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List of Quarantine and Inspection Objects	Description of Goods	Tariff No.	Reason for Quarantine and Inspection	Quarantine and Inspection Standards	Remarks
Radix paeoniae lactiflorae	Radix paeoniae lactiflorae	1211 9021			
Rhizoma gastrodiae	Rhizoma gastrodiae	1211 9022			
Radix astragali	Radix astragali	1211 9023			
Rhubarb	Rhubarb	1211 9024			
Rhizoma atractylodis macrocephalae	Rhizoma atractylodis macrocephalae	1211 9025			
Flos sophorae	Flos sophorae	1212 9027			
Cortex eucommiae	Cortex eucommiae	1211 9028			
Poria	Poria	1211 9029			
Fructus lycii	Fructus lycii	1211 9031			
Lohanguo siraitia	Lohanguo siraitia, Balkal skaucap (<i>Scutellaria baicalensis</i>), Atractylodes	1211 9049.01			
Bupleurum chinese	Bupleurum chinese, Potato, Ophiopogon, Orange stem, Honey suckle	1211 9049.02			
Ophiopogon japonicus, Pipped ballon flower root, Honey suckle					
Magnolia officinalis	Magnolia officinalis	1211 9049.04			
Radix pseudoginseng	Radix pseudoginseng	1211 9012			

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Kehmannia glutiosa, Amur corydalis, Rhizoma of oriental water plantain, Monkshood, Fuling(Poris cocos), Forsythia suspensa, Safflower, The root bark of the tree peony, Polyporus umbellata, Cordyceps sinensis, Schisandra chinensis, Roselle etc.	Others	1211 9049.09	To prevent quarantine significant pests from spreading into China. Such as: <i>Trogoderma granarium</i> Everts <i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> (Horn)		
	Cordyceps sinensis	1211 9016	To prevent quarantine significant pests from spreading into China.		
	Radix rehmanniae	1211 9026			
	Bantaroï seeds	1211 9032			
	Aloes wood	1211 9033			
Other raw materials and slices of traditional Chinese medicine	Figwortflower picrorrhiza, Caoguo(<i>Amomum tsao-ko</i>)	1211 9049.03			

18. Others

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Derris, Pyrethrum	Derris roots and pyrethrum, fresh or dried, Not worked	1211 9091.1	To prevent quarantine significant pests from spreading into China		
	Derris roots and pyrethrum, fresh or dried, worked	1211 9091.2			
	Plant as pesticide or fungicide, Not worked	1211 9099.1			
	Plants as pesticide or fungicide, Crushed and powdered	1211 9099.2			
Hop cones	Hop cones, neither ground nor powdered nor in the form of pellets	1210 1000	To prevent quarantine significant pests from spreading into China		
Other unlisted plant products and foreshadowing materials.	Other	1404 9000	To prevent quarantine significant pests from spreading into China. Such as: <i>Hyphantria cunea</i> (Drury) <i>Heterobostrychus aequalis</i> (Waterhouse) <i>Hylargopinus rufipes</i> (Eichhoff) <i>Scolytus scolytus</i> <i>Dendroctonus brevicornis</i> Leconte <i>Dendroctonus ponderosae</i> Hopkins <i>Coptotermes curvignathus</i> Hoimgren <i>Trogoderma granarium</i> Everts <i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> (Horn)		

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			<i>Achatina fulica</i> (Ferussac) <i>Lissorhoptus oryzophilus</i> Kuschel <i>Bursaphelenchus xylophilus</i> (Steiner & Buhner) Nichle		

III Others

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Paper waste	Waste(broken) paper and paperbroad, retrieved		To prevent quarantine significant pests from spreading into China.		
Plant organic fertilizers	Other Animal or vegetable fertilizers, Not chemically treated	3101 0019			
	Other	2309 9090			
Others	Malt, Not roasted	1107 1000			
	Germ of cereals, whole or other worked	1104 3000			
	Raw vegetable materials of a kind used primarily in dying or tanning, Not worked	1404 1000.1			

Supporting Table DS1

DOMESTIC SUPPORT: People's Republic of China
REPORTING PERIOD: 1993-1995
Measures exempt from the reduction commitment - "Green Box"

Measure type 1	Measure/program name 2	Calendar year 3	Monetary value of measures 4	Data sources 5
(a) General services	Research ¹		Million yuan	
		1993	1104.80	SSTC
		1994	1467.70	
		1995	1467.70	
		average of 1993-1995	1346.80	
	Expenditures on Agricultural Production and Administration ²	1993	32342.00	SSB
		1994	39970.00	
		1995	43022.00	
		average of 1993-1995	38445.00	
	Appropriations for Capital Construction ³	1993	9500.00	SSB
		1994	16000.00	
		1995	19360.00	
		average of 1993-1995	14953.00	
	Agricultural development funds ⁴	1993	0.00	SSB
		1994	0.00	
		1995	7666.00	
		average of 1993-95	2555.30	

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1	2	3	4	5
(b) Public stockhold for food security purpose	Subsidies for Policy-Related Grain Expenses ⁵		Million yuan	
		1993	22475.00	SSB
		1994	20203.00	
		1995	22891.00	
		average of 1993-1995	21856.30	
(c) Domestic food aid	Favored Loans for Purchasing and Stocking Grain for Food Security Purpose ⁶	1993	1667.40	ABC
		1994	1881.50	
		1995	1152.40	
		average of 1993-1995	1567.10	
		1993	2986.00	SSB
(d) Decoupled income support	Food Subsidies ⁷	1994	2541.00	
		1995	2417.00	
		average of 1993-1995	2648.00	
			0.00	
			0.00	
(e) Income insurance and income safety-net programs			0.00	

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1	2	3	4	5
			Million yuan	
(f) Payments for relief from natural disasters				
(g) Structural adjustment assistance provided through producer retirement programs			0.00	
(h) Structural adjustment assistance provided through resource retirement programs			0.00	
(i) Structural adjustment assistance provided through investment aids			0.00	

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1	2	3	4	5
			Million yuan	
(j) Environmental programmes			0.00	
(k) Regional assistance programs	Expenditures Supporting Agriculture in Less-Developed Regions ⁸	1993	800.00	MOF
		1994	1400.00	
		1995	1400.00	
		average of 1993-1995	1200.00	
		1993	200.00	MOF
	Special Investment Assistance Program for Agriculture in Three Western Poverty Prefectures ⁹	1994	200.00	
		1995	200.00	
		average of 1993-1995	200.00	
		1993	417.00	MOF
		1994	350.00	
	Financial Subsidies to Support Low-Interest Loans to Agriculture in Poor Regions ¹⁰	1995	400.00	
		average of 1993-1995	389.00	

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Measure type	Measure name	Calendar year	Monetary value of Measures	Data sources
1	2	3	4	5
(1) Other			Million yuan	
		1993	0.00	
		1994	0.00	
		1995	0.00	
		average of 1993-1995	0.00	

Notes:

- ¹ Research: general research and research programs relating to particular products, including soil and water conservation, plant and animal science, forestry, water conservancy, meteorology, and agricultural development, with funds provided through different channels, including the State Science and Technology Commission, and the Ministries of Agriculture, Forestry, Water Conservancy, and Meteorology.
- ² Expenditures on Agricultural Production and Administration: investment assistance for building and equipping institutions and services, and paying the salaries of agriculture, forestry, water conservancy, meteorology, and agricultural machinery technicians and officials, including:
 - Pest disease control services, including general and product-specific pest and disease control measures conducted by Plant Protection Stations at the National, Provincial, Municipal/Prefectural and County levels.
 - Training services, including both general and specialist training facilities, through the agricultural education networks, such as agricultural universities and colleges, agricultural vocational education and adult education systems.
 - Extension and advisory services, including the provision of means to facilitate the transfer of information and the results of research to farmers, provided through the Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences (CAAS), an agency of the Ministry of Agriculture responsible for agricultural research, planning and graduate training at the national level, and the Provincial Academy of Agricultural Sciences (PAAS), agencies under the provincial Departments of Agriculture focused primarily on solving production problems, and Agro-Technical Extension Centers (ATEC), agencies funded and managed at the National (NATEC), Provincial (PATEC), Municipal/Prefectural (MATEC), County (CATEC) and Township (TATEC) levels.

--Inspection services, including general inspection services and the inspection of particular products for health, safety, grading or standardization purposes, provided through the Administration of Animal and Plant Quarantine and the Administration of Commodity Inspection.

--Marketing services, including improving market information and advice relating to specific agricultural products, provided through the Department of Marketing and Information and the Information Center, under the Ministry of Agriculture, as well as combined provincial offices under Provincial Departments of Agriculture.

--Infrastructure services, including small water conservancy, well drilling, and sprinkler irrigation projects run by villages, as well as waste land reclamation, rural township enterprise development, and rural afforestation and forest protection projects run through the Ministry of Agriculture, the Ministry of Forestry and the Ministry of Water Conservancy.

³ Appropriations for Capital Construction: investment assistance in agricultural infrastructure services, including: dams and irrigation/drainage facilities, rural roads, and infrastructural works associated with environmental programs, provided through the State Planning Commission of China.

⁴ Agricultural Development Funds: a special investment assistance program for improving medium- and low-yield lands and providing public services (such as irrigation, drainage, transport, etc.) to increase agricultural productivity and production, included in Expenditure Production before 1995, provided by the Ministry of Finance.

⁵ Subsidies for Policy-Related Grain Expenses: Provides subsidies to State Grain Agencies through the Ministry of Domestic Trade, including the following: (1) Government subsidies to State Grain Agencies that incur financial losses carrying out the government's grain purchasing and marketing program. The subsidies are provided by the Ministry of Finance. The subsidies are to guarantee food grains for urban residents, military forces, people suffering from natural disasters, and rural residents in disadvantaged regions. The grain is purchased by State Grain Agencies from farmers at a fixed, below-market, government-set, contract price (both quantity and price are specified in the contract). The grain is then distributed among the above-mentioned four categories of citizens at a "parity price" (equal to or less than government-set purchase price). The cost incurred in purchasing and marketing (such as transportation, storage and wages) results in financial losses for the State Grain Agencies. Therefore, the government budget includes a subsidy to compensate these agencies for the losses associated with this program. (2) A subsidy paid to the State Administration of Grain Reserves (SAGR), the agency managing the state grain buffer reserves. The grain buffer reserves were established to contribute to maintaining public food security. The buffer reserves are purchased using funds provided by the Ministry of Finance. The subsidies cover the cost of transportation, storage, and all other costs associated with managing and maintaining the grain buffer reserves. The grain buffer reserves are purchased and sold by the SAGR at market prices.

⁶ Low-Interest Loans for Purchasing and Stocking Grain for Food Security Purposes: Provide low-interest loans to the State Grain Agencies for purchasing and stocking grain for public food security. The loans are provided by the Agricultural Development Bank of China (ADBC) and the Ministry of Finance provides subsidies to the ADBC to cover its losses. Calculation detail: (normal interest rate - favored interest rate) * loan amount.

⁷ Food Subsidies: Food subsidies are direct payments used to mitigate the impact of inflation on urban consumer food purchases. The subsidies are aimed at preventing possible social disorder and currently remain only in a few large cities (Beijing, Tianjin, etc.). These direct payments are distributed monthly to individuals by their work unit at the same time as normal salaries are paid, and are not linked to specific food products or prices. The funds are provided by the Ministry of Finance.

⁸ Expenditures Supporting Agriculture to Less-Developed Regions: Provides low-interest loans and grants for fixed capital investments in agricultural infrastructure and related services through the Ministry of Finance.

⁹ Special Investment Assistance Program for Agriculture in Three Western Poverty Prefectures: Provides low-interest loans and grants for fixed capital investments in agricultural infrastructure and related services, through the Ministry of Finance and the Agricultural Development Bank of China, for three designated "Poverty Prefectures" (Dingxi and Hexi Prefectures, in Gansu Province, and Xihaigu Prefecture, in the Ningxia Minority Autonomous Region).

¹⁰ Financial Subsidies to Support Low-Interest Loans to Agriculture in Poor Regions: Provides subsidies for low-interest loans given by the Agricultural Development Bank of China (ADBC). The loans, targeted at improving agricultural infrastructure and related services, are managed and allocated under the government's official Poverty Elimination Program. The subsidies are provided to the ADBC by the Ministry of Finance.

Data Sources:

ABC (Agricultural Bank of China), Statistical Yearbook of China's Rural Finance and Banking.

MOF (Ministry of Finance of China), Finance Yearbook of China, 1995.

SSB (State Statistical Bureau of China), Statistical Yearbook of China, 1996.

SSTC (State Science and Technology Commission of China), Statistical Data Collection of Science and Technology, 1995.