

DAVAR Direction des Affaires Vétérinaires, Alimentaires et Rurales

LIST OF SOME PRODUCTS INTRODUCED BY INDIVIDUALS IN NEW CALEDONIA NOT REQUIRING IMPORT PERMIT AND CERTIFICATE

New Caledonia is free from numerous diseases and parasites affecting humans, animals and plants, which are present in other parts of the world. The New Caledonian's laws do take these particularities into account in order to maintain the exceptional status of the island.

Consequently, all animals, animal products or products from animal origin, plants, plant products, and minerals are to be declared when entering New Caledonia and must be covered by appropriate veterinary and/or phytosanitary certificate.

Some products may be imported by individuals without import permits and/or sanitary certificates. The list of products presented hereafter sums up these exemptions. This list can be modified anytime without warning following new sanitary information. In all cases these products may be declared or will be seized.

The limit is set to 5 kg per passenger or mail parcel.

The cornerstone of New Caledonia's legislation regulating the import of goods hereafter mentioned is the regulation n°2014-333/GNC dated 13th of February 2014.

In this document:

- By authorized without any additional notes, means authorized from all countries. Inspection will verify sanitary harmlessness of the product to New Caledonia;
- By commercial is meant unbroken packaging, with adequate labelling which indicates identification of the product, country of fabrication, name and address of the processing establishment, weight, ingredients and health mark if appropriate;
- By preserve is meant a preparation that has undergone thermal treatment, in a sealed container liquids and gas tight. As an example, a product that requires a conservation temperature +2/+4°C is not a conserve.

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Animals, animal products and products from animal origin

PRODUCTS	STATUS	
CANNED AND SEMI PRESERVED FOOD		
Commercial preserves	Authorized	
Commercial semi-preserved poultry containing no pork	Authorized for countries in the list [A]	
DEAD ANIMALS		
All animals preserved in disinfectant (formaldehyde, alcohol) or fossils	Authorized (CITES)	
Insects for collection already packaged in entomological boxes	Authorized (CITES)	
Grilled insects, dried, in commercial packaging	Authorized	
DAIRY PRODUCTS		
Commercial preserved milk whatever the conditioning	Authorized	
Infant milk		
Commercial cheese made with canned milk, pasteurized milk (refer to the labeling)	Authorized for countries in the list [B]	
BEE PRODUCTS		
Commercial honey, excluding honeycomb, in commercial conditioning inferior or equal to 1kg (500g for Vanuatu)	Authorized for countries in the list [C]	
Royal jelly in pills and propolis in capsules or in solution		
SEAFOODS AND FRESH WATER		
Eviscerated fish	Authorized	
Dead molluscs shelled: mussels, snails		
Dried sea cucumbers		
EGG PRODUCTS		
Eggshell, empty and cleaned	Authorized	
CAKES		
Cakes with cooked ingredients	Authorized	
МЕАТ		
Commercial jerky	Authorized (only origin and source Australia and New Zealand)	

HIDES AND SKINS		
Worked tanned skin (or leather)	Authorized	
FEATHERS / WOOL / ANIMAL HAIR		
Treated or tinted	Authorized	
BONES / HORNS / HOOVES		
Articles worked (varnish)	Authorized	
FOOD FOR DOMESTIC ANIMALS		
Commercial food having undergone heat sterilizing treatment without any crustaceans based ingredients (croquettes, caned) Commercial toys that have undergone heat treatment (bones in buffalo skins)	Authorized for countries in the list [D]	

[A] ⇒ Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Canada, Chili, European Union, New-Zealand and United States of America.

[B] ⇒ Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Canada, European Union, New-Zealand, Switzerland and United States of America.

[C] ⇒ Australia, Canada, European Union, New-Zealand, United States of America and Vanuatu.

[D] ⇒ Australia, Canada, European Union, New-Zealand and United States of America.

(CITES) ⇒ Check the regulations on species protected by the Washington Convention http://checklist.cites.org/#/fr



Plants and plant products

PRODUCTS	STATUS	
FRUITS		
Depp frozen, cooked or marinated fruits: jams, fruits in syrup		
Commercial dried fruits except citrus fruits: dried bananas, dried apricots, dried dates, dried figs, dried chilli, dried vanilla pods	Authorized	
Dried raw nuts depulped or deshucked: almonds, chestnuts, hazelnuts, Chilean hazelnuts, nuts (type walnuts), Brazil nuts, cashew nuts, pecan nuts		
VEGETABLES AND TUBERS		
Clean identified mushrooms	Authorized (CUSTOMS)	
Frozen, cooked or marinated vegetables	Authorized	
Dried vegetables and grains for human consumption, in commercial conditioning, except cereals with glumes, corn, sorghum, soy, sunflower and raw peanuts	Authorized in conditioning inferior or equal to 1kg	
Popcorn in microwavable packaging	Authorized	
Seeds for sprouting for human consumption in commercial packaging except species subject to additional declarations	Authorized ⁽¹⁾ Limit of 10 commercial bags / trays of 500gr maximum. The labeling must specify the name of the species	
Sprouted seeds for human consumption in commercial packaging	Authorized ⁽¹⁾ Limit of 10 commercial bags / trays of 500gr maximum. The labeling must specify the name of the species	
TROPICAL TUBERS		
Yams, taros, sweet potatoes, cassava, peeled and frozen or cooked	Authorized (CUSTOMS)	
PLANTS AND PLANT PRODUCTS		
Dried plants, medicinal herbs included, without citrus fruits and seeds/ Potpourri, infusion mixes, green tea		
Dried or fresh seaweed for consumption having undergone transformation, in commercial packaging	Authorized	
SEEDS		
Commercial vegetable, flower or ornamental seeds (The labeling must specify the seed name, lot number, trade name and address of the conditioner)	Authorized for authorized species (CITES) in this regulation and not requiring mentions or phytosanitary treatments ⁽¹⁾	

	Limit of 10 commercial bags of 10 gr maximum.	
	The packaging must certify the absence of GMO or failing this, a "non-GMO" certificate of a commercial nature must accompany the goods.	
OBJETS D'ART EN BOIS ET VANNERIES		
Vegetable fiber baskets, wooden sculptures without animal by- products (ex feathers)	Authorized ^{(2) (CITES)}	
SPICES		
Spices in powder		
Raw known spices (nutmeg, cloves, cardamom, saffron, cinnamon)	Authorized	
ANIMAL FOOD		
Extruded food for herbivores and granivores (pellets, flakes, commercial preserves)	Authorized	
SUBSTRAT		
Clean sand without organic matter and plant material	Authorized	

(1) \Rightarrow Except the following species: *Allium spp*, *Helianthus spp* (of which sunflower), alfalfa, corn, soy, sorghum. Caution, this list is not exhaustive, in case of doubt, contact SIVAP.

(2) \Rightarrow Following the inspection on arrival, possible corrective treatment at the expense of the importer.

(CUSTOMS) ⇒ Check the customs regulations of New Caledonia http://www.douane.gouv.nc/portal/page/portal/douane/

(CITES) ⇒ Check the regulations on species protected by the Washington Convention http://checklist.cites.org/#/en

CAUTION

Even authorized, any product of animal or vegetable origin must be declared on arrival in New Caledonia under penalty of seizure.

It can also be visually inspected by biosecurity.

Please note Sivap agents control goods subject to special administrative status (pesticides, veterinary drugs) and CITES.

