Senegal (SN)
Amounts shown are expressed in CFA Franc (XOF)

0. General Information

- IATA Area : 2
- Capital : Dakar (DKR)
- Local Time : GMT
- Daylight Saving Time : Senegal does not observe DST.
- ☎ Country Code : + 221
- Local Currency : CFA Franc (XOF)
- Bank Information : Closed on Saturday and Sunday.
- Public Holidays :

Date
01 Jan 2015
03 Jan 2015
04 Apr 2015
06 Apr 2015
01 May 2015
14 May 2015
25 May 2015
18 Jul 2015
15 Aug 2015
23 Sep 2015
13 Oct 2015
23 Oct 2015
01 Nov 2015
25 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
Dakar - DKR, Saint Louis - XLS, Zinguinchor - ZIG.

1.2. Airport Facilities
Dakar
1.2.1. Loading/Unloading equipment
Forklift, Conveyor, Lifting crane and Loading platform available but preadvice per message 48 hours prior to arrival necessary.
1.2.2. Storage
At Customs Airport Warehouse.
Cold storage: Available for small packages only.
Safe for valuables: Available.
Room for radio-active material: Not available.
1.2.3. Clearance
At the airport by consignee or his broker on arrival.
1.2.4. Customs hours
Monday through Thursday 07.30 - 16.00 hrs. Friday 07.30 - 17.00 hrs. Saturday closed. Clearence outside Customs hours is possible for sensitive cargo, HUM, Perishable, Live animal, Documents Express, Diplomatic Pouch upon arrival.
1.2.5. Delivery
Possible at the airport.
1.2.6. (Re)-Forwarding
Possible by air, rail and road.

2. Import

2.1. General
2.1.1. Packing
Health Certificate when vegetable products are used. Hay and straw prohibited.
2.1.2. Marking
No special requirements.
2.1.3. Routing
No special requirements.
2.1.4. Language on Documents
French.
2.1.5. Other requirements
None.

2.2. Documentary Requirements
2.2.1. Commercial consignments
- 2 Commercial Invoices, containing the following declaration: “Nous certifions que les marchandises dénommées dans cette facture sont de fabrication et d’origine (country of origin) et que les prix indiqués ci-dessus s’accordent avec les prix courants sur le marché d’exportation”.
- Import Licence for non-liberalised and Import Declaration for liberalised goods, both verified by “Office des Changes”. The importation from EU-countries is fully liberalised, except for capital goods.
- EUR 1 Form for goods from EU-countries and subject to preferential duty.

2.2.2. Sample consignments
Without commercial value: No documents.
With commercial value: See 2.2.1.
2.2.3. Gift consignments
No documents.
2.2.4. Unaccompanied baggage
No documents.
2.2.5. Other consignments
Household goods and personal effects: Packing List.

2.3. Restrictions
2.3.2. Live animals
Health Certificate. Import Licence for animals from countries other than French Community and for UN accompanied animals.
Dogs and other domestic animals: Health certificate issued not later than 3 days before shipment and stating that the animals originate from an area free from contagious diseases of the species for the preceding 6 weeks, and in case of cats and dogs, that no rabies have been detected for the same period.
Prohibited: Hares and rabbits.
2.3.3. Plants and plant material
Health Certificate. Import Licence except from French Community.
2.3.4. Arms, ammunition and explosives
Special Import Permit.
See also 2.4.
2.3.8. Medicines and vaccines
Prior Import Authorization.
2.3.9. Animal products
Veterinarian Certificate of Health.
2.3.12. Foodstuffs
See 2.3.15.
2.3.13. Precious metals and stones
See 2.3.15.
2.3.15. Others
- Vegetable products: Phytosanitary Certificate is required.
- Articles requiring prior import authorization: Medicines and veterinary products, sacks, calendars; dry- and wet- cell batteries; razor blades; dyes for use in colouring beverages or food-stuffs; tomato concentrate in cans; detergents; essences or extracts usable in manufacturing alcoholic beverages; wheat flour; bread oven; films; hunting lamps and traps; metal beds; powdered, evaporated, concentrated or skimmed milk; lubricants; machines and equipment for manufacturing sugar; marble; margarine (only on a quota basis); medals and money; eggs; onions; gold and articles containing gold; weights and measures, all weighing and measuring equipment; potatoes; transmitting and/or receiving radio equipment; rice; saccharin; toilet soap; corn flour; sorghum; explosives; poisonous and narcotic substances; sugar; cotton cloth; sheet iron 73.13 and 76.03.
- Temporary import: Prior authorization must be obtained from Direction des Douanes, Régime des importations temporaires, Place de l’Indépendance, DAKAR.

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2.4. Prohibitions

- Hares, rabbits and their skins; beetroot sugar; flower pots, stoneware, pottery, clay products, matches, ornamental bricks and other clay products for building purposes, outer wear, shirts, except shirts over XOF 1700.00 value; shoes, except fashionable shoes over XOF 400.00 value; trousers under XOF 1900.00 value; sisal carpets and rugs; sugar cane, yarn and thread; cotton; aperitifs on alcohol or wine basis; digestives.
- Military equipment, war material, arms and ammunition for use in war; roof-tiles; anything bearing a false label of origin; foreign political propaganda material; green lobsters under 20 cm ($7^{7}/_{8}$ in.) long from top of rostrum to end of tail; elephant tusks; canned fish in tins over 1 kg.; baskets; distilling equipment; machinery usable in manufacturing money; asbestos or cement objects or articles (quoted from Tariff G 8.12).

2.5. Charges

2.5.2. Handling

Airport charges, per kg.	15.00

2.5.6. Storage

First 3 days	Free
Thereafter per kg., per day	10.00
Minimum charge	3,000.00

3. Transhipment/Transit

3.1. General

None.

3.2. Documentary Requirements

None.

3.3. Restrictions

None.

3.4. Prohibitions

Hares, rabbits and their skins.

3.5. Charges

Dakar

3.5.5. Transhipment

Per consignment	USD	0.05

4. Export

4.1. General

None.

4.3. Restrictions

None.

4.4. Prohibitions

None.

4.5. Charges

4.5.2. Handling

Airport charges, per kg.	15.00

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