

ABOLITION OF EXCISE DUTIES

The excise duties on the following items have been abolished effective 4.00 p.m., October 23, 1998

TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION
84.15	Air conditioning machines, comprising a motor-driven fan and elements for changing the temperature and humidity, including those machines in which the humidity cannot be separately regulated	8418.21 110	Electrically operated : not over 350 litres	8418.50 000	- Other refrigerating or freezing chests, cabinets, display counters, showcases and similar refrigerating or freezing furniture - Other refrigerating or freezing equipment heat pumps :
8415.10 000	- Window or wall types, self contained	8418.21 120	over 350 litres	8418.61	-- Compression type refrigerating units whose condensers not heat exchangers :
8415.81	Other : -- Incorporating a refrigerator unit and a valve for reversal of the cooling/heating cycle	8418.21 910	Other : not over 350 litres	8418.61 100	Domestic
8415.81 900	Other	8418.21 990	over 350 litres	8418.61 900	Other
8415.82	-- Other, incorporating a refrigerator unit :	8418.22	-- Absorption-type, electrical :	8418.69	-- Other :
8415.82 900	Other	8418.22 100	not over 350 litres	8418.69 100	Domestic
8415.83	-- Not incorporating a refrigerator unit :	8418.22 200	over 350 litres	8418.69 900	Other
8415.83 900	Other	8418.29	-- Other :	85.28	Reception apparatus for television, whether or not incorporating radio-broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus; video monitors and video projects.
84.18	Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps other than air conditioning machines of heading No. 84.15.	8418.29 110	Electrically operated : not over 350 litres	8528.12	- Colour : Television receivers :
8418.10	- Combined refrigerator-freezers, fitted with separate external doors:	8418.29 120	over 350 litres	8528.12 119	mains operated : other
8418.10 110	Electrically operated : not over 350 litres	8418.29 910	Other : not over 350 litres	8528.12 129	battery operated : other
8418.10 120	over 350 litres	8418.29 990	over 350 litres	8528.13	- Black and white or other monochrome : Television receivers :
8418.10 900	Other	8418.30	- Freezers of the chest type, not exceeding 800 litres capacity :	8528.13 119	mains operated : other
8418.21	- Refrigerators, household type : -- Compression type :	8418.30 100	Domestic	8528.13 120	battery operated (with screen of over 41.6 cm)
		8418.30 900	Other		
		8418.40	- Freezers of the upright type, not exceeding 900 litres capacity :		
		8418.40 100	Domestic		
		8418.40 900	Other		

INCREASE IN IMPORT DUTIES

The import duties on the following items have been increased effective 4.00 p.m., October 23, 1998

A. CIGARETTES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS

TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	NEW RATE (RM)
24.02	Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes.	
2402.10 000	- Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos, containing tobacco	180 per kg
2402.20	- Cigarettes containing tobacco :	
2402.20 900	Other	180 per kg
2402.90	- Other :	
2402.90 100	Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos containing tobacco substitutes	180 per kg
2402.90 200	Cigarettes containing tobacco substitutes	180 per kg

B. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	NEW RATE (RM)	TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	NEW RATE (RM)
2106.90 490	other	37 per 100% vol per litre	2206.00 910	Other : toddy, bottled or canned	112 per 100% vol per litre
2203.00	Beer made from malt :		2206.00 990	other	112 per 100% vol per litre
2203.00 100	Not exceeding 5.8% vol	89 per dal	2207.10 000	- Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80% vol or higher	67 per 100% vol per litre
2203.00 900	Other	89 per dal	2207.20 100	Ethyl alcohol, denatured to the satisfaction of the Director General of Customs	17 per dal
2204.10 000	- Sparkling wine	425 per dal	2207.20 900	Other	20 per dal
2204.21 100	Wine	120 per dal	2208.20	- Spirits obtained by distilling grape wine or grape marc :	
2204.21 200	Grape must with fermentation prevented or arrested by the addition of alcohol	113 per 100% vol per litre	2208.20 100	Brandy	587 per dal
2204.29 100	Wine	120 per dal	2208.20 900	Other	587 per dal
2204.29 200	Grape must with fermentation prevented or arrested by the addition of alcohol	125 per 100% vol per litre	2208.30 000	- Whiskies	564 per dal
2204.30 000	- Other grape must	112 per 100% vol per litre	2208.40 000	- Rum and tafia	556 per dal
22.05	Vermouth and other wine of fresh grapes flavoured with plants or aromatic substances.		2208.50 000	- Gin and Geneva	558 per dal
2205.10 000	- In containers holding 2 litres or less	120 per dal	2208.60 000	- Vodka	553 per dal
2205.90 000	- Other	120 per dal	2208.70	- Liqueurs and cordials :	
2206.00	Other fermented beverages (for example, cider, perry, mead); mixtures of fermented beverages and mixtures of fermented beverages and non-alcoholic beverages, not elsewhere specified or included.		2208.70 100	Liqueurs and similar beverages not exceeding 57% vol	98 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 100	Cider and perry	66 per dal	2208.70 900	Other	72 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 200	Rice wine (including sake and medicated rice wine)	36 per 100% vol per litre	2208.90 100	Samsu (including medicated samsu)	37 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 300	Mead	118 per 100% vol per litre	2208.90 200	Arrack and pineapple spirit	37 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 400	Wines obtained by the fermentation of fruit juices, other than juice of fresh grapes (fig, date or berry wines), or of vegetable juices	112 per 100% vol per litre	2208.90 300	Bitters	98 per 100% vol per litre
			2208.90 910	Other spirituous beverages : exceeding 0.5% vol but not exceeding 1.14% vol	114% or RM2.76 w.i.t.h.
			2208.90 990	other	72 per 100% vol per litre

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2402.20	- Cigarettes containing tobacco :	
2402.20 900	Other	40 per kg

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TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	NEW RATE (RM)
2203.00	Beer made from malt :	
2203.00 100	Not exceeding 5.8% vol	43.20 per dal
2203.00 900	Other	44.40 per dal
2206.00 100	Cider and perry	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 200	Rice wine (including sake and medicated rice wine)	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 300	Mead	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 400	Wines obtained by the fermentation of fruit juices, other than juice of fresh grapes (fig, date or berrywines), or of vegetables juices	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2206.00 910	Other : toddy, bottled or canned	48 sen per litre
2206.00 990	other	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2207.10 000	- Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80% vol or higher	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.20 100	Brandy	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.20 900	Other	13.20 per 100% vol per litre

TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	NEW RATE (RM)
2208.30 000	- Whiskies	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.40 000	- Rum and tafia	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.50 000	- Gin and Geneva	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.60 000	- Vodka	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.70	- Liqueurs and cordials :	
2208.70 100	Liqueurs and similar beverages not exceeding 57% vol	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.70 900	Other	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.90 100	Samsu (including medicated samsu)	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.90 200	Arrack and pineapple spirit	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.90 300	Bitters	13.20 per 100% vol per litre
2208.90 910	Other spirituous beverages : exceeding 0.5% vol but not exceeding 1.14% vol	4 sen per litre
2208.90 990	other	13.20 per 100% vol per litre