

Title: COVID-19 Temporary Trade Measures - **SOUTH AFRICA**

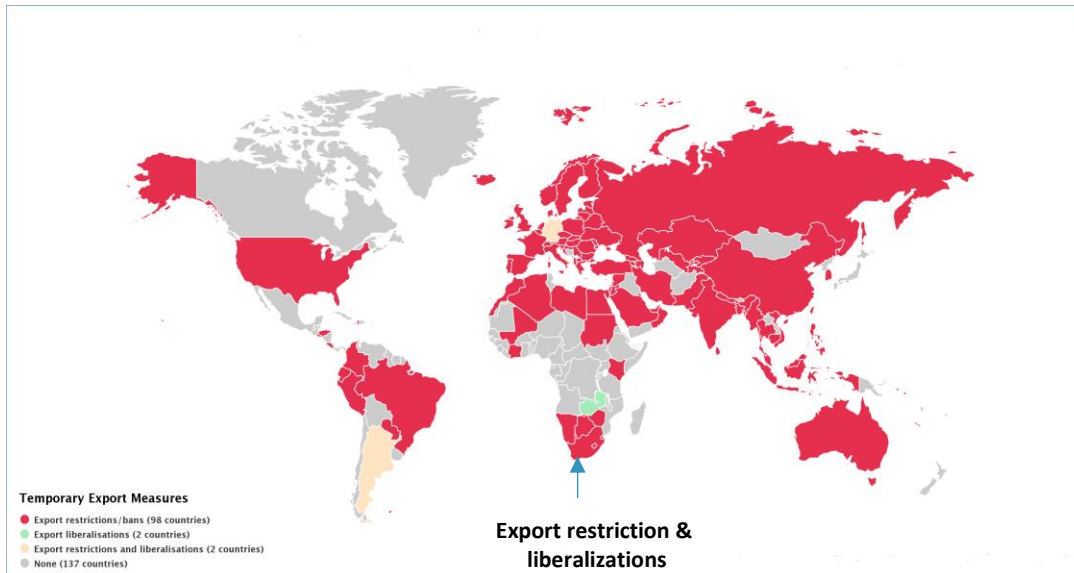
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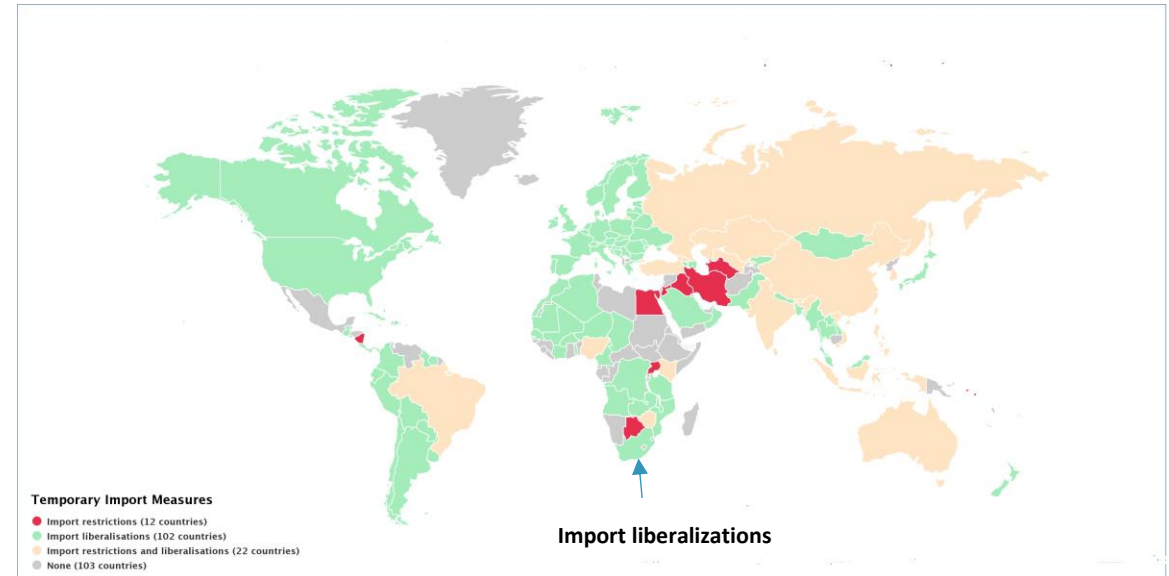
This bulletin shows temporary trade measures enacted by government authorities in relation to the COVID-19 pandemic, which is rapidly spreading across the world. Governments are swiftly enacting temporary trade measures that aim to restrict exports and to liberalize imports of commodities.

This bulletin focus on many products, like: medical devices, protective equipment, pharmaceutical products, food products and other products.

Export measures



Import measures



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Export Measures

Type Of Measure	Affected Products	Measure	Effect On Trade	Affected Partners	Status Of Measure	Start Date	End Date
Licensing or permit requirements to export	Face masks, hand sanitizer	The DTIC will need to be consulted prior to the export of certain selected goods including face masks and hand sanitizer.	Restrictive	All countries	Active	2020/03/28	Unknown

Import Measures

Type Of Measure	Affected Products	Measure	Effect On Trade	Affected Partners	Status Of Measure	Start Date	End Date
Tariff reduction/increased quotas	Essential goods, refer to official document	Imported goods defined as "essential goods" as detailed in Gazette No 43148 will be exempt from VAT.	Liberalising	All countries	Active	2020/03/27	Unknown
Certification requirements	Live animals and animal products	Temporary changes to certification requirements for imported live animals and animal products/by-products.	Liberalising	All countries	Active	2020//04/09	Unknown

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