



**COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 1420/1999
of 29 April 1999**

**establishing common rules and procedures to apply to shipments to
certain non-OECD countries of certain types of waste**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Articles 113 and 130s(1) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee ⁽²⁾,

Acting in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 189c of the Treaty ⁽³⁾,

- (1) Whereas Article 1(3)(a) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 259/93 of 1 February 1993 on the supervision and control of shipments of waste within, into and out of the European Community ⁽⁴⁾ excludes from the scope of application of that Regulation shipments of waste destined for recovery only and listed in Annex II thereto, except as provided for in, *inter alia*, Article 17(1), (2) and (3);
- (2) Whereas, in accordance with Article 17(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 259/93, the Commission has notified to every country to which the OECD Council Decision of 30 March 1992 on the control of transfrontier movements of waste destined for recovery operation does not apply the list of waste set out in Annex II to the said Regulation and has requested confirmation that such waste is not subject to control in the country of destination, or has asked that such countries indicate whether such waste should be subject to the control procedures which apply to waste listed in Annex III or IV to the said Regulation or to the procedure laid down in Article 15 thereof;
- (3) Whereas certain countries have indicated that such waste should be subject to one or other of those control procedures and the Commission on 20 July 1994, pursuant to the provisions of Article 17(3) of the said Regulation adopted Decision 94/575/EC ⁽⁵⁾ to determine the appropriate control procedures;
- (4) Whereas the second subparagraph of Article 17(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 259/93 provides that if such confirmation is not received, the Commission is to make appropriate proposals to the Council; whereas it is therefore necessary to establish, on a Community-wide basis, a system to regulate trade in such waste from the Community by establishing the appropriate common rules and procedures relating to exports thereof;
- (5) Whereas, in the case of countries which have replied that they do not wish to receive some or all types of waste listed in Annex II to the said Regulation, their will must be respected and therefore those types of waste cannot be exported to those countries;
- (6) Whereas, in the case of countries which have not replied, silence cannot be taken as implying consent and therefore it is appropriate to adopt a similar regulatory framework in order to enable

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 214, 10.7.1998, p. 74.

⁽²⁾ Opinion delivered on 29 April 1998 (OJ C 169, 16.6.1999).

⁽³⁾ Opinion of the European Parliament of 17 July 1997 (OJ C 286, 22.9.1997, p. 23), Council common position of 4 June 1998 (OJ C 333, 30.10.1998, p. 1) and Decision of the European Parliament of 9 February 1999 (OJ C 250, 28.5.1999).

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 30, 6.2.1993, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 120/97 (OJ L 22, 24.1.1997, p.14).

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 220, 25.8.1994, p. 15.

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such countries to evaluate such shipments on a case-by-case basis;

- (7) Whereas, in the case of countries which have replied that they do not wish to receive some or all types of waste listed in Annex II or have not replied, the possibility exists that they will change their position, or will reply in the future, and a mechanism must, therefore, exist within a comitology procedure, to change this Regulation;
- (8) Whereas the Commission will, as soon as possible and at the latest before 1 July 1998, review and amend Annex V to Regulation (EEC) No 259/93 taking into full consideration those wastes featuring on the list of wastes adopted in accordance with Article 1(4) of Council Directive 91/689/EEC of 12 December 1991 on hazardous waste ⁽¹⁾, and any list of wastes characterised as hazardous for the purposes of the Basel Convention, and will adapt Regulation (EEC) No 259/93 accordingly;
- (9) Whereas the Commission should provide information to countries covered by this Regulation on changes to Annexes A and B on a regular basis;
- (10) Whereas with regard to shipments to ACP countries, Article 39 of the Fourth ACP-EC Convention prohibits exports of all waste listed in Annexes I and II of the Basel Convention; whereas, furthermore, certain items of such waste can be found in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 259/93; whereas, in these circumstances and in order to respect the Community's international obligations shipments of such items to ACP countries have to be prohibited;
- (11) Whereas it must be made clear that such items are excluded from the scope of this Regulation;
- (12) Whereas the arrangements covered by this Regulation should be subject to periodic review by the Commission,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The export of waste listed in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 259/93 and mentioned in Annex A to this Regulation to countries listed in said Annex A shall be prohibited.

Article 2

The control procedure laid down in Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 259/93 shall apply to exports to the countries listed in Annex B to this Regulation with respect to those categories of waste destined for recovery only and listed in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 259/93.

Article 3

1. Upon request by the country of destination the control procedure applicable to that country under this Regulation shall be amended in accordance with this Article.
2. The Commission shall determine, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 18 of Council Directive 75/442/EEC of 15 July 1975 on waste ⁽²⁾, and in cooperation with the country concerned, which of the control procedures shall apply, that is to say:

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 377, 31.12.11, p. 20. Directive amended by Directive 94/31 /EC (OJ L 168, 2.7.1994, p. 28).

⁽²⁾ OJ L 194, 25.7.1975, p. 39. Directive as last amended by Commission Decision 96/350/EC (OJ L 135, 6.6.1996, p. 32).

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- (i) the procedure applicable to wastes listed in Annex III or Annex IV to Regulation (EEC) No 259/93, or
- (ii) the procedure laid down in Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 259/93, or
- (iii) none of the procedures referred to in paragraphs (i) and (ii) above.

3. The Commission shall inform the Member States of the change of position of a country of destination within 21 days of receipt of the request from that country and shall submit its proposed determination to the Committee established under said Article 18 of Directive 75/442/EEC as soon as possible within three months of receipt of the request.

4. Furthermore, where there is any other exceptional change of circumstances, for example, war, natural disaster or a trade embargo decided by the United Nations, which would affect the control procedure applicable under this Regulation, this control procedure may be amended. The Commission may determine, after consultation with the country of destination, as appropriate, and in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 18 of Directive 75/442/EEC, which of the procedures referred to in paragraph 2 of this Article shall apply.

5. The Commission shall, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 18 of Directive 75/442/EEC, regularly review Annexes A and B of this Regulation, in order to bring them into line with the amendments made to the Annexes to Regulation (EEC) No 259/93.

Article 4

The control procedures established by this Regulation shall be subject to periodic review by the Commission and for the first time no later than nine months following its publication in the Official Journal, taking into account the experience gained. If the results of the review lead to the conclusion that it would be appropriate, the Commission may, without prejudice to the provisions of Article 3, make new proposals to the Council.

Article 5

The Commission, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 18 of Directive 75/442/EEC, shall, as soon as possible, review and amend this Regulation in order to bring it into line with Regulation (EEC) No 259/93.

Article 6

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 90th day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

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ANNEX A

Countries and territories which have indicated to the Commission that they do not wish to receive shipments for recovery of certain types of waste listed in Annex II to Council Regulation (EEC) No 259/93

ALBANIA

All types except:

1. In Section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, no-dispersible form'):

(a) the following ferrous waste and scrap of iron and steel:

GA 040	7204 10	Waste and scrap of cast iron
GA 050	7204 21	Waste and scrap of stainless steel
GA 060	7204 29	Waste and scrap of other alloy steels
GA 070	7204 30	Waste and scrap of tinned iron or steel
GA 080	7204 41	Turnings, shavings, chips, milling waste, filings, trimmings and stampings, whether or not in bundles
GA 090	7204 49	Other ferrous scrap and waste
GA 100	7204 50	Remelting scrap ingots
GA 110	ex 7302 10	Used iron and steel rails

(b) the following waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

GA 120	7404 00	Copper waste and scrap
GA 150	7802 00	Lead waste and scrap
GA 160	7902 00	Zinc waste and scrap
GA 170	8002 00	Tin waste and scrap.

2. All types included in section GB ('Metal bearing wastes arising from melting, smelting and refining of metals'):

3. All types included in section GE ('Glass waste in non-dispersible form').

4. In section GG ('Other wastes containing principally inorganic constituents, which may contain metals and organic materials'):

GG 080	ex 2621 00	Slag from copper production, chemically stabilised, having a high iron content (above 20 %) and processed according to industrial specifications (e.g. DIN 4301 and DIN 8201) mainly for construction and abrasive applications.
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5. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes').

6. In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 020	5103	Waste of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair, including yarn waste but excluding garnetted stock:
GJ 021	5103 10	— Noils of wool or of fine animal hair
GJ 022	5103 20	— Other waste of wool or of fine animal hair
GJ 023	5103 30	— Waste of coarse animal hair
GJ 030	5202	Cotton waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock):
GJ 031	5202 10	— Yarn waste (including thread waste)
GJ 032	5202 91	— Garnetted stock
GJ 033	5202 99	— Other.

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ANDORRA

All types

ANTIGUA and BARBUDA

All types

ARUBA

All types

BAHAMAS

All types

BARBADOS

All types

BELIZE

All types

BHUTAN

All types

BOLIVIA

All types

BOTSWANA

All types

BRAZIL

All types except:

1. In Section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form'):

(a) the following ferrous waste and scrap of iron and steel:

GA 040	7204 10	Waste and scrap of cast iron
GA 050	7204 21	Waste and scrap of stainless steel
GA 060	7204 29	Waste and scrap of other alloy steels
GA 070	7204 30	Waste and scrap of tinned iron or steel
GA 080	7204 41	Turnings, shavings, chips, milling waste, filings, trimmings and stampings, whether or not in bundles
GA 090	7204 49	Other ferrous scrap and waste
GA 100	7204 50	Remelting scrap ingots

(b) the following waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

GA 120	7404 00	Copper waste and scrap
GA 130	7503 00	Nickel waste and scrap
GA 140	7602 00	Aluminium waste and scrap
GA 150	7802 00	Lead waste and scrap
GA 160	7902 00	Zinc waste and scrap
GA 170	8002 00	Tin waste and scrap
GA 180	ex 8101 91	Tungsten waste and scrap
GA 190	ex 8102 91	Molybdenum waste and scrap
GA 200	ex 8103 10	Tantalum waste and scrap
GA 210	8104 20	Magnesium waste and scrap (excluding those listed in AA 190) (*)
GA 220	ex 8105 10	Cobalt waste and scrap
GA 230	ex 8106 00	Bismuth waste and scrap

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GA 240	ex 8107 10	Cadmium waste and scrap
GA 250	ex 8108 10	Titanium waste and scrap
GA 260	ex 8109 10	Zirconium waste and scrap
GA 270	ex 8110 00	Antimony waste and scrap
GA 280	ex 8111 00	Manganese waste and scrap
GA 290	ex 8112 11	Beryllium waste and scrap
GA 300	ex 8112 20	Chromium waste and scrap
GA 310	ex 8112 30	Germanium waste and scrap
GA 320	ex 8112 40	Vanadium waste and scrap
	ex 8112 91	Waste and scrap of:
GA 330		— Hafnium
GA 340		— Indium
GA 350		— Niobium
GA 360		— Rhenium
GA 370		— Gallium
GA 400	ex 2804 90	Selenium waste and scrap
GA 410	ex 2804 50	Tellurium waste and scrap
GA 420	ex 2805 30	Rare earth waste and scrap

(*) See Annex III of Commission Decision 98/368/EC of 18 May 1998 (OJ L 165, 10.6.1998, p. 20).

2. In section GB ('Metal bearing wastes arising from melting, smelting and refining of metals'):

GB 040	ex 2620 90	Slags from precious metals and copper processing for further refining
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3. In section GC ('Other wastes containing metals')

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GC 070 [...]	ex 2619 00	Slag arising from the manufacture of iron and carbon steel (including low alloy steel) excluding those slags which have been specifically produced to meet both national and relevant international requirements and standards (*)
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(*) This entry covers the use of such slags as a source of titanium dioxide and vanadium.

4. In section GD ('Wastes from mining operations: these wastes to be in non-dispersible form').

GD 040	ex 2529 30	Leucite, nepheline and nepheline syenite waste
GD 050	ex 2529 10	Feldspar waste
GD 060	ex 2529 21	Fluorspar waste
	ex 2529 22	

5. In section GG ('Other wastes containing principally inorganic constituents, which may contain metals and organic materials')

GG 030	ex 2621	Bottom ash and slag tap from coal-fired power plants
GG 040	ex 2621	Coal-fired power plants fly ash
GG 060	ex 2803	Spent activated carbon, resulting from the treatment of potable water and processes of the food industry and vitamin production
GG 080	ex 2621 00	Slag from copper production, chemically stabilised, having a high iron content (above 20 %) and processed according to industrial specifications (e.g. DIN 4301 and DIN 8201) mainly for construction and abrasive applications
GG 100		Limestone from the production of calcium cyanamide (having a pH less than 9)

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6. In section GH ('Solid plastic wastes'):

GH 013	ex 3915 30	Waste, parings and scrap of plastics of — Polymers of vinyl chloride
GH 015	ex 3915 90	Waste, parings and scrap of plastics of — Resins or condensation products, for example: — Urea formaldehyde resins — Phenol formaldehyde resins — Melamine formaldehyde resins — Epoxy resins — Alkyd resins — Polyamides

7. In section GJ ('Textile wastes')

GJ 050	ex 5302 90	Tow and waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) of true hemp (<i>Cannabis sativa</i> L.)
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8. In section GK ('Rubber wastes'):

GK 020	4012 20	Used pneumatic tyres
GK 030	ex 4017 00	Waste and scrap of hard rubber (for example, ebonite)

9. In section GO ('Other wastes containing principally organic constituents, which may contain metals and inorganic materials'):

GO 040		Waste photographic film base and photographic film not containing silver
GO 050		Single-use cameras without batteries

BULGARIA

All types except:

1. In Section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form'):

(a) The following waste and scrap of precious metals and their alloys:

GA 010	ex 7112 10	— of gold
GA 030	ex 7112 90	— of other precious metals, e.g. silver

N.B.: Mercury is specifically excluded as a contaminant of these metals or their alloys or amalgams

(b) The following ferrous waste and scrap of iron or steel:

GA 040	7204 10	Waste and scrap of cast iron
GA 060	7204 29	Waste and scrap of other alloy steels
GA 070	7204 30	Waste and scrap of tinned iron or steel
GA 080	7204 41	Turnings, shavings, chips, milling waste, filings, trimmings and stampings, whether or not in bundles
GA 090	7204 49	Other ferrous waste and scrap
GA 100	7204 50	Re-melting scrap ingots
GA 110	ex 7302 10	Used iron and steel rails

(c) The following waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

GA 120	7404 00	Copper waste and scrap
GA 140	7602 00	Aluminium waste and scrap
GA 150	7802 00	Lead waste and scrap
GA 160	7902 00	Zinc waste and scrap
GA 170	8002 00	Tin waste and scrap

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2. In section GB ('Metal bearing wastes arising from melting, smelting and refining of metals'):

GB 010	2620 11	Hard zinc spelter
GB 020		Zinc containing drosses:
GB 021		— Galvanising slab zinc top dross (> 90 % Zn)
GB 022		— Galvanising slab zinc bottom dross (> 92 % Zn)
GB 023		— Zinc die cast dross (> 85 % Zn)
GB 024		— Hot dip galvanisers slab zinc dross (batch) (> 92 % Zn)
GB 025		— Zinc skimmings
GB 030		Aluminium skimmings
GB 040	ex 2620 90	Slags from precious metals and copper processing for further refining

3. In section GC ('Other wastes containing metals')

GC 060		Spent metal bearing catalysts containing any of:
		— Precious metals: gold, silver
		— Platinum-group metals: ruthenium, rhodium, palladium, osmium, iridium, platinum
		— Transition metals: scandium, vanadium, manganese, cobalt, copper, yttrium, niobium, hafnium, tungsten, titanium, chromium, iron, nickel, zinc, zirconium, molybdenum, tantalum, rhenium
		— Lanthanides (rare earth metals): lanthanum, praeosodymium, samarium, gadolinium, dysprosium, erbium, ytterbium, cerium, neodymium, europium, terbium, holmium, thulium, lutetium

4. In section GH ('Solid plastic wastes'):

GH 010	3915	Waste, parings and scrap of plastics of:
GH 011	ex 3915 10	— Polymers of ethylene
GH 012	ex 3915 20	— Polymers of styrene
GH 013	ex 3915 30	— Polymers of vinyl chloride
GH 014	ex 3915 90	— Polymerised or co-polymers: for example:
		— Polypropylene
		— Polyethylene terephthalate
		— Acrylonitrile copolymer
		— Butadiene copolymer
		— Styrene copolymer
		— Polyamides
		— Polybutylene terephthalates
		— Polycarbonates
		— Polyphenylene sulphides
		— Acrylic polymers
		— Paraffins (C10-C13) (*)
		— Polyurethane (not containing chlorofluorocarbons)
		— Polysiloxanes (silicones)
		— Polymethyl methacrylate
		— Polyvinyl alcohol
		— Polyvinyl butyral
		— Polyvinyl acetate
		— Polymers of fluorinated ethylene (Teflon, PTFE)

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(*) These cannot be polymerised and are used as plasticisers.

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5. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes').

BURKINA FASO

All types except:

All types in section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible⁽¹⁾ from')

CAMEROON

All types except:

1. In section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form')

(a) The following waste and scrap of precious metals and their alloys:

GA 010	ex 7112 10	— Of gold
GA 020	ex 7112 20	— Of platinum (the expression 'platinum' includes platinum, iridium, osmium, palladium, rhodium and ruthenium)
GA 030	ex 7112 90	— Of other precious metals, e.g. silver

N.B. Mercury is specifically excluded as a contaminant of these metals or their alloys or amalgams

(b) The following ferrous waste and scrap of iron or steel:

GA 040	7204 10	— Waste and scrap of cast iron
GA 050	7204 21	— Waste and scrap of stainless steel
GA 060	7204 29	— Waste and scrap of other alloy steels
GA 070	7204 30	— Waste and scrap of tined iron or steel
GA 080	7204 41	— Turnings, shavings, chips, milling waste, filings, trimmings and stampings, whether or not in bundles
GA 090	7204 49	— Other ferrous waste and scrap
GA 100	7204 50	— Re-melting scrap ingots
GA 110	ex 7302 10	— Used iron and steel rails
GA 120	7404 00	Copper waste and scrap
GA 130	7503 00	Nickel waste and scrap
GA 150	7802 00	Lead waste and scrap
GA 160	7902 00	Zinc waste and scrap
GA 170	8002 00	Tin waste and scrap
GA 210	8104 20	Magnesium waste and scrap (excluding those listed in AA 190) (*)
GA 220	ex 8105 10	Cobalt waste and scrap
GA 280	ex 8111 00	Manganese waste and scrap
GA 300	ex 8112 20	Chromium waste and scrap

(*) See Annex III of Decision 98/368/EC.

2. In section GB ('Metal bearing wastes arising from melting, smelting and refining of metals')

GB 050	ex 2620 90	Tantalum bearing tin slags with less than 0,5 % tin
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3. In section GC ('Other wastes containing metals')

GC 030	ex 8908 00	Vessels and other floating structures for breaking up, properly emptied of any cargo and other materials arising from the operation of the vessel which may have been classified as a
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⁽¹⁾ "Non-dispersible" does not include any wastes in the form of powder, sludge, dust or solid items containing encased hazardous waste liquids.

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- dangerous substance or waste
- GC 040 Motor vehicle wrecks, drained of liquids
4. In section GE ('Glass waste in non-dispersible form')
- GE 010 ex 7001 00 Cullet and other waste and scrap of glass except for glass from cathode-ray tubes and other activated glasses
5. In section GF ('Ceramic wastes in non-dispersible form')
- GF 010 Ceramic wastes which have been fired after shaping, including ceramic vessels (before and/or after use)
6. In section GH ('Solid plastic wastes')
- GH 010 3915 Waste, parings and scrap of plastics of:
- GH 011 ex 3915 10 — Polymers of ethylene
- GH 012 ex 3915 20 — Polymers of styrene
- GH 013 ex 3915 30 — Polymers of vinyl chloride
7. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes')
8. In section GJ ('Textile wastes')
- GJ 010 5003 Silk waste (including cocoons unsuitable for reeling, yarn waste and garnetted stock):
- GJ 011 5003 10 — Not carded or combed
- GJ 012 5003 90 — Other
- GJ 020 5103 Waste of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair, including yarn waste but excluding garnetted stock:
- GJ 021 5103 10 — Noils of wool of fine animal hair
- GJ 022 5103 20 — Other waste of wool or of fine animal hair
- GJ 023 5103 30 — Waste of coarse animal hair
- GJ 030 5202 Cotton waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock):
- GJ 031 5202 10 — Yarn waste (including thread waste)
- GJ 032 5202 91 — Garnetted stock
- GJ 033 5202 99 — Other
- GJ 090 ex 5305 29 Tow, noils and waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) of abaca (Manila hemp or *Musa textilis* Nee)
- GJ 110 5505 Waste (including noils, yarn waste and garnetted stock) of man-made fibres:
- GJ 111 5505 10 — Of synthetic fibres
- GJ 112 5505 20 — Of artificial fibres
- GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles
- GJ 130 ex 6310 Used rags, scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and worn out articles of twine, cordage, rope or cables of textile materials:
- GJ 131 ex 6310 10 — Sorted
- GJ 132 ex 6310 90 — Other
9. In section GK ('Rubber wastes')
- GK 020 4012 20 Used pneumatic tyres
10. All types in section GL ('Untreated cork and waad wastes')
11. In section GM ('Wastes orisins from agro-food industries')
- GM 080 ex 2308 Dried and sterilised vegetable waste, residues and by-products, whether or not in the form of pellets, of a kind used in animal feeding, not elsewhere specified or included

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CAPE VERDE

All types

COLOMBIA

1. In section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible⁽¹⁾ form');

All types of waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

[...]

2. In section GB ('Metal bearing wastes arising from melting, smelting and refining of metals');

GB 040 ex 2620 90 Slags from precious metals and copper processing for further refining.

3. In section GC ('Other wastes containing metals');

GC 070 ex 2619 00 Slags arising from the manufacture of iron and steel (including low alloy steel) excluding those slags which have been specifically produced to meet both national and relevant international requirements and standards (*)

(*) This entry covers the use of such slags as a source of titanium dioxide and vanadium.

4. In section GD ('Wastes from mining operations: these wastes to be in non-dispersible form');

GD 040 [...]ex 2529 30 Leucite, nepheline and nepheline syenite waste

GD 050 ex 2529 10 Feldspar waste.

GD 060 ex 2529 21 Fluorspar waste
ex 2529 22

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5. In section GG ('Other wastes containing principally inorganic constituents, which may contain metals and organic materials');

GG 030 ex 2621 Bottom ash and slag tap from coal-fired power plants

GG 040 ex 2621 Coal-fired power plants fly ash

GG 060 ex 2803 Spent activated carbon, resulting from the treatment of potable water and processes of the food industry and vitamin production

GG 080 ex 2621 00 Slag from copper production, chemically stabilised, having a high iron content (above 20 %) and processed according to industrial specifications (e.g. DIN 4301 and DIN 8201) mainly for construction and abrasive applications

GG 100 Limestone from production of calcium cyanamide (having a pH less than 9)

6. In section GH ('Solid plastic wastes');

GH 013 ex 3915 30 Waste, parings and scrap of plastics of polymers of vinyl chloride

⁽¹⁾ "Non-dispersible" does not include any wastes in the form of powder, sludge, dust or solid items containing encased hazardous waste liquids.

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GH 015 ex 3915 90 — Resins or condensation products, for example:
 — Urea formaldehyde resins
 — Phenol formaldehyde resins
 — Melamine formaldehyde resins
 — Epoxy resins
 — Alkyd resins
 — Polyamides

7. In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 050 ex 5302 90 Tow and waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock of true hemp (*Cannabis sativa* L.))

8. In section GK ('Rubber wastes'):

GK 020 4012 20 Used pneumatic tyres
 GK 030 ex 4017 00 Waste and scrap of hard rubber (for example, ebonite)

9. In section GO ('Other wastes containing principally organic constituents, which may contain metals and inorganic materials'):

GO 040 Waste photographic film base and waste photographic film not containing silver
 GO 050 Single-use cameras without batteries

COMOROS, Federal Islamic republic

All types except:

In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

COSTA RICA

All types

DOMINICA

All types

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

All types

DJIBOUTH

All types

EGYPT

All types except:

1. All types in section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic non-dispersible form').
2. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes').
3. All types in section GJ ('Textile wastes').

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All types

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All types except: In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

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GHANA

All types

GRENADA

All types except: In section GK ('Rubber wastes'):

GK 020 4012 20 Used pneumatic tyres

GUYANA

All types

KIRIBATI

All types

KUWAIT

All types except: In section GH ('Solid plastic wastes'):

GH 011 ex 3915 10 Waste, parings and scrap of plastics of
— Polymers of ethylene

LEBANON

All types except: In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

MALAWI

All types excepts:

1. All types in section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form').
2. All types in section GE ('Glass waste in non-dispersible form').
3. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes').
4. In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

MALDIVES

All types

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All types of waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys.

2. All types in section GE ('Glass waste in non-dispersible form').
3. All types in section GF ('Ceramic wastes in non-dispersible form')
4. All types in section GH ('Solid plastic wastes')
5. All types in section GN ('Wastes arising from tanning and fellmongery operations and leather use')

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All types except:

1. In section GJ ('Textile wastes')

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

2. In section GK ('Rubber wastes')

GK 020 4012 20 Used pneumatic tyres

NIGERIA

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All types except:

1. In section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form')

The following waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

GA 120	7404 00	Copper waste and scrap
GA 130	7503 00	Nickel waste and scrap
GA 140	7602 00	Aluminium waste and scrap
GA 150	7802 00	Lead waste and scrap
GA 160	7902 00	Zinc waste and scrap
GA 170	8002 00	Tin waste and scrap
GA 180	ex 8101 91	Tungsten waste and scrap
GA 190	ex 8102 91	Molybdenum waste and scrap
GA 200	ex 8103 10	Tantalum waste and scrap
GA 210	8104 20	Magnesium waste and scrap (excluding those listed in AA 190)
GA 220	ex 8105 10	Cobalt waste and scrap
GA 230	ex 8106 00	Bismuth waste and scrap
GA 240	ex 8107 10	Cadmium waste and scrap
GA 250	ex 8108 10	Titanium waste and scrap
GA 260	ex 8109 10	Zirconium waste and scrap
GA 270	ex 8110 00	Antimony waste and scrap
GA 280	ex 8111 00	Manganese waste and scrap
GA 290	ex 8112 11	Beryllium waste and scrap
GA 300	ex 8112 20	Chromium waste and scrap
GA 310	ex 8112 30	Germanium waste and scrap
GA 320	ex 8112 40	Vanadium waste and scrap
	ex 8112 91	Wastes and scrap of:
GA 330		— Hafnium
GA 340		— Indium
GA 350		— Niobium
GA 360		— Rhenium
GA 370		— Gallium
GA 400	ex 2804 90	Selenium waste and scrap
GA 410	ex 2804 50	Tellurium waste and scrap

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GA 420 ex 2805 30 Rare earth waste and scrap

2. All types in section GH ('Solid plastic wastes')
3. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product waste')
4. All types in section GJ ('Textile waste').

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PAKISTAN

1. In section GK ('Rubber wastes'):

GK 020 4012 20 Used pneumatic tyres

2. In section GM ('Wastes arising from agro-food industries'):

GM 070 ex 2307 Wine lees

3. In section GN ('Wastes arising from tanning and fellmongery operations and leather use'):

GN 010 ex 0502 00 Waste of pigs', hogs' or boars' bristles and hair or of badger hair and other brush-making hair

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

All types

PARAGUAY

All types except:

1. All types included in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes')

2. In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 010 5003 Silk waste (including cocoons unsuitable for reeling, yarn waste and garnetted stock):

GJ 011 5003 10 — Not carded or combed

GJ 030 5202 Cotton waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock)

GJ 031 5202 10 Yarn waste (including thread waste)

GJ 032 5202 91 Garnetted stock

3. In section GL ('Untreated cork and wood wastes'):

GL 020 4501 90 Cork waste; crushed, granulated or ground cork.

PERU

All types

SÃO TOME AND PRINCIPE

All types except:

1. In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 111 5505 10 Waste (including noils, yarn waste and garnetted stock) of man-made fibres:

— Of synthetic fibres

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

GJ 130 ex 6310 Used rags, scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and worn out articles of twine, cordage, rope or cables of textile materials:

GJ 131 ex 6310 10 — Sorted

GJ 132 ex 6310 90 — Other

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2. In section GK ('Rubber wastes'):

GK 020 4012 20 Used pneumatic tyres

SAUDIA ARABIA

All types

SENEGAL

All types

SEYCHELLES

All types

SINGAPORE

All types except:

1. In section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form'):

(a) The following waste and scrap of precious metals and their alloys:

GA 010	ex 7112 10	— Of gold
GA 020	ex 7112 20	— Of platinum (the expression 'platinum' includes platinum, iridium, osmium, palladium, rhodium and ruthenium)
GA 030	ex 7112 90	— Other precious metals, e.g. silver

N.B.: Mercury is specifically excluded as a contaminant of these metals or their alloys or amalgams

(b) the following ferrous waste and scrap of iron or steel:

GA 040	7204 10	— Waste and scrap of cast iron
GA 050	7204 21	— Waste and scrap of stainless steel
GA 060	7204 29	— Waste and scrap of other alloy steels

(c) the following waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

GA 120	7404 00	Copper waste and scrap
GA 130	7503 00	Nickel waste and scrap
GA 140	7602 00	Aluminium waste and scrap
GA 150	7802 00	Lead waste and scrap
GA 170	8002 00	Tin waste and scrap
GA 190	ex 8102 91	Molybdenum waste and scrap
GA 250	ex 8108 10	Titanium waste and scrap
GA 260	ex 8109 10	Zirconium waste and scrap
GA 280	ex 8111 00	Manganese waste and scrap
GA 300	ex 8112 20	Chromium waste and scrap
GA 320	ex 8112 91	Vanadium waste and scrap
	ex 8112 91	Waste and scrap of:
GA 350		Niobium

2. In section GC ('Other wastes containing metals'):

GC 070	ex 2619 00	Slags arising from the manufacture of iron and carbon steel (including low alloy steel) excluding those slags which have been specifically produced to meet both national and relevant international requirements and standards (*)
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(*) This entry covers the use of such slags as a source of titanium dioxide and vanadium.

3. In section GD ('Wastes from mining operations: these wastes to be in non-dispersible form'):

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GD 020 ex 2514 00 Slate waste, whether or not roughly trimmed or merely cut by sawing or otherwise.

4. In section GH ('Solid plastic wastes'):

GH 013 ex 3915 30 Waste, parings and scrap of plastics of:
— Polymers of vinyl chloride

ST. KITTS AND NEVIS

All types

ST LUCIA

All types

ST VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES

All types

TANZANIA

All types except: In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 120 6309 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

UGANDA

All types except:

1. In section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form')

GA 050 7204 21 Waste and scrap of stainless steel

GA 060 7204 29 Waste and scrap of other alloy steels

2. In section GJ ('Textile wastes')

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

TUVALU

All types

VANUATU

All types

WESTERN SAMOA

All types

▼B*ANNEX B***Countries and territories which have not responded to the Commission's communications on shipments for recovery of certain types of waste listed in Annex II to Council Regulation (EEC) No 259/93**

AFGHANISTAN

All types

ALGERIA

All types

ANGOLA

All types except:

1. All types in section GA ('Metal and metal alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form').
2. All types in section GE ('Glass wastes in non-dispersible form').
3. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes').
4. All types in section GJ ('Textile wastes').
5. All types in section GK ('Rubber wastes').

ARMENIA

All types

AZERBAIJAN

All types

BAHRAIN

All types

BANGLADESH

All types

BRUNEI

All types

BURUNDI

All types

CAMBODIA

All types

ECUADOR

All types

EL SALVADOR

All types

EQUATORIAL GUINEA

All types

ERITREA

All types

ETHIOPIA

All types

FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA

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All types

GABON

All types

GUATEMALA

All types

GUINEA

All types except:

In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

HAITI

All types

HONDURAS

All types

IVORY COAST

All types

KAZAKHSTAN

All types

KYRGYSTAN

All types

LAOS

All types

LESOTHO

All types

MOROCCO

All types

MOZAMBIQUE

All types

NAMIBIA

All types

NEPAL

All types

OMAN

All types

PANAMA

All types

QATAR

All types

RUSSIAN FEDERATION

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All types except:

1. In section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form'):

(a) The following waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

GA 150	7802 00	Lead waste and scrap
GA 160	7902 00	Zinc waste and scrap
GA 170	8002 00	Tin waste and scrap
GA 180	ex 8101 91	Tungsten waste and scrap
GA 190	ex 8102 91	Molybdenum waste and scrap
GA 200	ex 8103 10	Tantalum waste and scrap
GA 210	8104 20	Magnesium waste and scrap (excluding those listed in AA 190) (*)
GA 220	ex 8105 10	Cobalt waste and scrap
GA 230	ex 8106 00	Bismuth waste and scrap
GA 240	ex 8107 10	Cadmium waste and scrap
GA 250	ex 8108 10	Titanium waste and scrap
GA 260	ex 8109 10	Zirconium waste and scrap
GA 270	ex 8110 00	Antimony waste and scrap
GA 280	ex 8111 00	Manganese waste and scrap
GA 290	ex 8112 11	Beryllium waste and scrap
GA 300	ex 8112 20	Chromium waste and scrap
GA 310	ex 8112 30	Germanium waste and scrap
GA 320	ex 8112 40	Vanadium waste and scrap
	ex 8112 91	Wastes and scrap of:
GA 330		— Hafnium
GA 340		— Indium
GA 350		— Niobium
GA 400	ex 2804 90	Selenium waste and scrap
GA 410	ex 2804 50	Tellurium waste and scrap.

(*) See Annex III of Decision 98/368/EC of 18 May 1998 (OJ L 165, 10.6.1998, p. 20)

2. In section GB ('Metal bearing wastes arising from melting, smelting and refining of metals'):

GB 010	2620 11	Hard zinc spelter
GB 025		— Zinc skimmings.

3. In section GC ('Other wastes containing metals'):

GC 030	ex 8908 00	Vessels and other floating structures for breaking up, properly emptied of any cargo and other materials arising from the operation of the vessel which may have been classified as a dangerous substance or waste.
GC 070	ex 2619 00	Slag arising from the manufacture of iron and carbon steel (including low alloy steel) excluding those slags which have been specifically produced to meet both national and relevant international requirements and standards (*)

(*) This entry covers the use of such slags as a source of titanium dioxide and vanadium.

4. In section GD ('Waste from mining operations: these wastes to be in non-dispersible form'):

GD 020	ex 2514 00	Slate waste, whether or not roughly trimmed or merely cut, by sawing or otherwise
GD 030	2525 30	Mica waste
GD 070	ex 2811 22	Silica wastes in solid form excluding those used in foundry operations.

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5. In section GG ('Other wastes containing principally inorganic constituents, which may contain metals and organic metals):

GG 030	ex 2621	Bottom ash and slag tap from coal fired power plants
GG 040	ex 2621	Coal fired power plants fly ash
GG 060	ex 2803	Spent activated carbon, resulting from the treatment of potable water and processes of the food industry and vitamin production
GG 110	ex 2621 00	Neutralised red mud from alumina production.

6. All types included in section GH ('Solid plastic wastes').

7. In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 110	5505	Waste (including noils, yarn waste and garnetted stock) of man-made fibres
GJ 111	5505 10	– Of synthetic fibres
GJ 112	5505 20	– Of artificial fibres.

8. All types included in section GK ('Rubber wastes').

9. In section GM ('Wastes arising from agro-food industries'):

GM 090	1522	Degras; residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes
GM 100	0506 90	Waste of bones and horn-cones, unworked, defatted, simply prepared (but not cut to shape), treated with acid or degelatinised
GM 110	ex 0511 91	Fish waste.

10. In section GN ('Wastes arising from tanning and fellmongery operations and leather use'):

GN 010	ex 0502 00	Waste of pigs', hogs' or boars' bristles and hair or of badger hair and other brush-making hair
GN 020	ex 0503 00	Horsehair waste, whether or not put up as a layer or without supporting material
GN 030	ex 0505 90	Waste of skins and other parts of birds, with their feathers or down of feathers and parts of feathers (whether or not with trimmed edges) and down, not further worked than cleaned, disinfected or treated for preservation.

11. In section GO ('Other wastes containing principally organic constituents, which may contain metals and inorganic materials'):

GO 010	ex 0501 00	Waste of human hair
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SOLOMON ISLANDS

All types

SUDAN

All types

SWAZILAND

All types

SYRIA

All types

TAJKISTAN

All types

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TONGA

All types

TUNISIA

All types in Annex II except:

1. In section GA ('Metal and metal-alloy wastes in metallic, non-dispersible form'):

(a) The following ferrous waste and scrap of iron and steel:

GA 110 ex 7302 10 Used iron and steel rails

(b) The following waste and scrap of non-ferrous metals and their alloys:

GA 120 7404 00 Copper waste and scrap

GA 140 7602 00 Aluminium waste and scrap

GA 170 8002 00 Tin waste and scrap.

2. In section GC ('Other wastes containing metals'):

GC 030 ex 8908 00 Vessels and other floating structures for breaking up, properly emptied of any cargo and other materials arising from the operation of the vessel which may have been classified as a dangerous substance or waste.

3. All types in section GH ('Solid plastic wastes').

4. All types in section GI ('Paper, paperboard and paper product wastes').

5. In section GJ ('Textile wastes'):

GJ 010 5003 Silk waste (including cocoons unsuitable for reeling, yarn waste and garnetted stock

GJ 012 5003 90 – Other

GJ 020 5103 Waste of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair, including yarn waste but excluding garnetted stock

GJ 030 5202 Cotton waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock)

GJ 060 ex 5303 90 Tow and waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) of jute and other textile bast fibres (excluding flax, true hemp and ramie)

GJ 070 ex 5304 90 Tow and waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) of sisal and other textile fibres of the genus *Agave*

GJ 111 5505 10 Waste (including noils, yarn waste and garnetted stock) of man-made fibres

– Of synthetic fibres

GJ 120 6309 00 Worn clothing and other worn textile articles

GJ 130 ex 6310 Used rags, scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and worn out articles of twine, cordage, rope or cables of textile materials.

6. All types in section GK ('Rubber wastes').

7. In section GM ('Wastes arising from agro-food industries'):

GM 080 ex 2308 Dried and sterilised vegetable waste, residues and by-products, whether or not in the form of pellets, of a kind used in animal feeding, not elsewhere specified or included

GM 130 Waste from the agro-food industry excluding by-products which meet national and international requirements and standards for human or animal consumption.

8. In section GN ('Wastes arising from tanning and fellmongery operations and leather use')

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GN 010	ex 0502 00	Waste of pigs', hogs' or boars' bristles and hair or of badger hair and other brush making hair
GN 020	ex 0503 00	Horsehair waste, whether or not put up as a layer with or without supporting material
GN 040	ex 4110 00	Parings and other leather waste of leather or of composition leather, not suitable for the manufacture of leather articles, excluding leather sludges.

TURKMENISTAN

All types

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UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

All types

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UZBEKISTAN

All types

VATICAN CITY

All types

VENEZUELA

All types

VIETNAM

All types

YEMEN

All types

ZIMBABWE

All types