

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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## JAPANESE IMPORT RESTRICTIONS

### Products Liberalized on 7 April 1961<sup>1</sup>

In document L/1537 reference is made to the enlargement of the coverage of the Automatic Approval System and the Automatic Allocation System on 7 April, 1 June and 1 July 1961. Some details were given regarding the products thus liberalized on 1 June and 1 July. The following is a selected list of items added to the Automatic Systems on 7 April. The complete lists have been deposited with the secretariat.

Certain types of fish products  
Various preserved and prepared fruits  
Potatoes  
Oil-seed cake of lin, castor, olive, paulownia, palm kernels, perilla ocimoides, hemp, hemp seed, chaulmoogra, poppy and niger  
Feeding stuff (excluding fish, tapioca, sweet potato, potato refuse and yeast, other scientific feeding stuff materials)  
Beer  
Natural fertilizers of animal or vegetable origin, not chemically treated and excluding powder of meat preparations, fish refuse and oil-seed cake.  
Certain animal offals  
Mutton tallow  
Animal and vegetable waxes  
Essential vegetable oil excluding mustard oil  
Artificial fishing guts excluding artificial fibre guts  
Unvulcanized India-rubber  
Rubber fabricated materials  
Certain types of rubber product (excluding rubber tyres and tubes)  
Shocks of cooperage products  
Flooring, wooden, tongued or grooved  
Builders' woodwork  
Cork boards  
Vulcanized fibre and vulcanized fibre products  
Leather cloth

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<sup>1</sup>The present revised list has been supplied by the Japanese Delegation to replace L/1537/Add.1.

Rubberized and other impregnated fabrics and felts  
Cement manufactures  
Pottery products  
Pocket knives  
Razors  
Cutlery  
Certain types of furniture and fixtures  
Certain types of footwear  
Mechanical wood pulp (ground pulp)  
Wool (including tops)  
Raw cotton  
Cotton mill waste, devilled cotton waste, and cotton shoddy  
Cotton, carded or combed  
Waste and recovered fibres, waste yarns and threads of artificial fibres  
(excluding synthetic fibres)  
Waste and rags of textile fabrics (excluding synthetic fibres)  
Narrow fabrics (excluding pattern knitted and embroidered)  
Hat bodies (excluding straw)  
A variety of papers and paper manufactures  
Yarns and fabric of vinylchloride and vinyliden chloride fibres  
Fishing or hunting nets and nettings (only consisting wholly of cotton  
and acetate)  
Textile bags and sacks for packing (excluding new gunny bags)  
A variety of household linen, not embroidered  
A wide range of articles of clothing  
Numerous chemicals including zinc chloride, carbide acetic acid, acetone,  
chlorophenol, naphthol, tannic acid xylene  
Synthetic tanning materials (only chemical products derived from coal-tar  
distillates and other substances chemically identical therewith)  
Celluloid and waste or scrap celluloid  
Paint removers  
Thinners (only prepared and used for coating)  
Cadmium and cadmium products  
Zinc slag (only containing less than 70 per cent of zinc)  
Copper sulphate  
Aluminium hydroxide  
Nails, iron and steel  
Tin and tin products  
Wood screws, screws and bolts (only non-ferrous base metals)  
Circular saw blades for wood working purposes  
Sawblades (excluding metal cutting hacksaw blades)  
Saws (excluding chainsaws)  
A wide range of builders' wares  
Miscellaneous items such as hand-operated coffee mills, ice cream  
freezers and meat choppers  
Agricultural machinery and appliances for harvesting, threshing and  
sorting  
Certain types of office machines  
Household sewing machines and heads  
Fire-extinguishers  
Milk drying machines  
Leather tanning or finishing machines  
Brick making machines  
Cocks and valves

A number of electrical goods including electric bulbs for bicycles, incandescent electric bulbs and tubes, electric fluorescent discharge tubes

Radio receivers and chassis thereof (excluding FM radio and car-radio)

Cathode ray tubes (only maximum length of image face 35.6 cm, and for television receivers, not for colour television)

Electric stoves

Personal electric heating appliances

Electric fans (including ventilating fans)

Autobicycles and other autocycles (only less than 250 cc of piston displacement)

Auto-tricycles

Motorcycles and side car parts (excluding rubber tyres, engines and electric parts)

Road vehicles (including trailers, not motorized) and parts (excluding rubber tyres)

Binoculars, monoculars and telescopes and their parts

Optical lenses and prisms, polished

Cameras (excluding movie cameras)

Certain dental equipment

Gramophones (excluding electric and coin operated)

Record players

Items added to the Automatic Fund Allocation System on 7 April 1961 include the following commodities:

Various rubber manufactures such as rubber parts for footwear and rubber plates and sheets

A number of chemicals, including caustic soda, chemically refined; sodium sulphide; potassium iodide; potassic fertilizers and potassic fertilizer materials; hydrogen peroxide; bleaching powder; zinc sulphate; black oxide of iron

Metal furniture and fixtures (excluding iron and steel)

Wood furniture and fixtures (excluding chairs and tables)

A variety of consumer goods including sun glasses; slippers, leather; Phonograph (gramophone) S.P. records; fans (excluding combined with sandalwood and elephants' ivory); fishing rods, glass; manufactures of asbestos; envelopes and note papers; tents (excluding flax, ramie and jute); awnings, canvas (excluding flax, ramie and jute); made-up canvas goods (excluding flax, ramie and jute); blankets and travelling rugs, consisting wholly of wool; woven net or nettings (excluding alloy steel)

A wide range of machinery items and machine parts such as conveyers (excluding screw, pneumatic and roller conveyers); hand operated printing machines; yarn finishing machines, reeling machines; foot driven and hand operated looms; fabric finishing machines

Gas compressors [air compressors (not over 50 HP)]

Pumps (excluding those for cycles and for liquids and vacuum pumps)

Ball bearings; radial ball bearings (double row type), thrust ball bearings

Microphones (less than \$3 c.i.f. of unit price)

A number of electrical appliances

Certain vehicles  
Certain engines including motor-cycle and specific type of steam engines  
A variety of automobile parts  
Ships of various descriptions  
Cameras, movie, 8 mm in film width (excluding those with full automatic electric eye)  
Drawing instruments and parts thereof (excluding c.i.f. \$5 and less of one set price, and universal type of c.i.f. \$5 and less of one piece price)  
Compasses and parts thereof (excluding gyrocompass other than for use in ships)  
Wall clocks (mainspring and pendulum system)  
Watchman's clocks and other time-recording clocks