



# Import Customs guide MAYNMAR

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GOODS	DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	CUSTOMS PRESCRIPTIONS	REMARKS
<b>Personal Effects</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Foreigners:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Copy of passport, page with photo and 70-day visa page with last entry stamped by Myanmar immigration.</li> <li>▪ Copy of company registration letter/MOU</li> <li>▪ Air ticket copy</li> <li>▪ Original boarding pass</li> <li>▪ Authority letter to your local agent printed on company letterhead.</li> <li>▪ Appointment letter from local employer.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ Returning Citizens:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Official letter from overseas organisation stating date of employment, position</li> <li>▪ Income tax slips that were issued by Myanmar Embassy</li> <li>▪ Return air ticket / copy of passport and copy of airport entry stamp page</li> <li>▪ Original boarding pass</li> <li>▪ Copy of Myanmar NRC card / family member card.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ Diplomats:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Same as above</li> <li>▪ Approval from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and authorisation letter from the embassy.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ UN Organisations:</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ All shipments are subject to inspection (except diplomats).</li> <li>▪ Shipment must arrive within 3 months of date of last arrival in the country.</li> <li>▪ Custom clearance for HHGs for foreigners will take a minimum of 14 days.</li> <li>▪ Demurrage and port storage will have to be paid.</li> <li>▪ Duties are compulsory in Myanmar and at the discretion of the customs office. Around USD 300 for 1x20' container up to USD 600 for 1x40' (estimates).</li> <li>▪ All new electrical items are subject to duties.</li> <li>▪ Returning Citizens:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Returning citizens must have spent a minimum of one full year abroad.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ Diplomats:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Diplomatic shipments are exempt from duties.</li> <li>▪ Clearance should take 7-10 working days.</li> <li>▪ You need to immediately apply for a TEC permit from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs through the client's office, once the shipping documents are ready, to avoid additional port storage / demurrage fees.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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<b>Motor Vehicles</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Importation of motor vehicles is not allowed in Myanmar except for diplomats.</li> <li>Motorcycles cannot be imported.</li> </ul>	
<b>Prohibited Items</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Firearms and ammunition</li> <li>Shortwave radio</li> <li>Pornographic literature</li> <li>Narcotics</li> <li>Indecent or obscene video cassettes, DVDs, etc.</li> <li>Weapons</li> <li>Meat, including poultry</li> <li>Many other animal products.</li> </ul>	



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