



“We are Sea Sands Shipping and shipping is in our DNA.”



Founded in 2001, we belong to a family of companies specialising in international maritime & related activities.

Headquartered in Dubai, we have offices, joint ventures and/or representatives in Asia, Africa and Europe.

We provide [port-to-port and port-to-point services](#) to importers, exporters and shipping companies, including WCA, All World Shipping and FIATA members.

WCA, All World Shipping and FIATA are the most influential syndicates of independently owned freight-forwarding & logistics companies like Sea Sands Shipping.

We also operate a **container terminal** in Dubai's Al Hamriya port. The terminal houses laden/empty containers, break bulk and imported & export-destined roll-on/roll-off cargo. The terminal is manned by personnel with extensive container freight station (CFS) experience and can also fulfill stuffing, de-stuffing and cross-stuffing requirements.

Incidentally, the company runs a **feeder service** using a 5,000-ton multipurpose vessel from Al Hamriya port to ports in [Iraq, our main focus area](#).

Besides Iraq, **China** is a major port of call for us. We hold all required authorisations and even an NVOCC certificate to conduct business in the People's Republic of China, including the Hong Kong SAR. China is home to one of our four international branch offices; the others are in Iraq, Malaysia and Nigeria.

Along with Iraq and China, **Iran** is an important market for us. Since 2005 the country has been our primary operations gateway to Iraq and the **Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)**.

We were one of the first companies of our kind to **serve Iranian ports directly from Dubai, other Middle Eastern ports and Chinese ports.**

Thanks to the groundwork of our Iranian partners & agents we are now firmly established as one of the major Middle Eastern transport & business logistics (TBL) companies serving Iran. Our portfolio already includes several large-scale project shipments.

Our Iran-related services include:

- NVOCC operations with our own brand-new fleet
- Break-bulk shipments
- Barge operations
- Land transportation from Iran to Northern Iraq and CIS nations
- Freight-forwarding of import, export & project shipments within Iran
- Regular service to important Iranian ports such as Khorramshahr and Bushehr
- TBL services to CIS nations and other inland points via Bandar Abbas, Iran's main container terminal
- Full-carriage services from China to CIS ports (including dry ports), including Ashgabat and Baku

We carry only United Nations-approved cargo into Iranian territory.

Sea Sands Shipping also serves the **Africa** market directly from Dubai and China. We provide bespoke sea- & air-freight services, customs clearance and delivery.

From Lagos, Nigeria, our **West Africa** office provides a full range of freight-forwarding services to & from Dubai and China.

Our network of **East Africa** agents takes care of the Kenya, Mozambique and Tanzania region.

South Africa is the company's portal to inland destinations within Burundi, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Rwanda, South Sudan, Uganda and Zimbabwe.

We own and operate a **fleet of 14 conventional & roll-on/roll-off vessels with a combined freight capacity of over 165,000 tons.**

All Sea Sands Shipping equipment & liabilities are insured by TT Club, the leading provider of insurance & risk management services to multimodal freight-forwarding & logistics companies.

Sea Sands Shipping is in the process of streamlining its operations to satisfy the quality management system requirements outlined by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO).

Our reach

Africa

- Kenya
- Mozambique
- Nigeria
- Somalia
- South Africa—our gateway to Burundi, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Rwanda, South Sudan, Uganda and Zimbabwe
- Sudan
- Tanzania

Asia

- Bahrain
- China—Guangzhou, Hong Kong SAR, Ningbo, Shanghai, Shenzhen, Yiwu
- Indonesia
- Iran—Assaluyeh, Bandar Abbas, Bandar Imam Khomeini, Bushehr, Chabahar, Khorramshahr
- Iraq—Baghdad, Basrah, Erbil, Sulaymaniyah, Umm Qasr
- Jordan
- Kuwait
- Libya
- Malaysia
- Oman
- Philippines
- Qatar
- Saudi Arabia
- Singapore
- South Korea
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- Vietnam

Europe

- France
- Germany
- Italy
- Romania
- Spain
- Ukraine

Our affiliations

Massive Trading

Massive Trading is the food & commodities division of the Sea Sand Group, which was founded in Iraq in the early '90s. The company relocated its headquarters to Dubai in 2005 to better meet the region's growing demand.

Sima Marine Services

A joint venture between Sea Sands Shipping and Simatech Shipping, Sima Marine Services represents mainline container operators HMM, Wan Hai and PIL.

Tawseel

Tawseel represents NVOCC operator Hikaru Line, and manages the operator's agency activities.

High Quality Resources

High Quality Resources is a specialist lubricant supplier. It represents lube oil brands Omega, Zeta and Magna.

Kairat Khor Zubair

Kairat Khor Zubair manages a cement storage & distribution terminal in Iraq's Khor Al Zubair port.



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