



Trade Policy Review Body

**REPORT OF THE TPRB FROM THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL ON
TRADE-RELATED DEVELOPMENTS**

(MID-OCTOBER 2021 TO MID-OCTOBER 2022)

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ANNEX 1 - MEASURES FACILITATING TRADE¹

(MID-MAY 2022 TO MID-OCTOBER 2022)²

Confirmed information³

Measure	Source
Argentina	
01/01/2022: Promulgation of Decree No. 910/2021 resulting in: (i) amendments to the national list of exemptions to the MERCOSUR Common Tariff (100 tariff lines at 8 digit level in NCM Chapters 15; 22; 28; 29; 30; 31; 32; 37; 38; 39; 40; 45; 54; 55; 59; 64; 70; 72; 73; 76; 84; 85; 87); (ii) amendments to the list of imported capital goods (348 tariff lines at 8 digit level in NCM Chapters 84; 85; 86; 87; 90) not locally produced (MERCOSUR Common External Tariff set at 2%); and (iii) elimination of imports tariffs on informatics and telecommunications goods (184 tariff lines at 8-digit level in NCM Chapters 74; 84; 85; 90) (effective 1 January 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (20 May 2022), Decreto No. 910/2021 - Consejo del Mercado Común (30 December 2021)
01/01/2022: Elimination of export duties on certain products (in NCM Chapters 06; 09; 10; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15; 20; 23; 51)	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (20 May 2022), Decreto No. 851/2021 - Derecho de Exportación, Nomenclatura Común del MERCOSUR (14 December 2021)
16/01/2022: Reduction (by 5% points) of export duties on certain products. Elimination of export duties on ecological, biological or organic products	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (20 May 2022), Decreto No. 852/2021 - Derecho de Exportación, Nomenclatura Común del MERCOSUR (14 December 2021)
06/05/2022: Increase of export quota for maize harvested in the season 2021/2022 12/07/2022: Further increase of export quota for maize harvested in the season 2021/2022	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and Secretaría de Agricultura, Ganadería y Pesca, Circular SSMA Nos. 3/2022, 6 May 2022 and 4/2022, 12 July 2022
14/06/2022: Reduction of export duties for certain copper items	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and Boletín Oficial de la República Argentina, Decree 308/2022 (12 June 2022). Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/264479/20220614?busqueda=1
28/08/2022: Introduction of tariff rate quotas with a 2% duty on imports of certain magnesium products	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and MERCOSUR, Trade Commission, Directiva No. 69/2022, 30 June 2022. Viewed at: https://normas.mercosur.int/simfiles/normativas/89760_DIR_069-2022_ES_Acciones%20Puntuales%20Ambito%20Arancelario_NCM%208104.11.00%20AR.pdf

¹ The inclusion of any measure in this Annex implies no judgement by the WTO Secretariat, on the consistency of any measure with the provisions of any WTO agreement.

² Measures may have been grouped for ease of presentation. For details on measures, please refer to <https://tmdb.wto.org/en> as of 6 December following the discussion of WTO Members at the TPRB.

³ This Section includes information that either has been provided by the Member concerned or has been confirmed at the request of the Secretariat.

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29/08/2022: Introduction of tariff rate quotas with a 2% duty on imports of certain dispersed dye (measure in force until 28 August 2023)	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and MERCOSUR, Trade Commission, Directiva No. 64/2022, 30 June 2022. Available at: https://normas.mercosur.int/simfiles/normativas/89726_DIR_064-2022_ES_Acciones%20Puntuales%20Ambito%20Arancelario_NCM%203204.11.00%20AR-Renov.pdf
29/08/2022: Introduction of tariff rate quotas with a 2% duty on imports of certain polyterpenes (measure in force until 28 June 2023)	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and MERCOSUR, Trade Commission, Directiva No. 62/2022, 30 June 2022. Available at: https://normas.mercosur.int/simfiles/normativas/89724_DIR_062-2022_ES_Acciones%20Puntuales%20Ambito%20Arancelario_NCM%203911.90.29%20AR.pdf
Argentina (for Southern Common Market)	
01/09/2022: Modification of the Common External Tariff resulting in reduction of import tariffs on certain presentations of sterile polyurethane bladder catheters	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and MERCOSUR, Mercado Común del Sur, Resolución No. 01/2022, 9 June 2022. Viewed at: https://normas.mercosur.int/simfiles/normativas/89286_RES_001-2022_ES_Modif%20NCM%20y%20AEC.pdf
Australia	
30/03/2022: Reduction of 15% in the non- <i>ad valorem</i> component of customs duty on certain imported fuel products (effective from 30 March to 29 September 2022)	Australian Customs Notice No. 2022/17, 31 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.abf.gov.au/help-and-support-subsite/CustomsNotices/2022-17.pdf
01/07/2022: Customs duty on electric cars, plug-in hybrid vehicles and hydrogen fuel-cell vehicles is set as 'Free'	Notice No. 6 of Intention to Propose Customs Tariff Alterations 2022. Viewed at: https://www.abf.gov.au/help-and-support-subsite/CustomsNotices/2022-34.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (16 September 2022)
04/07/2022: Introduction of import tariff exemptions on certain goods	Australian Government, Tariff Concession Order No. 22/32, and Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (14 October 2022)
11/07/2022: Temporary reduction of duty rate to "zero" for goods that are the produce or manufacture of Ukraine	Notice of Intention to Propose Customs Tariff Alterations (No. 5) 2022. Viewed at: https://www.abf.gov.au/help-and-support-subsite/CustomsNotices/2022-32.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (15 September 2022)
Azerbaijan	
12/05/2022: Decrease of the import tariffs on certain products, effective until 31 December 2022	Permanent Delegation of Azerbaijan to the WTO (20 September 2022) and Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan, Resolution No. 183/2022
01/07/2022: Exemption of a number of imported raw materials and materials from value added tax	Permanent Delegation of Azerbaijan to the WTO (20 September 2022) and Decree of the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan (1 July 2022)
23/08/2022: Decrease of import duty on certain types of petroleum oils, effective until 31 December 2022	Permanent Delegation of Azerbaijan to the WTO (20 September 2022) and Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan, Resolution No. 324/2022

Measure	Source
Belize	
24/03/2022: Change in import tariffs on motor spirit (gasoline) (measure modified in Schedule No. 6 Order, effective from 7 April 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Belize to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Customs and Excise Duties (Amendment of Schedule No. 4) Order 2022
07/04/2022: Change in import tariffs on motor spirit (gasoline) and kerosene tupe jet fuel	Permanent Delegation of Belize to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Customs and Excise Duties (Amendment of Schedule NO. 6) Order 2022
Brazil	
27/10/2021: Reduction of import tariffs on certain medical products by the National Exception List Mechanism of MERCOSUR and elimination of import tariffs on informatics and telecommunication equipment through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on informatics and telecommunication equipment not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 265/2021 (18 October 2021), and Gecex Resolution No. 268/2021 (18 October 2021)
27/10/2021: Reduction of import tariffs on some capital goods and informatics and telecommunication equipment (measure in force until 1 April 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 266/2021 (18 October 2021)
27/10/2021: Elimination of import tariffs on some capital goods through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on capital goods not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 267/2021 (18 October 2021)
07/11/2021: Temporary elimination of import tariffs on disodium sulphate, under an import quota of 455,000 tonnes (effective 7 November 2021 to 5 May 2022); on aluminium not alloyed, under an import quota of 350,000 tonnes (effective 26 November 2021); on certain food preparation, under an import quota of 2,705.41 tonnes (effective 13 December 2021); on other polyethers, under an import quota of 2,000 tonnes (effective 13 December 2021); on acrylic or modacrylic, under an import quota of 9,000 tonnes (effective 13 December 2021); on ball bearings, under an import quota of 1,200 units (effective 13 December 2021); on other paper, paperboard, cellulose wadding and webs of cellulose fibres, under an import quota of 4,000 tonnes (effective 13 December 2021)	Ministério da Economia, Secretaria Especial de Comércio Exterior e Assuntos Internacionais - Portaria Nos. 142 (3 November 2021), 149 (25 November 2021); and Gecex Resolution No. 281 (9 December 2021)
11/11/2021: Temporary reduction/elimination of import tariffs on certain products (in NCM Chapters 01-56; 59; 63-97) (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Gecex Resolution No. 269 (4 November 2021). Viewed at: https://in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/resolucao-gecex-n-269-de-4-de-novembro-de-2021-357327000
26/11/2021: Reduction of import tariffs on certain products by the National Exception List Mechanism of MERCOSUR (including Informatics and Telecommunication Equipment Exception List)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 270/2021 (18 November 2021), and Gecex Resolution No. 271/2021 (18 November 2021)
29/11/2021: Introduction of simplified procedures for import of used material and goods, related to the transfer to Brazil of industrial units, production lines and production cells	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022) and Secex Ordinance No. 156 29 November 2021. Viewed at: https://in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/portaria-secex-n-156-de-29-de-novembro-de-2021-363138816
29/11/2021: Reduction of import tariffs (to 0%) on informatics and telecommunication equipment and on some capital goods through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on capital goods not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 276/2021 (19 November 2021) and Gecex Resolution No. 277/2021 (19 November 2021)
01/12/2021: Further reduction of import tariffs (from 25% to 20%) on tricycles, scooters, pedal cars and similar wheeled toys; dolls' carriages; dolls; other toys; reduced-size ("scale") models and similar recreational models, working or not; puzzles of all kinds	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 May 2021) and Gecex Resolution No. 121 (17 November 2020)
14/12/2021: Elimination of import tariffs on some capital goods and elimination of import tariffs on informatics and telecommunication equipment through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on informatics and telecommunication equipment not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 279/2021 (6 December 2021) and Gecex Resolution No. 280/2021 (6 December 2021)

Measure	Source
15/12/2021: Reduction on 15 December 2021 of import tariffs to 0% for infant formulas for children with food allergies, under 800 tonnes of quota; food preparations destined to patients requiring anti-inflammatory and reparative action of the intestinal mucosa, under the quota of 1,905.41 tonnes; infant formulas for children with allergy to cow's milk protein; infant formulas for children with lactose intolerance; food preparations destined to paediatric or adult patients with gastrointestinal intolerance or difficulty in absorbing intact protein; infant formulas intended for infants and early childhood children with severe allergy to cow's milk and/or lactose restriction. Reduction to 0% of import tax on polyacetal polyether, in aqueous solution, under quota of 2,000 tonnes. Reduction to 0% of import tax on acrylic or modaacrylic under quota of 9,000 tonnes. Reduction to 0% of import tax on radial load ball bearings with steel rings and spheres of sintered silicon nitride, under quota of 1,210 units. Increase the quota volume of polycarbonates from 10,000 tonnes to 20,000 tonnes and reduction of import duty for in-quota products from 4% to 0%	Brazil Official Gazette, 13 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/resolucao-gecex-n-281-de-9-de-dezembro-de-2021-366810261
29/12/2021: Reduction of import tariffs (to 0%) on some capital goods and on informatics and telecommunication equipment through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on informatics and telecommunication equipment not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 282/2021 (21 December 2021) and Gecex Resolution No. 283/2021 (21 December 2021)
31/12/2021: Reduction of import tariffs related to the MERCOSUR Common Market Group Resolution No. 49/19	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 292/2021 (29 December 2021)
01/01/2022: Reduction of import tariffs on certain products by the National Exception List Mechanism of MERCOSUR	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 290/2021 (21 December 2021)
14/01/2022: Reduction of import tariffs related to the MERCOSUR Common Market Group Resolution No. 49/19	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 293/2021 (29 December 2021)
07/02/2022: Reduction of import tariffs (to 0%) on informatics and telecommunication equipment and on some capital goods through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on capital goods not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 296/2022 (28 January 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 297/2022 (28 January 2022)
10/02/2022: Reduction of import tariffs on certain products by the National Exception List Mechanism of MERCOSUR	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 295/2022 (28 January 2022), and Gecex Resolution No. 298/2022 (28 January 2022)
09/03/2022: Reduction of import tariffs of automotive products and on other products by the National Exception List Mechanism of MERCOSUR (Informatics and Telecommunication Equipment Exception List)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 307/2022 (24 February 2022), and Gecex Resolution No. 311/2022 (24 February 2022)
09/03/2022: Reduction of import tariffs (to 0%) on some capital goods and on informatics and telecommunication equipment through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on informatics and telecommunication equipment not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 308/2022 (24 February 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 309/2022 (24 February 2022)
12/03/2022: Reduction of import tariffs on certain products by the National Exception List Mechanism of MERCOSUR	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 306/2022 (24 February 2022)
23/03/2022: Reduction of import tariffs on certain products by the National Exception List Mechanism of MERCOSUR, such as coffee, margarine, cheese, pasta, sugar, soy oil and ethanol (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 317/2022 (22 March 2022)
01/04/2022: Reduction of import tariffs of products from the aeronautical sector and reduction of import tariffs (to 0%) on informatics and telecommunication equipment through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on informatics and telecommunication equipment not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 310/2022 (24 February 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 320/2022 (23 March 2022)
02/04/2022: Reduction of import tariffs related to the MERCOSUR Common Market Group Resolution No. 49/19	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 316/2022 (22 March 2022)

Measure	Source
19/05/2022: Inclusion of certain products to Annex IV of Resolution 272/2021 resulting in the reduction of import tariffs of said products through the National Exception List Mechanism and simultaneous increase of in-volume quota of tennis rackets; 23/05/2022: Inclusion of "cultures of micro-organisms, freeze-dried or frozen, used as dairy yeast in the preparation of milk derivatives or as yeasts for carnic sausages" in Annex IV of Res. 272/2021 resulting in the reduction of import tariffs on said products; 01/08/2022: Inclusion of certain types of discontinuous polypropylene fibres and some electric heating resistors to Annex IV of Res. 272/2021 resulting in import tariff reduction on said products; 29/08/2022: Inclusion of 19 new products to the list of Annex IV of Res. 272/2021 resulting in reduction of import tariffs and simultaneous increase of in-volume quota for high-tenacity polyester multifilament yarns; 26/09/2022: Inclusion on 26 September 2022 of more products to the list of Annex IV of Res. 272/2021 resulting in the reduction of their import tariffs	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolutions Nos. 340/2022 (9 May 2022), 365/2022 (15 July 2022), 380/2022 (22 July 2022), 383/2022 (19 August 2022) and 396/2022 (14 September 2022)
16/05/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariffs on some capital goods and informatics and telecommunication equipment through the "ex-out" regime (mechanism designed to temporarily reduce import tariffs on capital goods and informatics and telecommunication equipment not locally produced)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution Nos. 338/2022 and 339/2022 (9 May 2022), 344/2022 and 345/2022 (19 May 2022), 356/2022 and 357/2022 (20 June 2022), 375/2022 and 376/2022 (26 July 2022), 394/2022 and 395/2022 (30 August 2022)
05/05/2022: Inclusion of Annex VIII in Gecex Resolution 272/2021 resulting in introduction of tariff free quotas on imports of wheat and meslin products	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 332/2022 (4 May 2022)
12/05/2022: Inclusion of certain products to The National Exception List Mechanism, resulting in reduction of import tariffs on these products	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 341/2022
12/05/2022: Reduction to zero of import tariffs for certain agricultural products (wheat, meat, biscuits and others)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (20 May 2022), Gecex Resolution No. 341 (11 May 2022)
19/05/2022: Reduction of import tariffs on a certain type of amine-function compounds	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 340/2022 (9 May 2022)
27/05/2022: Elimination of import duties on several IT and telecommunication products	Official Gazette, Gecex Resolution No. 345/2022 (19 May 2022). Viewed at: https://www.in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/resolucao-gecex-n-345-de-19-de-maio-de-2022-401495532
27/05/2022: Inclusion on 27 May 2022 of certain types of trucks, trailers, semi-trailers, agricultural and road machinery in the Single Annex to Resolution 311/2022, resulting in elimination of import tariffs on said products; 28/06/2022: Inclusion on 28 June 2022 of four more products to the list of duty-exempted trucks, trailers, semi-trailers, agricultural and road machinery (listed in the Single Annex to Res. 311/2022); 20/07/2022: Removal on 20 July 2022 of self-propelled boring or sinking machinery and a certain type of dumpers from the Single Annex to Res. 311/2022 and inclusion of a few more products to the list in the same Annex	Gecex Resolution Nos. 346/2022 (19 May 2022), 361/2022 (20 June 2022), 370/2022 (20 July 2022)
01/06/2022: Reduction on 1 June 2022 of import tariffs on 6,195 products to mitigate the effects of supply shocks caused by the pandemic and the international crisis in the Brazilian economy	Gecex Resolution No. 353/2022 (23 May 2022). Viewed at: https://www.in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/resolucao-gecex-n-353-de-23-de-maio-de-2022-402126532 , on 3 August 2022
01/06/2022: Reduction on 1 June 2022 of import tariffs for several electrical machinery products, some types of vehicles and some X-ray devices	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 347/2022

Measure	Source
01/06/2022: Elimination from 1 June 2022 to 31 May 2023 of import tariffs for specific import quotas on certain polycarbonates, certain plastic sheets, certain graphite articles, certain flat-rolled steel products, iron roller chains, certain aluminium products and certain vehicle parts; 01/06/2022: Temporary increase from 1 to 15 June 2022 of in volume quotas for certain microcapsules (measure in force until 31 May 2023)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 349/2022 (19 May 2022)
24/06/2022: Introduction of tariff-free or low rate tariff quotas for imports of eight products (persulphates, human soroalbumine, mancozeb technical, certain polyethers, certain aminoresins, certain carboys and certain pedals)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 354/2022
01/07/2022: Inclusion of game consoles to the List of Exceptions to the Common External Tariff (LETEC) resulting in a reduction on import tariffs; 01/08/2022: Inclusion of polypropylene in the LETEC; 05/08/2022: Inclusion of 5 more products in the LETEC (such as certain types of glyphosate, ethylene, propylene, poly(vinyl chloride) and poly(ethylene terephthalate)); 01/09/2022: Inclusion of some concentrates of protein substances, food supplements, albumins, and clothing articles to the LETEC	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolutions No. 362/2022 (21 June 2022), 369/2022 (20 July 2022), 374/2022 (20 July 2022), 381/2022 (3 August 2022), 388/2022 (22 August 2022)
Canada	
09/06/2022: Granting of remissions to imports of Ukrainian goods from 9 June 2022 to 9 June 2023	Permanent Delegation of Canada to the WTO (21 September 2022) and Government of Canada, Customs Notice 22-12: Ukraine Goods Remission Order (9 June 2022). Viewed at: https://www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca/publications/cn-ad/cn22-12-eng.html
China	
01/05/2022: Temporary reduction to zero of interim tariff rates on imports of coal (effective until 31 March 2023)	Permanent Delegation of China to the WTO, 21 September 2022 and the Customs Tariff Commission of the State Council (SCTC) Announcement [2022] No. 6. Viewed at: http://gss.mof.gov.cn/gzdt/zhengcefabu/202204/t20220428_3807196.htm
01/08/2022: Simplification of export customs procedures through "direct loading on arrival" operating mode at Tianjin Customs for increase of aluminium exports	General Administration of Customs, 4 August 2022. Viewed at: http://www.customs.gov.cn/customs/xwfb34/302425/4497099/index.html
01/09/2022: Introduction of special duty rates of zero on imports of products in 98% of tariff lines originating in 16 countries (Togo, Eritrea, Central African Republic, Guinea-Conakry, Rwanda, Sudan, Chad, Djibouti, Mozambique, Cambodia, Bangladesh, Laos, Nepal, Kiribati, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu)	Customs Tariff Commission of the State Council (SCTC) Announcement [2022] No. 8. Viewed at: http://gss.mof.gov.cn/gzdt/zhengcefabu/202007/t20200715_3550048.htm
Colombia	
31/12/2021: Reduction of import tariffs and establishment of quotas for the import of motor vehicles	Dirección de Comercio Exterior de Colombia, 30 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.mincit.gov.co/getattachment/1d1a30a3-7b25-41e1-a3ea-1e2a1af1dce9/Circular-033-del-30-de-diciembre-de-2021.aspx
15/01/2022: Partial modification of tariffs and introduction of tariff quotas for import of certain automobiles (measure in force until 31 December 2023)	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Ministerio de Comercio, Industria y Turismo, Decreto No. 1880 (30 December 2021) and Decreto 1514 (4 August 2022)

Measure	Source
03/03/2022: Reduction to 0% of import tariffs on products affecting the basic household consumption basket	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Decreto No. 307, Ministerio de Comercio, Industria y Turismo (3 March 2022). Viewed at: https://dapre.presidencia.gov.co/normativa/normativa/DECRETO%20307%20DEL%203%20DE%20MARZO%20DE%202022.pdf
04/04/2022: Reduction to 0% of import tariff for imports of agricultural products (measure in effect for 6 months for 36 subheadings and for 12 months for the remaining 36 subheadings)	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Decreto No. 504, Ministerio de Comercio, Industria y Turismo (4 April 2022). Viewed at: https://dapre.presidencia.gov.co/normativa/normativa/DECRETO%20504%20DEL%204%20DE%20ABRIL%20DE%202022.pdf
05/06/2022: Temporary exclusion of transport and related import costs from the base constituting the import tariff of several products of which many agricultural products (termination on 5 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (22 September 2022) and Decree No. 955/2022 (4 June 2022)
01/07/2022: Temporary exclusion of transport and related import costs from the import tariff of several products of which many agricultural products (termination on 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (22 September 2022) and Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism, Decree No. 1132/2022
11/07/2022: Elimination of import tariffs on wheat for two years	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (22 September 2022) and Ministerio de Comercio, Industria y Turismo, Decree No. 1174/2022
11/07/2022: Elimination of import tariffs on shelled peanuts for one year	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (22 September 2022) and Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism, Decree No. 1175/2022
11/07/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariffs on fertilizers and pesticides (until 5 April 2023)	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (22 September 2022) and Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism, Decree No. 1176/2022
Costa Rica	
17/02/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariffs on beans, under an import quota of 3,286 metric tonnes (effective from 17 February to 15 March 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Costa Rica to the WTO (18 May 2022)
17/06/2022: Elimination of import tariffs on long-chain chlorinated paraffins	Permanent Delegation of Costa Rica to the WTO, 19 September 2022 and Resolution No. 457-2021, Executive Decree No. 43495-Comex, 25 May 2022.
17/06/2022: Elimination of import duties on compound plasticizers for rubber or plastic	Permanent Delegation of Costa Rica to the WTO, 19 September 2022 and Resolution No. 452-2021, Executive Decree No. 43493-Comex, 24 May 2022.
12/08/2022: Elimination of reference prices for rice and reduction of import tariffs for paddy and milled rice	Permanent Delegation of Costa Rica to the WTO (19 October 2022) and Official Gazette of Costa Rica, Resolution No. 43642-MAG-MEIC-COMEX, 3 August 2022. Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?param1=NRTC&param2=1&param3=131913&param4=1&param5=1&param6=1&param7=1&param8=1&param9=1&param10=1&param11=1&param12=1&param13=1&param14=1&param15=1&param16=1&param17=1&param18=1&param19=1&param20=1&param21=1&param22=1&param23=1&param24=1&param25=1&param26=1&param27=1&param28=1&param29=1&param30=1&param31=1&param32=1&param33=1&param34=1&param35=1&param36=1&param37=1&param38=1&param39=1&param40=1&param41=1&param42=1&param43=1&param44=1&param45=1&param46=1&param47=1&param48=1&param49=1&param50=1&param51=1&param52=1&param53=1&param54=1&param55=1&param56=1&param57=1&param58=1&param59=1&param60=1&param61=1&param62=1&param63=1&param64=1&param65=1&param66=1&param67=1&param68=1&param69=1&param70=1&param71=1&param72=1&param73=1&param74=1&param75=1&param76=1&param77=1&param78=1&param79=1&param80=1&param81=1&param82=1&param83=1&param84=1&param85=1&param86=1&param87=1&param88=1&param89=1&param90=1&param91=1&param92=1&param93=1&param94=1&param95=1&param96=1&param97=1&param98=1&param99=1&param100=1

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Dominican Republic	
27/04/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on 67 food products (termination of measure on 27 October 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Dominican Republic to the WTO (19 September 2022) and Official Gazette of the Dominican Republic No. 11064, Law 6-2022 (27 April 2022)
El Salvador	
13/03/2022: Temporary elimination of the Central American Common tariff on imports on certain basic food products and agricultural inputs (until end of March 2023)	Permanent Delegation of El Salvador to the WTO (8 April 2022), Decreto No. 309, publicado en el Diario Oficial No. 51, Tomo No. 434 (13 March 2022)
European Union	
09/11/2021: Change of method of management of the TRQ for garlic and poultry originating in Argentina with a purpose to facilitate trade flows	Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/1928 (31 August 2021)
23/12/2021: Opening of autonomous tariff quotas of the Union for certain agricultural and industrial products	Council Regulation (EU) 2021/2283 (20 December 2021)
29/12/2021: Suspension of Common Custom Tariff duties on certain agricultural and industrial products	Council Regulation (EU) 2021/2278 (20 December 2021)
18/01/2022: Amendments of management system and volumes of some tariff quotas (high quality beef and veal, rice, frozen thin skirt of bovine animals) in order to avoid trade disruptions	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2022/64 (17 January 2022)
08/03/2022: Reduction of import tariff for husked rice other than husked basmati rice	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2022/386 (8 March 2022)
21/04/2022: Quantity amendment for a TRQ for high-quality beef from Paraguay	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2022/663, 21 April 2022 and Permanent Delegation of the European Union to the WTO (19 September 2022)
03/06/2022: The European Union temporarily suspended tariffs on imports from Ukraine	EUR-Lex, Official Journal (EU) 2022/870, 3 June 2022. Viewed at: https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=uriserv%3AOJ.L_.2022.152.01.0103.01.ENG&amp;mp;toc=OJ%3AL%3A2022%3A152%3ATOC
Guatemala	
11/03/2022: Introduction of a temporary tariff free quota on imports of white maize (termination on 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Guatemala to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Acuerdos Ministeriales Nos. 128-2022 and 305-2022
26/04/2022: Introduction of a temporary tariff free quota on imports of yellow maize (termination on 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Guatemala to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Acuerdos Ministeriales Nos. 186-2022 and 327-2022
22/06/2022: Introduction of a temporary tariff free quota on imports of black beans (termination on 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Guatemala to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Acuerdos Ministeriales Nos. 331-2022 and 424-2022
22/06/2022: Introduction of a temporary tariff free quota on imports of rice (in the husk) (termination on 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Guatemala to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Acuerdo Ministerial No. 304-2022
India	
02/02/2022: Reduction of import tariff on certain products, e.g., sea food, diamonds, cocoa beans, fuel oil and others	Permanent Delegation of India to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Notification No. 02/2022-Customs, 1 February 2022
02/02/2022: Amendment of the First Schedule of the Customs Tariffs Act involving reduction of import tariffs on certain products	Indian Ministry of Finance, 2 February 2022. Viewed at: https://www.indiabudget.gov.in/doc/cen/cus0722.pdf
02/02/2022: Reduction of export duties on raw hides and skins of buffalo	Permanent Delegation of India to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Notification No. 10/2022-Customs, 1 February 2022
02/02/2022: Reduction of import tariff on needles for suture	Permanent Delegation of India to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Notification No. 15/2022-Customs, 1 February 2022

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24/02/2022: Amendment in import policy of items under ITC (HS) 8524 and 8525 of Chapter 85 of ITC (HS) 2022, Schedule - I (Import Policy). The import policy is revised from "Restricted" to "Free"	Notification No. 55/2015-2020, Ministry of Commerce and Industry Department of Commerce, Directorate General of Foreign Trade, Notification No. 55/2015-2020, (24 February 2022). Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/83b3ff81-8c71-47f3-9dfb-3ac1f31ab0a9/Notification%2055%20dt%2024-02-22%20Eng-.pdf
19/05/2022: Export of bamboo charcoal is permitted, provided it has been made from legally obtained bamboo	Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 08/2015-2020, 19 May 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/46d92d03-3b29-47fb-a10f-f49ec4ad11ba/Noti%2008%20Eng.pdf
21/05/2022: Exemption from the agriculture and infrastructure cess on the imports of anthracite/pulverized coal injection (PCI) coal and coking coal	Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Notification No. 26/2022-Customs, 21 May 2022. Viewed at: https://egazette.nic.in/WriteReadData/2022/235957.pdf
25/05/2022: Duty-free import quota of crude soybean oil and crude sunflower seed oil	Government of India, Ministry of Finance. Tax information portal, 24 May 2022. Notification No. 30/2022-Customs. Viewed at: https://taxinformation.cbic.gov.in/view-pdf/1009316/ENG/Notifications
21/06/2022: Temporary permission of imports of watermelon seeds without requiring an import license (until 30 September 2022)	Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Amendment to the Notification No. 13, 21 June 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/2c76478f-f4c1-49d1-af0f-7b65e2c8c00d/Notification%2013%20dt%2021-06-22%20Eng.pdf
20/07/2022: Removal of excise duty applicable on exports of petrol	Ministry of Finance - Notification No. 20/2022-Central Excise, 19 July 2022. Viewed at: https://taxinformation.cbic.gov.in/view-pdf/1009467/ENG/Notifications
01/08/2022: Withdrawal of an approval requirement on the import of malonylurea (barbituric acid) and its salts	Directorate General of Foreign Trade Notification No. 23/2015-2020, 1 August 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/1150cbb2-82d0-4044-86be-a043b13c9491/Notification%2023%20dt%2001-08-22%20Eng.pdf
05/08/2022: Increase of sugar export quota for the 2021-2022 season	Press Release of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, 5 August 2022. Viewed at: https://pib.gov.in/PressReleaseDetail.aspx?PRID=1848868
25/08/2022: Removal of import licensing requirement on artemia cyst	Ministry of Commerce and Industry - Directorate General of Foreign Trade Notification No. 28/2015-2020, 25 August 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/4612992f-137a-4ac8-b5ff-50fb245c1cb9/Notification%2028%20dt%2025-08-22%20Eng.pdf
31/08/2022: Reduction of import tariff value applicable on certain goods (including agricultural)	Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC) under the Indian Ministry of Finance, Notification No. 72/2022-Customs. Viewed at: https://www.cbic.gov.in/resources//htdocs-cbec/customs/cs-act/notifications/notfns-2022/cs-nt2022/csnt72-2022.pdf

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Iraq	
10/03/2022: Elimination of custom duty on import of essential goods of foodstuffs, construction materials and consumables	Permanent Delegation of Iraq (27 April 2022)
10/03/2022: Removal of all import bans on imports of foodstuffs, consumables and medicines for two months (decision to be reconsidered at the end of the period)	Permanent Delegation of Iraq (27 April 2022)
Japan	
01/04/2022: Reduction of import tariff on certain women's or girl's blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses	Permanent Delegation of Japan to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Japanese Official Gazette Extra Special No. 37 (31 March 2022)
01/04/2022: Repeal of temporary import tariff rate on normal paraffins	Permanent Delegation of Japan to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Japanese Official Gazette Extra Special No. 37 (31 March 2022)
Kenya	
20/05/2022: Duty-free importation of 540'000 metric tonnes of white non-GMO maize grain	Gazette Notice No. 5544, 20 May 2022. Viewed at: http://kenyalaw.org/kenya_gazette/gazette/volume/MjU5OA--/Vol.CXXIV-No.93/
Korea, Republic of	
12/11/2021: Temporary elimination of import tariff on LNG (from 2% to 0%); 01/05/2022: Extension of period of application of the measure until 31 July 2022; 20/07/2022: Further extension of period of application of the measure until 31 December 2022	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (17 October 2022); Decrees of the President Nos. 32117/2021; 32602/2022 and 32818/2022
12/11/2021: Temporary elimination of import tariff on Urea (termination of measure on 30 June 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Decree No. 32119 of the President
18/03/2022: Elimination of import tariff for medicine of Neurofibromatosis type 1	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Enforcement Regulation of the Customs Act (Article 79-3)
19/04/2022: Temporary expansion of Minimum Market Access (import quotas for low tariff rate) for flour, meal powder, flakes, granules and pellets of potatoes, soya beans for food manufacturing and ground-nuts, prepared or preserved (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (28 April 2022); and Ministry of Economy and Finance, Decree No. 914
27/04/2022: Extension of import quotas for elimination of tariff on unhulled barley and bran (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (17 October 2022); and Decree No. 32602 of the President
01/05/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on potatoes for producing chips (measure in force until 30 November 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (28 April 2022); and Decree No. 32602 of the President
01/05/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on rare gases (Neon, Krypton, Xenon) (measure terminates on 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (28 April 2022); and Decree No. 32602 of the President
22/06/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on crude oil for manufacturing naphtha until 30 September 2022 and application of 0.5% import tariff until 31 December 2022	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea (17 October 2022)
22/06/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on meat of swine, eggs and egg products, wheat, wheat flour, soybean oil, sunflower-seed oil, urea, additives for electrolyte, ferro-chromium and manganese for manufacturing steel (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022)
20/07/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on meat of bovine animals, milk powder, coffee, meat of the poultry, distilled spirit and crude oil for manufacturing jet-fuel (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (17 October 2022)
20/07/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on welsh onions (measure in force until 31 October 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea (20 September 2022)
26/07/2022: Temporary expansion of Minimum Market Access (Import Quotas for Low Tariff Rate) for soya beans and sesamum seeds (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022)

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17/08/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariff on onions and starches (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022)
01/09/2022: Temporary expansion of Minimum Market Access (Import Quotas for Low Tariff Rate) for garlics and manioc starch (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022)
Malaysia	
01/07/2022: Reduction of import duties on some types of prepared glues and certain types of electrical apparatus	Customs Duties Amendment Order 2022. Viewed at: http://www.customs.gov.my/en/pg/Customs%20Order/P.U.(A)%20216%20-Perintah%20Duti%20Kastam%20(Pindaan)%202022.pdf
Mali	
10/11/2021: Reduction of 50% on import duties and taxes for rice, sugar, edible oils and milk powder	Permanent Delegation of Mali to the WTO (27 April 2022) and Communiqué du Conseil des Ministres No. 2021-36/SGG, 10 November 2021
Mauritius	
15/01/2022: Extension of moratorium for banning of specified non-bio single-use plastic products	Permanent Delegation of Mauritius to the WTO (13 April 2022) and the Environment Protection (Control of Single Use Plastic Products) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 - G.N. No. 309 of 2021
29/01/2022: Reduction in the rate of customs duty from 13% to 11% for margarine imported from SADC countries	Permanent Mission of Mauritius to the WTO (13 April 2022) and Custom Tariff (Amendment of Schedule) Regulations 2022 - G.N. No. 15 of 2022
17/05/2022: No import permit shall be required in respect of "companies importing, through inward processing, second-hand motor vehicles for the purpose of re-exporting"	The Consumer Protection (Control of Imports) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 2022 - GN 106 of 2022, and Permanent delegation of Mauritius to the WTO (22 September 2022)
20/06/2022: Removal of customs duty and excise duty on Hybrid and Electric Motor Vehicles	Regulations 3(a)(iii) and (iv) of Customs Tariff (Amendment of Schedule) (No.3) Regulations 2022 - G.N. No. 149 of 2022, and Regulation 3(a) of the Excise (Amendment of Schedule) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 - G.N. No. 150 of 2022. Permanent Delegation of Mauritius to the WTO (22 September 2022)
01/07/2022: The rebate on the amount of customs duty or excise duty payable on certain types of motor vehicles	New item B2 in Sub-part B of Part IIA of the First Schedule to the Customs Tariff Act as per the Customs Tariff (Amendment of Schedule) (No. 5) Regulations 2022 - G.N. No. 264 of 2022, and new items 3 and 4 in Sub-part B of Part IA of the First Schedule to the Excise Act as per the Excise (Amendment of Schedule) (No. 4) Regulations 2022 - G.N. No. 267 of 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Mauritius to the WTO (22 September 2022)
01/07/2022: No import permit shall be required for second-motor vehicles imported by a company holding a Premium Investor Certificate issued by the Economic Development Board, for the purposes of exhibition and display only (Motor Museum)	The Consumer Protection (Control of Imports) (Amendment No. 4) Regulations 2022 - G.N. No. 166 of 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Mauritius to the WTO (22 September 2022)
Mexico	
02/02/2022: Introduction on 2 February 2022 of tariff quota for imports of poultry meat	Diario Oficial de la Federación, 2 February 2022. Viewed at: http://dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5641870&fecha=02/02/2022

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New Zealand	
01/11/2021: Elimination on 1 November 2021 of import tariff on animal feed supplement	New Zealand Custom Service, 23 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.customs.govt.nz/globalassets/documents/tariff-concession-notices/tariff-concession-approval-notice-52-2021.pdf
01/11/2021: Tariff concession on fish oils, firm-specific on GMP Pharmaceuticals Limited	New Zealand Custom Service, 27 January 2022, Extract from NZ Gazette, 8 July 1999, No. 3. Viewed at: https://www.customs.govt.nz/globalassets/documents/tariff-concession-notices/tariff-concession-approval-notice-03-2022.pdf
01/11/2021: Elimination of imports tariffs on of excential selenium preparations for animal feeding	New Zealand Custom Service, 13 January 2022, Viewed at: https://www.customs.govt.nz/globalassets/documents/tariff-concession-notices/tariff-concession-approval-notice-01-2022-.pdf
01/11/2021: Elimination on 1 November 2021 of import duty on glass breakers. Firm-specific measure on Visy Recycling MRFS Limited company	New Zealand Custom Services, 13 January 2022. Viewed at: https://www.customs.govt.nz/globalassets/documents/tariff-concession-notices/tariff-concession-approval-notice-01-2022-.pdf
Norway	
01/01/2022: Reduction in the applied MFN rate for 4 types of live poultry from 555% to 327%	Permanent Delegation of Norway to the WTO (19 September 2022)
Pakistan	
01/12/2021: Introduction on 21 December 2021 of import tariffs exemption for Afghanistan for bituminous coal, other coal, talc marble (crude or roughly trimmed), plants and parts of plants (including seed and fruit), seeds of cumin neither crushed nor grounded, sulphur of all kinds, other than sublimed sulphur, yams (<i>Discorea</i> spp.), containers (including containers for the transport of fluids) (measure terminates on 30 June 2022)	Ministry of Finance and Revenue of Pakistan, 21 December 2021. Viewed at: https://download1.fbr.gov.pk/SROs/202112231012414364SRO1609-2021.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
21/12/2021: Introduction on 21 December 2021 of tariff exemption on import of marble (crude or roughly trimmed) from Afghanistan and reduction of import duty of ground nuts in shell from Afghanistan from 20% to 10%.; 01/03/2022: Introduction on 01 March 2022 of tariff reduction on pine nut (chilgoza) from 10% to 0% imported from Afghanistan (measure in force until 20 June 2022)	Pakistan, Customs Notification S.R.O.1610(I)/2021, 21 December 2021. Viewed at: https://download1.fbr.gov.pk/SROs/202112231012526198SRO1610-2021.pdf ; and Pakistan, Customs Notification S.R.O.322(I)/2022, 1 March 2022. Viewed at: https://download1.fbr.gov.pk/SROs/202232113255192SRO322(I)-2022.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
10/06/2022: Temporary exemption from a 2% additional customs duty on edible palm oil imports	Ministry of Finance and Revenue of Pakistan through SRO 805(I)/2022, 20 June 2022. Viewed at: https://download1.fbr.gov.pk/SROs/2022621116151518SRO805-2022.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
31/08/2022: Exemption of imports of onions and tomatoes from the sales tax (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Federal Board of Revenue - SRO 1640(I)/2022, 31 August 2022. Viewed at: https://download1.fbr.gov.pk/SROs/2022831208318652S.R.1640-ExemptionSalesTax.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)

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09/09/2022: Reduction of the regulatory duty on the imports of certain fresh and dry fruits	SRO 1722(I)/2022 - Ministry of Finance and Revenue, 9 September 2022, viewed at: https://download1.fbr.gov.pk/SROs/202299159414554SRO1722-2022.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
Philippines	
02/12/2021: Exemption from VAT on importation of raw materials, inventories, supplies, equipment, goods, packaging materials	Permanent Delegation of the Philippines to the WTO (25 April 2022). Viewed at: https://firb.gov.ph/download/create-irr-%20amendments/?wpdmdl=2382&refresh=62345271ebce01647596145
02/12/2021: Customs duty exemption for importation of capital equipment, raw materials, spare parts, and accessories	Permanent Delegation of the Philippines to the WTO (25 April 2022). Viewed at: https://firb.gov.ph/download/create-irr-%20amendments/?wpdmdl=2382&refresh=62345271ebce01647596145
15/06/2022: Reduction on 15 June 2022 of import duties on meat of swine, fresh, chilled or frozen, maize, rice and coal (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Philippines to the WTO (16 September 2022) and Executive Order No. 171/2022. Viewed at: https://www.officialgazette.gov.ph/downloads/2022/05may/20220521-EO-171-RRD.pdf on 8 August 2022
Russian Federation	
27/11/2021: Reduction to 5% of export customs duty on aluminium alloys and ferrosilicon until 31 December 2021	Government Resolution No. 1833, 27 October 2021, and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
01/01/2022: Reduction of export customs duties from 10% to 0% on tungsten ores and concentrates (measure in force until 31 December 2023)	Government Resolution No. 2068 (27 October 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
Russian Federation (for Eurasian Economic Union)	
01/01/2022: Establishment of a zero import customs duty rate on latex for carpet production	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 7 (11 January 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on oxides and hydroxides of vanadium	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 115 (12 November 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 8% to 0% on microwave oven transformers	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 121 (29 October 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% and from 3% to 0% on certain types of organic chemical compounds used in the production of chemical protection remedies	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 122 (29 October 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on certain types of complex phosphoric acid esters	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 123 (29 October 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on mancozeb used in the production of plant protection chemicals	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 132 (4 October 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)

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02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on manganese ores and concentrates	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 22 (18 February 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on certain products used for animal feeding	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 142 (26 October 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 3% to 0% on fur raw materials of lambs	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 149 (9 November 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 10% to 0% on vanadium-aluminium ligature used in the production of titanium ingots	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 157 (23 November 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 11% to 5.5% on certain fruit processing products	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 125 (29 October 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
02/01/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 10% to 0% on certain types of cotton fabrics made from yarn of various colours	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 124 (29 October 2021) and the Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
24/03/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on terephthalic acid and its salts	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 21 (18 February 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
24/03/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on certain types of threads	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 22 (18 February 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
28/03/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 10% to 0% on certain types of fish	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 29 (17 March 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
28/03/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 10% to 0% on certain types of fruit mash and fabric made from the wool yarn; from 5% to 0% on aniline and its salts	Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 34 (17 March 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
01/04/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% and from 3% to 0% on cocoa butter, cocoa fat and copper matter	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 44 (22 March 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
01/04/2022: Establishment of the zero import customs duty rate on graphite electrodes	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 193 (28 December 2021) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
10/04/2022: Establishment of the zero import customs duty rate on certain types of components for the production of bicycles	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 50 (29 March 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
16/04/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 5% to 0% on industrial fatty alcohols	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 41 (15 March 2022) and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)

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01/06/2022: Reduction of import customs duties from 7,5% to 0% on certain types of wood cellulose	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 25 as of 15 February 2022, and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO, 20 May 2022 and 19 October 2022
Senegal	
19/12/2021: Extension of application of customs economic regimes to requests for exemption from the oil sector	Permanent Delegation of Senegal to the WTO (19 May 2022)
11/01/2022: Extension of exemption from specific tax on crude oils destined to the production of edible fats or soap and textile products	Permanent Delegation of Senegal to the WTO (19 May 2022)
Serbia	
11/03/2022: Temporary removal of customs duties on crude oil imports (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Serbia (20 May 2022) and Official Gazette No. 32/1138, 10 March 2022
Singapore	
10/03/2022: Exemption from 10 March 2022 from import tax for medical transport vehicles	Permanent Delegation of Singapore to the WTO (10 June 2022) and Singapore Customs Circular No. 02/2022, 10 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.customs.gov.sg/files/Circular_02_2022%20(Ver%201).pdf
South Africa	
06/04/2022: Reduction of import duty imposed on fuels such as petrol, biodiesel and others, until 31 May 2022	Custom and Excise Act, 1964, Amendment of Schedule No. 1 (No. 1/5A/170), (6 April 2022).
15/07/2022: Introduction of a temporary rebate provisions for the importation of primary flat steel products	Permanent Delegation of South Africa to the WTO (20 September 2022) and Government Gazette No. 47015, 15 July 2022
South Africa (for Southern African Customs Union)	
06/06/2022: Reduction of import tariff on sugar	Government Gazette No. 46507, 6 June 2022. Viewed at: https://www.sars.gov.za/wp-content/uploads/Embargo/Tariffs/2022/LAPD-LSec-CE-TA-2022-31-R2137-GG-46507-Sch1P1-1686-To-reduce-rate-of-customs-duty-on-sugar-6-June-2022.pdf
08/09/2022: Elimination of import licensing requirement for certain kinds of printed matter, maps, and calendars	South Africa Revenue Service (SARS). Prohibited, restricted and counterfeit goods, 8 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.sars.gov.za/customs-and-excise/prohibited-restricted-and-counterfeit-goods/
16/09/2022: Elimination of import licensing requirement on certain gaseous hydrocarbons	South Africa Revenue Service (SARS), 16 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.sars.gov.za/whats-new-at-sars/
Switzerland	
01/01/2022: Elimination of the requirement to present a General Importation Permit to import products such as bovine derivatives, grains and others	Permanent Delegation of Switzerland to the WTO (26 April 2022)
01/01/2022: Revocation of the levy of fees on the importation of goods subject to a general import permit	Permanent Delegation of Switzerland to the WTO (26 April 2022)

Measure	Source
Chinese Taipei	
01/12/2021: Temporary reduction of customs tariffs on 18 products including meat of bovine animals and wheat; 01/05/2022: Extension of measure until 30 September 2022	Permanent Delegation of Chinese Taipei to the WTO (23 September 2022). Ministry of Finance Nos. 1101031589, 9 December 2021; 1111003367, 18 February 2022; and 1111008158, 11 April 2022; 1111013587, 9 June 2022
01/01/2022: Lift of import ban on blending oils and other 51 products previously included in the List of Commodities Subject to Import Restriction	Permanent Delegation of Chinese Taipei to the WTO (27 May 2022). Bureau of Foreign Trade Nos. 11004606270 and 1100154088
01/01/2022: Removal of export ban on "hexachlorocyclohexane, including lindane" and nine other products, previously included in the List of Commodities Subject to Export Restriction	Permanent Delegation of Chinese Taipei to the WTO (27 May 2022). Bureau of Foreign Trade Nos. 1100154088 and 11004606270
07/02/2022: Temporary reduction of customs tariffs on four products including milk powder for baking, butter and anhydrous milk fat (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Chinese Taipei to the WTO (27 May 2022). Ministry of Finance Nos. 1111003367, 18 February 2022; 1111008158, 11 April 2022; 1111013587, 9 June 2022 and 1111023366, 23 September 2022
Thailand	
01/01/2022: Duty exemption for items originating from the Republic of the Union of Myanmar	Permanent Delegation of Thailand to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Royal Thai Government Gazette, Vol 138, Special part 320 d, 30 December 2021
01/01/2022: Reduction of import duties on products originated in the Lao People's Democratic Republic	Permanent Delegation of Thailand to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Royal Thai Government Gazette, Vol 138, Special part 320 d, 30 December 2021
01/01/2022: Duty Exemption for Gems and Jewellery Products Imported to be Displayed and Sold in Thailand Gems and Jewellery Fair	Permanent Delegation of Thailand to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Royal Thai Government Gazette, Vol 138, Special part 320 d, 30 December 2021
01/03/2022: Export duty reduction and exemption on wood, sawn wood and articles made of wood	Permanent Delegation of Thailand to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Royal Thai Government Gazette, Vol 139, Special part 49 d, 28 February 2022
20/08/2022: Repeal of notification that prohibited the export of living ornamental fishes resulting in the facilitation of export of living ornamental fishes	Permanent Delegation of Thailand to the WTO (30 September 2022) and The Government Gazette Vol. 139, Special Part 192 Ngor, 19 August 2022
20/08/2022: Repeal of Notification of the Ministry of Commerce governing the export of shellfish and its products resulting in facilitation of export of shellfish and its products	Permanent Delegation of Thailand to the WTO (30 September 2022) and The Government Gazette Vol. 139, Special Part 192 Ngor, 19 August 2022
Türkiye	
26/10/2021: Temporary elimination of import tariffs on safflower seeds (from 23.4%) and crude sunflower oil (from 10%) (measure in force until 30 June 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022)
28/10/2021: Temporary elimination of import tariff on sardines used in the production of prepared or preserved fish (sardines imported for other purposes are subject to 30% import tariff)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Official Gazette of Türkiye (2 February 2022). Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/02/20220202-10.pdf
30/12/2021: Reduction of import tariffs (from 12% to 8%) on cold rolled stainless steel	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022)
01/01/2022: Temporary elimination of import tariffs on lentil, chickpeas, wheat, rye, barley, oats, maize, sorghum, sunflower seeds, safflower seeds and oil; sunflower seed oil (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022)

Measure	Source
01/01/2022: Elimination of import tariffs (from 19.5%) on palm kernel oil used for cosmetics sector products and soap; and on oligofructose used for enteral feeding (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022)
01/01/2022: Elimination of additional customs duty rates on "used or new rags, scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and worn-out articles of twine, cordage, rope or cables, of textile materials"	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022)
24/02/2022: Elimination of additional customs duty rates on some goods	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022)
04/03/2022: Elimination of import tariffs on rape or colza seeds, soya-bean oil, palm oil, safflower oil, rape-colza oil, maize (corn) oil, refined sunflower seed oil (measure in force until 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (28 April 2022) and Official Gazette of Türkiye, No. 31876. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/06/20220624-8.pdf
27/05/2022: Introduction on 27 May 2022 of duty free quotas for imports of beet or cane sugar. Out of quota volumes remain subject to pre-existing tariffs (termination of measure on 15 October 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (20 October 2022) and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31848, Decision of the President No. 5615
24/06/2022: Elimination of additional custom duties of bottles (coloured glass)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Official Gazette of Türkiye N. 31876. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/06/20220624-9.pdf
01/07/2022: Reduction and elimination of tariff duties on several industrial products	Official Gazette of Türkiye, Decree No. 5747. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/06/20220625-3.pdf
22/07/2022: Elimination of customs duties on imports of cane molasses and other molasses used for the production of pastry products, yeasts and feeding products	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31900, 22 July 2022. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/07/20220722-17.pdf on 24 August 2022
25/08/2022: Elimination of import tariffs on fish fillets and on molluscs like cuttle and octopus used for the production of prepared, preserved or canned fishes and molluscs	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31934, 25 August 2022
Ukraine	
17/03/2022: Reduction of tax on oil or crude oil products derived from bituminous minerals to 7%	Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 May 2022) and Supreme Council of Ukraine, document 2120-IX. Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2120-IX#Text
17/03/2022: The excise tax rate of 0 euros per 1,000 litres for motor gasoline, important distillates and scrap gas	Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 May 2022) and On Supreme Council of Ukraine, document 2120-IX. Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2120-IX#Text
21/03/2022: Exemption from the value added tax of the number of waste and billet of ferrous and colour metals, supply operations of which, in particular import operations, until 1 June 2027	Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 May 2022) and Resolution No. 337, 21 March 2022. Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/337-2022-%D0%BF#Text
19/07/2022: VAT exemption for imports of new equipment (machinery) imported by the participants of industrial parks	Law of Ukraine No. 2330-IX, 21 June 2022. Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2330-20#Text and Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (17 October 2022)
17/08/2022: Import duty exemption for goods used for storage of grain and oilseeds	Law of Ukraine No. 2445-IX, 27 July 2022. Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2445-20#Text and Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 September 2022)
30/09/2022: Changes in tax rates on the supply in the customs territory of Ukraine and import into the customs territory of Ukraine of motor gasoline, heavy distillates, liquefied gas, biodiesel, alternative motor fuel	Law of Ukraine No. 2618-IX, 21 September 2022. Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2618-20#Text and Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (17 October 2022)

Measure	Source
United Kingdom	
29/10/2021: Reduction of imports tariffs on ornamental fish imports from 6% to 0%	Permanent Delegation of the United Kingdom to the WTO (29 April 2022); Customs Tariff Regulation 2021/1191, 26 October 2021. Viewed at: https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2021/1191/contents/made
18/03/2022: Increase of the Autonomous Tariff Quota for cold water prawns	Permanent Delegation of the United Kingdom to the WTO (29 April 2022); and Government Order Nos. 05.2794 and 05.2795, 21 December 2021 and 23 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.gov.uk/guidance/duty-suspensions-and-tariff-quotas
United States of America	
01/01/2022: Replacing the existing 10% tariff on aluminium products from the European Union under Section 232 with a tariff-rate quota (TRQ) (HS Chapter 76) (measure in force for two years)	Office of the USTR, Joint US-EU Statement on Trade in Steel and Aluminium, 31 October 2021. Viewed at: https://ustr.gov/about-us/policy-offices/press-office/press-releases/2021/october/joint-us-eu-statement-trade-steel-and-aluminum
01/01/2022: Replacing the existing 25% import tariff on steel products from the European Union under Section 232 with a tariff-rate quota (TRQ) (HS Chapters 72-73) (measure in force for two years)	Office of the USTR, Joint US-EU Statement on Trade in Steel and Aluminium, 31 October 2021. Viewed at: https://ustr.gov/about-us/policy-offices/press-office/press-releases/2021/october/joint-us-eu-statement-trade-steel-and-aluminum
01/04/2022: Replacement of the existing 25% duty on steel imports from Japan under Section 232 with a tariff-free quota of 1.25 million metric tonnes. Out of quota imports remain subject to the 25% import duty	US Department of Commerce, Announcement of Actions on Japanese Imports of Steels under Section 232, 7 February 2022. Viewed at: https://www.commerce.gov/sites/default/files/2022-02/US-Statement-on-Japan-232.pdf
16/05/2022: Introduction of additional flexibilities to encourage the import of infant formula	US Food and Drugs Administration, 16 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/fda-encourages-importation-safe-infant-formula-and-other-flexibilities-further-increase-availability
01/06/2022: Replacing the existing 10% tariff on aluminium imports from the United Kingdom under Section 232 with a duty free tariff-rate quota (TRQ) (HS Chapter 76). Imports out of quota remain subject to Section 232 duties	United States Department of Commerce, 22 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.commerce.gov/sites/default/files/2022-03/UK232-US-Statement.pdf
01/06/2022: Replacing the existing 25% tariff on steel imports from the United Kingdom under Section 232 with a duty free tariff-rate quota (TRQ) of 0.5 million metric tons. Imports out of quota remain subject to Section 232 duties	United States Department of Commerce, 22 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.commerce.gov/sites/default/files/2022-03/UK232-US-Statement.pdf
21/07/2022: Temporary introduction of duty-free treatment to the imports of infant formula (termination of measure on 31 December 2022)	US Congress, H.R. 8351, Formula Act, 21 July 2022. Viewed at: https://www.congress.gov/117/bills/hr8351/BILLS-117hr8351enr.pdf
Viet Nam	
15/04/2022: Stipulating regulations on the import of rice and dried tobacco leaves originating from Cambodia under tariff quotas for 2021 and 2022 under the arrangement on bilateral trade enhancement between the Government of Socialist Republic of Viet Nam and the Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia	Permanent Delegation of Viet Nam to the WTO (30 May 2022) and Circular No. 06/2022/TT-BCT, 28 February 2022
08/08/2022: Reduction of import tariff on certain petroleum products from 20% to 10%	Government Decree No. 51/2022/ND-CP, 8 August 2022

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Bangladesh	
16/03/2022: Reduction to 5% of import tax on soybean and palm oil	Agricensus, 16 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.agricensus.com/Article/Bangladesh-reduces-import-tax-on-soy-and-palm-oil-to-5-21182.html#:~:text=The%20government%20of%20Bangladesh%20has,the%20country's%20Gazette%20on%20Wednesday
01/06/2022: Removal of export ban on rice bran oil	The Business Standard, 30 June 2022. Viewed at: https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/govt-lifts-ban-rice-bran-oil-exports-citing-drop-edible-oil-prices-450674
22/06/2022: Temporary reduction of the customs duty on rice from 62.5% to 25% (until 31 October 2022)	Ministry of Finance SRO 106/Customs, 22 June 2022. Viewed at: http://www.dpp.gov.bd/upload_file/gazettes/44941_21920.pdf
28/08/2022: Further temporary reduction of import duties on certain rice	Ministry of Finance, SRO No. 287-Act/2022/135/Customs, 28 August 2022. Viewed at: http://www.dpp.gov.bd/upload_file/gazettes/45857_40063.pdf
Belarus	
01/01/2022: Reduction of export duties of oil and oil products for exports destined outside the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU)	Belta News, 29 December 2021. Viewed at: https://eng.belta.by/economics/view/belarus-to-reduce-export-duties-on-oil-oil-products-146621-2021/
China	
29/10/2021: Publication of "The List of Supplies for Scientific Research, Scientific and Technological Development and Teaching Imported During the '14th Five-Year Plan' Period that are Exempted from Import Taxes"	Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China, Policy Document 44/2021 (29 October 2021). Viewed at: http://qss.mof.gov.cn/qzdt/zhengcefabu/202111/t20211105_3763557.htm
10/12/2021: Issuing of "The Notice of Adjusting the Relevant Catalogues of the Import Tax Policies for Crucial High-Tech Equipment" resulting in facilitation of imports of specific products	Ministry of Industry and Information Technology Joint Reloading, No. 198/2021 (10 December 2021). Viewed at: https://www.miit.gov.cn/zwgk/zcwj/wjfb/tz/art/2021/art_e8514d1785cd41dda3672e03729ce7f.html
24/12/2021: Extension of the "Zero-Tariff" Policy for Raw and Auxiliary Materials in Hainan Free Trade Port to 187 more products	Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China, Policy Document 49/2021 (24 December 2021). Viewed at: http://qss.mof.gov.cn/qzdt/zhengcefabu/202112/t20211224_3777961.htm
26/12/2021: From 26 December to 30 June 2022, extension of the exclusion period for the sixth exclusion list of commodities subject to tariffs from the United States and Canada	Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China, Inland Revenue Commission, document No. 9/2021 (24 December 2021). Viewed at: http://qss.mof.gov.cn/qzdt/zhengcefabu/202112/t20211224_3777971.htm
04/02/2022: Elimination of all restrictions on wheat and barley imports from the Russian Federation	Reuters, 4 February 2022. Viewed at: https://www.reuters.com/article/russia-china-grains-idAFL1N2UF10Y
14/02/2022: Enhancement of the scope of application of the "Zero-Tariff" Policy on imports of production equipment for own use at the Hainan Free Trade Port	Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China, document 4/2021 (14 February 2022). Viewed at: http://qss.mof.gov.cn/qzdt/zhengcefabu/202202/t20220214_3787450.htm
01/08/2022: Simplification of customs procedures at the Xiamen Customs for imports of beer and other alcohol products	Xiamen Customs, 3 August 2022. Viewed at: http://www.customs.gov.cn/xiamen_customs/491073/491074/4496026/index.html

Measure	Source
03/08/2022: Simplification on 3 August 2022 of customs procedures for clearance of imports of coal in the District of Ningde to respond to peak summer supply	General Administration of Customs of China, 3 August 2022. Viewed at: http://www.customs.gov.cn/fuzhou_customs/484123/484124/4495758/index.html on 5 August 2022.
Egypt	
01/05/2022: Approval of wheat imports from India previously subject to pre-shipment inspection	Hindustan Times, 16 April 2022. Viewed at: https://www.hindustantimes.com/india-news/egypt-clears-indian-wheat-trade-negotiations-on-with-more-nations-101650047092272.html
Indonesia	
16/10/2021: Reduction on 16 October 2021 of VAT on imports of luxury goods (from 125% to between 20 and 95%)	Indonesia Ministry of Finance Regulation No. 141/PMK.010/2021 (13 October 2021). Viewed at: https://jdih.kemenkeu.go.id/download/fcd2b15d-9e52-4589-85c2-5bd131aa4777/141~PMK.010~2021Per.pdf
02/02/2022: Reduction of tax on luxury cars	Indonesia Ministry of Finance Regulation No. 5/PMK.010/2022 (2 February 2022). Viewed at: https://jdih.kemenkeu.go.id/in/dokumen/peraturan/98553b06-d1d4-4fea-6d9d-08d9eab51bf7
08/06/2022: Introduction of an export quota of 1 million tons for crude palm oil, cooking oil and its raw materials, under the export acceleration scheme	Ministry of Trade, Regulation 38/2022 (8 June 2022)
22/06/2022: Elimination of export duties on some mineral products	Ministry of Finance, Regulation No. 106/PMK.04/2022 (22 June 2022)
01/07/2022: Increase of the export quotas of palm oil, following a reduction in domestic market obligations (DMO)	Reuters, 5 July 2022. Viewed at: https://www.reuters.com/article/indonesia-palmoil-idUSKBN2OG050 on 30 September 2022
09/08/2022: Reduction of the upper and lower limits to reference prices of crude palm oil, which determines the imposition of export tariffs on crude palm oil and its derivatives	Ministry of Finance, Regulation No. 123/PMK.010/2022 (8 August 2022)
Israel	
20/05/2022: Elimination of import duties on several products such as vehicle spare parts, products for use in the general industry sector and in the construction industry sector, and a variety of consumer products	Ministry of Finance, order No. 2016/2022 (20 May 2022). Viewed at: https://www.gov.il/BlobFolder/legalinfo/customs-mekach-2016/he/customs_mekach_mekach-2016.pdf on 2 October 2022
Kenya	
29/06/2022: Introduction of a temporary waiver of import levies on maize and animal feed	The Kenyan Wall Street, 29 June 2022. Viewed at: https://kenyanwallstreet.com/kenya-to-waive-all-levies-on-maize-imports/
Malaysia	
18/05/2022: Lift on 18 May 2022 of permit requirements for the import of round cabbage, old coconut seeds, chicken and milk	Minister of Agriculture and Food Security of Malaysia, 18 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.mafi.gov.my/documents/20182/429964/UCAPAN+YBM+MAFI+S+EMPENA+AGM+NAFAS+KE48+%28LATEST%29+-min.pdf/ce3ea8ff-14b6-4df7-a10b-2038ec0b573a
23/05/2022: Lifting of permit requirements for imports of wheat	Reuters, 23 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.reuters.com/article/malaysia-inflation-food-idAFK7N2OZ00K on 29 July 2022
03/07/2022: Malaysia lifted the import ban on rice flour from Thailand	National Thailand, 3 July 2022. Viewed at: https://www.nationthailand.com/business/40017319

Measure	Source
Mexico	
16/05/2022: Temporary exemption from import duties of several products (such as corn oil, rice, tuna, pork, chicken meat, beef, onion, jalapeno pepper, beans, corn flour, wheat flour, egg, toilet soap, tomato, milk, lemon, white corn, apple, orange, box bread, potato, soup paste, sardine, sorghum, wheat and carrot)	Diario Oficial de la Federación, 16 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5652070&fecha=16/05/2022#gsc.tab=0 on 11 July 2022
Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	
14/02/2022: Elimination of fees for issuing customs statement for Saudi Exports	Saudi Press Agency, 14 February 2022. Viewed at: https://www.spa.gov.sa/viewfullstory.php?lang=en&newsid=2329412#:~:text=14%2C%202022%2C%20SPA%20%E2%80%93%20Zakat,the%20Kingdom%20of%20Saudi%20Arabia
Türkiye	
26/10/2021: Elimination on 26 October 2021 of export ban on organic, water-soluble, special fertilizers	Dünya news, 26 October 2021. Viewed at: https://www.dunya.com/ekonomi/organik-suda-cozunebilir-ozel-gubrelerde-ihracat-yasagi-kalkti-haberi-637743
30/09/2022: Lifting the licensing requirements on the import of smartphone components as long as they are imported entirely unassembled (completely knocked down)	Official Gazette of Turkey n. 31969, Communiqué on the implementation of surveillance in imports, Related Notice, 30 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/09/20220930-5.htm
United Kingdom	
26/04/2022: Removal of all tariffs and quotas on imports of goods from Ukraine	Government Portal of Ukraine, 26 April 2022. Viewed at: https://www.kmu.gov.ua/en/news/ministry-economy-united-kingdom-has-announced-abolition-all-tariffs-and-quotas-goods-ukraine
Zimbabwe	
01/02/2022: Removal of import ban on maize introduced in June 2021	All Africa, 18 February 2022, viewed at: https://allafrica.com/stories/202202180528.html#:~:text=Millers%20yesterday%20welcomed%20the%20lifting,and%20manufacturing%20of%20stock%20feed

ANNEX 2 - TRADE REMEDIES¹

(MID-OCTOBER 2021 TO MID-MAY 2022)

Measure	Source
Argentina	
14/3/2022: Termination on 14 March 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of poly(ethylene terephthalate) from Indonesia	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022
01/11/2021: Termination on 1 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of motor mechanisms for elevators and goods lifts from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 2 March 2010 and 4 December 2010 respectively. Original investigation initiated on 3 June 2009)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/ARG, 21 March 2022
03/11/2021: Termination on 3 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of polystyrene, expandable, in granules from China and Chinese Taipei (provisional duty imposed on 29 March 2021 and original investigation initiated on 27 May 2020),	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/ARG, 21 March 2022
30/11/2021: Initiation on 30 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of artificial respiration or other therapeutic respiration apparatus (<i>nebulizadores</i>) from China and Chinese Taipei (provisional duties imposed on 3 May 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022
23/12/2021: Initiation on 23 December 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of plates, sheets, film, foil and strip of poly(methyl methacrylate) from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022
29/12/2021: Initiation on 29 December 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of sodium benzoate from China and the Netherlands (provisional duties imposed on 31 May 2022 of imports of sodium benzoate)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022
08/03/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on vacuum cleaners imports from China (provisional duties imposed on 2 August 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022; Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022); and Ministerio de Desarrollo Productivo de Argentina, Resolución No. 598/2022 (29 July 2022). Viewed at: https://www.argentina.gob.ar/normativa/nacional/resoluci%C3%B3n-598-2022-369045/texto
09/03/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on electrothermal kettles and jugs for household use from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022
31/03/2022: Initiation on 31 March 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports food grinders and mixers; fruit or vegetable juice extractors (<i>batidoras y licuadoras</i>) from Brazil	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (20 May 2022), Resolución No. 205/2022, Ministerio de Desarrollo Productivo Secretaría de Industria, Economía del Conocimiento y Gestión Comercial Externa. Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/260113/20220331?busqueda=1
31/03/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on imports of multi-purpose appliances from Brazil	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022
28/04/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on imports of sanitary ware from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022

¹ The inclusion of any measure in this Annex implies no judgement by the WTO Secretariat, either direct or indirect, on the consistency of any measure with the provisions of any WTO agreement.

Measure	Source
30/06/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on imports of new pneumatic tyres of rubber, of a kind used on bicycles from India	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ARG, 20 September 2022
30/09/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on imports of stoves, liquified gas in bottles, without external ventilation originating from China	Ministry of Commerce, Resolution 25/2022, 30 September 2022. Viewed at: http://servicios.infoleg.gob.ar/infolegInternet/verNorma.do?resaltar=true&id=372348 on 17 October 2022
Australia	
17/10/2021: Termination on 17 October 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of clear float glass (CFG) in nominal thicknesses of 3 mm-12 mm from China and Thailand (Duty imposed on 17 October 2011. Original investigation initiated on 19 April 2010)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
24/03/2022: Termination on 24 March 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of resealable can end closures (RTFs) from Malaysia, Philippines and Singapore (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 5 October 2016 and 24 March 2017, respectively. Provisional duties terminated on imports from India on 17 February 2017. Original investigation initiated on 18 May 2016)	Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (25 April 2022), and Anti-Dumping Notice No. 2022/031 (13 April 2022)
27/06/2022: Termination on 27 June 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of aluminium extrusions from Malaysia and Viet Nam (Provisional and definitive duties imposed on 17 October 2016 and 27 June 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 16 August 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/300/AUS, 28 August 2017; and Anti-Dumping Notice No. 2022/042, 24 June 2022. Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (16 September 2022)
27/06/2022: Terminated on 27 June 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of aluminium extrusions from Malaysia (Provisional duty imposed on 19 April 2017 on imports from Malaysia. Definitive duty imposed on 27 June 2017. Original investigation initiated on 16 August 2016)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/AUS, 14 September 2022; Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (16 September 2022), and Anti-Dumping Notice No. 2022/042, 24 June 2022
28/07/2022: Termination on 28 July 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of cooling tower water treatment controllers from the United States (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 18 April and 28 July 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 23 January 2017)	WTO document G/ADP/N/308/AUS, 13 March 2018; and Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (16 September 2022)
15/11/2021: Termination on 15 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of aluminium zinc coated steel of a width equal to or greater than 600 mm from Chinese Taipei (definitive duty imposed on 24 December 2021 for the Republic of Korea, and Viet Nam. Original investigation initiated on 30 June 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
15/11/2021: Termination on 15 November 2021 of countervailing duties on imports of aluminium zinc coated steel of a width equal to or greater than 600 mm from Viet Nam (provisional duty imposed on 23 September 2021. Original investigation initiated on 30 June 2020)	WTO document G/SCM/N/386/AUS, 13 April 2022; and Anti-Dumping Notice Nos. 2021/123 (22 September 2021) and 2021/145 (15 November 2021)
15/11/2021: Termination on 15 November 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of aluminium zinc coated steel of a width less than 600 mm from China and Viet Nam (initiated on 30 June 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
15/11/2021: Termination on 15 November 2021 (without measure) of countervailing investigation on imports of aluminium zinc coated steel of a width less than 600 mm from China and Viet Nam (initiated on 30 June 2020)	WTO document G/SCM/N/386/AUS, 13 April 2022
26/11/2021: Termination on 26 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of painted steel strapping from Viet Nam (Definitive and provision duties on imports from China were imposed on 26 November 2021 and 23 April 2021 respectively. Original investigation initiated on 27 May 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
12/11/2021: Termination on 12 November 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of copper tube from China (for the Republic of Korea the measure is subject to appeal. Original investigation initiated on 13 July 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
12/11/2021: Termination on 12 November 2021 (without measure) of countervailing investigation on imports of copper tube from China (initiated on 13 July 2020)	WTO document G/SCM/N/386/AUS, 13 April 2022

Measure	Source
04/08/2022: Termination on 4 August 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of quenched and tempered steel plate from the United States (initiated on 15 March 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022. Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (16 September 2022), and Anti-dumping Notice No. 2022/077, 4 August 2022
04/03/2022: Termination on 4 March 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of certain copper tube from Viet Nam (initiated on 22 March 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/AUS, 4 October 2022
26/06/2022: Termination on 26 June 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of clear float glass from the United Arab Emirates (provisional duties imposed on 15 December 2021 on imports from the United Arab Emirates. Original investigation initiated on 27 April 2021 for imports from United Arab Emirates and Malaysia)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022; Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (16 September 2022); and Anti-Dumping Notices Nos. 2022/017, 18 February 2022; and 2022/059, 23 June 2022
18/02/2022: Termination on 18 February 2022 (without measure) of countervailing investigation on imports of clear float glass from Malaysia (initiated on 27 April 2021)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/AUS, 14 September 2022
06/09/2022: Termination on 6 September 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of merchant bar from Chinese Taipei (initiated on 31 May 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022, Anti-dumping Notice No. 2022/091, 6 September 2022
17/10/2021: Termination on 17 October 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of pineapple fruit "FSI" from Thailand (originally imposed on 17 October 2001)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
17/10/2021: Termination on 17 October 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of pineapple fruit "consumer" from Thailand (originally imposed on 17 October 2001)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
13/11/2021: Termination on 13 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of pineapple fruit "FSI" from Philippines (originally imposed on 13 November 2006)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/AUS, 14 March 2022
03/08/2022: Termination on 3 August 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of ammonium nitrate from Chile (investigation on imports from Lithuania and Viet Nam continues. Original investigation initiated on 8 June 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/AUS, 4 October 2022; and Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (16 May 2022), and Anti-Dumping Notices Nos. 2022/050 and 2022/080, 3 August 2022
Brazil	
30/06/2022: Termination on 30 June 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of glassware for table from Argentina, China and Indonesia (initiated on 1 March 2011)	Secex Circular No. 29/2022 (29 June 2022)
04/11/2021: Termination on 4 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of iron pipes from China, India and the United Arab Emirates (Definitive duties imposed on 8 November 2019 and initiated on 8 May 2018)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/BRA, 18 March 2022, and Gecex Resolution No. 264/2021 (1 November 2021)
28/01/2022: Termination on 28 January 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports on aluminium laminates from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/BRA, 17 October 2022
09/08/2022: Termination on 9 August 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of liquid caustic soda from the United States	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/BRA, 18 March 2022. Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022), and Secex Circular No. 34/2022 (5 August 2022)
04/11/2021: Termination on 4 November 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of cold-rolled stainless steel (304) from Indonesia and South Africa	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/BRA, 18 March 2022, and Secex Circular No. 75/2021 (4 November 2021)
10/11/2021: Initiation on 10 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on empty hard gelatin capsule on imports from Mexico and the United States	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/BRA, 18 March 2022
22/02/2022: Termination on 22 February 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of permanent magnets ferrite rings and discs from China (imposed on 8 June 1998)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (21 April 2022), and Secex Circular No. 11/2022 (22 February 2022)
20/04/2022: Termination on 20 April 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of ethylene glycol from the United States (imposed on 11 October 2004)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (19 October 2022), and Secex Circular No. 18/2022 (20 February 2022)
07/07/2022: Termination on 7 July 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of vacuum flasks from China (imposed on 21 July 1999)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022)

Measure	Source
16/09/2022: Termination on 16 September 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of sacks and bags of jute from India (imposed on 2 October 1992)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022), and Secex Circular No. 47/2022 (14 September 2022)
16/09/2022: Termination on 16 September 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of phenol from the United States, the European Union and the United Kingdom (imposed on 16 October 2002)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022), and Gecex Resolution No. 398/2022 (14 September 2022)
19/09/2022: Temporary suspension on 19 September 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of polyvinyl chloride resins from Mexico (imposed on 30 December 1992)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022), and Gecex Resolution No. 399/2022 (16 September 2022)
Canada	
25/03/2022: Initiation on 25 March 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of drill pipe from China	Permanent Mission of Canada to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Canada Border Service Agency Notice DP 2022 IN (25 March 2022)
13/05/2022: Termination of anti-dumping measure on imports of hot-rolled steel plate from Ukraine (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 5 October 2009 and 2 February 2010, respectively. Investigation initiated on 6 July 2009)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CAN, 11 October 2022
19/04/2022: Termination on 19 April 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of certain fabricated industrial steel components from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 25 January and 25 May 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 12 September 2016. Measure remains in force for imports from the Republic of Korea and Spain)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CAN, 11 October 2022
24/05/2022: Termination on 24 May 2022 of countervailing duties on imports of certain fabricated industrial steel components from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 25 January and 25 May 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 12 September 2016)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/CAN, 17 October 2022
24/12/2021: Termination on 24 December 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of certain small power transformers from Austria, the Republic of Korea and Chinese Taipei (provisional duties imposed on 27 August 2021 and investigation initiated on 15 April 2021)	WTO documents G/ADP/N/370/CAN, 11 October 2022
26/01/2022: Termination 26 January 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of certain oil country tubular goods from Mexico (provisional duties imposed on 28 September 2021. Original investigation initiated on 30 June 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CAN, 11 October 2022; Permanent Delegation of Canada to the WTO (25 April 2022); and Canadian International Trade Tribunal Notice NQ-2021-004 (26 January 2022)
22/02/2022: Termination on 22 February 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of oil country tubular goods from Austria (provisional duties imposed on 25 October 2021 and original investigation initiated on 7 July 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CAN, 11 October 2022
24/02/2022: Initiation on 24 February 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of mattresses from China (provisional duties imposed on 7 July 2022)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/CAN, 17 October 2022 and Permanent Mission of Canada to the WTO, 21 September 2022
24/02/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation of anti-dumping duties on imports of mattresses from China (provisional duties imposed on 7 July 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CAN, 11 October 2022; Permanent Mission of Canada to the WTO (21 September 2022) and Canadian Border Service Agency Notice MAT 2022 IN (7 July 2022). Viewed at: https://www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca/sima-lmsi/i-e/mat2022/mat2022-np-eng.html
25/05/2022: Termination on 25 May 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of drill pipe from China (investigation initiated on 25 March 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CAN, 11 October 2022
13/05/2022: Termination on 13 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of certain flat hot-rolled steel sheet from Ukraine (duties imposed on 17 August 2001)	Permanent Delegation of Canada to the WTO (21 September 2022) and Canadian International Trade Tribunal Notice RR-2021-001, 13 May 2022. Viewed at: https://decisions.citt-tcce.gc.ca/citt-tcce/a/en/item/520937/index.do

Measure	Source
China	
22/04/2022: Termination on 22 April 2022 of anti-dumping investigation duties on imports of dispersion unshifted single-mode optical fibre from the United Kingdom (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 9 February 2011 and 22 April 2011, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 22 April 2010. Measure is still in force for imports from the European Union and the United States)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CHN, 16 August 2022
18/11/2021: Termination on 18 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of iron-based amorphous alloy ribbon (strip) from Japan and the United States (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 18 August and 18 November 2016, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 18 November 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/CHN, 1 April 2022
07/01/2022: Termination on 7 January 2022 of countervailing provisional duty on imports of polyphenylene ether (PPE or PPO) from the United States (provisional duty imposed on 15 October 2021. Original investigation initiated on 14 August 2020)	WTO document G/SCM/N/386/CHN, 1 April 2022; and Permanent Delegation of China to the WTO (22 April 2022)
01/03/2022: Initiation on 1 March 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of Phthalocyanines from India	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CHN, 16 August 2022
10/05/2022: Termination on 10 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of chloroprene rubber from the United Kingdom (duties imposed on 10 May 2005. Original investigation initiated on 10 November 2003)	WTO document G/ADP/N/270/CHN, 16 August 2022
Colombia	
20/02/2014 02/03/2022: Termination on 2 March 2022 of Initiation on 20 February 2014 of anti-dumping investigation duties on imports of dioctyl orthophthalates from the Republic of Korea and Mexico (definitive duty imposed on 25 August 2014 on imports from Mexico and on 9 December 2015 on imports from the Republic of Korea. Original investigation initiated on 20 February 2014)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/COL, 30 September 2022
Costa Rica	
28/03/2022: Termination on 28 March 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports on white crystal sugar, unrefined from Brazil (definitive duties imposed on 28 March 2017. Original investigation initiated on 14 July 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/CRI, 4 August 2022
European Union	
17/11/2022: Initiation on 17 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of aluminium road wheels from Morocco (provisional duties imposed on 14 July 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/EU, 13 April 2022. Permanent Delegation of the European Union to the WTO (19 September 2022)
19/07/2022: Termination on 19 July 2022 (without measure) of countervailing investigation on imports of certain graphite electrode systems from China (Original investigation initiated on 18 November 2021)	WTO document G/SCM/N/386/EU, 23 March 2022; and Permanent Delegation of the European Union to the WTO (19 September 2022)
30/11/2021: Initiation on 30 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of fatty acid from Indonesia	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/EU, 13 April 2022
13/12/2021: Initiation on 13 December 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of ceramic tiles from India and Türkiye	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/EU, 5 October 2022
13/05/2022: Initiation on 13 May 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on stainless steel refillable kegs from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/EU, 5 October 2022
13/05/2022: Initiation on 13 May 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of fatty acid from Indonesia	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/EU, 4 October 2022
30/06/2022: Initiation on 30 June 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of high tenacity yarn of polyesters from China	Permanent Delegation of the European Union to the WTO, 19 September 2022

Measure	Source
India	
06/01/2022: Termination on 6 January 2022 on imports of 1,1,1,2-tetrafluoroethane or R-134 a of all types from China (definitive and provisional duties imposed on 15 July 2011 and 19 April 2010, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 19 August 2009)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
31/10/2021: Termination on 31 October 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of glass fibres from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 14 July 2010 and 4 March 2011, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 8 January 2010)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
24/01/2022: Termination on 24 January 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of PVC flex films from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 30 July 2010 and 25 August 2011, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 1 February 2011)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
21/06/2022: Termination on 21 June 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of sewing machines needles from China (definitive duties imposed on 22 June 2011. Original investigation initiated on 20 May 2010)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
20/10/2021: Termination on 20 October 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of phenol from the European Union; Singapore and the United Kingdom (definitive duties imposed on 8 March 2016. Original investigation initiated on 15 October 2014)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
11/11/2021: Termination on 11 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on plain medium density fibre board having thickness of 6 mm and above from Viet Nam (definitive duties imposed on 14 July 2016. Original investigation initiated on 7 May 2015).	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
10/04/2022: Termination on 10 April 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of linear alkyl benzene "LAB" from China; Iran, Islamic Rep. of and Qatar (definitive duties imposed on 11 April 2017. Original investigation initiated on 7 December 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
13/06/2022: Termination on 13 June 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of aluminium foil from China (definitive duties imposed on 16 May 2017. Original investigation initiated on 15 December 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
11/05/2022: Termination on 11 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of clear float glass from Iran, Islamic Rep. of (definitive duties imposed on 12 May 2017. Original investigation initiated on 23 December 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
18/05/2022: Termination on 18 May 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of elastomeric filament yarn of all deniers up to and including 150 denier, excluding coloured yarns (spandex or elastane) from China; the Republic of Korea, Chinese Taipei and Viet Nam (definitive duties imposed on 3 May 2017. Original investigation initiated on 27 January 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
11/05/2022: Termination on 11 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of aluminium radiators, aluminium radiator sub-assemblies and aluminium radiator core from China (definitive duties imposed on 12 May 2017. Original investigation initiated on 1 January 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
13/06/2022: Termination on 13 June 2022 of anti-dumping duties of hydrogen peroxide on imports from Bangladesh, the Republic of Korea, Pakistan, Chinese Taipei, Thailand (definitive duties imposed on 14 June 2017. Original investigation initiated on 14 January 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
15/12/2021: Termination on 15 December 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of hot-rolled flat products of alloy or non-alloy steel in coils of a width up to 2,100 mm and thickness up to 25 mm from Brazil, China, Indonesia, Japan, the Republic of Korea and the Russian Federation (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 8 August 2016 and 11 May 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 11 April 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022

Measure	Source
01/02/2022: Termination on 1 February 2022 of countervailing measure on imports of certain hot-rolled and cold-rolled stainless steel flat products from China (original investigation initiated on 12 April 2016)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/IND, 17 October 2022
15/12/2021: Termination on 15 December 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of cold-rolled cold-reduced flat steel products of iron or non-alloy steel, of all widths and thickness, not clad, plated or coated from China; Japan; the Republic of Korea, and Ukraine (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 17 August 2016 and 12 May 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 19 April 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
11/05/2022: Termination on 11 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of amoxycillin from China (definitive duty imposed on 16 May 2017. Original investigation initiated on 27 April 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
31/01/2022: Termination on 31 January 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of wire rod of alloy or non-alloy steel from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 2 November 2016 and 9 October 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 2 June 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
13/01/2022: Termination on 13 January 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of colour-coated/pre-painted flat products of alloy and non-alloy steel from China, the European Union and the United Kingdom (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 11 January 2017 and 17 October 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 29 June 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
01/02/2022: Termination on 1 February 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of straight length bars and rods of alloy steel from China (definitive duty imposed on 18 October 2018. Original investigation initiated on 22 September 2017)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
28/02/2022: Termination on 28 February 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of uncoated copper paper from Indonesia and Singapore (Termination on 3 December 2021 for imports from Thailand. Definitive duties imposed on 4 December 2018. Original investigation initiated on 2 November 2017)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
01/02/2022: Termination on 1 February 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of high speed steel of non cobalt grade from Brazil, China and Germany (definitive duty imposed on 25 September 2019. Original investigation initiated on 14 August 2018)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
01/02/2022: Termination on 1 February 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of aluminium and zinc coated flat products from China, the Republic of Korea, and Viet Nam (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 15 October 2019 and 23 June 2020, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 2 April 2019)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
01/12/2021: Termination on 1 December 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of glass fibre and articles thereof from Bahrain, Kingdom of and Egypt (original investigation initiated on 4 August 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
02/11/2021: Termination on 2 November 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of vitamin C from China (original investigation initiated on 4 September 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
23/12/2021: Termination on 23 December 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of persulphates from China and the United States (original investigation initiated on 28 September 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
10/12/2021: Termination on 10 December 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of caprolactam from the European Union, the Republic of Korea, the Russian Federation and Thailand (original investigation initiated on 30 September 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022

Measure	Source
31/03/2022: Termination on 31 March 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of low density polyethylene "LDPE" from Qatar, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Thailand, the United Arab Emirates and the United States (Original investigation initiated on 23 October 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
16/12/2021: Termination on 16 December 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of caustic soda from the Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan, Oman and Qatar (original investigation initiated on 17 December 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
23/05/2022: Termination on 23 May 2022 (without measure) of investigation on imports of aluminium primary foundry alloy ingot from Malaysia (original investigation initiated on 24 December 2020).	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/IND, 17 October 2022
16/02/2022: Termination on 16 February 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of plastic processing machines "PPM" from China (original investigation initiated on 17 February 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
25/02/2022: Termination on 25 February 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of melamine from the European Union, Japan, Qatar and the United Arab Emirates (original investigation initiated on 26 February 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
30/03/2022: Termination on 30 March 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of certain rubber chemicals viz, TDQ from China, the European Union and the Russian Federation (original investigation initiated on 31 March 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
18/01/2022: Termination on 18 January 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of soda ash from the Russian Federation and the United Arab Emirates (original investigation initiated on 27 May 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
30/11/2021: Termination on 30 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of polytetrafluoroethylene-I from the Russian Federation (originally imposed on 30 June 1999)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/IND, 22 April 2022
24/01/2022: Initiation on 24 January 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of vinyl tiles other than in roll or sheet form from China, Chinese Taipei and Viet Nam	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
24/01/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on imports of ursodeoxycholic acid "UDCA" from China and the Republic of Korea (provisional duties imposed on 30 June 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
08/02/2022: Initiation on 8 February 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of saturated fatty alcohols from Indonesia, Malaysia and Thailand	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/IND, 17 October 2022
06/05/2022: Initiation on 6 May 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of dispersion unshifted single-mode optical fibre from China, Indonesia and the Republic of Korea	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 17 October 2022
Indonesia	
23/02/2022: Termination on 23 February 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports on wheat flour from India, Sri Lanka and Türkiye. (Original investigation initiated on 27 August 2014)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/IND, 1 September 2022
Korea, Republic of	
08/07/2022: Termination on 8 July 2022 of anti-dumping duties on ethyl acetate from India (definitive duty imposed on 19 November 2015. Original investigation initiated on 20 November 2014)	WTO document G/ADP/N/280/KOR, 6 April 2016; Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022); and Ordinance of the Ministry of Economy and Finance
29/10/2021: Initiation on 29 October 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of seamless copper pipes and tubes from China and Viet Nam (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 22 April 2022 and 22 August 2022, respectively)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/KOR, 14 October 2022 and Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022)
28/02/2022: Initiation on 28 February 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of biaxially oriented polyamide film from China, Indonesia, and Thailand	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/KOR, 14 October 2022

Measure	Source
28/02/2022: Initiation on 28 February 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of aluminium hydroxide from Australia and China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/KOR, 14 October 2022
09/05/2022: Initiation on 9 May 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of PET (Polyethylene terephthalate) film from China and India	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022), and Public Notice of the MOEF No. 2022-82
19/08/2022: Initiation on 19 August 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of white portland cement from Egypt	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022), and Public Notice of the KTC No. 2022-22
08/07/2022: Termination on 8 July 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of Ethyl acetate imports from China, Japan and Singapore (definitive duties imposed on 25 August 2008)	Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Korea to the WTO (20 September 2022)
Madagascar	
12/01/2022: Termination on 12 January 2022 of safeguard investigation on imports of soaps. (definitive duty imposed on 15 January 2021. Original investigation initiated on 14 August 2019)	WTO documents G/SG/N/6/MDG/5, 28 August 2019; G/SG/N/10/MDG/7, 18 September 2020, G/SG/N/10/MDG/7/Suppl.1; and G/SG/N/11/MDG/5/Suppl.3, 3 May 2022
14/12/2021: Termination on 14 December 2021 (without measure) of safeguard investigation on imports of lubricating oils (Original investigation initiated on 14 August 2019)	WTO document G/SG/N/10/MDG/6/Suppl.1, G/SG/N/11/MDG/6/Suppl.3, 17 December 2021
14/12/2021: Termination on 14 December 2021 (without measure) of safeguard investigation on imports of edible vegetable oils and margarines (Original investigation initiated on 14 August 2019)	WTO document G/SG/N/10/MDG/5/Suppl.1, G/SG/N/11/MDG/7/Suppl.3, 17 December 2021
01/06/2022: Initiation on 1 June 2022 of safeguard investigation on water paints and oil paints	WTO document G/SG/N/6/MDG/8, 3 June 2022
Mexico	
18/08/2022: Termination on 18 August 2022 of countervailing measure on imports of dicloxacillin sodium from India (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 2 April and 17 August 2012, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 24 February 2011)	Permanent Delegation of Mexico to the WTO (13 October 2022), and Diario Oficial de la Federación, 18 August 2022
11/08/2022: Termination on 11 August 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of radio guide (RG)-type coaxial cable with or without messenger from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 30 December 2011 and 10 August 2012, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 8 June 2011)	Permanent Delegation of Mexico to the WTO (13 October 2022), and Diario Oficial de la Federación, 11 August 2022
15/06/2022: Termination on 15 June 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of steel and zamak handles from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 8 May and 23 December 2015, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 12 August 2014)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/MEX, 4 October 2022
04/11/2021: Termination on 4 November 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of carbon and alloy steel slab from Brazil and the Russian Federation (original investigation initiated on 21 September 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/MEX, 21 March 2022
14/03/2022: Initiation on 14 March 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of high carbon ferromanganese from India (provisional duties imposed on 1 September 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/MEX, 4 October 2022 and Permanent Delegation of Mexico to the WTO (13 October 2022)
12/08/2022: Initiation on 12 August 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of vinyl chloride polymer rigid film from China	Permanent Delegation of Mexico to the WTO (13 October 2022), and Diario Oficial de la Federación, 12 August 2022
28/07/2022: Initiation on 28 July 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of cold rolled steel sheet from Viet Nam	Permanent Delegation of Mexico to the WTO (13 October 2022), and Diario Oficial de la Federación, 28 July 2022
06/09/2022: Initiation on 6 September 2022 of anti-dumping investigation for imports of steel grinding balls originating from China	Permanent Delegation of Mexico to the WTO (13 October 2022), and Diario Oficial de la Federación, 6 September 2022
Morocco	
09/03/2022: Initiation on 9 March 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of galvanized wire from Türkiye	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/MAR, 24 August 2022

Measure	Source
New Zealand	
28/03/2022: Temporary suspension of anti-dumping measure on imports of aluminium zinc coated steel from the Republic of Korea (provisional duties imposed on 2 December 2021 and original investigation initiated on 8 June 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/NZL, 12 September 2022
02/12/2021: Termination of anti-dumping investigation on imports of aluminium- zinc coated steel from Chinese Taipei (investigation initiated on 8 June 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/NZL, 12 September 2022
Pakistan	
01/02/2022: Termination on 1 February 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of cold-rolled coils/sheets from Ukraine (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 13 January 2016 and 19 January 2017, respectively. Measure remains still in force for imports from China. Original investigation initiated on 16 July 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/PAK, 4 October 2022
24/11/2021: Termination on 24 November 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of wall and floor tiles from China (Provisional and definitive duties imposed on 18 February and 11 October 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 19 February 2016 on imports of wall and floor tiles from China)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/PAK, 10 March 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
30/12/2021: Termination on 30 December 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of aluminium beverage cans from the United Arab Emirates (provisional duty imposed on 3 May 2019. Original investigation initiated on 1 November 2018 on imports of aluminium beverage cans from Jordan, Sri Lanka, Türkiye and the United Arab Emirates)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/PAK, 10 March 2022
09/02/2022: Termination on 9 September 2022 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of disodium carbonate (soda ash) from Türkiye (original investigation initiated on 30 March 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/PAK, 4 October 2022
27/05/2022: Initiation of anti-dumping investigation on imports of vinyl flooring from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/PAK, 4 October 2022
Peru	
24/12/2021: Initiation on 24 December 2021 of safeguard investigation on imports of clothing (HS Chapters 61; 62; 63)	WTO document G/SG/N/6/PER/4, 6 January 2022
26/01/2022: Initiation on 26 January 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of plain weave fabrics, 100% polyester from China	WTO documents G/ADP/N/370/PER, 6 September 2022
Philippines	
05/09/2022: Termination on 5 September 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of clear float glass and bronze float glass from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 22 November 2016 and 6 September 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 20 May 2016)	Permanent Delegation of the Philippines to the WTO (16 September 2022)
20/04/2022: Termination 20 April 2022 of anti-dumping provisional duties on imports of cement from Viet Nam (provisional duty imposed on 20 December 2021. Original anti-dumping investigation initiated on 20 April 2021)	Permanent Delegation of the Philippines to the WTO (16 September 2022)
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (for Gulf Cooperation Council)	
20/06/2022: Termination on 20 June 2022 of safeguard duty on imports of prepared additives for cements, mortars or concretes (chemical plasticizers) (definitive duty imposed on 21 June 2019. Original investigation initiated on 20 September 2017)	Permanent Delegation of Saudi Arabia to the WTO (19 September 2022)
04/11/2021: Initiation on 4 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on super absorbent polymer from Belgium, China, France, Japan, the Republic of Korea, and Singapore	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/SAU, 14 March 2022

Measure	Source
South Africa (for Southern African Customs Union)	
22/10/2021: Initiation on 22 October 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of laminated safety glass from China (provisional duties imposed on 18 March 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ZAF, 14 October 2022
22/10/2021: Initiation on 22 October 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of picks, other rakes (excluding those with not more than 8 prongs) and other forks, with a prong length exceeding 150mm originating or imported from India (imposition on 13 May 2022 of preliminary duty)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ZAF, 14 October 2022
22/10/2021: Initiation on 22 October 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of spade and shovels of a maximum blade width of more than 15mm but not exceeding 200mm originating in the People's Republic of China and India (preliminary duties imposed on 13 May 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/ZAF, 14 October 2022
19/11/2021: Initiation on 19 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of frozen potato chips from Belgium, Germany and the Netherlands (provisional duties imposed on 15 July 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/ZAF, 9 May 2022; and Permanent Delegation of South Africa to the WTO (20 September 2022), and South African Government Gazette No. 47015
31/01/2022: Initiation on 31 January 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of new pneumatic tyres of rubber of a kind used on motor cars and on buses or lorries from China (preliminary duties imposed on 9 September 2022)	Permanent Delegation of South Africa to the WTO (26 April 2022), and Gazette No. 45851 Notice 795 of 2022
22/07/2022: Initiation on 22 July 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of windscreens for vehicles from China	Permanent Delegation of South Africa to the WTO (20 September 2022), and South African Government Gazette No. 47061
Chinese Taipei	
06/05/2022: Initiation on 6 May 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on float glass in sheets originating in or imported from Malaysia, Indonesia, and Thailand	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/TPKM, 23 August 2022
Thailand	
03/12/2021: Initiation on 3 December 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of aluminium extrusions from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/THA, 24 February 2022
02/03/2022: Termination on 2 March 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of low carbon steel wire rods from China (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 11 September 2015 and 10 March 2016, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 15 January 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/THA, 29 September 201622
Tunisia	
19/07/2022: Initiation on 19 July 2022 of safeguard investigation on wire of iron or non-alloy steel used in the manufacture of upholstery springs	WTO document G/SG/N/6/TUN/7, 21 July 2022
Türkiye	
13/05/2022: Termination on 13 May 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of glass lid/cover from Hong Kong, China and Indonesia (Definitive duty imposed on 23 May 2010. Original investigation initiated on 17 December 2008)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/TUR, 4 October 2022
14/04/2022: Termination on 14 April 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of unbleached kraftliner paper from the United States (definitive duties imposed on 14 July 2015. Original investigation initiated on 22 July 2014)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/TUR, 4 October 2022
12/07/2022: Termination on 12 July 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of concrete pump/concrete pump trucks from China and the Republic of Korea (duties imposed on 12 July 2017. Original investigation initiated on 6 February 2016)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (23 September 2022)

Measure	Source
26/03/2022: Termination on 26 March 2022 of anti-dumping investigation (without measure) on imports of low density polyethylene from the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (original investigation initiated on 17 October 2020)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/TUR, 4 October 2022
10/06/2022: Termination on 10 June 2022 of anti-dumping investigation (without measure) on imports of self-adhesive digital printing films with a width of more than 1 metre from Germany (original investigation initiated on 27 May 2021)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/TUR, 4 October 2022
26/01/2022: Initiation on 26 January 2022 of safeguard investigation on imports of yarn of nylon or other polyamides	WTO document G/SG/N/14/TUR/12, 4 February 2022
07/12/2021: Termination on 7 December 2021 of anti-dumping duties on imports of tools for drilling and milling from China (duties imposed on 4 February 2005)	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/TUR, 7 March 2022
14/05/2022: Termination on 14 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of pentaerythritol from China (duties imposed on 01 July 2005)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/TUR, 4 October 2022
Ukraine	
28/02/2022: Termination on 28 February 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of certain nitrogen fertilizers (urea, UAN) from the Russian Federation (temporary suspension of duties from 13 February to 20 May 2017. Original investigation initiated on 27 June 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/UKR, 15 September 2022
16/05/2022: Termination on 16 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of ceramic grinding wheels from the Russian Federation (original investigation initiated on 19 November 2015)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/UKR, 15 September 2022
20/06/2022: Termination on 20 June 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of certain types of chocolate and other processed food products containing cocoa from the Russian Federation (original investigation initiated on 28 May 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/UKR, 15 September 2022
17/08/2022: Termination on 17 August 2022 (without measure) of safeguard investigation on imports to Ukraine of sodium hypochlorite without application of safeguard measures (original investigation initiated on 27 May 2021).	WTO document G/SG/N/6/UKR/21, 11 June 2021; and WTO document G/SG/N/9/UKR/10, 31 August 2022. Permanent delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 September 2022)
08/12/2021: Termination on 8 December 2021 (without measure) of anti-dumping investigation on imports of aluminium ladders from Belarus, China, Poland and Slovak Republic (original investigation initiated on 1 September 2021).	WTO document G/ADP/N/364/UKR, 18 March 2022
31/08/2022: Termination on 31 August 2022 of safeguard investigation on imports to Ukraine of tricone drilling bits regardless of country of origin and export without application of safeguard measures (original investigation initiated on 13 October 2011)	WTO document G/SG/N/6/UKR/23, 22 October 2021, and WTO document G/SG/N/9/UKR/12, 13 September 2022, and Permanent delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 September 2022)
31/08/2022: Termination on 31 August 2022 of safeguard investigation on imports to Ukraine of certain types of cheese regardless of country of origin and export without application of safeguard measures (original investigation initiated on 24 December 2021).	WTO document G/SG/N/6/UKR/24, 6 January 2022, and WTO document G/SG/N/9/UKR/11, 13 September 2022, and Permanent delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 September 2022)
29/12/2021: Initiation on 29 December 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of glass containers from Belarus	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/UKR, 15 September 2022
United Kingdom	
07/04/2022: Initiation on 7 April 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of ironing boards from Türkiye	WTO document G/ADP/N/392/GBR, 15 September 2022
26/04/2022: Initiation on 26 April 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of optical fibre cables from China	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/GBR, 15 September 2022
26/04/2022: Initiation on 26 April 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports on optical fibre cables from China	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/GBR, 15 September 2022

Measure	Source
United States of America	
01/02/2022: Termination from 1 February 2022 of safeguard measure on imports of crystalline silicon photovoltaic cells from Canada (whether or not partially or fully assembled into other products)	WTO documents G/SG/N/6/USA/11, 29 May 2017; G/SG/N/8/USA/9, 4 October 2017; Presidential Proclamation 9693 (Document No. 2018-01592; 83 FR 3541) and USTR Notice N. 87 FR 43369, 20 July 2022
13/01/2022: Termination on 13 January 2022 of countervailing measure on imports of utility scale wind towers from Indonesia (measure remain in force for imports from Canada and Viet Nam. Provisional and definitive duties imposed on 13 December 2019 and 26 August 2020, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 6 August 2019)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/USA, 17 October 2022
25/10/2022: Initiation on 25 October 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of freight rail coupler systems and certain components thereof from China (Provisional duties imposed on 7 March 2022) 07/03/2022: Imposition on 7 March 2022 of provisional duties on imports of freight rail coupler systems and certain components thereof from China (original investigation initiated on 25 October 2021)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/USA, 17 October 2022
25/10/2021: Initiation on 25 October 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of freight rail coupler system and certain components thereof from China (provisional duties imposed on 15 March 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
01/11/2021: initiation on 1 November 2021 of countervailing investigation on imports of oil country tubular goods from the Republic of Korea and the Russian Federation (provisional duties imposed on 14 March 2022)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/USA, 17 October 2022
01/11/2021: Initiation on 1 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of oil country tubular goods from Argentina, Mexico and the Russian Federation (provisional duties imposed on 11 May 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
30/11/2021: Initiation on 30 November 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of certain superabsorbent polymers from the Republic of Korea (provisional duties imposed on 7 June 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
10/12/2021: Initiation on 10 December 2021 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of emulsion styrene-butadiene rubber from Czech Republic, Italy, and the Russian Federation (provisional duties imposed on 27 June 2022)	WTO document G/ADP/G/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
25/01/2022: Initiation on 25 January 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of lemon juice from Brazil and South Africa	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
26/01/2022: Initiation on 26 January 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of certain steel nails from India, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Türkiye	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
26/01/2022: Initiation on 26 January 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of certain steel nails from India, Oman, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Türkiye (provisional duties imposed on 7 June 2022)	WTO document G/SCM/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
08/02/2022: Initiation on 8 February 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of barium chloride from India	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
08/02/2022: Initiation on 8 February 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of sodium nitrite from India and the Russian Federation	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
08/02/2022: Initiation on 8 February 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of sodium nitrite from India and the Russian Federation (provisional duties imposed on 21 June 2022 on imports from India and from the Russian Federation on 15 April 2022)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/USA, 17 October 2022
08/02/2022: Initiation on 8 February 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of barium chloride from India (definitive duties imposed on 17 June 2022)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/USA, 17 October 2022

Measure	Source
27/04/2022: Initiation on 27 April 2022 of countervailing investigation on imports of white grape juice concentrate from Argentina	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/USA, 17 October 2022
27/04/2022: Initiation on 27 April 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of white grape juice concentrate from Argentina	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
27/04/2022: Initiation on 27 April 2022 of anti-dumping investigation on imports of certain preserved mushrooms from France, the Netherlands, Poland and Spain	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
13/06/2022: Termination on 13 June 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of certain helical spring lock washers from China (measure imposed on 19 October 1993)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
13/06/2022: Termination on 13 June 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of helical spring lock washers from Chinese Taipei (measure initiated on 28 June 1993)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
14/06/2022: Termination on 14 June 2022 of countervailing measure on imports of sulfanilic acid from India (Measure imposed on 2 March 1993)	WTO document G/SCM/N/392/USA, 17 October 2022
14/06/2022: Termination on 14 June 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of sulfanilic acid from India (Measure imposed on 2 March 1993)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
14/06/2022: Termination on 14 June 2022 of anti-dumping measure on imports of sulfanilic acid from China (measure imposed on 19 August 1992)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/USA, 17 October 2022
Viet Nam	
12/05/2022: Termination on 12 May 2022 of anti-dumping duties on imports of galvanized coating steel from China and the Republic of Korea (provisional and definitive duties imposed on 16 September 2016 and 15 April 2017, respectively. Original investigation initiated on 3 March 2016)	WTO document G/ADP/N/370/VNM, 22 August 2022

ANNEX 3 - OTHER TRADE-RELATED MEASURES¹

(MID-MAY 2022 TO MID-OCTOBER 2022)

Confirmed information²

Measure	Source
Argentina	
01/11/2021: Updated reference values for exports on lemon essential oils, for certain specified destinations	Resolución General No. 5091/2021 Administración Federal de Ingresos Públicos - Dirección General de Aduanas (26 October 2021)
10/11/2021: Updated reference values for exports on certain cuts with bone of bovine meat, for certain specified destinations	Resolución General No. 5096/2021 Administración Federal de Ingresos Públicos - Dirección General de Aduanas (5 November 2021)
15/12/2021: Introduction on 15 December 2021 of export quotas of 41.5 million tonnes for maize and 12.5 million tonnes for wheat	Boletín Oficial de la República Argentina (16 December 2021). Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/254625/20211217
16/12/2021: Updated list of "criterion values" (valores criterio de carácter preventivo) for imports on bicycle wheels, from specific origins	Administración Federal de Ingresos Públicos - Dirección General de Aduanas, Resolución General No. 5116/2021 (10 December 2021)
26/12/2021: Further extension of the temporary export ban on ferrous waste and scrap, remelting scrap ingots of iron or steel; copper waste and scrap; and aluminium waste and scrap (originally implemented on 25 December 2020, for 360 days)	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (20 May 2022), and Decreto No. 909/2021. Viewed at: https://www.argentina.gob.ar/normativa/nacional/decreto-909-2021-359062/texto
01/01/2022: Prolongation of temporary authorization to increase the Mercosur Common External Tariff, but not above their bound levels (to 28%) for imports of certain dairy products, i.e. milk, cream, whey, cheese; and (to 35%) for prepared or preserved peaches, including nectarines; and on certain toys (effective 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2030)	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (20 May 2022), and Decreto No. 910/2021 - Consejo del Mercado Común (30 December 2021)
01/01/2022: Temporary export ban on meat of bovine animals, fresh or chilled (carcasses and half-carcasses, and certain cuts with bone or boneless). Temporary export restrictions on selected bovine meat cuts (e.g. short plate, rosemeat, flap, thin flank) (from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2023)	Decreto No. 911/2021 - Carne Bovina (30 December 2021)
03/01/2022: Updated reference values for exports on certain unwrought lead, for certain specified destinations	Resolución General No. 5127/2021 Administración Federal de Ingresos Públicos - Dirección General de Aduanas (27 December 2021)
13/03/2022: Temporary suspension of Sworn Declaration of Foreign Sales for soybean oil and flour (effective from 13 March 2022 to 21 March 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and Ministerio de Agricultura, Ganadería y Pesca, Official Communication (20 March 2022). Viewed at: https://www.magyp.gob.ar/sitio/areas/ss_mercados_agropecuarios/djve/archivos/100014_Circulares%20DJVE/000005_Comunicado%20Oficial%2020%20de%20Marzo%202022.pdf

¹ The inclusion of any measure in this Annex implies no judgement by the WTO Secretariat on the consistency of any measure with the provisions of any WTO agreement.

² This Section includes information that either has been provided by the Member concerned or has been confirmed at the request of the Secretariat.

Measure	Source
19/03/2022: Increase of export duties on soybean oil and flour from 31% to 33% through a temporary suspension of the Decree 790/2020 that imposed a 2% differential on export duties of soy products (effective from 19 March to 31 December 2022)	Argentina Government Announcement, Decree No. 131/2022 (18 March 2022). Viewed at: http://servicios.infoleg.gob.ar/infolegInternet/anexos/360000-364999/362460/norma.htm . Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (20 May 2022)
06/05/2022: Reduction of export quota for maize harvested during the 2022/2023 season	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022)
02/06/2022: Establishment on 2 June 2022 of an export reference price for lithium carbonates directed to Canada, China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Hong Kong, Japan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Chinese Taipei, Thailand, United States	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022), and Official Gazette of Argentina, General Resolution No. 5197/2022 (27 May 2022). Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/263504/20220531?busqueda=1 on 3 August 2022
08/06/2022: Introduction on 8 June 2022 of import criterion values for certain electric accumulators from Brazil, Colombia, Chile, Ecuador, Paraguay, Uruguay, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Republic of Korea, China, Philippines, Chinese Taipei, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Pakistan, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam, Hong Kong	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and Official Gazette of Argentina, General Resolution No. 5200/2022 (3 June 2022). Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/263930/20220606?busqueda=1 on 8 August 2022
04/07/2022: Increase of reference values of exports of powder milk destined to the Russian Federation; several countries in Latin America, several countries and territories in Africa; Canada; Saudi Arabia; China; Indonesia; Malaysia; UAE; Singapore; Hong Kong, China	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022), and Boletín Oficial de la República Argentina, General Resolution No. 5215/2022 (28 June 2022). Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/265283/20220630?busqueda=1
05/07/2022: Transfer of 16 products from the Automatic Licenses regime to the Non-Automatic Licenses regime, including pig meat products, wines, polypropylene plates, rugs, suits, dishwashing machines	WTO document G/LIC/N/2/ARG/28/Add.13, 29 July 2022
26/08/2022: Introduction of a non-automatic licensing requirement for imports of several products, including computer boards and keyboards, video game consoles and whiskey	Permanent Delegation of Argentina to the WTO (13 October 2022) and Boletín Oficial de la República Argentina, Resolución de la Secretaría de Comercio No. 1/2022, 24 August 2022. Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/270212/20220825
Australia	
31/08/2022: Withdrawal of import tariff exemptions applicable to certain goods	Australian Government, Tariff Concession Order No. 22/32, and Permanent Delegation of Australia to the WTO (14 October 2022)
Azerbaijan	
14/06/2022: Increase of import tariff on active yeast	Permanent Delegation of Azerbaijan to the WTO (20 September 2022), and Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Azerbaijan, Resolution No. 228/2022
Bolivia, Plurinational State of	
09/03/2022: Temporary implementation of a domestic supply certificate and fair price (<i>Certificado de Abastecimiento Interno y Precio Justo</i>) requirement on exports of maize, sorghum, and sugar, to avoid local shortage, resulting in a temporary export QRs	Decreto Supremo No. 4680, 9 March 2022. Viewed at: http://www.gacetaoficialdebolivia.gob.bo/edicions/view/1484NEC
31/05/2022: Increase of the import tariffs for potatoes, tomatoes, onions and strawberries	Gaceta Oficial Estado Plurinacional de Bolivia, Supreme Decree No. 4728. Viewed at: http://www.gacetaoficialdebolivia.gob.bo/normas/buscarq/arancelario

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Brazil	
13/12/2021: Suspension of substantially equivalent concessions and other obligations under GATT 1994 on trade with the United Kingdom in the form of an increase in tariffs on selected steel products	WTO document G/SG/N/12/BRA/5, 14 December 2021
12/05/2022: Removal of certain products from the List of Exceptions to the Common External Tariff (LETEC), resulting in the increase of their import tax 05/08/2022: Removal of antisera, certain medicaments, some chemical products, synthetic rubber and some instruments and appliances used in medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences from the LETEC 09/08/2022: Exclusion of certain types of antisera, some chemical products, butadiene rubber and needles, catheters, cannulae from LETEC 01/09/2022: Exclusion of certain products from the LETEC (such as some medicaments, diagnostic or laboratory reagents and some instruments and appliances used in medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution Nos. 341/2022 (11 May 2022), 381/2022 (3 August 2022), 382/2022 (9 August 2022), 387/2022 (22 August 2022)
23/05/2022: Removal of "cell cultures, whether or not modified" from the list of products subject to tariff reduction	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolution No. 343/2022
26/05/2022: Removal of static converters, some electrical apparatus, photovoltaic cells, electrical machines and automatic regulating or controlling instruments from Annex I of Res. 323/2022, resulting in exclusion of these products from a zero import tariff rate treatment	Official Gazette, Gecex Resolution 345/2022 (19 May 2022). Viewed at: https://www.in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/resolucao-gecex-n-345-de-19-de-maio-de-2022-401495532
21/06/2022: Removal of two products from the list of auto parts not locally manufactured (Chapter 84)	Official Gazette, Gecex Resolution No. 360/2022 (21 June 2022). Viewed at: https://in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/resolucao-gecex-n-360-de-21-de-junho-de-2022-409697088
01/08/2022: Elimination of mobile cranes from the List of Exceptions of Computer Goods and Telecommunications and Capital Goods, resulting in the increase of import duties on the product 01/09/2022: Removal of 5 more products from the List (Chapters 84, 90)	Permanent Delegation of Brazil to the WTO (27 September 2022) and Gecex Resolutions Nos. 347/2022 (19 May 2022), 374/2022 (20 July 2022) and 391/2022 (23 August 2022)
Canada	
05/08/2022: Temporary policy restrictions for importing restricted handguns into Canada until the coming into force of the proposed amendments to the Firearms Act	Permanent Delegation of Canada to the WTO (21 September 2022), and Notice to Importers No. 1090. Viewed at: https://www.international.gc.ca/trade-commerce/controls-controles/notices-avis/1090.aspx?lang=eng
Colombia	
05/08/2022: Introduction of new subdivisions of certain Customs Tariffs codes into subheadings, resulting in the increase of import tariffs on certain ships	Permanent Delegation of Colombia to the WTO (22 September 2022) and Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism, Decree 1253/2022. Viewed at: https://www.mincit.gov.co/getattachment/36d5d7b0-3f21-4e0f-89f3-246a90b1605b/Decreto-1253-del-21-de-julio-de-2022.aspx
European Union	
08/09/2022: Increase of import duties on certain husked rice	Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2022/1481, 7 September 2022. Viewed at: https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=uriserv%3AOJ.L_.2022.233.01.0048.01.ENG&toc=OJ%3AL%3A2022%3A233%3ATOC

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European Union (Hungary)	
06/03/2022: Exports of wheat, rye, barley, oat, corn, soy beans and sunflower seeds are subject to a request submitted to the competent Hungarian authorities who can decide whether to exercise the right of first refusal at market price (measure has been extended till 15 November 2022)	WTO document G/AG/N/EU/77, 13 April 2022, and WTO document G/AG/N/EU/77/Rev.2, 23 September 2022
Georgia	
04/07/2022: Export restriction on wheat and barley from 4 July 2022 until 1 July 2023 01/07/2023: The measure is terminated	Permanent Delegation of Georgia to the WTO (5 October 2022), and WTO document G/AG/N/GEO/27, 30 June 2022
Guatemala	
26/11/2021: Elimination of import tariffs substituted with tariff quotas on imports of husked rice (from 26 November 2021 to 31 December 2021)	Permanent Delegation of Guatemala to the WTO (25 April 2022), and Acuerdo Ministerial No. 511-2021
12/03/2022: Elimination of import tariffs substituted with tariff quotas on imports of white corn	Permanent Delegation of Guatemala to the WTO (25 April 2022), and Acuerdo Ministerial No. 128-2022
India	
29/11/2021: Amendments introduced to the export policy of agar oil and agarwood chips and powder obtained from artificial propagated source. The export has been made "Restricted". Export quota of 25,000 kg/year on agarwood (<i>Aquilaria malaccensis</i>) chips and powder, and export quota of 1,500 kg/year on agar oil	Notification No. 45/2015-2020, Ministry of Commerce and Industry - Department of Commerce, Directorate General of Foreign Trade (29 November 2021)
01/01/2022: Amendment introduced to the import policy of watermelon seeds. Temporary import quota up to 15,000 MT (effective from 1 January to 31 March 2022)	Ministry of Commerce and Industry (Department of Commerce), Public Notice No. 41/2015-2020 (6 December 2021). Viewed at: https://egazette.nic.in/WriteReadData/2021/231631.pdf
10/01/2022: Amendments introduced to the export policy of enoxaparin (formulation and API) and intra-venous immunoglobulin "IVIG" (formulation and API). The export has been made "Restricted"	Notification No. 50/2015-2020, Ministry of Commerce and Industry - Department of Commerce, Directorate General of Foreign Trade (10 January 2022)
25/01/2022: Amendments introduced to the export policy of human hair, unworked, whether or not washed or scoured, waste of human hair or any other form of raw human hair. The export has been made "Restricted"	Notification No. 51/2015-2020, Ministry of Commerce and Industry - Department of Commerce, Directorate General of Foreign Trade (25 January 2022)
11/02/2022: Amendment introduced to the import policy for moong (lentils). Import restricted.	Permanent Delegation of India to the WTO (25 April 2022) and Notification No. S.O.624(E) (Issued by EP (Agri) Division of Dept. of Commerce)
13/05/2022: Introduction of export ban on wheat	Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, 13 May 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/9032ac12-29a8-4a67-8e3b-bd0dc07c39a5/Noti%2006%20Eng.pdf
21/05/2022: Increase of export duty on certain products of iron and steel	Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Notification No. 28/2022-Customs, 21 May 2022. Viewed at: https://egazette.nic.in/WriteReadData/2022/235957.pdf
25/05/2022: Introduction of a compulsory registration requirement for paper imports	Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Amendment to Notification No. 11, 25 May 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/c42a7e71-522a-477c-b232-40a6b1606cf7/Notification%2011%20-%20English.PDF
01/06/2022: Prohibition of export of sugar, unless it is allowed under specific permission from Directorate of Sugar, Department of Food and Public Distribution	Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Amendment to the Notification No. 10/2015-20, 24 May 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/8e53ea00-cdc3-4809-8493-428b3650d521/Notification%20No.10%20(English).pdf

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30/06/2022: Increase of the customs duty on the imports of gold	Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Notification No. 33/2022-Customs, 30 June 2022. Viewed at: https://taxinformation.cbic.gov.in/view-pdf/1009394/ENG/Notifications
19/08/2022: Increase of special additional excise duty on diesel exports	Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Notification No. 23/2022, 18 August 2022. Viewed at: https://taxinformation.cbic.gov.in/view-pdf/1009482/ENG/Notifications23/2022
27/08/2022: Withdrawal of a provision that exempted exports of wheat flour from any export restrictions or bans	Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Directorate General of Foreign Trade, Notification No. 29/2015-2020, 27 August 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/25a0b7cf-7f3d-4472-9741-6a3e477c7e00/Noti%2029%20Eng.pdf
27/08/2022: Export ban on wheat and meslin flour	Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Directorate General of Foreign Trade, Notification No. 30/2015-2020, 27 August 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/95e06054-b7db-4ab4-ad34-cddf96d3f3ec/Noti%2030%20Eng.pdf
31/08/2022: Increase of import tariff value applicable on the certain goods	Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC) under the Indian Ministry of Finance, Notification No. 72/2022-CUSTOMS. Viewed at: https://www.cbic.gov.in/resources/htdocs-cbec/customs/cs-act/notifications/notfns-2022/cs-nt2022/csnt72-2022.pdf
08/09/2022: Export tax on rice	Ministry of Finance of India, Notification No. 49/2022-Customs, 8 September 2022. Viewed at: https://taxinformation.cbic.gov.in/view-pdf/1009497/ENG/Notifications
09/09/2022: Introduction of export ban on broken rice	Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Department of Commerce, Directorate General of Foreign Trade, Notification No. 31/2015-2020, 8 September 2022. Viewed at: https://content.dgft.gov.in/Website/dgftprod/e51d35f2-910e-48ac-9e5e-32cbac228402/Noti%2031.pdf
03/10/2022: Increase of customs duty on platinum imports from 10% to 12.5%	Ministry of Finance of India, Notification No. 52/2022-Customs, 3 October 2022. Viewed at: https://taxinformation.cbic.gov.in/view-pdf/1009526/ENG/Notifications
10/10/2022: Increase of the tariff values applicable to the imports of certain products	Government of India, Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs, Notification No. 88 /2022-CUSTOMS. Viewed at: https://taxinformation.cbic.gov.in/view-pdf/1009529/ENG/Notifications
Kazakhstan	
22/01/2022: Temporary export ban on potatoes and carrots	WTO document G/AG/N/KAZ/16, 27 April 2022
22/01/2022: Temporary ban on the export of live cattle and small cattle	WTO document G/AG/N/KAZ/18, 27 April 2022
22/02/2022: Temporary ban on export of potatoes	WTO document G/AG/N/KAZ/17, 27 April 2022
19/04/2022: Temporary quantitative restriction on exports of wheat and meslin, wheat or meslin flour	WTO document G/AG/N/KAZ/19, 27 April 2022, and World-Grain, 20 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.world-grain.com/articles/17491-kazakhstan-suspends-wheat-flour-export-quotas
13/09/2022: Lifting export restrictions on grain and flour exports	
Korea, Republic of	
11/11/2021: Temporary export restriction on urea, whether or not in aqueous solution (other than agricultural fertilizers or for manufacturing agricultural fertilizers) and aqueous urea solution "AUS"	WTO documents G/MA/QR/N/KOR/3/Add.2, 10 December 2021; and G/MA/QR/N/KOR/3/Add.3, 5 April 2022

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Kyrgyz Republic	
11/12/2021: Temporary export prohibition on wood and articles of wood (excluding EAEU members)	WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.11, 10 December 2021
13/01/2022: Temporary export prohibition on raw or roughly crushed shell limestone, sawn or otherwise cut into blocks or slabs of a rectangular or square shape (excluding EAEU members)	WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.12, 12 January 2022
15/01/2022: Temporary export prohibition on ferrous waste and scrap; remelting scrap ingots of iron or steel (excluding slag) (excluding EAEU members)	WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.13, 18 January 2022
26/02/2022: Temporary export prohibition of mineral fertilizers (excluding EAEU members); 28/08/2022: The measure is terminated	Decree of Government of the Kyrgyz Republic No. 83, 18 February 2022; and WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.15, 2 March 2022. Permanent Delegation of the Kyrgyz Republic to the WTO (13 October 2022)
19/03/2022: A temporary ban on the export of certain types of agricultural products from the Kyrgyz Republic outside the customs territory of the Eurasian Economic Union except transit and humanitarian aid by the Kyrgyz Republic; 19/09/2022: The measure is terminated	WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.16, 25 March 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Kyrgyz Republic to the WTO (13 October 2022)
14/08/2022: Temporary export prohibition of recovered paper or paperboard outside the territory of Eurasian Economic Union	Decree of Government of the Kyrgyz Republic No. 426, 1 August 2022; and WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.17, 19 August 2022
14/08/2022: Temporary export prohibition of wood and articles of wood outside the territory of Eurasian Customs Union	Decree of Government of the Kyrgyz Republic No. 428, 1 August 2022; and WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.17, 19 August 2022
14/08/2022: Temporary export prohibition of marble and travertine outside the territory of Eurasian Economic Union	Decree of Government of the Kyrgyz Republic No. 430, 1 August 2022; and WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.17, 19 August 2022
14/08/2022: Temporary export prohibition of ferrous waste and scrap, remelting scrap ingots of iron or steel outside the territory of the Eurasian Economic Union	Decree of Government of the Kyrgyz Republic No. 427, 1 August 2022; and WTO document G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.17, 19 August 2022
19/08/2022: Temporary export prohibition of certain used catalysts and certain types of precious scrap metals outside the customs territory of the Eurasian Economic Union	Decree of Government of the Kyrgyz Republic No. 431, 1 August 2022; and WTO document, G/MA/QR/N/KGZ/1/Add.17, 19 August 2022
Malaysia	
01/06/2022: Introduction of export prohibitions on poultry, to be terminated on the 30 November 2022; 07/07/2022: Partial lift on 15 June 2022 of the export ban on live chicken. Export on commercial broiler chicken remains banned (HS 010594.99)	WTO documents G/AG/N/MYS/52, 27 June 2022; and G/AG/N/MYS/52/Add.1, 21 July 2021
Mali	
06/12/2021: Suspension of exports of cottonseeds, cottonseed meal, millet, sorghum and local rice	Permanent Delegation of Mali to the WTO (27 April 2022) and Arrête Interministériel No. 5126/MEF-MIC-SG (6 December 2021)
Mauritius	
31/05/2022: Import permit requirement for a "child restraint" device	The Consumer Protection (Control of Imports) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 – G.N. No. 57 of 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Mauritius to the WTO (22 September 2022)
Mexico	
23/11/2021: Temporary increase of import duties of various iron and steel products (Chapter 72 and 73) to 15% (gradual reductions are planned between June 2022 and October 2024)	Diario Oficial de la Federación, 22 November 2021. Viewed at: https://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5635991&fecha=22/11/2021

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Moldova, Republic of	
01/03/2022: Temporary export prohibition on certain products such as wheat, sugar, corn (with the exception of maize seed for sowing, tariff line 1005.10), due to declared state of emergency; 24/06/2022: The measure is terminated	WTO documents G/MA/QR/N/MDA/2/Add.2, 2 March 2022; and G/MA/QR/N/MDA/2/Add.3, 29 July 2022
Myanmar	
09/11/2021: Imposition of import licensing requirement for certain goods (measure updated on 25 January 2022, 1 March 2022, 9 March 2022 and 29 March 2022)	Permanent delegation of Myanmar to the WTO (20 May 2022); Ministry of Commerce's Bulletin No. 18/2021 (9 November 2021); Ministry of Commerce's Bulletin No. 1/2022 (25 January 2022); Ministry of Commerce's Bulletin No. 2/2022 (1 March 2022); Ministry of Commerce's Bulletin No. 3/2022 (9 March 2022); Ministry of Commerce's Bulletin No. 5/2022 (29 March 2022)
North Macedonia	
09/03/2022: Export ban on sunflower oil 11/05/2022: The measure is terminated	Permanent Delegation of North Macedonia to the WTO (5 October 2022), and Official Gazette of North Macedonia No. 112/2022
18/03/2022: Export ban of wheat, barley, maize, flour, sunflower seeds 15/05/2022: The measure is terminated	Permanent Delegation of North Macedonia to the WTO (5 October 2022); Official Gazette of North Macedonia Nos. 67/2022 and 93/2022.
Pakistan	
27/01/2022: Introduction on 27 January 2022 of tariff increase on imports from Afghanistan of disodium carbonate (until 30 June 2022) from 0% to 20%, synthetic filament yarn from 0% to 10%, staple fibres of polypropylene from 0% to 10%, electric vehicles in CBU condition of more than 50 kWh battery pack excluding commercial buses and trucks (until 30 June 2022) from 0% to 10%, some types of vehicles (until 30 June 2022) from 15% to 50%	Ministry of Finance and Revenue of Pakistan, 27 January 2022. Viewed at: https://download1.fbr.gov.pk/SROs/2022128151121578SRO157-2022.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
19/05/2022: Introduction of import ban on luxury products	SRO 598(I)/2022, 19 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.commerce.gov.pk/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/SRO-Ban-on-Import-of-Luxury-and-N_essential-Items.pdf . SRO 1562(I)/2022 on 19 August 2022. Viewed at: https://www.commerce.gov.pk/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/SRO-1562-dt-19082022.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
05/07/2022: Imposition of requirement for prior approval for imports of machinery	State Bank of Pakistan, Exchange Policy Department, Circular Letter No. 11 of 2022, 5 July 2022. Viewed at: https://www.sbp.org.pk/epd/2022/FECL11.htm , and Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
Russian Federation	
01/01/2022: Increase of export duties (up to 80%) on certain wood and articles of wood (including logs) (excluding the EAEU members)	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Regulation No. 2068, 27 November 2021. Viewed at: http://static.government.ru/media/files/H89JL2J98CP6kzLuQ2I9u6msAKbGC9ts.pdf
01/01/2022: Export of certain wood and article of woods (including logs) to the European Union only authorized through a crossing point in Finland	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 1225, 20 July 2021. Viewed at: http://government.ru/docs/all/135747/
02/02/2022: Introduction on 2 February 2022 of export ban on fertilizers. Exports destined to member states of the Eurasian Economic Union are exempted	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 82, 1 February 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202202010020

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09/03/2022: Introduction on 9 March 2022 of temporary export ban on over 200 products such as household appliances, medical equipment, engineering products, agriculture products, electrical equipment. Exports to the EAEU, Abkhazia, and South Ossetia are exempt (effective from 9 March to 31 December 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 311, 9 March 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202203100034
09/03/2022: Introduction on 9 March 2022 of an export licensing requirement for exports of several products such as technological, telecommunication and medical equipment, vehicles, agricultural machinery, electric equipment, as well as railway cars and locomotives, containers, turbines, metal and stone cutting machines, video displays, projectors, consoles and switchboards, destined to the EAEU, Abkhazia, and South Ossetia	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 312, 9 March 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202203100025
15/03/2022: Introduction of a temporary export ban on white and raw sugar outside the Russian Federation (excluding the EAEU members); 31/08/2022: Measure is terminated	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 361, 14 March 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202203150002 , and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
15/03/2022: Introduction of a temporary export ban on wheat, meslin, rye, barley, and corn outside the Russian Federation (excluding the EAEU members)	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 362, 14 March 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202203150001 , and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
01/04/2022: Introduction of a temporary export ban on sunflower seeds and rapeseed outside the Russian Federation (excluding the EAEU members)	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 529, 31 March 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202203310060 , and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
15/04/2022: Extension of export quotas for fertilizers (excluding the EAEU members)	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Regulation No. 670, 15 April 2022. Viewed at: http://static.government.ru/media/files/HFkANK2NRZqorHjWMHvlnKlfM9guFnTe.pdf , and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
15/04/2022: Introduction of a temporary export quota for sunflower oil in the amount of 1,5 million tonnes and for oilcake in the amount of 700 thousand tonnes outside the Russian Federation excluding the EAEU (effective form 15 April 2022 to 31 August 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022); and Resolution No. 548, 31 March 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202204020020 , and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
01/05/2022: Establishment of a "floating" export customs duty rate on sunflower oilcake (excluding the EAEU members)	Decree No. 548, 31 March 2022; and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
01/05/2022: Establishment of a "floating" export customs duty rate for sunflower seed oil cake and other solid residues (excluding the EAEU members)	Decree No. 532, 31 March 2022; and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
01/05/2022: Establishment of an export customs duty at the rate of 5% on flax seeds but not less than USD 100 per 1,000 kg (excluding EAEU members) (1 May to 31 August 2022)	Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022) and Resolution No. 531, 31 March 2022
30/06/2022: Introduction of a temporary export ban on certain amino acids (excluding the EAEU members)	Decree No. 1169, 30 June 2022. Viewed at: https://cis-legislation.com/document.fwx?rgn=141440 ; and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)

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01/07/2022: Switch for export duties on grain, sunflower oil and meal from US dollars to Russian rubles (excluding members of the EAEU)	Resolution No. 1179, 30 June 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202207010039 . Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
01/07/2022: Introduction of a temporary export ban on rice and rice groats outside the Russian Federation excluding the EAEU (effective from 1 July till 31 December 2022)	Resolution No. 1171, 30 June 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202206300034 . Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
07/08/2022: Introduction of a temporary export quota on certain sulphur products (excluding the members of the Eurasian Economic Union)	Decree No. 1392, 6 August 2022. Viewed at: http://government.ru/news/46193/ , and Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
09/09/2022: Introduction of a temporary export ban on rapeseed outside the Russian Federation excluding the EAEU (effective 9 September 2022 to 28 February 2023)	Resolution No. 1580, 8 September 2022. Viewed at: http://publication.pravo.gov.ru/Document/View/0001202209090038 . Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (19 October 2022)
Russian Federation (for Eurasian Economic Union)	
02/01/2022: Establishment of import customs duty at the rate of 5% on meta-aramid products intended for the manufacture of non-woven materials used in the manufacture of personal protective equipment	Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission No. 126 (29 October 2021), and Permanent delegation of the Russian Federation to the WTO (20 May 2022)
Senegal	
07/01/2022: Import prohibition for automobile vehicles older than a certain age	Permanent Delegation of Senegal to the WTO (19 May 2022); Decree No. 2001-72 of 26/01/2001
Serbia	
10/03/2022: Temporarily ban the export of basic agricultural food products, such as wheat grain, wheat flour, corn and groats and sunflower oil	Official Gazette No. 32, 10 March 2022; No. 35, 17 March 2022; and No. 48, 15 April 2022. Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO (20 May 2022)
22/04/2022: Introduction of quantitative export restrictions on certain agricultural products, where quantities were defined on monthly basis; 22/07/2022: Export restrictions on wheat and corn are temporarily terminated until end of summer, when the situation with harvest will be re-evaluated again	Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO (20 May 2022); Official Gazette No. 49, 21 April 2022; No. 52 30 April 2022; and No. 57, 12 May 2022
22/04/2022: Quantitative export restrictions on wheat flour, introduced on April 22, 2022, where quantities were defined on monthly basis, (monthly quota of 23,000 t) 15/05/2022: The measure was terminated	Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO (20 May 2022)
26/05/2022: Temporary ban on export of certain wood assortments of essential importance for the Republic of Serbia	Official Gazette No. 61/2022 and Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO (13 October 2022)
30/06/2022: Temporary ban on export of euro diesel	Official Gazette No. 73/22 and Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO (13 October 2022)
06/08/2022: Temporary restriction on export of certain wood assortments of essential importance for the Republic of Serbia	Official Gazette No. 87/2022 and Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO (13 October 2022)
06/08/2022: Temporary ban on export of firewood and pellet (measure to be terminated on 31 October 2022)	Official Gazette No. 87/22) and Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO, 13 October 2022
06/09/2022: Temporary ban on export of raw milk and certain dairy products (to be terminated 31 October 2022)	Official Gazette No. 101/2022 and Permanent Delegation of Serbia to the WTO (13 October 2022)

Measure	Source
South Africa (for Southern African Customs Union)	
05/11/2021: Increase of import tariffs from free to 15% on certain tube, pipes and hollow profiles	Permanent Delegation of South Africa to the WTO (26 April 2022) and Government Gazette No. 44570, 3 December 2021
05/11/2021: Increase of import tariffs from free and 10% to 10% and 15%, respectively, on certain tube, pipes and hollow profiles ITAC Report No. 643	Permanent Delegation of South Africa to the WTO (26 April 2022) and Government Gazette No. 45427, 5 November 2021
03/12/2021: Increase of import customs duties on different types of cans (tinplate cans, pails, and aerosol cans). Imports from the European Union, European Free Trade Association (EFTA), SADC, MERCOSUR and AfCFTA are exempted	South Africa Government Gazette 45570, Notice No. 1562, 3 December 2021
Sri Lanka	
10/03/2022: Introduction of import licensing requirement for several products. Import licensing requirement was applicable for goods which had the date of Bill of Lading/ Air Waybill on or after 10th March 2022	Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 05 of 2022 published through the extraordinary Gazette No. 2270/18, 9 March 2022, and Gazette No. 2282/21, 31 May 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Sri Lanka to the WTO (19 October 2022)
19/05/2022: Imposition of a cess on the imports of several goods	Extraordinary Gazette No. 2280/32 dated 18th May 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Sri Lanka to the WTO (19 October 2022)
01/06/2022: Temporary surcharge on customs duty on the imports of several goods (for the period of 6 months)	Extraordinary Gazette No. 2282/25, 31 May 2022, and Permanent Delegation of Sri Lanka to the WTO (19 October 2022)
Chinese Taipei	
01/03/2022: Import ban on "Pit Bull Terrier: American Pit Bull Terrier (or American Pit Bull), American Staffordshire Terrier" to the List of Commodities Subject to Import Restrictions	Permanent Delegation of Chinese Taipei at the WTO (23 September 2022) and Bureau of Foreign Trade, Doc No. 11004603301
01/04/2022: Temporary import prohibition on "other abalone, live, fresh or chilled, other than Haliotis diversicolor" from People's Republic of China (terminated on 31 May 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Chinese Taipei to the WTO (23 September 2022) and Ministry of Economic Affairs Doc No. 11102606940
Thailand	
06/01/2022: Export prohibition of Live Swine to prevent critical shortage in the domestic market resulting from the critical reduction of the live swine production in Thailand (6 January 2022 – 5 April 2022)	Permanent delegation of Thailand to the WTO (28 April 2022); Notification of the Central Committee on Price of Goods and Services No. 1 B.E. 2565 (2022), and WTO document G/MA/QR/N/THA/2/Add.5, 11 January 2022
Türkiye	
07/12/2021: Introduction on 7 December 2021 of export quotas of 100,000kg on Eel (<i>anguilla</i>) and of 1,500kg on medicinal leeches (<i>Hirundo verbana</i>)	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry of Türkiye, 7 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.tarimorman.gov.tr/BSGM/Duyuru/148/Yilan-Baligi-Ve-Tibbi-Suluk-Icin-2022-Yili-Ihracat-Kotalari-Belirlenmistir
30/12/2021: Export licensing requirement on sugar (30 December 2021) and on certain wood products (11 March 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (1 July 2022); Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31705, Communiqué export No. 2021/12 (30 December 2021); and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31775, Communiqué export No. 2022/3 (11 March 2022). Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2021/12/20211230-31.htm and https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/03/20220311-11.htm
01/01/2022: Introduction of a tariff free import quota for pertex fabric and coagulated backing fabric destined to be used as inputs in the production process. Simultaneous increase of duties for the same products destined to uses other than inputs in the production process	Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31706, 31 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2021/12/20211231M5-2.pdf

Measure	Source
27/01/2022: Publication of the Communiqué 2022/1 that allows the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry to adjust exports of specific agricultural products to meet national food security needs	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (20 October 2022), and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31732, Communiqué on the Export of Some Agricultural Products 2022/1
04/03/2022: Introduction on 4 March 2022 of Communiqué Export 2022/2 resulting in the extension of the list of products affected by Communiqué Export 2022/1 and introduction of export restrictions on more agricultural products including (but not limited to) meat, wheat, corn oil, rapeseed oil, olives and olive oil, sunflower seed, safflower or cottonseed oils and their fractions, margarine 07/07/2022: Termination on 7 July 2022 of restrictions on exports of olive oil. Restrictions on exports of beans and red lentils continues 29/08/2022: Termination on 29 August 2022 of restrictions on exports of soybean oil, rapeseed oil, corn oil and margarine. Restrictions on exports of sunflower seed oil and its fractions continues. Termination of restrictions on exports of sheep and goat meat. Restrictions on beef exports continue	Official Gazette of Türkiye, No. 31768, Communiqué export 2022/2, 4 March 2022
19/04/2022: Introduction of kaolin and other kaolinic clays to the List of Goods Subject to Registration for Exports	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (1 July 2022), and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31814, Communiqué No. 20225 (19 April 2022)
21/04/2022: Introduction of Communiqué 2022/4 resulting in the expansion of the list of products affected by Communiqué 2022/1 and introduction of export restrictions on milk and cream	Official Gazette of Türkiye, issue 31816, Communiqué export 2022/4, 21 April 2022
20/06/2022: Quota restriction on butter (effective from 20 June to 30 September 2022)	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (20 October 2022), and Türkiye Customs Circular No. 22520, 20 June 2022. Viewed at: https://ugm.com.tr/gumruk-sirkulerleri?s=9846 on 3 August 2022
01/07/2022: Increase of import duties of several industrial products	Official Gazette of Türkiye, Presidential Decree No. 5747. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/06/20220625-3.pdf
10/07/2022: Increase in import tariffs of bulk ethyl alcohol and ethyl alcohol in immediate pickings	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (23 September 2022), and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31877, 25 June 2022
12/08/2022: Implementation of additional custom duties for electrical cars	Permanent Delegation of Türkiye to the WTO (23 September 2022), and Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31906, 28 July 2022
07/09/2022: Introduction of a licensing requirement for exports of tomato paste	Export Communiqué 2022/7, 7 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/09/20220907-4.htm
Ukraine	
06/03/2022: Introduction on 6 of March of non-automatic licensing of the exportation of certain agricultural products 25/03/2022: The measure is terminated for maize and sunflower oil 08/07/2022: Export licensing of wheat and meslin is abolished	Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 May 2022). WTO documents G/MA/QR/N/UKR/5/Add.2, 25 March 2022; G/MA/QR/N/UKR/5/Add.4, 28 April 2022; and G/MA/QR/N/UKR/5/Add.7, 15 July 2022
06/03/2022: Introduction on 6 of March of export restriction on certain agricultural products (including rye, oats, millet, sugar, meat, and livestock) 10/05/2022: The measure is terminated	WTO document G/MA/QR/N/UKR/5/Add.2, 25 March 2022; and Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 May 2022)
12/03/2022: Export ban on mineral and chemical fertilizers 28/07/2022: Export ban is lifted	WTO documents G/MA/QR/N/UKR/5/Add.3, 5 April 2022; and G/MA/QR/N/UKR/5/Add.8, 17 August 2022. Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (19 May 2022)
14/06/2022: Prohibition on the exportation of fuel oils, coal, anthracite, natural gas	WTO document G/MA/QR/N/UKR/6, 30 September 2022; and Resolution No. 666, 10 June 2022. Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (17 October 2022)
28/07/2022: Imposition of automatic licensing requirement for certain goods (including fertilizers and oats)	Resolution No. 832, 26 July 2022; and Permanent Delegation of Ukraine to the WTO (17 October 2022)

Measure	Source
28/07/2022: Restriction on the exportation of certain agricultural and other products (buckwheat and salt)	Resolution No. 832, 26 July 2022; and WTO document G/MA/QR/N/UKR/6, 30 September 2022
United States of America	
23/12/2021: Ban of imports from the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region (Xinjiang) of China	White House Briefing Room, 23 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/legislation/2021/12/23/bill-signed-h-r-6256/
27/12/2021: Removal of certain General Approved Exclusions (GAEs) under the Section 232 Steel and Aluminium Tariff Exclusions Process	Federal Register, 9 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/12/09/2021-26634/removal-of-certain-general-approved-exclusions-gaes-under-the-section-232-steel-and-aluminum-tariff

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Measure	Source
Afghanistan	
01/05/2022: Export ban on wheat	Ariana News, 23 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.ariananews.af/iea-bans-wheat-exports-due-to-a-shortage-for-domestic-needs/#:~:text=The%20Islamic%20Emirate%20of%20Afghanistan,totals%20only%20four%20million%20tons
Algeria	
01/03/2022: Export ban of all consumer products that Algeria imports, such as sugar, pasta, oil, semolina and all wheat derivatives	Africanews, 14 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.africanews.com/2022/03/14/algeria-bans-export-of-food/
Argentina	
04/10/2022: A number of luxury goods from the list of goods subject to import automatic licence were moved to the list of goods subject to non-automatic licence	Ministerio de Economía Secretaría de Comercio, Resolución 26/2022, Viewed at: https://www.boletinoficial.gob.ar/detalleAviso/primera/273112/20221004 on 10 October 2022
Azerbaijan	
01/03/2022: Temporary export restrictions of flour, cereals, wheat, oilseeds and certain other food products	Azernews, 19 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.azernews.az/nation/190963.html
Bangladesh	
23/03/2022: Under the Export Policy Order 2021-2024, introduction of export ban on several products such as naphtha, furnace oil, lubricant oil, bitumen, condensate, MTT and MS Fire arms, ammunition and related materials, radioactive materials, archaeological relics, human skeleton, blood plasma, or anything produced from human beings or human blood, all types of pulses (except processed pulses), all shrimps except chilled, frozen and processed ones, onion, garlic and ginger	Bangladesh National Portal, 23 March 2022. Viewed at: http://www.epb.gov.bd/sites/default/files/files/epb.portal.gov.bd/files/52edff8c_b3b9_49c6_a94a_1c35f11557a0/2022-03-31-04-04-71951d5a37613723b44818e697ab8d5a.pdf
01/07/2022: Export ban on aromatic rice	The Daily Star, 2 July 2022. Viewed at: https://www.thedailystar.net/business/news/bangladesh-bans-aromatic-rice-export-3061856
28/08/2022: Temporary reduction of import duties on diesel	Ministry of Finance, SRO No. 286-Act/2022/136/Customs, 28 August 2022. Viewed at: http://www.dpp.gov.bd/upload_file/gazettes/45856_90969.pdf

Measure	Source
Belarus	
01/12/2021: Increase on 1 December 2021 of export duties on oil and oil products which are exported outside the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU)	Belta News, 29 December 2021. Viewed at: https://eng.belta.by/economics/view/belarus-to-reduce-export-duties-on-oil-oil-products-146621-2021/
01/02/2022: Increase on 1 February 2022 of export duties on oil and oil products exported outside the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU)	Vetka Regional Executive Committee, 2 February 2022. Viewed at: http://vetka.gomel-region.by/en/republic-en/view/belarus-raises-export-duties-on-oil-oil-products-17100/
01/03/2022: Export ban on certain grain products used as animal feed (except for the EAEU members)	Viewed at: http://hoiniki.gov.by/en/republic/view/belarus-bans-export-of-feed-grain-some-industrial-goods-19587/
28/03/2022: Export ban of rice, cereals and wholemeal flour from rye or barley, processed cereals, pasta (except for the EAEU members)	Council of Ministers' Resolution No. 187 "On the introduction of a temporary ban on the export of certain types of goods", 28 March 2022. Viewed at: https://pravo.by/document/?guid=12551&p0=C22200187&p1=1&mp;p5=0
06/07/2022: Export ban of flour from soft wheat and spelt, coarse buckwheat, hulled buckwheat, prepared food products from buckwheat (except for the EAEU members)	National legal portal of Belarus. Viewed at: https://pravo.by/document/?guid=12551&p0=C22200446&p1=1&mp;p5=0
19/07/2022: Temporary export licensing requirement on flax fiber (except for the EAEU members)	Decree No. 470, 19 July 2022. Viewed at: https://cis-legislation.com/document.fwx?rgn=142368
15/08/2022: Introduction of temporary export licensing requirement on white sugar (except for the EAEU members)	Decree No. 528, 15 August 2022. Viewed at: https://cis-legislation.com/document.fwx?rgn=142680
22/09/2022: Temporary export ban on certain industrial goods (except for the EAEU members)	Decree No. 630, 20 September 2022. Viewed at: https://pravo.by/document/?guid=12551&p0=C22200630&p1=1&mp;p5=0
23/09/2022: Export ban on a number of cereals, grain, as well as rapeseed and sunflower seeds outside Belarus	Resolution of the Council of Ministers No. 636 "On the introduction of a temporary ban on the export of certain types of goods", 23 September 2022. Viewed at: https://pravo.by/document/?guid=12551&p0=C22200636&p1=1&mp;p5=0
Bhutan	
01/08/2022: Import ban on non-essential vehicles	Kuensel Online, 19 August 2022. Viewed at: https://kuenselonline.com/govt-suspends-import-of-select-vehicles/
Burkina Faso	
24/02/2022: Export ban on maize, millet, sorghum flours	FAO, 29 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.fao.org/giews/food-prices/food-policies/detail/en/c/1492066/
China	
01/02/2022: Import restrictions and bans on selected Australian products	Financial Review, 17 January 2022. Viewed at: https://www.afr.com/policy/economy/china-trade-ban-defied-by-exporters-20220113-p59nzu
01/02/2022: Ban on beef, dairy and alcohol imports from Lithuania	South China Morning Post, 10 February 2022. Viewed at: https://www.scmp.com/economy/china-economy/article/3166507/chinas-lithuanian-beef-import-ban-labelled-unilateral
28/02/2022: Import ban on wood logs from Lithuania	Global Times, 28 February 2022. Viewed at: https://www.globaltimes.cn/page/202202/1253493.shtml

Measure	Source
15/07/2022: Introduction for the second half of the year of a quotas for the export of phosphate	Reuters, 15 July 2022. Viewed at: https://www.reuters.com/article/china-fertilizers-quotas-idUSKBN2OQ0KY on 1 August 2022
03/08/2022: Introduction on 3 August 2022 of an export ban of natural sand to Chinese Taipei	Financial Times, 3 August 2022. Viewed at: https://www.ft.com/content/ff15198f-cdc2-48fa-bed5-4a59bebbf01a on 5 August 2022
03/08/2022: Introduction of an import ban on 2000 food products from Chinese Taipei	Financial Times, 3 August 2022. Viewed at: https://www.ft.com/content/ff15198f-cdc2-48fa-bed5-4a59bebbf01a on 5 August 2022
Egypt	
12/03/2022: Export ban of wheat, flour, corn, lentils, pasta, fava beans and all kinds of vegetable oil initially imposed on 12 March 2022 for three month 08/06/2022: Measure was extended for another 3 months 07/09/2022: The measure is terminated	Reuters, 12 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.reuters.com/article/egypt-commodities-exports-idUSC6N2S302J . Reuters, 8 June 2022. Viewed at: https://www.reuters.com/article/egypt-commodities-exports-idUKC6N2W601R . Nasdaq, 14 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.nasdaq.com/articles/egypt-lifts-export-ban-on-food-staples-document
Ghana	
01/04/2022: Export restrictions on maize and soybeans	Graphic Online, 11 April 2022. Viewed at: https://www.graphic.com.gh/news/general-news/govt-restricts-maize-soya-beans-exports-policy-to-ensure-food-security.html
India	
01/07/2022: Export restrictions on wheat flour and its derivatives	The Indian Express, 7 July 2022. Viewed at: https://indianexpress.com/article/india/india-puts-curbs-on-wheat-flour-exports-8015499/
Indonesia	
01/01/2022: Introduction of temporary export ban on coal (effective 1 January 2022 to 31 January 2022)	Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources, Press Release No. 1.Pers/04/SJI/2022 (1 January 2022). Viewed at: https://www.esdm.go.id/id/media-center/arsip-berita/hindari-pemadaman-10-juta-pelanggan-pln-pemerintah-larang-sementara-ekspor-batubara
24/01/2022: Introduction of export licensing requirement on crude palm oil and used cooking oil	Ministry of Trade of the Republic of Indonesia, Regulation No. 2/2022 (18 January 2022). Viewed at: https://peraturan.bcperek.net/sites/default/files/peraturan/2022/02-tahun-2022.pdf
10/03/2022: Increase of the domestic market obligation on exporters of crude palm oil, refined, bleached and deodorized palm olein, and other mixtures from 20% to 30% of their export volume	Minister of Trade Decree No. 170/2022 (9 March 2022)
28/04/2022: Introduction of temporary export ban on palm oil (terminated on 23 May 2022)	Ministry of Trade of the Republic of Indonesia, Regulation No. 22/2022, 27 April 2022. Viewed at: http://jdih.kemendag.go.id/peraturan/detail/2407/2%C2%A0 and Ministry of Trade, 23 May 2022. Viewed at: http://jdih.kemendag.go.id/peraturan/stream/2433/2
14/06/2022: Introduction on 14 July 2022 of a temporary export tax on crude palm oil, cooking oil, and its raw materials	Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Indonesia, No. 102/PMK.010/2022
21/06/2022: Introduction of an import ban on basmati, malys, and other flavoured rice	Ministry of Trade, Regulation No. 40/2022 (14 June 2022)

Measure	Source
01/08/2022: Introduction of a new regulation (No. 46/2022) by the Ministry of Trade according to which the crude palm oil export duties are determined by the market's CPO's reference prices, periodically determined by the Ministry of Trade of Indonesia	Ministry of Trade, Regulation No. 46/2022. Viewed at: https://peraturan.bcperak.net/sites/default/files/peraturan/2022/46-tahun-2022.pdf
09/08/2022: Increase of export duties of crude palm oil (CPO) from 8 to 15 August 2022; 15/08/2022: Further increase of export duties of crude palm oil (CPO) from 16 August to 15 September 2022	Minister of Trade of Indonesia Regulations Nos. 1157/2022 (8 August 2022) and 1165/2022 (15 August 2022)
Kazakhstan	
14/05/2022: Temporary export ban of white sugar	Order of the Minister of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan No. 140, 4 May 2022. Viewed at: https://online.zakon.kz/Document/?doc_id=39777555&pos=1;-10#pos=1;-10
01/06/2022: Export quotas for sunflower oil	Kapital.kz, 18 June 2022. Viewed at: https://kapital.kz/economic/106529/vvedeny-ogranicheniya-na-eksport-podsolnechnogo-masla.html
08/08/2022: Extension of an export ban on small and large cattle	Electronic standard control bank of regulatory legal acts of the Republic of Kazakhstan, 22 August 2022. Viewed at: http://zan.gov.kz/client/#!/
14/09/2022: Temporary export ban on coal, briquettes, pellets and similar types of solid fuel received from coal: coal stone, powdered or not powdered, but not agglomerated (for the period of 6 months)	The Government of Kazakhstan, Decree No. 514, 14 September 2022. Viewed at: https://cis-legislation.com/document.fwx?rgn=143627
Kenya	
01/06/2022: Imposition on import levies on chicken eggs originating in Uganda	Daily Monitor, 9 June 2022. Viewed at: https://www.monitor.co.ug/uganda/business/commodities/kenya-slaps-new-levies-on-ugandan-eggs--3843008
Kuwait, the State of	
18/05/2022: Export ban of frozen chicken, vegetable oils and meats	Kuwait times, 18 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.kuwaittimes.com/curbs-on-meats-oils-leaving-kuwait-wheat-supply-stable/
01/10/2022: Introduction of temporary export ban on fresh eggs (until 21 May 2023)	Arab Times, 18 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.arabtimesonline.com/news/kuwait-bans-export-of-fresh-eggs-from-oct-1-to-may-21/ on 23 September 2022
Lebanese Republic	
01/03/2022: Export ban on processed fruits and vegetables, milled grain products, sugar, bread, and animal feed	Reuters, 11 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.reuters.com/article/lebanon-economy-exports-idAFC6N2U8028
Morocco	
01/03/2022: Introduction of export restriction on tomatoes	BNN Bloomberg, 15 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.bnnbloomberg.ca/morocco-to-reduce-tomato-exports-as-inflation-stokes-local-protests-1.1737951
Nepal	
01/04/2022: Imposition of a ban on imports of motorcycles and mobile sets	The Kathmandu Post, 17 July 2022. Viewed at: https://kathmandupost.com/money/2022/07/17/nepal-continues-import-ban-on-10-goods-items-as-foreign-exchange-reserves-dwindle
12/04/2022: Introduction of import restriction on non-essential goods, in response to foreign currency reserves drop	BBC News, 12 April 2022. Viewed at: https://www.bbc.com/news/business-61076089

Measure	Source
Pakistan	
01/05/2022: Export ban on cane or beet sugar, chemically pure sucrose, in solid form, and other cane sugar	SRO 544(I)/2022, 22 April 2022. Viewed at: https://www.commerce.gov.pk/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/EPO-2022-SRO-544-2022-dt.22.4.22.pdf . Permanent Delegation of Pakistan to the WTO (26 October 2022)
Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	
28/10/2021: Imposition of ban on all imports from Lebanon (chapters 01 to 97)	Arabian Business, 31 October 2021. Viewed at: https://www.arabianbusiness.com/politics-economics/470418-economic-collapse-forecast-if-gcc-were-to-ban-lebanese-imports ; and Al Jazeera, 29 October 2021. Viewed at: https://www.aljazeera.com/economy/2021/10/29/saudi-arabia-bans-imports-from-lebanon-expels-ambassador
Tanzania	
01/09/2022: Freeze of maize export permits to Kenya	The East African, 7 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.theeastafrican.co.ke/tea/business/tanzania-freezes-exports-permits-for-kenyan-traders-3939642
Tunisia	
01/04/2022: Export ban on fruits and vegetables	Libya Herald, 14 April 2022. Viewed at: https://www.libyaherald.com/2022/04/tunisia-imposes-fruit-and-vegetables-export-ban-to-all-countries-including-its-largest-importer-libya/#:~:text=Tunisia%20banned%20the%20export%20of,inclusing%20its%20largest%20importer%20Libya
Türkiye	
01/01/2022: Increase on 1 January 2022 of import duty on certain flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel from duty-free to 15%	Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31706, 31 December 2021. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2021/12/20211231M3-1.pdf
27/02/2022: Export ban of olive oil, beans and red lentils	Dunya, 27 February 2022. Viewed at: https://www.dunya.com/ekonomi/ukrayna-savasi-nedeniyle-uc-urune-ihracat-kisitlamasi-haberi-650190
01/03/2022: Export ban on sunflower oil, soybean oil, sunflower seeds, cottonseed oils, rapeseed, mustard oil, corn oil and margarine	Ahval news, 6 April 2022. Viewed at: https://ahvalnews.com/turkey-economy/turkey-bans-exports-sunflower-oil-after-denying-reports-shortages
18/06/2022: Increase on 18 June 2022 of the price thresholds for the requirement of import licensing for certain glass (see Communiqué 2010/7 and 2020/1), resulting in increase of goods imports subject to licensing requirements	Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31870, 18 June 2022. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/06/20220618-12.htm on 3 August 2022
01/07/2022: Introduction on 1 July 2022 of import licensing requirements for certain valves imported at a too low price	Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31868. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/06/20220616-7.htm on 3 August 2022.
15/09/2022: Increase of the customs duty on sunflower seed oil to 10%	Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31954, Decision of the President 6037, 15 September 2022. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/09/20220915-12.pdf
15/10/2022: Import licensing requirements on certain plastics if the imported price is equal to or below specified price thresholds	Official Gazette of Türkiye No. 31973, Notice related to Communiqué 2015/3, 4 October 2022. Viewed at: https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2022/10/20221004-6.htm on 4 October 2022

Measure	Source
Uganda	
01/05/2022: Increase of export taxes on grains	Newsclick, 28 May 2022. Viewed at: https://www.newsclick.in/ghana-uganda-ban-grain-food-exports
Ukraine	
01/03/2022: Export ban on natural gas	Ukrinform, 4 March 2022. Viewed at: https://www.ukrinform.net/rubric-economy/3419471-ukraine-stops-exporting-natural-gas-at-midnight.html

ANNEX 4 - MEASURES AFFECTING TRADE IN SERVICES¹

(MID-OCTOBER 2021 TO MID-OCTOBER 2022)

Measure	Mode(s) of supply	Sectoral classification	Source	Date	Verified by Member
MEASURES AFFECTING VARIOUS SECTORS					
Algeria (Observer)					
The 2022 Finance Law, enacted on 31 December, requires all foreign non-resident companies which do not have a permanent professional establishment in Algeria, but performing activities within the territory, to file with the competent tax office any contract concluded with an Algerian debtor.	Mode 1	All sectors	2022 Finance Law Viewed at: https://www.joradp.dz/FTP/jo-francais/2021/F2021100.pdf https://taxnews.ey.com/news/2022-0151-algerias-2022-finance-act-introduces-new-tax-measures	1 January 2022	
A new investment law was adopted, providing a revised regulatory framework to promote and facilitate investment in priority sectors with high value added, such as in tourism or other activities. The principles of freedom of investment, and transparency and equality in the processing of investments are established. The new law introduces a platform to address application requests made by investors. It also provides incentives in terms of exemptions on taxes, land registration fees, immovable property, shareholding in the capital of a company and the relocation of activities from abroad.	Mode 3	All sectors	Loi n° 22-18 du 25 Dhou El Hidja 1443 correspondant au 24 juillet 2022 relative à l'investissement Viewed at: https://www.joradp.dz/FTP/jo-francais/2022/F2022050.pdf https://algeriainvest.com/news/algeria-the-new-investment-law-published-in-the-official-journal	Gazetted 28 July 2022	
Australia					
The government issued an act which amends the Security of Critical Infrastructure Act 2018 (SOCI Act). It expands the list of critical infrastructure assets, covering inter alia telecommunications, broadcasting, domain name systems, data storage or processing, financial, hospital, education, retail and transport services.	Mode 3	Various sectors	Security Legislation Amendment (Critical Infrastructure) Act 2021 Viewed at: https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/C2021A00124	Effective 3 December 2021	

¹ The inclusion of any measure in this Annex implies no judgement by the WTO Secretariat on whether a measure, or its intent, is protectionist in nature. Moreover, nothing in the Annex implies any judgement, either direct or indirect, on the consistency of any measure with the provisions of any WTO agreement.

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Foreign investment in those sectors may qualify as a national security action, and therefore require preapproval from the Federal Treasurer of Australia.					
In order to support the improved administration of Australia's foreign investment framework, the new regulations clarify certain aspects of the 2015 Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Regulation and streamlining the processing of less sensitive types of investment, such as for foreign investors that engage in moneylending, invest in unlisted land entities or Australian media businesses, acquire shares or units under rights issues and other pro-rata offers, or transact on behalf of institutional investors as part of a custodian service. Regulatory burden is reduced through amendments that refine the rules for the notification of these kinds of foreign investments, including raising thresholds and providing broader exemptions from foreign investment screening.	Mode 3	Various sectors	Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Amendment Regulations 2022 Viewed at: https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2022L00465/Download	Effective 1 April 2022	
Belize					
A new act was enacted that gives legal effect to all electronic documents, records and signatures; to repeal the Electronic Transactions Act, Chapter 229:03 of the Substantive Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2011; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.	Modes 1 and 2	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Act No. 25 of 2021 – Electronic Transactions Act, 2021 Source: Permanent Mission of Belize to the WTO	Effective October 2021	X
A new act was passed, regulating the collection, storage, use and dissemination of personal data; to protect the privacy of individuals in relation to their personal data; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.	Mode 1 and 2	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Data Protection Act No. 45 of 2021 Source: Permanent Mission of Belize to the WTO	Effective November 2021	X
Cambodia					
The government enacted a new law, establishing as from 1 April 2022 a 10% VAT applicable to all non-resident firms selling to Cambodia through business-to-consumer e-commerce. For business-to-business e-commerce, the Cambodia-registered buyer is required to pay 10% VAT through a reverse charge mechanism, regardless of whether the non-resident supplier is VAT registered.	Mode 1	Internet and other network-enabled services	Decision No 542 MEF.PK (8 September 2021) on the Rules and Procedure for the Implementation of VAT on E-Commerce Viewed at: https://research.hktdc.com/en/article/OTc5OTQ0NDEz	Effective 1 April 2022	

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Chile					
On 23 September 2021, Supreme Decree No. 6 of 2021 of the Ministry of Economy, Development and Tourism was published in the Official Gazette approving the Electronic Commerce Regulation. It aims to strengthen the transparency and quality of the information provided to consumers on e-commerce platforms in order to encourage informed decision-making, and thus strengthen consumers' right to free choice.	Multiple modes	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Supreme Decree No. 6 of 2021 approving the Electronic Commerce Regulation Viewed at: https://www.bcn.cl/leychile/navegar?i=1165504 https://www.garriques.com/en_GB/new/chile-e-commerce-regulations-published-promote-transparency-consumer-information	Effective March 2022	X
China					
The Special Administrative Measures (Negative List) for the Access of Foreign Investment in Pilot Free Trade Zones (2021 edition) reduces the list to 27 items.	Mode 3	Various sectors	Order of the National Development and Reform Commission and the Ministry of Commerce (No. 48 of 2021) Viewed at: https://www.garriques.com/en_GB/new/china-issues-new-versions-negative-lists-foreign-investment	Effective 1 January 2022	X
The Cyberspace Administration of China in conjunction with 12 other government departments issued the New Measures for Cybersecurity Review on 4 January 2022, amending the Measures for Cybersecurity Review released on 10 July 2021. The New Measures subject to a cybersecurity review critical information infrastructure (CII) operators that purchase network products and services which affect or may affect national security, as well as network platform operators that conduct data processing activity which affects or may affect national security or that hold personal information of more than one million users and plan to list their shares overseas.	Multiple modes	Internet- and other network-enabled services	New Measures for Cybersecurity Review Viewed at: https://www.china-briefing.com/news/a-close-reading-of-chinas-new-cybersecurity-review-measures-in-effect-february-15-2022	Effective 15 February 2022	
The Cyberspace Affairs Commission (CAC) issued, on 7 July 2022, a new measure setting out the security assessment framework for cross-border data transfers. The measures clarify the scope, conditions, procedures, and guidance for data export security assessment.	Multiple modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	Measures on Security Assessment of Cross-Border Data Transfer (Office of the Cyberspace Affairs Commission) Viewed at: https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?q=6b2b1281-dc28-4fe9-a028-9901816bfe9e	Effective 1 September 2022	

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A business carrying out cross-border transfers of personal information of China-based subjects is required to meet at least one of the following conditions: - have an official security assessment conducted by the CAC; - obtain a personal information protection certification from a recognised organization; or - execute a contract with the data recipient, in a form prescribed by the CAC.					
Colombia					
The government issued a new decree that establishes the minimum conditions for Binding Corporate Rules to certify good practices regarding personal data protection and data transfer to other countries.	Modes 1 and 3	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Decreto 255 del 23 de febrero de 2022 Viewed at: https://dapre.presidencia.gov.co/normativa/normativa/DECRETO%20255%20DEL%2023%20DE%20FEBRERO%20DE%202022.pdf	Issued 23 February 2022	X
Cuba					
A new law on the protection of personal data was published in the Official Gazette on 25 August 2022. This Law has the following purposes: a) establish the fundamental principles, procedures and definitions to guarantee natural persons the right to protection of their personal data contained in registers, files, archives, databases or other technical means of processing of data, whether physical or digital, of a public or private nature; b) ensure due respect for personal and family privacy, one's own image and voice, honour and personal identity; c) regulate the use and effective treatment of personal data and public information by the persons or public and private entities responsible or in charge of them; and d) contribute to promoting, fostering and disseminating a culture on their protection in society.	Multiple modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	Law 149/2022 "On the Protection of Personal Data" Viewed at: https://www.gacetaoficial.gob.cu/es/gaceta-oficial-no-90-ordinaria-de-2022	Effective February 2023	X
European Union					
The Digital Markets Act introduced rules for digital platforms that act as "gatekeepers" because of the significant impact they have on the internal market and their role as gateway for business users to	Multiple modes	Social networks, search engines, and other online platforms	Digital Markets Act Viewed at:	5 July 2022	X

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<p>reach their end users. The Digital Markets Act aims at preventing gatekeepers from imposing unfair conditions on businesses and end users, and at ensuring the openness of important digital services.</p> <p>The Act bans certain practices used by large platforms acting as "gatekeepers" and enables the Commission to carry out market investigations and sanction non-compliant behaviour. Gatekeepers are defined as companies that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - provide "core platform services", such as social networks or search engines; - have a market capitalisation of at least 75 billion euro or an annual turnover of 7.5 billion; and - have at least 45 million monthly end users in the EU and 10 000 annual business users. <p>The Act will restrict gatekeepers from requiring business users to make use of their payment service platforms. It also includes provisions on access by advertisers and publishers to price-setting conditions and algorithms of gatekeepers. Moreover, the Act will require gatekeepers to enable interoperability between messaging services; messaging platforms will have to provide interoperability with competitors for one-to-one conversations between users.</p>			https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/QANDA_20_2349		
Indonesia					
<p>The parliament adopted the Personal Data Protection Bill, which aims to provide a comprehensive legal framework for personal data protection. The Act requires entities (whether public or private) that handle Indonesian residents' personal data to ensure the protection of the data in their systems.</p> <p>The new measure will regulate all forms of data processing, including the acquiring, collecting, storing, updating, and correcting processes. It will apply to local businesses as well as international corporations that handle data of Indonesian consumers. The measure specifies underlying documents or circumstances under which personal data may be transmitted outside Indonesia, such</p>	Multiple modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	<p>Personal Data Protection Act</p> <p>Viewed at: https://iapp.org/news/a/indonesian-lawmakers-pass-data-protection-bill </p>	Adopted 20 September 2022	

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<p>as pre-obtained approval of the personal data owner and bilateral agreements.</p> <p>The Act will impose sanctions for the mishandling of personal data. Fines of up to two percent of an entity's annual revenue may be levied for violations of the Act. Additionally, those in violation of the Act may have their assets confiscated or be imprisoned for up to five years.</p>					
Italy					
<p>The parliament introduced a decree law which was converted with amendments into a law, introducing two significant changes to the foreign investment screening regime (pursuant to the decree law no 56 of the 11-5-2012).</p> <p>The changes include the expansion of the foreign investment review by the government, covering the acquisition of control in companies holding strategic assets and greenfield investment in companies carrying activities or holding assets that are strategic for the foreign investment review purposes, if one or more non-EU individuals or entities hold at least 10% of the capital or voting rights.</p> <p>The definition of non-EU individuals or entities was extended and now cover:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - any non-EU citizen or a citizen who is not resident, or does not have the main place of business, in the EU or in the European Economic Area (EEA); - any entity that does not have its registered office, place of management or main place of business within the EU or the EEA; - any entity that has its registered office, place of management or main place of business within the EU or the EEA, but which is directly or indirectly controlled by individuals or entities that fall within the categories above; or - any individual or entity that has EU or EEA citizenship/nationality or established therein the residency, registered office, place of management or main place of business, if there are elements that suggest the intent to circumvent the rules. 	Mode 3	Various sectors	<p>Decree Law No. 21 of 21 March 2022</p> <p>Law No. 51 of 20 May 2022</p> <p>Viewed at: https://foreigninvestment.bakermckenzie.com/2022/06/01/italy-amendments-to-the-foreign-investment-review-become-permanent-with-some-changes/#page=1 </p>	<p>20 May 2022</p> <p>20 May 2022</p>	X

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Kazakhstan					
The President signed a law introducing amendments to the Tax Code and to the Law on the Enactment of the Tax Code. From 1 January 2022, digital sales of goods and services by foreign entities to private individuals in Kazakhstan will be subject to 12% VAT. As such, foreign suppliers will be obliged to register for VAT if all the requirements are met and will need to pay quarterly VAT in Kazakhstan.	Mode 1	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Law About enforcement of the Code of the Republic of Kazakhstan "About taxes and other obligatory payments in the budget" (Tax code) – amendment Viewed at: https://cis-legislation.com/document.fwx?rgn=102917	Effective 1 January 2022	
Mexico					
On 16 May 2022, the National Foreign Investment Commission signed the Fourth General Resolution Determining the amount of assets referred to in Article 9 of the Foreign Investment Law, repelling the Third General Resolution. Foreign investment transactions with foreign ownership beyond 49%, and with a combined amount of assets above MXN \$22 647 201 250.50 require an approval by the National Foreign Investment Commission.	Mode 3	All sectors	Fourth General Resolution Determining the amount of the total value of the assets referred to in Article 9 of the Foreign Investment Law Source: Permanent Mission of Mexico to the WTO	Effective 7 June 2022	X
Moldova					
The government approved a new law on the screening of investment activities in the following areas: operation of energy (including electric energy, natural gas and petroleum products), transport, water and sewerage, aerospace, defence, exploitation of artificial intelligence, robotics, cybersecurity, air traffic services, television broadcasts, audio-visual services, supply of networks and fixed or mobile electronic communication services and supply of services in national ports. The foreign investor requires approval from the Council for Promotion of Investment Projects of National Importance composed of the prime minister, the country's key ministers and heads of various public authorities prior to any investment in these sectors. The screening covers investment by persons who directly or indirectly, individually or jointly (including as the ultimate beneficial owner):	Mode 3	Various Sectors	Law 174/2021 on the mechanism of consideration of investments, significant for state security Viewed at: https://pack190md.org/moldova-investment-control-legislation-entered-into-force	19 November 2021	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - controls or acquires a qualified participation in a company in the covered sectors; - enters into a concession agreement; - enters into a public-private partnership; - concludes investment agreements with the government; - engages in sales transitions of assets that are part or owned by companies with investments in a relevant industry and with a value equal to at least 25% of the value of assets; or - concludes on behalf of a company having investments in a relevant sector, one or more related financial transactions (loans, credits or assistance) with persons from other states and which are controlled directly or indirectly by the governments of other states. <p>The law also allows the government to determine the assets it deems important for the security of the state and which will require approval.</p>					
Mongolia					
The Parliament adopted a new law on permits aimed at streamlining and providing a single framework for all licenses and permits currently regulated under numerous regulations. It lists the specific sectors which will require permits as well as provides for an online platform for licences applications.	Mode 3	All sectors	<p>Law on permits</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.pwc.com/mn/en/tax_alerts/pdf/tax_alert_en_06_2022.pdf </p>	<p>Adopted 17 June 2022</p> <p>Effective 1 January 2023</p>	
Morocco					
<p>The Office des Changes introduced new measures to liberalize foreign exchange regulations. The measure inter-alia:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - increases the ceiling of annual transfers by legal persons for investments abroad from 150 to 200 million dirhams; - increases the endowment for personal travel abroad from a basic amount of 100,000 dirhams per year, by 30% of the taxable income. The total amount must not exceed 300,000 dirhams per person per year; and - allows foreign employees and professionals residing in Morocco to have an account in foreign currency or in convertible dirhams up to 100% of their net income. 	Multiple modes	All sectors	<p>Ministry of Economy and Finance (Circular n° 1/2022)</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.oc.gov.ma/sites/default/files/reglementation/pdf/2022-01/IGOC%202022.pdf </p>	3 January 2022	

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Nepal					
The minimum threshold for foreign direct investment is reduced from Rs 50 million to Rs 20 million.	Mode 3	All sectors	Budget 2022/2023 Viewed at: https://www.business-standard.com/article/international/nepal-govt-reduces-threshold-for-foreign-investments-by-60-to-20-mn-npr-122053000531_1.html	30 May 2022	
Nepal adopted a new digital services tax of 2% on services provided over the Internet to Nepali consumers by non-resident persons. Electronic services such as gaming, video, music and app downloads, streaming services, cloud services and other services are taxable if the annual turnover exceeds Rs 2 million. In addition, Nepal's tax authorities also implemented the working guidelines on value added tax applicable to digital services for non-resident persons. According to the guidelines, a non-resident person providing digital services inside Nepal and having an annual transactions worth more than Rs 2 million is required to pay 13% VAT. Non-resident digital services providers are required to register in Nepal.	Modes 1 and 3	Internet and other network-based services	Viewed at: https://kathmandupost.com/money/2022/07/16/digital-services-provided-by-foreign-firms-to-be-taxed-from-tomorrow	17 July 2022	
Netherlands					
The Parliament adopted an act, introducing an investment screening mechanism of investments, mergers, and acquisitions that can form a national security risk (in line with the EU FDI Screening Regulation 2019/452). The screening mechanism applies to three types of companies in the Netherlands: vital providers, companies active with sensitive technologies and corporate campuses. Vital providers include critical infrastructure and services. A definition is provided in Article 7 of the act. The government can add categories of sensitive technologies to the scope of the Act by means of government decrees. The Act applies to acquiring controlling stakes or significant influence in companies, mergers, the creation of joint ventures and asset-transactions. In the case of companies active with sensitive	Mode 3	Various sectors	Official gazette - Act of 18 May 2022 Viewed at: https://transactions.freshfields.com/post/102hovz/the-netherlands-introduces-national-security-investment-screening-rules	Adopted 18 May 2022	X

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technology companies, acquisitions of minority shareholdings of 10%, 20% and 25% and an acquisition of the right to appoint one or more board members will also be covered by the regime. Increasing significant influence over sensitive technology companies, e.g., from 10% to 20%, can also trigger a notification obligation. The act will enter into force on the date provided in a royal decree, with the option of retroactive effect as of 8 September 2020, if an investment is deemed a possible risk to national security.					
Nigeria					
From 1 January 2022, non-resident companies that supply digital services into Nigeria must register and collect value-added tax from their Nigerian customers. Digital services will be taxable at the standard rate of 7.5%.	Mode 1	Internet- and other network-enabled services	2021 Finance Act Viewed at: https://www.avalara.com/vatlive/en/vat-news/nigeria-introduces-simplified-vat-regime-on-b2c-digital-services-from-january-1-2022.html	Effective 1 January 2022	
The government introduced a 6% tax on the turnover of non-resident companies providing certain digital services to Nigerian consumers. Services covered include apps, high-frequency trading, electronic data storage or online advertising.	Mode 1	Internet- and other network-enabled services	2021 Finance Act Viewed at: https://qz.com/africa/2137660/google-meta-and-others-raise-nigeria-prices-due-to-digital-tax	Effective 1 January 2022	
Philippines					
The Foreign Investments Act of 1991. The law provides for the following: - Foreign investors can establish and fully own small and medium-sized businesses, except in sectors where foreign ownership is prohibited or limited by the Philippine Constitution or existing laws; - Removal of the minimum paid-in equity capital threshold of USD200,000 to medium-sized enterprises; - The minimum capital requirement to set up a business may be reduced to USD 100,000, under the condition that foreign investors hire at least 15 local workers, introduce advanced technology as determined by the Department of Science and Technology, or are endorsed as a start-up or start-	Mode 3	All sectors	Republic Act No. 11647, Official Gazette of the Republic of the Philippines Viewed at: https://www.officialgazette.gov.ph/2022/03/02/republic-act-no-11647	Signed 2 March 2022	X

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up enabler under RA 11337 "An Act Providing Benefits and Programs to Strengthen, Promote and Develop the Philippine Startup Ecosystem"; and - Creation of the Inter-agency Investment Promotion Coordination Committee (IIPCC) to: (i) integrate all promotion and facilitation efforts to encourage foreign investments in the country; (ii) develop a comprehensive and strategic medium- and long-term foreign investment promotion and marketing plan (FIPMP); and (iii) undertake national security review on strategic industries.					
<p>The President signed a law amending the Public Service Act, allowing 100% foreign ownership in telecommunication, logistics, railways, domestic shipping services. Previously, these services were considered 'public utilities' and foreign ownership was limited to 40%.</p> <p>Public utilities are now limited to companies involved in the distribution and transmission of electricity, petroleum and petroleum products pipeline transmission systems, water pipeline distribution systems, wastewater and sewerage pipeline systems, seaports, and public utility vehicles.</p> <p>The amendment also defines 'critical infrastructure', which refers to any public service which owns, uses, or operates systems and assets so vital that the incapacity or destruction of such systems or assets would have a detrimental impact on national security. The measure specifically identifies telecommunications as a critical infrastructure and allows the President to declare other services as critical infrastructure. Value-added services are not considered critical infrastructure. Foreigners can now own up to 100% of capital in telecommunication services considered as critical infrastructure, but only if the country of such foreign nationals accords reciprocity to Philippines nationals.</p> <p>The Amendment also contains safeguards prohibiting foreign state-owned enterprises from</p>	Mode 3	Various sectors	<p>Republic Act No. 11659, amending the Public Service Act</p> <p>Viewed at: https://asia.nikkei.com/Economy/Philippines-allows-foreigners-to-own-telcos-airlines-and-railways </p>	Effective 7 April 2022	

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owning capital in a public service classified as critical infrastructure.					
The Philippines issued Joint Administrative Order (JAO) No. 22-01, consolidating all existing rules and guidelines on online businesses and adopting the ASEAN Online Business Code of Conduct to ensure that merchants are aware of their responsibilities to consumers.	Multiple modes	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Joint Administrative Order (JAO) No. 22-01 Viewed at: https://www.dti.gov.ph/archives/news-archives/joint-administrative-order-on-online-business-released	Effective 4 March 2022	
The Senate approved the Internet Transactions Act, which provides for the establishment of an E-Commerce Bureau to regulate all digital commercial transactions, including those related to internet retail, online travel services, digital media providers, ride hailing services, and digital financial services.	Multiple modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	S.B No 1591- Act Protecting Consumers and Merchants Engaged in Internet Transactions Viewed at: https://legacy.senate.gov.ph/lisdata/3301729864!.pdf	24 August 2022	
Romania					
The government enacted a new ordinance that simplifies the application procedures for representative offices of foreign entities in Romania. The new law provides for the creation of a dedicated electronic platform to process application requests as well as lists the representative offices registered and allowed to operate in Romania. Representative offices are legal forms authorised to represent foreign companies and economic organisations in Romania. Representative offices carry out only certain supporting activities, such as marketing and advertising, or auxiliary research. They cannot carry out business operations that involve delivery of services or engagement in production/manufacturing work. They are fiscally registered in Romania for activities carried out in the country.	Mode 3	All sectors	Ordinance no. 18/2022 on the authorisation and operation of representative offices of foreign entities in Romania Viewed at: https://www.cms-lawnow.com/ealerts/2022/09/romania-amends-framework-for-representative-offices-of-foreign-entities?cc_lang=en	Effective 7 August 2022	X
The government amended the FDI screening framework. The ordinance clarified that the regime applies to investments by an investor who is not a citizen of or headquartered in an EU member state, or an EU person who is controlled (directly or indirectly) by a non-EU person. The sectors subject to review include, amongst others, transportation,	Mode 3	Various sectors	Government Emergency Ordinance No 46/2022 on measures implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/452 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 March 2019 Viewed at:	14 April 2022	X

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financial, energy or critical infrastructure services. Foreign investment projects above 2 million euros are subject to authorization, and some below may be screened if they may have an impact on national security or public order.			https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?g=99957def-4a1a-4b62-b1de-5d23a2900752&utm_source=Lexology+Daily+Newsfeed&utm_medium=HTML+email+-+Body+-+General+section&utm_campaign=Lexology+subscriber+daily+feed&utm_content=Lexology+Daily+Newsfeed+2022-04-21&utm_term=		
Rwanda					
<p>A new law on data protection sets out requirements for controllers and processors in Rwanda, as well as for those without local presence if they process the personal data of individuals located in the country. The Law also sets out rights of data subjects, including the right of access and the right to object to processing.</p> <p>Personal data storage outside Rwanda is permitted only if the data controller or processor holds a registration certificate from the supervisory authority that authorizes it to store personal data outside Rwanda. In addition, the law provides that cross-border data transfers are permitted under the following circumstances:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - with authorization from the supervisory authority after providing proof of appropriate safeguards with respect to the protection of personal data; - where the data subject has provided his/her consent; - where a transfer is necessary for the performance of a contract, public interest grounds, the exercise of a legal claim, protection of vital interests of the data subject or of another person, legitimate interests of the controller, or for the performance of international instruments ratified by Rwanda. <p>The law also requires data controllers or processors without local presence to designate a representative in Rwanda.</p>	Multiple modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	<p>Law No. 058/2021 (Data Protection Law)</p> <p>Viewed at: https://iclg.com/alb/17478-the-new-rwandan-data-protection-law </p>	Effective 15 October 2021	
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia					
A new law was issued that applies to the personal data of all Saudi residents – both citizens and non-citizens. Foreign companies that process the	Multiple modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	<p>Personal Data Protection Law Royal Decree M/19 of 9/2/1443H Cabinet Resolution No. 98 of 7/2/1443H</p>	Effective 23 March 2022	

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personal data of Saudi residents should appoint a local representative, licensed for that purpose. Transfers of data outside the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia may be made for limited purposes specified in the law, or for "other purposes" to be set out in forthcoming regulations. Even if the transfer falls into a permitted category, approval by authorities must be obtained.			Viewed at: https://www.employmentlawworldview.com/saudi-arabias-new-personal-data-protection-law-key-points-for-employers		
<p>The Government approved the new Companies Law, which replaces the Companies Law of 2015 and the Professional Companies Law of 2019. It introduces a new company form, the "Simplified Closed Joint Stock Company", which can be established by one or more shareholders, with no minimum capital requirement.</p> <p>The new law also:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - simplifies procedures for companies to operate in the Kingdom; - eliminates the threshold on the maximum number of board members; - removes restrictions on company names, which can now be in languages other than Arabic and be derived from its purpose or the name of its current or former shareholders; and - removes the requirement to have certified auditors for "small" and "very small" Saudi owned companies (defined respectively as companies with 6 to 49 employees with a turnover of SAR 3 to 40 million, and less than 5 employees with a turnover below SAR 3 million). 	Mode 3	All sectors	<p>Royal Decree No. (M/132) "New Companies Law"</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.cms-lawnow.com/ealerts/2022/07/the-new-ksa-companies-law?cc_lang=en</p>	30 June 2022	
Sri Lanka					
<p>The government adopted a new regulation on the processing of personal data taking place wholly or partly in Sri Lanka or where the processing is carried out by a controller or processor:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - domiciled or ordinarily resident in Sri Lanka; - incorporated or established under any written law of Sri Lanka; - offering goods or services to data subjects in Sri Lanka including the offering of goods or services with specific targeting of data subjects in Sri Lanka; or 	Multiple modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	<p>Personal Data Protection Act, No. 9 of 2022</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.parliament.lk/uploads/acts/gbills/english/6242.pdf</p>	Certified 19 March 2022	X

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<p>- specifically monitors the behaviour of data subjects in Sri Lanka, including profiling with the intention of making decisions in relation to the behaviour of such data subjects in so far as such behaviour takes place in Sri Lanka.</p> <p>The Act specifies that a controller or processor other than a public authority may process personal data in a third country prescribed pursuant to an adequacy decision or if it is covered by certain exceptions, including consent to processing abroad and performance of a contract.</p>					
The Board of Investment of Sri Lanka streamlined the foreign direct investment approval procedure, simplifying the process of the Board and other relevant institutions, as well as establishing an online platform for application submission.	Mode 3	All sectors	<p>Viewed at: https://investsrilanka.com/downloads-page https://investsrilanka.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/section-17-new.pdf</p>	July 2022	X
Switzerland					
A new article of the Swiss Unfair Competition Act (UCA) prevents unfair geoblocking and price discrimination practices against Swiss customers when purchasing goods and services in "distance e-commerce."	Multiple modes	Internet- and other network-enabled services	<p>Swiss Unfair Competition Act, article 3a</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.swlegal.ch/en/insights/newsletter-detail/switzerlands-ban-on-geoblocking-enters-into-force-</p>	Effective 1 January 2022	X
<p>On 31 August 2022, the Swiss Federal Council adopted the new Data Protection Ordinance (DPO) and the new Ordinance on Data Protection Certifications.</p> <p>The new measures inter-alia:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - require that biometric and genetic data be classified as sensitive information and require the consent of the subject prior to any cross-border transfer of data; - apply only to natural persons and exclude legal entities; - require companies with more than 250 employees to keep a register of data processing activities; and - allow for the cross-border transfer of personal data to a list of countries having relevant data protection legislation in place. 	Multiple Modes	Internet and other network-enabled services	<p>New Data Protection Ordinance (DPO) and the new Ordinance on Data Protection Certifications</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.lexology.com/commentary/tech-data-telecoms-media/switzerland/walder-wyss-ltd/new-swiss-data-protection-ordinance-key-aspects?utm_source=Lexology%2bDaily%2bNewsfeed&utm_medium=HTML%2bemail%2b%2bPro%2bEmbed%2b%2bGeneral%2bsection&utm_campaign=Lexology%2bsubscriber%2bdaily%2bfeed&utm_content=Lexology%2bDaily%2bNewsfeed%2b2022-09-19 https://www.kmu.admin.ch/kmu/en/home/facts-and-trends/digitization/data-protection/new-federal-act-on-data-protection-</p>	Effective 1 September 2023	X

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			nfadp.html#:~:text=Switzerland%20is%20implementing%20new%20legislation,Federal%20Data%20Protection%20(nFADP)		
Tanzania					
Tanzania's new Finance Act introduced a 2% tax on electronic services rendered by non-residents to residents. Non-resident suppliers of electronic services are required to register within six months from 1 July 2022. There is no threshold for registration.	Mode 1	Internet- and other network-enabled services	2022 Finance Act Viewed at: https://www.ey.com/en_gl/tax-alerts/tanzania-issues-regulations-on-taxation-of-electronic-services	Effective 1 July 2022	
Thailand					
Thailand's new Value Added Tax (VAT) rule for non-resident providers of electronic or digital services (so-called "e-services" under Thai law) to non-VAT registrants in Thailand provides that certain overseas providers of e-services to non-VAT registrants in Thailand register for Thai VAT, file tax returns and remit VAT. Purchasers of e-services from an operator overseas may see 7% Thai VAT added to invoices when billed.	Mode 1	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Revenue Code Amendment Act (No. 53) B.E. 2564 (2021) Viewed at: https://www.rd.go.th/fileadmin/download/eService.pdf https://www.ey.com/en_gl/tax-alerts/thailand-s-application-of-vat-on-digital-services-e-services-provided-by-foreign-operators-will-apply-as-of-1-september-2021	Effective 1 September 2021	
Tunisia					
The Ministry of Economy and Planning has announced the abolition of 25 authorization requirements related to economic activities in several sectors including entertainment, tourism transport, financial services, construction, renewable energy services. The amendments are aimed at streamlining procedures to facilitate investment.	Mode 3	Various sectors	Presidential Decree No 2022-317 Viewed at: https://www.ilboursa.com/marches/suppression-des-autorisations-dans-neuf-domaines-d-activite_34053 https://lapresse.tn/128999/surpression-de-plusieurs-autorisations-dexercice-dactivites-economiques-quid-de-lefficacite/ https://legislation-securite.tn/fr/law/105251#:~:text=Politique%20de%20confidentialit%C3%A9-D%C3%A9cret%20Pr%C3%A9sidentiel%20n%C2%B0%202022%2D317%20du%208%20avril%202022,r%C3%A9alisation%20de%20projets%2C%20les%20dispositions	Effective 8 April 2022	

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Türkiye					
<p>The new law on the regulation of electronic commerce introduced new licensing requirements for e-commerce intermediary service providers that have a net transaction volume of over 10 billion Turkish Lira and over 100,000 transactions without cancellations or returns in a calendar year (to enter into force on 1 January 2025).</p> <p>Intermediaries with a net transaction volume exceeding 10 billion Turkish liras will only be able to use the data obtained from e-commerce suppliers and buyers for the purpose of providing intermediary services and will not be able to use them to compete with other platforms (enters into force on 1 January 2023). The law also imposes some restrictions on the sale of intermediaries' own brands (enters into force on 1 January 2024).</p>	Modes 1 and 3	Internet- and other network-enabled services	<p>Law No. 7416 - Amending the Law on the Regulation of Electronic Commerce</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.mondaq.com/turkey/shareholders/1208828/new-era-in-e-commerce </p>	<p>Gazetted on 7 July 2022</p> <p>Effective 1 January 2023, 2024 and 2025</p>	X
United Arab Emirates					
The Government of Abu Dhabi launched the Virtual Licence platform allowing non-resident foreign investors to obtain an economic licence for doing business in Abu Dhabi without any prior residence procedures and from any location outside the United Arab Emirates, with the possibility of practicing his activity from outside the country. The licence covers 13 strategic sectors including wholesale and retail trade, transportation, storage, administrative and support service activities and health-related services. The foreigner can apply for the issuance of the license and own 100% of a Limited Liability Company and One Person Company (LLC).	Modes 1 and 3	Various sectors	<p>Viewed at: https://added.gov.ae/Media-Center/Business-News/ADDED-Launches-Abu-Dhabi-Abu-Dhabi-Virtual-Licence-for-Non-Resident-Foreign-Investors </p>	Effective 21 October 2021	
On 20 September 2021, the United Arab Emirates published a decree law which repeals Federal Law No. 1 of 2006. The Law assigns the same weight and treatment to electronic signatures as handwritten signatures and stipulates that an electronic document will not lose its legal validity or enforceability due to its electronic form. It stipulates that transactions can be concluded in whole or in part by an automated medium and such contracts shall be valid, enforceable and legally effective even in the absence of personal or direct interaction by any physical person in the	Multiple modes	Internet- and other network-enabled services	<p>Federal Decree Law No. 46 of 2021 on electronic transactions and trust services ("Electronic Transactions Law")</p> <p>Viewed at: https://insightplus.bakermckenzie.com/bm/technology-media-telecommunications_1/united-arab-emirates-update-to-electronic-transactions-law-to-align-with-national-digital-vision-and-strategy </p>	Effective 2 January 2022	

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contracting process. It also provides that a person may use any form of electronic signature or stamp for all transactions including contracts with government entities.					
<p>A new Decree Law on the Protection of Personal Data (PPDL) was enforced. The Decree:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - stipulates that personal data can only be processed with the consent of the data subject; - requires the controller to inform the data subject when the information will be shared with third parties and to inform of the protection measures put in place to cover any cross-border data transfers; and - provides for the establishment of a data office to regulate and monitor the provisions of the law. <p>The law applies to controllers and processors - both inside and outside the country - that process personal data of individuals located or having a place of business within it.</p>	Modes 1 and 3	Internet and other network-enabled services	<p>Federal Decree Law No. 45 of 2021</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.roedl.com/insights/uae-data-protection-law-labor-law </p>	Effective 2 January 2022	
United States					
The Committee on Foreign Investment (CFIUS) issued new regulations updating the country list for "excepted foreign States". Canada and Australia have been added to the list and are no longer subject to CFIUS jurisdiction over non-controlling investments and certain real estate transactions. They are also exempted from mandatory filings to invest in the United States. In addition, New Zealand was added to the probationary country list, which already includes the United Kingdom, and decided to extend the probationary period to determine if both countries fulfil the required criteria for permanent status until 13 February 2023.	Mode 3	Various Sectors	<p>Department of the Treasury - factsheet</p> <p>Viewed at: https://home.treasury.gov/system/files/206/Fact-Sheet-Final-Rule-Revising-EFS-Definitions-2.pdf </p>	Effective 13 February 2022	
Uzbekistan (Observer)					
The President adopted measures reducing, inter alia, the state participation in banking, telecommunication, road transport and IT services.	Mode 3	Various sectors	<p>Presidential Decree No.PP-168</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?q=723020d4-9367-4785-8da8-8b7dec3be040&utm_source=Lexology+Daily+Newsfeed&utm_medium=HTML+email+- </p>	18 March 2022	

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Viet Nam					
A new decree sets requirements for foreign entities active in e-commerce, including certain conditions on local representation and for controlling one and more of the leading e-commerce enterprises in Viet Nam.	Multiple modes	Internet- and other network-enabled services	Decree 85/2021/ND-CP Viewed at: https://vietnam.gov.vn	Effective 1 January 2022	X
The Government issued a new decree on Cybersecurity on 15 August. The law requires foreign companies providing specific services (including telecommunications, e-commerce, online payment, social media, online video gaming) to store specific types of data in Vietnam for a minimum period of 24 months. These foreign companies are also required to set up a branch or representative office in Vietnam.	Modes 1 and 3	Various sectors	Decree No. 53/2022/ND-CP Viewed at: https://www.mondaq.com/security/1223282/decre-53-provides-long-awaited-guidance-on-implementation-of-vietnam39s-cybersecurity-law	Effective 1 October 2022	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS/ICT/AUDIOVISUAL SERVICES					
Australia					
Regulatory amendment to empower the telecommunications sector to identify and block malicious SMS messages and protect the Australian public from scammers.	Modes 1 and 3	Telecommunication services	Telecommunications (Interception and Access) Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) Regulations 2021 Viewed at: https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2021L01622/Html/Text	30 November 2021	X
Azerbaijan (Observer)					
On 8 February 2022, a new law on media outlets was enacted, requiring owners of media outlets that primarily cater to an audience in Azerbaijan to be citizens permanently residing in the country.	Modes 1 and 3	Audiovisual services	Law on media Viewed at: https://cpj.org/2022/02/new-azerbaijan-media-law-increases-restrictions-on-the-press/#:~:text=The%20legislation%20requires%20the%20owners,with%20a%20higher%20education%20degree	8 February 2022	
China					
The State Council published amendments to the Provisions on Administration of Foreign-Invested	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Decision of the State Council on Revising and Repealing Some Administrative Regulations	Effective 1 May 2022	

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Telecom enterprises. Changes aim to simplify procedures for the establishment of foreign-invested telecom enterprises. For example, the requirement that foreign investors show good credentials and operational experience in the supply of telecom services was removed. The cap on foreign ownership in basic telecoms remains at 49%, but the new measure allows the cap to be adjusted by other laws and regulations.			Viewed at: https://www.twobirds.com/en/insights/2022/c hina/china-revamps-regime-on-foreign-investment-in-telecom-services		
Ecuador					
The government eliminated the Special Consumption Tax of 15% on fixed telephony services and plans that sell only voice, data and SMS of advanced mobile services and that are provided to companies. The government also eliminated the 10% tax on mobile telephony services that sell only voice, data and SMS of advanced mobile services and that are provided to natural persons, excluding prepaid modalities.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Ley Orgánica para el Desarrollo Económico y Sostenibilidad Fiscal tras la Pandemia Covid-19 Viewed at: https://www.registroficial.gob.ec/index.php/registro-oficial-web/publicaciones/suplementos/item/15801-tercer-suplemento-al-registro-oficial-no-587 https://www.telecomunicaciones.gob.ec/la-nueva-ley-de-desarrollo-economico-elimino-el-ice-en-telefonía-e-internet-movil-en-beneficio-de-los-ciudadanos	Effective 29 November 2021	X
Germany					
A new law regulating data protection and privacy in telecommunications and telemedia was introduced. It regulates the protection of confidentiality of communications, the protection of traffic data and privacy of end-users by suppliers providing electronic communication services, the protection of terminal equipment, and some data protection provisions regarding information society services. The law replaces the data protection provisions of the Telemedia Act and the Telecommunications Act, aiming to provide greater clarity and legal certainty.	Multiple modes	Telecommunication services	Telecommunications Telemedia Data Protection Act Viewed at: https://www.natlawreview.com/article/new-telecommunications-telemedia-data-protection-act-ttdsq	Effective 1 December 2021	X
India					
The government decided to allow up to 100% foreign ownership under the automatic route in the telecommunication services sector. Previously, a maximum of 49% foreign ownership was permitted under the automatic route.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Press Note No. 4, Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade Viewed at: https://dpiit.gov.in/sites/default/files/pn4-2021.PDF	6 October 2021	

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An entity from a country that shares a land border with India, or where the beneficial owner of an investment into India is from such country, can only invest under the government route.					
<p>New reporting and logging requirements introduced by India's Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT-In), the national cybersecurity agency, require VPN, cloud, and other IT services providers to collect customers' personal information and log their activity. They are then required to surrender that information to Indian authorities on demand.</p> <p>Under the legislation, VPN providers are required to retain user data and IP addresses for at least five years. The new order also requires companies to report data breaches within six hours of noticing them, as well as maintain IT and communications logs for six months.</p>	Multiple modes	Telecommunication and computer services	<p>Viewed at: https://www.livemint.com/news/india/indias-new-vpn-rules-spark-fresh-fears-over-online-privacy-11654128391351.html https://indianexpress.com/article/technology/tech-news-technology/cert-in-extends-new-privacy-rules-for-vpn-providers-to-september-25-7996158 </p>	Effective 25 September 2022	
Israel					
The Parliament passed a comprehensive amendment to the Communications Law. A new measure removes the requirement for most telecommunication service suppliers to obtain individual licences for different services. With the new regulatory framework, most suppliers will only be required to register their services in a designated registry and will be subject to conditions set under a "general authorization" instead of individual service-specific licenses.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	<p>Amendment to the Communications Law</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?g=38b3892c-cefa-4cb9-9f86-474c5bcd41ea </p>	Effective 2 October 2022	X
Korea, Republic of					
The government issued rules for implementation of amendments to the Telecommunications Business Act, which banned dominant app store operators from forcing a specific payment method to providers of mobile content.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	<p>Enforcement Ordinance (Amendments to Telecommunications Business Act)</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.law.go.kr </p>	<p>Law: Effective 14 September 2021</p> <p>Enforcement Decree: Effective 15 March 2022</p>	X
Lithuania					
The new Law on Electronic Communications introduces various modifications to the regulatory framework for the sector. Among changes, universal service obligations have been revised,	Multiple modes	Telecommunication services	<p>Law on Electronic Communications</p> <p>Viewed at:</p>	Effective 1 December 2021	X

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including through the new obligation to provide affordable e-communication services to certain consumers.			https://www.rrt.lt/en/the-new-law-on-electronic-communications-enters-into-force-from-the-1st-of-december		
Luxembourg					
The new law on Electronic Communications Networks and Services, which transposes into Luxembourg law the European Electronic Communications Code, entered into force in December 2021. In comparison with the former regime, the law, among other things, extends the scope of electronic communications to over-the-top services, including messaging services such as WhatsApp, Facebook Messenger, Webmail services or voice/video calls such as FaceTime or Skype.	Multiple modes	Telecommunication services	Electronic Communications Networks and Services Viewed at: https://legilux.public.lu/eli/etat/leg/loi/2021/12/17/a927/jo	Effective 26 December 2021	
Malaysia					
From 1 January 2022, suppliers of cloud services will be subject to licensing requirements under the Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Act 1998. Persons providing cloud services through a local presence or a local data centre in Malaysia are required to apply for an Application Service Providers (ASP) license. No foreign shareholding limits are imposed under the ASP license. Licenses have to be renewed every year.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Viewed at: https://www.globalcompliance.com/2021/11/19/malaysia-cloud-services-to-be-licensed-from-1-january-2022-08112021	Effective 1 January 2022	
Mexico					
The government adopted measures in relation to the telecommunication and audiovisual sectors. This includes a measure to homogenize the ordering of broadcast signals that are retransmitted on certain television systems, and a measure to facilitate efficient use of radio spectrum.	Mode 3	Telecommunication and audiovisual services	Viewed at: http://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5643610&fecha=23/02/2022 http://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5638699&fecha=17/12/2021#:~:text=%2D%20El%2025%20de%20agosto%20de,septiembre%20de%202021(1). http://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5638700&fecha=17/12/2021	December 2021 – March 2022	
The Annual Program for the Use and Exploitation of Frequency Bands 2023, approved in September 2022, determines the frequency bands that will be the subject of bidding, or that may be assigned directly, in accordance with the provisions of the	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Viewed at: https://dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5664699&fecha=19/09/2022#gsc.tab=0	Effective 19 September 2022	X

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Article 59 of the Federal Telecommunications and Broadcasting Law. The 2023 Program aims to provide certainty for the use of the radio spectrum through concessions and allows interested parties to anticipate the necessary investments and projects related to the use of this resource with sufficient time.					
Moldova					
The governments of Romania and Moldova signed an agreement to reduce tariffs for roaming services and international calls between the two countries. Regulators in the two countries will ensure that network operators negotiate in good faith with any applicant the technical and commercial conditions for the provision of interconnection in relation to the termination of calls and SMS originating from the other jurisdiction.	Modes 1 and 2	Telecommunication services	Viewed at: https://www.commsupdate.com/articles/2022/02/14/romania-moldova-agree-to-cut-roaming-international-call-charges	11 February 2022	
Myanmar					
The government imposed a 15% tax on telecom operators' revenues from fixed and mobile data services. A 20'000 kyat tax is also imposed on new SIM cards.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Viewed at: https://asia.nikkei.com/Business/Telecommunication/Myanmar-s-mobile-carriers-grapple-with-tax-hike-targeting-internet	23 March 2022	X
Netherlands					
The Dutch Media Authority published new rules applying to major influencers (i.e., video uploaders with more than 500,000 followers). Major influencers will be covered by the Dutch Media Act and will be required to comply with additional advertising rules.	Mode 3	Media services	Amendments to the Dutch Media Act Source: Permanent Mission of the European Union to the WTO	Effective 1 July 2022	X
Oman					
The Telecommunications Regulatory Authority (TRA) adopted a new measure to regulate and monitor the quality of telecommunication services in the country, setting out requirements to be met by a licensed telecoms operator to end users. Operators will be required to submit reports on the key performance indicators for service quality and to publish information about the quality of the services and packages offered to the public, including expected speed.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Decision No. 108/2022 of the Telecommunications Regulatory Authority Viewed at: https://www.commsupdate.com/articles/2022/08/02/tra-publishes-new-regulation-on-quality-of-services	August 2022	

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Poland					
A new act introduces regulations regarding video-on-demand services. Suppliers of video-on-demand services are required to ensure that at least 30% of their catalogue is composed of European works.	Modes 1 and 3	Audiovisual services	Broadcasting Act Viewed at: https://www.cms-lawnow.com/ealerts/2022/01/changes-to-the-polish-broadcasting-act-regarding-video-on-demand-services?cc_lang=en	Effective 1 January 2022	
Portugal					
The Parliament approved a new law on 21 July 2022 and published it in the official gazette on 16 August. It transposes the European Electronic Communications Code into national law.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Electronic Communications Law Viewed at: https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?g=5e33429d-8f2e-4498-bd5e-8f4062e63043	Effective 14 November 2022	
Romania					
The governments of Romania and Moldova signed an agreement to reduce tariffs for roaming services and international calls between the two countries. Regulators in the two countries will ensure that network operators negotiate in good faith with any applicant the technical and commercial conditions for the provision of interconnection in relation to the termination of calls and SMS originating from the other jurisdiction.	Modes 1 and 2	Telecommunication services	Viewed at: https://www.commsupdate.com/articles/2022/02/14/romania-moldova-agree-to-cut-roaming-international-call-charges	11 February 2022	
Romania transposed the European Electronic Communications Code into national legislation. The new law aims to stimulate competition, increase investment in 5G networks, promote connectivity and improve the quality of electronic communication services.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Law No. 198/2022 Viewed at: https://www.commsupdate.com/articles/2022/07/13/romania-adopts-european-electronic-communications-code https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?g=d1c9e916-8dde-4b55-a822-69733e9b2115	Gazetted on 7 July 2022	
Russian Federation					
The government issued a new decree clarifying aspects of the Onshoring Law of July 2021 (Federal Law On Activities of Foreign Persons in the Information and Telecommunication Network Internet in the Territory of the Russian	Modes 1 and 3	Communication services	Government Resolution No. 1836 "On Approval of a Methodology for Identifying Hosting Providers and Other Persons Who Host Information Resources on the Internet and Whose Users are Located in the Territory of the	27 October 2021	X

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<p>Federation), which required foreign internet companies to establish a local presence.</p> <p>The Decree stipulates that the Onshoring Law would apply to hosting providers and other persons that host web services used by Russians if they: process data about users residing in Russia; receive payments from Russian persons; or put online information resources used by persons residing in the Russian Federation.</p>			<p>Russian Federation, Advertising System Operators, and Organizers of Dissemination of Information on the Internet"</p> <p>Source: Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the WTO</p>		
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia					
<p>Saudi Arabia has adopted a new law on telecommunication and information technology, which was published in the official gazette on 7 July 2022. The Act repeals the former Telecommunications Law, broadening the scope of telecommunications to include a range of new ICT activities and services.</p> <p>The new law stipulates that a license is now required not only for the supply of telecommunication services, but also for using telecom networks for these purposes. The law also requires service providers to take all necessary steps to ensure the protection and confidentiality of users' personal information. The Act will be supplemented by additional regulations, to be issued within 180 days of adoption.</p>	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	<p>Telecommunication and Information Technology Act</p> <p>Viewed at: https://saudigazette.com.sa/article/621595/SA-UDI-ARABIA/New-law-obligates-telecom-companies-to-protect-customer-information </p>	<p>Gazetted 7 July 2022</p> <p>Effective 7 December 2022</p>	
Spain					
<p>The government introduced the new Telecommunications Act (Act 11/2022), which replaces the previous Telecommunications Act 9/2014. Spain's new General Telecommunications Law transposes the EU Electronic Communications Code into national law. The new law increases the minimum download speed to 100Mbps for 100% of the population within the next 12 months. The law also requires public administrations to guarantee access to public electricity, gas, and water infrastructure for telecom operators, to facilitate the deployment of fixed broadband networks.</p>	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	<p>General Telecommunications Law</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.cuatrecasas.com/en/latam/article/spain-spain-adopts-new-telecommunications-act </p>	Effective 30 June 2022	

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Sweden					
Sweden adopted a new regulatory framework for telecommunication services, transposing the European Electronic Communications Code into national law. The new measure covers services that enable communication without the use of numbers, such as email services, voice-over-IP, and group chats.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	New Electronic Communications Act Viewed at: https://www.pts.se/en/english-b/regulations2/legislation/electronic-communications-act/#:~:text=The%20Electronic%20Communications%20Act%20covers,force%20on%20June%203%2C%202022	Effective 3 June 2022	
Switzerland					
A new measure proposes that streaming platforms invest up to 4% of their revenue from Switzerland in Swiss films and series over a 4-year cycle. The rule will also apply to foreign television channels with broadcast advertising aimed at a Swiss public. The new measure will require that European- or Swiss-produced content represent at least 30% of offerings of streaming services.	Modes 1 and 3	Audiovisual services	Amendment to the Law on Culture and Film Production Viewed at: https://www.swissinfo.ch/eng/voters-to-decide-on-funding-of-swiss-cinema-by-streaming-giants/47469730	Approved 15 May 2022 Effective 1 January 2024	X
Thailand					
The government issued new regulations setting out criteria and procedures with respect to radio frequency authorization for broadcasting services.	Mode 3	Audiovisual services	Notification of the National Broadcasting and Telecommunications Commission (NBTC) on Criteria and Procedures of Radio Frequency Authorization for Broadcasting Services Royal Thai Government Gazette, Vol. 138, Special Part 293 Ngor, on November 30, B.E. 2564 (2021) Viewed at: www.nbtc.go.th	Effective 1 December 2021	
Ukraine					
The Verkhovna Rada (the Parliament) adopted a Law "On Cloud Services" establishing the conditions for the processing and protection of data, using cloud computing technology, providing cloud services and specify the features of digital services used by public authorities. The law introduces a comprehensive regulatory framework for the provision of cloud and data centre services to users in Ukraine.	Modes 1 and 3	Computer and related services	Law of Ukraine "On Cloud Services" Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/2075-20#Text	Adopted 17 February 2022 Published 16 March 2022 Effective 16 September 2022	X

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United States					
As a consequence of the expansion of the list of critical technologies subject to export controls, the jurisdiction of the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS), under the Foreign Investment Risk Review Modernization Act (FIRRMA) was expanded and now includes certain types of biotechnology-related software capable of designing functional genetic elements. A CFIUS filing is mandatory for transactions involving investment by foreign persons in U.S. businesses that produce, design, test, manufacture, fabricate or develop critical technologies items.	Mode 3	Computer and related services	Commerce Control List: Expansion of Controls on Certain Biological Equipment "Software" Viewed at: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/10/05/2021-21493/commerce-control-list-expansion-of-controls-on-certain-biological-equipment-software https://angle.ankura.com/post/102hcd/bis-expands-controls-on-biotechnology-software-and-cybersecurity-items	Effective 5 October 2021	
Uruguay					
The government announced the launch of the mobile number portability. The objective is to encourage competition between mobile operators and to promote the rights of consumers. The measure allows mobile consumers to retain their number if they want to switch providers. Mobile operators are to bear the cost of the transfer of number.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Viewed at: https://www.insidetelecom.com/uruguay-launches-mobile-number-portability	12 January 2022	
The communication regulator has authorized five cable operators to offer broadband Internet services.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	Viewed at: https://www.commsupdate.com/articles/2022/06/17/ursec-authorises-five-cablecos-to-offer-broadband-services	June 2022	X
Starting 1 January 2023, all cable operators (via coaxial cable and optical fibre) will be granted the same authorization to offer broadband Internet services as the five cable operators authorized since June 2022, repealing article 56 of Law No. 19.307 "Media Law". The bill will be communicated to the executive branch for its enactment and publication.	Mode 3	Telecommunication services	The bill that approves Accountability and Budget Balance for the 2021 Fiscal Year Viewed at: https://parlamento.gub.uy/noticiasyevenos/noticias/node/97018	Approved by Senate 6 October 2022	X
Vietnam					
On 15 June, the Parliament approved a new Cinema Law, repealing the Act adopted in 2006. The new Law inter-alia stipulates that foreign businesses and individuals producing movies in	Modes 1 and 3	Audiovisual services	Cinema Law Viewed at:	Effective 1 January 2023	

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<p>Vietnam should use services provided by Vietnamese cinema establishments.</p> <p>If the film uses a setting in Vietnam, it must be licensed by the Ministry of Culture, Sports, and Tourism. The application for a license must include an abridged script of the film and a detailed script of the scenes shot in Vietnam and in Vietnamese.</p> <p>The new law, which also applies to films accessed online, lists the prohibited content featured in films which cannot be disseminated in Vietnam.</p>			https://www.cms-lawnow.com/ealerts/2022/07/vietnams-new-cinema-law-to-take-effect-on-1-jan-2023?cc_lang=en		
DISTRIBUTION SERVICES					
Myanmar					
<p>A new measure amended the list of priority products which are allowed to be sold through wholesale and retail trade services provided by foreign companies and joint venture companies in Myanmar. Additional products included in the priority list are raw materials for food and animal feed, industrial machinery and industrial raw materials, and spare parts for motor vehicles and machinery.</p>	Mode 3	Distribution services	<p>Ministry of Commerce Bulletin No 19/2021</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.commerce.gov.mm </p>	12 November 2021	X
Philippines					
<p>The government has eased entry rules for foreign retailers by lowering the paid-up capital requirement.</p> <p>The new measure removed the prequalification requirements (i.e. USD 200 million net worth requirement, minimum 5 branches, and 5-year retail track record), retaining only the reciprocity requirement. The measure has also done away with the prequalification process with the Board of Investments (BOI), allowing foreign enterprises to proceed directly to the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) or Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) for registration. The measure also lowered the minimum paid-up capital requirement for foreign-owned retail enterprises from USD 2.5 million to PHP 25 million and the minimum investment requirement per store from USD 830,000 to PHP 10 million.</p>	Mode 3	Retailing services	<p>Republic Act No. 11595: Act Amending Republic Act No. 8762 (Retail Trade Liberalization Act of 2000)</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.officialgazette.gov.ph/2021/12/10/republic-act-no-11595 </p>	Effective 21 January 2022	X

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In order to register as a retail enterprise, the measure requires foreign retailers to submit the following: - Certificate of Inward Remittance of Foreign Exchange issued by an authorized agent bank in the format prescribed by the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas showing compliance with the minimum paid-up capital requirement; and - certificate from the proper officials of the home state of the foreign retailer or the local embassy/consulate of the foreign retailer to the effect that its laws allow Filipinos to engage in retailing in the said State.					
FINANCIAL SERVICES					
Albania					
The Bank of Albania Supervisory Council approved regulations referring to the licensing process for payment institutions, electronic money institutions and the registration of payment service providers.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Decision No. 59, dated 24.11.2021, "On the licensing of payment institutions and electronic money institutions, and the registration of payment service providers" Decision No. 7, dated 02.02.2022, "On the public register of payment service providers" Guideline no. 1, dated 02.03.2022 "On the criteria on how to stipulate the minimum monetary amount of the professional indemnity insurance or other comparable guarantees" Source: Permanent Mission of Albania to the WTO	Effective 1 January 2022 Effective 2 February 2022 Effective 2 March 2022	X
The Bank of Albania Supervisory Council approved two decisions bringing amendments to existing regulation, which increase the transparency on banking and financial products and services (consumer credit and mortgage credit included).	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Decision no. 47, dated 1.9.2021 and decision No. 96, dated 22.12.2021, related to the regulation "On consumer credit and mortgage credit" Decision No. 64, dated 24.11.2021, related to the regulation "On transparency of banking and financial products and services" Source: Permanent Mission of Albania to the WTO	Effective 31 December 2021 and 31 March 2022 respectively Effective 21 December 2021	X
The amended Regulation applies to banks and branches of foreign banks, which carry out banking and financial activities in Albania. It provides, inter	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Decision no. 21, dated 06.04.2022 amending regulation no.63, dated 14.11.2012 "On the core management principles of banks and	Effective 30 June 2022	X

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alia, that when the proposed administrator of a bank or branch of a foreign bank is a foreign citizen, the applicant shall submit to the Bank of Albania the work and residence permit of the candidates, in compliance with Law No 9959, dated 17.7.2008 "On foreign citizens."			branches of foreign banks and the criteria on the approval of their administrators" and the new guideline "On internal and effective governance of banks" Source: Permanent Mission of Albania to the WTO		
Angola					
A notice by the National Bank of Angola (aviso) authorizes licensed commercial banks to carry out capital (foreign exchange) transactions without prior authorization.	Modes 1 and 3	Banking and other financial services	Banco Nacional De Angola-Notice No 14-2022 of 5 July Viewed at: https://www.mirandalawfirm.com/en/insights-knowledge/publications/alerts/foreign-exchange-capital-operations-by-legal-persons-exempt-from-licensing-by-bna-2	5 July 2022	
Australia					
The Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) extended the transitional relief period for foreign financial services providers for 12 months to 31 March 2024, through the introduction of the ASIC Corporations (Amendment) Instrument 2022/623.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	ASIC Corporations (Amendment) Instrument 2022/623- Federal Register of legislation Viewed at: https://hsfnotes.com/fsraustralia/2022/08/02/12-months-reprieve-for-foreign-financial-services-providers-using-afsl-exemptions	2 August 2022	
Belgium					
A new law was introduced that sets new legal obligations for suppliers of exchange services between virtual currencies and fiat currencies, and of custodian wallet services. The new measure applies to virtual asset service providers (VASPs) incorporated under Belgian law, or under the laws of another European Economic Area (EEA) member state who have a branch or any other form of permanent establishment in Belgium providing these services (such as representatives or distributors). The law prohibits natural or legal persons governed by the law of a third country outside the EEA to provide these services in Belgium. Before starting to supply services, the service provider must be registered with the Belgian Financial Services and Markets Authority (FSMA). As such,	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Belgian Law of 1 February 2022 (which amends the Law of 18 September 2017 on the prevention of money laundering and terrorist financing and on the restriction of the use of cash) and its implementing Royal Decree of 8 February 2022 Viewed at: https://www.cms-lawnow.com/ealerts/2022/03/registration-requirements-for-virtual-asset-service-providers#:~:text=The%20Royal%20Decree%20of%208%20February%202022%20will%20enter%20into,application%20for%20registration%20(i.e.%20within	Effective 1 May 2022	X

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the service provider will have to fulfil several registration conditions, including (a) specific corporate form (cooperative company (CV/SC), public limited liability company (NV/SA), the European company (EV/SE) and the European cooperative company (ECV/SCE)); and (b) minimum capital of EUR 50,000, which must be fully paid-up. Suppliers of these services must also comply with all AML/CFT requirements provided for in the law of 18 September 2017 (the AML Law). If the service supplier is governed by the laws of Belgium, its statutory seat and its central administration must be located in Belgium. If the service provider is governed by the laws of another EEA member state, its central administration must be located in Belgium for the services it provides in Belgium. A service provider governed by the law of another EEA member state, which is established on Belgian territory other than through a branch (for example, via an agent, a distributor or an ATM), must designate a central point of contact located in Belgium.					
Belize					
A new act provides for the regulation of securities business and activities; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.	Modes 1 and 3	Banking and other financial services	Securities Industries Act. No. 46 of 2021 Source: Permanent Mission of Belize to the WTO	Effective November 2021	X
Brazil					
In the context of a new decree gradually reducing the Brazilian financial transaction tax ("IOF-Câmbio") due on the settlement of foreign exchange currency, the IOF will decrease from 6% to 0% on the settlement of foreign exchange related to the currency inflow from short-term loans to Brazilian borrowers.	Mode 1	Banking and other financial services	Decree No. 10.997 of 15 March 2022 Viewed at: https://insightplus.bakermckenzie.com/bm/tax/brazil-presidential-decree-reduces-tax-rates-on-foreign-exchange-transactions	Effective 19 March 2022	X
China					
The China Banking and Insurance Regulatory Commission (CBIRC) issued a notice that removes access conditions for overseas insurance brokerage companies to set up insurance brokerage companies in China and allows foreign insurance groups to set up insurance professional intermediaries in China.	Mode 3	Insurance and insurance-related services	The Notice of Relevant Measures for Clarifying the Opening up of the Insurance Intermediary Market (Yin Bao Jian Ban Fa No. 128 [2021]) Source: Permanent Mission of the People's Republic of China to the WTO	Effective 3 December 2021	X

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A new measure has removed the 25% cap on foreign shareholding in insurance asset management companies (and allows up to 100% ownership).	Mode 3	Insurance services	The Provisions on the Administration of Insurance Asset Management Companies Order No. 2 [2022] of the China Banking and Insurance Regulatory Commission Viewed at: https://www.cbirc.gov.cn/en/view/pages/ItemDetail.html?docId=1068120&itemId=981	Effective 1 September 2022	X
The Measures for the Supervision and Administration of the Directors, Supervisors, Senior Executives, and Practitioners of Securities Fund Operating Institutions was issued, adjusting the pre-examination and approval of directors, supervisors, and senior executives to post-record management, refining the basic job requirements and removing restrictions on the proportion of overseas personnel serving as senior executives in operating institutions.	Modes 3 and 4	Banking and other financial services	Measures for the Supervision and Administration of the Directors, Supervisors, Senior Executives, and Practitioners of Securities Fund Operating Institutions (Order of the China Securities Regulatory Commission No. 48 of 2022) Source: Permanent Mission of the People's Republic of China to the WTO	Effective 1 April 2022	X
In line with previous regulations, the new measures set differentiated thresholds by categorizing the shareholders of a Fund Management Company (FMC) into major shareholders, non-major shareholders (holding 5% or more equity interest), and shareholders holding less than 5% equity interest. As a major shareholder, an institution shall have been profitable for at least the last three consecutive years and be a licensed financial institution (or an institution that manages at least one licensed financial institution for at least one consecutive fiscal year). A licensed financial institution includes securities companies, futures companies, commercial banks, trust companies, insurance companies, insurance asset management companies, and other financial institutions recognized by the CSRC. In addition, a foreign shareholder of an FMC shall be highly ranked internationally in terms of its financial assets, assets under management, income, profit, and market share for the last three consecutive years.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Measures for the Supervision and Administration of Managers of Publicly Offered Securities Investment Funds, Order No. 198 of the China Securities Regulatory Commission, Announcement No. 33 [2022] of the China Securities Regulatory Commission Viewed at: https://conventuslaw.com/report/china-the-csrcs-new-public-fund-measures-highlights-of-the-new-regulations	Effective 20 June 2022	X

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Costa Rica					
Costa Rica passed a new law that reforms the factoring contract framework by eliminating the requirement to have the prior authorization issued by the Ministry of Science, Technology and Telecommunications (Micitt) for private entities to be able to implement electronic factoring platforms. It also establishes that all electronic factoring platforms must comply with the operating conditions related to the alternative use of electronic means established in the law and, as applicable, must comply with the provisions of Law 8968, Protection of the Person Against Treatment of its Personal Data, of 7 July 2011 and its regulations.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Ley No. 10073 del 18 de enero de 2022 "Reforma Ley Marco del Contrato de Factoreo" Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?para_m1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=96244&nValor3=128787&strTipM=TC	Effective 2 February 2022	X
An amendment was issued that aims at strengthening the protection of investors and improving the availability of information for making investment decisions. It also provides that privately offered securities may only be made available to investors that contract investment advisory or individual portfolio management services provided by the brokerage firm.	Multiple modes	Banking and other financial services	Reglamento No. 1711 del 27 de enero de 2022 "Reforma Normativa sobre Actividades Autorizadas a los Puestos de Bolsa, Reglamento de Intermediación y Actividades Complementarias y reforma varios Reglamentos" Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?para_m1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=96271&nValor3=128871&strTipM=TC	Effective 4 February 2022	X
A new measure was introduced that regulates the financial, commercial and microcredit operations offered to consumers. It mainly regulates the interest rates that are charged in financial, commercial and microcredit operations that are offered to the consumer.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Decreto Ejecutivo No. 43270 del 22 octubre de 2021 "Reglamento de las operaciones financieras, comerciales y microcréditos que se ofrezcan al consumidor" Viewed at: https://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?para_m1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=95937&nValor3=0&strTipM=TC	Effective 16 December 2021	X
Hungary					
A new decree extended the imposition of the financial transaction tax to non-Hungarian entities and branches of foreign entities providing payment services to Hungarian customers.	Modes 1 and 3	Banking and financial services	Decree of 197/2022(VI. 4.)-Hungarian Gazette issue 93 of 2022 Viewed at:	2 August 2022	

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			https://www.cms-lawnow.com/ealerts/2022/06/hungary-introduces-extra-taxes-on-banking-and-insurance-sectors#:~:text=Hungary%20introduces%20extra%20taxes%20on%20banking%20and%20insurance%20sectors.-Hungary%2022.06.2022&text=On%204%20June%202022%2C%20the,the%20current%20adverse%20economic%20situation		
India					
The Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, reviewed India's FDI policy to allow foreign investment (up to 20%) in Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC), India's state-owned, and largest, insurance company. LIC is set to be publicly listed on the Indian stock exchanges in the coming months, and the measure is part of a plan to offload a minority stake in this listing. Until this amendment, foreign institutional investors were allowed to hold up to 74% of private insurance companies and up to 20% of state-owned banks but were not permitted to own shares in LIC. The amendment allows foreign pension funds, insurance companies and mutual funds to participate in LIC's initial public offering.	Mode 3	Insurance services	Press Note 1 (2022 series) (PN 1) to amend the FDI Policy Viewed at: https://dpiit.gov.in/sites/default/files/Press_Note_1_2022_14March2022.pdf https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?g=fedbed45-438b-4773-990b-6193499b4520	Effective 12 April 2022	
The Reserve Bank of India allowed multinational banks operating in the country to store a limited set of data (e.g. name and address of client, and some additional details about the client along with selected transaction particulars like date and amount, name of beneficiary, and reference number) in offshore servers.	Modes 1 and 3	Banking and other financial services	Viewed at: https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/industry/banking/finance/banking/rbi-allows-multinational-banks-to-store-limited-data-abroad/articleshow/86954303.cms	Effective October 2021	
Iraq (Observer)					
A new measure regulates the relationship between key agents (banks, exchange companies A rank), licensed providers of e-payment services and secondary agents (banks, exchange companies A&B rank).	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Regulation of key & secondary agents of foreign remittances service providers Source: Permanent Mission of Iraq to the United Nations in Geneva	24 October 2021	X

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Kenya					
The Central Bank of Kenya (CBK) published new regulations, which provide for the licensing of formerly unregulated digital lenders/providers. Under the regulations, a person can only engage in digital credit business if they are licensed by the CBK or permitted to do so under any other written law. Consequently, all the unregulated digital credit providers are required to apply to the CBK for a license within six months of the publication of the regulations, that is, 17 September 2022. The licence is to be granted within 60 days of submission of a complete application. Institutions and entities already licensed under other Acts are exempt from this new licensing requirement.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Legal Notice No. 46 of March 18, 2022, of the Central Bank of Kenya (Digital Credit Providers) Regulations, 2022 Viewed at: https://www.centralbank.go.ke/uploads/press-releases/2119450187_Press%20Release%20-%20Publication%20of%20Regulations%20for%20Digital%20Credit%20Providers%20and%20Commencement%20of%20their%20Supervision.pdf https://www.centralbank.go.ke/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/L.-N.-No.-46-Central-Bank-of-Kenya-Digital-Credit-Providers-Regulations-2022.pdf	Effective 18 March 2022	
The President assented into law the Finance Act 2022. Where a resident person enters into a financial derivatives contract with a non-resident institution, any gain accruing to the non-resident person from that arrangement shall be subject to withholding tax at a 15% rate.	Mode 1	Banking and other financial services	Finance Act 2022, Gazette Supplement No. 106 Viewed at: https://www.ey.com/en_gl/tax-alerts/kenya-enacts-finance-act--2022_30_Jun_2022	Assented 21 June 2022	
Luxembourg					
The Financial Sector Supervisory Authority included Australia and the People's Republic of China to the list of eligible third countries allowed to provide investment activities in Luxembourg on a cross-border basis without establishing a branch.	Mode 1	Banking and other financial services	Regulation No 22-04 of 20 July 2022- Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier Viewed at: https://enews.com.ng/2022/08/australia-and-the-peoples-republic-of-china-now-part-of-luxembourgs-third-country-regime-for-investment-services-financial-services-more-news	20 July 2022	
Mauritius					
A single window platform was established to provide all relevant information and process investors requests related to licenses, professional permits, and business registration in the non-banking financial services sector.	Mode 3	Non-banking financial services	Viewed at: https://www.edbmauritius.org/newsroom/launching-single-window-system-financial-services-sector	21 July 2022	

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The new Virtual Asset and Initial Token Offering Services Act was adopted. The new act specifies the licensing requirements for virtual assets service providers and, inter alia, requires commercial presence in Mauritius to conduct business in virtual assets.	Mode 1	Banking and other financial services	Virtual Asset and Initial Token Offering Services Act No. 21 of 2021- Government Gazette Viewed at: https://www.mondaq.com/fin-tech/1224416/virtual-asset-and-initial-token-offering-services-new-regulatory-regime	Effective 7 February 2022	
Myanmar					
The Central Bank of Myanmar issued a notice requiring local companies with up to 35% foreign ownership to convert their foreign currency balances in Myanmar kyat.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Decision of the Foreign Exchange Supervisory Committee (FESC)'s meeting No 32/2022 Viewed at: https://www.qnfm.com.mm/myanmar-companies-with-35-ownership-of-foreigners-must-convert-foreign-currency-to-myanmar-kyat	15 July 2022	
Nepal					
Under the new policy, only foreign banks or financial institutions with an "investment grade" rating can operate a branch office in Nepal, subject to approval. Branch offices are only allowed to engage in wholesale banking transactions related to deposit-taking, loans, credit, and certain other financial services, such as buying and selling money market instruments and financial advice. The assigned minimum capital of the foreign bank branch must be USD 20 million. The new policy prohibits overseas institutions' representative offices from any kind of banking transactions in Nepal. Representative offices can only engage in liaising with the Nepali customers, research activities, providing information on products and services, promoting services, and liaising between the foreign bank's clients and other offices.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Foreign Bank Branch Licensing Policy, 2022 Viewed at: https://www.nrb.org.np/contents/uploads/2022/03/Notice-no-14-Foreign-Bank-Branch-Policy-2022-1.pdf	Effective 16 March 2022	
Norway					
The government enforced the regulation on access for certain undertakings established in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in order to provide portfolio management to specified Norwegian professional customers located in the country.	Mode 1	Banking and other financial services	Regulation to the Securities Trading Act Source: Permanent Mission of Norway to the WTO	Effective 1 December 2021	X

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Philippines					
Amendments were made to the Manual of Regulations for Banks (MORB) and the Manual of Regulations for Non-Bank Financial Institutions (MORNBFI) to operationalize the inclusion of digital banks as eligible participants for Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas' (Central Bank of the Philippines, BSP) monetary operations and of trust entities as eligible participants of BSP Securities in the secondary market.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Circular No. 1130 series of 2021: Expansion of Eligible Participants for Monetary Operations and for BSP Securities in the Secondary Market Viewed at: http://www.bsp.gov.ph	Effective 10 December 2021	X
A new circular provided the second phase of amendments to the relevant provisions of the Manual of Regulations of Foreign Exchange Transactions (FX Manual) and the Manual of Regulations for Banks (MORB) governing the Foreign Currency Deposit System aimed at promoting effective risk management in banks by relaxing and streamlining the requirements of foreign currency denominated transactions. The regulations expand the coverage of entities which can engage in Foreign Currency Deposit Units (FCDU) to include Islamic banks and digital banks. Licensing requirements for FCDU operations are proposed to be tiered depending on bank category. For certain banks, prior BSP approval will no longer be required since FCDU operations are deemed to be largely part of their regular operations. Certain conditions on lending by FCDU to the Regular Banking Unit have been relaxed to provide banks with flexibility in managing risks on their FCDU exposures.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Circular No. 1134 series of 2021: Amendments to the Relevant Regulations on Foreign Currency Deposit System - Phase 2 Viewed at: http://www.bsp.gov.ph	Effective 20 January 2022	X
Amendments to regulations on outsourcing and information technology risk management.	Modes 1 and 3	Banking and other financial services	Circular No. 1137 series of 2022: Amendments to the Regulations on Outsourcing and IT Risk Management Viewed at: http://www.bsp.gov.ph	Effective 11 March 2022	X
The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP, Philippines central bank) adopted a series of other new measures affecting banking and other financial services.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Circulars Nos. 1128, 1129, 1131, 1132, 1136 Memoranda Nos. M-2021-052, 058, 064, Viewed at: http://www.bsp.gov.ph	October 2021 – February 2022	X

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<p>The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas Monetary Board approved a modified approach in the grant of new Virtual Asset Service Provider (VASP) licenses. The new measure suspends the regular application window for new Virtual Asset Service Provider (VASP) licenses for three years, starting 1 September 2022, subject to re-assessment based on market developments. Applications that had completed/passed Stage 2 of the licensing process on or before 31 August 2022 will be processed and assessed for completeness and sufficiency of documentation/information submitted, as well as compliance with the licensing criteria to operate as a VASP based on Stage 3 requirements. Applications with incomplete requirements as of 31 August 2022 will be returned and tagged as "closed". The Bangko Sentral will no longer process these applications further.</p> <p>Meanwhile, existing BSP Supervised Financial Institutions (BSFIs) who wish to expand operations by offering VASP services, including non-custodial VASPs who wish to offer safekeeping and/or custodial services, may still apply for a VASP license provided that they have a Supervisory Assessment Framework (SAFr) composite rating of at least "stable".</p>	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	<p>Memorandum No. M-2022-035, Modified Approach in the Grant of Virtual Asset Service Provider (VASP) Licenses</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.bsp.gov.ph/Regulations/Issuances/2022/M-2022-035.pdf </p>	Effective 1 September 2022	X
The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP, Philippines central bank) adopted a series of other new measures affecting banking and other financial services, which relate to prudential or monetary policy measures.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	<p>Circulars Nos. 1139, 1140, 1149, 1150, 1151 Memorandum Nos. M-2022-024</p> <p>Viewed at: http://www.bsp.gov.ph </p>	March – September 2022	X
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia					
The Board of the Capital Market Authority issued its resolution to approve the Regulation on the Reporting of Violations of the Capital Market Law.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	<p>Resolution of the Board of the Capital Market Authority dated 13/12/2021</p> <p>Viewed at: https://cma.org.sa/en/Market/NEWS/Pages/CM_A_N_3038.aspx https://cma.org.sa/en/RulesRegulations/Regulations/Documents/REPORTING-OF-VIOLATIONS-EN.pdf </p>	Effective 28 February 2022, except for Article 10 effective 1 March 2023	X

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The Board of the Capital Market Authority issued its resolution to approve the amendment to the Rules on the Offer of Securities and Continuing Obligations to Regulate an Additional Option for Capital Increase.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Resolution of the Board of the Capital Market Authority dated 05/01/2022 Viewed at: https://cma.org.sa/en/Market/NEWS/Pages/CMA_N_3040.aspx https://cma.org.sa/en/RulesRegulations/Regulations/Documents/OSRCI_en.pdf	Effective 3 March 2022	X
The Board of the Capital Market Authority issued its resolution to approve the amendments to the Resolution of Securities Disputes Proceedings Regulation.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Resolution of the Board of the Capital Market Authority dated 02/02/2022 Viewed at: https://cma.org.sa/en/Market/NEWS/Pages/CMA_N_3048.aspx https://cma.org.sa/en/RulesRegulations/Regulations/Documents/RSDPR_en.pdf	Effective 10 March 2022	X
The Board of the Capital Market Authority issued its resolution to approve the Instructions on the Direct Financing Investment Funds.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Resolution of the Board of the Capital Market Authority dated 15/03/2022 Viewed at: https://cma.org.sa/en/Market/NEWS/Pages/CMA_N_3069.aspx https://cma.org.sa/en/RulesRegulations/Regulations/Documents/Instructions_on_the_Direct_Financing_Investment_Funds_en.pdf	Effective 28 March 2022	X
The Board of the Capital Market Authority issued its resolution to approve the Securities Exchanges and Depository Centers Regulations. The measure regulates the authorisation requirements to conduct Exchange or Depository Center business services in the Kingdom by legal persons incorporated as a joint-stock company out of the Kingdom.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Issued by the resolution of the Board of the Capital Market Authority dated 22/06/2022G Viewed at: https://cma.org.sa/en/RulesRegulations/Regulations/Documents/Securities%20ExchangesAndDepositoryCentersRegulationsEn.pdf https://cma.org.sa/en/Market/NEWS/Pages/CMA_N_3125.aspx	Issued 22 June 2022 Effective 1 January 2023	X
Somalia (Observer)					
The Central Bank of Somalia granted licenses to two foreign banks for the first time.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Viewed at:	2 July 2022	

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			https://centralbank.gov.so/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Press-Release-Bank-Licenses-No-507.pdf		
Tanzania					
The government of Tanzania decided it will cease to apply the levy on mobile money transfer from 1 October 2022. Previously, in July, the fee had been reduced from Tshs 7000 to Tshs 4000.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	Viewed at: https://www.connectingafrica.com/author.asp?doc_id=780576&itc=newsletter_connectingafricainsights&utm_source=newsletter_connectingafrica_connectingafricainsights&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=09232022	Effective 1 October 2022	
Thailand					
The measure, taken by the Securities and Exchange Commission of Thailand, prohibits all licensed digital asset operators (i.e., cryptocurrency and digital token exchanges, brokers, dealers, fund managers and advisors) from supporting or facilitating the use of digital assets for the payment for goods or services. Operators are prohibited from engaging in six activities, namely: 1) advertising, soliciting or demonstrating that the operators are ready to provide services for payment for goods or services; 2) creating payment systems or tools that facilitate payment for goods or services; 3) providing digital asset wallet services for payment for goods or services; 4) providing services for transferring Thai Baht from a customer's account to any third party account; 5) providing services for transferring digital assets from a customer's account to accounts not belonging to their customers for payment for goods or services by the use of digital assets; and 6) providing other services that facilitate payment for goods or services by the use of digital assets.	Mode 3	Banking and other financial services	SEC Notification No. Gor Tor. 5/2565 Re: Rules, Conditions and Procedures Prohibiting Digital Asset Business Operators to Provide Services that Support Use of Digital Assets as Means of Payment for Goods or Services. Viewed at: https://www.sec.or.th/EN/Pages/NEWS_LISTVIEW.aspx https://www.lawplusltd.com/2022/04/sec-thailand-introduces-controls-on-use-of-digital-assets-for-payment-for-goods-or-services	Effective 1 April 2022	
Ukraine					
The Verkhovna Rada (the parliament) of Ukraine adopted a new law, which redesigns and modernizes the insurance framework, in line with EU Directive 2009/138/EC and the Insurance Core Principles of the International Association of Insurance Supervisors. The main changes include the following:	Modes 1 and 3	Insurance and insurance-related services	Law of Ukraine "On Insurance" Viewed at: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/main/en/index https://insightplus.bakermckenzie.com/bm/financial-institutions_1/ukraine-new-insurance-law-adopted	Adopted 18 November 2021 In force 19 December 2021 Effective 1 January 2024	X

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1) Cross-border supply is allowed (without the need for a licence) for specific direct insurance classes (i.e., aircraft insurance; insurance of water vessels (sea vessels, inland waterway vessels and other self-propelled or non-self-propelled floating structures); insurance of the transported property (including cargo, luggage (cargo luggage), liability insurance arising from the use of the aircraft (including the liability of the carrier) and liability insurance arising from the use of the watercraft (including the liability of the carrier); and all types of reinsurance; and 2) All classes of insurance and reinsurance can be supplied by either subsidiaries or branches of foreign insurers, but the conditions on branching have been revised, providing in particular for a reduction of minimal solvency capital requirements for a branch offering life insurance from EUR 10 million to approximately EUR 1.5 million.					
BUSINESS SERVICES					
Botswana					
A new act and regulations came into force on 1 April 2022. The act requires that the oversight of all non-Public Interest Entities certified auditors and auditing firms who were regulated by the Botswana Institute of Chartered Accountants (BICA) to be transferred to the Botswana Accountancy Oversight Authority (BAOA), so that all auditors are under one roof under the jurisdiction of BAOA (Sections 24 and 25). All registration and licensing requirements for both auditing firms and certified auditors are now listed in the regulations.	Mode 3	Accounting, auditing and bookkeeping services	Financial Reporting (Amendment) Act, 2020 Financial Reporting Regulations, 2021 Viewed at: https://www.baoa.org.bw/sites/default/files/le gal/FINANCIAL%20REPORTING%20%28AMENDMENT%29%20ACT%202020.pdf https://www.baoa.org.bw/sites/default/files/le gal/FINANCIAL%20REPORTING%20REGULATIONS%2C%202021.pdf	Effective 1 April 2022	
Costa Rica					
The government of Costa Rica has created a new migrant category for foreign persons that enter the country for the purpose of temporarily working in the agricultural sector. The employer is responsible for applying for authorization through the completion of an online form and the payment of a 60 USD fee.	Mode 4	Services incidental to agriculture	Executive Decree No. 43527 of 5 May 2022, regarding "Special category for the migratory regularization of foreigners to work temporarily in the agricultural sector" Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?param1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=96999&nValor3=130354&strTipM=TC	Effective 23 May 2022	X

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New Zealand					
The New Zealand Ministry for Primary Industries will establish a registration system for log traders and forestry advisers. Basic registration requirements will establish: - who is entitled to register; - matters to take into account in the "fit and proper person" test; - initial obligations for log traders and forestry advisers; - process for complaints and dispute; and - information to be displayed on public registers. From 6 August 2022, there will be a one year transition period for log traders and forestry advisers to get registered.	Mode 4	Services incidental to forestry and logging	Registration of Log Traders and Forestry Advisers Viewed at: https://www.mpi.govt.nz/forestry/forest-industry-and-workforce/registration-of-forestry-professionals	Effective 6 August 2022	X
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia					
The Board of the Capital Market Authority (CMA) issued its resolution to approve the amendments to the Rules for Registering Auditors of Entities Subject to the Authority's Supervision. The measure amends, inter alia, the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) registration conditions, by requiring a full-time commitment to practice the profession of account auditing in accordance with the Law of the Profession of Accounting and Auditing and requiring the CPA to work through an Accounting Firm registered with the CMA.	Modes 3 and 4	Accounting, auditing, and bookkeeping services	Amended by the resolution of the Board of the Capital Market Authority dated 08/06/2022G Viewed at: https://cma.org.sa/en/RulesRegulations/Regulations/Documents/Rules-Registering-Auditors-of-Entities-EN.pdf https://cma.org.sa/en/Market/NEWS/Pages/CMA_N_3108.aspx	Effective 13 June 2022	X
United Kingdom					
The United Kingdom's Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Act received Royal Assent on 14 March 2022. It created a new Register of Overseas Entities that requires any foreign company or similar legal entity buying property in the UK to give information about their true owners to Companies House. The Register launched successfully on 1 August 2022.	Mode 3	Real estate services	Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Act 2022 Viewed at: https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2022/10/contents/enacted	Effective 1 August 2022	X
EDUCATION SERVICES					
Costa Rica					
The Professional Association in Human Movement Sciences of Costa Rica ("Colegio De Profesionales en Ciencias del Movimiento Humano"), a non-state	Mode 4	Other education services	Organic Law of the Professional Association in Human Movement Sciences of Costa Rica	Effective 17 May 2022	X

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public law corporation, has been created to stimulate and regulate the professional practice of activities related to human movement sciences. Only members of the College are authorized to provide services related to human movement sciences in the country, except for physical therapy and other services and activities exclusively corresponding to health sciences. To become members, foreign professionals with a valid immigration status must present their unconditional permanent residency card.			Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scii/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?param1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=96943&nValor3=130215&strTipM=TC		
HEALTH SERVICES					
Brazil					
The Federal Council of Medicine (CFM) approved a new regulation establishing rules for the practice of telemedicine. It is defined as the exercise of medicine mediated by digital, information, and communication technologies, for the purposes of assistance, education, research, disease and injury prevention, management, and health promotion. Doctors can choose telemedicine based on their assessment that face-to-face care is not more appropriate (i.e. based on the safety and quality of patient care). Telemedicine is only allowed for service providers established or located in the national territory. Health service providers have to be registered with the relevant Regional Council of Medicine. Telemedicine is the subject of Bill No. 1,998/2020, which authorizes and defines the practice of telemedicine. The bill was approved in April by the House of Representatives and is pending Senate approval. In the meantime, telemedicine is regulated by the CFM resolution.	Mode 3	Health-related services	Resolution No. 2,134/2022 Viewed at: https://www.felsberg.com.br/en/telemedicine-federal-council-of-medicine-approves-new-regulation/	6 May 2022	X
The Federal Council of Pharmacy published a resolution aimed at regulating activities in the telepharmacy sector. Areas covered include teleconsultation, tele inter-consultation, teleconsulting and telemonitoring. Companies that are platforms for or provide telepharmacy must have a representation established in Brazil, be registered in the Regional Council of Pharmacy and have a technical representative. The service provider must register with its respective Regional Council of Pharmacy.	Modes 1 and 3	Health-related services	Resolution No. 727/2022-Federal Council of Pharmacy Viewed at: https://www.mattosfilho.com.br/en/unico/council-telepharmacy-brazil	30 June 2022	X

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<p>The Federal Nursing Council issued a resolution which sets out the rules for telenursing activities in Brazil. Areas covered by the regulation include scheduling appointment, nursing consulting services, monitoring, health education amongst others. The measure aims at ensuring protection of patient data and confidentiality. The consent of the patient is required prior to disclosing any information by the service provider. The regulation also allows the service provider to remotely request examination or provide a prescription through a certified electronic signature.</p> <p>The regulation states that only members registered at Regional Nursing Councils ("Conselho Regional de Enfermagem") are able to provide telenursing services. According to the current legislation in place, the Nursing Council requires proof of residency for registration. Furthermore, foreign individuals must present a valid identification document issued by a Brazilian competent authority in order to be registered at the Nursing Council.</p>	Modes 1 and 3	Health-related services	<p>Resolution No. 696/2022- Federal Nursing Council</p> <p>Viewed at: https://lifesciences.dlapiper.com/post/102hvp1/the-federal-council-of-nursing-regulates-the-exercise-of-telenursing-brazil </p>	23 May 2022	X
Costa Rica					
The Costa Rican Professional Association of Nurses agreed an integral reform of the requirements for granting temporary authorization to foreign professionals wishing to practice nursing temporarily in Costa Rica in internships, counselees, consultancies in special programmes and volunteer work.	Mode 4	Health-related services	<p>Acuerdo 15, Acta 2577 de la sesión extraordinaria de la Junta Directiva del Colegio de Enfermeras de Costa Rica celebrada en fecha 15 de marzo de 2022 "Reforma Integral Requisitos para la autorización temporal para el ejercicio de enfermería por extranjeros"</p> <p>Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?para_m1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=96627&nValor3=129530&strTipM=TC </p>	Effective 15 March 2022	X
The Professional Association of Physicians and Surgeons of Costa Rica ("Colegio de Médicos y Cirujanos de Costa Rica") enacted a regulatory reform for the temporary authorization of physicians and surgeons, specialists, subspecialists and visiting physicians. Medical professionals who intend to obtain a temporary authorization are required to secure a position in	Mode 4	Health-related services	<p>Ordinary session of the Professional Association of Physicians and Surgeons of Costa Rica 2022-07-06 of 6 July 2022 "Regulatory Reform for the temporary authorization of professional practice for physicians and surgeons, specialists, subspecialists and visiting physicians"</p>	Effective 6 July 2022	X

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the Compulsory Social Service ("Servicio Social Obligatorio"). If they have completed the Compulsory Social Service, they must also have either initiated a Social Remuneration Contract ("Contrato de Retribución Social") or intend to start working as a specialist/subspecialist at either the Trauma Hospital (INS) or the Forensic Medicine Department.			Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scii/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?param1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=97435&nValor3=131547&strTipM=TC		
Türkiye					
A regulation was issued that sets forth the procedures and principles regarding remote health services regardless of location as well as the supervision of health facilities. A distance health service activity permit is required to provide remote healthcare services. Healthcare facilities cannot provide remote healthcare services in a field where they are not authorized or that are not regulated under the regulation.	Mode 3	Health-related services	Regulation on Distance Health Services Official Gazette (No 31746), 10 February 2022 Viewed at: https://www.erdem-erdem.av.tr/en/insights/the-regulation-on-the-provision-of-remote-health-services-has-been-published https://www.esin.av.tr/2022/02/16/turkey-publishes-the-regulation-on-the-provision-of-distance-health-services-and-the-regulation-on-the-cascading-of-health-service-providers/#:~:text=What%20Does%20the%20Regulation%20on%20the%20Cascading%20of%20Health%20Service,of%20Distance%20Health%20Services%20bring%3F&text=The%20Regulation%20on%20the%20Provision%20of%20Distance%20Health%20Services%20entered,Gazette%20on%2010%20February%202022	Effective 10 February 2022	
TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES					
Albania					
The government adopted two decisions relating to the improvement of the procedures for the use of beach stations and on determining the manner of application for establishing the service structure on the beach station area.	Multiple modes	Tourism and travel related services	DCM No. 827/2021 of 24.12.2021 on some amendments and addenda to DCM No. 171/2019, on the approval of the regulation "On the conditions and criteria of exercising the activity of beach station" Minister order No. 38, of 27.01.2022 "On determining the manner of application for establishing the service structure on the beach station area" Source: Permanent Mission of Albania to the WTO	24 December 2021 27 January 2022	X

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Facilitating the renewal process for certification of all tour guides that expire by 30 April 2022, an automatic renewal is applied without the obligation to fulfil the standard criteria.	Mode 4	Tourism and travel-related services	Minister Order no.72, dated 18.04.2022 "On the renovation of tour guide certification" Source: Permanent Mission of Albania to the WTO	Effective 30 April 2022	X
Costa Rica					
A new measure regulates the provision of "Non-Traditional Lodging" tourist services. It also defines the requirements for the creation of the Registry of non-traditional lodging service providers and the Registry of trading or intermediary companies, as well as its management and updating by the Costa Rican Tourism Institute (ICT).	Multiple modes	Tourism and travel related services	Decreto Ejecutivo No. 43154-H-TUR del 5 de agosto de 2021 "Reglamento a la Ley Marco para la regularización del hospedaje no tradicional y su intermediación a través de plataformas digitales" Viewed at: https://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?param1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=95409&nValor3=0&strTipM=TC	Effective 21 October 2021	X
A new law was introduced, creating a new regulatory framework for the preparation, and selling of food and/or beverages that occur in automotive vehicles. All owners of vehicles that are used for the purposes of direct sale and preparation of food will now require special temporary business license and a temporary permit granted by the municipal authority for zoning purposes, as well as a sanitary operating permit ("permiso sanitaria de funcionamiento").	Mode 3	Food-serving services	Law no. 10254 of 6 May 2022 " Special law for trade on wheels " Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?param1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=97182&nValor3=130898&strTipM=TC	Effective 14 June 2022	X
PERSONAL, CULTURAL AND RECREATIONAL SERVICES					
Argentina					
The Federal Administration of Public Revenues (AFIP) adopted a new tax regime for online gambling, introducing an indirect tax ranging from 2.5% for operators domiciled in the country to 15% for foreign operators not registered in the country. The decree also provides for the creation of an Online Control Registry of the Betting System to list all licensed operators and agents allowed to provide gambling services. The list will be updated on a 3-month period.	Mode 1	Gambling and betting services	Decreto 293/2022 (DCTO-2022-293-APN-PTE - Disposiciones) Viewed at: https://www.argentina.gob.ar/normativa/nacional/decreto-293-2022-365744/texto https://www.raipostexam.com/online-gambling-in-argentina-could-soon-become-more-expensive	2 June 2022	
POSTAL AND COURIER SERVICES					

Measure	Mode(s) of supply	Sectoral classification	Source	Date	Verified by Member
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia					
A new measure was introduced, which separates the regulator from the service provider. The Ministry of transport and logistic services undertakes supervision of the postal sector, sets its general policies and development plans, and proposes projects for its regulations and amendments.	Mode 3	Postal and courier services	Council of Ministers Resolution No. 705 and the date of 26/07/2022 Source: Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to the WTO	26 July 2022	X
TRANSPORT SERVICES					
Brazil					
In order to diversify transportation services, a new act was introduced that relaxes the cabotage rules with a view to develop the quality of, and encourage competition within, transportation services, expand the fleet for navigation, stimulate the development of the national naval industry, and encourage investments arising from operations in port facilities. Brazilian Navigation Companies are allowed to bareboat charter foreign vessels for cabotage transport without the need for proof of tonnage. Initially, chartering will be limited to one vessel. After a 4-years transition period, such chartering will be unlimited. Authorization will not be required for chartering of foreign vessels when replacing other vessels undergoing restoration. For time charter of foreign vessels, the number of movements will be unlimited. For vessels flying the Brazilian flag, the Act maintains the requirement that at least two-thirds of crew members, including the vessel's captain and chief engineer must be Brazilian nationals.	Modes 1 and 3	Maritime transport services	Cabotage Act Secretaria-Geral Subchefia para Assuntos Jurídicos-Law No. 14.301/2022 Viewed at: https://www.hfw.com/Brazilian-Government-enacts-new-Cabotage-Act-BR-do-Mar-2022	Effective 10 January 2022	X
Costa Rica					
The government enacted on 23 July 2022 a regulation for granting licenses for nautical charter. Vessels with foreign flags are obliged to obtain a license to provide charter services for leisure and entertainment purposes in Costa Rican waters. The license criteria include a formal request signed by the owner of the vessels or its agent, simple copy of the certificate of registration or navigability from the country of origin of the	Modes 3 and 4	Rental of vessels with crew	Executive Decree No. 43636 of 23 July 2022 "Regulation for the granting of the license for nautical charter in Costa Rica" Viewed at: http://www.pgrweb.go.cr/scij/Busqueda/Normativa/Normas/nrm_texto_completo.aspx?param1=NRTC&nValor1=1&nValor2=97516&nValor3=131746&strTipM=TC	Effective 5 August 2022	X

Measure	Mode(s) of supply	Sectoral classification	Source	Date	Verified by Member
<p>vessel, sworn statement of an adequate and sufficient insurance policy of the vessel for the activities and that it is in compliance with obligations before Costa Rican authorities, and proof of a contract with a tourist marina. Foreign flag vessels must pay 2,5% of the gross income for each service provided.</p> <p>Furthermore, captain and crew members for nautical charter services can apply for the special category of nautical charter workers, if their stay does not entail activities remunerated in the national territory.</p>					
Indonesia					
<p>A new regulation clarified the activities allowed to foreign vessels when operating in Indonesian waters. This includes salvage and underwater works; offshore construction; oil and gas survey; drilling; dredging; terminal construction; and offshore operational support.</p> <p>Previously foreign vessels were not allowed to undertake commercial activities in Indonesian waters. The Omnibus Law (No 11 OF 2020) brought changes to the Shipping Law, stating that if Indonesian-flagged vessels are unavailable, foreign-flagged vessels may be used to conduct special activities in Indonesian waters other than carrying passengers and/or goods.</p>	Mode 3	Maritime transport services	<p>Ministry of Transport regulation 2/2021</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?q=6a44523f-920a-42e2-9184-6befc355dc05#:~:text=Transportation%20Regulation%20No.-,2%20of%202021%3A%20Approval%20for%20the%20Use%20of%20Foreign%20Ships,Than%20Transporting%20Passengers%20and%20Goods&text=Law%20No.,provides%20protection%20for%20domestic%20shipping. </p>	14 November 2021	
Mexico					
Users of road freight transport services are required to supply freight transport suppliers a consignment note - Transfer or Proof to Protect the Transport of Goods pre-printed and consignment note or Voucher to Protect the Transport of Digital Goods by Internet (CFDI) so-called complement Letter of Carriage of the Digital Tax Receipt over the Internet (CFDI).	Multiple modes	Road transport services	<p>Acuerdo por el que se actualiza la Carta de Porte en Autotransporte Federal y sus servicios auxiliares</p> <p>Viewed at: http://dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5638495&fecha=16/12/2021 </p>	Published 16 December 2021	
United Kingdom					
The government introduced a temporary relaxation of cabotage rules as part of its response to an acute shortage of Heavy Goods Vehicle (HGV) drivers. The intervention allowed all operators (not	Mode 1	Road transport services	The Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) (Temporary Use in Great Britain) (Amendment) Regulations 2021	Effective from 28 October 2021 to 30 April 2022	X

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just those from the European Union) to carry out an unlimited number of freight movements in a 14-day period following an international laden journey to the UK. The measure was introduced via the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) (Temporary Use in Great Britain) (Amendment) Regulations 2021, which exempts vehicles using the additional cabotage rights from goods vehicle licensing and Section 79 of the Finance Act 2022 which exempts vehicles using the additional cabotage rights from Vehicle Excise Duty.			Finance Act 2022 Viewed at: https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2021/1187/contents/made https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2022/3/contents/enacted		
The government implemented bilateral agreements with France to establish regulatory arrangements to facilitate cross-border rail traffic via the Channel Tunnel. Agreements implemented to date provide for mutual recognition of rail operator licences and train driving licences in the cross-border area.	Mode 1	Rail transport services	Railway (Licensing of Railway Undertakings) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 Train Driving Licences and Certificates (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Viewed at: https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2021/1105/contents https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2022/85/contents/made	Effective from 30 September 2021 Effective from 31 January 2022	X
SERVICES SUPPLIED THROUGH THE MOVEMENT OF NATURAL PERSONS					
Albania					
A new law has introduced a single permit for work and residence, called "Unique Permit", available, inter alia, to locally hired foreign staff, intra-corporate transferees and highly qualified staff and self-employed persons. The application for the unique permit is made at the Regional Directorate for Border and Migration where the activity takes place.	Mode 4	All sectors	Law No. 79/2021 "On Foreigners" Viewed at: https://visionconsultingalbania.com/residence-permit-easier-procedures-to-obtain-it	Effective December 2021	
Austria					
The Austrian government has proposed legal reforms to the Employment of Foreign Nationals Act. These reforms will simplify the requirements and process of getting a "Red-White-Red" (RWR) card for skilled, other key and highly qualified workers. Among other changes the minimum salary requirements for EU blue cards, RWR cards for graduates, and Other Key Workers have been reduced; the validity of language certificate has	Mode 4	All sectors	106th Federal Act amending the Act Governing the Employment of Foreign Nationals, the Labour Market Promotion Act, the Settlement and Residence Act and the Aliens Police Act 2005 Viewed at: https://www.migration.gv.at/en/welcome/?no_cache=1	Effective 1 October 2022	X

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<p>been increased to 5 years from the previous validity of one year.</p> <p>In addition, the revised laws will provide opportunities for the secondment of skilled workers within the EU to the EU blue card holders for a period of 90 days. Directive (EU) 2021/1883 on the entry and stay of highly qualified third-country nationals has also been transposed into national law in these amendments</p>					
Bahrain					
The Nationality, Passport and Residence Affairs (NPRA) Authority of Bahrain introduced a multi-entry e-visa for training purposes. The new temporary e-visa is available to foreigners for conducting or undergoing occupation-based training, for a period of six months with a possibility of further extension for the same duration.	Mode 4	All sectors	<p>Viewed at:</p> <p>https://www.npra.gov.bh/en/view/media-center/news/npra-introduces-training-visa</p>	Effective 3 September 2022	
Chile					
On 12 February 2022, the government published a decree which approves the Regulations of Law No. 21325, the new Immigration law of Chile. Amongst the changes, immigration processing is centralised with the national Immigration Services, a new consular short-term authorisation is introduced allowing business travellers multiple entries for up to 90 days per year for a 10-year period, and foreign nationals permitted to apply for a visa or residency in the country can now do so via the National Immigration Service's online portal.	Mode 4	All sectors	<p>Decree 296 de 2021</p> <p>Viewed at:</p> <p>https://www.diariooficial.interior.gob.cl/publicaciones/2022/03/04/43194/01/2094937.pdf</p>	Effective 12 February 2022	X
The government updated its new immigration law by publishing a final implementing regulation, which updated Chile's visa categories. The Temporary Residence visa consists of 16 subcategories, such as multiple entry business permits, permits for investors and related personnel and permits for nationals or residents of those States with which Chile has entered into commitments through its trade agreements, among others. Entry for business persons is for a	Mode 4	All sectors	<p>Supreme Decree No. 177</p> <p>Viewed at:</p> <p>https://www.diariooficial.interior.gob.cl/publicaciones/2022/05/14/43253/01/2128680.pdf</p> <p>https://iuslaboris.com/insights/a-guide-to-the-new-chilean-immigration-law</p>	Effective 14 May 2022	X

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limited period of stay of two years and can be extended for up to two more years.					
Colombia					
<p>A new resolution published by the Colombian immigration authority introduced, among other things, a new technical visa subcategory with a shorter period of stay. While the visa will be valid for a period of two years, technical visitors will only be allowed to stay in Colombia for 180 continuous or cumulative days in a 365-day period. Earlier under the V-13 visa category, such professionals could stay in Colombia for two years.</p> <p>The new subcategory has been introduced for foreign nationals entering Colombia to provide specialized technical assistance. In addition, a new visa with a validity of two years has been introduced to promote internationalization, which will be available to foreign nationals with a graduate degree in basic or applied science, mathematics, engineering, or other related fields. Under the new law, authorities will be able to issue visas in 30 days, where currently it is done in five to eight business days.</p>	Mode 4	Various sectors	<p>Resolution 5477</p> <p>Viewed at: https://eiglaw.com/colombia-announces-new-visas-and-processing-changes </p>	Effective 22 October 2022	
Estonia					
The government introduced a short-term work permit exempted from the immigration quota requirements. Individuals who previously had worked on a short-term work permit for a period of nine months with the same employer in Estonia can now receive this short-term permit for a maximum period of two years.	Mode 4	All sectors	<p>Viewed at: https://www.fragomen.com/insights/estonia-two-quota-exempt-short-term-work-authorizations-introduced.html </p>	Effective 1 January 2023	X
Hong Kong, China					
The Pilot Scheme on Immigration Facilitation for Visitors Participating in Short-term Activities in Designated Sectors was implemented on 1 June 2022. This scheme allows nationals from all countries/territories who are in possession of an "Invitation Letter", issued by authorised organisations, to participate in the specified short-term activities in ten designated sectors. They may participate in the aforementioned activities for up to 14 consecutive calendar days in Hong	Mode 4	Various sectors	<p>Pilot Scheme on Immigration Facilitation for Visitors Participating in Short-term Activities in Designated Sectors</p> <p>Viewed at: https://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/stv.html </p>	Effective 1 June 2022	X

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Kong, China as visitors, without having to obtain employment visas / entry permits.					
Ireland					
Authorities decided to permit travellers from all countries under Ireland's visa regime the possibility to apply for short stay (90 days) multiple-entry visas with a validity of five years. Up until now, the majority of short-stay visa applicants could only apply for multiple entry visas with a maximum validity of three years. Persons who frequently travel to several other countries will also be able to benefit from this option, even if they have never before travelled to Ireland.	Mode 4	All sectors	Viewed at: https://www.schengenvisainfo.com/news/ireland-makes-5-year-multi-entry-short-stay-visas-available-to-nationals-of-all-visa-required-countries/#:~:text=Since%202019%2C%20eligible%20to%20obtain,visa%20valid%20for%20five%20years	Effective 23 April 2022	X
Israel					
Authorities amended the existing procedure concerning Short-Term Employment Authorization (SEA) B-1 Work Visa, increasing the duration of stay from 45 days to up to 90 days in a calendar year. The procedure, which applies to SEA for citizens of countries who have visa agreements with Israel, includes shortened visa processing times, and overall simpler application processes for candidates wishing to obtain a work visa for short stays.	Mode 4	All sectors	Viewed at: https://www.gov.il/BlobFolder/policy/fast_procedure_foreign_expert_from_country_exempt_from_visa_to_israel/he/5.3.0040.pdf https://www.mondaq.com/work-visas/1124134/israel-releases-updates-to-the-short-term-employment-authorization-sea-b-1-work-visas	Effective October 2021	X
Italy					
The government published a new decree law, shortening the processing time of the work permits for subordinate workers (lavoratori subordinati) to 30 days from the previous longer duration of 60 days (amending the legislative decree 286 of the 25-7-1998). However, the shortened process is not applicable for work permits for guest workers (lavoratori stagionali) and intra-corporate transferees.	Mode 4	All sectors	Decree-Law no. 73 of 21 June 2022 Viewed at: https://www.bal.com/bal-news/italy-processing-times-for-certain-work-permit-applications-shortened	22 June 2022	X
Netherlands					
The government announced a new online portal for short-term work permit applications. Employers now can apply for (short-term) work permits for employees outside of the EU through an online portal. To access the online portal employers need an "electronic identity certificate",	Mode 4	All sectors	Source: Permanent Mission of the European Union to the WTO	Effective 1 July 2022	X

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which can be obtained via a government approved supplier.					
New Zealand					
The Accredited Employer Work Visa (AEWV) is a new temporary work visa that simplifies the visa application process and streamlines labour market tests for higher-paid jobs.	Mode 4	All sectors	Viewed at: https://www.immigration.govt.nz/employ-migrants/new-employer-accreditation-and-work-visa	Effective 4 July 2022	
Philippines					
In November 2021, the Philippines Economic Zone Authority (PEZA) introduced a new work visa for foreigners who are sponsored to work in the Philippines by companies registered with PEZA. Under the new PEZA visa, applications are processed within 10 business days (from the previous time of 1 month) and the visa is valid for up to two years with the option of renewing once for another two years, for a maximum validity period of four years.	Mode 4	All sectors	PEZA Memo Circular 2021-069 dated 22 November 2021 Viewed at: https://www.aseanbriefing.com/news/philippines-introduces-new-economic-zone-authority-visa-for-foreigners/#:~:text=In%20November%202021%2C%20the%20Philippines,(a)(2)%20visas	Effective November 2021	X
Poland					
The government introduced a number of amendments to the rules governing the legalisation of stay of foreigners in Poland. The changes introduced include: an expanded catalogue of circumstances that do not require a change in the temporary residence and work permit; an extension of the period of work on the basis of a declaration of entrusting work to a foreigner to 24 months; simplification of the rules of change of temporary and work permit, setting the deadline for granting a temporary residence permit in the first instance at 60 days from the submission of a complete application (90 days in the appeal instance).	Mode 4	All sectors	Act of 17 December 2021 amending the Act on Foreigners and certain other acts Viewed at: https://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?q=5826f2e0-8102-4cf2-b39f-f8b55b65e64f	Effective 29 January 2022	X
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia					
The Saudi Nationalisation Scheme or Nitaqat, a policy whereby Saudi companies are required to hire Saudi nationals on a quota basis, applies to driving schools, technical engineering and customs clearance professions.	Mode 4	Various sectors	Viewed at: https://hrs.gov.sa/en/page/knowledge-center https://www.saudigazette.com.sa/article/615197/SAUDI-ARABIA/Saudization-of-three-professions-to-come-into-force-from-December-30	Effective 30 December 2021	X

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Singapore					
The Ministry of Manpower will use a point-based Complementarity Assessment Framework (COMPASS) for new Employment Pass applications starting from 1 September 2023 (and renewals starting in September 2024).	Mode 4	All sectors	Viewed at: https://www.mom.gov.sg/passes-and-permits/employment-pass/upcoming-changes-to-employment-pass-eligibility/complementarity-assessment-framework-compass	Effective 1 September 2023	X
Slovak Republic					
The government has adopted a new regulation granting visas to relocated nationals of a third country and their family members to simplify employment of relocated managers and experts from third countries in an organisational unit or a business unit of a foreign entity in the Slovak Republic. Relocated foreign nationals (managers, experts possessing special professional knowledge) can receive a national visa for up to one year instead of applying for temporary residence in the Slovak Republic (which is a more time-consuming process). The national visa is granted for the duration of the foreign national's employment or a maximum period of one year. The national visa can be extended repeatedly. It can only be granted if the foreign national does not hold a temporary residence, has a wage higher than double the wage in the Slovak Republic and the foreign employer has established an organisational unit or a business unit of a foreign entity in the country. The family members of the relocated employees also have the right to be granted a visa.	Mode 4	All sectors	Regulation of the Government of the Slovak Republic No. 269/2022 Coll. on the interest of the Slovak Republic in granting national visas to relocated nationals of a third country and their family members Source: Permanent Mission of the European Union to the WTO	Effective 23 July 2022	X
Togo					
As the part of Government's Digital 2025 Strategy, Togo launched its electronic visa issuance system called "Voyage Togo". Along with reducing visa processing time for tourist and business travellers, the overhauled digital platform for immigration would keep a data of visitors in Togo. The e-visas can be obtained for both single and multiple entry for short-term duration of 15, 30 or 90 days.	Mode 4	All sectors	Viewed at: https://techcabal.com/2022/07/12/togo-launches-electronic-visa-issuance-system/#:~:text=Togo%20launches%20novel%20e%2DVisa%20platform%2C%20Togo%20VOYAGE&text=On%20July%2011%202022%2C%20the,process%20for%20travellers%20and%20migrants.	Effective 11 July 2022	

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United Arab Emirates					
Authorities have begun issuing five-year multi-entry visas for tourists, allowing visitors to enter several times over a calendar year or stay for 90 days at a time and extend it for another 90 days, including for businesses aiming to bring employees in and out of the country for conferences and other events.	Mode 4	All sectors	Viewed at: https://www.thenationalnews.com/uae/government/2021/11/28/who-is-eligible-for-uaes-five-year-multiple-entry-tourist-visa-and-how-do-you-apply/#:~:text=The%20UAE%20has%20been%20issuing,it%20for%20another%2090%20days	Effective November 2021	
The government introduced several types of entry visas that do not require a host or sponsor for visit purposes and can be obtained for single or multiple entries for a duration of 60 days. Among others, these categories include entry permits for a temporary work, entry visas for study and training. A temporary work contract with the proof of fitness will be required to obtain a temporary short-term work visa.	Mode 4	All sectors	Executive Regulation of the Federal Decree-Law on Entry and Residence of Foreigners, known as the "Advanced Visa System" Viewed at: https://gulfbusiness.com/your-guide-to-the-uaes-new-visa-reforms-starting-from-september	Effective 3 October 2022	
United Kingdom					
The government launched a new visa category called the "scale-up visa" for high-growth businesses in the United Kingdom. Professionals can apply for the scale-up visa if they have sponsorship for six months from an eligible fast-growing business in the country. After six months, sponsorship ends automatically, and the professional can work with a different employer or change the role/work without needing a new visa. This visa can initially be granted for a period of two years with an option to further extend it for three years, depending on the salary received by the professional. In addition, only graduate level, and professionals above graduate level, such as intra-corporate transferees with a minimum salary of GBP 33,000 per year, can apply under this visa category.	Mode 4	All sectors	Viewed at: https://www.gov.uk/scale-up-worker-visa	Effective 22 August 2022	X