

# Animal products, by-products and composite products subject to official controls

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EU updates lists of products of animal origin, animal by-products and composite products subject to official controls at border control posts

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) <u>2022/1322</u> of 25 July 2022 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/632 as regards the lists of products of animal origin, animal by-products and composite products subject to official controls at border control posts

#### **Update**

Lists of animals, products of animal origin, germinal products (semen, ova and embryos), animal by-products and derived products, composite products, and hay and straw to be presented for official controls at border control posts in the Annex to Regulation (EU) 2021/632 are now replaced by the Annex to Regulation (EU) 2022/1322.

### Impacted products

animal by-products, composite products

## What is changing?

The list of goods subject to official controls at border control posts is amended to narrow CN code 0410 to insects (0410 10) and other edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included (0410 90 00); and to specify the list of composite products (i.e. plant-based products mixed with food of animal origin).

This concerns the goods listed in Table 1 when they contain food of animal origin.





### Why?

The changes to Harmonised System (HS) and Combined Nomenclature (CN) codes introduced by Delegated Regulation (EU) <u>2022/887</u> and Implementing Regulation (EU) <u>2021/1832</u> needed to be reflected in the lists of products subject to official controls at border control posts, in order to avoid any ambiguity about which consignments of goods are subject to official controls.

#### Timeline

Date of publication: 29 July 2022

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## What are the major implications for exporting countries?

Exporters of any food containing food of animal origin (i.e. composite products) must be aware that this food is subject to official controls at border control posts. It means that controls are stricter, and may mean more time is needed before the goods can be delivered.

Food of animal origin used in composite products must be produced in compliance with the EU legislation dealing with food of animal origin (including public health, animal health and residue requirements).

#### **Recommended Actions**

Exporters of animal by-products and plant-based products mixed with food of animal origin must ensure that consignments for the official controls are prepared in the same way as food of animal origin.

## **Background**

Implementing Regulation (EU) <u>2021/632</u> establishes lists of animals, products of animal origin, germinal products (semen, ova and embryos), animal by-products and derived products, composite products, and hay and straw to be presented for official controls at border control posts, with the indication of their respective CN codes. Implementing Regulation (EU) <u>2022/1322</u> updates these lists.





#### **Sources**

Implementing Regulation (EU) 2022/1322

Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/632

Regulation (EU) 2017/625

## **Table & Figures**

| Table 1 Animal products, by-products and composite products subject to official controls |   |
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| CN code  | Description   |
| 0901   | Coffee, whether or not roasted or decaffeinated; coffee husks and skins; coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion   |
| 1902 19  | Uncooked pasta, not stuffed or otherwise prepared, other than containing eggs   |
| 1904 10 30   | Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of rice   |
| 1904 10 90   | Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products<br>Other than maize or rice   |
| 1904 20  | Prepared foods obtained from unroasted cereal flakes or from mixtures of unroasted cereal flakes and roasted cereal flakes or swelled cereals   |
| 1904 90 80   | Cereals [other than maize (corn)] in grain form or in the form of flakes or other worked grains (except flour, groats and meal), pre-cooked or otherwise prepared, not elsewhere specified or included, other than bulgur wheat and other than obtained from rice |
| 2008 99  | Other preparations of fruit, nuts and other edible parts of plants, otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or spirit, not elsewhere specified or included  |
| 2906   | Cyclic alcohols and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives  |
| 2936   | Provitamins and vitamins, natural or reproduced by synthesis (including natural concentrates), derivatives thereof used primarily as vitamins, and intermixtures of the foregoing, whether or not in any solvent  |
| 3002 49 00   | Toxins, cultures of mico-organisms (excluding yeasts) and similar products  |
| Source: Imple  | menting Regulation (EU) 2022/1322, Annex  |
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