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PUBLIC NOTICE NO:02/2021 dated 06.01.2021
(DIN- 20210172 MR0000313005)

Subject:- Customs: Mandatory Sampling & Testing of export consignments of Spices & Spice products under the Quality Evaluation System of Spices Board -reg.

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Kind reference is invited to Circular No: 20/2020 31st December, 2020 and Circular No.15/2020 dated 21st September 2020 issued by Spices Board (Ministry of Commerce and Industry Government of India) communicating the Mandatory Sampling & Testing of export consignments of Spices & Spice products under the Quality Evaluation System of Spices Board.

2. Spices Board, vide circular cited under reference had communicated the consolidated list of spices and spice products which are subject to mandatory quality evaluation prior to export. In addition to this, the Spices Board has reviewed the requirement of mandatory testing and has decided to exempt export consignments of Ready to Eat (RTE) products in all forms to all destinations (except EU & UK), from the requirement of mandatory testing. In the case of exports to the European Union & UK, RTE products which have a spice content of more than 20%, will require a Health Certificate, for which testing is a pre-requisite.

3. The Spices Board has listed the ITC HS Code of the products under mandatory quality evaluation for exports and the updated list is placed as Annex I. It may be noted that, where only certain products under any ITC HS Code are to be examined, the ITC HS Code is marked 'ex'. Accordingly, with effect from 04.01.2021, the Customs authorities may permit exports of spices and spice products as per Annex I, only with the Cleared Analytical Report/ No Objection Certificate (NOC)/Sample Drawn Certificate/ Undertaking (as applicable) from Spices Board.

4. This circular, issued under the provisions of the **Spices Board Act 1986 & Spices Board (Registration of Exporters) Regulations 1989**, will be in force until further guidelines / instructions are prescribed

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by Spices Board, in this regard.

3. Action to be taken in terms of decisions taken in this Public Notice will be considered as Standing Order for officers/staff.

4. Any difficulties faced by the Trade may be brought to the notice of the Joint Commissioner of Customs, ICD Whitefield, Bengaluru.

Signed by Baswaraj

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COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS

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Country/Region	Spices (In Dried Form) & Spice Products	ITEM DESCRIPTION	ITCHSCODE	Parameter	MAXIMUM LEVEL	
Mandatory Sampling European Union(EU)	Testing of export consignments of Spices and Spice products under the Quality Evaluation System of Spices Board Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin B1		
		Dried (turmeric) Other(Sliced)	ex 09103020 ex 09103090	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb	
Mandatory Sampling European Union(EU)	Turmeric Whole	Dried, unbleached (ginger)	09101120	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb	
		Dried, bleached (ginger)	09101130			
		Powder	09101210			
		Other ((Crushed or ground)	09101290			
		Other (neither crushed nor ground) including Sliced	ex 09101190			
		Nutmeg Whole & Nutmeg Products	In shell (nutmeg)	09081110		
			Shelled (nutmeg)	09081120		
			Crushed or ground	09081200		
		Mace Whole & Mace Products	Neither Crushed Nor Ground	09082100		
			Crushed or ground	09082200		
Mandatory Sampling European Union(EU)	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	09042211	Aflatoxin B1	5 ppb	
		Chilli seed	09042212			
		\$ Chilli Sauce	21039020	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb	
		Other(crushed or ground)	09042219			
Mandatory Sampling European Union(EU)	Curry Powder & Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 27m ore products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100	Sudan 1- IV	Not Detected	
		Curry paste	ex 21039010			
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040			

		\$ Other	ex 21039090		
		\$ Other Edible Parts Of Plants Prepared Or Preserved By Vinegar/Acetic Acid (PICKLE)	ex 20019000		
		Powder (turmeric)	09103030		
		Others	09103090		
		Other Spices, N.E.S	09109990	Profenofos Triazophos Endosulfan	0.05ppm 0.01ppm 0.05ppm
		Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter Other Seeds	3.00% Max. 0.25% Max
		Other	09093129		
		Health Certificate is required from the Spices Board, based on the Cleared Analytical Report for level of aflatoxin			
	Chilli, Chilli Powder & Chilli Products Nutmeg & Nutmeg Products Compound food, Ready to Eat items etc which contain Chilli, Chilli Products, Nutmeg and Nutmeg Products in a quantity of above 20% (either as a single product or as the sum of these products)	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total Salmonella	20 ppb Absent in 25g
		Chilli powder	09042211	Aflatoxin Total	20ppb
		Chilli seed	09042212	Sudan 1- IV	Not Detected
		Other (crushed or ground)	09042219	Salmonella	Absent in 25g
		Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
		Curry paste	ex 21039010		
	Curry Powder& Curry Masalas				
	USA				

Canada	Curry Pastes	Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
			Other			ex 21039090
			Powder (turmeric)			09103030
	Turmeric Powder	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	Other	09103090	Extraneous Matter	3.00% Max.
			Other	09093129		
			Other	09093129		
	Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	Other	09093129	Other Seeds	0.25% Max
			Other	09093129		
			Other	09093129		
	Cumin Ground	Crushed Or ground (cumin)	Other	09093129	Other Seeds	0.25% Max
			Other	09093129		
			Other	09093129		
Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	Other	09093129	Salmonella	Absent in 25g	
		Other	09093129			
		Other	09093129			
Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	Chilli powder	09042211	Aflatoxin Total	15ppb	
		Chilli seed	09042212			
		Other(crushed or ground)	09042219			
Curry Powder & Curry Masalalas	Mixtures of 21m ore products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	Other	09042219	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
		Other	09042219			
		Other	09042219			
Curry Pastes	Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	Curry paste	ex 21039010	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
		Curry paste	ex 21039010			
		Curry paste	ex 21039010			
Turmeric Powder	Powder (turmeric)	Other	ex 21039090	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
		Other	ex 21039090			
		Other	ex 21039090			
# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	Other	09103030	Extraneous Matter	3.00% Max.	
		Other	09103030			
		Other	09103090			
Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	Other	09093129	Other Seeds	0.25% Max	
		Other	09093129			
		Other	09093129			
South Africa	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	09042110	Aflatoxin B 1	5ppb	
			Chilli powder			09042110
			Chilli powder			09042110
Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	Chilli powder	09042211	Aflatoxin BI	5ppb	
		Chilli powder	09042211			
		Chilli powder	09042211			
Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli seed	Chilli seed	09042212	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb	
		Chilli seed	09042212			
		Chilli seed	09042212			

North American Countries other than USA and Canada	Curry Powder & Curry asalas	Other(crushed or ground)	09042219	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Mixtures of 21m are products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
	Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040		
		Other	ex 21039090		
	# Cumin seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Other	09093129		
	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Chilli powder	09042211		
		Chilli seed	09042212		
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Other(crushed or ground)	09042219	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Mixtures of 21m ore products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
	Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Curry paste	ex 21039010	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning		ex 21039040			
Curry Pastes	Other	ex 21039090	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
	Powder (turmeric)	09103030			
Turmeric Powder	Other	09103090	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121			
# Cumin Seeds	Other	09093129	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
	Other	09093129			

Japan		Chilli/ paprika - Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb
Chilli/ paprika - Ground	Chilli powder	Chilli seed	09042212	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb	
		Other (crushed or ground)	09042219	Sudan-IV	Not Detected	
Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	Curry paste	ex 09109100	Aflatoxin Total	10ppb	
				Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
				Triazophos	0.01 ppm	
				Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm	
Curry Pastes	Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	Other	ex 21039040	Triazophos	0.01 ppm	
				Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm	
				Profenphos	0.01 ppm	
Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	Other	ex 21039090	Chlorpyrifhos	1.00 ppm	
				Ethion	5.00 ppm	
				Methyl parathion	5.00 ppm	
				Parathion	0.20 ppm	
Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	Other	09093121	Ph orate	0.10 ppm	
				Extraneous Matter	3.00% Max	
				Other Seeds	0.25% Max	

	Other	09093129	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyrifhos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 3.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 0.10 ppm 0.50 ppm
Turmeric Powder	Powder (turmeric)	09103030	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
	Other	09103090	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyrifhos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Ph orate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 1.00 ppm 0.30 ppm 3.00 ppm 0.20 ppm 0.10 ppm
Cumin Seed ground	Crushed Or ground (Cumin)	09093200	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyrifhos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 3.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 0.10 ppm 0.50 ppm
Turmeric whole	Dried (turmeric)	09103020	Triazophos	0.01 ppm
	Other(Sliced)	09103090	Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyrifhos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 1.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 0.20 ppm 0.10 ppm
Cardamom - whole &ground	Large (amomum) (cardamom)	09083110	Triazophos Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm

Black Pepper - whole & ground	Small (elettaria), alleppey green (cardamom)	09083120	Profenphos	5.00 ppm
	Small, coorg green (cardamom)	09083130	Chlorpyrifos	1.00 ppm
	Small-bleached, half-bleached or bleachable (cardamom)	09083140	Ethion	5.00 ppm
	Small (mixed)	09083150	Methyl parathion	5.00 ppm
	Other	09083190	Parathion	0.20 ppm
	Powder	09083210	Ph orate	0.10 ppm
	Small Cardamom seeds	09083220		
	Cardamom husk	09083230		
	Other cardamom crushed or ground	09083290		
	Pepper, long	09041110	Triazophos	0.01 ppm
	Light black pepper	09041120	Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm
	Black pepper, garbled	09041130	Profenphos	5.00 ppm
	Black pepper, ungarbled	09041140	Chlorpyrifos	1.00 ppm
Other (neither crushed or ground)	09041190	Ethion	5.00 ppm	
Pepper, crushed or ground	09041200	Methyl parathion	5.00 ppm	
		Parathion	0.20 ppm	
		Phorate	0.10 ppm	
Fenugreek - whole & ground	Fenugreek (seed)	09109912	Triazophos	0.01 ppm
	Fenugreek (powder)	09109924	Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm
			Profenphos	5.00 ppm
			Chlorpyrifos	5.00 ppm
		Ethion	1.00 ppm	
		Methyl parathion	5.00 ppm	
		Parathion	5.00 ppm	
		Ph orate	0.20 ppm	
		Sudan I-IV	0.10 ppm	
			Not Detected	

	Turnmeric Powder	Other	09103090	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyrifhos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 1.00 ppm 0.30 ppm 3.00 ppm 0.20 ppm 0.10 ppm
Australia &New Zealand	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total	15 ppb
		Chilli powder	09042211	Aflatoxin Total	15 ppb
	Chilli Powder &Chilli Products	Chilli seed	09042212	Sudan I-IV	N at Detected
		Other(crushed or ground)	09042219		
		Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
	Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Curry paste	ex 21039010		
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040		
	Curry Pastes	Other	ex 21039090		
		Powder (turmeric)	09103030	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
	Turmeric Powder	Other	09103090		
Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)		09093121	Extraneous Matter Other Seeds	3.00% Max. 0.25% Max	
Malaysia	# Cumin Seeds	Other	09093129		
		Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin B 1 Aflatoxin Total	5 ppb 10ppb
	* Chilli Whole	Chilli powder	09042211	Aflatoxin B 1	5ppb
		Chilli seed	09042212	Aflatoxin Total	10ppb
	Chilli Powder &Chilli Products	Other(crushed or ground)	09042219	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/m ore products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100			

Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010		
		ex 21039040		
# Cumin Seeds	Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039090		
	Other	ex 21039090		
Saudi Arabia	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter	3.00% Max.
		09093129	Other Seeds	0.25% Max
		09083120	Acetamiprid	0.1 ppm
		09083130	Cyhalothrin (includes lambda cyhalothrin)	2 ppm
		09083140	Cypermethrin (including alpha and zeta cypermethrin)	3 ppm
		09083150	Profenfos	3 ppm
		09083190	Triazophos	4 ppm
		09083210	Dithiocarbamates	0.1 ppm
		09083220	Small Cardamom seeds	
		09083230	Cardamom husk	
		09083290	Other cardamom crushed or ground	
		All other countries	* Chilli Whole	09042110
09042211	Chilli powder			
09042212	Chilli seed			30ppb
09042219	Other(crushed or ground)			Not Detected
ex 09109100	Mixtures of 21m ore products of different headings of 09.04-09.10			
ex 21039010	Curry paste			
ex 21039040	Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning			
ex 21039090	Other			
	Curry Pastes			
	Curry Powder & Masalas			
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products			
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products			
	Chilli seed			
	Other(crushed or ground)			
	Mixtures of 21m ore products of different headings of 09.04-09.10			
	Curry Paste			
	Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning			
	Other			

# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter Other Seeds	3.00% Max. 0.25% Max
	Other	09093129		
<p>* Container stuffing for export is permitted based on the 'Sample Drawn Certificate' provided by the Board for South East Asian countries (Laos Myanmar (Burma), Peninsular Malaysia, Thailand, Vietnam, Brunei, East Malaysia, East Timor, Indonesia, Philippines, Singapore), Malaysia and China</p> <p># Container stuffing for export is permitted based on undertaking endorsed by Spices Board, for export of Cumin seeds to all destinations except USA and Japan.</p> <p>In the case of USA and Japan, exports of Cumin seeds are permitted only with the Cleared Analytical Report OR No Objection Certificate (NOC) from Spices Board.</p> <p>\$ In the case of exports to the E U & UK, if the products have Spice content of more than 20%, Health Certificate is required, for which testing is a pre-requisite.</p>				
<p><i>Where only certain products under any ITC HS Code are to be tested and no specific subdivision under that ITC HS Code exist with description, the ITC HS Code is marked 'ex'</i></p>				



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CIRCULAR

Circular No: 20/2020

31st December, 2020

Sub: Mandatory Sampling & Testing of export consignments of Spices & Spice products under the Quality Evaluation System of Spices Board

Ref: Circular No.15/2020 dated 21st September 2020

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Further, the Board has reviewed the requirement of mandatory testing and has decided to exempt export consignments of Ready to Eat (RTE) products in all forms to all destinations (except EU & UK), from the requirement of mandatory testing. In the case of exports to the European Union & UK, RTE products which have a spice content of more than 20%, will require a Health Certificate, for which testing is a pre-requisite.

Also, the Board has listed the ITC HS Code of the products under mandatory quality evaluation for exports and the updated list is placed as Annex I. It may be noted that, where only certain products under any ITC HS Code are to be examined, the ITC HS Code is marked 'ex'.

Accordingly with effect from 04.01.2021, the Customs authorities may permit exports of spices and spice products as per Annex I, only with the Cleared Analytical Report/ No Objection Certificate (NOC)/Sample Drawn Certificate/ Undertaking (as applicable) from Spices Board.

This circular, issued under the provisions of the Spices Board Act 1986 & Spices Board (Registration of Exporters) Regulations 1989, may be enforced until further guidelines / instructions are prescribed by Spices Board, in this regard.

Director (Marketing)

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All Commissioners/ Officials concerned of Customs, across India.

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Mandatory Sampling & Testing of export consignments of Spices and Spice products under the Quality Evaluation System of Spices Board

Country/Region	Spices (In Dried Form) & Spice Products	ITEM DESCRIPTION	ITC HS CODE	Parameter	Maximum Limit
European Union(EU)	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	AflatoxinB1	5 ppb
	Turmeric Whole	Dried (turmeric) Other(Sliced)	ex 09103020 ex 09103090	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb
	Ginger Whole & Ginger Products	Dried, unbleached (ginger)	09101120		
		Dried, bleached (ginger)	09101130		
		Powder	0910 12 10		
		Other (Crushed or ground)	0910 12 90		
		Other (neither crushed nor ground) including Sliced	ex 09101190		
	Nutmeg Whole & Nutmeg Products	In shell (nutmeg)	09081110		
		Shelled (nutmeg)	09081120		
		Crushed or ground	0908 12 00		
	Mace Whole & Mace Products	Neither Crushed Nor Ground	09082100		
		Crushed or ground	0908 22 00		
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin B1	5 ppb
		Chilli seed	090422 12	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb
		\$ Chilli Sauce	21039020		
		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19	Sudan I- IV	Not Detected
	Curry Powder & Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
	Curry Pastes & Pickle	Curry paste	ex 21039010		
Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning		ex 21039040			

		\$ Other	ex 21039090		
		\$ Other Edible Parts Of Plants Prepared Or Preserved By Vinegar/Acetic Acid (PICKLE)	ex 20019000		
	Turmeric Powder & Products	Powder (turmeric)	09103030		
		Others	09103090		
	Curry Leaves	Other Spices, N.E.S	09109990 Health 12119086 since it is specified under Chapter 12 by notification	Profenofos Triazophos Endosulfan	0.05ppm 0.01ppm 0.05ppm
	# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter Other Seeds	3.00 % Max. 0.25 % Max
		Other	09093129		
	Chilli, Chilli Powder & Chilli Products Nutmeg & Nutmeg Products Compound food, Ready to Eat items etc which contain Chilli, Chilli Products, Nutmeg and Nutmeg Products in a quantity of above 20% (either as a single product or as the sum of these products)	Health Certificate is required from the Spices Board, based on the Cleared Analytical Report for level of aflatoxin			
USA	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total Salmonella	20 ppb Absent in 25g
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin Total Sudan I- IV Salmonella	20ppb Not Detected Absent in 25g
		Chilli seed	090422 12		
		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19		
	Curry Powder & Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
	Curry paste	ex 21039010			

	Curry Pastes	Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Other	ex 21039090		
	Turmeric Powder	Powder (turmeric)	09103030	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Other	09103090		
	Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter	3.00 % Max.
		Other	09093129	Other Seeds Salmonella	0.25 % Max Absent in 25g
Cumin Ground	Crushed Or ground (cumin)	0909 32 00	Salmonella	Absent in 25g	
Canada	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total	15 ppb
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin Total Sudan I-IV	15 ppb Not Detected
		Chilli seed	090422 12		
		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19		
	Curry Powder & Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100	Aflatoxin Total Sudan I-IV	15 ppb Not Detected
	Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010		
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040		
		Other	ex 21039090		
	Turmeric Powder	Powder (turmeric)	09103030	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Other	09103090		
# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter	3.00% Max.	
	Other	09093129	Other Seeds	0.25% Max	
South Africa	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	Aflatoxin B1	5 ppb	
			Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb	
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin B1	5 ppb
Chilli seed				090422 12	Aflatoxin Total

		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
	Curry Powder & Curry asalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100			
	Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010			
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040			
		Other	ex 21039090			
	# Cumin seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter	3.00 % Max.	
Other		09093129	Other Seeds	0.25 % Max		
North American Countries other than USA and Canada	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total	30 ppb	
	Chilli Powder &Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin Total	30 ppb	
		Chilli seed	090422 12			
		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19			
	Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	
		Curry Pastes	Curry paste			ex 21039010
			Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning			ex 21039040
			Other			ex 21039090
	Turmeric Powder	Powder (turmeric)	09103030	Sudan I-IV	Not detected	
		Other	09103090			
	# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter	3.00 % Max.	
		Other	09093129	Other Seeds	0.25 % Max	

Japan	Chilli/ paprika - Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb
				Triazophos	0.01 ppm
				Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm
				Profenphos	0.01 ppm
				Chlorpyriphos	1.00 ppm
				Ethion	5.00 ppm
				Methyl parathion	5.00 ppm
				Parathion	0.20 ppm
				Phorate	0.10 ppm
		Chilli/ paprika - Ground	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin Total
	Chilli seed		090422 12	SudanI-IV	Not Detected
	Other(crushed or ground)		090422 19	Triazophos	0.01 ppm
				Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm
				Profenphos	0.01 ppm
				Chlorpyriphos	1.00 ppm
				Ethion	5.00 ppm
				Methyl parathion	5.00 ppm
				Parathion	0.20 ppm
				Phorate	0.10 ppm
	Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb
				SudanI-IV	Not Detected
	Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010	Triazophos	0.01 ppm
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040	Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm
		Other	ex 21039090	Profenphos	0.01 ppm
				Chlorpyriphos	1.00 ppm
				Ethion	5.00 ppm
				Methyl parathion	5.00 ppm
				Parathion	0.20 ppm
				Phorate	0.10 ppm
	Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter	3.00% Max
				Other Seeds	0.25% Max

		Other	09093129	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 3.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 0.10 ppm 0.50 ppm
Turmeric Powder	Powder (turmeric)		09103030	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
	Other		09103090	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 1.00 ppm 0.30 ppm 3.00 ppm 0.20 ppm 0.10 ppm
Cumin Seed ground	Crushed Or ground (Cumin)		0909 32 00	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 3.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 0.10 ppm 0.50 ppm
Turmeric whole	Dried (turmeric)		09103020	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 1.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 5.00 ppm 0.20 ppm 0.10 ppm
	Other(Sliced)		09103090		
Cardamom - whole &ground	Large (amomum) (cardamom)		09083110	Triazophos Iprobenphos	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm

		Small (elettaria), alleppey green (cardamom)	09083120	Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	5.00 ppm
		Small, coorg green (cardamom)	09083130		1.00 ppm
		Small-bleached, half-bleached or bleachable (cardamom)	09083140		5.00 ppm
		Small (mixed)	09083150		5.00 ppm
		Other	09083190		0.20 ppm
		Powder	0908 32 10		0.10 ppm
		Small Cardamom seeds	0908 32 20		
		Cardamom husk	0908 32 30		
		Other cardamom crushed or ground	09083290		
	Black Pepper – whole & ground	Pepper, long	09041110	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm
		Light black pepper	09041120		0.01 ppm
		Black pepper, garbled	09041130		5.00 ppm
		Black pepper, ungarbled	09041140		1.00 ppm
		Other (neither crushed or ground)	09041190		5.00 ppm
		Pepper, crushed or ground	09041200		0.20 ppm
Fenugreek - whole & ground	Fenugreek (seed)	09109912	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm	
	Fenugreek (powder)	09109924		0.01 ppm	
	Powder (turmeric)	09103030		5.00 ppm	
			Sudan I-IV	Not Detected	

	Turmeric Powder	Other	09103090	Triazophos Iprobenphos Profenphos Chlorpyriphos Ethion Methyl parathion Parathion Phorate	0.01 ppm 0.01 ppm 5.00 ppm 1.00 ppm 0.30 ppm 3.00 ppm 0.20 ppm 0.10 ppm
Australia &New Zealand	Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total	15 ppb
	Chilli Powder &Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin Total	15 ppb
		Chilli seed	090422 12	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19		
	Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
	Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040		
		Other	ex 21039090		
	Turmeric Powder	Powder (turmeric)	09103030	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected
		Other	09103090		
# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter Other Seeds	3.00% Max. 0.25% Max	
	Other	09093129			
Malaysia	* Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin B1 Aflatoxin Total	5 ppb 10 ppb
	Chilli Powder &Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin B1	5 ppb
		Chilli seed	090422 12	Aflatoxin Total	10 ppb
		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19		
	Curry Powder& Curry Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100	Sudan I-IV	Not Detected

	Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010		
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040		
		Other	ex 21039090		
	# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter Other Seeds	3.00% Max. 0.25% Max
		Other	09093129		
Saudi Arabia	Small Cardamom	Small (elettaria), alleppey green (cardamom)	09083120	Acetamiprid Cyhalothrin (includes lambda cyhalothrin) Cypermethrin (including alpha and zeta cypermethrin) Profenofos Triazophos Dithiocarbamates	0.1 ppm 2 ppm 3 ppm 3 ppm 4 ppm 0.1 ppm
		Small, coorg green (cardamom)	09083130		
		Small-bleached, half-bleached or bleachable (cardamom)	09083140		
		Small (mixed)	09083150		
		Other	09083190		
		Powder	0908 32 10		
		Small Cardamom seeds	0908 32 20		
		Cardamom husk	0908 32 30		
		Other cardamom crushed or ground	09083290		
All other countries	* Chilli Whole	Fruits of the genus Capsicum	09042110	Aflatoxin Total	30 ppb
	Chilli Powder & Chilli Products	Chilli powder	090422 11	Aflatoxin Total Sudan I-IV	30 ppb Not Detected
		Chilli seed	090422 12		
		Other(crushed or ground)	090422 19		
	Curry Powder & Masalas	Mixtures of 2/more products of different headings of 09.04-09.10	ex 09109100		
	Curry Pastes	Curry paste	ex 21039010		
		Mixed, condiments and mixed seasoning	ex 21039040		
Other		ex 21039090			

	# Cumin Seeds	Of seed quality (cumin, other than black)	09093121	Extraneous Matter Other Seeds	3.00% Max. 0.25% Max
		Other	09093129		
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