

Make-Up (Cosmetics)	45%	Sheets (Linen)	30%	Washer—Energy Efficient	10%
Mayonnaise	Free	Shoes/Slippers	25%	Washer—Regular	45%
Meat—(Cow)	Free	Soaps	10%	Watches	10%
Meat—(Mutton)	Free	Socks	45%	Water heater (Regular)	45%
Meat—(Pork)	25%	Soup—(canned)	Free	Water Heaters (Solar)	10%
Meat—(Ham)	Free	Stockings	45%	Water Heater (Tank less)	10%
Medicine	Free	Stoves—Electric	45%	Wigs	45%
Microwave	45%	Stove—Gas	25%	Yeast	10%
MP3 Player	35%	Shower Curtain	45%	Yogurt	10%
Mouthwash	10%	Stereo System	35%		
Neck Ties	45%	Solar Panels	10%		
Needles (Medicinal)	Free	Sugar	Free		
Noodles	Free	Sunglasses (Prescription)	Free		
Nuts—Individually Packaged	10%	Sunglasses (Other)	45%		
Nuts—Commercially packaged	10%	Supplements	Free		
Pantyhose	45%	Surface cleaners	45%		
Paper (Table Napkins)	45%	Surveillance Security System	Free		
Paper (Toilet)	45%	Tableware, kitchenware (Biodegradable)	10%		
Pasta	10%	Tea	Free		
Peanut Butter	10%	Tea (herbal)	Free		
Petroleum Oils	40%	Teddy Bears	45%		
Pens (Ball Point)	10%	Telephone (Land/Cordless)	25%		
Pens (Other)	45%	Telephones (Cellular)	10%		
Pencils	10%	Television	35%		
Perfumes	10%	Tennis	25%		
Pillows	45%	Thread	Free		
Plastic Wares	45%	Tiles	45%		
Pots	45%	Toaster	45%		
Printed Matter	Free	Tools (Hand)	45%		
Radio	35%	Tooth Brush	45%		
Razor Blades	45%	Toothpaste	Free		
Refrigerator—Energy Efficient	10%	Towels	30%		
Refrigerator—Regular	25%	Toys	45%		
Remote Controls	45%	Transmission Fluids	40%		
Rice	Free	Tricycle	45%		
Rims (Auto)	60%	Tuna—(Canned)	Free		
Rugs	45%	Turkey	10%		
Rulers (School)	10%	Umbrella	45%		
Ruler (Other)	45%	Vacuum Cleaner	45%		
Salad Dressing	10%	Vehicles Under 2.0 liter	65%		
Sandals	25%	Vehicles 2.5 Liters and Under	75%		
Sanitary Cups / plates (paper/plastic)	45%	Vehicles Over 2.5 liter	85%		
Sanitary Napkins (Female)	Free	Vehicles (Hybrids or Electric)	25%		
Sardines—(Canned)	Free	Vehicles—Trucks (Cargo Carrying)	85%		
Sausage	Free	Video Game Machine	45%		
Satellite	45%	Visual Teaching Aids	10%		
Sewing Machine	10%	Vitamins	Free		
Seasonings (Condiments)	10%	Walkie-talkie	45%		
Shampoo	30%	Wallets	10%		



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## Rates Of Duty for Frequently Imported Items



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Alarm System	45%	Candies (soft)	30%	Dishes (Ceramic)	45%	Furniture	45%
Aluminum Foil	30%	Candies (Hard)	60%	Dishes (Porcelain/China)	10%	Game Boy (video game)	45%
Air Condition	40%	Candles	45%	Doors (Aluminum)	10%	Games	45%
Air Condition (Solar)	10%	Car Alarm	45%	Doors (PVC)	10%	Garbage bags	45%
Amplifier	45%	Car Bumper	60%	Doors (Steel)	35%	Generators	10%
<b>Animal Food</b>		Car Fender	60%	Doors (Wood)	10%	Glassware	45%
Bird Food	Free	Car Lights	60%	Dried Mixed Fruit—Packed	35%	Glassware (crystal)	10%
Dog Food	Free	Car Hood	60%	Dried Mixed Fruits—Unpacked	10%	Gloves	45%
Fish Food	Free	Carpet	45%	DVD Players	35%	Glue	45%
Cat Food	Free	CD (Blank)	10%	DVD—with Movies or Music or blank	10%	Hair Shampoo	40%
Other animal Food	Free	CD Players	35%	Disposable Underwear	Free	Hair Conditioner	40%
Answering Machine	45%	CD with Music or Movies	10%	Dolls	45%	Hair Preparations	40%
Anti Freeze	40%	Ceiling Fans	25%	Drapes	30%	Hair (Artificial/Human)	45%
Art Supplies	45%	Cereal	Free	Dryer—Energy Efficient	10%	Handbags	10%
Baby Bottle	Free	Cheese	10%	Dryer—Regular	45%	Hand Towels (Paper)	45%
Baby Car Seat	Free	Chicken	30%	Envelopes	25%	Hats	45%
Baby Cribs/Playpen	Free	Christmas Lights	35%	Exercise Machines	45%	Hearing Aids	Free
Baby Stroller	Free	Christmas Ornaments	45%	Eye Glasses (Prescription)	Free	Honey	35%
Baby High Chair	Free	Christmas Tree (Artificial)	45%	Fabrics	30%	Ink (Computer)	10%
Baby Pampers	Free	Christmas Tree (Fresh)	35%	Fans	25%	Insecticides	Free
Baby Bottle (and Nipples)	Free	Chocolates	40%	Fax Machines	45%	Insulin	Free
Baby Wipes	10%	Cigarettes or Cigars	220%	Fertilizers	Free	Insulated Steel Panels	25%
Baby Clothes	35%	Clothing-Outer Wear	35%	Flashlights	35%	I Pad	Free
Baking Powder	10%	Clothing-Underwear	25%	Flatware (Knife Fork and Spoon)	45%	I Pod	35%
Batteries (a, c, d)	45%	Coffee (Ground)	Free	Flooring (Plastic)	45%	Jams, Jellies, Marmalade etc	10%
Bed Sheets (Linen)	30%	Coffee (Instant)	Free	Flooring (PVC)	35%	Iron	45%
Belts (leather/other)	45%	Cologne	10%	Flooring (Wood)	45%	Jewelry—Costume	45%
Biscuits	40%	Comforters (Bed)	45%	Flowers (Artificial)	45%	Jewelry -Gold	10%
Bicycle	45%	Computers	Free	Flowers (Fresh)	35%	Jewelry -Silver	10%
Bleach	60%	Computer Modem	10%	Freezer—Energy Efficient	10%	Jewelry—Platinum	10%
Blender	45%	Computer Monitor	Free	Freezer—Regular	45%	Juice 100% - For Adults	10%
Blinds (Wood)	35%	Computer Printer	Free	<b>Fruits</b>		Juice 100% - For Babies	Free
Blinds (Other)	45%	Computer Multifunction Printer	10%	Avocados	Free	Ketchup	10%
Blood Glucose Meter	Free	Computer Router	10%	Tangelos	Free	Kidney Machines and Parts	Free
Blood Glucose Test Strip	Free	Computer Scanner	Free	Other Tropical Fruits	Free	Kindle	Free
Blood Pressure Monitor	Free	Computer Software	Free	Musk Melons	Free	Lavatory seats and covers & fittings	35%
Books (Exercise)	Free	Condensed Milk	Free	Cantaloupes	Free	Light Fixtures	35%
Books (Receipt)	45%	Condoms	Free	Honeydews	Free	Light Bulbs (Other)	45%
Books (Reading)	Free	Contact Lens	Free	Papaws	Free	Light Bulbs (Fluorescent Energy Saving)	Free
Books (Coloring)	Free	Copy Paper (Multipurpose)	10%	Dates	Free	Light Bulbs (LED)	Free
Business Cards	40%	Corned Beef (Canned)	Free	Figs	Free	Linen (Bed)	30%
Break Fluid	40%	Cough Drops	Free	Apricots	Free	Linen (Kitchen)	30%
Calculator	10%	Crayons	10%	Cherries	Free	Linen (Table)	10%
Calendars	60%	Curtains	30%	Nectarines	Free	Lotion	45%
Camcorder	10%	Dental Instruments	35%	Plum and Sloes	Free	<b>Luncheon Meat</b>	
Camera	7%	Deodorant	Free	Raspberries, Black Berries, Mulberries	Free	Beef Sliced/Un sliced	Free
Camera (video)	10%	Detergent (Powder)	Free	Loganberries, Cranberries, Bilberries	Free	Ham Sliced/Un sliced	Free
Camera (Surveillance)	10%	Detergent (Liquid)	Free	Kiwifruit	Free	Turkey Sliced/Un sliced	Free
Can Opener	45%	Detergent (Dishwashing)	Free	Durians	Free	Other Including Mixtures Sliced/Un sliced	Free