




## AGE RESTRICTIONS WAFRORO

POD	RESTRICTIONS
 <b>Abidjan</b>	Cars imported to Cote d'Ivoire must be less than seven years old and truck must be less than 10 years old. In case of non respect of above rule receivers will be charge of a penalty that start from 152 euro up to 1524 Euros for a car /truck of 18 years old. Penalty taxation depends of the car value and custom office estimate. In practice: Only vehicles (cars, vans and trucks) of 10 years and more are subject to a fine of CFA 150,000 (euro 228.67) plus additional CFA 10 000/year (15.24 euros/year)i/e if you import a vehicle 15 years of age in addition to the normal clearance you will pay: Fine: more than 10 years = 150 000 CFA, Additional: 5 years = 5x 10 000 = 50 000 CFA, Total fine = 200 000 (euro 306)
 <b>Banjul</b>	For importation of 2 <sup>nd</sup> hand vehicles there are no restrictions on age, but it should be noted, that the National Environment Agency will soon implement age limitation. We shall let you know once we have received any official letter to this effect.
 <b>Boma</b>	* cars and svans up to maximum 10 seats are limited to 10 years * vans : utility vehicles and vans exceeding 10 seats are limited to 7 years * all trucks / machinery / heavy vehicles are limited to 10 years
 <b>Conakry</b>	Government is discussing to restrict age on imported cars in Guinea, but have not yet reached an agreement on anything; therefore clients are free for now to import without age limit.
 <b>Cotonou</b>	There are no age restrictions in imposed on the importation of vehicles
 <b>Dakar</b>	<b>Restrictions on vehicles applies for :</b> 1/ Cars of more than 8 years 2/ Vehicles for personnel transport of more than 8 years 3/ Vehicles for goods transportation of more than 10 years <b>Restriction does not apply for :</b> Cars for which original registration documents bear the name of the importer and has a moving certificate, as well as diplomats. Importer has to be physically present at time of delivery.
 <b>Douala</b>	In principle, there is no restriction regarding import of vehicles .Nevertheless since the beginning of the current year, the new law of finance implements a rebate of 30% of customs fees for the importation of each car less than 7 years old. As far as new cars are concerned any car imported without SGS pre-inspection is subject to a fine of 50% its taxable value.
 <b>Freetown</b>	There are no age restrictions in imposed on the importation of vehicles so far
 <b>Libreville</b>	The Decree no. 002707, signed by the Ministries of Transport and Economy the 27th of September 2013 confirms the implementation of age restrictions (3 years) for all vehicle types in Gabon, as Article 4 states. For machinery units not yet clarified from the Gabonese authorities whether the restrictions are also applicable, until clarified to be checked with our agent in spot basis whether units can be accepted.
 <b>Luanda</b>	According to Presidential Decree n.º 135/10 – July 13 <sup>th</sup> , since February 01 <sup>st</sup> /2011 is prohibit the import of used vehicles over 3 (three) years of registration for passenger cars (including small/big vans, pick up), and 5 (five) for heavy roro units (trucks and trailers).
 <b>Lome</b>	There are no age restrictions in imposed on the importation of vehicles
 <b>Lagos</b>	Vehicles that are above Fifteen (15) years from the date of manufacture are banned import. Tractors, buses, Lorries, trucks & trailers heads are exempted. Banned vehicles which are imported into the country are subject to seizure by Customs
 <b>Monrovia</b>	- There is an age limit of Ten (10) years for Vehicles Importation. A Punitive Tax is introduced for units over 10 years old as per below: - 11-15 years: 10% - 16-20 years: 20% - over 20 years: Banned
 <b>Pointe Noire</b>	No official age restriction for the moment

 <b>Tema/Takoradi</b>	<p>Penalties have been introduced and imposed on some category of over age vehicles in addition to taxes and duties.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a) where the age does not exceed 10 years – no penalty</li><li>b) where the age exceed 10 years but does not exceed 12 years – 5% of CIF</li><li>c) where the age exceed 12 years but does not exceed 15 years – 20% of CIF</li><li>d) where the age exceed 15 years – 50% of CIF</li></ul> <p>No age restrictions</p>
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