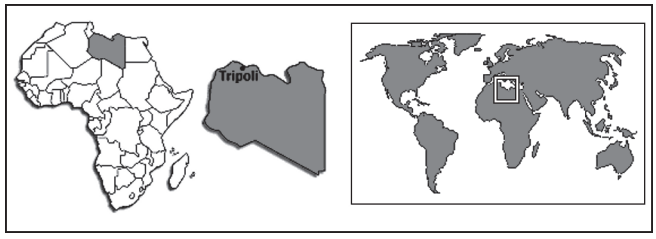
Libya (LY)

Amounts shown are expressed in Libyan Dinar (LYD)



0. General Information

- IATA Area : 2
- Capital : Tripoli (TIP)
- Capital : GMT + 2
- Daylight Saving Time : Libya does not observe DST.
- ☎ Country Code : + 218
- Local Currency : Libyan Dinar (LYD)
- Bank Information : Closed on Friday and Saturday Open Sunday -Thursday.
- Public Holidays :

Date
03 Jan 2015
17 Feb 2015
02 Mar 2015
28 Mar 2015
16 May 2015
11 Jun 2015
18 Jul 2015
23 Sep 2015
07 Oct 2015
13 Oct 2015
23 Oct 2015
24 Dec 2015

- **Cargo Claims Information**
  The following Protocols / Conventions have been ratified:
  1. Warsaw Convention (1929)
  2. Hague Protocol (1955)

  For further details, explanation and how to apply these Protocols / Conventions see paragraph 2.1.5. (General Rules) including list of countries.

1. Airport Information

1.1. Customs Airports
Benghazi - BEN, Sebha - SEB, Tripoli - TIP.

1.2. Airport Facilities
1.2.2. Storage
Benghazi
Time limit 60 days.
Cold storage: Available, very limited space.
Safe for valuables: Available for small parcels only.
Room for radio-active material: Not available.
Sebha
Cold storage: Available, very limited space.
Safe for valuables: Available for small parcels only.
Room for radio-active material: Not available.
Tripoli
Time limit 60 days.
Cold storage: Available, with prior arrangement with cargo section Tripoli airport.
Safe for valuables: Available.
Room for radio-active material: Not available.
1.2.3. Clearance
All customs airports
At airport by consignee or his broker or agent.
1.2.4. Customs hours
All customs airports
Daily 08.00 - 14.00 hrs., except Fridays and public holidays.
Clearance outside Customs hours possible only for urgent goods as perishables against payment of overtime fee.
1.2.5. Delivery
All customs airports
By consignees or agents.
1.2.6. (Re)-Forwarding
All customs airports
Possible by air only.

2. Import

2.1. General
2.1.2. Marking
Each package must show true country of origin. Religious symbols (Red Crescent) prohibited. Full consignee and shipper address is required.
2.1.3. Routing
Not via Israel.
2.1.4. Language on documents
English or Arabic.
2.1.5. Other requirements
AWB: Airport of destination must be a customs airport.

2.2. Documentary Requirements
2.2.1. Commercial consignments
- 2 Commercial Invoices, containing: charges for transportation and insurance, CIF value, terms or payment, percentage of raw materials, declaration (signed by shipper and verified by Chamber of Commerce): “We herewith certify that the goods are neither of Israeli origin nor do they contain Israeli materials, nor do they constitute a part of the German reparations to Israel”.
- Certificate of Origin for all goods. (issued by Chamber of Commerce and legalized by a Consulate or Embassy of Libya) containing the following declarations: a) “We hereby declare that neither the merchandise listed nor the raw material used for the manufacture are of Israeli origin”.
  The transport and shipment of said goods has been carried out with (name of carrier) without transit via an airport of Israel. “We furthermore declare these goods not to be a part of German reparations to Israel” b) “We hereby declare that the goods stated have been manufactured by...”.

  Note:
  Where no Libyan Consulate nor Arab Embassy is available, the Certificate of Origin must be marked: “NO ARAB CONSULATE EXISTS IN THE CITY OF .....”.

- Import Licence for certain goods, contact Consulate.

2.2.2. Sample consignments
- Pro Forma Invoice in duplicate.
- Detailed statement of contents.

Importation of bona fide samples (incl. advertising material) of commercial value is possible after a deposit for import duties refundable upon re-expedition within 6 months.
2.2.3. Gift consignments
See 2.2.2.
2.2.4. Unaccompanied baggage
See 2.2.2.

2.3. Restrictions
2.3.2. Live animals
2 Health Certificates and 2 Rabies Inoculation Certificates (if applicable to the species concerned).
Import Licence.
2.3.3. Plants and plant material
Health Certificate. Import authorization from Dept. of Agriculture, Tripoli.
Seed potatoes: Additional Certificate of Origin and Declaration of Purity.
2.3.4. Arms, ammunition and explosives
Special Licence from Police authorities.
2.3.6. Human remains
Libyan Airlines will transport human remains of Libyan nationality between all Libyan airports (Domestic only) free of charge, once more this is only valid for Libyan nationality, and for the accompanying passenger holding ticket on board same flight and date.
2.3.7. Pharmaceutical and chemical products
Prior Import Licence from Controller of Chamber of Trade and Supply in Libya. For application importer needs from shipper a Pro Forma Invoice which must be approved in advance by Ministry of Health. Goods to be shipped only after licence has been obtained.
2.3.8. Medicines and vaccines
Same as for 2.3.7.
2.3.10. Meat and meat products
Fresh meat, slaughtered poultry: Health Certificate. Import Licence. Certificate stating that animals have been slaughtered as per Islamic Religious Act.
2.3.12. Foodstuffs
Must be accompanied by a Certificate of Hygiene from the relevant Govt. Dept. in the country of origin, to be legalized by a Consulate or Embassy of Libya.

2.4. Prohibitions
Goods originating from or transhipped in Israel, alcoholic beverages and pork.

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2.5. Charges
2.5.6. Storage
All customs airports

- DGR (Class 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 8 and 9):

Per AWB	75.000
Plus per piece	5.000

- DGR (Class 7) Radioactive materials:

Per AWB	85.000
Plus per piece	5.000

- All DGR Storage charges:

First 10 days	
Per day, per kg.	0.050
Minimum	10.000
For the following 10 days	
Per day, per kg.	0.070
Minimum	15.000
The following 10 days	
Per day, per kg.	0.090
Minimum	20.000
Any more days	
Per day, per kg.	0.110
Minimum	25.000

- General Cargo storage charges:

a. First 10 days, per day, per piece

a. From 0 - 100 kg.	0.750
From 101 - 250 kg.	1.500
From 251 - 500 kg.	3.000
From 501 - 1000 kg.	4.000
From 1001 - 2000 kg.	5.250
From 2001 - 4000 kg.	6.500
From 4001 - 6000 kg.	7.750
From 6001 - 8000 kg.	9.500
From 8001 - 10000 kg.	12.000
From 10001 - 15000 kg.	14.500
From 15001 - 20000 kg.	15.500
From 20001 - 30000 kg.	17.500
More than 30000 kg.	25.000
Minimum charge	10.000

b. Second 10 days, per day, per piece

From 0 - 100 kg.	1.500
From 101 - 250 kg.	3.000
From 251 - 500 kg.	4.500
From 501 - 1000 kg.	5.500
From 1001 - 2000 kg.	6.500
From 2001 - 4000 kg.	7.500
From 4001 - 6000 kg.	8.500
From 6001 - 8000 kg.	10.500
From 8001 - 10000 kg.	12.500
From 10001 - 15000 kg.	15.000
From 15001 - 20000 kg.	17.500
From 20001 - 30000 kg.	25.000
More than 30000 kg.	30.000
Minimum charge	10.000

- The charge will be increased by 100% from the above storage rate for Valuable shipments, Medicines, Perishable and Live Animal shipments.

3. Transhipment/Transit

3.1. General
For goods transiting Libya, the words “IN TRANSIT” must be shown on the outside packing.
3.1.1. Packing
Must be weather proof and marked with country of origin. Religious symbols (Red Crescent) prohibited.

3.4. Prohibitions
Goods to or originating from Israel, even if not transhipped.

3.5. Charges
3.5.5. Transhipment
Tripoli
None.

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