

REPORTING PROFORMA FOR COMMERCIAL WINGS

(Data Source: National Trade Statistics of the reporting country)

- I. Monthly- Trade in Goods, Tourism & Technologies;
- II. Quarterly- Services, Investment and Logistics; and
- III. Annually- Trade in Goods and Services overall

Name of the Mission : Embassy of India, Rabat, Kingdom of Morocco

Montly Report: November 2024

A. Market Access Alerts

a. Alerts on customs tariff changes:

SN o.	Notification no. and date	HS code	Description	Original customs tariff	Present customs tariff	Effective from	Remarks if any	Upload notification (pdf only)
1.	Circular N° 6612/211 Dated, November 25, 2024	2710.91 2710.99 2903.89 2903.91 2930.90 4412.51 4412.52 4412.59 8516.60 8516.71	Modification of the nomenclature of customs duties tariffs	--	---	November, 25 th , 2024	The circular brings adjustments to the structure of the nomenclature of the tariff of customs duties, in order to ensure better control and traceability to import or export of certain products and provide statistical data relevant to the request of certain organizations. These are the following products: 1. Oil waste regulated by the Basel Convention and certain substances regulated by the Rotterdam Convention; 2. Certain plywood with slatted or laminated paneled core; 3. Electric ovens and gas stoves, through modification of the scope of the wording of the tariff position concerning them.	
2.	Circular N° 6613/211 Dated, November 25, 2024	0102.29 0104.10.90.10	Coverage of value added tax on imports applicable to domestic cattle and	--	---	November, 25 th , 2024	-Support from the General Budget of the State (BGE) of the value added tax on imports applicable to: <input type="checkbox"/> - Domestic cattle falling under tariff heading 0102.29	

			sheep.				of the tariff of imports duties, within the limit of a quota of 120,000 head. <input type="checkbox"/> - Domestic sheep falling under tariff heading 0104.10.90.10 of the tariff of imports duties, within the limit of a quota of 100,000 head. - The increase in aforementioned quotas of 200,000 heads for each species.
3.	Circular N° 6614/211 Dated, November 25, 2024	0102.29 0104.10.90.10	Suspension of collection of import duty applicable to cattle and sheep servants	--	---	November, 25 th , 2024	-The suspension, until the 31 st December 2024, of the collection of the import duty applicable to: - Domestic cattle falling under tariff heading 0102.29 of the tariff of import duties and, - Domestic sheep falling under tariff heading 0104.10.90.10 of the tariff of duties import.

Source of the data: Customs and Indirect Taxes Administration, Kingdom of Morocco

b. Alerts on non-tariff measures (SPS/TBT/ import and export procedures/ restrictions/ prohibitions, licensing/ STEs etc.) NIL

SN o	Notification no./ date	Measure	HS Codes	Effective from	Remarks if any
1.	Circular N° 6611/311 Dated, November 20, 2024	Quantitative import restrictions	7213.91.90.00	November 14, 2024	- The importation of iron wire rods, falling under heading tariff 7213.91.90.00, is subject to import license.

Source of the data: Customs and Indirect Taxes Administration, Kingdom of Morocco

c. Alerts on standards, technical regulations and conformity assessment procedures: NIL

S N o .	Notification no./ date	Standard/ technical regulation/ conformity assessment procedure	HS Codes	Effective from	Remarks if any
1.					

Source of the data: Customs and Indirect Taxes Administration, Kingdom of Morocco

d. Any other Alerts on trade defense measures taken by respective country: NIL
(Safeguards including special safeguard, antidumping, CVD or anti- subsidy)

SN o.	Details
1.	
2.	

Source of the data:

e. Alert on services, regulatory regime, qualification requirement, licensing procedures, visaregime, barriers etc. NIL

SN o.	Notification no., and date or other references	Service sectors affected	Modes	Effective from	Remarks if any
1.					
2.					

Source of the data:

f. Representation of trade issues

S. No.	Select Issue Field*	IssuesDetails	HS code	Products Description	Reporting Agency (India)	Company/Exporter Name if any	Status of the Issue#	Importing Country Authority name and Remarks
1.	Others (non-payment)	Complaint registered by the Indian company regarding delay of payment from Moroccan company.	39206290 & 83059020	Pet strap & strapping clips		M/s. Omniscient Internationam	Under Discussion	M/s. Omniscient PE SARL

Note

* Issue Selection Fields - Tariff/Non-Tariff Barriers/ Trade Remedies/ Customs Clearance/ Others

Status of Issue selection fields – Three fields (Forwarded to Concerned Authority/ Under Discussion/ Resolved)

Source of the data: Embassy of India, Rabat

B. Stakeholders' Feedback and Action Taken

a. Feedback from major Indian industries/other commercial concerns and Indian trade visitors to that country

S. No.	Name of the Firm/Company	Sector	Trade barrier issues if any (incl. HS codes)	General Feedback (Max.200 words)
1.				
2.				
3.				

Source of the data:

b. Feedback on major trade promotion activities/events,

S. No.	Activity/Events (trade fair, BSM etc.)	Date and venue	Number of participants from India	Name of EPC/Trade Body coordinating participants	Mission' Feedback (Max.200 words)
1.	7 th edition of Marrakesh Air Show (MAS) event organized under the High Royal Instructions of His Majesty King Mohammed VI, for the civil and military aeronautics and space industries	From October 30 to November 2, 2024 at Marrakesh Royal Moroccan Air Force Base.	One Indian company	Tata Advanced Systems Ltd. (TASL)	Mr. Rajesh Vaishnaw, Ambassador of India in Kingdom of Morocco, attended the event and inaugurated TASL stand at the MAS, and discussed about the first historical partnership between National Defence Administration and TASL. They have signed the strategic partnership aimed at producing WhAP 8x8 ground combat vehicles in Morocco, an amphibious off-road vehicle, capable of operating in various environments and whose robustness and modularity make it a strategic asset for modern armies. TATA's factory will be based in Casablanca. The contract provides for the construction of 150 E units of these vehicles for the Royal Armed Forces. The ambition of this plant, which will be operational within a year, is also to serve the African market in the long term. It will have a local integration rate of 35% which will eventually be increased to 50% and will lead to the creation of 90 direct and 250 indirect jobs.
2	School and Office Exhibition (SCOFEX Expo)	From November 28 to 30, 2024 at the Hayatt Regency Hotel in Casablanca.	7 Indian companies	Exhibition is organized by Tecburg, an Indian company and featured 40 Moroccan and International exhibitors from 10 countries, including the following 7 Indian companies : - Big Fice Inc -Kokuyo Paper Product Pvt. Ltd - Linc Limited -Luxor Pen Industries -Motex Pen	Mr. Rajesh Vaishnaw, Ambassador of India in Kingdom of Morocco, attended the event. He met with the representatives of the Indian companies and discussed about their experiences in Morocco in this sector. All Indian companies expressed their interest about the local market and are exploring to increase the business in Morocco.

				Industries - Soni Polymers Pvt. Ltd - Triton International Pvt Ltd	
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Source of the data: Embassy of India, Rabat

c. Feedback from local commercial visitors to trade fairs in India, including under RBSM; number of Business Visas issued :

SN o.	Activity (trade fair)	Date and venue	Number of participants from the relevant country	List of large/ key participants from the relevant country	Visas issued	Mission's Feedback

Source of the data: Embassy of India, Rabat

C. Tourism:

a. Tourist/Business Visa Issued by Missions:

S. No.	No. of Tourist Visa issued during the <November>, <2024>	No. of Business Visa issued during the <November>, <2024>
1.	36	29

Source of the data: Embassy of India, Rabat

During the month of November 2024, 36 tourist visas and 29 business visas were issued by the Mission. Since India launched E-visa services for nationals from Morocco, there is a significant interest for this service from Moroccan tourists and well as businessman visiting India. Indeed, in November 2024, total of e-visa issued to Morocco nationals is 355. The cumulative number, from January to November 2024, of issued visas to Moroccan visitors is **3213** (553 by the Consular service and 2660 e-visas) largely superior comparatively to the same period last year where 755 visas were issued.

b. Indian Tourism Promotion Events/Interactions held / organised:

S. No.	Details of Event/ Interaction	Theme/Topic	Description about No. of Participants and type of participation (tour operators/ tourism companies/ social influencers etc.)
1.			
2.			

Source of the data:

c. Any advisory issued by the country for travelling to India: NIL

S. No.	Date	Advisory	Reason	Action Taken

Source of the data:

D. Opportunities in technology/Investment/Procurement:

a. Opportunities in technology: NIL

SR. No.	Name of Technology	Sector	Potential opportunity for ToT/collaboration	B2B partnership possible/ identified companies

Source of the data:

b. Out borne Opportunities for investments/ assets on offer/major company divestment:

SR No.	Sector Name (List attached)	Particulars of the asset /company	Contact details
1.			

Source of the data:

c. Export Opportunities - Information on tender Notices for projects and procurements which are open to Indian project exporters/ suppliers (USD 5 million & above) – Government Procurement (GP) as well as non-GP.

SR No.	Tender/ procurement details- Link of Tender	GP/Non-GP	Sector	Value of tender/ procurement (Minimum value USD 5 Mn)	Remarks
1.	https://www.marchespublics.gov.ma/index.php?page=entreprise.EntrepriseDetailsConsultation&refConsultation=850680&orgAcronyme=o8p	GP	Supplies Construction machinery, handling and lifting equipment / Construction machinery	115 200 000.00 Dhs equivalent to \$ 11.5 M	Ref: F0336/PIC/2024 Acquisition of eight (08) catenary railroad car National Railways Office Deadline: 08/01/2025 09:00
2.	https://www.marchespublics.gov.ma/index.php?page=entreprise.EntrepriseDetailsConsultation&refConsultation=850664&orgAcronyme=o8p	GP	Supplies Construction equipment, handling and lifting equipment / handling and lifting equipment (forklift, cranes, nacelles, etc.)	72 000 000.00 Dhs equivalent to \$ 7.2 M	Ref: F0453/PIC/2024 Supply of two (02) multi-function machines (EMV). National Railways Office Deadline: 08/01/2025 09:00
3.	https://www.marchespublics.gov.ma/index.php?page=entreprise.EntrepriseDetailsConsultation&refConsultation=850748&orgAcronyme=o8p	GP	Supplies Construction machinery, handling and lifting equipment / Construction machinery	52 800 000.00 Dhs equivalent to \$ 5.2 M	Ref: F0383/PIC/2024 Acquisition Of Two (02) Regulators National Railways Office Deadline: 08/01/2025 09:00

Source of the data: www.marchespublics.gov.ma

d. Any press coverage/notification on new / Technology/ IPR Regulations:

S. No.	Sector	Details	Remarks	Upload Documents

Source of the data:

E. Details of trade research, information dissemination activity of the commercial wing NIL

S. No.	Nature of activity (traderesearch, information dissemination, seminars/webinars etc) (Max.200 words) Information dissemination	Details of Seminar/ webinar conference (date/ venue, no of participants) or research (Max.200 words)	Details of trade research (title of the report, executive summary, date of publication) (Max.200 words)
1.	21 st Edition of International Crop Science Conference and Exhibition (ICSCE 2025 Dubai) to be organized by Pesticides Manufacturers & Formulators Association of India (PMFAI) on January 21 & 22,2025- Le Meridien Dubai Hotel & Conference Centre Dubai. An exclusive event for Agrochemicals/Pesticides, Agri biological and allied Chemical products industry, organized to promote Indian industries at global level to promote exports from India. Information have been disseminated to concerned Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		
2.	The World Audio Visual & Entertainment Summit (WAVES 2025) to be organized by Ministry of Information and Broadcasting (MoIB) in New Delhi from 05-09 February 2024. Information have been disseminated to concerned Cinema Associations in Morocco.		
3.	Trade Promotion Council of India (TPCI) will be organizing the 8th edition of its annual trade show 'IndusFood' scheduled to be held on 8th -11th January, 2025 at Dwarka, Delhi. Information have been disseminated to concerned Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		
4.	Essential update regarding Grains World 2024 event, initially planned for Dubai in November 2024. It has been decided that the event will now take place on December 18-19, 2024, in New Delhi, India, instead of Dubai, November 27-28. Information have been disseminated to concerned Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		
5.	Convergence India & Smart Cities India Expo is about mobile accessories, devices, and related technologies, which will be held in New Delhi from 19-21 March, 2025 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi. Information have been disseminated to concerned Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		
6	The 20th Everything About Water Expo 2024, organized by Earth Water Foundation will be held from 28-30 August, 2025 at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi, India. This event will bring together global leaders, experts, and innovators in the water sector to address pressing challenges and explore sustainable solutions for water management. Information have been disseminated to concerned Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		
7	The 3rd edition of India Sporting Goods Fair (ISGF) to be organized by The Sports Goods Export Promotion Council (SGEPC) is scheduled to be held at Yashobhoomi Convention Centre, New Delhi during 24-25 March,2025. Information have been disseminated to concerned		

	Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		
8	Services Export Promotion Council, with the support of Ministry of Commerce and Industry is organizing SANJEEVANI – An International Exhibition and Conference on Healthcare and Wellness from 16th December 2024 to 18th December 2024 at Yashobhoomi Convention Centre, Sector – 25, Dwarka, New Delhi. Information have been disseminated to concerned Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		
9	Export Promotion Council for Handicrafts (EPCH) is an apex organization engaged in promoting and and exporting Indian handicrafts, organizes the 59th edition of the IHGF Delhi Fair (Spring 2025) which is scheduled to be held from 16th to 19th April, 2025 at India Expo Centre & Mart, Greater Noida, in the National Capital Region of Delhi, India. Information have been disseminated to concerned Chambers of Commerce/Associations/ importers in Morocco.		

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F. Details of activities conducted out of Trade promotion budget: NIL

BE for current financial year	RE for current financial year	Amount utilized	Details of Activity (Max.200 words)

Source of the data :

G. Action taken on Complaints from foreign/ Indian Buyer/ Supplier:

No. of Trade complaints received	From Local companies	From Indian Companies	No. of complaints on which Action is Taken
3	2	1	2

