



Visa Exemption List

COUNTRY NAME/ORGANISATIONS	Passport Type					Visa Fees
	Diplomatic	Official	Service	Ordinary	Special	
African Union Laissez Passer	90 Days					No
African Development Bank Laissez-Passers	90 Days					No
Albania (Republic of)	120 Days	120 Days	120 Days			Yes
Algeria	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days			No
Andorra (Principality of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Angola (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days P/A		Yes
Anguilla	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Antigua and Barbuda	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Argentina	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Australia	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Austria (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Bahamas				30 Days		Yes
Barbados	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Belarus (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Belgium	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Belize*	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		Yes
Benin (Republic of)*	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		Yes
Bermuda	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Bolivia, Plurinational State of	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Botswana	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Brazil	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
British Antarctic Territory				90 Days		Yes
British Indian Ocean Territory	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
British Virgin Island	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Bulgaria (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Canada	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Cape Verde	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Cayman Islands	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Chile	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
China (People's Republic of)	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days			Yes
Comoros (Union of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Congo (Democratic Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Costa Rica	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Croatia (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Cuba (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Cyprus	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	30 Days		No
Czech Republic	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Denmark (Kingdom of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Ducie and Oeno Islands	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes



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Ecuador	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Egypt	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days			No
Ethiopia (The Federal Democratic Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days				Yes
Falkland Islands	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Finland (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
France (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Gabon (Republic of)*	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		Yes
Germany (Federal Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Ghana (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Gibraltar	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Greece (Hellenic Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Guernsey	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Guinea (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Guyana	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Henderson	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Hong Kong (Special Administrative Region of China)*	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		Yes
Hungary	120 Days	120 Days	120 Days	30 Days		No
Iceland (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
India	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			No
Indonesia (Republic of)	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days			Yes
Ireland	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Isle of Man	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Israel	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Italy (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Ivory Coast (Republic of Côte D'Ivoire)	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days			Yes
Jamaica	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Japan	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Jersey	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Jordan	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Kenya (Republic of)*	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Kingdom of Eswatini (Swaziland)	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Lesotho (Kingdom Of)	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Liberia	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Liechtenstein	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Luxembourg (Grand Duchy of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days		Yes
Macau				30 Days		No
Madagascar (Republic of)	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days	90 Days P/A		Yes
Malawi	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Malaysia*	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		Yes



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Maldives	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Mali (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Malta	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Mauritius	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Mexico	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			No
Monaco (Principality of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Montserrat	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Morocco (Kingdom of)	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days			Yes
Mozambique (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	30 Days		Yes
Namibia	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days	90 Days P/A		No
Netherlands (The Kingdom of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days		Yes
New Zealand				90 Days		Yes
Niger	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Nigeria (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Norway	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Panama (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Paraguay	120 Days	120 Days	120 Days	90 Days		No
Peru	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		No
Pitcairn Islands	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Poland (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	30 Days		Yes
Portugal (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Qatar (State of)				90 Days		Yes
Republic of Korea (South Korea)*	30 Days	30 Days		30 Days		Yes
Romania	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Russian Federation	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Rwanda (Republic of)	30 Days	30 Days	30 Days			Yes
SADC laissez-passers		90 Days				No
Saint Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha, Gough Island	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
San Marino (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
São Tomé and Príncipe (Democratic Republic of)				90 Days		Yes
Saudi Arabia (Kingdom of)				90 Days		Yes
Senegal	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			No
Seychelles	30 Days	30 Days		90 Days P/A		No
Singapore (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Slovak Republic	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			No
South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Spain (Kingdom of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Sweden	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Switzerland	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No



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Tanzania (United Republic of)	90 Days P/A	90 Days P/A		90 Days P/A		Yes
Thailand (Kingdom of)*	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	30 Days		Yes
Trinidad and Tobago (Republic of)				90 Days		Yes
Tunisia (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	Yes
Turkey (Republic of)*	30 Days		30 Days	30 Days	30 Days	Yes
Turks and Caicos Islands	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Uganda (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
United Arab Emirates				90 Days		Yes
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland				90 Days		No
United Nations Lasse Passer	90 Days					No
United States of America	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days	Yes
Uruguay	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		Yes
Vietnam (Republic of)	90 Days	90 Days	90 Days			Yes
Virgin Islands (British)	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No
Zambia	90 Days P/A	90 Days P/A		90 Days P/A		No
Zimbabwe	90 Days	90 Days		90 Days		No

Special Notes	
Diplomatic, Official and Service Passport holders do not pay VISA FEES	
Angola (Republic of)	Each visit not to exceed 30 days
Germany (Federal Republic of)	Except diplomatic passport holders who are due to assume duty at the Embassy and Consulates of Germany in South Africa, require visas for accreditation purposes
Kenya (Republic of)	Including civil servants holding ordinary passports travelling for official government business
United States of America	Except diplomatic passport holders who are due to assume duty at the Embassy and Consulates of the USA in South Africa, require visas for accreditation purposes
Belize*	Please note that countries marked with an asterisk are only subject to visa fees if the intended visit exceeds thirty (30) days:
Benin (Republic of)*	
Gabon (Republic of)*	
Hong Kong (Special Administrative Region of China)*	
Kenya (Republic of)*	
Malaysia*	
Republic of Korea (South Korea)*	
Thailand (Kingdom of)*	
Turkey (Republic of)*	