

DUMPING COMMODITY REGISTER

2003.10(1)

⇒ R. 8

PRESERVED MUSHROOMS EXPORTED FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

Measures

Interim dumping measures have been imposed on preserved mushrooms exported from the People's Republic of China (China).

Description of the goods

The goods subject to anti-dumping measures are preserved mushrooms or champignons of the genus *Agaricus*, whole, sliced or as stems and pieces, in brine, sauce or some other similar preserving medium, packed in containers, including bottles, cans, bags, pails and barrels.

Goods subject to measures should be classified using the tariff sub-heading and associated statistical codes contained in Table 1.

Table 1 - The tariff subheadings and statistical codes subject to measures

Tariff subheading	Statistical codes
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⇒ Prior to 1 January 2012, the statistical codes for Mushrooms of the genus *Agaricus* were 81 and 82.

⇒ In Australian Customs Notice 2011/50 Customs and Border Protection advised that amendments to the Tariff Working Pages had been finalised. As a result of these changes the tariff classification and statistical codes for this commodity has changed. The changes are to take effect from 1 January 2012.

⇒ Exempt exporter/supplier

⇒ There are two exporters/suppliers exempt from anti-dumping measures:

- Jiangsu Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import/Export Group Corp (Jiangsu COF); and
- Xiamen Gulong Import & Export Co. Ltd (Xiamen Gulong).

⇒ Exemption type "SUPPLIER" applies to preserved mushrooms:

- manufactured by and supplied through Jiangsu COF;
- manufactured by and supplied through Xiamen Gulong;
- manufactured by Xiamen Gulong Food Canned Food Co Ltd (Xiamen Gulong CFC) and supplied through either Jiangsu COF or Xiamen Gulong;
- manufactured by Fujian Zishan Group Co., Ltd and supplied through Jiangsu COF; and
- manufactured by Zhangzhou Lixing Tin Food Limited Co., Ltd or Nanjing Dongbaowang Food Co Ltd and supplied through Xiamen Gulong.

All other exporters and suppliers are subject to the measures as advised in Table 2 below.

Dates of Effect

Interim dumping duties were initially imposed on 13 January 2006. The measures were last revised on 4 March 2011.

Identifying the goods subject to measures

A reference to 'net weight' is a reference to the total weight of the total contents of the container.

Direction for collection of interim dumping duties

Goods subject to the measures must be entered using the relevant dumping specification number (DSN) as shown in Table 2. The currency and export price terms for each DSN are shown in Table 3.

The interim duty rates and the AEP in Table 3 are considered Confidential and will not be published.

The total amount of interim dumping duty payable for goods entered against a DSN shall be the sum of:

- the amount equal to the interim dumping rate; plus
- the amount, if any, by which the dumping export price (DXP) is less than the ascertained export price (AEP).

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Release of details of measures

Bona Fide importers of the goods may request the confidential information.

Unless an importer is able to demonstrate a trading history for preserved mushrooms with an exporter/supplier in China, no confidential information will be provided. Where no prior pattern of imports exists, evidence of an offer, quotation or acceptance of an order from an exporter/supplier in Thailand is considered the minimum requirement before confidential information may be disclosed.

Customs will conduct monitoring of imports consistent with its published policy.

Table 2 – Exporters and DSN

Exporter	Supplied by	CCID	Description	Measure	DSN
Exempt Exporters/Suppliers					
⇒Jiangsu Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import/Export Group Corp	Same	CCH3934494L CCH6347474Y CCE9397746X CCC4779646J	All		
⇒Xiamen Gulong Import & Export Co., Ltd	Same	CCC4749694T CCC4667977L CCG3799444G CCC7697437T CCF3737499R	All		
<u>Xiamen Gulong Food Canned Food Co Ltd</u>	Jiangsu Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import/Export Group Corp	CCH3934494L CCH6347474Y CCE9397746X CCC4779646J	All		
	Xiamen Gulong Import & Export Co., Ltd	CCC4749694T CCC4667977L CCG3799444G CCC7697437T CCF3737499R	All		
<u>Fujian Zishan Group Co Ltd</u>	Jiangsu Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import/Export Group Corp	CCH3934494L CCH6347474Y CCE9397746X CCC4779646J	All		
<u>Zhangzhou Lixing Tin Food Limited Co Ltd</u>	Xiamen Gulong Import & Export Co., Ltd	CCC4749694T CCC4667977L CCG3799444G CCC7697437T CCF3737499R	All		
⇒Nanjing Dongbaowang Food Co Ltd	Xiamen Gulong Import & Export Co., Ltd	CCC4749694T CCC4667977L CCG3799444G CCC7697437T CCF3737499R	All		

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Table 2 – Exporters and DSN (continued)

Exporters covered by interim dumping duties					
Grandness (Sichuan) Foods Co., Ltd Or Grandness (Shanxian) Foods Co., Ltd	Shenzen Grandness Industry Groups Co., Ltd	CCW7977439K	Pieces and stems in containers ≤ 300gm	IDD	⇒28
			Pieces and stems in containers > 300gm	IDD	⇒29
			Whole mushrooms in containers ≤ 300gm	IDD	⇒30
			Whole mushrooms in containers > 300gm	IDD	⇒31
All other exporters			Pieces and stems in containers ≤ 300gm	IDD	⇒32
			Pieces and stems in containers > 300gm	IDD	⇒33
			Whole mushrooms in containers ≤ 300gm	IDD	⇒34
			Whole mushrooms in containers > 300gm	IDD	⇒35

Table 3 – Interim Duty Rates and Ascertained Export Price

DSN	Interim dumping duty	Currency	Ascertained export price	Currency	Export price terms
⇒28	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash
⇒29	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash
⇒30	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash
⇒31	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash
⇒32	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash
⇒33	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash
⇒34	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash
⇒35	Confidential	A\$/kg	Confidential	US\$/kg	FOB, cash

⇒ Above table to be read in conjunction with Confidential Instruction page 2008.10(1) – R.2 change 01/01/2012

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