



UBS Currency Guide

For your payments in almost any currency

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Currency Guide for Worldwide Payments

UBS offers Private, Corporate and Institutional Clients with international businesses a possibility to execute payments in over 100 different currencies all over the world out of your existing banking relationship and account with us.

Using your existing current accounts with UBS in CHF, EUR, (SGD, HKD)*, USD or GBP you can instruct us in your foreign currency payment. UBS will debit your existing account, exchange the equivalent into the instructed currency and send the payment to the beneficiary bank, which will credit the amount to the beneficiary's account without additional conversion.

Requirements and preconditions

- You will need a current account in CHF, EUR, (SGD, HKD)*, USD or GBP to execute payments in foreign currencies.
- Depending on local requirements, the beneficiary should be informed in advance about the payment currency being sent to his account. Please make sure that the beneficiary has an account in the instructed currency, otherwise a loss out of an additional conversion might occur.
- Beneficiaries may be required to provide additional documentation as requested by the correspondent or beneficiary bank in order to comply with the country's regulations. Therefore, UBS recommends that the following information is always included in the payment instruction: beneficiary bank name and address, beneficiary account number, beneficiary name and address, remitter name and address, and the purpose of the payment.

*Only offered in UBS Hong Kong and/or UBS Singapore

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1. Africa

1.1. Africa – currency overview

Country	Currency ISO Code	Currency Name	Receivable and/or Payable (1), (2)	Additional Information and/or specific formatting Requirements ⁽³⁾	Currency relevant Payment Restrictions ⁽⁵⁾	Registered IBAN Country	Cut-off times for Payments (UBS Switzerland AG)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Singapore)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Hong Kong)
Algeria ⁽⁶⁾	DZD	Algerian Dinar (DZD)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Angola	AOA	Angolan Kwanza (AOA)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Botswana	BWP	Botswana Pula (BWP)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Burundi	BIF	Burundian Franc (BIF)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Cabo Verde	CVE	Cape Verde Escudo (CVE)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Central African States*	XAF	Central African States CFA Franc BEAC (XAF)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Comoros	KMF	Comorian Franc (KMF)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Djibouti ⁽⁶⁾	DJF	Djibouti Franc (DJF)	P		X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Egypt ⁽⁶⁾	EGP	Egypt (EGP)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Eritrea	ERN	Eritrean Nakfa (ERN)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Ethiopia	ETB	Ethiopian Birr (ETB)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Gambia	GMD	Gambian Dalasi (GMD)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Ghana	GHS	Ghanaian Cedi (GHS)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Guinea	GNF	Guinean Franc (GNF)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Kenya	KES	Kenyan Shilling (KES)	P	X			12h00 V-2	--	17h30 V-2
Kingdom of Eswatini (Swaziland)	SZL	Swaziland Lilangeni (SZL)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Lesotho	LSL	Lesotho Loti (LSL)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Liberia	LRD	Liberian Dollar (LRD)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Madagascar	MGA	Malagasy Ariary (MGA)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Malawi	MWK	Malawian Kwacha (MWK)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Mauritania	MRU	Mauritanian Ouguiya (MRU)	P			X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Mauritius	MUR	Mauritian Rupee (MUR)	P			X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2

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Morocco and Western Sahara	MAD	Moroccan Dirham (MAD)	R & P				16h00 V-2	17h30 V-2	17h30 V-2
Mozambique	MZN	Mozambican Metical (MZN)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Namibia	NAD	Namibian Dollar (NAD)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Nigeria	NGN	Nigerian Naira (NGN)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Rwanda	RWF	Rwandan Franc (RWF)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Saint Helena	SHP	Saint Helena Pound (SHP)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
São Tomé and Príncipe	STN	São Tomé and Príncipe Dobra (STN)	P			X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Seychelles	SCR	Seychelles (SCR)	P			X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Sierra Leone	SLE	New Sierra Leonean Leone (SLE)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
South Africa	ZAR	South African Rand (ZAR)	R & P				11h00 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Tanzania, United Republic of	TZS	Tanzanian Shilling (TZS)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Tunisia	TND	Tunisian Dinar (TND)	R & P			X	08h00 V-1	--	17h30 V-2
Uganda	UGX	Ugandan Shilling (UGX)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
West African States**	XOF	West African States CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Zambia	ZMW	Zambian Kwacha (ZMW)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2

* Central African States – Gabon, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo and Equatorial Guinea

** West African States – Senegal, Burkina Faso, Togo, Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Guinea Bissau, Mali and Niger

(1) **"R & P"**: These are the currencies for which the client can hold an account and therefore he can execute and receive payments (e.g. CHF account).

(2) **"P"**: Currencies in which the client can only execute a payment out of their normal CHF, USD, GBP or EUR account, i.e., the client cannot hold an account in this currency.

(3) This flag is only valid when the information requirements go beyond the normal payment requirements for more exotic currencies. a) Beneficiary bank name, b) Beneficiary bank identification code (BIC or similar), c) Beneficiary name and address, d) Beneficiary account number, e) Purpose of payment

(4) Due to the existing regulations in many of the countries below, the beneficiaries might be requested by the beneficiary bank or local regulator to provide additional documentation. The cases highlighted in this column are the ones that the beneficiary ALWAYS need to provide additional information, being this a one time preregistration or valid for all the payment instructions.

(5) This flag only covers special currency and payment restrictions. General restrictions like loan payments (where pre-approvals are many times required or often not offered due to country regulations) or restriction related with the payment conversion (must be done only in the respective country by approved and regulated entities) will not be considered and should always be checked.

(6) The local market of this currency is closed on Fridays. This means that Friday is not a valid business day for this currency.

1.2. Algeria

DZD – Algerian Dinar

General information

- Local market is closed every Friday.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Account number 20 characters (digits).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.3. Angola

AOA – Angolan Kwanza

General information

- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- IBAN format is required. 25 characters (AOXX + 21 digits).
- Purpose of Payment Code: 6 characters (list of codes available upon request) with pre-fix POP (example: /POP/123456).
- Beneficiary taxpayer number 10 characters for corporates and 14 characters for individuals) with pre-fix NIF (example: /NIF/XXXXXXXXXX).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.4. Botswana

BWP – Botswana Pula

General information

- No major currency restrictions for Botswana Pula.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions are reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- For accounts held at First National Bank an 11-digit account number is required.
- 6-digit bank branch code is required.

Inter-company payments

- No specific requirements and/or restrictions for intercompany payments to our knowledge.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

1.5. Burundi

BIF – Burundian Franc

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- BIF is a zero decimal currency.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Payee account number (11-digits).

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.6. Cabo Verde

CVE – Cape Verde Escudo

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- CVE is a zero decimal currency.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.7. Central African States

XAF – Central African CFA franc

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulators.
- This currency is used in Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, and Gabon.
- Please note that this currency is pegged to the EUR at a fix rate and many of the local banks use this rate for the conversion into local currency. Therefore UBS recommends clients to inform themselves with the beneficiary bank and if fix rate applies, to instruct the payment directly in EUR in order to reduce the conversion costs. In case the client instructs directly in local currency, UBS will channel the payment through its agent and therefore an additional service fee will be charged to this rate.
- Funds are credited in the beneficiary's account typically by close of business on value date and are available for withdrawal the following morning.
- Purpose of payment code and category purpose of payment code is required (see details below).
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Payments to Banque Sino-Congolaise pour L'Afrique and to Adic S.A. are not supported.

Payment instructions

- For payment in local currency, 23 character account number (Relevé d'Identité Bancaire – RIB) is required
The RIB has the following format:
 1. Bankcode: 5 characters (this includes the 2 -character country code)
 2. Branch code: 5 digits
 3. Account number: 11 digits
 4. Clé RIB – 2 digits
- This is a zero-decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.
- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. town and country, PO Box is not accepted).

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Banque des Etats de l'Afrique Centrale (BEAC), beac.int/) in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

What is the purpose of payment (PoP) code and category purpose (PURP)?

1–2 digit category purpose and 1 digit purpose of payment code must be provided under format **/POP/<XXXX> /PURP/<XXXX>** denoting the relevant purpose of payment code.

Please use one of the following codes:

Category purpose:

1. Bonus Payment
2. Cash Management Transfer
3. Card Bulk Clearing
4. Credit Card Payment
5. Trade Settlement Payment
6. Debit Card Payment
7. Dividend
8. Epayment
9. Fee Collection
10. Government Payment
11. Hedging
12. Irrevocable Credit Card Payment
13. Irrevocable Debit Card Payment
14. Intra Company Payment
15. Interest
16. Loan
17. Other Payment
18. Pension Payment
19. Salary Payment
20. Securities
21. Social Security Benefit
22. Supplier Payment
23. Tax Payment
24. Trade
25. Treasury Payment
26. Value Added Tax Payment
27. With Holding
28. Cheques

Purpose of payment code:

1. Salary
2. Bonus
3. Allowances
4. Final Settlement
5. Dividends
6. Others
7. Cash

1.8. Comoros

KMF – Comorian Franc

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.9. Djibouti

DJF – Djibouti Franc

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- DJF is a zero decimal currency.
- Local market is closed on Fridays.
- Payments to Dahabshil Bank International are not supported.
- Beneficiary may be required to provide supporting documentation to comply with the country's Exchange Control Regulations.
- Payment for goods and services may require a copy of invoice, subject to the beneficiary bank's discretion.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Please note that inter-banking fees may apply locally.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.10. Egypt

EGP – Egyptian Pound

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Return of funds may be allowed where they have been sent in error, but a full explanation of the reason for the return is required by the central bank (Central Bank of Egypt, www.cbe.org.eg/). The return may be delayed if the original payment value is relatively high.
- Movement of funds out of the country is highly restricted. Approval by the Central Bank is required in permitted cases. Relevant documentation may be required as well.
- Local market is closed every Friday.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- IBAN: 29 Character IBAN is mandatory, formatted as EGXX+25 digits
- Full beneficiary address is required (street name, house number, city, postal code, country).

Inter-company payments

- Payments related to loans are not supported. All other payments are accepted.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

1.11. Eritrea

ERN – Eritrean Nakfa

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Beneficiary bank branch name and address must be provided.

Inter-company payments

- Loan payments cannot be supported for this currency. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.12. Ethiopia

ETB – Ethiopian Birr

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- The beneficiary bank branch name needs to be included in the payment instruction.

Inter-company payments

- Loans must be registered with the central bank (National Bank of Ethiopia, www.nbe.gov.et/) to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a highly restricted activity.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

1.13. Gambia

GMD – Gambian Dalasi

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- BBAN 18 digits.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.14. Ghana

GHS – Ghanaian Cedi

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Beneficiary bank branch code is strongly recommended in order to ensure a smooth process.
- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. Street and city, PO Box is not accepted).

Inter-company payments

- Loan payments can be supported. However, please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed.
- Capital injections can only be done in hard currency (e.g. USD). All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.15. Guinea

GNF – Guinean Franc

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- GNF is a zero decimal currency.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Account number: 18 characters.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.16. Kenya

KES – Kenyan Shilling

General information

- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary address is required (street name, city, country and postal code).
- 3–4 alphanumeric purpose of payment code required for all KES payments, with a prefix POP CODE. Please use an appropriate code according to the list below.
- All tax related payments made to the Kenya Revenue Authority must include an E-SLIP unique reference number whilst quoting the prefix 'URN'.
- For any payments above KES 100 million, supporting documents could be required by the local banks processing these payments onshore. These documents usually pertain to any proof, invoices etc (whatever is deemed useful by the bank) establishing the link between remitter and beneficiary.

Inter-company payments

- Loans must be registered with the central bank (Central Bank of Kenya, www.centralbank.go.ke/) to qualify for expatriation of repayments. All other payments are accepted.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

Code Value	Purpose
ADTX	Advance Tax
AIRB	Air transport
ARTX	Agency Revenue
BECH	ChildBenefit

What is the purpose of payment (PoP) code?

3–4 alphanumeric purpose of payment code must be provided under format **/POP CODE/XXXX/** with **XXXX** denoting the relevant purpose of payment code.

Please use one of the following codes:

Purpose Code	Purpose Description		
AIRB	Travel Expenses	CONS	Construction Activities
BECH	Child Benefit	CSDK	Central Security Depository Payments
BECH	Personal Transfer / Family Transfer	2101	Road Maintenance Levy (RML)
PSCO	Goods and Services	2301	Petroleum Regulatory Levy (PRL)
EDUC	Education expenses	2501	Gross Payment-Petroleum Development Fund (PDF)
FUEL	Fuel expenses	4301	State Department for Fisheries, Aquaculture and the Blue Economy
INSU	Insurance Payment	512	National Industrial Training Authority (NITA)
LOAN	Loan Repayment	512	National Industrial Training Authority (NITA)
MDCS	Medical Expenses	3001	Income Tax Company
PAYE	PAYE (Pay As You Earn)	3101	Monthly Rental Income Tax
PSCO	Professional Services	3304	Motor Vehicle Advance Tax
RENT	Rent Payment	3514	Value Added Tax (VAT)
RELG	Religious Activities	BTTX	Betting Tax
SALA	Salary Payment	TOTX	Turnover Tax
SCHO	School Fees	CGTX	Capital Gains Tax (CGT)
SAVG	Savings	SDTX	Stamp Duty
INVS	Investment and Securities	LICF	License Fee
SHIP	Shipping	PENA	Penalties
UBIL	Utilities	PRPY	Purchase of property
GOVT	Government Payment	1002	Import Duty
WHLD	Withholding Tax	1102	Excise Duty
DIVD	Dividend Payments	1501	Alteration Fee
BSD	Banking Supervision Department	1518	Concession Fees
COMU	Community Development / Charity / Donations	1519	Registration fees

1527	Transshipment Fee
1001	Import Duty Oil
1101	Excise Duty Oils
1201	VAT Oils
1802	IDF / PIF OIL Fees

1.17. Kingdom of Eswatini (Swaziland)

SZL – Swazi Lilangeni

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. Street, city and country, PO Box is not accepted).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.18. Lesotho

LSL – Lesotho Loti

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Beneficiary full address is strongly recommended in order to ensure a smooth processing.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be approved by the Central Bank (Central Bank of Lesotho, www.centralbank.org.ls/) by request of local subsidiary. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.19. Liberia

LRD – Liberian Dollar

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.20. Madagascar

MGA – Malagasy Ariary

General information

- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Account Number is required. 27 characters (MG46 + 23 digits).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.21. Malawi

MWK – Malawian Kwacha

General information

- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.22. Mauritania

MRU – Mauritanian Ouguiya

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- IBAN: 27 characters (MRXX + 23 digits)
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.
- Payments toward the fishing and mining industries, and payments related to exports must be made in hard currency.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.23. Mauritius

MUR – Mauritian Rupee

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.
- IBAN: 30 digits and starts with MU

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.24. Mozambique

MZN – Mozambican Metical

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Beneficiary may be required to provide supporting documentation to comply with the country's Exchange Control Regulations.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Clear and detailed reason for payment is required.

Payment instructions

- An account number with 25-characters (MZ59 + 21 digits) must be provided. "NIB – Numero de Identificação Bancária".
- 9-digit NUIT (taxpayer single identification number) required for all MZN payments.
- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. Street, district, avenue and house number, city and country, PO Box is not accepted).

Inter-company payments

- Loan payments are not supported for this currency. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.25. Namibia

NAD – Namibian Dollar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- For tax payments, the tax number is required in the payment instructions. The prefix 'TIN', 'Tax' or 'Tax ID' must be included before the tax number.
- In line with the exchange control regulations by the local central bank, the beneficiary must complete a BOPCUS form for all payments indicating the purpose of the remittance and their relationship with the remitter.

Payment instructions

- 8–13-digit Account Number required, only digits are accepted

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Bank of Namibia, www.bon.com.na/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.26. Nigeria

NGN – Nigerian Naira

General information

Cross-border payments in Nigerian Naira to Nigeria are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

- 10-digit NUBAN account number is required.
- Full beneficiary domicile address
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code

Inter-company payments

- Loan-related payments are not supported.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

1.27. Rwanda

RWF – Rwandan Franc

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- RWF is a zero decimal currency.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.28. Saint Helena

SHP – Saint Helena pound

General information

- Cross-border payments in St. Helena pound are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- Beneficiary Address
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Beneficiary mobile number

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

1.29. São Tomé and Príncipe

STN – São Tomé and Príncipe Dobra

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.30. Seychelles

SCR – Seychelles

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.31. Sierra Leone

SLE – Sierra Leonean Leone

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.32. Tanzania

TZS – Tanzanian Shilling

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Beneficiary may be required to provide supporting documentation to comply with the country's Exchange Control Regulations.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- 12 Digit Control Number is required when transfers are in favour of a government institution, agency, authority, hospital, school and university whose account is with a commercial bank (Field 70 – Preceded by /ROC/).
- Free formatting of the control code is also permitted and can be expressed as F70:/CONTROL CODE 991234567894.
- The owner of the account is responsible for obtaining the control number from their bank.
- The Control Number is not applicable when making government payments to the central bank (Bank of Tanzania – TANZTZX) and to the Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA – TARATZT).
- 12-digit Control Number is required when transfers are in favour of a government institution, agency, authority, hospital, school and university whose account is with a commercial bank. This also applies to all government payments including tax payments made to the Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA – TARATZT) and the Bank of Tanzania (Bank of Tanzania – TANZTZX). The owner of the account is responsible for obtaining the control number from their bank. The Control Number must be formatted following the prefix ROC/ on line 1 of Field 70 in the format below. Please leave lines 2–4 of Field 70 blank where possible.

Line 1 70: ROC/99***** (no other information must be included in this line)

Line 2 70: please leave blank

Line 3 70: please leave blank

Line 4 70: please leave blank

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Bank of Tanzania, www.bot-tz.org/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

1.33. Uganda

UGX – Ugandan Shilling

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- This is a zero-decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.
- A PRN tax ID number (13-digit code using this format: PRNXXXXXXXXXX) is needed for tax revenue payments being made to the Ugandan Revenue Authority.
- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. Street, PO Box is not accepted).

Inter-company payments

- No specific requirements and/or restrictions for intercompany payments to our knowledge.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

1.34. West African States

XOF – West African CFA franc

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Foreign investments (excluding charity payments) must be reported to the central bank (Central Bank of West African States, www.bceao.int/).
- Separate notification must be given to the central bank for each FX transaction.
- Funds are typically credited to the beneficiary's account by COB (close of business) on the value (spot) date and are available for withdrawal the following morning.
- This currency is used in the West African States: Benin, Burkina Faso, Côte d'Ivoire, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Niger, Senegal, Togo.
- Please note that this currency is pegged to the EUR at a fix rate and many of the local banks use this rate for the conversion into local currency. Therefore UBS recommends clients to inform themselves with the beneficiary bank and if fix rate applies, to instruct the payment directly in EUR in order to reduce the conversion costs. In case the client instructs directly in local currency, UBS will channel the payment through its agent and therefore an additional service fee will be charged to this rate.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Effective February 2026, the Government of Burkina Faso has implemented a new regulation requiring all NGOs operating in the country to hold their accounts with Banque des Dépôts du Trésor (BDT).
- Payments have to be sent in EUR to BDT and equivalent in XOF will be credited on the account.

Payment instructions

- For payment in local currency, 24 character account number (Relevé d'Identité Bancaire – RIB) is required or IBAN (28 characters)
The RIB has the following format:
 1. Bankcode: 5characters (this includes the 2 -character countrycode)
 2. Branch code: 5digits
 3. Account number: 12 digits
 4. Clé RIB – 2 digits
- This is a zero-decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.

Inter-company payments

- Loan payments are not supported.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

1.35. Zambia

ZMW – Zambian Kwacha

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- For payments to Barclays Bank Zambia, a branch code is required. This code is 6 digits (e.g. 02 00 17 bank code 02, area code 00 and bank branch code 17).
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2. America

2.1. America – currency overview

Country	Currency ISO Code	Currency Name	Receivable and/or Payable (1), (2)	Additional Information and/or specific formatting Requirements ⁽³⁾	Currency relevant Payment Restrictions ⁽⁵⁾	Registered IBAN Country	Cut-off times for Payments (UBS Switzerland AG)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Singapore)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Hong Kong)
Aruba	AWG	Aruban Florin (AWG)	P				14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Argentina	ARS	Argentine Peso (ARS)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Bahamas	BSD	Bahamian Dollar (BSD)	P		X		14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Barbados	BBD	Barbadian Dollar (BBD)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Belize	BZD	Belize Dollar (BZD)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Bermuda	BMD	Bermudan Dollar (BMD)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Bolivia	BOB	Bolivian Boliviano (BOB)	P				14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Brazil ⁽⁴⁾	BRL	Brazilian Real (BRL)	P	X		X	14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Canada	CAD	Canadian Dollar (CAD)	R & P	X			16h00 V	15h30 V	15h30 V
Chile	CLP	Chilean Peso (CLP)	P				14h00 V-2	--	--
Costa Rica	CRC	Costa Rican Colon (CRC)	P	X		X	14h00 V-2	--	--
Dominican Republic	DOP	Dominican Peso (DOP)	P	X		X	14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
East Caribbean*	XCD	East Caribbean Dollar (XCD)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Falkland Islands	FKP	Falkland Islands pound (FKP)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Guatemala	GTQ	Guatemalan Quetzal (GTQ)	P			X	14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Guyana	GYD	Guyanese Dollar (GYD)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Haiti	HTG	Haitian Gourde (HTG)	P				14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Honduras	HNL	Honduran Lempira (HNL)	P		X		14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Jamaica	JMD	Jamaican Dollar (JMD)	P				14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Mexico	MXN	Mexican Peso (MXN)	R & P				15h00 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Nicaragua	NIO	Nicaraguan Cordoba (NIO)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Paraguay	PYG	Paraguayan Guarani (PYG)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Peru	PEN	Peruvian Nuevo Sol (PEN)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2

Country	Currency ISO Code	Currency Name	Receivable and/or Payable (1), (2)	Additional Information and/or specific formatting Requirements(3)	Currency relevant Payment Restrictions(5)	Registered IBAN Country	Cut-off times for Payments (UBS Switzerland AG)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Singapore)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Hong Kong)
Sint Maarten (Dutch Part) and Curaçao	ANG	Netherlands Antillean Guilder (ANG)	P	X	X		14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Suriname	SRD	Surinamese Dollar (SRD)	P		X		14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Trinidad and Tobago	TTD	Trinidad and Tobago Dollar (TTD)	P	X			14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
United States of America	USD**	US Dollar (USD)	R & P				17h00 V	15h30 V	15h30 V
Uruguay	UYU	Uruguayan Peso (UYU)	P		X		14h00 V-2	--	--

* East Caribbean – Saint Kitts and Nevis, Santa Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Dominica, Grenada and Montserrat
Other countries and territories using other official currency

** USD – American Samoa, Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guam, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Northern Mariana Islands, Palau, Panama, Puerto Rico, Timor-Leste, Turks and Caicos Islands, Virgin Islands (British and US)

(1) "R & P": These are the currencies for which the client can hold an account and therefore he can execute and receive payments (e.g. CHF account).

(2) "P": Currencies in which the client can only execute a payment out of their normal CHF, USD, GBP or EUR account, i.e., the client cannot hold an account in this currency.

(3) This flag is only valid when the information requirements go beyond the normal payment requirements for more exotic currencies. a) Beneficiary bank name, b) Beneficiary bank identification code (BIC or similar), c) Beneficiary name and address, d) Beneficiary account number, e) Purpose of payment

(4) Due to the existing regulations in many of the countries below, the beneficiaries might be requested by the beneficiary bank or local regulator to provide additional documentation. The cases highlighted in this column are the ones that the beneficiary ALWAYS need to provide additional information, being this a one time preregistration or valid for all the payment instructions.

(5) This flag only covers special currency and payment restrictions. General restrictions like Loan payments (where pre-approvals are many times required or often not offered due to country regulations) or restriction related with the payment conversion (must be done only in the respective country by approved and regulated entities) will not be considered and should always be checked.

(6) The local market of this currency is closed on Fridays. This means that Friday is not a valid business day for this currency.

2.2. Argentina

ARS – Argentine Peso

General information

- Payments to Judicial Accounts (Depositos Judiciales) are not supported.
- Reason for payment is required.

Payment instructions

- 22-digit account number (Mandatory Field 59).
- CUIT –tax ID for corporates / CUIL –tax ID for individuals to be included in field 70 (tax ID is 11 digits) (Mandatory Field 70).
- Salary/payroll payments are supported -please indicate clearly in Field 70 of your MT103 that a payment is for salary/ payroll.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.3. Aruba

AWG – Aruban Florin

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2.4. Bahamas

BSD – Bahamian Dollar

General information

- Supporting documents (e.g. invoice) must be submitted by the beneficiary to the beneficiary bank for payments greater than BSD 25,000.
- Currently only payments to the following local banks can be supported:
 - a) Scotia Bank (NOSCBSNSXXX)
 - b) Royal Bank of Canada (ROYCBSNSXXX)
 - c) First Caribbean (FCIBBSNSXXX)
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loans must be registered with the central bank (The Central Bank of The Bahamas, www.centralbankbahamas.com/). All other payments are accepted.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.5. Barbados

BBD – Barbadian Dollar

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2.6. Belize

BZD – Belize Dollar

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2.7. Bermuda

BMD – Bermudian Dollar

General information

- This is a tradable currency with no relevant restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Inter-company payments

- For loan payments, beneficiaries may be required to provide a copy of the loan agreement.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.8. Bolivia

BOB – Bolivian Boliviano

General information

- No major currency restrictions for Bolivian Boliviano.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- This is a zero-decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.
- Payments to Banco Fasil are not supported.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Banco Central de Bolivia, bcb.gob.bo/) in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.9. Brazil

BRL – Brazilian Real

General information

- For every new beneficiary, the local correspondent bank has to perform a “one-time pre-trade setup” to be compliant with the Brazil’s exchange control regulations. For the preregistration process, our local agent will contact the beneficiary and send all the documents (“Cadastro”) required to complete the pre-trade setup with the correspondent bank in Brazil. Once all required documents are received and approved, the transaction can then be completed.
- The beneficiary may be asked to provide additional documentation to the correspondent bank or beneficiary’s bank in order to comply with the country’s exchange control regulations and applicable local banking regulations.
- Payments less than \$ 10’000.00 or a maximum of \$ 30’000.00 in total (per year), can be processed via directly to beneficiary and will be exempt from cadastro setup process.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Payments to the following banks are not supported:
 - Ourinvest Bank
 - Maxima Bank
 - Travelex
 - Topazio Bank
 - Confidence Bank
 - Bex Bank
- Payments to Broker Dealers are not supported
- Payments to football/soccer teams are not supported
- Payments to beneficiaries will incur a 0.38% IOF Tax in line with onshore regulations for FX transactions.

Payment instructions

The following information is required in every payment instruction:

- IBAN: 29 characters (BRXX + 25 digits).
- Contact details of the beneficiary (name, telephone number and e-mail address).
- Purpose of the payment.
- The beneficiary’s 14-digit taxpayer ID (CNPJ) for corporates or 11-digit CPF (Cadastro de Pessoas Fisicas) if the beneficiary is an individual. Pre-fix “TAX ID” is recommended.
- ‘Agencia’ number (bank branch number) 3–7 digits.

Inter-company payments

- For inter-company loans, beneficiaries must register the transaction with the central bank (Central Bank of Brazil, <http://www.bcb.gov.br/?ENGLISH>) before the trade can be executed (RDE-ROF/Registration of Foreign Loans).
- For capital increases, beneficiaries must register the transaction with the central bank as well before the trade can be executed (RDE-IED/ Registration of Foreign Capital).
- NGOs must provide up-to-date registration documents in order to receive funds.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.10. Canada

2.10 CAD – Canadian Dollar

General information

- No major currency restrictions.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address (incl. Province and Country) must be included in the payment instruction.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001):
 - Reason for payment: All relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).
 - The full beneficiary address, incl. Province and Country (example):

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  <BldgNb>45</BldgNb>
  <TwnNm>Toronto</TwnNm>
  <CtrySubDvsn>Ontario</CtrySubDvsn>
  <Ctry>CA</Ctry>
</PstlAdr>
</Cdtr>
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2.11. Chile

CLP – Chilean Peso

General information

- Reason for Payment is required.
- The beneficiary may be required to provide supporting documentation for each payment to comply with the country's Exchange Control Regulations.
- NGOs need to present current registration documents at their local bank.
- The currency does not have any decimal places.

Payment instructions

The following information is required in every payment instruction:

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Contact details of the beneficiary (name, telephone number and e-mail address).
- RUT Tax ID Number (Rol Unico Tributario) for all CLP payments to corporate payee. This consists 7 to 9 digits.
RUN Tax ID Number (Rol Unico Tributario) for all payments to individuals holding a personal / non-professional bank account. This consists of 7 to 9 digits.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2.12. Costa Rica

CRC – Costa Rican Colon

General information

- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- 22 digit account number must be provided (“Cuenta cliente”).
- Beneficiary’s taxpayer ID (“Cedula Juridica”) with 9–12 digits must be provided.
- Beneficiary street address.
- Beneficiary contact name and telephone number.

Inter-company payments

- No specific requirements and/or restrictions for intercompany payments to our knowledge.
- Loans are allowed, but supporting documentation to justify the need for the loan must be provided by the remitter. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.13. Dominican Republic

DOP – Dominican Peso

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Beneficiary tax payer ID must be provided. For individuals this is the 11-digit "Cedula" or their passport number and for institutions the "RNC", also known as the TAX ID card number or the "Registro Mercantil" which is the registration number of the institution in the Chamber of Commerce. The RNC is 9 digits or more. The Registro Mercantil is 7 digits or more.

Inter-company payments

- Loans and capital injections are allowed. However, please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.14. East Caribbean

XCD – East Caribbean Dollar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- This currency is used in Antigua and Barbuda, Dominica, Grenada, Montserrat, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, and Anguilla.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary address is required (street name, city, postal code and country).
- Detailed reason for payment must be provided.

Inter-company payments

- Inter-company loans can be supported. However please note that the re-payment of these loans must be converted into your base currency by the local bank as UBS does not support incoming payments in this currency.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.15. Falkland Islands

FKP – Falkland Islands pound

General information

- Cross-border payments in Falkland Islands are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- Beneficiary Address
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Beneficiary mobile number

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

2.16. Guatemala

GTQ – Guatemalan Quetzal

General information

- No major currency restrictions for Guatemalan Quetzal.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Depending on the transaction type, the beneficiary might be required to submit a “Formulary IVE” for payments above USD 10,000 equivalent or provide additional documentation.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulators.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

The following information and/or format is required in every payment instruction:

- IBAN: 28 characters (GT+ 26 digits)

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Banco de Guatemala, banguat.gob.gt/). Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.17. Guyana

GYD – Guyanese Dollar

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.
- 8 numeric digit transit code is mandatory. List of transit codes are available on request.

Funds paid to the Guyana Revenue Authority requires a reference in the following format: YYMMDD/RRRRRRRRRRR. The relevant reference can be obtained from the Guyana Revenue Authority.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2.18. Haiti

HTG – Haitian Gourde

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Payments require a clear and detailed purpose of payment.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Inter-company payments

- Intercompany loans are not allowed.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.19. Honduras

HNL – Honduran Lempira

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency without any known limitation.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Individual to individual payments are not supported and payments from corporations/organizations to individuals are only accepted if they are for salary payments or consultant fees.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Detailed reason for payment is required.
- Payments to beneficiaries holding accounts at Central Bank are not supported.
- Beneficiary tax ID (Individuals: Tarjeta de Identidad/Corporates: RTN) and type of account (checking account/saving account) must be included on the payment instructions.

Inter-company payments

- Inter-company loans can be supported. However please note that the re-payment of these loans must be converted into your base currency by the local bank as UBS does not support incoming payments in this currency.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.20. Jamaica

JMD – Jamaican Dollar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Beneficiary Bank branch transit code (available upon request) needs to be provided when the beneficiary bank is one of the following:
 - Bank of Nova Scotia
 - First Global Bank
 - Citibank N.A.
 - Bank of Jamaica
- Beneficiary address (street address and city)

Inter-company payments

- Inter-company loans can be supported on a case-by-case basis only. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider before the payment is executed.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.21. Mexico

MXN – Mexican Peso

General information

Cross-border payments to Mexico are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- CLABE account number (18 digits)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code Special Requirements
- Beneficiary Bank account number must be provided

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.e. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

2.22. Nicaragua

NIO – Nicaraguan Córdoba

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Due to high settlement costs, payments below USD 100 (equivalent in NIO) may be rejected by the local provider.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Banco Central de Nicaragua, bcn.gob.ni/) in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.23. Paraguay

PYG – Paraguayan Guarani

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulators.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Beneficiary tax ID must be provided (for individuals this is the “Cédula de Identidad” and for companies it is a “RUC”).
- This is a zero-decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.

Inter-company payments

- Intercompany loans and other payments are allowed by the Central Bank (Banco Central del Paraguay, bcp.gov.py).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.24. Peru

PEN – Peruvian Nuevo Sol

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Onshore correspondent bank will report daily all FX transfers to the central bank.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

The following information is required in the payment instruction:

- 20-digit account number (CCI – Código de Cuenta Interbancario)
- 11-digit RUC code (beneficiary tax ID) or 8-digit DNI (Documento Nacional de Identidad) or Carné de Extranjería (Foreign Registration Card) for foreigners living in Peru
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Inter-company payments

- No known PEN-specific issues with intercompany payments.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

2.25. Sint Maarten (Dutch Part) and Curaçao

XCG – Netherlands Antillean Guilder

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.
- ANG can only be delivered to banks licensed to operate local currency accounts.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2.26. Suriname

SRD – Surinamese Dollar

General information

- Only payments to DSB Bank are supported.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

2.27. Trinidad and Tobago

TTD – Trinidad and Tobago Dollar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary address is required (street name, city, postal code and country).

Inter-company payments

- Intercompany loans are not supported.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

Special formatting / additional banking details

- 12-digit account number required for payments going to accounts held at Scotiabank Trinidad and Tobago Ltd. (NOSCTPSXXX). Format of account number: 5-digit transit code + 7-digit account number.
- List of transit codes for the 12-digit account number is available upon request.

2.28. United States of America

USD – United States Dollar

The United States Dollar (USD) is the currency most used in international transactions and is the world's most dominant reserve currency. Apart from the United States of America, several countries also use it as their official currency (e.g. Timor-Leste, El Salvador, Ecuador, etc.) and in many others it is also widely accepted by the population in parallel to their own currency (e.g. Panama).

Cross-border payments in USD to both the United States and other countries are subject to conditions, which must be strictly fulfilled and which are designed by the different regulators in order to combat money laundering, terrorist financing and other related threats to the integrity of the international financial system.

What do I need to always consider when making a USD payment?

- All payments in USD must contain not only the name and address (no P.O. Box) of the sender, but also the name and address of the beneficiary.
- The IBAN (for IBAN countries) or account number of sender and beneficiary must be provided.
- The BIC code (or National Identifier Code) of the beneficiary bank must also be provided.
- A descriptive "Reason for payment" should be provided to avoid any further queries from the beneficiary bank and therefore delays on the receiving side.

Please note that if the above information is not provided UBS reserves the right to reject your payment instructions or to hold it until the necessary information is provided.

Which other factors should I take into consideration when making a payment in USD?

Fees and third-party charges: your choice

For "International payment orders", as the initiator you can decide who pays the UBS service charge and the costs levied by the foreign bank. There are three options:

- OUR – you can assume all the costs (through our guaranteed flat rate for third-party charges) and ensure the beneficiary receives the full amount. Please note that UBS cannot control if the beneficiary will be charged for the credit in his account as this is an agreement between the beneficiary and its bank.
- SHA – you can cover the UBS service charge, but the beneficiary is charged the third-party costs.
- BEN – the beneficiary covers both the UBS service charge and the third-party costs.

Please refer to our current price list for details of the charges.

Cut-off time for accepting orders without delays

We will process your payment orders by your requested deadline if they reach us by the relevant cut-off time. Electronic payment orders have more favorable cut-off times than payment orders on paper. You'll find more details on this on our list of cut-off times for payment orders and payment receipts.

We do not delay payment in order to earn interest, and will forward your payment to its international destination on the same day as the amount is debited from your account*. This special UBS service is free of charge for our clients.

* With exception to the cases when:

- a) the payment contain erroneous or missing information;
- b) the client don't have enough balance;
- c) the beneficiary is a restricted person;
- d) the beneficiary account is in a restricted country.

2.29. Uruguay

UYU – Uruguayan Peso

General information

- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC CODE
- Beneficiary Account Name
- Beneficiary Account Number

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3. Asia & Pacific

3.1. Asia & Pacific – currency overview

Country	Currency ISO Code	Currency Name	Receivable and/or Payable (1), (2)	Additional Information and/or specific formatting Requirements(3)	Currency relevant Payment Restrictions(5)	Registered IBAN Country	Cut-off times for Payments (UBS Switzerland AG)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Singapore)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Hong Kong)
Australia	AUD*	Australian Dollar (AUD)	R & P				17h00 V-1	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Bangladesh (4), (6)	BDT	Bangladeshi Taka (BDT)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Bhutan	BTN	Bhutan Ngultrum (BTN)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Brunei Darussalam	BND	Brunei Dollar (BND)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Cambodia	KHR	Cambodian Riel (KHR)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
China (4)	CNY	Chinese Yuan Renminbi (CNY)	R & P	X	X		17h00 V-1	13h30 V	13h30 V
Fiji	FJD	Fijian Dollar (FJD)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
French Polynesia, New Caledonia, Wallis and Futuna	XPF	French Polynesian Franc (XPF)	P			X	14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Hong Kong	HKD	Hong Kong Dollar (HKD)	R & P				17h00 V-1	13h30 V	14h30 V
India	INR	Indian Rupee (INR)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	--	--
Indonesia	IDR	Indonesian Rupiah (IDR)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Japan	JPY	Japanese Yen (JPY)	R & P				16h00 V-1	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Kazakhstan	KZT	Kazakhstani Tenge (KZT)	P	X		X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Kyrgyzstan	KGS	Kyrgyzstani Som (KGS)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Lao People's Democratic Republic	LAK	Laotian Kip (LAK)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Macau	MOP	Macanese Pataca (MOP)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Malaysia	MYR	Malaysian Ringgit (MYR)	P		X		12h00 V-2	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Maldives (6)	MVR	Maldives Rupee (MVR)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Mongolia	MNT	Mongolian Tugrik (MNT)	P				12h00 V-2	--	--
Nepal	NPR	Nepalese Rupee (NPR)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
New Zealand	NZD**	New Zealand Dollar (NZD)	R & P				17h00 V-1	17h30 V-1	10h00 V-2

Country	Currency ISO Code	Currency Name	Receivable and/or Payable (1), (2)	Additional Information and/or specific formatting Requirements(3)	Currency relevant Payment Restrictions(5)	Registered IBAN Country	Cut-off times for Payments (UBS Switzerland AG)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Singapore)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Hong Kong)
Papua New Guinea	PGK	Papua New Guinean Kina (PGK)	P		X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Philippines	PHP	Philippine Peso (PHP)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Samoa	WST	Samoa Tala (WST)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Singapore	SGD	Singapore Dollar (SGD)	R & P				13h00 V-1	13h30 V	15h30 V-1
Solomon Islands	SBD	Solomon Islands Dollar (SBD)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
South Korea	KRW	South Korean Won (KRW)	P	X	X		14h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Sri Lanka	LKR	Sri Lankan Rupee (LKR)	P		X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Taiwan (4)	TWD	Taiwan Dollar (TWD)	P		X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Tajikistan	TJS	Tajikistan Somoni (TJS)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Thailand	THB	Thai Bhat (THB)	R & P				16h00 V-2	10h30 V-1	10h30 V-1
Tonga	TOP	Tonga Pa'anga (TOP)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Uzbekistan	UZS	Uzbekistan Som	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Vanuatu	VUV	Vanuatu Vatu (VUV)	P				12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Vietnam	VND	Vietnamese Dong (VND)	P	X			12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2

Other countries and territories using other official currency

* AUD – Christmas Island, Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Heard Island, McDonald Islands, Kiribati, Nauru, Norfolk Island and Tuvalu

** NZD – Cook Islands, Niue, Pitcairn, Tokelau

(1) **"R & P"**: These are the currencies for which the client can hold an account and therefore he can execute and receive payments (e.g. CHF account).

(2) **"P"**: Currencies in which the client can only execute a payment out of their normal CHF, USD, GBP or EUR account, i.e., the client cannot hold an account in this currency.

(3) This flag is only valid when the information requirements go beyond the normal payment requirements for more exotic currencies. a) Beneficiary bank name, b) Beneficiary bank identification code (BIC or similar), c) Beneficiary name and address, d) Beneficiary account number, e) Purpose of payment.

(4) Due to the existing regulations in many of the countries below, the beneficiaries might be requested by the beneficiary bank or local regulator to provide additional documentation. The cases highlighted in this column are the ones that the beneficiary ALWAYS need to provide additional information, being this a one time preregistration or valid for all the payment instructions.

(5) This flag only covers special currency and payment restrictions. General restrictions like loan payments (where pre-approvals are many times required or often not offered due to country regulations) or restriction related with the payment conversion (must be done only in the respective country by approved and regulated entities) will not be considered and should always be checked.

(6) The local market of this currency is closed on Fridays. This means that Friday is not a valid business day for this currency.

3.2. Bangladesh

BDT – Bangladeshi Taka

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- On value date, the local correspondent bank will inform the beneficiary bank of the payment. The beneficiary is then required to complete the Inward Remittance Form (original Form C) indicating the purpose of the payment for payments over USD 20,000. After the correspondent bank receives the completed form, it will release the funds to the beneficiary bank to be credited in the beneficiary account. Please note that depending on the beneficiary bank, these payments within the Bangladesh market can be done via bank draft (instead of local RTGS system) which can lead to further delays in crediting the beneficiary account.
- Please note that the process to request the Inward Remittance Form from the beneficiary bank is done manually and the communication between these two entities happens via normal post. This fact leads in best-case scenario (where the beneficiary is fully informed and proactively goes to the beneficiary bank to fill out and sign the Inward Remittance Form) to average delivery periods of 4 to 10 business days from the value date.
- If the beneficiary is an NGO, the beneficiary is required in addition to get an approval from NGO bureau in order to receive the funds. This is a prerequisite and the beneficiary must have this approval in place before the payment is executed. For more information please visit the respective internet page (http://114.129.9.31/welcome/reg_checklist).
- Payments cannot be cancelled (even in cases in which the funds were sent in error) due to strict exchange control.
- Local market is closed on Fridays.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Payments related to certain types of income (such as export services, revenue from IT/software solutions, etc.) will involve a 10% income tax deduction at source. Our correspondent bank will settle this tax directly with the tax authority on behalf of the beneficiary. If they require any additional information such as Tax Identification number (TIN) / any supporting documentation, our correspondent bank will liaise directly with the beneficiary bank to retrieve this information. The beneficiary can contact their bank if they require a copy of the Tax certificate. The beneficiary bank will then require liaising with our correspondent bank locally to request for this Tax certificate.

For any tax-related advice, we request the remitter/beneficiary to consult with the local tax authorities before initiating a payment.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required.

Inter-company payments

- Investments and loans are not supported.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.3. Bhutan

BTN – Bhutan Ngultrum

General information

- Cross-border payments in Bhutan Ngultrum are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- Beneficiary Address
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Beneficiary mobile number

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

3.4. Brunei Darussalam

BND – Brunei Dollar

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. Street and city, PO Box is not accepted).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.5. Cambodia

KHR – Cambodian Riel

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for payment is required.
- No decimal places

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.

Formatting guidelines

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.6. China

CNY – Chinese Yuan/Renminbi

General information

Cross-border payments toward mainland China are subject to special conditions caused by regulatory requirements of the People's Bank of China. Renminbi held, traded, and paid on mainland China is referred to as Onshore Renminbi (CNY). Renminbi held, traded, and paid outside mainland China is referred to as Offshore Renminbi (CNH). CNH is not an ISO-registered code, which is why for payment transactions or account information the ISO code CNY is used. The exchange rate for CNH may differ from CNY. All CNY payments sent to beneficiaries in Mainland China must include the specific purpose of [payment code \(PoP\)](#) within the payment instruction depending on the underlying business of the payment.

Payment instructions

Standard Requirements:

- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC CODE
- Beneficiary Account Name
- Beneficiary Account Number
- Purpose of Payment

Special Requirements:

- [Purpose of Payment Code](#) (6 digits)
- CNAPS Code: 989584010305 (UBS Hong Kong) is recommended to use for incoming payments (not necessary for outgoing payments)

Additional Information:

- Beneficiaries need to ensure that their banks are able to receive cross border CNY.

What is the purpose of payment (PoP) code?

The PoP denotes the payment purpose. The code consists of six letters and is provided by the People's Bank of China. The PoP code must correspond to the reason for payment, which must also be specified in the payment order. Sending a Renminbi payment without the code words can delay the payment, or the receiving bank may return the payment if the code words are not included.

An up to date list of the PoP codes can be found [here](#).

Formatting Instructions for the PoP

SWIFT MT 101

Tag	Field Name	Example
23e	Instruction code	/OTHER/ACC/ ABCDEF /*
57A	BIC & CNAPS Code	989584010305

Swift MT 103 – Commercial Payments

Tag	Field Name	Example
57A	BIC & CNAPS Code	989584010305
72	Sender to Receiver Information	/ACC/ ABCDEF /*

wift MT 202 – Interbank Payments

Tag	Field Name	Example
57A	BIC & CNAPS Code	989584010305
72	Sender to Receiver Information	/BNF/ ABCDEF *

XML (pain.001)

Tag	Field Name	Example
<Mmbld>	CNAPS Code	<ClrSysMmbld><Mmbld>989584010305
<InstrForDbtrAgt>	Instruction for Debtor Agent	/ACC/ ABCDEF *

UBS E-Banking

Field Name	Example
BIC (&CNAPS Code)	989584010305
Instructions	/ACC/ ABCDEF *

*Clients are asked to provide payment codes for all payments into CNY (e.g. Instructions, Instruction to Debtor Agent) in the format /ACC/ABCDEF (ABCDEF represents purpose of payment code)

3.7. Fiji

FJD – Fijian Dollar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Reserve Bank of Fiji, rbf.gov.fj/) in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.8. French Polynesia

XPF – French Polynesian Franc

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Please note that this currency is pegged to the EUR at a fix rate and many of the local banks use this rate for the conversion into local currency. Therefore UBS recommends clients to inform themselves with the beneficiary bank and if fix rate applies, to instruct the payment directly in EUR in order to reduce the conversion costs. In case the client instructs directly in local currency, UBS will channel the payment through its agent and therefore an additional service fee will be charged to this rate.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Payments to Office Postes et Telecom de Polynes, New Caledonia are not supported

Payment instructions

- IBAN format is required. 27 characters (FR76 + 23 digits).
- This is a zero decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.
- Full beneficiary address

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be pre-approved the Central Bank. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.9. India

INR – Indian Rupee

Cross-border payments in Indian rupee to India are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

What do you need to consider when making a payment in Indian rupees?

- It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:
- The name of the payment beneficiary is entered in full.
- The address (including "Street and number") is complete.
- The payment beneficiary's account number is correct.
- POP code (5 characters) is provided (see details below)
- FCRA number: Please note that all INR payments must include a 9-digit numerical FCRA number of the beneficiary if the purpose of payment code is for donations (P1302, P1303 or P1304). Beneficiaries must possess a valid Foreign Contribution Regulation Act (FCRA) registration from the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India. This should be held with the beneficiary bank.

The FCRA number should be formatted as follows:

FCRA: XXXXXXXXXX (Line 2 after the 5-character Purpose of Payment code: PXXXX).

- IFSC CODE: The beneficiary bank's 11-character IFSC code is provided (see details below). Payments with POP-Code P1303 or P1304 can only be processed via ISFC Code SBIN0000691.

What is the IFSC code?

The Indian Financial System Code (IFSC code) is an alphanumeric code that identifies a bank-branch participating in the two main Electronic Funds Settlement Systems in India: the Real Time Gross Settlement (RTGS) and the National Electronic Funds Transfer (NEFT) Systems. It is used to route the messages to the destination banks/branches. It is an 11-character code with the first four alphabetic characters representing the bank name and the last six characters (usually numeric, but can be alphabetic) representing the branch. The fifth character is a 0 (zero) and reserved for future use.

Important: UBS recommends always checking the IFSC code with the payment recipient before executing payment.

Example for IFSC code in pain.001

```
<CdtrAgt>
  <FinInstnId>
    <ClrSysMmbld>
      <ClrSysId>
        <Cd>INFSC</Cd>
      </ClrSysId>
      <Mmbld>SBIN0009926</Mmbld>
    </ClrSysMmbld>
    <Nm>State Bank of India Branch XYZ</Nm>
    <PstlAdr>
      <AdrLine>Mumbai Street 3</AdrLine>
      <AdrLine>160002 Mumbai</AdrLine>
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</PstlAdr>
</FinInstnId>
</CdtrAgt>

- Payment final beneficiary must have an account with a bank in India.
- For payments greater than INR 500 million, please consult your UBS client advisor.
- Payments to non resident beneficiaries are not allowed

Important Purpose of payment:

- The payment code is mandatory for all payments to India.
Please use an appropriate code according to the description [here](#)
- India's central bank (Reserve Bank of India) requires that all payments contain a payment "Receipt purpose" code as well as a description of the purpose of the payment. This description should be as detailed as possible and always in English.
- The absence of the above information will result in payment returns or severe delays in the delivery of such payments to the beneficiary.
- The beneficiary might be required to provide additional information and/or fulfill some local requirements in order to receive the funds. This process is entirely the responsibility of the beneficiary and can lead to further delays in the delivery of the funds.

Example for POP-Code and purpose of payment pain.001

<RmtInf>
<Ustrd>**Expenses /P0202**</Ustrd>
</RmtInf>

3.10. Indonesia

IDR – Indonesian Rupiah

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- IDR is a restricted currency which means that recollecting IDR from Indonesia is regulated. Exchange control regulations prevent free flow of funds out of the country.
- The local bank has the duty to report any inflows to the central bank.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Transfers greater than USD 1 million (equivalent): supporting documentation must be provided by the ordering client together with the payment instruction, in support of the underlying economic reasons for the remittance to Indonesia.
- Supporting documentation includes a copy of the invoice or payroll request, or a letter on signed letterhead describing the reason for transfer or copy of the loan agreement, etc.
- Full beneficiary address is required
- The payment code is mandatory for all payments in Indonesian Rupiah. Please use an appropriate code according to the description [here](#). It must be formatted with Prefix POP CODE beginning with 2XXX
- For transfers equal to or less than IDR 1'000'000'000, the SKNINFO code needs to be present in the "Reason for payment" field (e.g. /SKNINFO/A/B/C/D/E). This code must be entered in the first line followed by the detailed information regarding the reason for payment in the second line.

Key	Description	Length	Possible values
A	Sender Customer Type	1n!	1 = Individual 2 = Company/Corporation 3 = Government
B	Sender Resident Type	1n!	1 = Resident 2 = Non-Resident
C	Bene Bank City Code	1n!	Not currently required, input 0 as a placeholder
D	Bene Customer Type	1n!	1 = Individual 2 = Company 3 = Government
E	Bene Resident Type	1n!	1 = Resident 2 = Non-Resident

Inter-company payments

- No known IDR-specific issues with intercompany payments.
- Loans must be registered with the central bank in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments (Bank Indonesia, <http://www.bi.go.id/web/en/>).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.11. Kazakhstan

KZT – Kazakhstani Tenge

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

The following information is required in the payment instruction:

- IBAN: 20 characters
- Full beneficiary address
- Clear Purpose of Payment: It is recommended that the purpose of payment should be included in Line One of Field 70. The prefix POP should be utilized, and the description should directly follow with a space included e.g. POP SALARY.
- 12-digit fiscal code: BIN (Business Identification Number) or IIN (Individual Identification Number). It is recommended that this code should be included in Line Two of Field 70. The prefix BIN or IIN should be utilized, and the code should directly follow with a space included e.g. IIN/BIN123456789112.
- EKNP Code: It is recommended that this code should be included in Line Three of Field 70 and formatted with the prefix EKNP. This code should directly follow with a space formatted as KOD (2-digit Remitter Code), KBE (2-digit Beneficiary Code), KZT(Currency Code) and finally the KNP (3-digit Purpose of Payment Code): e.g. EKNP 1122KZT333.
- For tax payments to the local tax authorities only, a Budget Classification Code (6-digits) is required. This is also known as a KBK Code. UBS does not maintain a list of these codes as they are provided directly to the payer and will correspond to a specific account at the local tax authorities. A unique code will be generated specific to each tax payer, and the remitter should check the tax advise with their respective tax committee for their BCC code before initiating a payment (or they should contact the local tax authorities directly).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.12. Kyrgyzstan

KGS – Kyrgyzstani Som

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Payments to individuals are allowed except where payment is directly to a landlord for rent of premises.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required. This includes the reference numbers of supporting documents, e.g. invoice numbers and contract numbers.

Payment instructions

- A 16-character account number is required.
- Detailed purpose of payments is required.
- Payment Purpose Code (8 digits) is mandatory. List of codes can be provided upon request.
- Beneficiary legal entity type (e.g. charity, corporate, etc.) must be described in the additional information field.
- A 6-digit BIK code for beneficiary bank.
- Full beneficiary address is required.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Central Bank of Kyrgyzstan, www.nbkr.kg/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022 / XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.13. Lao People's Dem Rep

LAK – Laotian Kip

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary address (street, city, postal code) is required.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Bank of Lao PDR, bol.gov.la) in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments. All other payments are acceptable. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.14. Macau

MOP – Macanese Pataca

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. Street, city and country, PO Box is not accepted).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.15. Malaysia

MYR – Malaysian Ringgit

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- For capital transactions, supporting documentation might be requested by the local agent.
- Amounts lower than MYR 10,000 are settled via local ACH/ Giro clearing and hence an additional 1–2 days (on top of the value date) for the payment settlement can be expected.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Payments to payee who hold an account with bank in Labuan are not supported.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Payments require a clear and detailed purpose of payment.
- Full beneficiary address is required
- Account number of the payee (max. 20 digits)

Inter-company payments

- Loans must be registered with the central bank (Bank Negara Malaysia, www.bnm.gov.my) to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a highly restricted activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.16. Maldives

MVR – Maldives Rupee

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Local market is closed every Friday.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loan payments can be supported and will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Maldives Monetary Authority, www.mma.gov.mv/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case by case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.17. Mongolia

MNT – Mongolian Tugrik

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Beneficiary Account Number (IBAN: 20 digits).
- Full beneficiary address is required.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Central Bank of Mongolia, mongolbank.mn) in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.18. Nepal

NPR – Nepalese Rupee

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Cancellation and return of funds require Central Bank approval due to the reversal of trades and therefore can take longer or not be possible at all.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Payments as a result of export and import activity are not supported.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- 9-digit Permanent Account Number (PAN) of the beneficiary required for cross border payments related to any consultancy services (software related or not) which would apply to individuals only. These payments would involve a 1% advance Income Tax that our local correspondents will settle on behalf of the beneficiary to the tax authority.

Inter-company payments

- No specific requirements and/or restrictions for intercompany payments to our knowledge.
- Loans must be registered with the central bank (Nepal Rastra Bank, www.nrb.org.np) to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a highly restricted activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.19. Papua New Guinea

PGK – Papua New Guinean Kina

General information

- Beneficiary must have a presence in country, i.e. payments can only be made to onshore residents.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Beneficiary may be required to provide supporting documentation to comply with the country's Exchange Control Regulations.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Bank of Papua New Guinea, www.bankpng.gov.pg/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.20. Philippines

PHP – Philippines Peso

General information

Cross-border payments in Philippines Peso to Philippines are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary address is required (incl. Street, city and country, PO Box is not accepted).
- The payment beneficiary's account number is correct.
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.e. GIFT FOR PARENTS).
- Beneficiary must have a presence in country i.e. payments can only be made to onshore residents

3.21. Samoa

WST – Samoan Tala

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Central Bank of Samoa, www.cbs.gov.ws/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.22. Solomon Islands

SBD – Solomon Islands Dollar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Exchange control restrictions prevent free flow of funds out of the country. Return of funds with amounts higher than SBD 30,000 require Central Bank approval and/or additional documentation
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Central Bank of Solomon Islands, www.cbsi.com.sb/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.23. South Korea

KRW – South Korean Won

General information

- KRW is a restricted currency which means that recollecting KRW from South Korea is regulated. Exchange control regulations prevent free flow of funds out of the country.
- Payment must fall within the South Korean definition of a “business transaction”, i.e. import, export, etc., or there is the risk that it will be rejected for being a capital payment which must be made in USD, EUR, etc.
- The invoice must be in KRW, not USD. Beneficiaries will be asked to produce an invoice upon receipt of funds. An invoice issued in USD cannot be settled in a local currency payment.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- For tax payments, please note that the beneficiary is required to submit tax receipts to their bank before the funds can be released.
- Salary payments can be supported where the beneficiary holds a resident account and is not receiving funds as an “Operating expense”. If the beneficiary bank perceives that the transfer is one that must be repaid at a later date, the payment will be rejected as USD must be received by the beneficiary bank in such circumstances.
- Payments to non-resident free-won accounts are NOT supported.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- This is a zero-decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.
- For all payments over KRW 20,000,000 or the equivalent, beneficiary contact details (contact at the beneficiary, telephone number, etc.) need to be included in the payment instruction.
- In addition, the following number must be listed for payments to corporations/companies: tax ID or business registration number – 10 digits.
- The government-issued national ID for individuals and the residence permit number for foreign national residents is no longer mandatory. However, it may be requested by the onshore bank on an ad-hoc basis.
- Payments to corporations / companies no longer require a business registration number (Tax ID) – 10 digits (Field 70). However, it may be requested by the onshore bank on an ad-hoc basis.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.24. Sri Lanka

LKR – Sri Lankan rupee

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions are reported to the Central Bank and/or other local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC CODE.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.

Inter-company payments

- Loans must be registered with the central bank (Central Bank of Sri Lanka, www.cbsl.gov.lk/) to qualify for expatriation of repayments. Please be aware that this is a highly restricted activity and it must be evaluated case by case.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC CODE in field 57A.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.25. Taiwan

TWD – Taiwan Dollar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- TWD is a restricted currency which means that recollecting TWD from Taiwan is regulated. Exchange control regulations prevent free flow of funds out of the country.
- The onshore correspondent bank's responsibilities include filing a daily report with the central bank on incoming remittance transactions and a "FX declaration statement" for purchase of local currency (before settlement). After instructions are submitted, the onshore correspondent bank will obtain approval to transfer funds simultaneously to the resident account.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Beneficiary address (street address, city and country).
- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The beneficiary is required to complete an incoming remittance declaration form and provide support documentation to justify the payment. After the correspondent bank has received the completed form and documentation from the beneficiary bank, it will release funds and the payment will normally clear the same day.
- The documentation formalities can usually be completed within two to three days, but can take more than seven days in some cases. Delays are typically due to communication issues between the three entities involved – correspondent bank, beneficiary bank and the beneficiary.
- To facilitate the completion of the documentation formalities, it is required that the remitter provides the telephone number and contact person at the beneficiary in the payment instruction.
- This is a zero decimal currency and therefore does not have cents.

Inter-company payments

- There are no known TWD-specific issues with intercompany payments.
- Loans must be registered with the central bank to qualify for expatriation of repayments (Central Bank of Taiwan, <http://www.cbc.gov.tw/>).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.26. Tajikistan

TJS – Tajikistan Somoni

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Payments to individuals are not allowed, except for salaries (for which a contract of employment and a copy of beneficiary's passport must be provided by the remitter and which would be delivered to the beneficiary bank for approval).
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore it varies from bank to bank.
- Beneficiary INN (tax number) of 9 digits and an MFO (Bank code) of 9 digits are required.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (National bank of Tajikistan, www.nbt.tj/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.27. Thailand

THB – Thai Baht

General information

Cross-border payments to Thailand (THB) are subject to special conditions caused by regulatory requirements of the Central Bank of Thailand. Therefore the requirements must be strictly fulfilled.

Especially to mention is, that it is recommended to add a clear purpose of payment and the right purpose of payment (PoP) code.

In case not all payment requirements are fulfilled, the payment may either be rejected by the correspondent bank or the beneficiary bank.

Payment instructions

Standard Requirements:

- BIC (Bank Identifier Code) from Thai Bank head office, 11 characters with XXX at the end
- Beneficiary account name
- Account number
- Full beneficiary domicile address

Special Requirements:

- Purpose of payment (PoP) code – see formatting instructions below

What is the purpose of payment (PoP) code?

6 digit purpose code must be provided under format **/POP/XXXXXX/** with **XXXXXX** denoting the relevant purpose of payment code.

We recommend to add one of the following purpose codes in the remittance information:

- Individuals to Individuals: 318052; Savings or family allowances repatriated by a Thai non-resident or savings or family allowances repatriated by a foreigner
- Individuals to Corporates: 318028; Transfer Thai Baht to Resident THB cash account for service fees
- Corporates to Corporates: 318231; Payments for goods
- Corporates to Individuals: 318028; Transfer Thai Baht to Resident THB cash account for service fees

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

3.28. Tonga

TOP – Tonga Pa'anga

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.29. Uzbekistan

Som – Uzbekistan

General information

- Cross-border payments in Uzbekistan Som are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Beneficiary mobile number

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

3.30. Vanuatu

VUV – Vanuatu Vatu

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- VUV is a zero decimal currency.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

3.31. Vietnam

VND – Vietnamese Dong

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- VND is a restricted currency which means that recollecting VND from Vietnam is regulated. Exchange control regulations prevent free flow of funds out of the country.
- Cents do not exist in VND. Only payment instructions without decimals are supported.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- No standard account number format exists. Therefore, it varies from bank to bank.
- Tax payments: Tax code and type of tax payment are required for tax payments.
- Payments above VND 1 billion may require supporting documentation to be submitted. The document should indicate the purpose of payment (e.g. copy of invoice).

Inter-company payments

- Loans must be registered with the central bank in order to qualify for expatriation of repayments (State Bank of Vietnam, <http://www.sbv.gov.vn/>).

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

4. Europe & Middle East

4.1. Europe & Middle East – currency overview

Country	Currency ISO Code	Currency Name	Receivable and/or Payable (1), (2)	Additional Information and/or specific formatting Requirements(3)	Currency relevant Payment Restrictions(5)	Registered IBAN Country	Cut-off times for Payments (UBS Switzerland AG)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Singapore)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Hong Kong)
Albania	ALL	Albanian Lek (ALL)	P	X		X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Armenia	AMD	Armenian Dram (AMD)	P	X	X		12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Azerbaijan	AZN	Azerbaijani Manat	P	X		X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Bahrain ⁽⁶⁾	BHD	Bahrain Dinar (BHD)	R & P	X		X	08h00 V-1	--	17h30 V-2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	BAM	Bosnia Herzegovina Marka (BAM)	P	X		X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Czech Republic	CZK	Czech Crown (CZK)	R & P			X	09h30 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Denmark	DKK**	Danish Krone (DKK)	R & P			X	12h30 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
EuroZone Countries*	EUR**	Euro (EUR)	R & P			X	15h00 V	15h30 V-1	15h30 V
Georgia	GEL	Georgian Lari (GEL)	P		X	X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Hungary	HUF	Hungarian Forint (HUF)	R & P			X	10h00 V-1	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Iceland	ISK	Icelandic Krona	P		X	X	14h00 V-2		
Iraq ⁽⁶⁾	IQD	Iraqi Dinar (IQD)	P			X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Israel	ILS	Israeli Shekel (ILS)	R & P		X	X	08h00 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Jordan ⁽⁶⁾	JOD	Jordanian Dinar (JOD)	P	X		X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Kuwait	KWD	Kuwaiti Dinar (KWD)	R & P	X		X	07h00 V-1	17h30 V-1	--
Lebanon	LBP	Lebanese Pound (LBP)	P	X		X	12h00 V-2		
Moldavia	MDL	Moldavian Lei (MDL)	P	X	-	X	12h00 V-2		
North Macedonia	MKD	Macedonian Dinar (MKD)	P	X	-	X	12h00 V-2		
Norway	NOK**	Norwegian Krone (NOK)	R & P			X	12h30 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Oman ⁽⁶⁾	OMR	Omani Rial (OMR)	R & P	X		X	08h00 V-1	--	17h30 V-2
Pakistan ⁽⁴⁾	PKR	Pakistani Rupee (PKR)	P	X		X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Poland	PLN	Polish Zloty (PLN)	R & P			X	09h00 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1

Country	Currency ISO Code	Currency Name	Receivable and/or Payable (1), (2)	Additional Information and/or specific formatting Requirements(3)	Currency relevant Payment Restrictions(5)	Registered IBAN Country	Cut-off times for Payments (UBS Switzerland AG)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Singapore)	Cut-off times for Individual Payments (UBS Hong Kong)
Qatar (6)	QAR	Qatari Rial (QAR)	R & P	X		X	08h00 V-1	17h30 V-2	17h30 V-2
Romania	RON	Romanian Leu (RON)	R & P	X	X	X	07h00 V	17h30 V-2	--
Saudi Arabia (6)	SAR	Saudi Riyal (SAR)	R & P			X	13h30 V-1	17h30 V-2	17h30 V-2
Serbia	RSD	Serbian Dinar (RSD)	P			X	12h00 V-2	10h00 V-2	10h00 V-2
Sweden	SEK	Swedish Krona (SEK)	R & P			X	13h30 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
Switzerland and Liechtenstein	CHF	Swiss Franc (CHF)	R & P			X	16h00 V	15h30 V	15h30 V
Turkey	TRY	Turkish Lira (TRY)	R & P			X	10h00 V	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
United Arab Emirates	AED	United Arab Emirates Dirham (AED)	R & P			X	13h00 V-1	17h30 V-1	17h30 V-1
United Kingdom	GBP**	Pound Sterling (GBP)	R & P			X	16h15 V	15h30 V	15h30 V

* EuroZone Countries – Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia and Spain

Other countries and territories using other official currency

** DKK – Faroe Islands and Greenland

EUR – Åland Islands, Andorra, French Guiana, French Southern Territories, Guadeloupe, Martinique, Mayotte, Monaco, Montenegro, Réunion, Saint Barthélemy, Saint Martin (French Part), Saint Pierre and Miquelon, San Marino

GBP – Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands

NOK – Bouvet Island, Svalbard and Jan Mayen

(1) **"R & P"**: These are the currencies for which the client can hold an account and therefore he can execute and receive payments (e.g. CHF account).

(2) **"P"**: Currencies in which the client can only execute a payment out of their normal CHF, USD, GBP or EUR account, i.e., the client cannot hold an account in this currency.

(3) This flag is only valid when the information requirements go beyond the normal payment requirements for more exotic currencies. a) Beneficiary Bank Name, b) Beneficiary bank identification code (BIC or similar), c) Beneficiary name and address, d) Beneficiary account number, e) Purpose of payment.

(4) Due to the existing regulations in many of the countries below, the beneficiaries might be requested by the beneficiary bank or local regulator to provide additional documentation. The cases highlighted in this column are the ones that the beneficiary ALWAYS need to provide additional information, being this a one time preregistration or valid for all the payment instructions.

(5) This flag only covers special currency and payment restrictions. General restrictions like loan payments (where pre-approvals are many times required or often not offered due to country regulations) or restriction related with the payment conversion (must be done only in the respective country by approved and regulated entities) will not be considered and should always be checked.

(6) The local market of this currency is closed on Fridays. This means that Friday is not a valid business day for this currency.

4.2. Albania

ALL – Albanian Lek

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as the beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- IBAN format is required. 28 characters (ALXX + 24 digits).
- For utility payments, the name of the client, the month of the utility bill period covered and the contract number of the subscriber is required.
- For tax payments a declaration form is required and needs to be provided by the taxpayer to the beneficiary bank.

Inter-company payments

- Inter-company loans can be done on a case-by-case basis and supporting paperwork documenting the purpose and scope of the transaction might be required. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

4.3. Armenia

AMD – Armenian Dram

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- Payments above 20 million AMD require supporting documentation from the remitter indicating the purpose of payment (e.g. copy of invoice).
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Bank codes are required to be added in front of account numbers (3 digits). Code list available upon demand.
- Beneficiary legal entity type (e.g. charity, corporate, etc.) must be described in the additional information field.

Inter-company payments

- Loans will need to be registered with the Central Bank (Central Bank of Armenia, www.cba.am/) in order to qualify for expatriation of re-payments. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

4.4. Azerbaijan

AZN – Azerbaijani Manat

General information

- Payments to non-resident beneficiaries are classified in 2 categories: tax payer and non-tax payer:
 - a) tax payer non-resident (having Azerbaijani tax ID) can receive funds from a legal entity showing the clear purpose of transfer
 - b) non-tax payer non-resident can only receive “financial aid” from abroad with supporting documents
 - c) non-resident legal entity (tax payers) can receive funds from abroad only with supporting documents (invoice, contract, other real business papers)
- Please note that due to local regulations and in order to ensure the accuracy of the details, the local agent might request additional information and/or proceed after some time to a review of the “initial pre-trade setup” information.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

The following information is required in every payment instruction:

- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Contact details of the beneficiary bank (name, telephone number and e-mail address).
- Beneficiary Account Number (IBAN: 28 characters, AZXX + 24 digits).
- Beneficiary bank's correspondent AZN account number (in Azerbaijan Central Bank, IBAN format).
(pain.001 CdtrAgAcct.Id.Othr.Id)
- 10-digit tax ID for corporates. The tax ID is not required for individuals.
- 6-digit BIK Code (bank branch code).
- Beneficiary bank's Tax Identification Number (VOEN). **(pain.001: CdtrAgt.PstlAdr.Adrlne)**
- In-depth purpose of payment. If the payment is for charitable purposes, this must be stated or the beneficiary bank may be subject to a tax charge for income received.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

4.5. Bahrain

BHD – Bahrain Dinar

General information

Cross-border payments in Bahrain Dinar to Bahrain are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- IBAN format is required. 22 characters (BHXX + 18 characters).
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code

Special Requirements:

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.e. GIFT FOR PARENTS).
- Purpose of payment (PoP) code – see formatting instructions below

What is the POP code?

What is the purpose of payment (PoP) code?

The PoP code denotes the payment purpose. The code consists of three letters and is provided by the Central Bank of Bahrain. The PoP code must correspond to the reason for payment, which must also be specified in the payment order. If a PoP code does not match, is missing or incorrect, UBS or the beneficiary bank will reject or revoke the payment. The PoP codes you can find [here](#)

4.6. Bosnia and Herzegovina

BAM – Bosnia Herzegovina Marka

General information

- No major currency restrictions.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- IBAN: 20 characters (BA39 + 16 digits)
- BAM is settled as a EUR transfer. The beneficiary decides whether to withdraw the funds in BAM or in EUR at their bank.
- For payments made in BAM, if the final beneficiary belongs to a budget organization (government organization), the following details must be provided:
 - a) Budget Organization Code
 - b) Profit type (6 number combination)
 - c) Citation number (municipality) – (3 number combination)

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag “Unstructured” <Ustrd> within the level “Remittance Information” <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

4.7. Georgia

GEL – Georgian Lari

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or a registered international NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators
- Standard rules for cancellations apply. After the payment is released to the beneficiary, the payment can only be reversed as long as beneficiary cooperates with returning the funds back to the remitter.
- All transactions will be reported to the local regulator.
- Reason for Payment is required.
- For GEL payments where the ordering customer or remitter is a charity or non-governmental organization (NGO), enhanced due diligence measures apply. These include the submission of KYC documentation and transaction-specific details, such as the source of funds.

Payment instructions

- IBAN format is required. 22 characters (GEXX + 18 digits).

Intercompany payments

- Loan payments could be provided depending on size of the transfer and parties involved. Please be aware that this is a complex activity and it must be evaluated by UBS and its provider on a case-by-case basis before the payment is executed. All other payments are acceptable.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the Tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – Only one occurrence allowed).

4.8. Iraq

IQD – Iraqi Dinar

General information

Cross-border payments in Iraqi Dinar are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- 23 character IBAN (IQ + 21 digits)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code

Special Requirements

- Individual to individual (P2P) payments are not permitted.
- Transactions below 10,000.00 IQD are not supported.
- IQD payments to third party beneficiaries must now include:
 - a. A detailed description of the purpose of the payment
 - b. The relationship between the remitter and the beneficiary
 - c. Relevant supporting documentation

4.9. Jordan

JOD – Jordanian Dinar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident,
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Local market is closed every Friday.
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- IBAN: 30 characters (JOXX + bank code + branch code + 18 digits)
- Payment Purpose Code (4 digits) is mandatory for payments in each currency to Jordan. List of codes can be found [here](#). It must have a prefix "/" and formatted as: "/1234 denoting the relevant purpose of payment code.
- Please note that the "Payment Purpose Code" must be present in the beginning of the first line of the remittance information. This code must be followed by the description of the purpose of payment.

Intercompany payments

- Loans must be registered with the central bank (Central Bank of Jordan, www.cbj.gov.jo/) to qualify for expatriation of repayments. All other payments are accepted.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

4.10. Kuwait

KWD – Kuwaiti Dinar

General information

- Cross-border payments in Kuwaiti Dinar are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- IBAN: 30 characters (KWXX + 26 characters)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- POP code (5 characters) is provided (see details below)
- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

Important Purpose of payment:

- The purpose of payment code is mandatory for all payments to Kuwait in Kuwaiti Dinar (KWD). Please use an appropriate code according to the description [here](#).
- Central bank of Kuwait requires that all payments contain a purpose of payment code as well as a description of the purpose of the payment. This description should be as detailed as possible and always in English.
- The absence of the above information will result in payment returns or severe delays in the delivery of such payments to the beneficiary.

Example for POP-Code and purpose of payment pain.001

<RmtInf>

<Ustrd>/BENEFRES/KW//POP/ABCD</Ustrd>

</RmtInf>

4.11. Lebanon

LBP – Lebanese Pound

General information

- It is important that beneficiary is willing to receive LBP as return of funds are extremely difficult to process and the payment may be trapped
- Payments less than 1 million LBP are not supported.

Payment instructions

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- IBAN: 28 characters (LBXX + 24 digits)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.e. GIFT FOR PARENTS).
- Beneficiary must have a presence in country i.e. payments can only be made to onshore residents

4.12. Moldova

MDL – Moldavian Leu

General information

- Cross-border payments in Moldavian Leu are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- 24 character IBAN (MD + 22 digits)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Beneficiary mobile number

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

4.13. North Macedonia

MKD – Macedonian Dinar

General information

- Cross-border payments in Macedonian Dinar are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- 19 character IBAN (MK + 17 digits)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Beneficiary telephone number.

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

4.14. Oman

OMR – Oman Rial

General information

- Cross-border payments in Oman Rial are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- 23 character IBAN (OM + 212 digits)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- Beneficiary mobile number

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS)

4.15. Pakistan

PKR – Pakistani Rupee

General information

- a) Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC CODE
 - b) Beneficiary Account Name
 - c) Beneficiary Account Number
 - d) Purpose of Payment
- The beneficiary must complete the Inward Remittance Form (Form R) indicating the purpose of the remittance and submit it to their bank. The beneficiary's bank must then forward the Form R to our correspondent bank before the funds can be released. This process might take 2 to 3 days. To facilitate the process, it is recommended that the remitter informs their beneficiary of the incoming transfer. Form R is required for all payments, regardless of the amount.
 - Please note that if the beneficiary is registered locally as an NGO, INGO or NPO, they may be required to provide the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed with Government of Pakistan and one of the following documents to be submitted together with the Form R.
 1. Registration with Economic Affairs Division (EAD)
 2. Registration with Ministry of Interior (MOI)
 - As per local regulations we are unable to support donation and charity payments to individual beneficiary accounts.

Payment instructions

- IBAN: 24 characters (PKXX + 20 characters) is mandatory
- Ordering customer identity number (e.g: NICOP / Passport No. / CNIC / Entity Registration No. / Any other Unique ID) ***. The prefix RUID should be utilized. (NICOP = National Identity Card for Overseas Pakistanis / CNIC = Computerized National Identity Card / NTN = National Tax Number)
- Beneficiary identity number (e.g: NICOP / CNIC / Passport No. / NTN / Entity Registration No) ***. The prefix BUID should be utilized.
- 4-digit POP code (list of applicable codes is available from StoneX). It must have a prefix and formatted as: POPC XXXX denoting the relevant purpose of payment code.
- Full ordering customer address, including country.
- Full beneficiary bank branch name and address.

Payment requirement

All payments require the completion of Form R, regardless of amount (this is despite the \$10,000-level indicated on the Form R). Please note that if the beneficiary is registered locally as an NGO, INGO or NPO, they would be required to provide the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed with Government of Pakistan and one of the following documents to be submitted together with the Form R.

1. Registration with Economic Affairs Division (EAD)
2. Registration with Ministry of Interior (MOI)

Payment process

- 1) On value date, local correspondent bank will send a remittance advice to the beneficiary bank.
- 2) Once the beneficiary bank receives the above advice, they will contact the beneficiary to complete the required Form R. If the beneficiary bank does not do this, the beneficiary may want to contact the beneficiary bank directly to ask about the incoming funds and request to complete Form R. NB: If a beneficiary has been informed by the ordering institution that the funds are en route, the beneficiary can go ahead to their bank and request the Form R; this could ultimately speed up the settlement process as the beneficiary does not necessarily need to wait for the value date before completing the Form R.
- 3) Once the Form R has been completed, the beneficiary bank will send it to the local correspondent bank. It is only when the local correspondent bank receives the returned and completed Form R that the PKR will be sent to the beneficiary bank to be credited to the beneficiary account. The contracted notional will always be received by the beneficiary.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 x 35 digits). When full beneficiary bank branch name and address is required, the Field 57D can also be used instead.
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

4.16. Qatar

QAR – Qatari riyal

General information

- Cross-border payments to Qatar are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- IBAN: 29 characters (KW + 27 characters)
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code
- POP code (5 characters) is provided (see details below)
- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS).

Important Purpose of payment

- The purpose of payment code is mandatory for all payments to Qatar. Please use an appropriate code according to the description [here](#).
- Central bank of Qatar requires that all payments contain a purpose of payment code as well as a description of the purpose of the payment. This description should be as detailed as possible and always in English.
- The absence of the above information will result in payment returns or severe delays in the delivery of such payments to the beneficiary.

Example for POP-Code and purpose of payment pain.001

<RmtInf>

<Ustrd>/BENEFRES/QA//XXXXXX</Ustrd>

</RmtInf>

4.17. Romania

RON – Romanian Leu

General information

- Cross-border payments in Romanian Leu are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- Full beneficiary domicile address
- IBAN
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code.

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.e. GIFT FOR PARENTS)
- For budgetary payments (when Creditor Agent is TREZROBU) additional information have to be provided:
 - Debtor Fiscal Identifier: CUI/NIF (Organizational) -> must be digits only, CNP/NIF (Private) -> digits only, TXID (CUI/NIF) and NIDN (CNP)
 - Creditor Fiscal Identifier CUI/NIF (Organizational) -> must be digits only, CNP/NIF (Private) -> digits only, TXID (CUI/NIF) and NIDN (CNP)

4.18. Serbia

RSD – Serbian dinar

General information

- Offshore/Non-resident clients can purchase local currency as long as:
 - a) the final beneficiary is an onshore resident or NGO
 - b) the local currency leg of the transaction is executed with an authorized and regulated local financial institution that reports the transaction to the necessary regulators.
- Payments over EUR 50,000 or the equivalent: supporting paperwork must be provided by the beneficiary at the beneficiary bank to enable access to funds and justify the receipt (e.g. invoices, proof of agreement between companies if payment for professional services, etc.).
- Payments below EUR 50,000 or the equivalent: no supporting paperwork necessary.
- NGOs need to provide up-to-date registration documents to receive funds. A one-time registration process is also required with the central bank (National Bank of Serbia, www.nbs.rs/internet/english/).
- Reason for Payment is required.

Payment instructions

- Usage of IBAN is required (22 characters).
- The full beneficiary address must be included in the payment instruction.

Intercompany payments

- Loan payments are not supported. Supporting paperwork is needed for company investments.

Formatting guidelines

The information required in the payment instruction depends on the channel and/or format:

- For SWIFT MT101 or MT103, all relevant information in Field 70: Remittance Information (4 × 35 digits).
- For ISO 20022/XML (pain.001), all relevant information for the tag "Unstructured" <Ustrd> within the level "Remittance Information" <RmtInf> (140 digits – only one occurrence allowed).

4.19. Turkey

TRY – Turkish Lira

General information

Cross-border payments in Turkish Lira are subject to the following special conditions which must be strictly fulfilled.

Payment instructions

It is essential when issuing a payment to check the payment details are correct:

- The full beneficiary address (incl. country) must be included in the payment instruction.
- Beneficiary Account number
- Beneficiary Bank SWIFT/BIC Code

Special Requirements

- Detailed description of the payment purpose (i.E. GIFT FOR PARENTS).

4.20. United Arab Emirates

AED – United Arab Emirates Dirham

General information

Cross-border payments to United Arab Emirates (UAE) are subject to special conditions caused by regulatory requirements of the Central Bank of the UAE. Therefore the requirements must be strictly fulfilled. Especially to mention is, that it is recommended to add a clear purpose of payment and it is mandatory to add the right purpose of payment ([PoP](#) code), if you do cross-border payments in United Arab Emirates Dirham (AED) or any other currency to UAE. Every payment will be reviewed by UBS. In case not all payment requirements are fulfilled, the payment may either be rejected by the correspondent bank or the beneficiary bank.

Payment instructions

Standard Requirements:

- Beneficiary bank SWIFT/BIC CODE
- Beneficiary account name
- IBAN: 23 characters (AEXX + 19 digits)
- Full beneficiary domicile address

Special Requirements:

- Purpose of payment ([PoP](#) code) – see formatting instructions below

What is the purpose of payment (PoP) code?

The [PoP code](#) denotes the payment purpose. The code consists of three letters and is provided by the Central Bank of the UAE. The PoP code must correspond to the reason for payment, which must also be specified in the payment order. If a PoP code does not match, is missing or incorrect, UBS or the beneficiary bank will reject or revoke the payment. An up-to-date list of the PoP codes can be requested from UBS and is available [here](#).

Formatting Instructions for the PoP

SWIFT MT 101

Tag	Field Name	Example
70	Remittance Information	/BENEFRES/AE// XYZ /*

SWIFT MT 103 (option #1 - preferred)

Tag	Field Name	Example
77B	Purpose of Payment Code	/BENEFRES/AE// XYZ /*

SWIFT MT 103 (option #2 – additional charges)

Tag	Field Name	Example
72	Sender to Receiver Information	/BENEFRES/AE// XYZ /*

XML (pain.001)

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<RgltryRptg>  
<DbtCdtRptgInd>CRED</DbtCdtRptgInd>  
<Dtls>  
<Ctry>AE</Ctry>  
<Cd>XYZ</Cd>  
</Dtls>  
</RgltryRptg>
```

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Field Name	Example
Instructions	/BENEFRES/AE// XYZ /*

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