Central African Republic

Part A.1 Tariffs and imports: Summary and duty ranges

Summary		Total	Ag	Non-Ag	WTO member since		1995
Simple average final bound		35.7	30.0	37.4	Binding coverage:	Total	61.4
MFN applied						Non-Ag	55.2
Simple average	2024	18.1	22.4	17.4	Ag: Tariff quotas (in %)		0
Trade weighted average	2024	16.2	21.9	15.0	Ag: Special safeguards (in %)		0
Imports in billion US$	2023	0.7	0.1	0.6			

Frequency distribution		Duty-free	0 <= 5	5 <= 10	10 <= 15	15 <= 25	25 <= 50	50 <= 100	> 100	NAV
		Tariff lines and import values (in %)								in %
Agricultural products										
Final bound		0	0	0	0	0	99.9	0	0	0
MFN applied	2024	0	9.9	21.4	0	8.8	59.9	0	0	0
Imports	2023	0	14.8	9.6	0	19.0	56.6	0	0	0
Non-agricultural products										
Final bound		0	0	0	0	2.0	52.8	0.4	0	0
MFN applied	2024	0.8	3.8	50.7	0	12.9	31.8	0	0	0
Imports	2023	0.9	10.2	52.0	0	16.0	20.9	0	0	0

Part A.2 Tariffs and imports by product groups

Product groups	Final bound duties				MFN applied duties			Imports	
	AVG	Duty-free in %	Max	Binding in %	AVG	Duty-free in %	Max	Share in %	Duty-free in %
Live animals and meat	30.0	0	30	100	19.2	0	30	2.8	0
Dairy products	30.0	0	30	100	23.0	0	30	0.9	0
Fruits and vegetables	30.0	0	30	100	29.8	0	30	1.9	0
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	30.0	0	30	100	30.0	0	30	0.3	0
Cereals and food preparations	30.0	0	30	100	20.6	0	30	6.4	0
Oilseeds, fats and oils	30.0	0	30	100	22.9	0	30	1.5	0
Sugars and confectionery	30.0	0	30	100	20.6	0	30	1.0	0
Beverages and tobacco	30.0	0	30	100	27.6	0	30	2.3	0
Cotton, silk and wool	30.0	0	30	100	10.0	0	10	0.0	0
Other agricultural products	30.0	0	30	100	13.6	0	30	0.5	0
Fish and fish products	30.0	0	30	0.8	25.6	0	30	1.0	0
Minerals and metals	42.6	0	50	59.8	17.3	0	30	8.7	0
Petroleum	30.0	0	30	100	10.0	0	10	13.4	0
Chemicals	30.8	0	50	83.3	11.1	0	30	10.7	0
Wood, paper, furniture	50.0	0	50	9.7	21.8	3.3	30	2.2	9.5
Textiles	45.0	0	50	0.7	19.6	0.2	30	2.6	0.2
Clothing	-	-	-	0	30.0	0	30	0.2	0
Rubber, leather and footwear	48.9	0	50	23.9	20.8	0.6	30	0.9	0.2
Mechanical, office and computing machinery	31.7	0	50	89.8	11.4	0.4	30	9.0	0
Electrical machinery and electronic equipment	38.4	0	50	91.8	18.1	0	30	8.1	0
Transport equipment	39.3	0	70	88.6	15.1	14.8	30	17.2	3.1
Other Manufactures	49.9	0	50	89.0	22.1	0	30	8.3	0

Part B Exports to major trading partners and duties faced

Major markets	Bilateral imports		Diversification		MFN AVG of traded TL		Pref. margin	Duty-free imports	
		in million US$	95% trade in no. of HS 2-digit	HS 6-digit	Simple	Weighted	Weighted	TL in %	Value in %
Agricultural products									
1. China	2023	1	1	1	20.0	20.0	0.0	50.0	50.0
2. European Union	2023	1	2	2	1.2	2.3	2.3	100.0	100.0
3. Türkiye	2023	0	2	2	6.5	5.6	1.2	66.7	56.2
4. South Africa	2023	0	1	1	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0
5. Canada	2023	0	2	4	1.0	4.7	4.7	100.0	100.0
Non-agricultural products									
1. United Arab Emirates	2023	123	1	2	3.6	0.0	0.0	27.3	99.8
2. European Union	2023	30	2	7	2.6	0.1	0.1	100.0	100.0
3. China	2023	27	1	2	4.5	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0
4. Türkiye	2023	12	1	3	1.3	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0
5. Malaysia	2023	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0