



Automax Containers

SHIPPING CONTAINER PRICE LIST

Website: www.automaxcontainers.com

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Price Overview

USD conversion used in this guide: R17.50 = US\$1.00. Dollar figures are approximate and should be updated using the prevailing exchange rate before quotation.

Product	Starting Price (ZAR)	Approx. Price (USD)	Typical Use
3m Standard Shipping Container	From R22,000	From US\$1,257	Compact storage, site storage, small stock
6m Standard Shipping Container	From R26,000	From US\$1,486	Storage, retail stock, workshops
12m Standard Shipping Container	From R34,000	From US\$1,943	Large storage, industrial stock, equipment
3m Refrigerated Container	From R38,000	From US\$2,171	Small cold-chain / agricultural storage
6m Refrigerated Container	From R48,000	From US\$2,743	Cold storage, food, agriculture
12m Refrigerated Container	From R68,000	From US\$3,886	Large cold-chain and bulk storage
6m Converted Office — 1 Door / 1 Window	From R38,000	From US\$2,171	Site office, mining, construction
12m Converted Office — 2 Doors / 2 Windows	From R44,000	From US\$2,514	Larger site and executive office
6m Tuck Shop — 1 Door / 1 Window	From R48,000	From US\$2,743	Retail kiosk, takeaway, small shop

3m Standard Shipping Container

10ft-class compact general-purpose unit

PRICE GUIDE: From R22,000 | From US\$1,257

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 2.99–3.03 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	Approx. 2.83–2.95 L × 2.35 W × 2.39 H m
Approx. capacity / base unit	16–17 m³

Typical applications

Small storage, stock holding, garden/site storage, compact retail and conversion projects.

Standard / suggested configuration

- Weather-resistant steel container construction
- Lockable cargo doors
- Marine-grade plywood floor is typical for shipping containers
- Suitable base unit for custom conversion

Pricing / specification note

Dimensions vary slightly by manufacturer and container condition.

6m Standard Shipping Container

20ft-class general-purpose unit

PRICE GUIDE: From R26,000 | From US\$1,486

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	Approx. 5.90 L × 2.35 W × 2.39 H m
Approx. capacity / base unit	33 m³

Typical applications

Storage, retail inventory, workshops, construction sites, agricultural equipment and conversion projects.

Standard / suggested configuration

- Durable corrugated steel shell
- Standard cargo doors
- Suitable for storage or conversion
- Strong, versatile footprint for commercial use

Pricing / specification note

Automax's supplied starting reference is R26,000.

12m Standard Shipping Container

40ft-class general-purpose unit

PRICE GUIDE: From R34,000 | From US\$1,943

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 12.19 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	Approx. 12.03 L × 2.35 W × 2.39 H m
Approx. capacity / base unit	67–68 m³

Typical applications

Large-volume storage, industrial stock, machinery, warehouse overflow and long-term site storage.

Standard / suggested configuration

- Large internal storage volume
- Standard cargo-door configuration
- Suitable for commercial and industrial applications
- Can be converted into offices, shops, workshops or other structures

Pricing / specification note

Price is a guide based on the supplied 6m starting price and South African market specification references.

3m Refrigerated Container

Compact reefer / cold-chain unit

PRICE GUIDE: From R38,000 | From US\$2,171

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 3.00 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	—
Approx. capacity / base unit	Approx. 16 m³ class

Typical applications

Small-scale agricultural storage, food products, catering, events and temperature-sensitive stock.

Standard / suggested configuration

- Insulated reefer body
- Integrated refrigeration equipment
- Designed for cold-chain holding
- Suitable for compact sites where space is limited

Pricing / specification note

Automax supplied a refrigerated-unit starting reference of R38,000; actual reefer price depends heavily on equipment condition and operating specification.

6m Refrigerated Container

20ft-class refrigerated unit

PRICE GUIDE: From R48,000 | From US\$2,743

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	Approx. 5.45 m for a typical reefer
Approx. capacity / base unit	—

Typical applications

Cold rooms, agriculture, food distribution, catering, pharmaceuticals where appropriate, and cold-chain logistics.

Standard / suggested configuration

- Insulated interior
- Refrigeration machinery
- Cold-chain storage capability
- Suitable for commercial food and agricultural operations

Pricing / specification note

Final price should specify whether the refrigeration system is running/operational and the required temperature range.

12m Refrigerated Container

40ft-class refrigerated unit

PRICE GUIDE: From R68,000 | From US\$3,886

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 12.19 L × 2.44 W × 2.90 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	Approx. 11.69 m for a typical reefer
Approx. capacity / base unit	—

Typical applications

Large agricultural storage, food distribution, cold-chain logistics and high-volume temperature-sensitive stock.

Standard / suggested configuration

- High-capacity insulated enclosure
- Integrated refrigeration equipment
- Large cold-storage footprint
- Suitable for commercial cold-chain operations

Pricing / specification note

Final pricing depends on reefer machinery, condition, temperature specification and whether the unit is running.

6m Converted Office — 1 Door / 1 Window

1 door • 1 window

PRICE GUIDE: From R38,000 | From US\$2,171

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	1 door + 1 window
Approx. capacity / base unit	6m / 20ft-class base unit

Typical applications

Construction sites, mining operations, security posts, temporary offices, workshops and small business premises.

Standard / suggested configuration

- 1 secure external door
- 1 window
- Interior fit-out can include insulation, electrical points and lighting
- Branding and additional fittings can be customized

Pricing / specification note

Automax's supplied 12m Executive Office reference is R44,000. The 6m price shown here is an indicative guide for the requested simpler configuration.

12m Converted Office — 2 Doors / 2 Windows

2 doors • 2 windows

PRICE GUIDE: From R44,000 | From US\$2,514

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 12.19 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	2 doors + 2 windows
Approx. capacity / base unit	12m / 40ft-class base unit

Typical applications

Executive/site offices, mining camps, construction projects, classrooms, administration and modular workspaces.

Standard / suggested configuration

- 2 secure external doors
- 2 windows
- Large internal workspace
- Can be customized with insulation, electrical systems, flooring, partitions and air conditioning

Pricing / specification note

Automax's supplied starting reference for a 12m Executive Office is R44,000.

6m Tuck Shop — 1 Door / 1 Window

1 door • 1 window

PRICE GUIDE: From R48,000 | From US\$2,743

Key specifications

Specification	Details
External dimensions	Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions / configuration	1 door + 1 window; serving opening can be added as a custom feature
Approx. capacity / base unit	6m / 20ft-class base unit

Typical applications

Convenience stores, food outlets, takeaway points, kiosks, school retail points and small roadside businesses.

Standard / suggested configuration

- 1 secure customer/staff door
- 1 window
- Retail shelving and counter layouts can be customized
- Electrical and branding options available as a conversion

Pricing / specification note

The price is an indicative conversion starting point. A final quote should state whether a serving hatch, counters, shelving, electrical fit-out, plumbing or signage is included.

Container Dimension & Selection Guide

Common South African shipping-container dimensions are summarized below. Actual measurements can vary slightly by manufacturer, model, age and condition.

Size	External L × W × H	Internal L × W × H	Approx. volume	Best for
3m / 10ft	2.99–3.03 × 2.44 × 2.59 m	2.83–2.95 × 2.35 × 2.39 m	~16 m ³	Compact storage
6m / 20ft	~6.06 × 2.44 × 2.59 m	~5.90 × 2.35 × 2.39 m	~33 m ³	General storage / conversion
12m / 40ft	~12.19 × 2.44 × 2.59 m	~12.03 × 2.35 × 2.39 m	~67–68 m ³	Large storage / conversion
12m High Cube	~12.19 × 2.44 × 2.90 m	~12.03 × 2.35 × 2.70 m	~76 m ³	Extra vertical clearance

High Cube reference

High Cube containers use the same basic footprint as standard units but provide approximately 30 cm of additional external height. The supplied Automax reference states High Cube Units from R29,000, equivalent to approximately US\$1,657 at the exchange rate used in this document. Confirm exact size, condition and specification when quoting.

Refrigerated units

Reefers have thicker insulated walls and refrigeration equipment, so their usable internal dimensions differ from standard dry containers. For cold-chain purchasing, always confirm machinery status, temperature range, power requirements, controller condition and service history.

Quotation & Buying Guidelines

- 1. Confirm size and type** — State the exact length, standard/high-cube status, refrigerated/standard specification, and whether the unit is new, one-trip or used.
- 2. Confirm condition** — For used containers, request current photos and confirm wind-and-water-tightness, floor condition, door seals, corrosion and structural condition.
- 3. Confirm conversion scope** — For offices and tuck shops, specify doors, windows, serving hatches, insulation, electrical work, flooring, counters, shelving, plumbing, air conditioning and branding.
- 4. Confirm reefer specification** — For refrigerated units, specify operating temperature, refrigeration equipment status, power supply, cooling performance and whether the unit is running.
- 5. Confirm delivery** — Delivery and offloading requirements depend on the site, access, distance, truck type and lifting equipment. Obtain a delivered-to-site quotation.
- 6. Confirm taxes and extras** — Ask the supplier to state whether VAT, transport, crane/offloading, customization, electrical certification and other charges are included.
- 7. Request a written quotation** — The final quote should identify the exact unit, condition, inclusions, exclusions, price, validity period, delivery terms and payment terms.

Automax service positioning

Automax Containers presents its offering around international and nationwide delivery, quality inspection, competitive pricing, custom modifications and fast turnaround. Our website also describes custom conversions for offices, tuck shops, homes, classrooms and commercial structures.

Website: www.automaxcontainers.com

Customer quotation contact shown on the supplied Automax material: info.automax.containers@proton.me

Sources & Specification Notes

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6.0 m external length

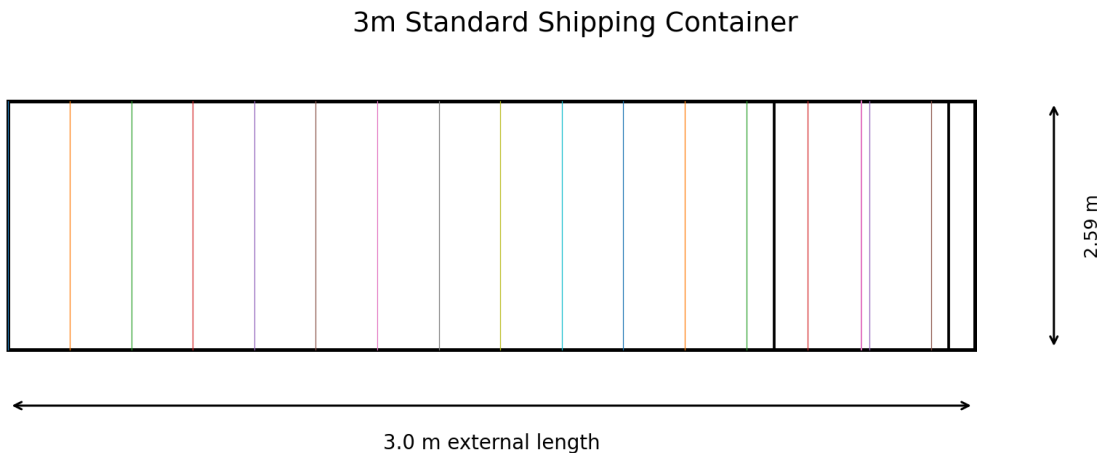
2.59 m

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3m Standard Shipping Container

10ft-class compact general-purpose unit



Key specifications

External dimensions	Approx. 2.99–3.03 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions	Approx. 2.83–2.95 L × 2.35 W × 2.39 H m
Approx. capacity	16–17 m ³

Typical applications

Small storage, stock holding, garden/site storage, compact retail and conversion projects.

Standard / suggested configuration

- Weather-resistant steel container construction
- Lockable cargo doors
- Marine-grade plywood floor is typical for shipping containers
- Suitable base unit for custom conversion

Pricing / specification note: Dimensions vary slightly by manufacturer and container condition.

6m Standard Shipping Container

20ft-class general-purpose unit



Key specifications

External dimensions	Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions	Approx. 5.90 L × 2.35 W × 2.39 H m
Approx. capacity	33 m ³

Typical applications

Storage, retail inventory, workshops, construction sites, agricultural equipment and conversion projects.

Standard / suggested configuration

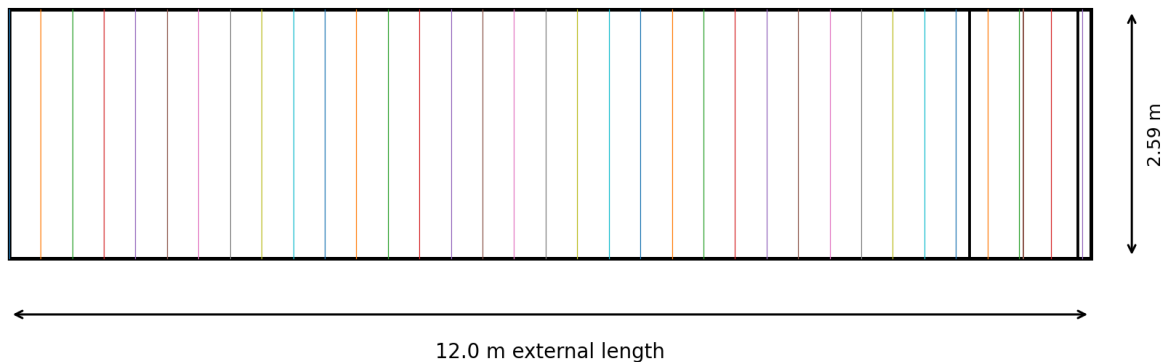
- Durable corrugated steel shell
- Standard cargo doors
- Suitable for storage or conversion
- Strong, versatile footprint for commercial use

Pricing / specification note: Automax's supplied starting reference is R26,000.

12m Standard Shipping Container

40ft-class general-purpose unit

12m Standard Shipping Container



Key specifications

External dimensions	Approx. 12.19 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Internal dimensions	Approx. 12.03 L × 2.35 W × 2.39 H m
Approx. capacity	67–68 m ³

Typical applications

Large-volume storage, industrial stock, machinery, warehouse overflow and long-term site storage.

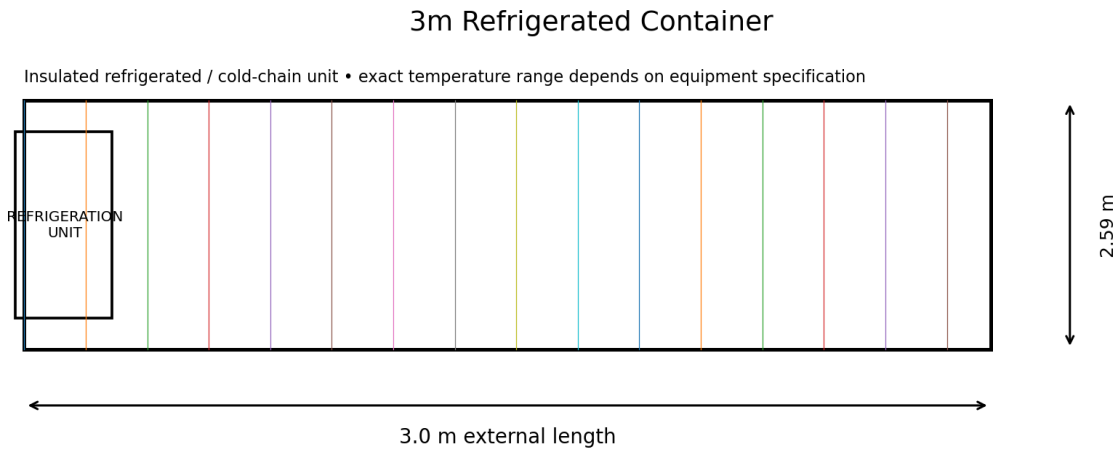
Standard / suggested configuration

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- Standard cargo-door configuration
- Suitable for commercial and industrial applications
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3m Refrigerated Container

Compact reefer / cold-chain unit



Key specifications

External dimensions	Approx. 3.00 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Application	Temperature-controlled storage
Capacity	Approx. 16 m ³ class

Typical applications

Small-scale agricultural storage, food products, catering, events and temperature-sensitive stock.

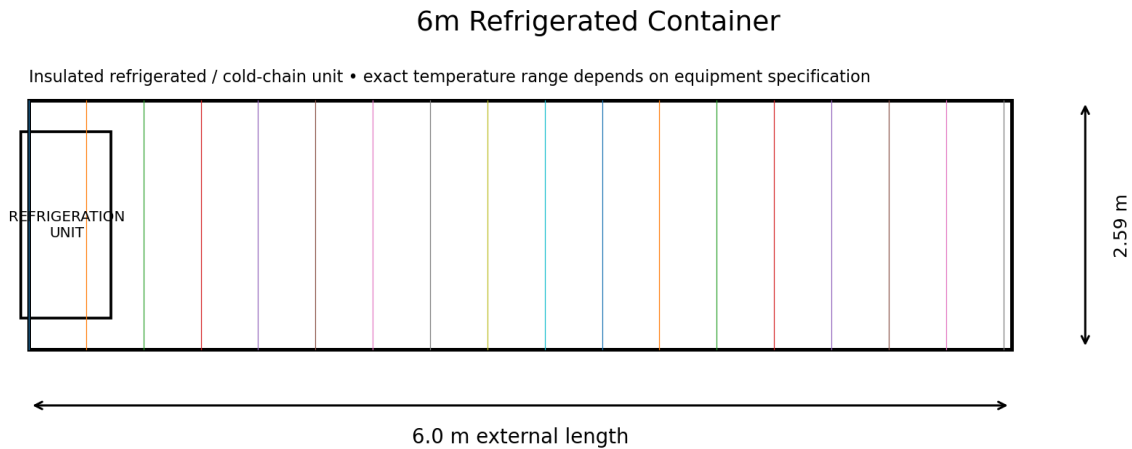
Standard / suggested configuration

- Insulated reefer body
- Integrated refrigeration equipment
- Designed for cold-chain holding
- Suitable for compact sites where space is limited

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6m Refrigerated Container

20ft-class refrigerated unit



Key specifications

External dimensions

Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m

Internal length

Approx. 5.45 m for a typical reefer

Application

Temperature-controlled storage

Typical applications

Cold rooms, agriculture, food distribution, catering, pharmaceuticals where appropriate, and cold-chain logistics.

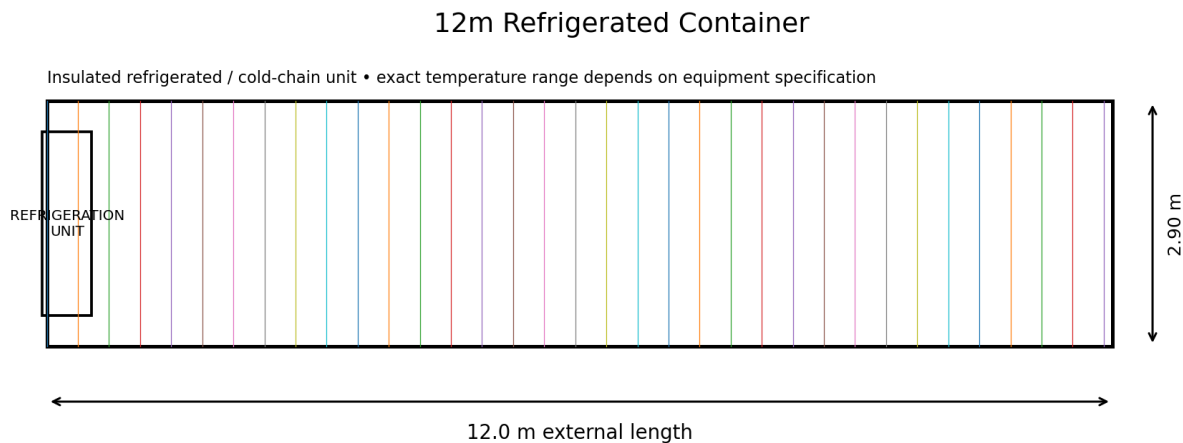
Standard / suggested configuration

- Insulated interior
- Refrigeration machinery
- Cold-chain storage capability
- Suitable for commercial food and agricultural operations

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12m Refrigerated Container

40ft-class refrigerated unit



Key specifications

External dimensions

Approx. 12.19 L × 2.44 W × 2.90 H m

Internal length

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Application

Large-scale temperature-controlled storage

Typical applications

Large agricultural storage, food distribution, cold-chain logistics and high-volume temperature-sensitive stock.

Standard / suggested configuration

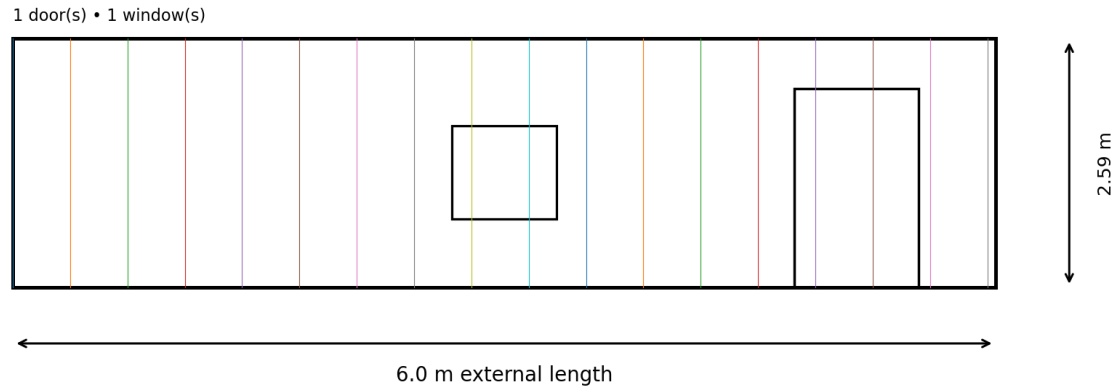
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6m Converted Office Container

1 door • 1 window

6m Converted Office Container — 1 Door / 1 Window



Key specifications

External footprint

Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m

Configuration

1 door + 1 window

Base unit

6m / 20ft-class container

Typical applications

Construction sites, mining operations, security posts, temporary offices, workshops and small business premises.

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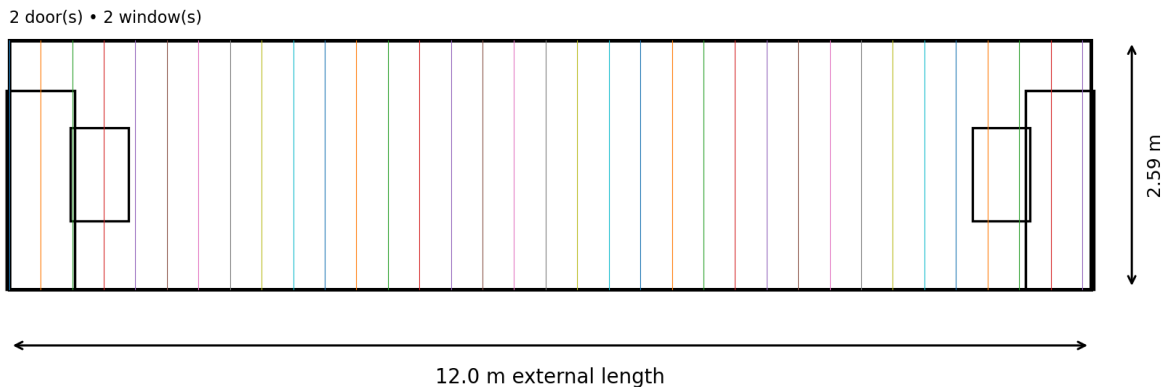
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- Interior fit-out can include insulation, electrical points and lighting
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12m Converted Office Container

2 doors • 2 windows

12m Converted Office Container — 2 Doors / 2 Windows



Key specifications

External footprint	Approx. 12.19 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m
Configuration	2 doors + 2 windows
Base unit	12m / 40ft-class container

Typical applications

Executive/site offices, mining camps, construction projects, classrooms, administration and modular workspaces.

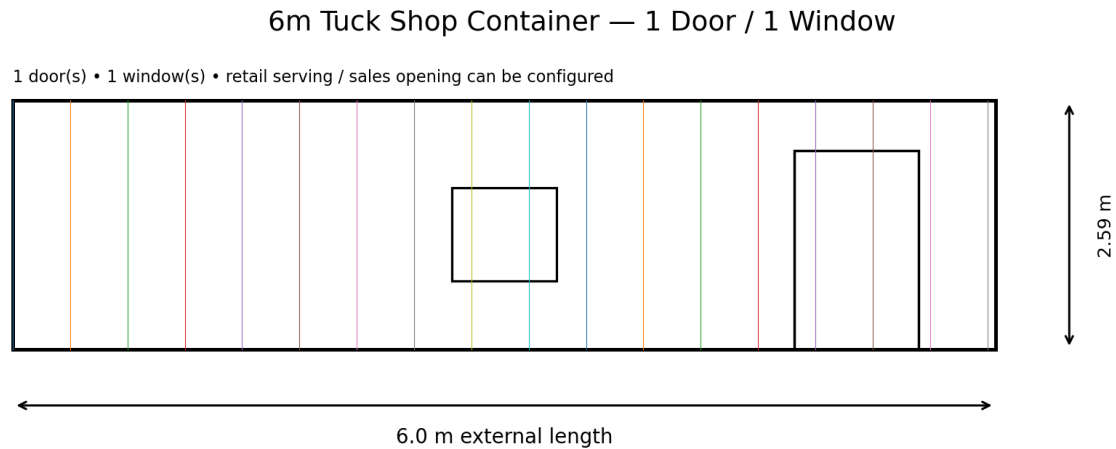
Standard / suggested configuration

- 2 secure external doors
- 2 windows
- Large internal workspace
- Can be customized with insulation, electrical systems, flooring, partitions and air conditioning

Pricing / specification note: Automax's supplied starting reference for a 12m Executive Office is R44,000.

6m Tuck Shop Container

1 door • 1 window



Key specifications

External footprint

Approx. 6.06 L × 2.44 W × 2.59 H m

Configuration

1 door + 1 window; serving opening can be added as a custom feature

Base unit

6m / 20ft-class container

Typical applications

Convenience stores, food outlets, takeaway points, kiosks, school retail points and small roadside businesses.

Standard / suggested configuration

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