

Mogadishu Port Snapshot

Somalia is one of the major coastal states in the African Continent and has a coastline of 3,300 kilometres. It lies at the doorstep of the most important international commercial shipping lanes (the Suez Canal and via the Cape) through which the bulk of sea-borne trade moves. The Mogadishu Port is Somalia's main seaport.



*Aerial view of Mogadishu Port, Somalia
(Google Earth Image)*

Port Facilities

Storage Facilities

- Total covered storage space: 15,000 m² (Three warehouses of 5,000 m² capacity each).
- Large additional open storage space plus 30,000 m² for container marshalling yard.

Berthing Facilities

Berth	Type of Berth	Length	Water Depth
1	General Cargo	160 m	10 m low tide
2	General Cargo	160 m	10 m low tide
3	General Cargo and crude oil, discharging facilities	160 m	10 m low tide
4	General Cargo	160 m	9 m low tide
5	General Cargo	160 m	10 m low tide
6	Containers, General Cargo	200 m*	9 m low tide

*Berth 6 includes a 25 X 25 m Ro-Ro Platform

Cargo Handling Equipment

Type	Quantity	Maximum Single Capacity
Cranes	9	15 – 25 tons
Forklifts	2	5 tons
Trailers	4	15 tons

Other Vehicles:

Type	Quantity	Maximum Single Horsepower
Tractors	2	80 HP
Marine Craft	1	1,400 HP
Pilot Boat	1	180 HP

Documents required on ship's arrival

- List of crew members.
- Goods under bond.
- List of articles owned by crew (i.e. Radio, cameras).
- Cargo Manifest (must be made out in accordance with Bill of Lading issued; In the column "Consignees" the name of the party to be notified must be mentioned complete with full postal address, weight in kilos, and destination).



*Inner End of North Dock
(Port Assessment, Astbury Marine Services)*

Provision of fresh water

- Private water suppliers provide fresh water via lorry (40 tanks capacity each) from the city to the port.
- Interested organizations may contact the company Zakari Ship Sender (Mr. Nur Astro at +252 0699405000) or speak to the Port Manager.

Power Supply

- Two generators (One 350 kW and one 300 kW)

Cold Storage

- There are currently no cold storage facilities.

Security

- Security provided by African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM).

Average discharge time

- 1,000 mt per ship per day

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