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Proposal for a

COUNCIL DECISION

concerning the elimination of duties on information technology products

Proposal for a

COUNCIL DECISION

concerning elimination of duties on certain spirituous beverages

(presented by the Commission)

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

At its special meeting on 13 December 1996 in Singapore, Council approved (1) a Ministerial Declaration on trade in Information Technology Products and (2) welcomed the ad referendum bilateral agreement reached with the US on the acceleration of the Uruguay Round zero rates on "Brown" spirits and for zero rates on other spirituous beverages.

With respect to the **Information Technology Agreement**, Council will recall that on 3 December 1995, in the context of the EU/US summit in Madrid, the EU and US established a New Transatlantic Agenda which, inter alia, states "*In view of the importance of the information society, we are launching a specific exercise in order to attempt to conclude an information technology agreement.*" The parallel and associated industry forum, the Trans Atlantic Business Dialogue, added weight to this political undertaking, by stating that "it is the view of the overwhelming majority that the ITA package should include a commitment to eliminate all tariffs by January 2000, or sooner".

On 22 October 1996, as a result of exploratory consultations with a number of third countries and discussions within the special committee provided for under Article 113 of the Treaty, the Commission proposed to the Council to take a Decision to open negotiations with third countries with a view to concluding an Information Technology Agreement. The decision to do so was taken by the Council on 15 November 1996.

Plurilateral negotiations led to a Declaration being made by Ministers from 15 WTO members or accession candidates (Australia, Canada, Chinese Taipei, EU, Hong Kong, Iceland, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Liechtenstein, Norway, Singapore, Switzerland, Turkey, United States) at Singapore on 13 December 1995. The declaration set out the objective of tariff elimination by the year 2000 (and prescribes reductions in four equal steps) for IT products listed in detail, in attachments. Attention is drawn, in particular to paragraph 4 of the modalities to the Declaration:

"Participants shall meet as soon as practicable and in any case no later than 1 April 1997 to review the state of acceptances received and to assess the conclusions to be drawn therefrom. Participants will implement the actions foreseen in the Declaration provided that participants representing approximately 90 per cent of world trade¹ in information technology products have by then notified their acceptance, and provided that the staging has been agreed to the participants' satisfaction. In assessing whether to implement actions foreseen in the Declaration, if the percentage of world trade represented by participants falls somewhat short of 90 per cent of world trade in information technology products, participants may take into account the extent of the participants of States or separate customs territories representing for them the substantial bulk of their own trade in such products. At this meeting the participants will establish whether these criteria have been met."

¹This percentage shall be calculated by the WTO Secretariat on the basis of the most recent data available at the time of the meeting.

On 31 January 1997, plurilateral technical discussions called for under the Ministerial Declaration, were completed. Product coverage was discussed but the original attachment to the Ministerial Declaration was not modified. Agreement was reached that the first set of consultations on additional product coverage would begin 1 October 1997 and ad referendum agreement was reached on the "extended staging" requests of some original signatories. These included: Indonesia, Korea and Chinese Taipei. New Zealand, without requesting "extra staging" and Costa Rica, subsequent to agreement with the other participants on its "extra staging" request, became participants.

The Council decided at a special meeting held on 13 December 1996 at Singapore that a further Council decision would be required, prior to the review scheduled to take place before 1 April 1997, to give a definitive acceptance of the agreement. This would be necessary in order to bind the Community with respect to its undertakings. Such a decision, however, is dependent upon the critical mass provisions and agreement on "staging". To prepare the ground, the draft decision attached is made on the basis that both of these criteria are met. If, as the end of March approaches, these criteria are not met, the matter would have to be reviewed.

With respect to **spirituous beverages**, the Commission considers that the agreement reached with the United States in the form of a Memorandum of Understanding would considerably improve the EU's export potential. The Commission will continue its efforts to bring other parties into this agreement.

The Commission therefore hereby submits to the Council two proposals for Council Decisions.

Proposal for a

Council Decision

concerning the elimination of duties on information technology products

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Articles 113, in conjunction with Article 228(2) first sentence, thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas in the new Transatlantic Agenda adopted at the EU-US summit in Madrid of 13 December 1995, it was decided to attempt to conclude an Information Technology Agreement;

Whereas, following reports from the Commission of its exploratory consultations with third countries, on 16 November 1996 Council decided to open negotiations with third countries with a view to concluding an Information Technology Agreement;

Whereas at Singapore on 13 December 1996, the European Community approved the declaration on trade in Information Technology Products; whereas this declaration sets out certain preconditions for the implementation of the elimination of tariffs for information technology products; whereas these preconditions have been met.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The agreement in the form of a declaration of 13 December 1996 made by Ministers at Singapore on trade in information technology products is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is attached to this Decision,

Article 2

As called for under paragraph 4 of the Annex to the Declaration, the Council:

(i) takes note that participants representing approximately 90 per cent of world trade in information technology products have notified their acceptance; and

(ii) approves, on behalf of the Community, the staging requests of some participants in the ITA.

Article 3

The Council authorises the Commission to submit to the World Trade Organisation the attached modifications to the schedule of the European Community so as to bind and eliminate customs duties, as appropriate, in accordance with the Declaration.

Article 4

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person empowered to sign the Agreement/Protocol in order to bind the Community.

Done at Brussels

For the Council

The President

WORLD TRADE

13 December 1996

ORGANIZATION

MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE Singapore, 9-13 December 1996

MINISTERIAL DECLARATION ON TRADE IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PRODUCTS

SINGAPORE, 13 DECEMBER 1996

Ministers,

Representing the following Members of the World Trade Organization ("WTO"), and States or separate customs territories in the process of acceding to the WTO, which have agreed in Singapore on the expansion of world trade in information technology products and which account for well over 80 per cent of world trade in these products ("parties"):

Australia Canada European Communities Hong Kong Iceland Indonesia Japan Korea Norway Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu Singapore Switzerland¹ Turkey United States

Considering the key role of trade in information technology products in the development of information industries and in the dynamic expansion of the world economy,

Recognizing the goals of raising standards of living and expanding the production of and trade in goods;

Desiring to achieve maximum freedom of world trade in information technology products;

Desiring to encourage the continued technological development of the information technology industry on a world-wide basis;

Mindful of the positive contribution information technology makes to global economic growth and welfare;

^{&#}x27;On behalf of the customs union Switzerland and Liechtenstein.

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Having agreed to put into effect the results of these negotiations which involve concessions additional to those included in the Schedules attached to the Marrakesh Protocol to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994, and

Recognizing that the results of these negotiations also involve some concessions offered in negotiations leading to the establishment of Schedules annexed to the Marrakesh Protocol,

Declare as follows:

1. Each party's trade regime should evolve in a manner that enhances market access opportunities for information technology products.

2. Pursuant to the modalities set forth in the Annex to this Declaration, each party shall bind and eliminate customs duties and other duties and charges of any kind, within the meaning of Article II:1(b) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994, with respect to the following:

- (a) all products classified (or classifiable) with Harmonized System (1996) ("HS") headings listed in Attachment A to the Annex to this Declaration; and
- (b) all products specified in Attachment B to the Annex to this Declaration, whether or not they are included in Attachment A;

through equal rate reductions of customs duties beginning in 1997 and concluding in 2000, recognizing that extended staging of reductions and, before implementation, expansion of product coverage may be necessary in limited circumstances.

3. Ministers express satisfaction about the large product coverage outlined in the Attachments to the Annex to this Declaration. They instruct their respective officials to make good faith efforts to finalize plurilateral technical discussions in Geneva on the basis of these modalities, and instruct these officials to complete this work by 31 January 1997, so as to ensure the implementation of this Declaration by the largest number of participants.

4. Ministers invite the Ministers of other Members of the WTO, and States or separate customs territories in the process of acceding to the WTO, to provide similar instructions to their respective officials, so that they may participate in the technical discussions referred to in paragraph 3 above and participate fully in the expansion of world trade in information technology products.

Annex: Modalities and Product Coverage

Attachment A: list of HS headings

Attachment B: list of products

ANNEX

Modalities and Product Coverage

Any Member of the World Trade Organization, or State or separate customs territory in the process of acceding to the WTO, may participate in the expansion of world trade in information technology products in accordance with the following modalities:

1. Each participant shall incorporate the measures described in paragraph 2 of the Declaration into its schedule to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994, and, in addition, at either its own tariff line level or the Harmonized System (1996) ("HS") 6-digit level in either its official tariff or any other published versions of the tariff schedule, whichever is ordinarily used by importers and exporters. Each participant that is not a Member of the WTO shall implement these measures on an autonomous basis, pending completion of its WTO accession, and shall incorporate these measures into its WTO market access schedule for goods.

2. To this end, as early as possible and no later than 1 March 1997 each participant shall provide all other participants a document containing (a) the details concerning how the appropriate duty treatment will be provided in its WTO schedule of concessions, and (b) a list of the detailed HS headings involved for products specified in Attachment B. These documents will be reviewed and approved on a consensus basis and this review process shall be completed no later than 1 April 1997. As soon as this review process has been completed for any such document, that document shall be submitted as a modification to the Schedule of the participant concerned, in accordance with the Decision of 26 March 1980 on Procedures for Modification and Rectification of Schedules of Tariff Concessions (BISD 27S/25).

- (a) The concessions to be proposed by each participant as modifications to its Schedule shall bind and eliminate all customs duties and other duties and charges of any kind on information technology products as follows:
 - (i) elimination of such customs duties shall take place through rate reductions in equal steps, except as may be otherwise agreed by the participants. Unless otherwise agreed by the participants, each participant shall bind all tariffs on items listed in the Attachments no later than 1 July 1997, and shall make the first such rate reduction effective no later than 1 July 1997, the second such rate reduction no later than 1 January 1998, and the third such rate reduction no later than 1 January 2000. The participants agree to encourage autonomous elimination of customs duties prior to these dates. The reduced rate should in each stage be rounded off to the first decimal; and
 - (ii) elimination of such other duties and charges of any kind, within the meaning of Article II:1(b) of the General Agreement, shall be completed by 1 July 1997, except as may be otherwise specified in the participant's document provided to other participants for review.
- (b) The modifications to its Schedule to be proposed by a participant in order to implement its binding and elimination of customs duties on information technology products shall achieve this result:
 - (i) in the case of the HS headings listed in Attachment A, by creating, where appropriate, sub-divisions in its Schedule at the national tariff line level; and

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(ii) in the case of the products specified in Attachment B, by attaching an annex to its Schedule including all products in Attachment B, which is to specify the detailed HS headings for those products at either the national tariff line level or the HS 6-digit level.

Each participant shall promptly modify its national tariff schedule to reflect the modifications it has proposed, as soon as they have entered into effect.

3. Participants shall meet periodically under the auspices of the Council on Trade in Goods to review the product coverage specified in the Attachments, with a view to agreeing, by consensus, whether in the light of technological developments, experience in applying the tariff concessions, or changes to the HS nomenclature, the Attachments should be modified to incorporate additional products, and to consult on non-tariff barriers to trade in information technology products. Such consultations shall be without prejudice to rights and obligations under the WTO Agreement.

4. Participants shall meet as soon as practicable and in any case no later than 1 April 1997 to review the state of acceptances received and to assess the conclusions to be drawn therefrom. Participants will implement the actions foreseen in the Declaration provided that participants representing approximately 90 per cent of world trade² in information technology products have by then notified their acceptance, and provided that the staging has been agreed to the participants' satisfaction. In assessing whether to implement actions foreseen in the Declaration, if the percentage of world trade represented by participants falls somewhat short of 90 per cent of world trade in information technology products, participants may take into account the extent of the participation of States or separate customs territories representing for them the substantial bulk of their own trade in such products. At this meeting the participants will establish whether these criteria have been met.

5. Participants shall meet as often as necessary and no later than 30 September 1997 to consider any divergence among them in classifying information technology products, beginning with the products specified in Attachment B. Participants agree on the common objective of achieving, where appropriate, a common classification for these products within existing HS nomenclature, giving consideration to interpretations and rulings of the Customs Co-operation Council (also known as the World Customs Organization or "WCO"). In any instance in which a divergence in classification remains, participants will consider whether a joint suggestion could be made to the WCO with regard to updating existing HS nomenclature or resolving divergence in interpretation of the HS nomenclature.

6. The participants understand that Article XXIII of the General Agreement will address nullification or impairment of benefits accruing directly or indirectly to a WTO Member participant through the implementation of this Declaration as a result of the application by another WTO Member participant of any measure, whether or not that measure conflicts with the provisions of the General Agreement.

7. Each participant shall afford sympathetic consideration to any request for consultation from any other participant concerning the undertakings set out above. Such consultations shall be without prejudice to rights and obligations under the WTO Agreement.

8. Participants acting under the auspices of the Council for Trade in Goods shall inform other Members of the WTO and States or separate customs territories in the process of acceding to the WTO of these modalities and initiate consultations with a view to facilitate their participation in the expansion of trade in information technology products on the basis of the Declaration.

²This percentage shall be calculated by the WTO Secretariat on the basis of the most recent data available at the time of the meeting.

9. As used in these modalities, the term "participant" shall mean those Members of the WTO, or States or separate customs territories in the process of acceding to the WTO, that provide the document described in paragraph 2 no later than 1 March 1997.

10. This Annex shall be open for acceptance by all Members of the WTO and any State or any separate customs territory in the process of acceding to the WTO. Acceptances shall be notified in writing to the Director-General who shall communicate them to all participants.

There are two attachments to the Annex.

Attachment A lists the HS headings or parts thereof to be covered.

Attachment B lists specific products to be covered by an ITA wherever they are classified in the HS.

Attachment A, Section 1	Attachment	Α.	Section	1
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	HS96	T	HS description
	3818	1	Chemical elements doped for use in electronics, in form of discs, wafers or similar forms; chemical compounds doped for use in electronics
	8469	11	Word processing machines
	8470		Calculating machines and pocket-size data recording, reproducing and displaying machines with a calculating function; accounting machines, postage franking machines, ticket-issuing machines and similar machines, incorporating a calculating devices; cash registers:
	8470	10	Electronic calculators capable of operating without an external source of electric power and pocket size data recording, reproducing and displaying machines with calculating functions
	8470	2!	Other electronic calculating machines incorporating a printing device
	8470	29	Other
}	8470	30	Other calculating machines
	8470	40	Accounting machines
	8470	50	Cash registers
	8470	90	Other
	8471		Automatic data processing machines and units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data, not elsewhere specified or included:
	8471	10	Analogue or hybrid automatic data processing machines
	8471	30	Portable digital automatic data processing machines, weighing no more than 10 kg, consisting of at least a central processing unit, a keyboard and a display
	8471	41	Other digital automatic data processing machines comprising in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit, whether or not combined
	8471	49	Other digital automatic data processing machines presented in the form of systems
	8471	50	Digital processing units other than those of subheading 8471 41 and 8471 49, whether or not in the same housing one or two of the following types of units : storage units, input units, output units
	8471	60	Input or output units, whether or not containing storage units in the same housing
	8471	70	Storage units, including central storage units, optical disk storage units, hard disk drives and magnetic tape storage units
	8471	80	Other units of automatic data processing machines
	8471	90	Other
ex	8472	90	Automatic teller machines
	8473	21	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading No 8470 of the electronic calculating machines of subheading 8470 10, 8470 21 and 8470 29
	8473	29	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading No 8470 other than the electronic calculating machines of subheading 8470 10, 8470 21 and 8470 29
	8473	30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading No 8471

	8473	50	Parts and accessories equally suitable for use with machines of two or more of the headings Nos. 8469 to 8472				
ex	8504	40	Static converters for automatic data processing machines and units thereof, and telecommunication apparatus				
ex	thereof, and telecommunication apparatus						
	8517		Electrical apparatus for line telephony or line telegraphy, including line telephone sets with cordless handsets and telecommunication apparatus for carrier-current line systems or for digital lin? systems; videophones:				
	8517	11	Line telephone sets with cordless handsets				
	8517	19	Other telephone sets and videophones				
	8517	21	Facsimile machines				
	8517	22	Teleprinters				
	8517	30	Telephonic or telegraphic switching apparatus				
	8517	50	Other apparatus, for carrier-current line systems or for digital line systems				
	8517	80	Other apparatus including entry-phone systems				
	8517	90	Parts of apparatus of heading 8517				
ex	8518	10	Microphones having a frequency range of 300 Hz to 3,4 KHz with a diameter of not exceeding 10 mm and a height not exceeding 3 mm, for telecommunication use				
ex	8518	30	Line telephone handsets				
ex	8518	29	Loudspeakers, without housing, having a frequency range of 300 Hz to 3,4 KHz with a diameter of not exceeding 50 mm, for telecommunication use				
	8520	20	Telephone answering machines				
	8523	11	Magnetic tapes of a width not exceeding 4 mm				
	8523	12	Magnetic tapes of a width exceeding 4 mm but not exceeding 6,5 mm				
	8523	13	Magnetic tapes of a width exceeding 6,5 mm				
	8523	20	Magnetic discs				
	8523	90	Other				
	8524	31	Discs for laser reading systems for reproducing phenomena other than sound or image				
ex	8524	39	Other : - for reproducing representations of instructions, data, sound, and image, recorded in a machine readable binary form, and capable of being manipulated or providing interactivity to a user, by means of an automatic data processing machine				
	8524	40	Magnetic tapes for reproducing phenomena other than sound or image				
	8524	91	Media for reproducing phenomena other than sound or image				
ex	8424	99	Other : - for reproducing representations of instructions, data, sound, and image, recorded in a machine readable binary form, and capable of being manipulated or providing interactivity to a user, by means of an automatic data processing machine				
ex	8525	10	Transmission apparatus other than apparatus for radio-broadcasting or television				
	8525	20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus				
ex	8525	40	Digital still image video cameras				
ex	8527	90	Portable receivers for calling, alerting or paging				
ex	8529	10	Aerials or antennae of a kind used with apparatus for radio-telephony and radio-telegraphy				



ex	8529	90	Parts of:
			transmission apparatus other than apparatus for radio-broadcasting or television
			transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus
			digital still image video cameras,
			portable receivers for calling, alerting or paging
	8531	20	Indicator panels incorporating liquid crystal devices (LCD) or light emitting diodes (LED)
ex	8531	90	Parts of apparatus of subheading 8531 20
	8532		Electrical capacitors, fixed, variable or adjustable (pre-set):
	8532	10	Fixed capacitors designed for use in 50/60 Hz circuits and having a reactive power handling capacity of not less than 0,5 kvar (power capacitors)
	8532	21	Tantalum fixed capacitors
	8532	22	Aluminium electrolytic fixed capacitors
	8532	23	Ceramic dielectric, single layer fixed capacitors
	8532	24	Ceramic dielectric, multilayer fixed capacitors
	8532	25	Dielectric fixed capacitors of paper or plastics
	8532	29	Other fixed capacitors
	8532	30	Variable or adjustable (pre-set) capacitors
	8532	90	Parts
	8533	30	
			Electrical resistors (including rhecstats and potentiometers), other than heating resistors:
	8533	10	Fixed carbon resistors, composition or film types
	8533	21	Other fixed resistors for a power handling capacity not exceeding 20 W
	8533	29	Other fixed resistors for a power handling capacity of 20 W or more
	8533	31	Wirewound variable resistors, including rheostats and potentiometers, for a power handling capacity not exceeding 20 W
	8533	39	Wirewound variable resistors, including rheostats and potentiometers, for a power handling capacity of 20 W or more
	8533	40	Other variable resistors, including rheostats and potentiometers
	8533	90	Parts
	8534	+	Printed circuits
ex	8536	50	Electronic AC switches consisting of optically coupled input and output circuits (Insulated thyristor AC switches)
ex	8536	50	Electronic switches, including temperature protected electronic switches, consisting of a transiston and a logic chip (chip-on-chip technology) for a voltage not exceeding 1000 volts
ex	8536	50	Electromechanical snap-action switches for a current not exceeding 11 amps
ex	8536	69	Plugs and sockets for co-axial cables and printed circuits
ex	8536	90	Connection and contact elements for wires and cables
	8541		Diodes, transistors and similar semiconductor devices; photosensitive semiconductor
			devices, including photovoltaic cells whether or not assembled in modules or made up
		<u> .</u>	into panels; light-emitting diodes; mounted piezo-electric crystals:
	8541	10	Diodes, other than photosensitive or light-emitting diodes
	8541	21	Transistors, other than photosensitive transistors, with a dissipation rate of less than 1 W
	8541	29	Transistors, other than photosensitive transistors, with a dissipation rate of 1 W or more

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	8541	30	Thyristors, diacs and triacs, other than photosensitive devices
	8541	40	Photosensitive semiconductor devices, including photovoltaic cells whether or not assembled in modules or made up into panels; light emitting diodes
	8541	50	Other semiconductor devices
	8541	60	Mounted piezo-electric crystals
	8541	90	Parts
	8542		Electronic integrated circuits and microassemblies
	8542	12	Cards incorporating an electronic integrated circuit ('smart' cards)
	8542	13	Metal oxide semiconductors (MOS technology)
	8542	14	Circuits obtained by bipolar technology
	8542	19	Other monolithic digital integrated circuits, including circuits obtained by a combination of bipolar and MOS technologies (BIMOS technology)
, e	8542	30	Other monolithic integrated circuits
	8542	40	Hybrid integrated circuits
	8542	50	Electronic microassemblies
	8542	90	Part
	8543	81	Proximity cards and tags
ex	8543	89	Electrical machines with translation or dictionary functions
ex	8544	41	Other electric conductors, for a voltage not exceeding 80 V, fitted with connectors, of a
			kind used for telecommunications
ex	8544	49	Other electric conductors, for a voltage not exceeding 80 V, not fitted with connectors, of a kind used for telecommunications
ex	8544	51	Other electric conductors, for a voltage exceeding 80 V but not exceeding 1000 V, fitted with connectors, of a kind used for telecommunications
	8544	70	Optical fibre cables
	9009	11	Electrostatic photocopying apparatus, operating by reproducing the original image directly onto the copy (direct process)]
	9009	21	Other photocopying apparatus, incorporating an optical system
	9009	90	Parts and accessories
	9026		Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking the flow, level, pressure or other variables of liquids or gases (for example, flow meters, level gauges, manometers, heat meters), excluding instruments and apparatus of heading No 9014, 9015, 9028 or 9032:
	9026	10	Instruments for measuring or checking the flow or level of liquids
	9026	20	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking pressure
	9026	80	Other instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking of heading 9026
	9026	90	Parts and accessories of instruments and apparatus of heading 9026
	9027	20	Chromatographs and electrophoresis instruments
	9027	30	Spectrometers, spectrophotometers and spectrographs using optical radiations (UV, visible, IR)
	9027	50	Other instruments and apparatus using optical radiations (UV, visible, IR) of heading No 9027
	9027	80	Other instruments and apparatus of heading No 9027 (other than those of heading No 9027 10)
ex	9027	90	Parts and accessories of products of heading 9027, other than for gas or smoke analysis apparatus and microtomes

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9030	Instruments and apparatus for measuring and checking, specially designed for telecommunications (for example, cross-talk meters, gain measuring instruments, distorsion factor meters, psophometers)

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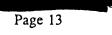
Attachment A, Section 2

Semiconductor manufacturing and testing equipment and parts thereof

	HS Code	Description	Comments
ex	7017 10	Quartz reactor tubes and holders designed for insertion into diffusion and oxidation furnaces for production of semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8419 89	Chemical vapor deposition apparatus for semiconductor production	For Attachment B
ex	8419 90	Parts of chemical varor deposition apparatus for semiconductor production	For Attachment B
ex	8421 19	Spin dryers for semiconductor wafer processing	
ex	8421 91	Parts of spin dryers for semiconductor wafer processing	
ex	8424 89	Deflash machines for cleaning and removing contaminants from the metal leads of semiconductor packages pricr to the electroplating process	
ex	8424 89	Spraying appliances for etching, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers	
ex	8424 90	Parts of spraying appliances for etching, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers	
ex	8456 10	Machines for working any material by removal of material, by laser or other light or photo beam in the production of semiconductor wafers	
ex	8456 91	Apparatus for stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
	8456 91	Machines for dry-etching patterns on semiconductor materials	
ex	8456 99	Focused ion beam milling machines to produce or repair masks and reticles for patterns on semiconductor devices	
ex	8456 99	Lasercutters for cutting contacting tracks in semiconductor production by laser beam	For Attachment B
ex ,	8464 10	Machines for sawing monocrystal semiconductor boules into slices, or wafers into chips	For Attachment B
ex	8464 20	Grinding, polishing and lapping machines for processing of semiconductor wafers	
ex	8464 90 .	Dicing machines for scribing or scoring semiconductor wafers	
ex	8466 91	Parts for machines for sawing monocrystal semiconductor boules into slices, or wafers into chips	For Attachment B
ex	8466 91	Parts of dicing machines for scribing or scoring semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8466 91	Parts of grinding, polishing and lapping machines for processing of semiconductor wafers	
€X	8466 93	Parts of focused ion beam milling machines to produce or repair masks and reticles for patterns on semiconductor devices	
ex	8466 93	Parts of lasercutters for cutting contacting tracks in semiconductor production by laser beam	For Attachment B
ex	8466 93	Parts of machines for working any material by removal of material, by laser or other light or photo beam in the production of semiconductor wafers	
ex	8456 93	Parts of apparatus for stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8466 93	Parts of machines for dry-etching patterns on semiconductor materials	
ex	8477 10	Encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	For Attachment B
ex	8477 90	Parts of encapsulation equipment	For Attachment B

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ex	8479 50	Automated machines for transport, handling and storage of semiconductor wafers, wafer cassettes, wafer boxes and other material for semiconductor devices	For Attachment B
ex	8479 89	Apparatus for growing or pulling monocrystal semiconductor boules	
ex	8479 89	Apparatus for physical deposition by sputtering on semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8479 89	Apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and flat panel displays	For Attachment B
ex	8479 89	Die attach apparatus, tape automated bonders, and wire bonders for assembly of semiconductors	For Attachment B
ex	8479 89	Encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	For Attachment B
ex	8479 89	Epitaxial deposition machines for semiconductor wafers	
ex	8479 89	Machines for bending, folding and straightening semiconductor leads	For Attachment B
ex	8479 89	Physical deposition apparatus for for semiconductor production	For Attachment B
ex	8479 89	Spinners for coating photographic emulsions on semiconductor wafers	For Attachment
ex	8479 90	Part of apparatus for physical deposition by sputtering on semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8479 90	Parts for die attach apparatus, tape automated bonders, and wire bonders for assembly of semiconductors	For Attachment B
ex	8479 90	Parts for spinners for coating photographic emulsions on semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8479 90	Parts of apparatus for growing or pulling monocrystal semiconductor boules	
ex	8479 90	Parts of apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and flat pane! displays	For Attachment B
ex	8479 90	Parts of automated machines for transport, handling and storage of semiconductor wafers, wafer cassettes, wafer boxes and other material for semiconductor devices	For Attachment B
ex	8479 90	Parts of encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	For Attachment B
ex	8479 90	Parts of epitaxial deposition machines for semiconductor wafers	
ex	8479 90	Parts of machines for bending, folding and straightening semiconductor leads	For Attachment B
ex	8479 90	Parts of physical deposition apparatus for for semiconductor production	For Attachment B
ex	8480 71	Injection and compression moulds for the manufacture of semiconductor devices	
ex	8514 10	Resistance heated furnaces and ovens for the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductor wafers	
ex	8514 20	Inductance or dielectric furnaces and ovens for the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductors wafers	
ex	8514 30	Apparatus for rapid heating of semiconductor wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8514 30	Parts of resistance heated furnaces and ovens for the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductor wafers	
ex	8514 90	Parts of apparatus for rapid heating of wafers	For Attachment B
ex	8514 90	Parts of furnaces and ovens of Headings No 8514 10 to No 8514 30	
ex	8536 90	Wafer probers	For Attachment B
	8543 11	Ion implanters for doping semiconductor materials	
ex	8543 30	Apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and flat panel displays	For Attachment B



ex	8543 90	Parts of apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and flat panel displays	For Attachment B
ex	8543 90	Parts of ion implanters for doping semiconductor materials	
	9010 41 to 9010 49	Apparatus for projection, drawing or plating circuit patterns on sensitized semiconductor materials and flat panel displays	
ex	9010 90	Parts and accessories of the apparatus of Headings No 9010 41 to 9010 49	
ex	9011 10	Optical stereoscopic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	For Attachment B
ex	9011 20	Photomicrographic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	For Attachment B
ex	9011 90	Parts and accessories of optical stereoscopic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	For Attachment B
ex	9011 90	Parts and accessories of photomicrographic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	For Attachment B
ex	9012 10	Electron beam microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	For Attachment B
ex	9012 90	Parts and accessories of electron beam microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	For Attachment B
ex	9017 20	Pattern generating apparatus of a kind used for producing masks or reticles from photoresist coated substrates	For Attachment B
ex	9017 90	Parts and accessories for pattern generating apparatus of a kind used for producing masks or reticles from photoresist coated substrates	For Attachment B
ex	9017 90	Parts of such pattern generating apparatus	For Attachment B
	9030 82	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking semiconductor wafers or devices	
ex	9030 90	Parts and accessories of instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking semiconductor wafers or devices	
ex	9030 90	Parts of instruments and appliances for measuring or checking semiconductor wafers or devices	
	9031 41	Optical instruments and appliances for inspecting semiconductor wafers or devices or for inspecting masks, photomasks or reticles used in manufacturing semiconductor devices	
ex	9031 49	Optical instruments and appliances for measuring surface particulate contamination on semiconductor wafers	
ex	9031 90	Parts and accessories of optical instruments and appliances for inspecting semiconductor wafers or devices or for inspecting masks, photomasks or reticles used in manufacturing semiconductor devices	
ex	9031 90	Parts and accessories of optical instruments and appliances for measuring surface particulate contamination on semiconductor wafers	

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Attachment B

Positive list of specific products to be covered by this agreement wherever they are

classified in the HS.

Where parts are specified, they are to be covered in accordance with HS Notes 2(b) to

Section XVI and Chapter 90, respectively.

Computers: automatic data processing machines capable of 1) storing the processing program or programs and at least the data immediately necessary for the execution of the program; 2) being freety programmed in accordance with the requirements of the user; 3) performing arithmetical computations specified by the user; and 4) executing, without human intervention, a processing program which requires them to modify their execution, by logical decision during the processing run.

The agreement covers such automatic data processing machines whether or not they are able to receive and process with the assistance of central processing unit telephony signals, television signals, or other analogue or digitally processed aucio or video signals. Machines performing a specific function other than data processing, or incorporating or working in conjunction with an automatic data processing machine, and not otherwise specified under Attachment A or B, are not covered by this agreement.

Electric amplifiers when used as repeaters in line telephony products falling within this agreement, and parts thereof

Flat panel displays (including LCD, Electro Luminescence, Plasma and other technologies) for products falling within this agreement, and parts thereof.

Network equipment: Local Area Network (LAN) and Wide Area Network (WAN) apparatus, including those products dedicated for use solely or principally to permit the interconnection of automatic data processing machines and units thereof for a network that is used primarily for the sharing of resources such as central processor units, data storage devices and input or output units - including adapters, hubs, in-line repeaters, converters, concentrators bridges and routers, and printed circuit assemblies for physical incorporation into automatic data processing machines and units thereof.

Monitors : display units of automatic data processing machines with a cathode ray tube with a dot screen pitch smaller than 0,4 mm not capable of receiving and processing television signals or other analogue or digitally processed audio or video signals without assistance of a central processing unit of a computer as defined in this agreement.

The agreement does not, therefore, cover televisions, including high definition televisions.³

Optical disc storage units, for automatic data processing machines (including CD drives and DVD-drives), whether or not having the capability of writing/recording as well as reading, whether or not in their own housings.

Paging alert devices, and parts thereof .

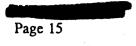
Plotters whether input or output units of HS heading No 8471 or drawing or drafting machines of HS heading No 9017.

Printed Circuit Assemblies for products falling within this agreement, including such assemblies for external connections such as cards that conform to the PCMCIA standard.

Such printed circuit assemblies consist of one or more printed circuits of heading 8534 with one or more active elements assembled thereon, with or without passive elements "Active elements" means diodes, transistors, and umilar semiconductor devices, whether or not photosensitive, of heading 8541, and integrated circuits and micro assemblies of heading 8542.

Projection type flat panel display units used with automatic data processing machines which can display digital information generated by the central processing unit.

³ Participants will conduct a review of this product description in January 1999 under the consultation provisions of paragraph 3 of the Declaration



Proprietary format storage devices including media therefor for automatic data processing machines, with or without removable media and whether magnetic, optical or other technology, including Bernoulli Box, Syquest, or Zipdrive cartridge storage units.

Multimedia upgrade kits for automatic data processing machines, and units thereof, put up for retail sale, consisting of, at least, speakers and/or microphones as well as a printed circuit assembly that enables the ADP machines and units thereof to process audio signals (sound cards).

Set top boxes which have a communication function: a microprocessor-based device incorporating a modem for gaining access to the Internet, and having a function of interactive information exchange

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				Rate	Jul. 1997	Jan. 1998	Jan. 1999	Jan. 2000	
813-00		Chemical elements doped for use in electronics, in the form of dises, waters or similar forms, chemical compounds doped for use in electronics.				• • • • •		999 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 19	
818 00 10	- ,	Doped silicon	6.9	free	5.2	3.5	1.7	free	
818 00 90	-	Other	6.9	free	5.2	3.5	1.7	free	
020/00		Other articles of glass							
020 00 05	-	Quartz reactor tubes and holders designed for insertion into diffusion and oxidation furnaces for production of semiconductor wafers	.1	free	3.0	2.0	1.0	free	
020/00/10	-	Of fused quartz or other fused silica							
020/00/30	-	Of glass having a linear coefficient of expansion not exceeding 5 x 10-6 per Kelvin within a temperature range of 0 °C to 300 °C							
020 00 80	-	Other							
419		Machinery, plant or laboratory equipment, whether or not electrically heated, for the treatment of materials by a process involving a change of temperature such as heating, cooking, roasting, distilling, rectifying, sterilizing, pasteurizing, steaming, drying, evaporating, vapourizing, condensing or cooling, other than machinery or plant of a kind used for domestic purposes; instantaneous or storage water heaters, non-electric :							
419-89		Other							
419 89 10		Cooling towers and similar plant for direct cooling (without a separating wall) by means of recirculated water							
419 89 15		Apparatus for rapid heating of semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free	
419 89 20		Apparatus for chemical vapour deposition on semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free	
419 89 25		Apparatus for physical vapour deposition by electronic beam or evaporation on semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free	
419 89 30		Vacuum-vapour plant for the deposition of metal							
419 89 95		Other							
419 90	-	Parts							
419 90 10	•	Of heat exchange units, for use in civil aircraft							
419 90 20		Of subheading 8419 20 00							

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8:19 90 3:	-	For apparatus of subheading 8419 89 15 to 841989 25	2.7	free	2.0	 1.4	0.7	free	
8419-90-80		Other					017	, nee	
8421		Centrituges, including centritugal dryers, filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases .							
8421-19		Other							
8421 19 10		For use in civil aircraft							
	·	Other							
8421 19 91		Centrifuges of a kind used in laboratories							
		Centrifuges of a kind used in the manufacturing of semiconductors waters							
8421 19 93		Spinners for coating photographic emulsions on semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free	
8421 19 95	•••••	Other	1.5	free	1.1	0.8	0.4	free	
8421 19 97		Other							
	-	Parts							
		Of centrifuges, including centrifugal dryers							
8421 91 10		For apparatus of subheading 8421-19-93 and 8421-19-95	2.5	free	1.9	1.3	0.6	free	
8421 91 90		Other							
8421 99 00		Other							
8424		Mechanical appliances (whether or not hand-operated) for projecting, dispersing or spraying liquids or powders; fire extinguishers, whether or not charged; spray guns and similar appliances; steam or sand blasting machines and similar jet projecting machines :							
8424 89		Other							
8424 89 20		Spraying appliances for etching, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free	
8424 89 30		Deflash machines for cleaning and removing contaminants from the metal leads of semiconductor packages prior to the electroplating process	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free	
8424 89 80		Other							
8424 90	-	Parts							
8424 90 10		Of apparatus of heading 8424 89 20	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free	
8424 90 90		Other							
8428		Other lifting, handling, loading or unloading machinery (for example, lifts, escalators, conveyors, teleferies) :							
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8428 39 10		For use in civil aircraft							
		Other							
8428 39 91		Roller conveyors							
8428 39 93		Automated material handling machines for transport, handling and storage of semiconductor wafers, wafer cassettes, wafer boxes and other material for semiconductor devices	free	free	free	free	free	free	
8428 39 98		Other							
8431		Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the machinery of heading Nos 8425 to 8430							
8431-39		Other							
8431 39 10		Of rolling-mill machinery of subheading 8428 90 30							
8431 39 20	••••	Of machinery of heading 8428 39 93	1.6	free	1.2	0.8	free	free	
8431 39 80		Other							
8456		Machine-tools for working any material by removal of material, by laser or other light or photon beam, ultrasonic, electro- discharge, electro-chemical, electron beam, ionie-beam or plasma are processes :							
8456-10	-	Operated by laser or other light or photon beam processes							
8456 10 10		Of a kind used in the manufacturing of semiconductor wafers or devices	4.7	free	3.5	2.4	1.2	free	
8456 10 90		Other							
8456 91 00		For dry-etching patterns on semiconductor materials	free	free	free	free	free	free	
8456 99		Other							
8456 99 10		Focused ion beam miling machines for producing or repairing masks and reticles for patterns on semiconductor devices	free	free	ſree	free	free	free	
8456 99 30		Apparatus for stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free	
8456 99 90		Other							
, 8462 ,		Machine-tools (including presses) for working metal by forging, hammering or die-stamping: machine-tools (including presses) for working metal by bending, folding, straightening, flattening, shearing, punching or notching; presses for working metal or metal carbides, not specified above :						- : :	
	-	Bending, folding, straightening or flattening machines (including presses)					•		
8462 21		Numerically controlled					'		

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8462 21 05		of a kind used in manufacturing semiconductors leads	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	0.8	free
8462 21 10		For working flat products						
8462 21 80		Other						
8462 29		Other						
462 29 05		For bending, folding and straightening semiconductor leads	1.7	free	1.3	0.8	0.4	free
8462 29 10		For working flat products						
	•	Other						
8462 29 91		Hydraulie						
462 29 99		Other						
8464		Machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, asbestos- cement or like mineral materials or for cold working glass :						
464 10	•	Sawing machines						
464 10 10		For sawing monocrystal semiconductor boules into slices, or wafers into chips	free	free	free	free	free	free
464 10 90		Other						
464-20	•	Grinding or polishing machines						
464 20 05		For working semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free
	••	For working glass						
464 20 11		Optical glass						
464 20 19		Other						
464 20 80		Other						
464 90	-	Other						
464 90 10		For scribing or scoring semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free
464 90 90		Other						
8466		Parts and accessories suitable for use solely or principally with the machines of heading Nos 8456 to 8465, including work or tool holders, self-opening dieheads, dividing heads and other special attachments for machine-tools; tool holders for any type of tool for working in the hand :					· · · · ·	
	-	Other						
466 91		For machines of heading No 8464						: * :
466 91 15		For machines of subheadings 8464-10-10, 8464-20-05 or 8464-90- 10	1.9	free	1.4	. 0.9	0.5	free
466 91 20		Of cast iron or cast steel						
466 91 95		Other						

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8466-93		For machines of heading Nos 8456 to 8461					 Month and a constrained of the second se	n de kommunistration de las de las se
8466 93 15	••••	For machines and apparatus of subheadings 8456-10-10, 8456-91 	19	free	1.4	0.9	0.5	free
8466 93 20	•••	Of cast iron or cast steel						
8466 93 95		Other						
8466-94		For machines of heading No 8462 or 8463						
8466 94 10		For machines of subheading 8462-21-05 or 8452-29-05	1.9	free	1.4	0.9	0.5	free
8466 94 90		Other						
	-	Automatic typewriters and word-processing machines						
8469 11 00		Word-processing machines	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	0.8	free
8470		Calculating machines and pocket-size data recording, reproducing and displaying machines with calculating functions; accounting machines, postage-franking machines, ticket- issuing machines and similar machines, incorporating a calculating device; eash registers :						
8470-10	-	Electronic calculators capable of operation without an external source of electric power and pocket-size data recording. reproducing and displaying machines with calculating functions						
8470-10-10		Electronic calculators capable of operation without an external source of electric power	8.4	free	6.3	4.2	2.1	free
8470 10 90		Pocket-size data recording, reproducing and displaying machines with calculating functions	5.0	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
	-	Other electronic calculating machines						
8470 21 00		Incorporating a printing device	8.4	free	6.3	4.2	2.1	free
8470 29 00		Other	8.4	free	6.3	4.2	2.1	free
8470 30 00	-	Other calculating machines	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
8470 40 00	-	Accounting machines	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
8470 50 00	-	Cash registers	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
8470 90 00	-	Other	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
8471		Automatic data-processing machines and units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data, not elsewhere specified or included :						
8471-10	-	Analogue or hybrid automatic data-processing machines						
8471 10 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
8471 10 90		Other	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	free

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				Nate	Jul. 1997	Jan. 1998	Jan. 1999	Jan. 2000
8471 30 00	-	Portable digital automatic data-processing machines, weighing not more than 10 kg, consisting of at least a central processing unit, a keyboard and a display	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	free
		Other digital automatic data-processing machines						
8471-41		Comprising in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit, whether or not combined						
8471-41-10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	frce
8471 41 90		Other	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	free
8471-49		Other, presented in the form of systems						
8471 49 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
8471 49 90		Other	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	ſree
8471-50		Digital processing units other than those of subheadings No 8471 41 and 8471 49, whether or not containing in the same housing one or two of the following types of unit: storage units, input units, output units						
8471 50 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
8471 50 90		Other	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	free
8471-60	-	Input or output units, whether or not containing storage units in the same housing						
8471 60 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
		Other						
8471 60 40	'	Printers	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8471 60 50		Keyboards	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8471 60 90		Other	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8471 70	-	Storage units						
8471 70 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
		Other						
8471 70 40		Central storage units	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
	•	Other						
		Disk storage units						
8471 70 51		Optical, including magneto-optical	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
		Other						
8471 70 53	•••••	Hard disk drives	1.6	free	1.2	9.8	free	free
8471 70 59	·····	Other	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8471 70 60		Magnetic tape storage units	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free

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				Rate	Jul. 1997	Jan. 1998	Jan. 1999	Jan. 2000
8471 70 90		Other	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	ſrec
8471-80	•	Other units of automatic data-processing machines						
8471-80-10		Peripheral units	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8471 80 90		Other	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8471 90 00	-	Other	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8472		Other office machines (for example, hectograph or stencil duplicating machines, addressing machines, automatic banknote dispensers, com-sorting machines, com- counting or wrapping machines, pencil-sharpening machines, perforating or stapling machines).						
8472 90	•	Other						
8472 90 10		Coin-sorting, coin-counting or coin-wrapping machines						
8472 90 30		Automatic teller machines	3.1	free	2.3	1.6	0.8	free
8472 90 80		Other						
8473		Parts and accessories (other than covers, carrying cases and the like) suitable for use solely or principally with machines of heading Nos 8469 to 8472 :						
8473-10		Parts and accessories of the machines of heading No 8470						
8473 21	••	Of the electronic calculating machines of subheading 8470 10, 8470 21 or 8470 29						
8473 21 10		Electronic assemblies	4.3	free	3.2	2.1	1.1	free
8473 21 90		Other	2.5	free	1.,9	1.3	free	free
3473 29		Other						
8473 29 10		Electronic assemblies	3.4	free	2.5	1.7	0.8	free
8473 29 90		Other	1.6	free	1.2	0.8	free	free
8473 30	-	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading No 8471						
8473 30 10		Electronic assemblies	3.3	free	2.5	1.6	0.8	free
8473 30 90		Other	1.6	free	1.2	0.8	free	free
8473 50	-	Parts and accessories equally suitable for use with machines of two or more of the headings Nos 8469 to 8472						
8473 50 10		Electronic assemblies	3.4	free	2.5	1.7	0.8	free
473 50 90		Other	1.6	free	1.2	0.8	free	free
8477		Machinery for working rubber or plastics or for the manufacture of products from these materials, not specified or included elsewhere in this chapter :						
8477 10		Injection-moulding machines						

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				Rate	Jul. 1997	Jan. 1998	Jan. 1999	Jan. 2000
477 10 10		Encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
477 10 90	••	Other						
477 59		Other						
477 59 05		Encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
477 59 10		Presses						
477 59 90		Other						
477 90		Parts						
477 90 04		For machines of subheadings 8477-10-10 and 8477-59-05	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
477 90 10		Of cast iron or cast steel						
477 90 80		Other						
479		Machines and mechanical appliances having individual functions, not specified or included elsewhere in this chapter :						
479.89		Other						
479 89 10	•••	The following goods, for use in civil aircraf ' Hydropneumatic batteries; Mechanical actuators for thrust reversers; Toilet units specially designed; Air humidifiers and dehumidifiers; Servo- mechanisms, non-electric; Non-electric starter motors; Pneumatic starters for turbo-jets, turbo-jets, turbo-propellers and other gas turbines; Windscreen wipers, non-electric; Propeller regulators, non-electric						
	••••	Other						
479 89 30		Mobile hydraulic powered mine roof supports						
8479 89 60		Central greasing systems						
8479 89 65		Apparatus for growing or pulling monocrystal semiconductor boules	free	free	free	ſree	free	free
479 89 70		Apparatus for epitaxial deposition on semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free
479 89 75		Apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free
479 89 76		Apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning liquid crytal display substrates	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
479 89 77		Die attach apparatus and tape automated bonders for the assembly of semiconductors	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
479 89 79		Encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
479 89 95		Other						
479 90	-	Parts						
479 90 10		For use in civil aircraft						

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				Rate	Jul. 1997	Jan. 1998	Jan. 1999	Jan. 2000
		Other						······
8479-90-50	···•	Of machines of subheadings \$479 89 65, 8479 89 70, 8479 89 75, 8479 89 76, 8479 89 77 or 8479 89 79	2.8	free	2.1	1.4	0.7	free
8479 90 92	<i>.</i>	Of cast iron or cast steel						
8479 90 98		Other						
8480		Moulding boxes for metal foundry, mould bases; moulding patterns, (laoulds for metal (other than ingot moulds), metal carbidizs, glass, mineral materials, rubber or plastics	٣					
		Moulds for rubber or plastics						
8480-71		Injection or compression types						
8480 71 10		of a kind used in the manufacturing of semiconductor devices	2.5	free	1.9	1.3	0.6	free
8480-71-90		Other						
8504		Electrical transformers, static converters (for example, rectifiers) and inductors :						
8504-40		Static converters						
8504 40 10		For use in civil aircraft						
		Other						
		Of a kind used with telecommunication apparatus and automatic data-processing machines and units thereof :						
8504 40 30		Power supply units of a kind used with automatic data-processing machines	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8504 40 35		Other	4.6	free	3.4	2.3	1.1	free
8504 40 50		Polycrystalline semiconductors						
		Other						
8504 40 93		Accumulator chargers						
		Other						
8504 40 94		Rectifiers						
	.	Inverters						
8504 40 96	·····	Having a power handling capacity not exceeding 7.5 kVA						
8504 40 97		Having a power handling capacity exceeding 7.5 kVA						
8504 40 99		Other						-
8504 50	-	Other inductors				•		
8504 50 10		For use in civil aircraft						
		Other						

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3504 50 30	•••	Of a kind used for telecommunication apparatus and power supplies for automatic data processing machines and unlis thereof	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
8504 50 80		Other						
8514		Industrial or laboratory electric (including induction or dielectric) furnaces and ovens, other industrial or laboratory induction or dielectric heating equipment :						
8514-10	•	Resistance heated furnaces and ovens						
8514 10 05		For the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductors wafers	3	free	2.3	1.5	0.8	free
		Other						
8514 10 10	•••	Bakery and biscuit ovens						
8514 10 90	•••	Other						
8514-20	-	Induction or dielectric furnaces and ovens						
8514 20 05		For the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductors wafers	3	free	2.3	1.5	0.8	ſrce
		Other						
8514 20 10	••	Induction furnaces and ovens						
8514 20 90		Dielectric furnaces and ovens						
8514 30	-	Other furnaces and ovens						
		Infra-red radiation ovens						
8514 30 11		For the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free
8514 30 19		Other						
		Other						
8514 30 91		For the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free
8514 30 99		Other						
8514 90	-	Parts						
8514 90 10		Of apparatus of subheading 8514-10-05, 8514-20 (.5, 8514-30) 11or 8514-30-91	3	free	2.3	1.5	0.8	free
8514 90 90		Other						
8515		Electric (including electrically heated gas), laser or other light or photon beam, ultrasonic, electron beam, magnetic pulse or plasma are soldering, brazing or welding machines and apparatus, whether or not capable of cutting: electric machines and apparatus for hot spraying of metals or cermets						
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-	Brazing or soldering machines and apparatus				1997 <u>-</u> 1999-111 - 1	n - I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	anonany, ala an <mark>inin nain</mark> diamangan diaman bana		
15151100	Soldering irons and guns								
3515-19-00	Other								
-	Machines and apparatus for resistance welding of metal								
1515 21:00	Fully or partly automatic								
515.29	Other								
515 29 10	- For butt welding								
515 29 90	- Other								
-	Machines and apparatus for arc (including plasma arc) w metals	elding of							
515 31 00	Fully or partly automatic								
515 39	Other								
	 For manual welding with coated electrodes, complete wi welding or cutting devices, and consigned with 	th							
3515 39 13	Transformers								
515 39 18	 Generators or rotary converters or static converters, recti rectifying apparatus 	fiers or							
515 39 90	- Other								
51580 -	Other machines and apparatus								
515 80 05	Wire bonders of a kind used for manufacturing wafers or	devices 3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free		
	Other								
	- For treating metals								
515 80 11	For welding								
515 80 19	Other								
	- Other								
515 80 91	For resistance welding of plastics								
515 80 99	Other								
51590 -	Parts								
515 90 10	For machines of subheading 8515 80 05	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free		
515 90 90	Other								
517	Electrical apparatus for line telephony or line telegraphy, including line telephone sets with cordless handsets and telecommunication apparatus for carrier -current line syst for digital line systems; videophones :								
	Telephone sets: videophones								

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8517 11 00	••	Line telephone sets with cordless handsets	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
8517-19		Other						
8517 19 10		Videophones	14	free	10.5	7.0	3.5	free
8517 19 90		Other	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
	•	Facsimile machines and teleprinters						
8517 21 00		Facsimile machines	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
8517 22 00		Teleprinters	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
8517 30 00	-	Telephonic or telegraphic switching apparatus	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
8517 50	-	Other apparatus, for carrier-current line systems or for digital line systems						
8517 50 10		For carrier-current line systems	4.6	free	3.4	2.3	1.1	free
8517 50 90		Other	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
8517-80	-	Other apparatus						
8517 80 10		Entry-phone systems	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
8517 80 90		Other	7.5	free	5.6	3.8	1.9	free
8517 90	-	Parts						
		Of apparatus for carrier-current line systems of subheading 8517 50-10						
8517 90 11	•••	Electronic assemblies	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
8517 90 19		Other	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
		Other						
8517 90 82		Electronic assemblies	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
8517 90 88	•-•	Other	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
8518		Microphones and stands therefor; loudspeakers, whether or not mounted in their enclosures: headphones, earphones and combined microphone/speaker sets; audio- frequency electric amplifiers; electric sound amplifier sets :						
8518 10	-	Microphones and stands therefor						
8518 10 10		For use in civil aircraft						
		Other						•
8518 10 20		Microphones having a frequency range of 300 Hz to 3.4 KHz with a diameter not exceeding 3 mm, for telecommunications use	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	free
8518 10 80		Other						
8518 29		Other						
8518 29 10		For use in civil aircraft						

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8518 29 20		Eoudspeakers having a frequency of 300 Hz to 3.4 KHz with a drameter of not exceeding 10 mm and a beight not exceeding 3 mm, for telecommunications use	3.8	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
8518 29 80	•••	Other						
8518-30	-	Headphones, earphones and combined microphone speaker sets						
8518-30-10		For use in civil aircraft						
8518 30 20	'	Line telephone handsets	.4	free	3.0	2.0	1.0	free
8518 30 80		Other						
8520		Magnetic tape recorders and other sound recording apparatus, whether or not incorporating a sound reproducing device (
8520 20 00	•	Lelephone answering machines	5.2	free	3.9	2.6	1.3	free
8521		Video recording or reproducing apparatus, whether or not incorporating a video tuner						
8521-10	-	Magnetic tape-type						
8521 10 10		For use in civil aircraft						
		Other						
8521 10 30		Of a width not exceeding 1.3 cm and allowing recording or reproduction at a tape speed not exceeding 50 mm per second						
8521 10 80		Other						
8521 90	•	Other						
8521 90 10		Apparatus as defined in Note 5 E to Chapter 84	14	free	10.5	7.0	3.5	free
8521 90 90	••	Other			~			
8523		Prepared unrecorded media for sound recording or similar recording of other phenomena, other than products of Chapter 37 :						
	-	Magnetic tapes						
8523 11 00		Of a width not exceeding 4 mm	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	0.8	free
8523 12 00		Of a width exceeding 4 mm but not exceeding 6.5 mm	4.1	free	3.1	2.0	1.0	free
8523 13 00		Of a width exceeding 6.5 mm	4.1	free	3.1	2.0	1.0	free
8523 20	-	Magnetic discs						
	••	Rigid						
8523 20 11		With a thin film metallic coating, having a coercivity exceeding 600 Oersted and an external diameter not exceeding 231 mm	2	free	1.5	1.0	free	free
8523 20 19		Other	4.1	free	3.1	2.0	i.0	free
8523 20 90		Other	4.1	free	3.1	2.0	1.0	free
8523 90 00	-	Other	4.1	free	3.1	2.0	1.0	free

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8525 10 10	••••	for use in civil aircraft					na 1957 - 21 no internet an 1996 a chaoth ann	anter talkanti alka at anter suga a con a const
		Other						
8525 10 56		Radio-telegraphic or radio-telephonic apparatus	4.1	free	3.1	2.0	1.0	free
8525 10 80		Other						
8525 20	-	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus						
8525 20 10		Radio-telegraphic or radio-telephonic apparatus, for use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
		Other						
8525 20 91		For celiular networks (mobile telephones)	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
8525 20 99		Other	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
8525-40	-	Still image video cameras and other video camera recorders						
		Still image video cameras						
8525 40 11	••••	Digital	4.9	free	3.7	2.5	1.2	free
8525 40 19		Other						
	••	Other video camera recorders						
8525 40 91		Only able to record sound and images taken by the television camera						
8525 40 99		Other						
8527		Reception apparatus for radio-telephony, radio-telegraphy or radio-broadcasting, whether or not combined, in the same housing, with sound recording or reproducing apparatus or a clock :						
8527 90	-	Other apparatus						
8527 90 10		For radio-telephony or radio-telegraphy, for use in civil aircraft						
		Other						
8527 90 92		Portable receivers for calling, alerting or paging	9.6	free	7.2	4.8	2.4	free
8527 90 98		Other						
8528		Reception apparatus for television, whether or not incorporating radio-broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus; video monitors and video projectors :					-	•
	-	Reception apparatus for television, whether or not incorporating radio broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus						:
3528 12		Colour						
3528 12 10		Apparatus as defined in Note 5 E to Chapter 84	14	free	10.5	7.0	3.5	free
5526 12 10		•••						

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		Lelevision projection equipment				• • • •	оронала и областичка на измерение именение на на	un staffed startman of anisation of dustry of the second
8528 12 14		With scanning parameters not exceeding 625 lines						
		With scanning parameters exceeding 625 lines						
8528 12 16		With a vertical resolution of less than 700 lines						
3528 12 18	•••••	With a vertical resolution of 700 lines or more						
		Apparatus incorporating a video recorder or reproducer						
3528 12 22		With a screen width height ratio less than 1.5						
8528 12 28		Other						
		Other						
		With integral tube						
		With a screen width height ratio less than 1.5, with a diagonal measurement of the screen						
8528 12 52		Not exceeding 42 cm						
8528 12 54		Exceeding 42 cm but not exceeding 52 cm						
\$528 12 56		Exceeding 52 cm but not exceeding 72 cm						
8528 12 58		Exceeding 72 cm						
		Other						
		With scanning parameters not exceeding 625 lines, with a diagonal measurement of the screen						
8528 12 62		Not exceeding 75 cm						
3528 12 66		Exceeding 75 cm						
		With scanning parameters not exceeding 625 lines						
528 12 72	······	With a vertical resolution of less than 700 lines						
528 12 76		With a vertical resolution of 700 lines or more						
	•	Other						
		With screen						
528 12 81		With a screen width/height ratio less than 1,5						
528 12 89		Other						
	•••••	Without screen						
528 12 91		Video tuners						
528 12 98	•••••	Other						
528-13		Black and white or other monochrome				••		
528 13 10		Apparatus as defined in Note 5 E to Chapter 84	6.8	free	5.1	3.4	1.7	free
3528 13 90		Other						
8528-30	-	Video projectors						

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				Rate	Jul. 1997	Jan. 1998	Jan. 1999	Jan. 2000	
8528 30 05	••	of a kind used with an automatic data processing machines	14	free	10.5	7.0	3.5	free	
	••	Other							
8528 30 20		Colour							
8528 30 90	••••	Black and white or other monochrome							
8529		Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the apparatus of heading Nos 8525 to 8528							
8529 10	-	Aerials and aerial reflectors of all kinds, parts suitable for use therewith							
8529 10 10	••	For use in civil aircraft							
		Other							
	••••	Actials							
8529 10 15		Aerials of a kind used with apparatus for radio-telephony and radio-telegraphic	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free	
8529 10 20	••••	Telescopic and whip-type aerials for portable apparatus or for apparatus for fitting in motor vehicles							
		Outside aerials for radio or television broadcast receivers							
8529 10 31		For reception via satellite							
8529 10 39		Other							
8529 10 40		Inside aerials for radio or television broadcast receivers, including built-in types							
8529 10 50		Other							
8529 10 70		Aerial filters and separators							
8529 10 80	•••	Other							
8529 90	-	Other							
8529 90 10		Assemblies and sub-assemblies consisting of two or more parts or pieces fastened or joined together, for apparatus falling within subheadings 8526 10 10, 8526 91 11, 8526 91 19 and 8526 92 10, for use in civil aircraft			۵				
		Other							
• 8529 90 40		Parts of apparatusfalling within subheadings 8525-10-50, 8525-20 99, 8525-40-31, 8525-90-91 or 8527-90-91	4.7	free	3.5	2.4	1.2	free	
		Cabinets and cases						•	
8529 90 51		Of wood							
8529 90 59		Of other materials							
8529 90 70		Electronic assemblies							
0227 70 10		Other							

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8529 90 81		For television cameras of subheading 8525/30 and apparatus of heading Nos 8527 and 8528					e a la seconda de la contra de la	orn verstende Geber Nordonden upper von der Kriste
8529 90 89		Other						
8531		Electric sound or visual signalling apparatus (for example, bells, sirens, indicator panels, burglar or fire alarms), other then those of heading No 8512 or 8530 :						
8531-20	-	Indicator panels incorporating liquid crystal devices (LCD) or light emitting diodes (LLD)						
8531 20 10	••	For use in civil aircraft						
		Other -						
8531 20 30		Incorporating light emitting diodes (LLD)	4.2	free	3.2	2.1	1.1	free
		Incorporating liquid crystal devices (LCD)						
		Incorporating active matrix liquid crystal devices (LCD)						¢.
8531 20 51	•••••	Colour	4.2	free	3.2	2.1	1.1	free
8531 20 59		Black and white or other monochrome	4.2	free	3.2	2.1	1.1	free
8531 20 80		Other	4.2	free	3.2	2.1	1.1	free
8531 80	-	Other apparatus						
8531 80 10		For use in civil aircraft						
		Other						
8531 80 30		Flat panel devices of a kind used in automatic data processing machines and telecommunications apparatus	3.1	free	2.3	1.6	0.8	free
8531 80 80		Other						
8531 90	• .	Parts						
8531 90 10		Of apparatus of subheading 8531 20	, 4.2	free	3.2	2.1	1.1	free
8531 90 30		Of apparatus of subheading 8531 80 30	4.2	free	3.2	2.1	1.1	free
8531 90 80		Other						
8532		Electrical capacitors, fixed, variable or adjustable (pre-set) :						
8532 10 00	-	Fixed capacitors designed for use in 50/60 Hz circuits and having a reactive power handling capacity of not less than 0.5 kvar (power capacitors)	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
	-	Other fixed capacitors						
8532 21 00		Tantalum	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8532 22 00		Aluminium electrolytic	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	ſree
8532 23 00		Ceramic dielectric, single layer	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
8532 24 00		Ceramic dielectric, multilayer	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free

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8532 25 00	••	Dielectric of paper or plastics	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
8532 29 00		Other	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
8532 30 00	•	Variable or adjustable (pre-set) capacitors	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8532 90 00	-	Parts	4.7	free	3.5	2.4	1.2	free
8533		 Electrical resistors (including theostats and potentiometers), other than heating resistors 						
8533 10 00	-	Fixed carbon resistors, composition or film types	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
	-	Other fixed resistors						*
8533 21 00	••	For a power handling capacity not exceeding 20 W	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
8533 29 00		Other	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
	•	Wirewound variable resistors, including theostats and potentiometers						
8533 31 00		For a power handling capacity not exceeding 20 W	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	ے free
8533 39 00		Other	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
8533-40	•	Other variable resistors, including rheostats and potentiometers						nee
8533 40 10		For a power handling capacity not exceeding 20 W	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
8533 40 90		Other	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
8533 90 00	-	Parts	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
8534 00		Printed circuits					•••	
	-	Consisting only of conductor elements and contacts						
8534 00 11		Multiple circuits	5.2	free	3.9	2.6	1.3	free
8534 00 19		Other	5.2	free	3.9	2.6	1.3	free
8534 00 90	-	With other passive elements	5.2	free	3.9	2.6	1.3	free
8536		Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits, or for making connections to or in electrical circuits (for example, switches, relays, fuses, surge suppressors, plugs, sockets, lampholders, junction boxes), for a voltage not exceeding 1 000 V :						
8536 50	-	Other switches						
8536 50 03		Electronic AC switches consisting of optically coupled input and output circuits (Insulated thyristor AC switchs)	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	0.8	free
8536 50 05		Electronic switches, including temperature protected electronic switches, consisting of a transistor and a logic chip (chip-on-chip technology) for a voltage not exceding 1000 volts	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	0.8	free
8536 50 07		Electromechanical snap-acion switches for a current not exceeding 11 amps	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	0.8	free
		Other						
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	•••	For a voltage not exceeding 60 V					 Sector Contraction and States and all sectors 	na series and a series and a series of a
8536 50 11		Push-button (witches						
8536 50 15		Rotary switches						
8536 50 19	••••	Other						
8536 50 90		Other						
8536 69	••	Other						
8536 69 05		Plugs and sockets for co-axial cables and printed circuits	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	6.8	free
	•••	Other						
8536 69 10		For co-axial cables						
8536 69 30		For printed circuits						
8536 69 90	•••	Other						
8536 90	•	Other apparatus						
8536 90 01		Prefabricated elements for electrical circuits						
8536 90 10	••	Connections and contact elements for wire and cables	3.2	free	2.4	1.6	0.8	free
8536 90 20		Wafer probers	free?	free	free	free	free	free
8536 90 85		Other						
8541		Diodes, transistors and similar semiconductor devices; photosensitive semi- con- ductor devices, including photovoltaic cells whether or not assembled in modules or made up into panels light-emitting diodes; mounted piezo-electric crystals.						
8541 10	-	Diodes, other then photosensitive or light-emitting diodes						
8541 10 10	.	Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
		Other						
8541 10 91		Power rectifier diodes	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 10 59		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
	-	Transistors, other than photosensitive transistors						
8541 21		With a dissipation rate of less than 1 W						
8541 21 10		Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 21 90		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 29		Other						•
8541 29 10		Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	ltee	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 29 20		PowerMOS field effective transistors	7	fre	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 29 30		Insulated gate bipolar transistors (IGBTs)	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	frec
8541 29 80		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 30	-	Thyristors, diacs and triacs, other than photosensitive devices						

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8541 30 10		Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 30 90	••	Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	ſree	free
8541-40	-	Photosensitive semiconductor devices, including photovoltaic cells whether or not assembled in modules or made up into panels, light-emitting diodes					-	
		Light-emitting diodes						
8541-40-11		Laser diodes	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 40 19		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
		Other						
8541-40-91		Solar cells whether or not assembled in modules or made up into panels.	3 2	free	1.6	0.8	free	free
8541-40-93	•••	Photodiodes: phototransistors, photothyristors or photocouples	1.8	free	0.9	0.5	free	free
8541-40-99		Other	1.8	free	0.9	0.5	free	free
8541-50	-	Other semiconductor devices						
8541 50 10	••	Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 50 90		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8541 60 00	-	Mounted piezo-electric crystals	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
8541 90 00	-	Parts	4.1	free	2.0	1.0	free	free
8542		Electronic integrated circuits and microassemblies :						
	-	Monolithic digital integrated circuits						
8542 12 00		Cards incorporating an electronic integrated circuit («smart» cards)	14	free	7.0	3.5	free	free
8542 13		Metal oxide semiconductors (MOS technology)						
8542 13 01		Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 05		Chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
		Other						
		Memories						
		Dynamic random-access memories (D-RAMs)						
8542 13 11		With a storage capacity not exceeding 4 Mbits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 13		With a storage capacity exceeding 4 Mbits but not exceeding 16 Mbits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 15		With a storage capacity exceeding 16 Mbits but not exceeding 64 Mbits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 17		With a storage capacity exceeding 64 Mbits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free

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		Static random-access memories (S-RAMs), including cache and random-access memories (cache-RAMs)						 Disekterszistere elektronye i missi prise elektronymige
8542 13 22	••••	With a storage capacity not exceeding 256 Kbits	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 13 25		With a storage capacity exceeding 256 Ebits but not exceeding 1 Mbit	free	free	free	free	free	ſree
8542 15 27		With a storage capacity exceeding 1 Mbit	free	free	free	free	free	free
		UV erasable, programmable, read only memories (EPROMs)						
8542 13 32		With a storage capacity not exceeding 1 Mbit	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 13 35		With a storage capacity exceeding 1 Mbit but not exceeding 4 Mbits	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 13 37		With a storage capacity exceeding 4 Mbits	free	free	íree	free	free	free
		Electrically erasable, programmable, read only memories (EPROMs), including FLASH EPROMs						
		FLASH EPPROMS						
8542 13 41		With a storage capacity not exceeding 1 Mbit	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 13 43		With a storage capacity exceeding 1 Mbit but not exceeding 4 Mbits	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 13 45		With a storage capacity exceeding 4 Mbits but not exceeding 16 Mbits	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 13 47		With a storage capacity exceeding 16 Mbits	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 13 49		Other	free	free	frce	free	free	free
8542 13 51		Read only memories, non-programmable (ROMs); content addressable memories (CAMs); first-in/first-out read/write memories (FIFOs); last-in/first-out read/write memories (LIFOs); ferroelectric memories	free	frec	ſree	free	free	free
8542 13 53		Other memories	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 55		Microprocessors	free	free	free	free	free	free
		Microcontrollers and microcomputers						
8542 13 61		With a processing capacity not exceeding 4 bits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
8542 13 63		With a processing capacity exceeding 4 bits but not exceeding 8 bits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 65		With a processing capacity exceeding 8 bits but not exceeding 16 bits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 67		With a processing capacity exceeding 16 bits but not exceeding 32 bits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 69		With a processing capacity exceeding 32 bits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free

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8542 13 70	·····	Micropetipherais	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
		Other						
8542 13 72	•••••	Full custom logic circuits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 74	•••••	Gate arrays	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 76		Standard cells	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 82		Programmable logic circuits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
8542 13 84		Standard logic circuits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
	·····	Other						
8542 13 91		 Control circuits, interface circuits, interface circuits capable of performing control functions 	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 13 99		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542-14		Circuits obtained by bipolar technology						
8542 14 01		Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 14 05		Chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
	•	Other						
		Memories						
8542 14 10	•••••	Dynamic random-access memories (D-RAMs)	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 14 15		Static random-access memories (S-RAMs), including cache random-access memories (cache-RAMs); read only memories, non-programmable (ROMs); content addressable memories (CAMs); first-in/first-out read/write memories (FIFOs); last- in/first-out read/write memories (LIFOs); ferroelectric memories	free	free	free	frce	free	free
8542 14 20		Electrically erasable, programmable, read only memories (E ² PROMs), including FLASH E ² PROMs	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 14-22	•····•	UV erasable, programmable, read only memories (EPROMs)	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 14 29		Other memories	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 14 30		Microprocessors	free	free	free	free	free	free
		Microcontrollers and microcomplaces						
8542 14 42		With a processing capacity and exceeding 4 bits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	frec	free
8542 14 44	···	With a processing capacity exceeding 4 bits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
	 .	Other						
8542 14 50		Microperipherals	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
		Other						
8542 14 60		Full custom logic circusts	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free

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8542 14 65	•••••	Gate arrays	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 14 70		Standard cells	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 14 75		Programmable logic circuits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
8542 14 80		Standard logic circuits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
		Other						
8542 14 91		Control circuits: interface circuits; interface circuits capable of performing control functions	7	free	3.5	1.8	ſree	free
8542 14 99		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542-19		Other, including circuits obtained by a combination of bipolar and MOS technologies (BIMOS technology)						
8542 19 01		Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 19 05		Chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
		Other						
		Memories						
8542 19 15		Dynamic random-access memories (D-RAMs)	7	free	3.5	· 1.8	free	free
		Static random-access memories (S-RAMs), including cache random-access memories (cache-RAMs)						
8542 19 22		With a storage capacity not exceeding 256 Kbits	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 19 25		With a storage capacity exceeding 256 Kbits but not exceeding 1 Mbit	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 19 27	•••••	With a storage capacity exceeding 1 Mbit	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 19 31		UV erasable, programmable, read only memories (EPROMs)	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 19 35		Electrically erasable, programmable, read only memories (E ² PROMs), including FLASH E ² PROMs	free	free	free	free	free	free
8542 19 41		Read only memories, non-programmable (ROMs); content addressable memories (CAMs); first-in/first-out read/write memories (FIFOs); last-in/first-out read/write memories (LIFOs); ferroelectric memories	free	free	frce	free	free	free
8542 19 49		Other memories	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 19 55		Microprocessors	free	free	free	free	free	free
		Microcontrollers and microcomputers						
8542 19 62	····-	With a processing capacity not exceeding 4 bits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
8542 19 68		With a processing capacity exceeding 4 bits	7	free	3.5	• 1.8	free	free
		Other						-
8542 19 71		Microperipherals	5.6	free	2.8		c	_
	•••	whereperipherals	5.0	nee	2.0	1.4	free	free

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8542 19 72		Full custom logic circuits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 19 74		Gate arrays	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 19 76		Standard cells	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 19 82		Programmable logic circuits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
8542 19 84	•••••	Standard logic circuits	5.6	free	2.8	1.4	free	free
8542 19 92	······	Other Control circuits; interface circuits, interface circuits capable of performing control functions	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 19 98		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542-30		Other monolithic integrated circuits						
8542 30 10		Wafers not yet cut into chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	ſree	free
8542 30 20		Chips	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
		Other						
3542 30 30		Amplifiers	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 30 50	•••	Voltage and current regulators Control circuits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 30 61		Smartpower circuits	7	free	2 6		c	-
542 50 01		Other	/	10.50	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 30 65		Mixed analogue-digital circuits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 30 69		Other	7	free	3.5	18	free	free
8542 30 70		Interface circuits; interface circuits capable of performing control functions	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
		Other						
8542 30 91		Smartpower circuits	7	free	3.5	1.8	(mag	c
544 50 M		Other	1	nee	J.J	1.0	free	free
3542 30 95		Mixed analogue-digital circuits	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
542 30 99		Other	·		2.2			1100
3542.40		Hybrid integrated circuits						
3542 40 10		Microprocessors, microcontrollers and microcomputers	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
542 40 30		Converters	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 40 50		Amplifiers	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 40 90		Other	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
3542 50 00	-	Electronic microassemblies	7	free	3.5	1.8	free	free
8542 90 00	-	Parts	4.1	free	2.0	1.0	free	free

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8543		Hectrical machines and apparatus, having individual functions, not specified or included elsewhere in this Chapter					n i na sangangar ri	ti u onan attua kanan taran taran yara kang
	-	Particle accelerators						
8543 11:00		Ion implanters for doping semiconductor materials	lice	free	free	free	free	free
8543-30	-	Machines and apparatus for electroplating, electrolysis or electrophoresis						
8543-30-10		Apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor watera	free	free	free	free	free	ſree
8543 30 20		Apparatus for wet etching, developing stripping or cleaning highlight rystal diplay substrates	free	free	free	lree	free	free
8543-30-90		Other						
	-	Other machines and apparatus						
8543 81 00		Proximity cards and tags	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8543-89		Other						
8543 89 10	•••	Flight recorders, for use in civil aircraft		·				
8543 89 15	•••	Electrical machines with translation or dictionary functions	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8543 89 17	•••	Apparatus as defined in not 5 F to Chapter 84	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8543 89 20	•••	Aerial amplifiers						
		Sunbeds, sunlamps and similar suntanning equipment						
		For fluorescent tubes using ultraviolet A rays						
8543 89 51		With a maximum tube length of 100 cm						
8543 89 55		Other						
8543 89 59		Other						
		Apparatus for physical deposition on semiconductors wafers.						
8543 89 70		by sputtering on semiconductor wafers	free	free	free	free	free	free
8543 89 72		Other	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8543 89 73		Encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8543 89 77		Set top boxes, having a communication function, microprocessor based device inorporating a modern for gaining access to the Internet, and having a function of interactive information exchange	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8543 89 79		Multimedia upgrade kits, for automatic data processing machines and units thereof, put up for retail sale, consisting of, at least, speakers and/or microphones and a printed circuit assembly that enables the automatic data processing and units thereof to process audio signals (sound cards)	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free

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1543-89-90	••••	Other					ter i kan set en sent transmer di an	unt neuro de la constanción de la const
\$543.90	•	Parts						
\$543 90 10	••	Assemblies and sub-assemblies consisting of two or more parts or pieces fastened or joined together, for flight recorders, for use in civil aircraft				•		
\$543 90 20		Of apparatus of subcadings 8543-11-00, 8543-30-10, 8543-89-70 or 8543-30-10	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
8543 90 30	••	Of apparatus of subheading 8543-59-72 and 8543-89-73	5	free	3.8	2.5	1.3	free
543 90 90	••	Other						
(54.)		Insulated (including enumelled or anoxised) wire, cable (including coaxial cable) and other insulated electric conductors, whether or not fitted with connectors, optical fibre cables, made up of individually sheathed fibres, whether or not assembled with electric conductors or fitted with connectors :						
	-	Other electric conductors, for a voltage not exceeding 80 V						
544 41		Fitted with connectors						
544 41 10	•••	Of a kind used for telecommunications	4.6	free	3.4	2.3	1.1	free
544 41 90		Other						
544 49		Other						
3544 49 20		Of a kind used for telecommunications	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
544 49 80		Other						
	-	Other electric conductors, for a voltage exceeding 80 volts but not exceeding 1 000 volts						
544 51		Fitted with connectors						
544 51 10		Of a kind used for telecommunications	4.6	free	3.4	2.3	1.1	free
544 51 90		Other						
544 70 00	-	Optical fibre cables	6.3	free	4.7	3.1	1.6	frec
006		Photographic (other than cinematographic) cameras: photographic flashlight apparatus and flashbulbs other than discharge lamps of leading No 8539 :				:	•	
006-10	-	Cameras of a kind used for preparing printing plates or cylinders						а 9
006 10 10		Pattern generating apparatus of a kind used for producing masks or reticles from photoresist coated substrates	free	free	free	free	free	free
006 10 90		Other						
		Parts and accessories:						
006 91 00		For cameras						

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9006 99 10		of apparatus of subheading 9006-10-10	-1	free	3.0	2.0	1.0	free
9006 99 90	••	Other						
9009		Photocopying apparatus incorporating an optical system or of the contact type and thermo-copying apparatus:						
	-	Electrostatic photocopying apparatus						
9009 11 00		Operating by reproducing the original image directly onto the copy (direct process)	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
	-	Other photocopying apparatus						
9009 21 00		Incorporating an optical system	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
9009-90	•	Parts and accessories						
9009 90 10		Of electrostatic photocopying apparatus or other photocopying apparatus incorporating an optical system	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
9009 90 90		Other	3.8	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
9010		Apparatus and equipment for photographic (including cinematographic) laboratories (including apparatus for the projection of circuit patterns on sensitived semi-conductor material), not specified or included elsewhere in this chapter, negatoscopes, projection screens Apparatus for the projection or drawing of circuit patterns on						
	•	sensitized semiconductor materials:						
9010 41 00		Direct write-on-wafer apparatus	free	free	free	free	free	free
9010 42 00		Step and repeat aligners	free	free	free	free	free	free
9010 49 00		Other	free	free	free	free	free	free
9010 90	-	Parts and accessories						
9010 9 0 10		Of the apparatus of subheadings N° 9010 41 00, 9010 42 00 and 9010 49 00	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
9010 90 90	••	Other						
9011		Compound optical microscopes, including those for photomicrography, cinephotomicrography or microprojection						
9011-10	-	Stereoscopic microscopes						
9011-10-10		fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	8	free	6.0	4.0	2.0	ſrec
9011-10-90		Other						
9011-20	•	Other microscopes, for photomicrography, cinephotomicrography or micro-projection						
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9011-20-10	••	fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor waters or reticles	8	free	6.0	4.0	2.0	free free and the second s
9011-20-90	••	Other						
9011-90		Parts and accessories				•		
9011 90 10	••	Of apparatus of subheadings N=9011-10-10 or 9011-20-10	8	free	6.0	4.0	2.0 -	free
9011 90 90		Other						
9012		Microscopes other than optical microscopes, diffractio microscopes						
9012-10	-	Microscopes other than optical microscopes and diffraction apparatus						
9012 10 10		Electron beam nicroscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	4.5	free	3.4	2.3	1.1	free
9012-10-90		Other						
9012-90		Parts and accessories						
9012 90 10		Of apparatus of subheading N° 9012 10 00	4.5	free	3.4	2.3	1.1	free
9012 90 90	••	Other						
9013		Liquid crystal devices not consistuting articles provided for more specifically in other headings; lasers, other than laser diodes; other optical appliances and instruments, not specified or included elsewhere in this Chapter						
9013 80	-	Other devices, appliances and instruments						
		Liquid crystal devices						
		Active matrix liquid crystal devices						
9013 80 11		Colour	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
9013 80 19		Black and white or other monochrome	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
9013 80 30		Other	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
9013 80 90		Other						
9013-90	-	Parts and accessories						
		Other						
9013 90 10		For liquid crystal devices (LCD)	6.5	free	4.9	3.3	1.6	free
9013 90 90		Other						

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9017		Drawing, markiag-out or mathematical calculating instruments (for example, drafting machines, pantographs, protractors, drawing sets, slide rules, disc calculators); instruments for measuring length, for use in the hand (for example, measuring rods and tapes, micrometers, callipers), not specified or included else- where in this chapter					сто — Лонотологи и то чико ,	n 19. no han an a
9017-10		Drafting tables and machines, whether or not automatic						
9017 10 10		Plotters	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
9017 10 90		Other						
9017-20	-	Other drawing, marking-out or mathematical calculating instruments						
		Drawing instruments						
9017 20 05		Plotters	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
9017 20 11	•	Drawing sets						
9017 20 19	•••	Other						
		Marking-out instruments						
9017 20 31	•	Pattern generating apparatus of a kind used for producing masks or reticles from photoresist coated substrates	free	free	free	free	free	free
9017 20 39		Other						•
9017 20 90		Mathematical calculating instruments (including slide rules, dise calculators and the like)						
9017 90	-	Parts and accessories						
9017 90 10		For apparatus of subheading 90.7 20 31	3.7	free	2.8	1.9	0.9	free
9017 90 90		Other						
9026		Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking the flow, level, pressure or other variables of liquids or gases (for example, flow meters, level gauges, mano- meters, heat meters), excluding instruments and apparatus of heading No 9014, 9015, 9028 or 9032 :						
9026-10	-	For measuring or checking the flow or level of liquids						
9026 10 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
		Other						: :
		Electronic						
9026 10 51		Flow meters	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
9026 10 59		Other	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
	•	Other						
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					Nate	Jul. 1997	Jan. 1998	Jan. 1999	Jan. 2000
	9026 10 91		Flow meters	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
	9026 10 99		Other	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
	9026-20	•	For measuring or checking pressure						
	9026 20 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
		••	Other						
	9026 20 30		Electronic	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
		••••	Other						
			Spiral or metal diaphragm type pressure gauges						
'	9026 20 51		Appliances for measuring and non-automatically regulating tyre pressure	3.3	free	2.5	1.6	0.8	free
	9026 20 59		Other	3.3	free	2.5	1.6	0.8	free
	9026 20 90	••••	Other	3.3	free	2.5	1.6	0.8	free
	9026-80	-	Other instruments or apparatus		,				
	9026 80 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
			Other						
	9026 80 91		Electronic	4.8	free	3.6	2.4	1.2	free
	9026 80 99		Other	3.6	free	2.7	1.8	0.9	free
	9026 90		Parts and accessories						
	9026 90 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
	9026 90 90		Other	3.3	free	2.5	1.6	0.8	free
	9027		Instruments and apparatus for physical or chemical analysis (for example, polarimeters, refractometers, spectrometers, gas or smoke analysis apparatus); instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking viscosity, porosity, expansion, surface tension or the like; instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking quantities of heat, sound or light (including exposure meters); microtomes :				•		
	9027-20	•	Chromatographs and electrophoresis instruments						
	9027 20 10		Chromatographs	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	free
	9027 20 90		Electrophoresis instruments	4.4	free	3.3	2.2	1.1	free
	9027 30 00	•	Spectrometers, spectrophotometers and spectrographs using optical radiations (UV, visible, IR)	3.5	free	2.6	1.8	0.9	free
	9027 50 00	-	Other instruments and apparatus using optical radiations (UV, visible, IR)	4.4	free	3.3	2.2	1.1	free
Л	9027 80	•	Other instruments and apparatus						
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9027 80 11	•••	pH meters, rH meters and other apparatus for measuring conductivity	4.4	free	3.3	2.7	и актонения тик на на 1.1	free
9027 80 15		Apparatus for performing measurements of the physical properties of semiconductor materials or associated insulating and conducting layers during the semiconductor wafer production process	free	free	free	free	free	frce
9027 80 18	•••	Other	4.4	free	3.3	2.2	1.1	frce
		Other						
9027 80 91		Viscometers, porosimeters and expansion meters	-1	free	3.0	2.0	1.0	free
9027 80 95		Apparatus for performing measurements of the physical- properties of semiconductor materials or associated insulating and conducting layers during the semiconductor wafer production process	free	free	free	free	free	frce
9027 80 98		Other	4	free	3.0	2.0	1.0	frce
9027 90	•	Microtomes: parts and accessories						
9027 96 10	••	Microtomes						
9027 90 50		Part and accessories of apparatus of heading N° 9027 20 to 9027 80	4.4	free	3.3	2.2	1.1	free
9027 90 80		Parts and accessories of microtomes or of gas or smake analysis apparatus						
9030		Oscilloscopes, spectrum analysers and other instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking electrical quantities, excluding meters of heading No 9028; instruments and apparatus for measuring or detecting alpha, beta, gamma, X-ray, cosmic or other ionizing radiations :						
9030 40	-	Other instruments and apparatus, specially designed for telecommunications (for example, cross-talk meters, gain measuring instruments, distortion factor meters, psophometers)						
9030 40 10		For use in civil aircraft	free	free	free	free	free	free
9030-40-90		Other	5.5	íree	4.1	2.8	1.4	free
	-	Other instruments and apparatus						1
9030 82 00		For measuring or checking semiconductor wafers or devices	free	free	free	free	free	free
9030 90	-	Parts and accessories						
9030 90 10		For use in civil aircraft				•		
9030 90 20		For apparatus of subheading N° 9030 82 00	4.4	free	3.3	2.2	1.1	free
9030 90 80		Other						

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9031		Measuring or checking instruments, appliances and machines, not specified or included elsewhere in this chapter, profile projectors					u shi thu substan	n Curr (1997) administrativa del Carlo (1999) State Constant (1999) (1999)
	•	Other optical instruments and apphances						
9031-41-00		For inspecting semiconductor waters or devices or for inspecting photomasks or reticles used in manufacturing semiconductor devices.	free	free	free	free	free	free
9031-49	••	Other						
9031 49 10	••••	For measuring surface particulate contamination on semiconductor waters	free	free	free	free	free	free
9031-49-90	••••	Other						
9031-90	-	Parts and accessories						
9031 90 10		Of instruments, appliances and machines of subheading 9031-80, for use in civil aircraft						
9031 90 20	••	For apparatus of subheadings N° 9031 41 00 and 9031 49 10	4.6	free	3.4	2.3	1.1	free
9031 90 90		Other						

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*	Automated machines for transport, handling and storage of semiconductor wafers, wafer cassettes, wafer boxes and other material for semiconductor devices	84283993
*	Apparatus for growing or pulling monocrystal semiconductor boules	84798965
*	Apparatus for physical deposition by sputtering on semiconductor wafers	84198925, 85438970
*	Apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and flat panel displays	<u>84798975, 84798976</u>
*	Die attach apparatus, tape automated bonders, and wire bonders for assembly of semiconductors	<u>84798977, 85158005, 85159010</u>
*•	Encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	84798979, 85438973
*	Epitaxial deposition machines for semiconductor wafers	84798970
*	Machines for bending, folding and straightening semiconductor leads	84622105, 84622905
*	Physical deposition apparatus for semiconductor production	85438972
*	Spinners for coating photographic emulsions on semiconductor wafers	84211993
*	Part of apparatus for physical deposition by sputtering on semiconductor wafers	85439020
*	Parts for die attach apparatus, tape automated bonders, and wire bonders for assembly of semiconductors	84799050
*	Parts for spinners for coating photographic emulsions on semiconductor wafers	84219110
*	Parts of apparatus for growing or pulling monocrystal semiconductor boules	84799050
*	Parts of apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and flat panel displays	84799050, 85439020
*	Parts of automated machines for transport, handling and storage of semiconductor wafers, wafer cassettes, wafer boxes and other material for semiconductor devices	<u>84313920</u>
*	Parts of encapsulation equipment for assembly of semiconductors	84799050, 85439030
*	Parts of epitaxial deposition machines for semiconductor wafers	84799050
*	Parts of machines for bending, folding and straightening semiconductor leads	84669410
*	Parts of physical deposition apparatus for semiconductor production	84199030, 85439030
*	Injection and compression moulds for the manufacture of semiconductor devices	84807110
*	Resistance heated furnaces and ovens for the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductor wafers	<u>85141005, 85143011,</u> <u>85143091</u>
*	Inductance or dielectric furnaces and ovens for the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductors wafers	85142005
*	Apparatus for rapid heating of semiconductor wafers	84198915, 85143091
*	Parts of resistance heated furnaces and ovens for the manufacture of semiconductor devices on semiconductor wafers	85149010
*	Parts of apparatus for rapid heating of wafers	<u>84199030, 85149010</u>
*	Parts of furnaces and ovens of Headings No 8514 10 to No 8514 30	85149010
*	Wafer probers	85369020
*	Ion implanters for doping semiconductor materials	85431100
*	Apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and flat panel displays	<u>84798975, 84798976,</u> 85433010, 85433020

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*	Parts of apparatus for wet etching, developing, stripping or cleaning semiconductor wafers and fiat panel displays	84799050, 85439020
*	Parts of ion implanters for doping semiconductor materials	85439020
*	Apparatus for projection, drawing or plating circuit patterns on sensitized semiconductor materials and flat panel displays	<u>90104100, 90104200, 90104200, 90104900</u>
*	Parts and accessories of the apparatus of Headings No 9010 41 to 9010 49	90109010
*	Optical stereoscopic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	<u>90111010</u>
*	Photomicrographic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	<u>90112010</u>
*	Parts and accessories of optical stereoscopic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	<u>90119010</u>
*	Parts and accessories of photomicrographic microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	<u>90119010</u>
*	Electron beam microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and fransport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	90121010
*	Parts and accessories of electron beam microscopes fitted with equipment specifically designed for the handling and transport of semiconductor wafers or reticles	<u>90129010</u>
*	Pattern generating apparatus of a kind used for producing masks or reticles from photoresist coated substrates	90061019, 90172031
*	Parts and accessories for pattern generating apparatus of a kind used for producing masks or reticles from photoresist coated substrates	90069910, 90179010
*	Parts of such pattern generating apparatus	90179010
*	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking semiconductor wafers or devices	90308200
*	Parts and accessories of instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking semiconductor wafers or devices	90309020
*	Parts of instruments and appliances for measuring or checking semiconductor wafers or devices	90309020
*	Optical instruments and appliances for inspecting semiconductor wafers or devices or for inspecting masks, photomasks or reticles used in manufacturing semiconductor devices	<u>90314100</u>
*	Optical instruments and appliances for measuring surface particulate contamination on semiconductor wafers	90314910
*	Parts and accessories of optical instruments and appliances for inspecting semiconductor wafers or devices or for inspecting masks, photomasks or reticles used in manufacturing semiconductor devices	90319020
*	Parts and accessories of optical instruments and appliances for measuring surfalle particulate contamination on semiconductor wafers	90319320

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Description

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*	Computers: automatic data processing machines capable of 1) storing the processing program or programs and at least the data immediately necessary for the execution of the program; 2) being freely programmed in accordance with the requirements of the user; 3) performing arithmetical computations specified by the user; 4) executing without human intervention, a processing program which requires them to modifiy teir execution, by logical decision during the processing run. The agreement covers automatic data processing machines whether or not they are able to receive and process with assistance of central processing unit telephony signals, television signals, or other analogue or digitally processed audio or video signals. Machines performing a specific function other than data processing machine, and not otherwise specified under Attachement A or B, are not covered by this agreement.	84711090, 84713000, 84714190, 84714990, 84715090, 85219010, 85281210, 85281310, 85438917
	The agreement covers such automatic data processing machines whether or not they are able to receive and process with the assistance of the central processing unit telephony signals, television signals, or other analogue or digitally processed audio or video signals.	
	However, machines performing a specific function other than data processing, or incorporating or working in conjunction with an automatic data processing machines, and not referred to under part A or B, are excluded from the product coverage of this agreement.	
×	Electric amplifiers when used as repeaters in line telephony products falling within this agreement, and parts thereof.	85175010, 85178090
*	Flat panel displays (including LCD, Electro Luminescence, Plasma and other technologies) for products falling within this agreement, and parts thereof.	85312030, 85312051, 85312059, 85312080, 85318030, 85319010, 85319030, 90138011, 90138019, 90138030, 90139010
*	Network equipment: Local Area Network (LAN) and Wide Area Network (WAN) apparatus, including those products dedicated for use solely or principally to permit the interconnection of automatic data processing machines and units thereof for a network that is used primarily for the sharing of resources such as central processor units, data storage devices and input or output units - including adapters, hubs, in-line repeaters, converters, concentrators, bridges and routers, and printed circuit assemblies for physical incorporation into automatic data processing machines and units thereof	<u>84715090, 84716090,</u> <u>85175090</u>
*	 Monitors: display units of automatic data processing machines with a cathode ray tube with a dot screen pitch smaller than 0.4 mm not capable of receiving and processing television signals or other analogue or digittally processed audio or video signals without assistance of a central processing unit of a computer as defined I this agreement. The agreement does not, therefore, cover televisions, including high definition televisions(1). (1) Participants will conduct a review of this product description in January 1999 under the consultation of paragraph 3 of the Declaration. 	<u>84716090</u>
*	Optical disc storage units for automatic data processing machines (including CD drives and DVD-drives), whether or not having the capability of writing/recording as well as reading, whether or not in their own housings.	<u>84717051</u>
*	Paging alert devices and parts thereof.	85279092, 85299040

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*	Plotters whether input or output units of HS heading No 8471 or drawing or drafting machines of HS heading No 9017.	<u>84716090, 84718090, 90171010, 90172005</u>
*	Printed Circuit Assemblies for products falling within this agreement, including such assemblies for external connections such as cards that conform to the PCMCIA standard. Such printed circuit assemblies consist of one or more printed circuits of heading 8534 with one or more active elements assembled thereon, with or without passive elements "Active elements" means diodes, transistors and similar semiconductor devices, whether or not photosensitive, of heading 8541, and integrated circuits and micro assemblies of heading 8542.	84732110, 84732910, 84733010, 84735010, 85175090, 85179082, 85299040
*	Proprietary format storage devices including media therefor for automatic data processing machines, with or without removable media and whether magnetic, optical or other technology, including Bernoulli Box, Syquest, Zipdrive cartridge storage units.	84717051, 84717053, 84717059, 84717060, 84717090, 85232011, 85232019, 85232090, 85244091, 85244099, 85249190
*	Multimedia upgrade kits for automatic data processing machines, and units thereof, put up for retail sale, consisting of, at least, speakers and/or microphones, as well as a printed circuit assembly that enables the ADP machine and units thereof to process audio signals (sound cards).	<u>85438979</u>
*	Set top boxes which have communication function a microprocessor- based device incorporating a modem for gaining access to the Internet, and having a function of interactive information exchange.	<u>85175090, 85438977</u>

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Proposal for a

Council Decision

concerning the elimination of duties on certain spirituous beverages

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Articles 113, in conjunction with Article 228(2) first sentence, thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the elimination of tariffs by the United States and the European Community is considered to be of overall benefit;

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement in the form of a Memorandum of Understanding between the European Community and the United States of America on spirituous beverages is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is attached to this Decision.

Article 2.

The Council authorises the Commission to submit to the World Trade Organisation the attached modification to the schedule of the European Community so as to bind and eliminate customs duties for the spirituous beverages concerned.

Article3

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person empowered to sign the Agreement/Protocol in order to bind the Community.

Done at Brussels

For the Council

The President

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

ex 2208 Spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages

As agreed in Singapore we have engaged in detailed negotiations regarding the elimination of duties on certain spirituous beverages.

Subject to the completion of our respective internal procedures, and with the exception of rum (2208.40) for which the special provisions set out in the Annex apply, the EC and US will eliminate their duties scheduled to be in force on 1 July 1997 for the HS96 headings listed below in 4 equal stages commencing 1 July 1997, followed by further reductions on 1 January 1998, 1 January 1999 and 1 January 2000;

<u>HS 96</u>

- 2208.20 spirits obtained by distilling grape wine or grape marc (grape brandy)
- 2208.30 whiskies
- 2208.50 gin and geneva
- 2208.60 vodka
- 2008.70 liqueurs and cordials
- ex 2208.90 other than un-denatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80% volume (covered by 2208.90.91 and 2208.90.99 by the EC and within 2208.90.80 by the US)

<u>ANNEX</u>

Subject: 2208.40 - Rum and Taffia

A. EC Duties

0. The reductions in duties on Rum with a content of volatile substances other than ethyl and methyl alcohol equal to or exceeding 225 grams per hectolitre of pure alcohol with a 10% tolerance shall be as set out below:

1	ontainers holding 2 litres or less	In containers holding more than 2 litres
Base rate	0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl	0.8 Ecu/ %vol/hl
1 July 1997	0.8 Ecu/ %vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl	0.8 Ecu/ %vol/hl
1 July 1998	0.7 Ecu/ %vol/h! +3.8 Ecu/hl	0.7 Ecu/ %vol/hl
1 July 1999	0.65 Ecu/ %vol/hl +3.5 Ecu/hl	0.65 Ecu/ %vol/hl
1 July 2000	0.6 Ecu %vol/hl + 3.2 Ecu/hl	0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl

2. The EC duty on rum and taffia, other than that specified in paragraph 1 above, of a value specified in the following table shall be subject to the reduced duty rates below within the tariff quota amounts indicated until duty free treatment is reached on 1 January 2003. The tariff quota amounts cover rum in whatever size of container.

	Duty	y rate	Tariff quota amount
	In containers holding 2 litres or less Valued over Ecu 7 9 per litre of 100% alcohol	In containers holding more than 2 litres Valued over Ecu 2.0 per litre of 100% alcohol	Litre of 100% alcohol
1 July 1997	0.7 Ecu/ %vol/hl +3.5 Ecu/hl	0.7 Ecu/%vol/hl	890 000
1 January 1998	0.6 Ecu/ %vol/hl + 2.9 Ecu/hl	0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl	1950 000
1 January 1999	0.5 Ecu/%vol/hl + 2.3 Ecu/hl	0.5 Ecu/%vol/hl	2145 000
1 January 2000	0.4 Ecu/ %vol/hl +1.8 Ecu/hl	0.4 Ecu/%vol/hl	2359 500
1 January 2001	0.3 Ecu/ %vol/hl +1.2 Ecu/hl	0.3 Ecu/%vol/ก่	2595 450
1 January 2002	0.2 Ecu/ %vol/hl +0.6 Ecu/hl	0.2 Ecu/%vol/hl	2854 995
From 1 January 2003	Free	Free	unlimited

- 3. Rum and taffia below the price breaks indicated above as well as rum and taffia not covered by tariff quota amounts shall be subject to the same duty rates as shown in paragraph 1 above.
- 4. The European Community shall promptly notify the United States of any changes between 1 January 2000 and 1 January 2003 in the preferential treatment accorded to its imports of rum. The European Community shall, upon request, promptiy enter into consultations with the United States with respect to any matter concerning US exports of rum, under paragraph 2 above, to the Community, with a view to reaching a mutually agreed solution on any matter raised in the consultations.

B. US Duties

	rum and taffia	rum and taffia
	(a) in containers each not holding over 4 liters valued over \$3.00 per proof liter; and	(a) in containers each not holding over 4 liters valued not over \$3.00 per proof liter; and
	(b) in containers each holding over 4 liters valued over 69 cents per proof liter	(b) in containers each holding over 4 liters valued not over 69 cents per proof liter.
July 1, 1997	26.1 cents/proof liter	30.4 cents/proof liter
January 1, 1998	21.7 cents/proof liter	28.1 cents/proof liter
January 1, 1999	17.4 cents/proof liter	25.9 cents/proof liter
January 1, 2000	13.0 cents/proof liter	23.7 cents/proof liter
January 1, 2001	8.7 cents/proof liter	23.7 cents/proof liter
January 1, 2002	4.3 cents/proof liter	23.7 cents/proof liter
January 1, 2003	0	23.7 cents/proof liter

5. The following reduction in duties shall apply to rum and taffia.

N 97		Label	Base Final Bound			Implem		
			Rate	Rate	Jul. 97	Jan. 98	Jan. 99	Jan. 2000
2208		Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80 % vol; spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages						
2208-20	-	Spirits obtained by distilling grape wine or grape marc In containers holding 2 litres or less						
2208 20 12		Содпас	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl + 7 Ecu/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl + 5.3 Ecu/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl	free
2208 20 14		Armagnac	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl + 7 Ecu/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl + 5.3 Ecu/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl	free
2208 20 26		Grappa	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl + 7 Ecu/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl + 5.3 Ecu/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl	free
2208 20 27		Brandy de Jerez	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl + 7 Ecu/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl + 5.3 Ecu/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl	free
2208 20 29		Other	l.12 Ecu/% vol/hl + 7 Ecu/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl + 5.3 Ecu/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl	free
2208 20 40		In containers holding more than 2 litres Raw distillate	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
2208 20 62		Other Cognac	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl	ſree	/ 0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
2208 20 64		Amagnac	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
2208 20 86		Grappa	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
2208 20 87		- Brandy de Jerez	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free

N 97	Label	Base	Final Bound	Implementation			
		Rate	Rate	Jul. 97	Jan. 98	Jan. 99	Jan. 2000
2208 20 89 -	Other	1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
2208 30 -	Whiskies - Bourbon whiskey, in containers holding						
	- 2 litres or less	0.2 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.5 Ecu/hl	free	0.15 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.13 Ecu/hl	0.1 Ecu/% vol/hl + 0.8 Ecu/hl	0.05 Ecu/% vol/hl + 0.8 Ecu/hl	free
2208 30 19 -	More than 2 litres	0.2 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.15 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.1 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.05 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
	– Scotch whisky						
	- Malt whisky, in containers holding		C	0.21 5	0.147	0.07 5	c
2208 30 32	- 2 litres or less	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 2.1 Ecu/hl	free	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.6 Ecu/hl	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.1 Ecu/hl	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl + 0.5 Ecu/hl	free
2208 30 38	More than 2 litres	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
	- Blended whisky, in containers holding						
2208 30 52	2 litres or less	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 2.1 Ecu/hl	free	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.6 Ecu/hl	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.1 Ecu/hl	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl + 0.5 Ecu/hl	free
2208 30 58	More than 2 litres	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl /	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
	Other, in containers holding						
2208 30 72	2 litres or less	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 2.1 Ecu/hl	ſree	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.6 Ecu/hl	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.1 Ecu/hl	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl + 0.5 Ecu/hl	free
2208 30 78	More than 2 litres	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
	Other, in containers holding						
2208 30 82	2 litres or less	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 2.1	free	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.6	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.1	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl + 0.5	free

197	Label	Base	Final Bound			entation		
		Rate	Rate	Jul. 97	Jan. 98	Jan. 99	Jan. 2000	
		Ecu/hl		Ecu/hl	Ecu/hl	Ecu/hl		
208 30 88	More than 2 litres	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.21 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.14 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.07 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	
208 40	- Rum and taffia:							
208 40 10	In containers holding 2 litres or less Ex : Rum with a content of volatile substances other than	ethyl 0.8 Ecu/%			"			
	and methyl alcohol equal to or exceeding 225 grams per he	ectolitre vol/hl						
	of pure alcohol with a 10% tolerance.	+ 4.1 Ecu/hl						
	Ex Other	0.8 Ecu/%						
		- vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl				•		
		+ 4.1 Ecu/II						
208 40 90	In containers holding more than 2 litres Ex : Rum with a content of volatile substances other than	ethvl 0.8 ECU/%						
	and methyl alcohol equal to or exceeding 225 grams per h		•					
	of pure alcohol with a 10% tolerance.							
	Ex : Other	0.8 Ecu/% vol/hl						
208 50	- Gin and geneva:							
	Gin, in containers holding :					•		
2208 50 11	2 litres or less	0.8 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.6 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.4 Ecu/% vol/hl	C.2 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	
		+4.1 Ecu/hl		+ 3.1 Ecu/h	+ 2.1 Ecu/hl	+ 1.0 Ecu/hl		
2208 50 19	More than 2 litres	0.8 Ecu/%	free	0.6 Ecu/%	0.4 Ecu/%	0.2 Ecu/%	free	
2208 30 19		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	nee	
	Geneva, in containers holding							
2208 50 91	2 litres or less	1.3 Ecu/%	free	1.0 Ecu/%	0.7 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	· free	
		vol/hl + 8.2 Ecu/hl		vol/hl + 6.2 Ecu/hl	vol/hl +4.1 Ecu/hl	vol/hl +2.1 Ecu/hl	i.	
	Mary than 2 litera	1.3 Ecu/%	free	1.0 Ecu/%	075/0/		6	
2208 50 99	More than 2 litres	vol/hl	nee	vol/hl	• 0.7 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.3 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	
2208 60	- Vodka							
	Of an alcoholic strength by volume of 45.4% vol or less in							
2208 60 11	2 litres or less	1.1 Ecu/%	free	0.8 Ecu/%	0.6 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	free	

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CN 97	Label	Base Rate	Final Bound rate		1	[Implementation		[]	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
2208 40	- Rum and taffia									
2208 40 10	 In containers holding 2 litres or less Ex: Rum with a content of volatile substances other than ethyl and methyl alcohol equal to or exceeding 225 grams per hectolitre of pure alcohol with a 10% tolerance 	0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl	0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.2 Ecu/hl	July 1997 0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl	July 1998 0.7 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.8 Ecu/hl	July 1999 0.65 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	July 2000 0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.2 Ecu/hl			
1	 Ex Other: Valued over Ecu 7.9 per litre of 100% alcohol* 	0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl	Free	July 1997 0.7 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl*	Jan 1998 0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl + 2.9 Ecu/hl*	Jan 1999 0.5 Ecu/%vol/hl + 2.3 Ecu/hl*	Jan 2000 0.4 Ecu/%vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl*	Jan 2001 0.3 Ecu/%vol/h! + 1.2 Ecu/hI*	Jan 2002 0.2 Ecu/%vol/hl + 0.6 Ecu/hl*	Jan 2003 Free
	Other	0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl	0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.2 Ecu/hl	July 1997 0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl + 4.1 Ecu/hl	July 1998 0.7 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.8 Ecu/hl	July 1999 0.65 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	July 2000 0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl + 3.2 Ecu/hl			
2208 40 90	 In containers holding 2 litres or less Ex: Rum with a content of volatile substances other than ethyl and methyl alcohol equal to or exceeding 225 grams per hectolitre of pure alcohol with a 10% tolerance 	0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl	0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl	July 1997 0.8 Ecu/%vol/nl	July 1998 0.7 Ecu/%vol/hl*	July 1999 0.65 Ecu/%vol/hi	July2000 0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
	Ex Other: Valued over Ecu 2.0 per litre of 100% alcohol*	0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl	Free	July 1997 0.7 Ecu/%vol/hl*	Jan 1998 0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl*	Jan 1999 0.5 Ecu/%vol/hI*	Jan 2000 0.4 Ecu/%vol/hl*	Jan 2001 0.3 Ecu/%vol/hl*	Jan 2002 0.2 Ecu/%vol/hl*	Jan 2003 Free
	Other	0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl	0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl	July 1997 0.8 Ecu/%vol/hl	July 1998 0.7 Ecu/%vol/hl	July 1999 0.65 Ecu/%vol/hl	July 2000 0.6 Ecu/%vol/hl			

* Note: In the period 1 July 1997 to 31 December 2002 these concessions shall be limited by the tariff quota amounts indicated below within which rum and taffia in whatever size of container can be imported at the duty rates indicated. From 1 January 2003 there will be no tariff quota limitation:

_						container can be imperted at the
5	duty rates indicated. From 1 January 2003 t	here will be no tariff quota limita	ation:			
5	Tariff Quota	Litres of 100% alcohol	Tariff Quota	Litres of 100% alcohol	Tariff Quota	Litres of 100% alcohol
	Period 1 July 1997 - 31 December 1997	890,000	1 Jan 1999 - 31 December 1999	2,145,000	1 Jan 2001 - 31 December 2001	2,595,450
	- J Jan 1998 - 31 December 1998	1,950,000 -	1 Jan 2000 - 31 December 2000	2,359,500	1 Jan 2002 - 31 December 2002	2,854,995 3 bis

CN 97	Label	Base	Final Bound	1	Implem	entation	
		Rate	Rate	Jul. 97	Jan. 98	Jan. 99	Jan. 2000
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
		+4.1 Ecu/hl		+3.1 Ecu/hl	+2.1 Ecu/hl	+1.0 Ecu/hl	
2208 60 19	More than 2 litres	1.1 Ecu/%	free	0.8 Ecu/%	0.6 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
	Of an alcoholic strength by volume of more than	1 45.4% vol in containers holding:					
2208 60 91	2 litres or less	1.3 Ecu/%	free	1.0 Ecu/%	0.7 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
		+8.2 Ecu/hl		+6.2 Ecu/hl	+4.1 Ecu/hl	+2.1 Ecu/hl	
2208 60 99	More than 2 litres	1.3 Ecu/%	free	1.0 Ecu/%	0.7 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
2208 70	- Liqueurs and cordials in containers holding:						
2208 70 10	- 2 litres or less	1.3 Ecu/%	free	1.0 Ecu/%	0.7 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
		+8.2 Ecu/hl		+6.2 Ecu/hl	+4.1 Ecu/hl	+2.1 Ecu/hl	
2208 70 90	- More than 2 litres	1.3 Ecu/%	free	1.0 Ecu/%	0.7 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
2208 90	- Other						
2200 70	 Arrack, in containers holding: 						
2208 90 11	- 2 litres or less	0.8 Ecu/%	free	0.6 Ecu/%	0.4 Ecu/%	0.2 Ecu/%	free
2208 90 11		vol/hl	nee	vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	HCC
		+4.1 Ecu/hl		+3.1 Ecu/hl	+2.1 Ecu/hl	+1.0 Ecu/hl	
				/ 5.1 <u>E</u> cum	2.1 Loum	1.0 Louin	
2208 90 19	More than 2 litres	0.8 Ecu/%	free	0.6 Ecu/%	0.4 Ecu/%	0.2 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
	Plum, pear or cherry spirit (excluding liqueurs)	, in containers					
	holding	· · · ·					•
2208 90 33	2 litres or less	0.91 Ecu/%	free	0.68 Ecu/%	0.46 Ecu/%	0.22 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl + 3.5		vol/hl + 2.6	vol/hl + 1.8	vol/hl + 0.9	
		Ecu/hl		Ecu/hl	Ecu/hl	Ecu/hl	
2208 90 38	More than 2 litres	1.1 Ecu/%	free	0.8 Ecu/%	0.6 Ecu/%	0.3 Ecu/%	free
		vol/hl		vol/hl	vol/hl	vol/hl	
	- Other spirits, and other spirituous beverages, ir	n containers holding					
	2 litres or less	. containers notaine					

CN 97	Label	<u> </u>	Base	Final Bound		Implem	entation	
			Rate	Rate	Jul. 97	Jan. 99	Jan. 99	Jan. 2000
2208 90 41	Ouzo		1.3 Ecu/% vol/hl +8.2 Ecu/hl	free	1.0 Ecu/% vol/hl +6.2 Ecu/hl	0.7 Ecu/% vol/hl +4.1 Ecu/hl	0.3 Ecu/% vol/hl +2.1 Ecu/hl	free
	Other Spirits (excluding liqueurs) Distilled from fruit							
2208 90 45	Calvados		1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl + 7 Ecu/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl + 5.3 Ecu/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl	free
2208 90 48	Other		1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl + 7 Ecu/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl + 5.3 Ecu/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl + 3.5 Ecu/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl + 1.8 Ecu/hl	free
	Other			-				
2208 90 52	Korn		1.3 Ecu/% vol/hl +8.2 Ecu/hl	free	1.0 Ecu/% vol/hl +6.2 Ecu/hl	0.7 Ecu/% vol/hl +4.1 Ecu/hl	0.3 Ecu/% vol/hl +2.1 Ecu/hl	free
2208 90 57	Other		1.3 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	1.0 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.7 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.3 Ecu/% vol/ຳໍ່	free
			+8.2 Ecu/hl		+6.2 Ecu/hl	+4.1 Ecu/hl	+2.1 Ecu/hl	
2208 90 69	Other spiritual beverages		1.3 Ecu/% vol/hl +8.2 Ecu/hl	free	1.0 Ecu/% vol/hl +6.2 Ecu/hl	0.7 Ecu/% vol/hl +4.1 Ecu/hl	0.3 Ecu/% vol/hl +2.1 Ecu/hl	free
	More than 2 litres							
2208 90 71	Spirits (excluding liqueurs) Distillea from fruit		1.12 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	0.84 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.56 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.28 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
2208 90 74	Other		1.3 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	1.0 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.7 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.3 Ecu/% vol/hl	free
2208 90 78	Other spiritual beverages		1.3 Ecu/% vol/hl	free	1.0 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.7 Ecu/% vol/hl	0.3 Ecu/% vol/hl	free

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

- 1 Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the elimination of duties on information technology products and certain spirituous beverages.
- 2 Budget heading: Chapter 12/ Article 120
- 3. Legal basis: Article 113
- 4. <u>Description</u>: The proposal is a consequence of the Council Decision to open negotiations with third countries with a view to concluding an Information Technology Agreement and the political undertaking made by Ministers at the Singapore Ministerial Conference of 13 December 1996.

It concerns the elimination of duties on Information Technology products and certain spirituous beverages by the year 2000.

- 5 <u>Type of revenue</u>: Loss of revenue on duties paid on third country imports.
- 6. Change in level of revenue:

The elimination of duties payable on imports of information technology products will be completed in 4 equal yearly stages from 1 July 97 to 1 January 2000. The duty loss is calculated as the difference between the agreed Uruguay Round tariff level (for each year) and the rate agreed to under the ITA (for the same year) applying to a volume of imports as realized in 1995. (see annex attached). In sum the ITA loss in revenue is only the additional revenue loss. The final total figures are the following:

1.7.97:242.6 MECU,1.1.98:643.3 MECU1.1.89:891.3 MECU1.1.2000:1241.8 MECU

Regarding spirits, on the basis of EC15 imports in 1995, and based on ad valorem equivalents (ave) for all MFN imports in 95, the duty loss will be:

1.7.97: 0.5 MECU,
 1.1.98: 1.6 MECU
 1.1.99: 2 MECU
 1.2000: 2.5 MECU
 1.1.2001: 1.9 MECU
 1.1.2002: 1.2 MECU
 1.1.2003 0.7 MECU

The annual average is 1625 Kecu (6.5 years) and a total of 10.5 MECU

The value reduction in traditional own resources shall be financed on the basis of additional recourse from PNB resources.

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HS-97	EU imports 95 (kecu)	Total duty loss ITA	Duty loss 97 4 steps	Duty loss 98 4 steps	Duty loss 99 4 steps	Duty loss 00 4 steps
3818 00 Total	170 531	26 432	1 535	5 628	8 185	11 085
8469 11 Total	29 929	1 616	120	359	449	689
8470 10 Total	410 719	43 622	3 304	9 495	12 383	18 440
8470 21 Total	59 114	8 394	650	1 833	2 365	3 547
8470 29 Total	11 975	1 701	132	371	479	719
8470 30 Total	2 786	130	10		36	
8470 40 Total	11 834	550	41	28		56
8470 50 Total	166 942	7 763	584	118	154	237
				1 669	2 170	3 339
	32 651	1 518	114	327	424	653
	83 905	2 317	175	506	662	974
	2 956 157	175 892	13 303	38 430	50 255	73 904
8471 41 Total	344 694	20 134	1 523	4 399	5 752	8 460
8471 49 Total	2 308 652	136 826	10 348	29 895	39'093	57 490
8471 50 Total	538 257	31 692	2 397	6 924	9 055	13 316
8471 60 Total	4 769 150	19 070	14 303	4 767	0	0
8471 70 Total	5 495 373	20 234	15 611	4 623	0	0
8471 80 Total	538 415	2 154	1 615	538	0	0
8471 90 Total	287 733	1 151	863	288	0	0
8472 90 Total	22 038	1 1 46	88	243	331	485
8473 21 Total	4 654	101	19	23	24	36
8473 29 Total	33 008	644	87	125	183	250
8473 30 Total	3 352 385	159 348	12 910	34 7 48	49 640	62 050
8473 50 Total	3 632 303	182 332	13 563	37 785	55 417	75 568
8504 40 Total	250 682	1 003	752	251	0	0
8504 50 Total	10 903	949	65	207	273	403
8517 11 Total	375 826	1 879	1 504	376	0	
8517 19 Total	1 058 182	228 762	13 445	48 140	71 647	95 530
8517 21 Total	859 052	71 731	5 584	15 463	19 759	30 926
8517 22 Total	1 334	111	<u> </u>		Contractor and the first second of the Contractor	
8517 22 Total			**************************************	24	31	48
8517 50 Total	152 286 673 096	12 716	990	2 741	3 503	5 482
		57 152	4 138	12 353	16 429	24 232
8517 80 Total	443 858	37 063	2 885	7 990	10 209	15 979
8517 90 Total	1 171 807	81 855	6 781	17 828	22 094	35 153
8518 10 Total	4 132	246	19	54	70	103
8518 29 Total	9 796	705	49	157	206	294
8518 30 Total	41 032	1 949	226	451	451	821
8520 20 Total	126 869	11 862	825	2 537	3 425	5 075
8523 11 Total	100 846	4 639	403	1 008	1 210	2 017
8523 12 Total	62 554	5 223	344	1 126	1 564	2 189
8523 13 Total	437 681	36 546	2 407	7 878	10 942	15 319
8523 20 Total	239 018	14 039	1 128	3 036	4 1 1 4	5 760
8523 90 Total	80 320	6 707	442	1 446	2 008	2 811
8524 31 Total	89 984	7 514	495	1 620	2 250	3 1 4 9
8524 32 Total	89 984	7 514	495	1 620	2 250	3 1 4 9
8524 39 Total	80 986	6 762	445	1 458	2 025	2 834
8524 40 Total	145 407	3 878	541	851	1 034	1 450
8524 91 Total	989 196	5 603	3 019	1 341	518	725
8524 99 Total	18 630	1 556	103	336	466	652
8525 10 Total	24 608	2 1 2 9	135	468	640	886
8525 20 Total	388 830	58 145	3 178	12 339	18 322	24 305
8525 40 Total	94 861	11 146	617	2 372	3 510	4 648
8527 90 Total	34 958	6 572	419	1 398	1 958	2 797
8529 10 Total	149 579	12 639	972	2 692	3 590	5 386
8529 90 Total	817 789	57 245	4 907	12 266	15 538	24 534
8531 20 Total	822 421	79 301	4 519	17 257	24 653	32 871
8531 90 Total	12 931	1 248	71	272	388	517
8532 10 Total	0	0		73	99	140
8532 10 Total			854	2 495	3 284	4 860
8532 21 Total 8532 22 Total	131 340	11 492 21 996	1 634	4 776	6 285	9 301
8532 22 Total	50 047	3 253	250	701	951	1 351
A 17 of the loss o	222 137		1 110	3 110	4 221	5 998
8532 24 Total		14 439	120	3110	4 221	650
8532 25 Total	24 091	1 566				
8532 29 Total	21 420	1 392	107	300	407	578

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HS-97	EU imports 95 (kecu)	Total duty loss ITA	Duty loss 97 4 steps	Duty loss 98 4 steps	Duty loss 99 4 steps	Duty loss 00 4 steps
8532 30 Total	22 797	1 995	148	433	570	844
8532 90 Total	6 070	534	36	115	158	225
8533 10 Total	50 255	3 216	251	704	905	1 357
8533 21 Total	158 855	10 167	794	2 224	2 859	4 289
8533 29 Total	26 522	1 697	133	371	477	716
8533 31 Total	18 333	1 173	92	257	330	495
8533 39 Total	8 032	514	40	112	145	217
8533 40 Total	101 626	6 504	508	1 423	1 830	2 7 4 4
8533 90 Total	17 264	1 105	86	242	311	466
8534 00 Total	593 219	62 584	3 856	13 051	18 983	26 695
8536 50 Total	31 476	1 700	126	378	473	724
8536 90 Total	527 614	28 491	2 1 1 0	6 331	7 914	12 135
8541 10 Total	214 276	35 784	1 928	7 500	11 357	15 000
8541 21 Total	117 862	19 683	1 061	4 126	6 246	8 250
8541 29 Total	223 342	37 298	2 010	7 817	11 837	15 633
8541 30 Total	27 227	4 547	245	953	1 443	1 906
8541 40 Total	283 283	21 013	1 495	4 456	6 465	8 597
8541 50 Total	16 154	2 698	145	565	856	1 131
8541 60 Total	328 696	30 569	2 301	6 574	8 546	13 148
8541 90 Total	41 665	2 854	229	625	792	1 208
8542 12 Total	86 358	28 714	1 511	6 045	9 068	12 090
8542 13 Total	3 297 950	191 806	13 183	39 569	59 918	79 137
8542 14 Total	216 715	25 841	1 640	5 361	8 119	10 723
8542 19 Total	3 518 982	218 368	14 862	45 080	68 266	90 161
8542 30 Total	896 423	149 704	8 068	31 374	47 510	62 750
8542 40 Total	150 154	25 076	1 350	5 255	7 958	10 510
8542 50 Total	174 530	29 147	1 571	6 109	9 250	12 217
8542 90 Total	88 672	6 074	488	1 330	1 685	2 571
8543 81 Total	269 728	23 601	1 753	5 125	6 743	9 980
8543 89 Total	13 486	1 180	88	256	337	499
8544 41 Total	57 694	4 442	346	923	1 269	1 904
8544 49 Total	47 339	4 118	284	899	1 183	1 752
8544 51 Total	7 101	547	43	114	156	234
8544 70 Total	44 147	5 474	353	1 192	1 633	2 296
9001 10 Total	53 088	3 610	319	796	956	1 540
9009 12 Total	399 100	56 872	3 392	11 973	17 560	23 946
9009 21 Total	169 827	24 200	1 444	5 095	7 472	10 190
9009 90 Total	933 748	131 854	7 877	27 773	40 692	55 513
9026 10 Total	74 446	4 006	344	869	1 072	1 718
9026 10 Total	106 025	6 314	532	1 378	1 692	2 715
9026 80 Total	75 851	4 284	369	930	1 1 4 6	1 838
9026 90 Total	106 653	4 940	449	1 098	1 1 297	2 096
9026 90 Total 9027 20 Total	62 103	3 485	313	608	1 012	1 552
9027 20 Total	170 639	9 300	768	1 365	2 901	4 266
	the second se	9 303	955	2 069	2 388	3 979
9027 50 Total	159 177				4 290	7 043
9027 80 Total	324 106	16 654	1 659	3 663		5 1 4 9
9027 90 Total	205 974	12 152	1 236 580	2 678	3 090 2 401	3 477
9030 40 Total Grand Total	82 925 50 430 563	8 362 3 018 930	242 676	<u> </u>	891 396	

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