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Report Highlights:

RE-SUBMISSION (Re-classified as Voluntary report).

Turkey's 2007 Tariff Schedule was published in the Official Gazette on December 30, 2006, and entered into force on January 1, 2007. The Tariff Schedule is prepared by the Foreign Trade Undersecretariat and approved by the Council of Ministers. Most of the agricultural products' tariff rates remain unchanged. As previously reported in GAIN report TU6013, the tariff rates for soybeans and soybean meal have increased from zero to ten percent and from eight to 13.5 percent, respectively.

Includes PSD Changes: No
Includes Trade Matrix: No
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Most of the agricultural products can be found in the first list of the Schedule, listed in ascending order of their twelve digit HS Codes. For the 2007 Tariff Schedule, the majority of the duties on agricultural products remain the same as the previous year. Crustaceans, soybeans and soybean meal are the only commodities with tariff rate increases. The tariff rate for soybean meal increased both in 2006 and in 2007. As reported in GAIN report TU6013, soybean duties increased from zero to ten percent, and the soybean meal duties increased from eight to 13.5 percent. The tariff rate for Crustaceans increased from 30 to 37.5 percent.

The duty rates for major imported agricultural products, especially from the United States, for the years of 2006 and 2007 are listed below. Post has prepared the list distinguishing the tariff rates for EU and EFTA Countries from Other Countries, like FTU has done it.

Commodity	HS Code	2006 Duty		2007 Duty	
		EU&EFTA	Others	EU&EFTA	Others
HS 1 Live Animals & Products					
Breeding Cattle	0102.10	0	0	0	0
HS 2 Meat & Edible Meat Offal					
Bovine Carcass	0201.10	225	225	225	225
Bovine Cuts Bone in	0201.20	225	225	225	225
Bovine Cuts Boneless	0201.30	225	225	225	225
Bovine Carcass (Frozen)	0202.10	225	225	225	225
Bovine Cuts Bone in (Frozen)	0202.20	225	225	225	225
Bovine Cuts Boneless (Frozen)	0202.30	225	225	225	225
HS 3 Fish & Crustaceans¹					
Fish Fillets Frozen	0304	0	30	0	30
Crustaceans	0306	0	30	0	37.5
HS 4 Dairy Products					
Milk and Cream	0402	150	150	150	150
Whey, Natural Milk	0404	65	67	65	67
Butter, Fats, Milk	0405	140	140	140	140
HS 5 Products of Animal Origin					
Cattle Semen	0511.10	0	0	0	0
Cattle Embryo	0511.99.90.90.18	0	0	0	0
HS 7 Edible Vegetables					
Peas, Others	0713.10.10.00.19	0	0	0	0
Kidney Beans, Seeds	0713.33.10.00.00	0	0	0	0
Kidney Beans, Others	0713.33.90.00.00	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.3
Green Lentils	0713.40.00.00.12	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.3
Red Lentils	0713.40.00.00.13	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.3
Kidney Bean	0713.90.00.00.15	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.3

HS 8 Edible Fruits and Nuts					
Almonds in Shell	0802.11.10.00.00	43.2	43.2	43.2	43.2
Almonds no Shell	0802.12.10.00.00	43.2	43.2	43.2	43.2
Walnuts in Shell	0802.31.00.00.00	43.2	43.2	43.2	43.2
Walnuts no Shell	0802.32.00.00.00	43.2	43.2	43.2	43.2
HS 10 Cereals					
Wheat					
--drum	1001.10.00.00.19	100	100	100	100
--milling	1001.90.99.00.11	130	130	130	130
Barley	1003	100	100	100	100
Corn	1005.90	130	130	130	130
Rice					
--paddy	1006.10	34	34	34	34
--brown	1006.20	36	36	36	36
--milled	1006.30	45	45	45	45
Sorghum	1007.00.90	130	130	130	130
HS 12 Oil Seeds and Oleaginous Fruits					
Soybeans	1201.00.90	0 ²	0 ²	10	10
Sunflowers, other	1206.00.91.00.19	27 (MIN 75 EUR/MT)	36 ³ (MIN 75 EUR/MT)	27	45 ⁴
Sunflowers, confectionary	1206.00.99.00.11	27	27	27	27
Soyflour	1208.10.00.00.11 1208.10.00.00.12	23 23	23 23	23 23	23 23
HS 15 Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils					
Tallow	1502.00.90.00.11	4	4	4	4
Soybean Oil					
--crude	1507.10.90	31.2	31.2	31.2	31.2
--refined	1507.90.90	31.2	31.2	31.2	31.2
Palm Oil	1511.10.90	12	12	12	12
--crude	1511.90.19.00.19	31.2	31.2	31.2	31.2
--refined	1511.90.99.00.11 1511.90.99.00.19	31.2 31.2	31.2 31.2	31.2 31.2	31.2 31.2
Sunflower Oil					
--crude	1512.11.91	36(MIN 200 EUR/MT)	54 ⁵ (MIN 200 EUR/MT)	36	60 ⁶
--refined	1512.19.90.00.11	50	50	50	50
Cotton Oil					
--crude	1512.21.90				
--refined	1512.29.90	31.2	31.2	31.2	31.2
Corn Oil					
--crude	1515.21.90				
--refined	1515.29.90	31.2	31.2	31.2	31.2

HS Code 17 Sugars & Sugar Confectionary					
Sugar	1701	135	135	135	135
Glucose and Glucose Syrup (w/o or <20 fructose)	1702.30.51				
	1702.30.59				
	1702.30.91				
	1702.30.99	135 ⁷	135 ⁷	135 ⁷	135 ⁷
Other Commodities					
Canned Vegetables	2004	39	39	39	39
Fruit Juices	2009	58.5	58.5	58.5	58.5
Food preparations	2104	0	11.5	0	11.5
Syrup(glucose, isoglucose lactose, malto dextran)	2106.90.30				
	2106.90.51				
	2106.90.55				
	2106.90.59	58.5	58.5	58.5	58.5
Beer	2203	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt
Wine	2204.21; 2204.29	50	70	50	70
Whiskey	2208.30	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt
Feed meals (livestock, poultry, fish origin)	2301	0	2	0	2
Soybean meal	2304	8 ⁸	8	13.5 ⁸	13.5
Pet food	2309.10	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Hides & skins	4101, 4102, 4103	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt
Logs	4403	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt
Cotton	5201	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt

1/ Importers need to pay an additional fund for these commodities under the name "Collective Housing Fund".

1/ For Frozen fish, fund is 9% CIF Amount for EU and 19% CIF amount for Other Countries.

1/ For Crustaceans, fund is 17.5% CIF Amount for Other Countries and 5.5 or 0% for EU Countries.

2/ The duty was 4% between August 1, 2006 and October 31, 2006.

3/The duty was 27% min 75 EUR/MT for WTO member countries

4/The duty is 27% for WTO member countries

5/The duty is 36% min 200 EUR/MT for WTO member countries

6/The duty is 36% for WTO member countries

7/50% less duty will be applied if the commodity is imported for the production of good under HS Code 1704(Sugar product no cocoa) and 1806(Food Products containing chocolate and cocoa)

8/The duty is zero for imports from the EU countries.