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CHAPTER 12 OIL SEEDS AND OLEAGINOUS FRUITS; MISCELLANEOUS GRAINS, SEEDS AND FRUIT; INDUSTRIAL OR MEDICINAL PLANTS; STRAW AND FODDER

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Notes

1. Heading 1207 applies, inter alia, to palm nuts and kernels, cotton seeds, castor oil seeds, sesame seeds, mustard seeds, safflower seeds, poppy seeds and shea nuts (karite nuts). It does not apply to products of heading 0801 or 0802 or to olives (chapter 7 or chapter 20).
2. Heading 1208 applies not only to non-defatted flours and meals but also to flours and meals which have been partially defatted or defatted and wholly or partially refatted with their original oils. It does not, however, apply to residues of headings 2304 to 2306.
3. For the purposes of heading 1209, beet seeds, grass and other herbage seeds, seeds of ornamental flowers, vegetable seeds, seeds of forest trees, seeds of fruit trees, seeds of vetches (other than those of the species Vicia faba) or of lupines are to be regarded as "seeds of a kind used for sowing".

Heading 1209 does not, however, apply to the following even if for sowing:

- (a) Leguminous vegetables or sweet corn (chapter 7);
 - (b) Spices or other products of chapter 9;
 - (c) Cereals (chapter 10); or
 - (d) Products of headings 1201 to 1207 or of heading 1211.
4. Heading 1211 applies, inter alia, to the following plants or parts thereof: basil, borage, ginseng, hyssop, licorice, all species of mint, rosemary, rue, sage and wormwood.

Heading 1211 does not, however, apply to:

- (a) Medicaments of chapter 30;
 - (b) Perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations of chapter 33; or
 - (c) Insecticides, fungicides, herbicides, disinfectants or similar products of heading 3808.
5. For the purposes of heading 1212, the term "seaweeds and other algae" does not include:
 - (a) Dead single-cell microorganisms of heading 2102;
 - (b) Cultures of microorganisms of heading 3002; or
 - (c) Fertilizers of heading 3101 or 3105.

Subheading Note

1. For the purposes of subheading 1205.10, the expression "low erucic acid rape or colza seeds" means rape or colza seeds yielding a fixed oil which has an erucic acid content of less than 2 percent by weight and yielding a solid component which contains less than 30 micromoles of glucosinolates per gram.

Additional U.S. Note

1. No allowance in weight shall be made for dirt or other impurities in seed of any kind provided for in this chapter.

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2. The aggregate quantity of peanuts entered under subheadings 1202.10.40, 1202.20.40, 2008.11.25 and 2008.11.45 during the 12-month period from April 1 in any year through the following March 31, inclusive, shall not exceed the quantities specified herein (articles the product of Mexico shall not be permitted or included under this quantitative limitation and no such articles shall be classifiable therein).

	<u>Quantity</u> (metric tons)
	Entered in the 12-month period from April 1 in any year through the following March 31, inclusive
Argentina	43,901
Other countries or areas	9,005

For the purposes of this note, imports of peanuts in the shell shall be charged against the quantities in this note on the basis of 75 kilograms for each 100 kilograms of peanuts in the shell.

Imports of peanuts under this note are subject to such regulations as may be issued by the United States Trade Representative or other designated agency.

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Heading/ Subheading	Stat. Suf- fix	Article Description	Unit of Quantity	Rates of Duty		
				1		2
				General	Special	
1201.00.00		Soybeans, whether or not broken		Free		4.4¢/kg
	20	Seeds of a kind used for sowing	kg			
	30	Seeds of a kind used as oil stock	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1202		Peanuts (ground-nuts), not roasted or otherwise cooked, whether or not shelled or broken:				
1202.10		In shell:				
1202.10.05		Described in general note 15 of the tariff schedule and entered pursuant to its provisions		9.35¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	9.35¢/kg
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1202.10.40		Described in additional U.S. note 2 to this chapter and entered pursuant to its provisions		9.35¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO)	9.35¢/kg
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1202.10.80		Other <u>1/</u>		163.8%	See 9908.12.01 (IL) See 9909.12.05, 9909.12.20 (JO) See 9906.12.01- 9906.12.03 (MX)	192.7%
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1202.20		Shelled, whether or not broken:				
1202.20.05		Described in general note 15 of the tariff schedule and entered pursuant to its provisions		6.6¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	15.4¢/kg
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1202.20.40		Described in additional U.S. note 2 to this chapter and entered pursuant to its provisions		6.6¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO)	15.4¢/kg
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1202.20.80		Other <u>1/</u>		131.8%	See 9908.12.01 (IL) See 9909.12.05, 9909.12.40 (JO) See 9906.12.04- 9906.12.06 (MX)	155%
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1203.00.00	00	Copra	kg	Free		Free
1204.00.00		Flaxseed (linseed), whether or not broken		0.39¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	2.55¢/kg
	10	For sowing	kg			
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1205		Rape or colza seeds, whether or not broken:				
1205.10.00		Low erucic acid rape or colza seeds		0.58¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	4.4¢/kg
	10	For sowing	kg			
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1205.90.00		Other		0.58¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	4.4¢/kg
	10	For sowing	kg			
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
	90	Other	kg			

1/ See subheadings 9904.12.01-9904-12.19.

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				1		2
				General	Special	
1206.00.00		Sunflower seeds, whether or not broken		Free		4.4¢/kg
	20	For use as oil stock	kg			
		For sowing:				
	35	For oil stock	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
		Other:				
		For human use:				
	61	In-shell	kg			
	69	Other	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1207		Other oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, whether or not broken:				
1207.10.00	00	Palm nuts and kernels	kg	Free		Free
1207.20.00		Cotton seeds		0.47¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	0.73¢/kg
	10	For sowing	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1207.30.00	00	Castor beans	kg	Free		1.1¢/kg
1207.40.00	00	Sesame seeds	kg	Free		2.6¢/kg
1207.50.00	00	Mustard seeds	kg	Free		4.4¢/kg
1207.60.00	00	Safflower seeds	kg	Free		Free
		Other:				
1207.91.00	00	Poppy seeds	kg	0.06¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	0.7¢/kg
1207.99.01		Other		Free		Free
	10	Niger seed	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1208		Flours and meals of oil seeds or oleaginous fruits, other than those of mustard:				
1208.10.00	00	Of soybeans	kg	1.9%	Free (A+,CA,D,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	20%
1208.90.00	00	Other	kg	1.4%	Free (A+,CA,D,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	20%

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Heading/ Subheading	Stat. Suf- fix	Article Description	Unit of Quantity	Rates of Duty		
				1		2
				General	Special	
1209		Seeds, fruits and spores of a kind used for sowing:				
1209.10.00	00	Sugar beet seed	kg	Free		Free
		Seeds of forage plants:				
1209.21.00		Alfalfa (lucerne) seed		1.5¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J, JO,MX)	17.6¢/kg
	20	Certified	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1209.22		Clover (<i>Trifolium</i> spp.) seed:				
1209.22.20	00	White and ladino	kg	1.6¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	13¢/kg
1209.22.40		Other		Free		18¢/kg
	20	Alsike	kg			
	30	Crimson	kg			
		Red:				
	41	Double cut	kg			
	49	Other	kg			
	60	Sweet	kg			
	95	Other	kg			
1209.23.00		Fescue seed		Free		4.4¢/kg
	20	Tall	kg			
		Creeping red:				
	31	Certified	kg			
	39	Other	kg			
	60	Meadow	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1209.24.00	00	Kentucky blue grass (<i>Poa pratensis</i> L.) seed	kg	1.2¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	11¢/kg
1209.25.00		Rye grass (<i>Lolium multiflorum</i> Lam., <i>Lolium</i> <i>perenne</i> L.) seed		1.4¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	6.6¢/kg
	20	Annual	kg			
	40	Perennial	kg			
1209.26.00		Timothy grass seed		Free		4.4¢/kg
	10	Certified	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1209.29		Other:				
1209.29.10	00	Beet	kg	Free		9¢/kg
1209.29.90		Other		Free		8%
	20	Bent grass (genus <i>Agrostis</i>)	kg			
		Bermuda grass for sowing:				
	25	Husked	kg			
	26	Other	kg			
	30	Birdsfoot trefoil	kg			
		Bromegrass:				
	36	Meadow	kg			
	37	Smooth	kg			
	38	Other	kg			
	40	Orchard grass	kg			
	60	Sudan grass	kg			
		Wheatgrass:				
	71	Crested	kg			
	74	Other	kg			
	76	Wild rye	kg			
	79	Other grass	kg			
	96	Other	kg			

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				1		2
				General	Special	
1209 (con.) 1209.30.00		Seeds, fruits and spores of a kind used for sowing (con.): Seeds of herbaceous plants cultivated principally for their flowers		1¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J, JO,MX)	13.2¢/kg
	10	Petunia	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1209.91		Other: Vegetable seeds:				
1209.91.10	00	Cauliflower	kg	5.9¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	55¢/kg
1209.91.20	00	Celery	kg	Free		4.4¢/kg
1209.91.40	00	Onion	kg	Free		33¢/kg
1209.91.50	00	Parsley	kg	0.68¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E, IL,J,JO,MX)	4.4¢/kg
1209.91.60		Pepper		Free		33¢/kg
	10	Sweet pepper	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1209.91.80		Other		1.5¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J, JO,MX)	13.2¢/kg
	05	Broccoli	kg			
		Cabbage:				
	08	Green cabbage	kg			
	09	Other	kg			
	10	Carrot	kg			
	20	Radish	kg			
	30	Spinach	kg			
	40	Cucumber	kg			
	45	Kale	kg			
	47	Kohlrabi	kg			
	50	Lettuce	kg			
	54	Parsnip	kg			
	55	Pumpkin	kg			
	60	Squash	kg			
	70	Tomato	kg			
	74	Turnip	kg			
	90	Other	kg			
1209.99		Other:				
1209.99.20	00	Tree and shrub	kg	Free		17.6¢/kg
1209.99.40		Other		0.83¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J, JO,MX)	13.2¢/kg
	20	Cantaloupe	kg			
	40	Watermelon	kg			
	70	Tobacco	kg			
	75	Other melon	kg			
	90	Other	kg			

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				1		2
				General	Special	
1210		Hop cones, fresh or dried, whether or not ground, powdered or in the form of pellets; lupulin:				
1210.10.00	00	Hop cones, neither ground nor powdered nor in the form of pellets	kg	13.2¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	53¢/kg
1210.20.00		Hop cones, ground, powdered or in the form of pellets; lupulin		13.2¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	53¢/kg
	20	Hop cone pellets	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1211		Plants and parts of plants (including seeds and fruits), of a kind used primarily in perfumery, in pharmacy or for insecticidal, fungicidal or similar purposes, fresh or dried, whether or not cut, crushed or powdered:				
1211.10.00	00	Licorice roots	kg	Free		Free
1211.20.00		Ginseng roots		Free		Free
	20	Cultivated	kg			
	40	Wild	kg			
1211.30.00	00	Coca leaf	kg	Free		Free
1211.40.00	00	Poppy straw	kg	Free		Free
1211.90		Other:				
		Mint leaves:				
1211.90.20	00	Crude or not manufactured	kg	Free		Free
1211.90.40		Other		4.8%	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	25%
	20	Herbal teas and herbal infusions (single species, unmixed)	kg			
	40	Other	kg			
1211.90.60	00	Tonka beans	kg	6.6¢/kg	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	55¢/kg
1211.90.90		Other		Free		Free
		Substances having anesthetic, prophylactic or therapeutic properties and principally used as medicaments or as ingredients in medicaments:				
	20	Psyllium seed husks	kg			
	31	Other	kg			
	40	Basil	kg			
	50	Sage	kg			
		Other:				
	80	Herbal teas and herbal infusions (single species, unmixed)	kg			
	90	Other	kg			

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				General	Special	
1212		Locust beans, seaweeds and other algae, sugar beet and sugar cane, fresh, chilled, frozen or dried, whether or not ground; fruit stones and kernels and other vegetable products (including unroasted chicory roots of the variety <i>Cichorium intybus sativum</i>) of a kind used primarily for human consumption, not elsewhere specified or included:				
1212.10.00	00	Locust beans, including locust bean seeds	kg	Free		Free
1212.20.00	00	Seaweeds and other algae	kg	Free		Free
1212.30		Apricot, peach (including nectarine) or plum stones and kernels:				
1212.30.10	00	Nectarine	kg	Free		4.4¢/kg
1212.30.90	00	Other	kg	1.5¢/kg	Free (A+,CA,D,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	6.6¢/kg
1212.91.00	00	Other: Sugar beet	t	39.7¢/t	Free (A+,CA,D,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	88.2¢/t
1212.99		Other:				
1212.99.10	00	Sugar cane	t	\$1.24/t	Free (A,CA,E,IL,J,MX) 31¢/t (JO)	\$2.76/t
1212.99.90	00	Other	kg	Free		4.4¢/kg
1213.00.00	00	Cereal straw and husks, unprepared, whether or not chopped, ground, pressed or in the form of pellets	t	Free		\$1.65/t
1214		Rutabagas (swedes), mangolds, fodder roots, hay, alfalfa (lucerne), clover, sainfoin, forage kale, lupines, vetches and similar forage products, whether or not in the form of pellets:				
1214.10.00		Alfalfa (lucerne) meal and pellets		1.4%	Free (A+,CA,D,E,IL,J,JO,MX)	20%
		Dehydrated:				
	10	Cubes	t			
	15	Other	t			
		Other:				
		Sun-cured:				
	30	Cubes	t			
	50	Other	t			
	60	Other	t			
1214.90.00		Other		Free		\$5.51/t
		Hay:				
	10	Alfalfa, whether or not double compressed	t			
	18	Timothy	t			
	25	Other	t			
	30	Clover	t			
	90	Other	t			