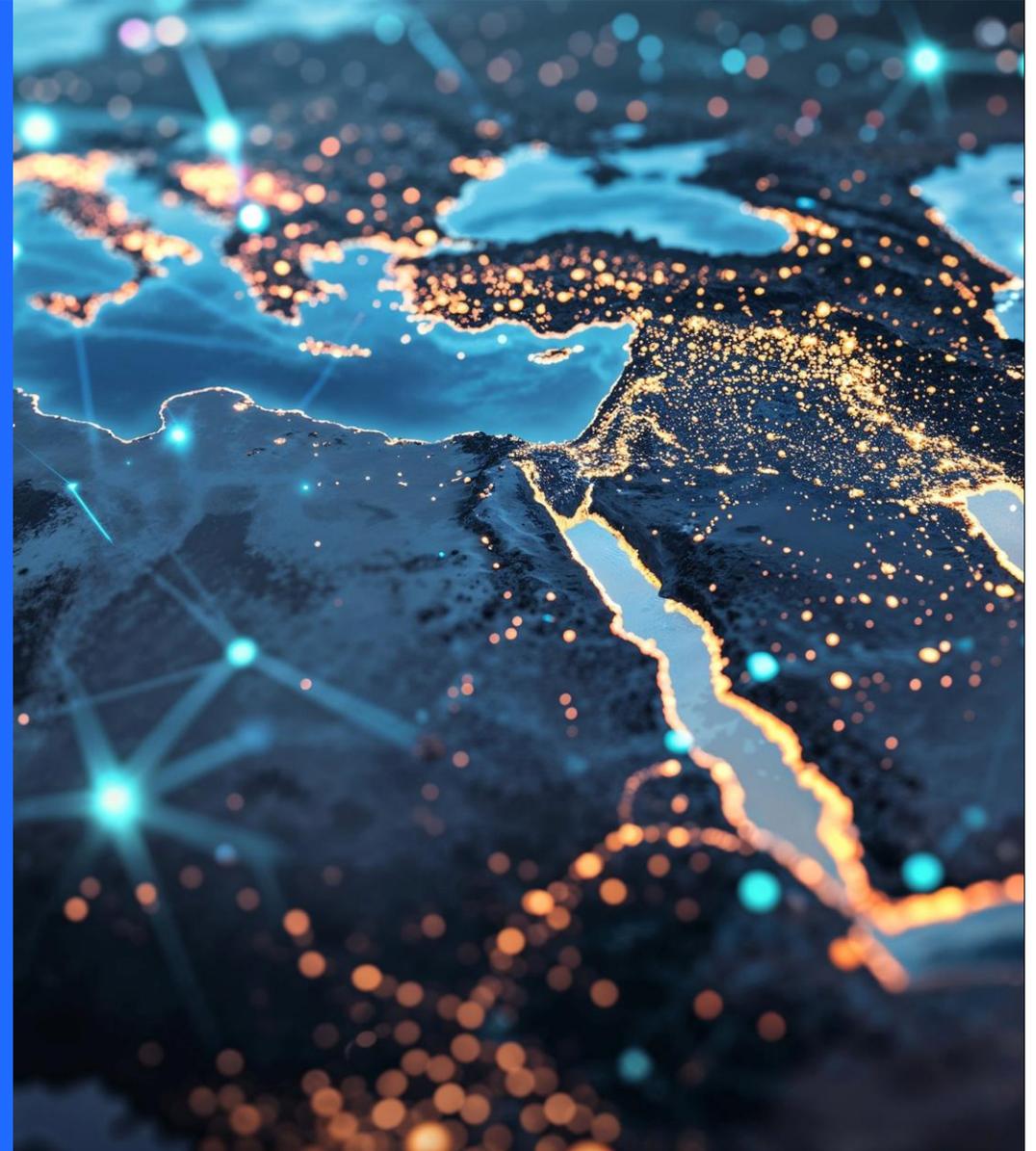




MIDDLE EAST CONFLICT
Airspace & Airline Status



Airspace Status

Country	Status	Scope of Restriction	Expiry
Bahrain	Closed	All inbound, outbound and transit flights suspended until further notice.	Until further notice
Egypt	Open	Functioning as the western gateway for the southern bypass routing.	N/A
Iran	Closed	Total airspace closure for all civil operations, until further notice.	Until further notice
Iraq	Closed	Total airspace closure for all civil operations, until further notice.	Until further notice
Israel	Restricted	Civil airspace closed; very limited, "Prior Permission Required" (PPR) arrivals for state/emergency flights.	Until further notice
Jordan	Restricted	Intermittent closures; operations are highly unpredictable and subject to short-notice NOTAMs.	Until further notice
Kuwait	Closed	Total airspace closure, until further notice.	Until further notice
Lebanon	Closed	Beirut FIR (OLBB) is now listed as closed/high-risk due to ongoing military activity in the area.	Until further notice
Oman	Open	Primary hub for the southern bypass. Heavily utilized, but seeing increased tactical delays and GNSS interference.	N/A
Qatar	Restricted	Limited recovery; Qatar Airways resumed a restricted schedule as of today (March 18) using specific approved corridors.	Until further notice
Saudi Arabia	Open	Open; heavily used as reroute corridor, ATC congestion/delays possible.	N/A
Syria	Closed	Effectively closed; only partial reopening of Aleppo Airport for some northern routes, reviewed daily.	Until further notice
United Arab Emirates	Restricted	Restricted; partial resumption of operations, reviewed daily.	Review daily

Airline Status

Airline	Status	Scope of Restriction	Expiry
Emirates SkyCargo	Restricted	Emirates has begun accepting cargo booking from many major origin. As operations gradually resume, priority continues to be given to clearing cargo currently on hand. The situation remain fluid, and planned frequencies are subject to change based on ongoing approvals from the relevant authorities.	Subject to change
Etihad Airways	Restricted	Etihad Airways resumed a limited commercial passenger flight to key destinations" (London, Paris, NYC, etc.) Etihad Cargo resumed a limited freighter schedule. All services remain subject to operational approvals and may be adjusted.	Subject to change
Gulf Air	Closed	Flight operations to / from BAH are suspended	Until further notice
Kuwait Airways	Restricted	Mixed operations, still seeing high cancellation rates and mostly operating on a day-by-day approval basis rather than schedule.	Subject to Change
Oman Air	Open / Congested	One of the few regional hubs remaining fully operational, though experiencing extreme ATC saturation and delays.	N/A

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Qatar Airways	Restricted	<p>Qatar Airways (QR) is currently operating a revised limited schedule between March 18 and March 28, 2026. While general Qatari airspace remains under strict closure, the carrier has secured temporary authorization from the Qatar Civil Aviation Authority (QCAA) to utilize specific safe corridors for these flights.</p> <p>Because the regional situation remain fluid, all operations are subject to hourly changes based on shifting airspace permissions and safety requirements.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status: Operating a revised limited schedule (March 18–28). • Availability: Priority is being given to relief and essential transit, with commercial bookings subject to sudden cancellation or rescheduling. • Recommendation: Passengers and operations teams should verify the status of specific flight numbers directly through the QR cargo or passenger portals at least 2 hours before scheduled departure. 	<p>Learn More →</p> <p>Subject to change</p>

AIR TRANSPORTATION

Airline Status

Last Updated: **March 19**

Airline	Status	Scope of Restriction	Expiry
Royal Jordanian	Restricted	Operational from Amman to select European destinations.	Until further notice
Saudia Cargo	Restricted	Saudia has begun a partial resumption of services between KSA, Dubai & AUH, however BAH, KWI, DOH remained suspended	Until further notice
Air France KLM	Suspended	Flights to Dubai/Riyadh suspended until March 20. Tel Aviv/Beirut suspended until March 21.	Until further notice
Cargolux	Suspended	Temporary suspension of all freight bound for the Middle East, with the sole exception of Muscat (MCT).	Until further notice
Cathay Group	Suspended	All passenger and cargo services to Dubai and Riyadh are cancelled until at least March 31.	Until further notice
China Cargo	Suspended	Maintaining limited operations into non-conflict zones but avoiding the central Middle East corridor.	Until further notice
Lufthansa Cargo	Suspended	Flights to Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Amman, Erbil, and Beirut are suspended until March 28. Tehran remain suspended through April 30.	Until further notice
Singapore Airlines	Suspended	Avoiding Iranian and Iraqi airspace; significant delays on Europe-Asia routes due to "Northern" or "Southern" bypasses. Middle East flights are suspended.	Until further notice
Turkish Cargo	Suspended	Most flights to/from UAE, Qatar, Kuwait, Bahrain, and Saudi Arabia are cancelled until March 19.	Until further notice