

# COVID-19 Retail Supply Chain Update

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- Italy has ordered all non-essential businesses to close, including manufacturing for non-urgent items, essentially stopping production for key suppliers across luxury and beauty
- More countries implementing border controls, including Vietnam closing their Cambodian border to all traffic
- India will suspend all scheduled international flights for one week, from 22 March



## Inter-Europe

Haulier capacity is reduced to and from Italy due to lack of return freight for carriers. *Goods classification has become more important as border checks intensify.* Correct goods classification should be sent in advance to ensure fastest transition through borders

### Freight Solutions

- *Urgent Stock:* Reduced border checks via Intermodal rail.

## Borders with Major Delays

- Poland > Czech Republic
- Austria > Hungary
- France > Switzerland

### Capacity



### Rates



## EU - China

Additional air capacity is being made available, while ocean carriers are now prioritising shipments of medical/ essential supplies in the event of space constraints.

### Solutions

- *Urgent Stock:* Alternative Express Freight via Rail, Sea Air
- *Unwanted stock due to reduced demand:* Origin Storage, Destination Storage and slow boat solutions up to **50 days transit.**
- *Chinese imports:* Charter air services

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## EU - USA

American Airlines and others will begin flying their first passenger-cargo flights this week, which will improve capacity in coming weeks.

### Solutions

For customers needing extra capacity, we can offer:

- Fast Vessels on Trans Atlantic from London (10 Days) and Valencia (7 days to NY)
- Transatlantic Air by Freighter, Charter and some Commercial Options.
- Routings in and Out of USA available via Toronto and Montreal in Canada

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