

A. SCHEDULE OF CONCESSIONS: OTHER DUTIES AND CHARGES

“Other duties and charges (ODCs)” on bound tariff items form part of the concessions on goods and are likewise listed in the schedule of WTO Members. Like the customs tariff, ODCs are bound at the tariff line level and are expressed either in ad valorem or non-ad valorem format. This information is stored in the Consolidated Tariff Schedules database of the WTO. Summary statistics of concessions on ODCs are presented below.

TECHNICAL NOTES

The commitments on ODCs are interpreted in the following manner. Null value in the ODC column of the schedule means the ODC is duty free. On the other hand, commitments established as a note of legal nature (usually, a reference to some law or regulation), are treated as non-ad valorem ODCs. Specific, mixed and compound duty types are aggregated into the non-ad valorem duty type. Ad valorem equivalents (AVEs) for these non-ad valorem duties are calculated using the unit value based on average trade for the years 1999 to 2001 and at the average exchange rate for these years. When it is not possible to generate a unit value from the trade data at country level because of unavailability of data, the world trade unit value at six digits of the Harmonized System is used. In cases where there is no world trade for the specific product, the AVE is not calculated. Similarly, when the ODC cannot be expressed into a quantifiable measure (e.g. legal notes mentioned above), no AVE is available either.

All simple averages are based on pre-aggregated HS six-digit averages. Pre-aggregation means that duties at the tariff line level are first averaged to HS six-digit subheadings. Subsequent calculations are based on these pre-aggregated averages.

Description of column headings

Column heading	Description or method of calculation
ODC Coverage	Share of HS six-digit subheadings containing at least one bound tariff line with other duties and charges. Unbound tariff lines are not taken into account. Full coverage is indicated by 100 without any decimal. If some tariff lines have no ODC but the result still rounds to 100 this is reflected by maintaining one decimal, i.e. 100.0. Partial coverage at tariff line level is taken into account on a pro rata basis.
Simple average	Simple average of the <i>ad valorem</i> or AVE HS six-digit duty averages.
Maximum	Maximum tariff line level <i>ad valorem</i> duty or AVE.
Share of non- <i>ad valorem</i> ODCs in total ODCs	Share of HS six-digit subheadings subject to non- <i>ad valorem</i> duties. When only part of the HS six-digit subheading is subject to non- <i>ad valorem</i> duties the percentage share of these tariff lines is used.

Summary statistics on Other Duties and Charges (ODCs) in the schedule of Concessions

Only for WTO Members with ODCs in their schedule of concessions

Member	ODC Coverage			Simple average			Maximum Duty			Share of non-ad valorem ODC in total ODCs		
	Ag	Non-Ag	Total	Ag	Non-Ag	Total	Ag	Non-Ag	Total	Ag	Non-Ag	Total
	Share of HS 6 digit subhdgs in %											
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Angola	100	100	100	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0	0	0
Argentina	100	100	100	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	0	0	0
Bahrain	5.9	0	1.1	0.1	-	0.0	2.0	-	2.0	0	-	0
Bangladesh	97.0	32.1	86.5	2.4	0.8	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.5	0	0	0
Barbados	100	100.0	100.0	93.0	99.2	98.4	230.1	246.0	246.0	0	0	0
Belize	100	100	100	14.7	14.1	14.2	106.0	39.0	106.0	0	0.0	0.0
Benin	97.3	4.6	35.8	18.5	0.9	6.8	19.0	19.0	19.0	0	0	0
Botswana	4.3	0	0.6	0.1	-	0.0	7.5	-	7.5	100	-	13.7
Burkina Faso	97.4	4.0	35.6	48.7	2.0	17.8	50.0	50.0	50.0	0	0	0
Burundi	93.9	13.9	62.5	28.2	4.2	18.8	30.0	30.0	30.0	0	0	0
Cameroon	100	100	100							100	100	100
Canada	0.1	0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	100	-	13.3
Central African Republic	100	94.6	95.8	16.0	15.1	15.3	16.0	16.0	16.0	0	0	0
Chile	100	100	100							100	100	100
Costa Rica	99.3	97.0	97.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0	0	0
Côte d'Ivoire	77.1	1.5	31.7	16.8	0.4	6.9	200.0	25.0	200.0	22.8	0	9.1
Djibouti	99.7	99.6	99.6	99.7	99.6	99.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	0	0	0
Gabon	100	100	100	19.3	18.0	18.2	48.0	18.0	48.0	0	0	0
Gambia	100	100	100	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	0	0	0
Ghana	1.6	0	1.5	0.2	-	0.2	15.0	-	15.0	0	-	0
Guinea	97.3	2.7	35.0	24.5	0.7	8.8	93.0	93.0	93.0	0	0	0
Guinea-Bissau	100	100	100	25.8	50.1	46.8	50.0	80.0	80.0	0	0	0
Guyana	100	100	100	40.4	30.0	31.4	85.0	50.0	85.0	0	0	0
Haiti	86.2	77.6	78.9	13.8	12.4	12.6	21.0	16.0	21.0	0.2	0.0	0.0
Indonesia	0.6	1.7	1.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	12.5	25.0	25.0	0	0	0
Jamaica	97.0	81.7	83.8	24.5	12.3	13.9	200.0	80.0	200.0	0	0	0
Kuwait	100	100	100	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	0	0	0
Madagascar	100	59.8	77.7	250.0	149.4	194.3	250.0	250.0	250.0	0	0	0
Malawi	4.5	99.9	59.4	0.9	20.0	11.9	20.0	20.0	20.0	0	0	0
Malaysia	0.3	0.0	0.1							100	100	100
Maldives	100	100	100	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0	0	0
Mali	97.4	7.8	37.3	48.7	3.9	18.6	50.0	50.0	50.0	0	0	0
Mauritania	97.4	4.5	35.8	14.6	0.7	5.4	15.0	15.0	15.0	0	0	0
Mauritius	98.9	28.4	80.7	16.8	4.8	13.7	17.0	17.0	17.0	0	0	0
Morocco	100	100	100	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	0	0.0	0.0
Mozambique	100	100	100	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	0	0	0
Namibia	4.3	0	0.6	0.1	-	0.0	7.5	-	7.5	100	-	13.7
Niger	97.4	70.6	74.3	48.7	35.3	37.1	85.0	85.0	85.0	0	0	0
Nigeria	100	100	100	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0	0	0	0
Pakistan	4.1	1.3	1.7							100	100	100
Qatar	100	100	100	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	0	0	0
Saint Kitts and Nevis	99.9	100	100.0	18.0	17.9	17.9	58.7	120.8	120.8	2.5	0.1	0.4
Saudi Arabia	1.3	0	0.2	0.1	-	0.0	41.3	-	41.3	100	-	13.2
Senegal	94.8	2.7	14.9	46.9	1.3	7.4	85.0	85.0	85.0	1.9	0	0.2
Sierra Leone	97.7	95.6	95.9	19.8	46.8	43.2	50.0	50.0	50.0	0	0	0
South Africa	4.3	0	0.6	0.1	-	0.0	7.5	-	7.5	100	-	13.7
Sri Lanka	4.1	13.8	10.4	0.4	1.4	1.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	0	0	0
Suriname	99.6	6.5	53.3	49.8	3.3	26.7	50.0	50.0	50.0	0	0	0
Swaziland	4.3	0	0.6	0.1	-	0.0	7.5	-	7.5	100	-	13.7
Tanzania	0	42.9	0.4	-	32.0	0.3	-	84.0	84.0	-	0	0
Thailand	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	40.0	20.0	40.0	50	0	8.9
Togo	100	100	100	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.6	4.1	4.6	100	100	100
Trinidad and Tobago	89.3	95.2	94.4	13.4	14.3	14.2	15.0	15.0	15.0	0	0	0
Tunisia	0	8.8	6.8	-	0.9	0.7	-	30.0	30.0	-	0	0
Turkey	99.8	81.7	86.4							100	100	100
Uganda	8.6	98.5	23.2	1.0	16.6	3.5	30.0	30.0	30.0	0	0	0
United States	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	23.0	50.0	50.0	100	100	100
Uruguay	100	100	100	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	0	0	0
Zimbabwe	95.4	9.2	63.0	14.3	1.2	9.4	15.0	15.0	15.0	0	11.6	4.4