

Chapter 30

Pharmaceutical products

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1. This Chapter does not cover:
 - (a) Foods or beverages (such as dietetic, diabetic or fortified foods, food supplements, tonic beverages and mineral waters), other than nutritional preparations for intravenous administration (Section IV);
 - (b) Plasters specially calcined or finely ground for use in dentistry (heading 25.20);
 - (c) Aqueous distillates and aqueous solutions of essential oils, suitable for medicinal uses (heading 33.01);
 - (d) Preparations of headings 33.03 to 33.07, even if they have therapeutic or prophylactic properties;
 - (e) Soap or other products of heading 34.01 containing added medicaments;
 - (f) Preparations with a basis of plaster for use in dentistry (heading 34.07); or
 - (g) Blood albumin not prepared for therapeutic or prophylactic uses (heading 35.02).
2. For the purposes of heading 30.02, the expression “modified immunological products” applies only to monoclonal antibodies (MABs), antibody fragments, antibody conjugates and antibody fragment conjugates.
3. For the purposes of headings 30.03 and 30.04 and of Note 4 (d) to this Chapter, the following are to be treated:
 - (a) As unmixed products:
 - (1) Unmixed products dissolved in water;
 - (2) All goods of Chapter 28 or 29; and
 - (3) Simple vegetable extracts of heading 13.02, merely standardised or dissolved in any solvent;
 - (b) As products which have been mixed:
 - (1) Colloidal solutions and suspensions (other than colloidal sulphur);
 - (2) Vegetable extracts obtained by the treatment of mixtures of vegetable materials; and
 - (3) Salts and concentrates obtained by evaporating natural mineral waters.
4. Heading 30.06 applies only to the following, which are to be classified in that heading and in no other heading of the Tariff:
 - (a) Sterile surgical catgut, similar sterile suture materials (including sterile absorbable surgical or dental yarns) and sterile tissue adhesives for surgical wound closure;
 - (b) Sterile laminaria and sterile laminaria tents;
 - (c) Sterile absorbable surgical or dental haemostatics; sterile surgical or dental adhesion barriers, whether or not absorbable;
 - (d) Opacifying preparations for X-ray examinations and diagnostic reagents designed to be administered to the patient, being unmixed products put up in measured doses or products consisting of two or more ingredients which have been mixed together for such uses;
 - (e) Blood-grouping reagents;
 - (f) Dental cements and other dental fillings; bone reconstruction cements;
 - (g) First-aid boxes and kits;
 - (h) Chemical contraceptive preparations based on hormones, on other products of heading 29.37 or on spermicides;
 - (ij) Gel preparations designed to be used in human or veterinary medicine as a lubricant for parts of the body for surgical operations or physical examinations or as a coupling agent between the body and medical instruments;
 - (k) Waste pharmaceuticals, that is, pharmaceutical products which are unfit for their original intended purpose due to, for example, expiry of shelf life; and
 - (l) Appliances identifiable for ostomy use, that is, colostomy, ileostomy and urostomy pouches cut to shape and their adhesive wafers or faceplates.

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30.01			Glands and other organs for organo-therapeutic uses, dried, whether or not powdered; extracts of glands or other organs or of their secretions for organo-therapeutic uses; heparin and its salts; other human or animal substances prepared for therapeutic or prophylactic uses, not elsewhere specified or included:		
3001.20.00	00C	..	– Extracts of glands or other organs or of their secretions	Free	Free
3001.90.00		..	– Other	Free	Free
	10F	..	. . Glands and other organs, dried, whether or not powdered		
	19K	..	. . Other		
30.02			Human blood; animal blood prepared for therapeutic, prophylactic or diagnostic uses; antisera and other blood fractions and modified immunological products, whether or not obtained by means of biotechnological processes; vaccines, toxins, cultures of micro-organisms (excluding yeasts) and similar products:		
3002.10.00	00H	..	– Antisera and other blood fractions and modified immunological products, whether or not obtained by means of biotechnological processes	Free	Free
3002.20.00		..	– Vaccines for human medicine	Free	Free
	01K	..	. . Vaccines for yellow fever		
	09E	..	. . Other		
3002.30.00		..	– Vaccines for veterinary medicine:	Free	Free
	01C	..	. . Vaccines against foot and mouth disease		
	09J	..	. . Other		
3002.90.00		..	– Other	Free	Free
	02C	kg	. . Saxitoxin		
	05H	kg	. . Ricin		
		..	. . Other:		
	07D	..	. . . For human medicine		
	19H	..	. . . Other		
30.03			Medicaments (excluding goods of heading 30.02, 30.05 or 30.06) consisting of two or more constituents which have been mixed together for therapeutic or prophylactic uses, not put up in measured doses or in forms or packings for retail sale:		
3003.10		..	– Containing penicillins or derivatives thereof, with a penicillanic acid structure, or streptomycins or their derivatives:		
3003.10.01	00B	..	– – For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3003.10.09	00C	..	– – Other	Free	Free
3003.20		..	– Containing other antibiotics:		
3003.20.01	00F	..	– – For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3003.20.09	00G	..	– – Other	Free	Free
		..	– Containing hormones or other products of heading 29.37 but not containing antibiotics:		
3003.31.00	00H	..	– – Containing insulin	Free	Free
3003.39		..	– – Other:		
3003.39.01	00L	..	– – – For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3003.39.09	00A	..	– – – Other	Free	Free
3003.40		..	– Containing alkaloids or derivatives thereof but not containing hormones or other products of heading 29.37 or antibiotics:		
3003.40.01	00C	..	– – For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3003.40.09	00D	..	– – Other	Free	Free
3003.90		..	– Other:		
3003.90.01	00A	..	– – For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3003.90.09	10K	..	– – Other	Free	Free
30.04			Medicaments (excluding goods of headings 30.02, 30.05 or 30.06) consisting of mixed or unmixed products for therapeutic or prophylactic uses, put up in measured doses (including those in the form of transdermal administration systems) or in forms or packings for retail sale:		
3004.10		..	– Containing penicillins or derivatives thereof, with a penicillanic acid structure, or streptomycins or their derivatives:		
3004.10.01	00L	..	– – For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3004.10.09	00A	..	– – Other	Free	Free

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Medicaments (excluding goods of headings 30.02, etc.—<i>continued</i>)					
3004.20			– Containing other antibiotics:		
3004.20.01	00D	..	-- For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3004.20.09	00E	..	-- Other	Free	Free
– Containing hormones or other products of heading 29.37 but not containing antibiotics:					
3004.31.00	00F	..	-- Containing insulin	Free	Free
3004.32			-- Containing corticosteroid hormones, their derivatives or structural analogues		
3004.32.01	00G	..	--- For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3004.32.09	00H	..	--- Other	Free	Free
3004.39			-- Other:		
3004.39.01	00J	..	--- For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3004.39.09	00K	..	--- Other	Free	Free
3004.40			– Containing alkaloids or derivatives thereof but not containing hormones, other products of heading 29.37 or antibiotics:		
3004.40.01	00A	..	-- For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3004.40.09	00B	..	-- Other	Free	Free
3004.50			– Other medicaments containing vitamins or other products of heading 29.36:		
3004.50.01	00E	..	-- For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
3004.50.09	00F	..	-- Other	Free	Free
3004.90			– Other:		
3004.90.01	00K	..	-- For veterinary medicine	Free	Free
-- Other:					
3004.90.11	00E	..	--- Organo-therapeutic glands and other goods of heading 30.01 put up in measured doses or in forms or in packings of a kind sold by retail	Free	Free
3004.90.19			--- Other	Free	Free
			. . . . . In aerosol containers:		
	02B	No.	. . . . . Containing chlorofluorocarbons		
	08A	No.	. . . . . Other		
	19G	..	. . . . . Other		
30.05	Wadding, gauze, bandages and similar articles (for example, dressings, adhesive plasters, poultices), impregnated or coated with pharmaceutical substances or put up in forms or packings for retail sale for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes:				
3005.10.00			– Adhesive dressings and other articles having an adhesive layer	Free	Free
	01L	..	. . . Incorporating woven fabrics		
	09F	..	. . . Other		
3005.90			– Other:		
3005.90.01	00H	kg	-- Cotton rolls or pellets	Free	Free
3005.90.09			-- Other	Free	Free
	01G	kg	. . . Wadding impregnated or coated with pharmaceutical substances or put up in retail packings for medical or surgical purposes		
			. . . Other:		
	11D	..	. . . . . Sterilised packs containing composite dressings		
	19K Non-adhesive dressings incorporating non-woven fabrics or impregnated with wax substances		
	22K	No. Plaster of Paris bandages		
	29G Other		

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30.06			Pharmaceutical goods specified in Note 4 to this Chapter:		
3006.10			– Sterile surgical catgut, similar sterile suture materials (including sterile absorbable surgical or dental yarns) and sterile tissue adhesives for surgical wound closure; sterile laminaria and sterile laminaria tents; sterile absorbable surgical or dental haemostatics; sterile surgical or dental adhesion barriers, whether or not absorbable:		
			– – Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics, non-cellular and not reinforced, laminated, supported or similarly combined with other materials:		
			– – – Of polymers of ethylene:		
3006.10.01	00G	m ²	– – – – Of a thickness not exceeding 0.5 mm and of a width not exceeding 20 cm	7 7/2008 5	CA 0.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5.5 7/2008 5 TH Free TPA Free
3006.10.05	00B	kg	– – – – Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH Free TPA Free
			– – – Of polymers of propylene:		
			– – – – Biaxially oriented:		
3006.10.07	00E	kg	– – – – – Printed	7 7/2008 5	Free TPA Free
3006.10.09	00H	kg	– – – – – Other	Free	Free
3006.10.11	00B	m ²	– – – – Of a thickness not exceeding 0.25 mm and exceeding 20 cm in width	6.5 7/2008 5	CA Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.13	00E	kg	– – – – Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
			– – – Of polymers of styrene, or of acrylic polymers:		
3006.10.15	00H	m ²	– – – – Of a thickness not exceeding 0.5 mm and of a width not exceeding 20 cm	7 7/2008 5	CA 0.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5.5 7/2008 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free

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Pharmaceutical goods specified in Note 4 to this Chapter—<i>continued</i>					
— Sterile surgical catgut, similar sterile suture materials, etc.— <i>continued</i>					
-- Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics, etc.— <i>continued</i>					
---- Of polymers of styrene, or of acrylic polymers— <i>continued</i>					
3006.10.17	00L	kg	---- Of a thickness not exceeding 0.25 mm and exceeding 20 cm in width	6.5 7/2008 5	CA Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.19	00C	kg	---- Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
---- Of polymers of vinyl chloride:					
3006.10.21	00H	kg	---- Containing by weight not less than 6 % of plasticisers	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.23	00L	m ²	---- Of a thickness not exceeding 0.5 mm and of a width not exceeding 20 cm	7 7/2008 5	CA 0.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5.5 7/2008 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.25	00C	kg	---- Other	7 7/2008 5	CA 2 7/2008 Free LDC 5.5 7/2008 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
---- Of polycarbonates, alkyd resins, polyallyl esters or other polyesters:					
---- Of polycarbonates:					
3006.10.29	00J	kg	---- Of a thickness not exceeding 0.25 mm and exceeding 20 cm in width, printed	Free	Free

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<p>Pharmaceutical goods specified in Note 4 to this Chapter—<i>continued</i> – Sterile surgical catgut, similar sterile suture materials, etc.—<i>continued</i> -- Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics, etc.—<i>continued</i> --- Of polycarbonates, alkyd resins, polyallyl esters, etc.—<i>continued</i> ---- Of polycarbonates—<i>continued</i></p>					
3006.10.31	00C	kg	----- Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.33	00F	kg	----- Of poly(ethylene terephthalate): ----- Of a thickness not exceeding 0.25 mm and exceeding 20 cm in width, printed	7 7/2008 5	Free TPA Free
3006.10.35	00J	kg	----- Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.37	00A	kg	----- Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.39	00D	kg	--- Of cellulose or its chemical derivatives: ----- Of vulcanised fibre	Free	Free
3006.10.41	00J	kg	----- Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.43	00A	kg	--- Of other plastics: ----- Of poly(vinyl butyral), of polyamides, of amino-resins, or of phenolic resins	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free

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Pharmaceutical goods specified in Note 4 to this Chapter—<i>continued</i>					
– Sterile surgical catgut, similar sterile suture materials, etc.— <i>continued</i>					
– – Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics, etc.— <i>continued</i>					
– – – Of other plastics— <i>continued</i>					
– – – – Other:					
3006.10.45	00D	m ²	– – – – – Of a thickness not exceeding 0.5 mm and of a width not exceeding 20 cm	7 7/2008 5	CA 0.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5.5 7/2008 5 TH Free TPA Free
3006.10.47	00G	. .	– – – – – Of fluoro-polymers of a thickness not exceeding 0.25 mm and exceeding 20 cm in width	Free	Free
3006.10.49	00K	kg	– – – – – Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH Free TPA Free
– – Other plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics:					
3006.10.51	00D	kg	– – – In blocks of regular geometric shape, other than polymers of vinyl chloride or of regenerated cellulose	5	CA Free LDC 4 TH 3.5 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 3.5 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
3006.10.53	00G	kg	– – – – Other	6.5 7/2008 5	CA 1.5 7/2008 Free LDC 5 TH 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free TPA 4.5 1/2008 4 1/2009 3 1/2010 Free
– – Knitted or crocheted fabrics of a width not exceeding 30 cm, containing by weight 5 % or more of elastomeric yarn or rubber thread:					
– – – Containing by weight 5 % or more of elastomeric yarn but not containing rubber thread:					
3006.10.59	00E	m ²	– – – – – Stitch-bonded	Free	Free
3006.10.61	00K	m ²	– – – – – Other	10 7/2007 7.5 7/2008 5	CA Free LDC 10 7/2007 7.5 7/2008 5 TH 6 1/2008 4 1/2012 3 1/2015 Free TPA 6 1/2008 4 1/2012 3 1/2015 Free
– – – – Other:					
3006.10.63	00B	m ²	– – – – – Stitch-bonded	Free	Free

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Pharmaceutical goods specified in Note 4 to this Chapter—<i>continued</i>					
-- Sterile surgical catgut, similar sterile suture materials, etc.— <i>continued</i>					
-- Knitted or crocheted fabrics of a width not exceeding, etc.— <i>continued</i>					
--- Other— <i>continued</i>					
3006.10.65	00E	m ²	---- Of wool or fine animal hair, of cotton, or of man-made fibres	10 7/2007 7.5 7/2008 5	CA 2.5 7/2007 Free LDC 10 7/2007 7.5 7/2008 5 TH 6 1/2008 4 1/2010 3 1/2015 Free TPA 6 1/2008 4 1/2010 3 1/2015 Free
3006.10.67	00H	m ²	---- Other	7.5 7/2008 5	CA Free LDC 6 7/2008 5 TH 6 1/2008 4 1/2011 3 1/2015 Free TPA 6 1/2008 4 1/2011 3 1/2015 Free
-- Knitted or crocheted fabrics of a width not exceeding 30 cm, not elsewhere specified or included in this heading:					
3006.10.69	00L	m ²	--- Stitch-bonded	Free	Free
3006.10.71	00E	m ²	--- Of wool or fine animal hair, of cotton, or of man-made fibres	10 7/2007 7.5 7/2008 5	CA 2.5 7/2007 Free LDC 10 7/2007 7.5 7/2008 5 TH 6 1/2008 4 1/2010 3 1/2015 Free TPA 6 1/2008 4 1/2010 3 1/2015 Free
3006.10.73	00H	m ²	--- Other	7.5 7/2008 5	CA Free LDC 6 7/2008 5 TH 6 1/2008 4 1/2011 3 1/2015 Free TPA 6 1/2008 4 1/2011 3 1/2015 Free
-- Warp knit fabrics (including those made on galloon knitting machines), other than of wool or fine animal hair, of cotton, or of man-made fibres, not elsewhere specified or included in this heading:					
3006.10.75	00L	m ²	--- Stitch-bonded	Free	Free
3006.10.79	00F	m ²	--- Other	7.5 7/2008 5	CA Free LDC 6 7/2008 5 TH 6 1/2008 4 1/2011 3 1/2015 Free TPA 6 1/2008 4 1/2011 3 1/2015 Free
3006.10.89	10J 19B	-- Other Sterile surgical catgut Other	Free	Free

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3006.20.00	00D	..	– Blood-grouping reagents	Free	Free
3006.30.00	00H	..	– Opacifying preparations for X-ray examinations; diagnostic reagents designed to be administered to the patient	Free	Free
3006.40			– Dental cements and other dental fillings; bone reconstruction cements:		
3006.40.01	00H	..	– – Dental cements and other dental fillings	Free	Free
3006.40.09	00J	..	– – Bone reconstruction cements	Free	Free
3006.50.00	00E	..	– First-aid boxes and kits	Free	Free
3006.60.00			– Chemical contraceptive preparations based on hormones, on other products of heading 29.37 or on spermicides	Free	Free
	11D	..	. . . Based on hormones or on spermicides		
	19K	..	. . . Other		
3006.70.00	00B	..	– Gel preparations designed to be used in human or veterinary medicine as a lubricant for parts of the body for surgical operations or physical examinations or as a coupling agent between the body and medical instruments	Free	Free
			– Other		
3006.91.00			– – Appliances identifiable for ostomy use	7 7/2008 5	CA 2 7/2008 Free LDC 5.5 7/2008 5 TH Free TPA Free
	10A	Hd	. . . Ileo-colostomy drainage bags, disposable		
	19E Other		
3006.92.00	00J	..	– – Waste pharmaceuticals	Free	Free
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