Those without a valid proof will be required to have samples collected for COVID-19 testing and proceed to self-quarantine for 14 days.	[Sept 1, 2020] Government resumes international flights
Malaysia	1027954	[Sept 16, 2020] Foreign travellers with long-term passes, including Permanent Residents, participants of Malaysia My Second Home Programme, expatriates holding the Employment Pass Category I, II or III, holders of Residence Pass-Talent, holders of Professional Visit Pass and their dependents, and foreign students, may enter Malaysia with an approval by the Immigration Department of Malaysia. [Oct 8, 2020] Allows dependents (including foreign maids) of expatriates who are holding a valid long-term pass and/or has obtained pass approval application to enter Malaysia.	[Jan 30, 2020] Sabah state government suspends all flights from China, including scheduled and chartered flights.
Maldives	76848	[May 3, 2021] All travellers are required to present negative result of PCR test taken within 96 hours prior to departure and undergo mandatory quarantine. Quarantine is exempted for those who have completed two doses of vaccination (recognised by WHO) 2 weeks prior to arrival and those who travel to an island where 60% of the island population (including tourist resort/guesthouse and hotel islands) have completed two doses of vaccination.	
Mali	14547		
Malta	33762	[Mar 29, 2021] Travellers from a list of countries (China included) are required to submit a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure.	[Jul 1, 2020] Reopens Malta International Airport and resumes commercial flights between Malta and certain destinations. The list of destinations is monitored regularly and reviewed if necessary.
Marshall Islands	4		
Martinique	17215		

Mauritania	24008		
Mauritius	3785	[Oct 1, 2021] Vaccinated travellers are required to present a negative PCR test taken within 72 hours of departure. Unvaccinated travellers are required to stay in an official quarantine hotel for 14 days, and take a test upon arrival and on day 7 and day 14.	
Mayotte	19474		[Mar 20, 2020] Government bans flights with passengers coming for tourism, family visits, and family ceremonies.
Mexico	2748518		
Monaco	2796	[Jan 19, 2021] Travellers are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to arrival.	
Mongolia	157974	[May 10, 2021] All travellers are required to present a negative result of COVID-19 PCT test taken within 72 hours before departure. Non-vaccinated travellers are required to undergo a 7-day quarantine at designated facilities and PCR tests will be taken during quarantine period. Fully vaccinated travellers are required to present proof of vaccination, or those who are diagnosed with an infection and fully recovered upon presenting antibody test result or other medical document. They are exempted from quarantine.	
Montenegro	101196	[Jul 27, 2020] Allows entry to travellers from a list of specified countries, including China, without additional restrictions.	
Montserrat	21	[Jun 20, 2021] Allows entry of Montserratians and residents, crew members, immediate family or dependent of the aforementioned categories, and persons with permission of the Minister of Health. All travellers are required to have a negative result of PCR or RNA COVID-19 test taken no earlier than 5 days prior to entry. Fully vaccinated travellers are required to undergo a 5-day quarantine and undergo COVID-19 test between day 3 and 4. Non-vaccinated travellers are required to undergo a 14-day quarantine and take a test within 24 hours of entry as well as between days 12 and 14.	
Morocco	581477	[Jun 15, 2021] Allows entry to	[Jun 15, 2021] Resumes

		travellers from a list of places (Mainland China and Hong Kong are included) if they have a vaccination certificate or a negative result of PCR test taken within 48 hours before entry.	international flights.
Mozambique	111723	[Oct 29, 2020] Resumes tourist visas. Visitors are not required to quarantine on arrival if they present a negative PCR test not older than 72 hours.	
Myanmar	279119	[Jun 15, 2021] All foreign travellers are required to present laboratory evidence of absence of COVID-19 infection issued no more than 72 hours prior to departure and are subject to a 10-day hotel quarantine. Diplomats are required to undergo a 10-day home/hotel quarantine. All travellers will be tested on Day 3 and 7 during quarantine.	[May 30, 2021] Suspension of International Flights Operation extended till Jun 30, 2021.
Namibia	116964	[Sept 1, 2020] Allows international tourists to enter Namibia through Hosea Kutako International airport only. Any person entering Namibia must present a proof of a negative result of COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours before arrival.	[Sept 11, 2020] Some commercial flights are tentatively scheduled to commence.
Nepal	685673	[Dec 11, 2020] Resumes issuance of tourist entry visa from Nepali diplomatic missions abroad. Requires all foreigners, with some exceptions, to obtain a tourist entry visa from the missions or a pre-approval/recommendation letter from the concerned ministries for ensuring their on-arrival visa. [Apr 26, 2021] Travellers are required to submit COVID-19 negative report of swab taken within 72 hours of boarding and proof of hotel booking for 10 days hotel quarantine to ensure arrival permission. Chinese nationals arriving through land routes should also obtain a visa to enter.	[May 31, 2021] Opens schedule flights to three countries (China, Qatar and Turkey) with one flight per week by each single airline of respective countries.
Netherlands	1847372	[Dec 29, 2020] Travellers from countries where the risk of contracting COVID-19 is low (a safe country) are not required to present a negative COVID-19 test result or undergo self-quarantine upon arrival. This exemption can apply to China, including Hong Kong and Macao, only if China lifts entry restrictions on European	[Apr 24, 2020] Government lifts the ban on incoming flights.

		travellers. [Jun 24, 2021] Travel ban is lifted for travellers from Hong Kong and Macao. No negative test result or self-quarantine is required.	
New Caledonia	133	[Sept 14, 2020] Closes all borders.	[Jan 4, 2021] Suspends all flights to New Caledonia, with the exception of repatriation and freight flights.
New Zealand	2507	[Oct 5, 2020] Denies entry to travellers with some exceptions. Travellers to New Zealand from all countries must complete a 14-day stay in managed isolation or quarantine. [Jan 18, 2021] Passengers from any destination excluding Australia, Antarctica and some Pacific Island nations are required to undergo Day 0/1 testing upon arrival in New Zealand. [Jan 26, 2021] Extends pre-departure testing to all passengers to New Zealand except from Antarctica and most Pacific Islands. [Jun 29, 2021] Travellers from Australia are required to have a negative PCR or RT-PCR pre-departure test for entry.	[Oct 25, 2020] Air New Zealand resumes international flights, including flights to and from Hong Kong.
Nicaragua	7313		
Niger	5600	[Aug 1, 2020] Denies entry to travellers except Nigerien nationals, persons with valid residency and foreign nationals with valid visas. Requires a negative COVID test certificate less than 72 hours old for people who are eligible for entry.	[Aug 1, 2020] Resumes commercial international flights into Niger's international airports.
Nigeria	171324	[Sept 5, 2020] Requires all new arrivals to the country to self-isolate at one location for at least 7 days. [May 4, 2021] Passengers are required to present a negative result of PCR test administered within 72 hours of departure and a permit to travel certificate upon arrival, then proceed to a mandatory 7-day quarantine in selected in-country destination. They have to take another PCR test on the 7th day of arrival and can exit self-isolation if the test result is negative.	[Sept 5, 2020] International commercial flights resume.
North Korea	0	[Jan 21, 2020] Closes its borders to all foreign tourists.	[Jan 31, 2020] Government suspends all flights and trains to and from China.

North Macedonia	156086	[Mar 17, 2020] Closes its land borders and Skopje International Airport to all but Macedonian citizens, diplomats, and people with special permissions.	
Northern Mariana Islands	190		
Norway	136096	[Jan 29, 2021] Closes its borders. Only Norwegian nationals and foreign nationals who reside in Norway will be permitted to enter, with a few exemptions.	
Oman	294526	[Apr 8, 2021] Denies entry to foreign travellers except holders of resident visa and passengers with a visa issued by Oman on or before Apr 5, 2021. All arriving travellers are required to present a negative COVID-19 PCR test conducted within 72 hours prior to arrival and undergo a mandatory quarantine at their own expense for 7 days.	[Oct 11, 2020] Oman Air suspends flights with exceptions from certain countries (China not included).
Pakistan	1011708	[May 26, 2021] International travellers are required to present a negative result of COVID-19 RT-PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure of the travel date.	
Palestine	345030		
Palau	0	[Jun 17, 2021] Travellers must submit proof of complete COVID-19 vaccination with final dose administered at least 14 days prior to departure. They must also provide proof of either a negative result of PCR test taken within 3 days prior to departure or documentation of recovery from COVID-19. They must undergo restriction of movement for 5 days from the date of arrival and will be tested on the 5th day.	
Panama	429949	[Oct 12, 2020] Travellers are required to present a negative COVID-19 PCR or antigen test taken no more than 48 hours prior to their arrival time in Panama.	[Mar 13, 2020] Government bans all cruise ship passengers from disembarking.
Papua New Guinea	17655	[Oct 3, 2020] Travellers should get approval from the Controller's Office and present negative result of PCR test taken within 7 days prior to travel. Travellers, except from certain South Pacific countries, must quarantine at a	[Oct 3, 2020] International flights to and from Australia, Singapore, Hong Kong, Japan and the Solomon Islands resume.

		hotel for 14 days upon arrival.	
Paraguay	449341	[Jun 14, 2021] Travellers are required to have a negative result of COVID-19 test (LAMP, NAAT and RT-PCT are accepted) taken no later than 72 hours prior to departure, and an international medical insurance with coverage of COVID-19 expenses and complete Traveler's Health Information no later than 24 hours before departure. The same rules apply to vaccinated and unvaccinated travellers.	
Peru	2104394	[Jun 21, 2021] Travellers must complete an affidavit and show a negative result of PCR/antigen test taken within 72 hours before check-in or a medical certificate of epidemiological discharge. Quarantine is not required for travellers except those who have made a stopover in South Africa, Brazil and/or India.	[Oct 28, 2020] Resumes international flights of up to 8 hours.
Philippines	1562420	[May 8, 2021] Travellers are required to undergo a 14-day quarantine, 10 of which shall be observed at a pre-booked accredited hotel or facility and the remaining 4 to be completed at home under the monitoring of their respective Local Government Units. They also have to undergo a PCR test on the 7th day of quarantine. [Jun 7, 2021] Foreign nationals not coming from travel-restricted places (Mainland China, Hong Kong and Macao are not on the travel restriction list) are allowed to enter. Passengers who are fully vaccinated in the Philippines are exempted from the PCR test requirement but are required to undergo a 7-day facility-based quarantine. Travellers who received vaccination outside the Philippines are not eligible for the exemption and reduced mandatory quarantine.	
Poland	2882327	[Dec 28, 2020] Travellers are not required to undergo quarantine if they have been vaccinated against COVID-19. [Jan 23, 2021] Travellers with a negative SARS-CoV-2 test result are exempted from undergoing quarantine. The test must be conducted within 48	

		hours prior to arrival.	
Portugal	954669	[Jul 1, 2021] Travellers from selected countries (including China) are allowed to enter for both essential and nonessential travels. They are required to present negative result of PCR test taken 72 hours or rapid antigen test taken 48 hours before boarding. EU Digital COVID Certificate is also accepted. Travellers are also required to fill in a Passenger Locator Card before departure.	
Puerto Rico	144200	[Sept 15, 2020] Requires travellers to demonstrate a negative COVID-19 test result, taken no more than 72 hours prior to departure.	
Qatar	225376	[Jan 9, 2021] All arrivals are required to undergo a COVID-19 test and obtain a virus-free certificate no more than 72 hours before travel and are subject to a one-week hotel quarantine.	[Aug 3, 2020] Qatar Airways gradually resumes international flights.
Republic of Moldova	258713	[Oct 23, 2020] Denies entry to foreigners from “red zone” countries (China is not included), with some exceptions. [Apr 29, 2021] Travellers are required to present a negative result of PCR test performed at most 72 hours before boarding. Those without the document must complete the epidemiological file and undergo self-isolation for 14 days.	
Réunion	34615		[Mar 20, 2020] Government bans flights with passengers coming for tourism, family visits, and family ceremonies.
Romania	1082551	[May 27, 2021] No entry restrictions for travellers from China (including Hong Kong and Macao).	[Sept 10, 2020] Eases commercial flight and travel restrictions to countries with documented COVID-19 case reductions.
Russia	6172812	[Aug 1, 2020] Requires foreign citizens travelling to Russia to provide negative result of COVID-19 test conducted three days before boarding the flight. [Sept 4, 2020] Bans entry of foreign nationals with a few exceptions.	[Sept 4, 2020] Government allows regular international flights to resume, but only to destinations that have met benchmarks for containing the spread of COVID-19. Limited numbers of flights are available to other locations. Air travel remains erratic and subject to cancellations.
Rwanda	63737	[Feb 19, 2021] All travellers are	[Sept 2, 2020] The Kigali

		required to present a negative PCR test result performed within 72 hours prior to departure, take another test on arrival and stay at a designated transit hotel while waiting for the test result.	International Airport is open with limited scheduled flights.
Samoa	0	[May 24, 2021] All travellers have to obtain permission to enter from the Samoa Health Authorities. [Jul 6, 2021] Only fully vaccinated travellers are allowed entry. They are required to present a vaccine certificate, a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours, a blood serology for COVID-19 antibody test result done within 7 days and a medical clearance done within 120 hours before departure. They should expect quarantine for a period determined by the Ministry of Health.	
Saint Barthélemy	1065 •	[Sept 9, 2020] Requires arriving passengers to carry out a PCR test 72 hours before their departure.	
Saint Kitts and Nevis	565	[May 29, 2021] Only fully vaccinated travellers are allowed entry. [Jul 12, 2021] Fully vaccinated travellers must complete the travel authorisation form and upload a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to travel. They are subject to Vacation in Place at a “Travel Approved” hotel for 3 days and can fully integrate into the Federation upon receipt of a negative test result to be taken on day 4.	
Saint Lucia	5520	[Sept 15, 2020] Opens borders to visitors from all countries. [Feb 10, 2021] Travellers are required to present negative result of a PCR test taken no more than 5 days before arrival.	
Saint Martin	2579	[Sept 15, 2020] Requires all travellers originating from a region that is categorised as high or moderate risk to take a RT-PCR test within 120 hours prior to departure. Hong Kong is considered as a high-risk region.	
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	28		
Saint Vincent and	2279	[Jun 10, 2021] All travellers are required to present a negative result of	

the Grenadines		PCR test done no more than 72 hours before arrival. Those from high risk countries (China included) may be tested on arrival and must undergo a 14-day quarantine, and be tested on day 4 and day 7. Fully vaccinated travellers must be tested on arrival and undergo a 48-hour quarantine.	
San Marino	5131	[Jun 30, 2021] Travellers are required to present a certificate of vaccination or possession of antibodies, or a certificate of recovery from COVID-19, and a negative result of molecular or antigenic swab test no later than 48 hours before entry.	
São Tomé and Príncipe	2424	[Sept 11, 2020] Requires all air passengers to present a negative PCR test taken in the 72 hours prior to their arrival.	[Jul 16, 2020] Reopens its airspace to international flights.
Saudi Arabia	519395	[Oct 8, 2020] All travellers over 8 years of age must present a negative result of COVID-19 test conducted within 72 hours prior to boarding. [Jan 3, 2021] Travellers from any country that has recorded cases of the new COVID-19 strain are required to stay out of these countries for at least 14 days, followed by PCR test with negative result before arrival. [May 20, 2021] Non-Saudi citizens and exempted travellers, immunised and unvaccinated groups, are required to present the results of Coronavirus examination taken not exceeding 72 hours from the flight time. Except immunised groups, they are required to undergo institutional quarantine. Exempted groups who received full doses of one of the approved vaccines, are allowed to enter without the need for a quarantine if they present an official vaccination certificate before and upon arrival.	[Sept 15, 2020] International flights resume.
Senegal	57881	[Sept 8, 2020] Requires travellers to present an original COVID-19 test certificate showing a negative result.	
Serbia	720353	[Jan 14, 2021] Travellers are required to present a negative PCR test result not older than 48 hours prior to departure.	
Seychelles	17541	[Apr 1, 2021] Travellers are required to apply for entry through the Health	[Aug 1, 2020] Seychelles International Airport is open for

		Travel Authorisation platform and present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure.	scheduled commercial flights. Government only allows passengers from permitted countries published by the Public Health Authority, including China, to enter the country.
Sierra Leone	6228	[Jul 22, 2020] All passengers are required to present a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to departure and to be tested upon arrival.	
Singapore	64453	<p>[Jan 2021] Launches a new Segregated Travel Lane (STL) named Connect@Singapore to allow entry for a limited number of business, official, and high economic value travellers from all countries who are coming to Singapore for short-term stays of up to 14 days. STL travellers are required to present a valid negative pre-departure COVID-19 PCR test, obtain a PCR test on arrival in Singapore, and Antigen Rapid Tests on days 3, 5, 7, and 11, insofar as the traveller remains accommodated in a “bubble” within appointed facilities, which will have to put in place measures to separate these travellers from other individuals.</p> <p>[Jan 25, 2021] All travellers (including Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents) will need to take a COVID-19 PCR test upon arrival. The prevailing Stay-Home Notice (SHN) requirements, including the PCR test at the end of the SHN, will continue.</p> <p>[Feb 1, 2021] Visitors applying to enter Singapore under the Air Travel Pass and Reciprocal Green Lanes will need to have a travel insurance for their COVID-19-related medical treatment and hospitalisation costs in Singapore, with a minimum coverage of S\$30,000 (about HK\$171,000).</p> <p>[Apr 23, 2021] Travellers from Hong Kong are required to undergo a reduced 7-day SHN, which can be served at their place of residence if suitable. This will apply to travellers who have remained in Hong Kong in the last 14 consecutive days prior to entry. They are subject to an on-arrival COVID-19 PCR test and another PCR test before</p>	<p>[Jun 2, 2020] Travellers will gradually be allowed to transit through Changi Airport. Only passengers travelling with an airline whose transfer route has been approved will be allowed to transit/transfer at Changi Airport, according to the Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore.</p> <p>[Sept 2020] Singapore Airlines operates daily Singapore-Hong Kong flights.</p>

		<p>the end of their 7-day SHN.</p> <p>[May 29, 2021] From 2359 hours, all Singapore citizens and permanent residents entering or transiting through Singapore, except those who have stayed in Australia, Brunei Darussalam, Mainland China, New Zealand, Hong Kong and Macao, throughout the past consecutive 21 days before departure for Singapore, are required to present a valid negative COVID-19 PCR test taken within 72 hours before their flight or ferry to Singapore.</p> <p>[Jun 5, 2021] From 2359 hours, all travellers except those from Hong Kong, Mainland China (excluding Guangdong province), Macao, Australia, Brunei Darussalam and New Zealand are required to serve 21-day SHN at dedicated SHN facilities.</p> <p>[Jul 2, 2021] From 2359 hours, all travellers entering Singapore with travel history to Guangdong province, Mainland China within the last 21 days before departure for Singapore will undergo a COVID-19 PCR test upon arrival, and will not need to serve a 7-day SHN period if the PCR test result is negative. For short-term visitors with travel history to Guangdong province within the last 21 days before departure for Singapore, they can apply for an ATP with immediate effect, for entry into Singapore on or after July 7, 2021. They will undergo a COVID-19 PCR test upon arrival, and will be allowed to go about their activities in Singapore if the test result is negative. All other travellers with travel history to Mainland China (excluding Guangdong province) in the last 21 days prior to travel will continue to be subject to a COVID-19 test upon arrival at the airport, in lieu of their SHN.</p>	
Sint Maarten	2707	<p>[Jun 14, 2021] All travellers arriving by air are required to apply for health pre-authorization before boarding.</p> <p>Travellers residing in and/or travelling from low-risk countries (Mainland China and Hong Kong included) are exempted from the mandatory PCR or</p>	

		antigen test, except those who have visited a high-risk country in the 14 days prior to departure.	
Slovakia	392406	[Nov 15, 2020] Introduces a compulsory COVID-19 test on its borders. People entering the country will either have to produce a negative test no older than 3 days or undergo testing at the respective border check-point. [Feb 17, 2021] Travellers who visited countries other than the EU countries, Island, Norway, Lichtenstein, Northern Ireland or Switzerland within 14 days before arriving in Slovakia, must self-isolate at home or in a quarantine accommodation facility.	
Slovenia	258674	[Jul 10, 2021] Travellers from the "green list" countries/regions (Mainland China, Hong Kong and Macao included) may enter without being ordered to quarantine at home. Upon entry they must provide proof of having resided in an area on the green list for at least five consecutive days prior to entry. The following proof is accepted upon entry: European digital COVID certificate or a COVID certificate of third countries containing the same data; a negative PCR test taken no more than 72 hours; a negative rapid antigen test taken no more than 48 hours; a certificate of recovery from COVID-19; a certificate of vaccination demonstrating that at least 7 days have elapsed since receiving the second dose of Comirnaty vaccine by BioNtech/Pfizer; at least 14 days have elapsed since receiving the second dose of CoronaVac vaccine by Sinovac.	[May 12, 2020] Passenger air transport to international airports in Slovenia is permitted.
Solomon Islands	20	[Mar 22, 2020] Only Solomon Islands citizens and residents are allowed to enter and are required to undergo a 14-day quarantine.	
Somalia	15251		[Mar 18, 2020] Government bans all flights other than humanitarian flights. [Sept 6, 2020] Qatar Airways resumes three-weekly flights to Mogadishu, Somalia.
South Africa	2391223	[Oct 4, 2020] Reinstates free visas for	[Oct 1, 2020] Johannesburg's OR

		travellers from countries/places, including Hong Kong. International travellers will need to present a negative COVID-19 test result that is no more than 72 hours old or face a mandatory 10-day quarantine.	Tambo, Durban's King Shaka and Cape Town International Airports reopen for international travel movement.
South Sudan	11014		
Spain	4368453	[Jun 24, 2021] Lifts travel restrictions of all travellers from Hong Kong. Pre-departure testing and quarantine upon arrival are not required. Travellers are only required to fill out a health control form before departure.	
Sri Lanka	298181	[Apr 7, 2021] Travellers should obtain approval for entry from Sri Lanka Tourism. They are required to take a PCR test within 24 hours after arrival and undergo quarantine in certified hotels. Those who arrive after two weeks of completion of vaccination do not need to undergo quarantine if negative PCR test result is obtained. Foreign travellers who have not taken vaccination or arrive less than two weeks of completion of vaccination have to stay quarantined for 14 days, with another PCR test to be done on day 11 to 14.	
Sudan	37138	[Jan, 2021] All travellers must present a negative COVID 19 PCR test certificate issued within 72 hours of travel.	
Suriname	24875	[Dec 26, 2020] Only opens for essential passenger traffic provided the admission requirements are met. A request must be submitted to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for entry.	
Sweden	1096799	[Mar 19, 2020] Denies entry to foreign nationals arriving from a country not part of the EEA or Switzerland. Exceptions include EEA or Swiss citizens. [Jun 30, 2021] Foreigners residing in a list of countries/regions (Hong Kong and Macao included) are exempted from the entry ban. They are required to present a negative result of COVID-19 test taken within 48 hours before arrival, get tested for COVID-19 upon arrival and 5 days after their arrival, and to self-isolate for one week after arrival.	

Switzerland	711237	[Jun 26, 2021] Travellers from Hong Kong are permitted to enter without having to be tested or to quarantine if they can deliver proof of full COVID-19 vaccination, full recovery or a negative PCR test result before boarding. Non-vaccinated travellers must present a negative PCR test or rapid antigen test and go into quarantine on entry.	
Syrian Arab Republic	25892		
Taiwan	15599	[May 19, 2021] Denies entry to non-Taiwan citizens without a valid Alien Resident Certificate (ARC). Exceptions may be made for individuals who obtain entry permission for emergency or humanitarian reason.	[May 19, 2021] Prohibits transit travellers from entry.
Tajikistan	15080		[Mar 19, 2020] Government closes all airports.
Thailand	543361	[Jan 25, 2021] All non-Thai visitors are required to apply for Certificate of Entry and undergo a 14-day quarantine. [Apr 1, 2021] Travellers with a vaccination certificate (VC) and Covid-19 free certificate (CFC) would be subject to 7-day mandatory quarantine and be tested for COVID-19 once. Those with VCs but without CFCs would be tested twice. Those without VCs and CFCs are required to undergo 10-day mandatory quarantine and be tested twice. The 14-day quarantine period would remain for arrivals from areas where the COVID-19 virus has mutated. [Jul 1, 2021] Fully vaccinated foreigners are allowed to visit Phuket without undergoing mandatory quarantine. [Oct 1, 2021] Fully vaccinated foreigners who hold a vaccine certificate are allowed to visit Phuket, Krabi, Phang-nga, Chiang Mai and Pattaya without undergoing mandatory quarantine. [Jan 1, 2022] Fully vaccinated foreigners who hold a vaccine certificate can enter Thailand without undergoing mandatory quarantine.	[Jul 1, 2021] Direct flights between Phuket and Hong Kong resume.
Timor-Leste	10387	[Mar 4, 2021] All travellers are subject	

		to sanitary control and undergo a 14-day quarantine at a private health establishment or isolation centre established by Timor-Leste.	
Togo	15176		
Trinidad and Tobago	37554	[Jul 17, 2021] Only fully vaccinated travellers are allowed to enter. They are required to apply a T Travel Pass and submit a negative RT-PCR (nasal swab) test result taken no earlier than 72 hours prior to arrival.	
Tunisia	573394	[Nov 16, 2020] All travellers regardless of the point of origin must possess a COVID-19 PCR test certificate with a negative result issued within 72 hours before arrival in Tunisia.	
Turkey	5618417	[Mar 15, 2021] International passengers are required to fill in the Turkey Entry Form within 72 hours of their departure. [Jun 30, 2021] Passengers from a list of destinations (including China and Hong Kong), who have been vaccinated at least 14 days before entrance and/or a proof of recovery from Covid-19 within the last 6 months starting from the 28th day of the first positive PCR test result, do not need to submit a negative PCR test result. Quarantine does not apply to these passengers. Those who cannot submit a vaccine certificate or proof of previous infection, are required to submit a negative result of PCR test taken within 72 hours prior to arrival or antigen test taken within 48 hours prior to arrival. This requirement is not applicable for transit and transfer passengers. There will be no PCR test requirement and quarantine for the crew.	[Jun 11, 2020] All flights are allowed from/to any Turkish aerodromes. [Jun 25, 2020] Turkish Airlines resumes Hong Kong-Istanbul flights.
Turks and Caicos Islands	2466	[May 15, 2020] Turks and Caicos Islanders, permanent residents who ordinarily reside on the Islands, and Residence Permit holders who are married to Turks and Caicos Islanders are allowed to enter into the islands by international air travel. [Jul 22, 2020] Reopens to all travellers with a negative COVID-19 PCR test result within five days of travel.	
Uganda	92724	[May 27, 2021] Travellers from places of category 3 (including Mainland	

		China and Hong Kong) are exempted from a PCR COVID-19 test at the points of entry if they do not present with symptoms.	
Ukraine	2249344	[Mar 24, 2021] All travellers must have a certificate of insurance issued by an insurance company registered in Ukraine, which covers the costs related to the treatment of COVID-19 and is valid for the entire period of stay in Ukraine. Travellers, regardless of age, must also present a negative result of testing for COVID-19 by PCR that was done no more than 72 hours before entering Ukraine's border.	[Jun 15, 2020] Resumes international scheduled passenger flights.
United Arab Emirates	673185	[Jun 1, 2020] Allows foreign nationals holding valid residence visa to return to the UAE. [Mar 8, 2021] Travellers on a direct flight from Mainland China or Hong Kong are exempted from quarantine. A negative COVID-19 PCR test taken within 72 hours before flight departure is required. Travellers are also required to undergo COVID-19 PCR test upon arrival and self-isolate at home or at hotel until negative result is obtained. Another PCR test on day 6 and day 12 of arrival is required.	
United Kingdom	5745526	[4am on Jul 19, 2021] Travellers from a place on the green list (including Hong Kong) are required to take a test before and upon arrival. No quarantine is required unless the test result is positive. Fully vaccinated travellers from a place on the amber list (including Mainland China and Macao) are not required to quarantine or take a day 8 COVID-19 test. Those who are not fully vaccinated are required to undergo quarantine for 10 days and take 2 COVID-19 tests.	
United Republic of Tanzania	609	[Aug 5, 2020] Allows all travellers for entry without 14-day mandatory quarantine.	
United States	34548847	[Jan 26, 2021] Requires all air passengers to get a viral test (a test for current infection) within the 3 days before their flight to the U.S. departs, and provide written documentation of their laboratory test result (paper or	

		<p>electronic copy) to the airline or provide documentation of having recovered from COVID-19. If a passenger does not provide documentation of a negative test or recovery, or chooses not to take a test, the airline must deny boarding to the passenger.</p> <p>[May 10, 2021] CDC issues Level 1: Low Level of COVID-19 travel health notice for Mainland China and Level 1: Low Level of COVID-19 travel health notice for Hong Kong.</p> <p>[May 10, 2021] State Dept re-issues travel advisory for China, including Hong Kong, to Level 3: Reconsider Travel due to arbitrary enforcement of local laws for Mainland China and due to both arbitrary enforcement of local laws and COVID-19-related travel restrictions for Hong Kong.</p>	
Uruguay	380431	[Nov 2020] Only Uruguayan nationals, permanent residents and some foreigners with exceptions are allowed to enter Uruguay with a proof of negative RT-PCR test conducted up to 72 hours before the trip.	
Uzbekistan	125784	[Dec 25, 2020] Travellers are required to provide a PCR certificate for COVID-19 with a negative result taken no more than 72 hours before departure and to undergo express testing for coronavirus upon arrival at their expense.	
Vanuatu	3	[Aug 5, 2020] Only Vanuatu citizens, permanent residents, valid residency visa holders and certain categories of foreigners are allowed to enter. Travellers are required to register in the Vanuatu Electronic Traveller System for approval to enter. They have to present a negative result of COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours prior to arrival, undergo a 14-day quarantine in a government-designated facility and to take additional tests on days 5 and 11.	
Venezuela	299822		
Vietnam	117121	[Mar 22, 2020] No entry and visa suspension for all foreign nationals until further notice, except for those travelling for official or diplomatic purposes. The travel ban also applies to	[Dec 1, 2020] Temporarily suspends all commercial flights into the country except repatriation flights for people in difficult situations and special

		those who currently hold visas or visa letters. [Jul 14, 2021] All foreign arrivals are required to undergo a 14-day quarantine, followed by another 14-day of medical surveillance at home or place of residence except for arrivals for business purposes with duration of stay shorter than 14 days, and other cases specified by the National Steering Committee for COVID-19 Prevention and Control or the Ministry of Health.	circumstances.
Wallis and Futuna	454		
Yemen	7012		[Mar 18, 2020] Government suspends all flights to and from airports under its control.
Zambia	192316	[Jul 2020] Travellers are required to present a negative PCR test result conducted within 72 hours prior to departure. Random testing will be conducted for quality assurance purpose on selected passengers presenting negative result at airports.	[Jul 2020] Government reopens international airports.
Zimbabwe	99944	[Oct 1, 2020] Allows travellers arriving at airports with a negative PCR COVID-19 test result within 48 hours from date of departure for entry.	

IV. Travel Restrictions Imposed by Cruise Lines

Cruise Line	Restriction
Cruise Lines International Association (CLIA) global cruise lines: AIDA Cruises, American Cruise Lines, Azamara, Carnival Cruise Line, Celebrity Cruises, Celestyal Cruises, Costa Cruises, Crystal Cruises, Cunard Line, Disney Cruise Line, Holland America Line, MSC Cruises, Mystic Cruises, Norwegian Cruise Line, Oceania Cruises, Pearl Seas Cruises, PONANT Yacht Cruises and Expeditions, Princess Cruises, Regent Seven Seas Cruises, Royal Caribbean International, Scenic Luxury Cruises and Tours, Seabourn, SeaDream Yacht Club, Silversea Cruises, TUI Cruises, Virgin Voyages, Windstar Cruises For member updates: https://cruising.org/en/cruise-industry-covid-19-facts-and-resources#memberline	[May 5, 2021] Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) released the next two phases of the Framework for Conditional Sailing Order (CSO) for cruise ships operating or seeking to operate in the US waters. For details: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/returning-cruise-voyages.html

V. WHO recommendations for international traffic in relation to COVID-19 outbreak

[Jul 2, 2021] WHO recommends that national authorities continue to apply a risk-based approach when implementing measures related to COVID-19 and international travel while respecting the dignity, human rights and fundamental freedoms of travellers. This approach should consider the risk posed by travel for the

importation and exportation of cases in the context of the evolving epidemiology, including the emergence and circulation of virus variants of concern; the expansion of the COVID-19 vaccination roll-out; and lessons learned while responding to the pandemic, including on the early detection and management of cases and the application of public health and social measures.

WHO recommends that Member States:

- not require proof of COVID-19 vaccination as a mandatory condition for entry to or exit from a country.
- consider a risk-based approach to the facilitation of international travel by lifting measures, such as testing and/or quarantine requirements, to individual travellers who:
 - were fully vaccinated, at least two weeks prior to travelling; or
 - have had previous SARS-CoV-2 infection as confirmed by real time RT-PCR (rRTPCR) within the 6 months prior to travelling and are no longer infectious as per WHO's criteria for releasing COVID-19 patients from isolation.
- if testing and/or quarantine requirements are lifted for travellers who meet the abovementioned criteria, offer alternatives to travel for individuals who are unvaccinated or do not have proof of past infection.

<https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-Policy-Brief-Risk-based-international-travel-2021.1>

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