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Certain Oilseeds and Vegetable Oils

Note by the Secretariat

Addendum

According to the understanding reached at the June meeting of the Group (cf. MTN.GNG/NG6/16, para.16), the secretariat has prepared the attached tables on the basis of additional information on trade policy measures which have been notified by certain participants and circulated under the TI series. These tables incorporate the contributions of Yugoslavia (MTN.GNG/NG6/LT/52), as requested by the Yugoslav delegation.

Symbols used

B = bound rate U = unbound rate
A = applied rate

(Yugoslavia)

LB = Liberalized imports

S = Prior approval of the Federal Secretariat for Economic Relations the aim of which is to promote imports from developing countries by direct purchase of products originating in these countries.

LBO = Conditionally liberalized imports, i.e. liberalized imports but within the possible volume of payments which depend on the balance-of-payments situation of Yugoslavia (See MTN.GNG/NG6/LT/52 for details)

L = Import licence

Q = Quota

Qv = Quota fixed in value

Qq = Quota fixed in quantity

Note: Yugoslavia's import liberalization took place in the first half of 1989 generally.

I. Certain Oilseeds

H.S. (CCCN)	Description	Argentina	Chile ¹	Colombia ²	Morocco	Yugoslavia		Import Regime Present
						Tariff	1988	
1202.10 (1201)	Groundnuts, not roasted or otherwise cooked - in shell	20%	15%		5% ³	Free, B	LB S	
1202.20 (1201)	- shelled	20%	15%		5% ³	Free, B	LB S	
1203.00 (1201)	Copra	10%	15%		5% ⁴	Free, B	LB0 S	LB
1207.10 (1201)	Palm nuts and kernels	Free-28%	15%		5% ⁴	Free, B	LB0 S	LB
1207.30 (1201)	Castor oilseeds - other	Free-28%	15%		22.5% ⁴ 5%	5%	LB0	LB
1207.92 (1201)	Sheanuts (karite nuts)	Free-28%	15%		5% ⁴	5%	LB0	LB
1207.99 (1201)	Other oilseeds and oleaginous fruits	Free-28%	15%		5% ⁴	5%	LB0 S ⁵	LB
1208.90 (1202)	Flours and meals of oilseeds or oleaginous fruits: - other	10%-28%	15%		17.5% ⁴	5%	LB0	

¹While the law establishes a price band to support oilseed production, in practice this provision has never been implemented, and therefore prices have been subjected to the free play of supply and demand.

²All imports into Colombia are subject to an additional 18 per cent surcharge. However, imports of foodstuffs by the Agricultural Marketing Institute (IDEMA) for direct human consumption are exempt from this additional surcharge.

³Import licence required.

⁴No import licence required.

⁵Pumpkin seeds.

Notes: See MTN.GNG/NG6/T1/1/Add.8 and T1/2/Add.3 for general information supplied by Brazil.
See MTN.GNG/NG6/T1/Add 3 for general information supplied by Colombia.

II. Groundnut Oil, Palm Oil, Coconut Oil and Palm Kernel Oil or Babassu Oil

H.S. (CCCN)	Description	Argentina	Chile	Morocco ¹	Sri Lanka	Yugoslavia	
						Tariff	Import Régime 1988
1508.10 (1507)	Groundnut oil and its fractions: - crude oil	28%	15%	12.5%	60% U	Free, B	LB0
1508.90 (1507 (1512)	- Other	28%	15%	12.5%, 27.5%		Free, B	LB0
1511.10 (1507)	Palm oil and its fractions: - crude oil	28%	15%	12.5%	60% U	Free, B	LB0 S
1511.90 (1507) (1512)	- other	28%	15%	12.5%, 27.5%		Free, B	LB0 S
1513.11 (1507)	Coconut oil and its fractions: - crude oil	36%	15%	12.5%	60% U	Free, B	LB0 S
1513.19 (1507)	- Other	36%	15%	12.5%, 27.5%		Free, B	LB0
1513.21 (1507)	Palm kernel or babassu oil and their fractions: - crude oil	36%	15%	12.5%		Free, B	LB S
1513.29 (1507 (1512)	- Other	36%	15%	12.5%, 27.5%		Free, B	LB S

¹No import licence required for products listed.

III. Certain Other Vegetable Oils and Processed Oils

H.S. (CCCN)	Description	Argentina	Chile	Morocco ¹	Sri Lanka	Yugoslavia	
						Tariff	Import Regime 1988
1515.30 (1507) (1512)	Castor oil and its fractions	28%	15%	12.5%		6%	LBO
1515.60 (1516)	Jojoba oil and its fractions	28%	15%	12.5%		6%	LBO
1515.90 (1507) (1512)	Other fixed vegetable fats and oils and their fractions	28%	15%	12.5%		6%	LBO
1516.20 (1507) (1512) (3404)	Vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, hydrogenated inter-esterified, re-esterified or elaidinized	28%	15%	12.5%, 32.5%	5% U	Free B, 8%	LBO
1518.00 (1507) (1508) (3906)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, boiled, oxidized, dehydrated, sulphurized, blown, etc.	28%	15%	17.5%, 32.5%	60% U	8%	LBO

¹No import licence required for products listed

IV. Vegetable Oil Products

H.S. (CCCN)	Description	Yugoslavia			
		Argentina	Chile	Indonesia	Morocco ¹
		Tariff	Import Regime	1988	Present
1519.11 (1510) (3404)	Stearic acid	28%	15%	20% U	17.5%
1519.12 (1510) (3404)	Oleic acid	28%	15%	20% U	17.5%
1519.19 (1510) (3404)	Other industrial monocarboxylic fatty acids	28%	15%		17.5%
1519.20 (1510) (3404)	Acid oils from refining	28%	15%		17.5%
1519.30 (1510) (3404)	Industrial fatty alcohols	28%	15%		17.5%
1520.10 (1511)	Glycerol, crude; glycerol waters and glycerol soaps	28%	15%		17.5%
1520.90 (1511)	Glycerol, other including synthetic glycerol	28%	15%	17.5%-22.5%	Free, 5% LB

1 No import licence required for products listed.

2 Liberalization entered into force in May 1988 for mixtures of fatty alcohols.

V. Oilcakes and Other Solid Residues

H.S. (CCCN)	Description	Argentina	Chile ¹	Morocco	Yugoslavia	
					Import Régime 1988	Present
2305.90 (2304)	Oilcake and other solid residues: - of groundnut	20%	15%	12.5% ²	5%	LB0
2306.50 (2304)	- of coconut or copra	20%	15%	12.5% ²	5%	LB0 LB
2306.60 (2304)	- of palm nuts or kernels	20%	15%	12.5% ²	5%	LB0 LB
2306.90	- of other vegetable fats or oils	20%	15%	45% ²	5%	LB0 LB

¹With regard to oilcake, Chile does not apply minimum import prices.²Subject to import licensing.