

CUSTOMS REPORT

SPECIAL EDITION



Vehicles customs tax update

As per the Euro Mediterranean Association Agreement regulating the progressive exemption of customs rates on goods originating from Europe, EU- manufactured vehicles have been granted an additional %10 discount as of the 1st of January 2016. The new customs tax is thus as follows:

- Customs tax on cars up to 1599 CC will be %16 instead of %40
- Customs tax on cars above 1600 CC will be %54 instead of %135

It is expected that EU vehicles become %100 exempted from customs tax by the 1st of January 2019.

Customs tariff hike

We have announced in previous customs report editions that the customs tax will rise on some selected finished goods with the list being issued in presidential decree no. 2016/25 on 26 January 2016. The decree entered into force on the 1st of February 2016 (date amended by decree of the cabinet of ministers on the 1st of February 2016).

The list includes an average of 570 tariff line.

The main headings and sub-headings of the decree have been compiled below in a comparison table to illustrate the tax increase on each heading

Harmonized System code (HS Code)	Name	Before	After
WW	Cashew nuts Almonds Hazelnuts Walnut Chestnuts Pistachios	%10	%20
0803	Plantains (bananas)	%30	%40
0804	Pineapples & Avocado (only)	%20	%30
0806	Grapes, fresh or dried	%30	%40
0808	Fresh Apples and pears (only)	%30	%40
0809.40	Plums (including prunes and sloes)	%10	%20
0810.50	Kiwifruit	%10	%20
0811.90	Other berries	%10	%20

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.40/20/10	Dried Apricot/ dried prune/ other dried fruits	%20	%30
1701.12	Beet sugar	%2	%20
1701.13	Cane sugar	%2	%20
1701.14	Other cane sugar	%2	%20
1701.91	Containing added flavoring or coloring	%10	%20
1701.9990	others	%10	%20
2309.10	Dog or cat food, put up for retail sale	%30	%40
2401.10	Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped	EGP 6.1/ net kg	EGP 9/ net kg
3303	Perfumes and toilet waters	%30	%40
3304	Lip and eye make-up preparations Manicure or pedicure preparations Powders, whether or not compressed	%30	%40
3305	Shampoos Preparations for permanent waving or straightening Hair lacquers	%30	%40
3306	Dentifrice and dental floss	%30	%40
3307	Pre-shave, shaving or after-shave preparations, bath preparations, depilatories, deodorants and antiperspirants , "Agarbatti" and other odoriferous preparations which operate by burning	%30	%40
3401	Soap and shower gel	%30	%40
3402. 11/19/20/30	Washing and cleaning preparations	exempted	%40
3918	Floor coverings of plastics	%30	%40
3922	Baths, shower baths, sinks and washbasins Lavatory seats and covers	%30	%40
3924	Tableware, kitchenware, other household articles and hygienic or toilet articles, of plastic	%30	%40
3925	Windows and their frames, and thresholds for doors of plastics Shutters, blinds (including venetian blinds) of plastic	%30	%40
3926.40	Statuettes and other ornamental articles of plastic	%30	%40
4016	Floor coverings and mats from vulcanized rubber - Other inflatable articles	%30	%40

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4201	Saddlery and harness for any animal (including traces, leads, knee pads, muzzles, saddle cloths, saddle bags, dog coats and the like), of any material	%30	%40
4202	Luggage and suitcases of rubber, leather, textile, vulcanized fiber or paperboard	%30	%40
4203	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, of leather or of composition leather designed for sports	%30	%40
4304	Artificial Fur and articles thereof	%30	%40
4414	Wooden frames for paintings, photographs, mirrors or similar objects	%30	%40
4418	Builders' joinery and carpentry of wood, including cellular wood panels and assembled flooring panels; shingles and shakes	%20	%30
4419	Tableware and kitchenware, of wood	%30	%40
4420	Statuettes and other ornaments, of wood	%30	%40
4601	Plaits of bamboo	%30	%40
4814	Wallpaper and similar wall coverings; window transparencies of paper	%20	%30
4818	Toilet paper, napkin, handkerchief	%30	%40
4909	Postal Cards	%30	%40
4910	Calendars	%30	%40
4911	Photographs and pictures	%30	%40
61	Clothes and clothing accessories knitted	%30	%40
62	Clothes and clothing accessories other than knitted	%30	%40
63	Blankets (including electronic ones), bed and table sheets, curtains, tents, camping beds: of textiles	%30	%35
64	Shoes	%30	%40
65	Head covers and accessories	%30	%40
66	Umbrellas, sticks, canes & whips	%30	%40
6704	Wigs, beards, eyelashes, eyebrows: natural or artificial	%30	%40

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6802	Wall & floor covers: From marble, travertine or alabaster From granite	%20 %10	%30 %30
6907	Unglazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles; unglazed ceramic mosaic cubes and the like	%20	%30
6908	Glazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles; glazed ceramic mosaic cubes and the like	%20	%30
6910	Ceramic sinks, washbasins, washbasin pedestals, baths, bidets, water closet bowls, flush tanks, urinals and similar sanitary fixtures	%20	%30
6911	Tableware, kitchenware, other household articles and toilet articles, of porcelain or china	%30	%40
6912	Ceramic tableware, kitchenware, other household articles and toilet articles, other than of porcelain or china	%30	%40
6913	Statuettes and other ornamental ceramic articles	%30	%40
6914	Other articles from ceramic	%10	%20
7013	Glassware of a kind used for table, kitchen, toilet, office, indoor decoration or similar purposes	%30	%40
7117	Cufflinks: silver, golden, platinum plated and other metals		%40
7321	Stoves and boilers	%30	%40
7323	Household gloves, towels polish sponge from iron or steel	%30	%40
7610	Doors, windows and frames from aluminum		%40
7615	Household articles from aluminum	%30	%40
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7615	Household articles from aluminum	%30	%40
8210	Hand Operated mechanical appliances to prepare, condition or serve food or beverages from metal	%30	%40
8211	Knives with cutting blades from metal	%30	%40

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8212	Razors and razor blades from metal	%30	%40
8214	Paper cutters, letter-openers, scarpers, sharpeners, manicure and pedicure tools, nail files from metal	%30	%40
8215	Assortment for tables and kitchens of spoons, forks, ladles, skimmers, knives	%30	%40
8306.10	Bells & gongs from metal	%10	%30
8306.21	Statuettes plated with precious metal	%30	%40
8414	Air or vacuum pumps, air or other gas compressors and fans; ventilating or recycling hoods incorporating a fan for tables, floors and walls	%30	%40
8415	Air conditioning machines, comprising a motor-driven fan and elements for changing the temperature and humidity for windows and walls	%30	%40
8418	Refrigerators with integrated freezers	%30	%40
8419	Gas water heater	%30	%40
8422	Dishwashing machines	%30	%40
8450	Full automatic washing machines with or without dryers	%30	%40
8451	Machinery for washing, cleaning, wringing, drying, ironing, pressing (including fusing presses), bleaching, dyeing, dressing, finishing, coating or impregnating textile yarns and fabrics.	%30	%40
8508	Vacuum cleaners	%30	%40
8509	Food grinders, processors and mixers; fruit or vegetable juice extractors	%30	%40
8510	Electric razors, epilators and other hair removal and cutting devices	%30	%40
8516	Water heaters, premises and floor heaters, hair dryers...	%30	%40
8519	CD players	%30	%40
8527	Radios and recorders	%30	%40
8528.71	Projectors	%30	%40
8528.7210	Receivers	%5	%10

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8543	Decoders	%5	%10
91	Electronic Watches	%10	%30
9401	Bouncing chairs	%30	%40
9403	Office furniture from metal	%30	%40
9404	Mattress support	%30	%40
9405	Chandeliers and other electric ceiling or wall lighting fittings & side tables lamps	%30	%40
9504	Video games consoles	%30	%40
9603	Toothbrushes	%30	%40
9608	Pens	%30	%40
9609	Pencils and crayons	%30	%40
9613	Lighters	%30	%40
9614	Smoking pipes (including pipe bowls) and cigar or cigarette holders, and parts	%30	%40
9615	Combs, hairpins, curling pins, curling grips, hair-curlers and parts	%30	%40
9617	Vacuum flasks	%30	%40

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