

Mexico-Japan EPA

Quotas for Mexican agricultural products in Japan



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Mexico's Ministry of Economy
Representative Office in Japan

Quotas established under the Mexico-Japan EPA

The EPA has established duty free import quotas for the Japanese market to the following Mexican products:

- Meat and Processed Meat Products (Chicken, Beef and Pork)
- Honey
- Fresh Bananas
- Fresh Oranges
- Orange Juice (fresh and frozen)
- Agave Syrup
- Tomato Juice
- Ketchup
- Tomato Sauce
- Processed Tomatoes for making Ketchup
- Sorbitol
- Dextrin

Quota for Beef products

- HS of applicable products:**
 0201.20, 0201.30,
 0202.20, 0202.30,
 0206.10 (only guts and tang), 0206.21,
 0206.22,
 0206.29, 1602.50
- Applicant:**
 Mexico's meat processors and exporters authorized by SAGARPA

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change from previous year (%)
2011	6,000	5,578	93%	
2012	10,500	9,058	86%	+62%
2013 to Dec.	12,000	9,664.7	80.5%	+6.7%

* From April 1st to March 31

Quota for Pork products

- **HS of applicable products:**
 0203.12, 0203.19, 0203.22, 0203.29, 0206.49 (except internal organs), 0210.11, 0210.12, 0210.19, 1602.41, 1602.42, 1602.49
- **Applicant:**
 Mexico's meat processors and exporters authorized by SAGARPA

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change 2012-2012 (%)
2011	80,000	41,821	52%	
2012	83,000	43,236	52%	+3%
2013 to Dec.	86,000	47,362.3	55.1%	+9.5%

* From April 1st to March 31

Quota for Chicken products

- **HS of applicable products:**

0207.11, 0207.12,
0207.13, 0207.14
(except liver),

1602.31, 1602.32,
1602.39

- **Applicant:**

Mexico's producers
and meat processors
authorized by
SAGARPA

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change 2012-2012 (%)
2011	8,500	299	3.5%	
2012	8,600	0	0%	-100%
2013 to Dec.	8,700			

* From April 1st to March 31

Quota for Honey

- HS of applicable products:

0409.00

- Applicant:

Mexico's producers and exporters

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change 2012-2012 (%)
2011	1,000	483	48%	
2012	1,000	317	32%	-34%
2013 to Dec.	1,000	261.2	26.1%	NA

* From April 1st to March 31

Quota for Fresh Bananas

- HS of applicable products:

0803.00

- Applicant:

Mexico's producers and exporters

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change 2012-2012 (%)
2011	20,000	3,032	16%	
2012	20,000	2,869	14%	-5%
2013 to Dec.	20,000	2,401.3	12.1%	NA

* From April 1st to March 31

Quota for Agave Syrup

- **HS of applicable products:**

1702.60.220

- **Applicant:**

Mexico's producers and exporters

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change 2012-2012 (%)
2011				
2012	50	40	80%	+100%
2013 to Dec.	60	60	100%	+20%

* From April 1st to March 31

Quota for Frozen Orange Juice

- HS of applicable products:

2009.11, 2009.19

- Applicant:

Mexico's producers and exporters

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change 2012-2012 (%)
2011	6,200	4,950	80%	
2012	6,360	5,076	80%	+3%
2013 to Dec.	6,520	4,409.7	67.6%	NA

The quotas for fresh oranges (HS code 0805.10) and fresh orange juice (HS code 2009.12) have not been utilized during the last two years.

* From April 1st to March 31

Quota for Ketchup

- **HS of applicable products:**
2103.20
- **Applicant:**
Mexico's producers and exporters

In 2012, this product quota was utilized for the first time since the EPA enactment in 2005.

Fiscal year*	Allowed quantity (tons)	Quota allocated (tons)	Quota usage	Change 2012-2012 (%)
2011	800	0	0%	
2012	800	16	2%	+100%
2013 to Dec.	800			

* From April 1st to March 31

The quotas for **tomato juice, tomato sauce, processed tomatoes for making ketchup, dextrin and sorbitol** were not utilized during the FY 2012