

# COVID-19: SNAPSHOT OF THE TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS



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## VISAS TO BE REVOKED ISSUED BETWEEN JAN - FEB 2020

**8339**  
VISAS ISSUED

**CHINA**

**492**  
VISAS ISSUED

**IRAN**

IMPACTING THOSE VISA  
HOLDERS WHO HAVE  
NOT YET ENTERED SA



## DENIED VISA ACCESS

FOREIGN NATIONALS TRAVELLING  
THROUGH HIGH RISK COUNTRIES  
WILL BE DENIED A VISA INTO SA

IN THE PAST  
**20**  
DAYS

**VISA FREE COUNTRIES**  
NOW NEED VISAS TO ENTER  
TO CONTROL MOVEMENT IN & OUT OF THE COUNTRY



## SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZENS AND RESIDENTS REFRAINED FROM TRAVELLING TO

EUROPEAN UNION

USA

UNITED KINGDOM

CHINA

IRAN

SOUTH KOREA

**37** OUT **72**  
PORTS OF ENTRY

**SHUTDOWN**  
WITH  
IMMEDIATE EFFECT

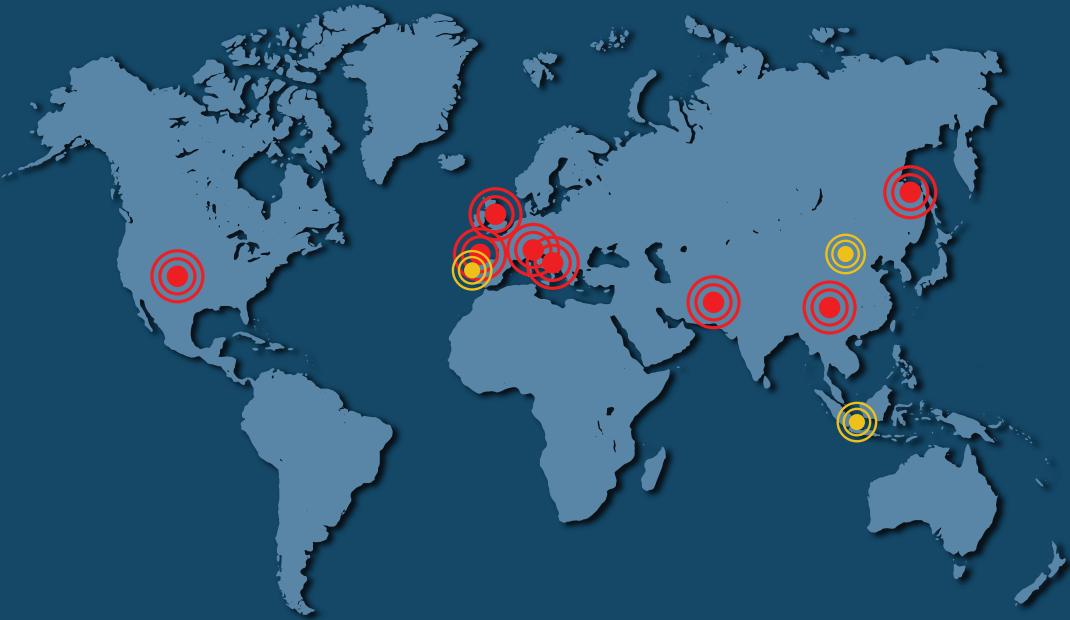
**35** OUT **53**  
LANDPORTS

**2** OUT **8**  
SEAPORTS

**11** AIRPORTS  
WITHIN SA  
REMAIN FULLY OPERATIONAL  
WITH "HEIGHTENED VIGILANCE"



# MEDIUM AND HIGH RISK COUNTRIES



## HIGH RISK COUNTRIES

- Italy
- France
- Germany
- South Korea
- Spain
- United States of America (USA)
- United Kingdom (UK)
- China
- Iran
- Switzerland

## MEDIUM RISK COUNTRIES

- Portugal
- Hong Kong
- Singapore

Travel restrictions have been imposed on foreign nationals from high-risk countries and effective from 18 March 2020, these include –

Country	Visa Exempt
Italy	Yes
France	Yes
Germany	Yes
South Korea	Yes
Spain	Yes
United States of America (USA)	Yes
United Kingdom (UK)	Yes
Switzerland	Yes
China	No
Iran	No