



# Country profile

- **Land mass:** 786,380 km<sup>2</sup>
- **Population:** 26,424 000 inhabitants
- **Urban Population:** 32 %
- **Life expectancy:** 53,3
- **Religions:** Christianity, Islam, Animism
- **Main ethnic groups:** Makua, Tonga, Chokwe, Manyika, and Sau
- **Literacy:** 58,8 %
- **Inflation:** 10,1 %
- **Main export:** aluminum, coal, bulk electricity, lumber, cotton, prawns, cashews, sugar, citrus
- **FDI:** 37,4 % of GDP

MOZAMBIQUE



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**423** STAFF  
**8** SITES

## MAIN FIGURES 2017



**EXPORT**  
**61**  
Tons



**EXPORT**  
**2,000**  
TEUs

**EXPORT**  
**10,000**  
Tons



**EXPORT**  
**150**  
TEUs



**EXPORT**  
**40,000**  
SQM

**IMPORT**  
**425**  
Tons

**IMPORT**  
**11,750**  
TEUs

**IMPORT**  
**150,000**  
Tons

**IMPORT**  
**1,150**  
TEUs  
(Cross Border  
Trucking)

**IMPORT**  
**45,000**  
SQM



## INDUSTRY EXPERTISE

- Customs Clearance (Local & Transit)
- Logistics (Air, road, rail, sea)
- Warehousing
- Shipping Line Agency (PIL)
- Worldwide Door to Door Logistics
- Project handling & Management
- Local Distribution

EXPORT TO  
MOZAMBIQUE



# Main products

EXPORTED IN MOZAMBIQUE FROM TOP 10 COUNTRIES IN THE WORLD



IN TEUS	2016
FOOD & BEVERAGES	63 397
OTHER INDUSTRIES	55 819
CHEMICALS & PETROCHEMICALS	29 278
HIGH TECH	19 438
AUTOMOTIVE & TRANSPORT	13 828
INFRASTRUCTURES	13 744
FASHION	11 735

# Customs Process

## REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

### A/ FOR IMPORTS:

- Bill of lading (B/L) - 2 originals
- Packing list - 1 original
- Import license (emitted by the Ministry of Industry and Trade)

### B/ FOR EXPORTS:

- Packing list - 1 original
- Shipper export license
- Origin certificate
- Bill of lading (B/L)

## **C/ SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS:**

### **For second-hand vehicles:**

- Origin certificate of cancellation
- The commercial invoice must contain the following details: Value of the car; Year of manufacture; Engine number; Engine capacity; Chassis number; Color

### **For agricultural products:**

- Phyto-sanitary certificate
- Fumigation certificate

### **For pre-shipment inspection in case of:**

- second hand vehicles and equipment
- vegetable oils
- detergents
- some electro-domestic devices and chemicals

# Customs Procedure

## A/ PRE-SHIPMENT INSPECTION:

INTERTEK carries out pre-shipment inspection (PSI) on all imports indicated in the table of the "POSITIVE LIST" unless officially exempted from this program.

- If goods appear on the "Positive list" arriving in Mozambique without inspection, then the importer will have to submit to INTERTEK Mozambique a request for a destination inspection, pay for the full costs of PSI as well as will incur an additional penalty of 10% of the assessed CIF value of the goods. Repeated calls for destination inspections may result in cancellation of an importer's license.
- Importers are required to complete a Pre-Advice Form (PAF) for all imports subject to inspection. Upon receipt of the PAF from the Importer, INTERTEK will contact the Exporter and arrange inspection in the country of supply through their overseas network of offices. Upon satisfactory findings, INTERTEK will issue a Documento Unico Simplificado (DU) to the Importer.
- Goods requiring pre-shipment inspection include second hand vehicles and equipment.

## B/ IMPORT CUSTOMS PROCEDURE:

### Permanent Import

The import procedures in Mozambique are based according to each import process term:

- Overseas shipments
- Overland shipments
- Air Freight consignments
- Rail shipments

### Temporary Import

Goods to be imported under temporary import status must initiate with Business registration in Mozambique and get an Import License followed by a Temporary Import License.

**Customs clearance duration: 7 days minimum**



## C/ EXPORT CUSTOMS PROCEDURE:

- The export process initiate with the business office registration in Mozambique.
- Afterwards the newly opened company request for export license to the Ministry of Industry and Trade.
- Business registration takes between 1 to 6 months depending on the complexity of the venture. On the other side the license takes maximum of 14 days to be granted.
- Once the exporter has the office registered and export license the certificate of origin of the product to be exported must be requested trough the Chamber of Commerce. This document will be granted on a period ranging from few hours to 1 day.
- Thereafter in case goods appear on Mozambican Positive List (Regulated Goods), a request to INTERTEK is made to effect the pre-shipment inspection. A payment confirmation is mandatory for customs clearance proposes.

This may be in either 3 forms below:

- Payment Made Through Letters Of Credit
- Payment Made Through Transfer (Remittance Export Document)
- Payment Done On Cash Payment Order

# COMMERCIAL INVOICE

- It shall be established, at a minimum, in triplicate and shall contain the usual mentions. It must be written in English.

# EUR1

Although Mozambique does not yet have a preferential customs regime for products originating in the European Union, customs services may require a document EUR. 1 when importing these products and, in particular, ' when they are Incorporated into the manufacture of a local product and re-exported to the EU '.

Consignments, less than EUR 6 000 or made by an authorised exporter, may result in the establishment of a declaration as for EUR. 1 ' when incorporated into the manufacture of a local product and re-exported to the EU '. It must be drawn up on an invoice, a delivery note or any other commercial document describing the products concerned in a sufficiently detailed manner to be able to identify them.

# Certificate of origin

At the request of the importer. It must be drawn up on the community form.

The certificate of Origin forms are circulated by the specialized printing companies as well as by the chambers of Commerce and industry. The CCI Paris Ile-de-France as well as numerous provincial KICs propose dematerialised certificates: <https://www.formalites-export.com/>

The rules on the issuance and use of certificates of origin are specified in the certificate of Community Origin Document.

# Required certificates

DEPENDING ON THE KIND OF COMMODITY

- For meat and by-products of animal origin (milk, eggs, meat preparation, etc.) : **sanitary certificate**
- For fruits, vegetables, seeds and other plants : **phytosanitary certificate**



# Transport and packaging

## Transportation documents :

The main transport documents are the bill of lading, the LTA or AWB air waybill, the international CMR consignment note and the international CIM consignment note.

## Packing list :

This list summarizes all the exported goods and specifies the volumes, the number of packages, crates, containers as well as the exact quantity of the goods.

## Transport insurance :

There is no obligation of local insurance, that is to say of obligation to insure, in Mozambique, the international transport of goods.

## Commodities Control :

For Mozambique, contact Intertek.

## Passport Business Visa:

The cost of the visa amounts to 40 euros for one entry, 100 euros for multiple entries. The visa is valid for three months. It is payable by cheque or transfer and is issued in two weeks. There are shorter deadlines but in this case the cost of the visa is higher.

# CORRESPONDANT AGENCIES IN MOZAMBIQUE

HEADOFFICE LOCATED AT RUA CONSIGLIERI PEDROSO, N.º 350 P.O. BOX 2611, MAPUTO, MOÇAMBIQUE



- 44,632 sqm of warehousing space
- 152,225 sqm of open yards
- 600 Permanent staff members
- 45 Pick ups
- 5 Vans
- 3 Staff Bus
- 1 Truck with crane
- 40 Trailers



- 35 Truck tractors
- 25 Forklifts and super stacker

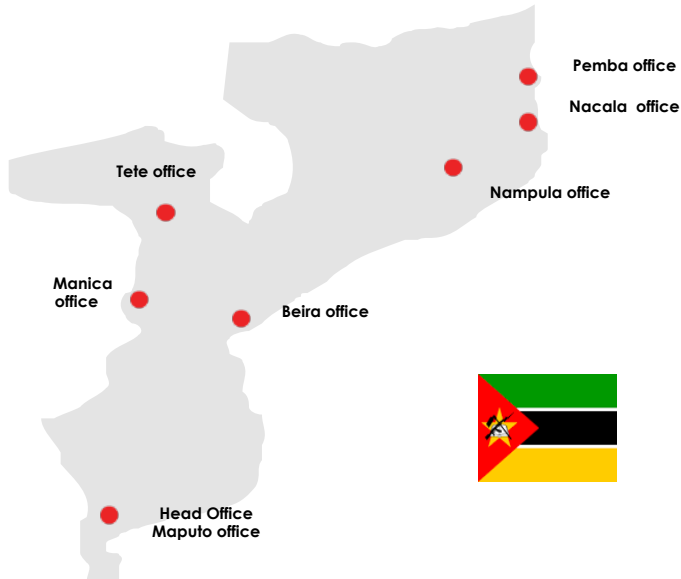
EXPORT TO MOZAMBIQUE



# TRANSPORT & LOGISTICS SOLUTIONS IN MOZAMBIQUE



## MAP of Agent Offices



## SERVICES WE OFFER

- Worldwide Door to Door Logistics by air, sea, rail & road
- Project handling & Management
- Transit Bonds Clearances
- Local Customs Clearance & Bonded Warehousing
- Container & general Cargo Handling & Warehousing
- Air, road & sea Freight Consolidations
- International standard Packing & Removals
- Shipping Line Agency (PIL)
- Warehousing
- Local Distribution