

# MINISTRY FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

## IMPORTING COUNTRIES PHYTOSANITARY REQUIREMENTS

### TONGA

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## EXPORTERS ARE ADVISED TO CONFIRM THE PHYTOSANITARY IMPORT REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO EXPORT FROM NEW ZEALAND

### Amendment Record

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24.	22 February 2024	Updated additional declarations required for <i>Daucus carota</i> under section 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables.  Added conditions for <i>Daucus carota</i> under section 4.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing.	AS
23.	23 November 2023	Removed reference to commodity specific requirements under section 3.3 Nursery Stock.  Amended name for <i>Allium ascalonicum</i> under section 4.1.1 Fresh Fruits and Vegetables.  Updated conditions for popcorn under section 4.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption.	AS
22.	20 September 2023	Added note that list of prohibited commodities has not been provided and removed prohibitions list under 2.1 Prohibitions.  Updated requirements for Seeds for Consumption to state import permit and phytosanitary certificate required unless specified in section 4.4.2, under section 2.2 Import Permits and section 2.3 Phytosanitary Certificates.	AS

		<p>Added Passenger Accompanied Consignments of Fresh Fruit and Frozen Fruit and Vegetables to the list of commodities that do not require an import permit or a phytosanitary certificate under section 2.2 Import Permits and section 2.3 Phytosanitary Certificates.</p> <p>Amended additional declaration and moved requirements for reshipment of fresh grapes from under section 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables to under section 2.10 Re-exported Products.</p> <p>Added section 3.1.2 Passenger Accompanied Fresh Fruit Consignments.</p> <p>Removed conditions for: passenger accompanied consignments of Frozen Fruit and Vegetables and Fresh Cut Flowers and Foliage, Herbarium Specimens and non-commercial consignments of Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing and removed prohibition notes under section 3 Commodity Class Requirements. Updated requirements for Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption to state import permit and phytosanitary certificate required unless specified in section 4.4.2, under section 3.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption.</p> <p>Removed prohibition notes, removed commodity specific entries that are the same as the Commodity Class Requirements in section 3, and removed Herbarium Specimens under section 4 Commodity Specific Requirements.</p> <p>Moved requirements for <i>Cicer arietinum</i>, <i>Glycine max</i>, <i>Vicia</i> spp. and <i>Vigna</i> spp. from under section 4.4.2 to section 4.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing.</p> <p>Amended scientific name (typo) for <i>S. halepense</i> under section 4.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing.</p> <p>Added scientific names for <i>Anacardium occidentale</i>, <i>Bertholletia excelsa</i>, <i>Carum carvi</i>, <i>Carya illinoensis</i>, <i>Elettaria cardamomum</i> and <i>Zea mays</i></p>	
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		<p><i>subsp. everta</i> under section 4.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption.</p> <p>Removed entries for Roasted Nuts and Sprouted seeds under section 4.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption.</p> <p>Added scientific names for <i>Bambusa vulgaris</i>, <i>Saccharum</i>, <i>Salix</i> spp., <i>Zea mays</i>, the common name Lucerne/Alfalfa and amended typo for stockfeed under section 4.5 Miscellaneous.</p> <p>Removed entries for Crystallised Fruit and Herbal Tea bags under section 4.5 Miscellaneous.</p>	
21.	8 February 2022	<p>Removed redundant references to 'section 3.3.1' and the 'Quarantine Manual'.</p> <p>Added phytosanitary conditions under section 3.3 Nursery Stock.</p>	HM
20.	3 November 2021	<p>Removed note to contact an IVA for more information on fresh tomato and tomato seed in sections 3.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing, 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables and 4.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing.</p> <p>Updated note for <i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i> (tomato) to contact Plant Exports in section 4.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing.</p> <p>Addition of section 2.10 Re-exported Products.</p> <p>Added conditions for re-export tomato (<i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i>) seed for sowing under section 2.10 Re-exported Products.</p>	MLM
19.	14 June 2021	<p>Added note regarding export of fresh tomatoes and seeds in Sections 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables and 4.4.1 Seed for Sowing.</p>	MLM
18.	3 December 2020	<p>Updated additional declarations for <i>Apium graveolens</i>, <i>Daucus carota</i>, <i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>, <i>Pastinaca</i> spp., <i>Petroselinum crispum</i> and <i>Vitis vinifera</i> under section 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables.</p>	FA
17.	02 September 2020	<p>Updated conditions under Section 3.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables and added treatment requirements under Section</p>	FA/GF

		4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables to <i>Brassica napus</i> , <i>Brassica oleracea</i> , <i>Brassica oleracea</i> var <i>botrytis</i> , <i>Brassica oleracea capitata</i> and <i>Brassica oleracea</i> .	
16.	19 June 2020	Updated treatment requirements for <i>Apium graveolens</i> , <i>Daucus carota</i> , <i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> , <i>Pastinaca</i> spp., <i>Petroselinum crispum</i> and <i>Vitis vinifera</i> under section 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables. Updated conditions under section 3.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables.	GF
15.	28 May 2020	Updated additional declaration in Section 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables for <i>Apium graveolens</i> , <i>Daucus carota</i> , <i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> , <i>Pastinaca</i> spp., and <i>Petroselinum crispum</i> .	GF
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13.	28 May 2018	Updated commodity specific requirements for Chestnuts in section 4.3	SH
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11.	4 December 2015	<p>The following additional requirements for Queensland Fruit fly have been removed from the ICPR and are no longer required.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Additional declaration required for Queensland fruit fly host material, section 3.1.1 and 4.1.1.</li> </ul>	JN

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All passenger accompanied fruit and vegetables is prohibited, section 2.1 &amp; 3.1.1.</li> </ul>	
10.	4 March 2015	<p>Additional declaration required for Queensland fruit fly host material, section 3.1.1 and 4.1.1.</p> <p>All passenger accompanied fruit and vegetables is prohibited, section 2.1 &amp; 3.1.1.</p>	VK
9.	11 October 2013	<p>Additional note under section 2.5, MPI specified Maximum Pest Limits (MPL).</p> <p>Update of MAFBNZ to MPI (Ministry for Primary Industries) to reflect ministry name change.</p>	SM
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7.	28 March 2007	Amendment of MAF contact details Section 1.1	SW
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3.	21 June 2002	Revision and Reissue of EPS	WJH
2.	25 November 1998	Section 4.1 Changes to the additional declaration wording for <i>Allium cepa</i> , <i>A. porrum</i> , <i>A. sativum</i> , <i>A. schoenoprasum</i> , <i>Apium graveolens</i> , <i>A. graveolens</i> var. <i>rapaceum</i> , <i>Brassica napobrassica</i> var. <i>solidiflora</i> , <i>B. rapa</i> var. <i>lorifolia</i> , <i>Daucus carota</i> , <i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> , <i>Pastinaca</i> spp., <i>Petroselinum crispum</i> , and <i>Raphanus sativus</i>	SCO

1.	28 October 1998	Addition of disclaimer statement	SCO
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# 1 General Information

Users of this document are strongly advised to read all sections to understand the phytosanitary requirements for a commodity.

## 1.1 For enquiries about this document email Plant Exports Team:

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Please state the nature of your enquiry in the subject line e.g. Tonga query or pest interception or password re-set.

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## 1.2 Scope

The requirements listed in this ICPR apply to product of New Zealand only, unless specifically stated.

This ICPR specifies Tonga's phytosanitary requirements for the stated commodities and commodity classes only. If a commodity or commodity grouping is not identified within Section 3 or Section 4 exporters should direct enquiries to:

- Tonga directly in order to ascertain requirements, refer Section 2.2.7
- or
- Ministry for Primary Industries (Plant Exports). Refer to Section 1.1

## 1.3 Phytosanitary Legislation

The following legislation controls the importation of plants and plant materials into Tonga: ref Appendix O

- Plant Quarantine Act 1981 (No.24 of 1981)
- Plant Quarantine (Amendment) Act 1985
- Plant Quarantine (Amendment) Act 1986
- Plant Quarantine Regulations 1995
- Plant Quarantine (Fees) Regulations 1997

## 1.4 Fees and charges

- Please note that the determination and provision of phytosanitary requirements for a commodity not listed within the ICPR may be undertaken on a cost recovered basis. A link to the list of Plant Exports Fees and Charges is available on <http://mpi.govt.nz/exporting/food/fruit-and-vegetables/fees-and-charges/>



## **2 General Requirements**

### **2.1 Prohibitions**

A list of commodities that are prohibited entry from New Zealand has not been provided by Tonga. See section 3 Commodity Class Requirements and section 4 Commodity Specific Requirements.

### **2.2 Phytosanitary Import Permits**

2.2.1 Phytosanitary import permits state the phytosanitary requirements for importation

2.2.2 Permits are normally valid for 6 months, and allow for multiple entry

2.2.3 Phytosanitary import permits are required for the importation of the following commodities;

- Fresh fruit and vegetables
- Cut flowers and foliage
- Fresh herbs
- Nursery stock
- Seed for sowing
- Seed for consumption unless specified in section 4.4.2

2.2.4 Phytosanitary import permits are not required for the importation of the following commodities;

- Passenger accompanied consignments of some fresh fruits
- Dried fruit and vegetables
- Frozen fruit and vegetables
- Dried cut flowers and foliage
- Dried herbs and spices

2.2.5 Please note conditions of import or additional declarations identified upon phytosanitary import permits received from Tonga MPI may differ from those identified within this standard. Conditions of import identified herein are accurate at the time of this standards publication. Where import conditions identified upon an import permit differ from that identified within this standard, the permit conditions take precedence.

Where conditions of export identified upon an import permit differ from that stated within this ICPR, please contact Plant Exports, refer to Section 1.1

2.2.6 The original or copy of the import permit must accompany the consignment

2.2.7 Phytosanitary import permits and conditions of import may be requested from

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## 2.3 Phytosanitary Certificates

2.3.1 The following commodity classes require a phytosanitary certificate

- Fresh fruit and vegetables
- Cut flowers and foliage
- Fresh culinary herbs
- Nursery stock
- Seed for sowing
- Seed for consumption unless specified in Section 4.4.2

2.3.2 Phytosanitary certificates are not required for the importation of the following commodity classes

- Passenger accompanied consignments of some fresh fruits.
- Dried fruit and vegetables
- Frozen fruit and vegetables
- Dried cut flowers and foliage
- Dried herbs and spices

## 2.4 Quarantine Pests

Quarantine pests for Tonga include organisms identified within:

- Additional declarations
- Phytosanitary import permit

**Note:** Exporters should be aware that New Zealand has a number of endemic and native organisms that are unlikely to be listed on an importing country's quarantine pest list, but would almost certainly be treated as quarantine pests if found at import inspection. Phytosanitary Inspectors should take this into account when making decisions about the eligibility of product for an overseas market and treat endemic and native species found at phytosanitary inspection as quarantine pests unless there is clear evidence to the contrary. The New Zealand Organisms Register provides a search tool that can be used to determine whether the organism is endemic, native to NZ or introduced. Follow the link here: <http://www.nzor.org.nz/search>.

## 2.5 Ports of Entry

Where applicable approved port of entry is identified upon the phytosanitary import permit

## 2.6 Inspection on Arrival

All consignments of imported plant material will be subject to inspection for phytosanitary purposes on arrival to Tonga

## 2.7 Sampling Rates upon Arrival

Table 1: Sampling rates upon arrival to Tonga

Fresh Fruit and Vegetables							
No. Packages	1-3	4-25	26-50	51-100	101-150	151-200	$\chi^2_{201}$
Units sampled	All	4	6	8	10	12	15
Cut Flowers and Foliage							
No. Packages	1-3	4-10	11-20	$\chi^2_{21}$			
Packages sampled	All	50% or min 4 packages	40% or min 5 packages	30% or min 7 packages			
Seed							
No. Packages in lot	1-5	6-30	$\chi^2_{21}$				
Units sampled	1 sample every package	1 sample every 3 <sup>rd</sup> package but not less than 5 bags	1 sample every 5 <sup>th</sup> package but not less than 10 bags				

## 2.8 Transit

Requirements not specified

## 2.9 Wood Packaging

Refer to Forestry ICPR for Tonga, link below:

<http://mpi.govt.nz/law-and-policy/requirements/icprs/forestry-icprs/tonga/>

## 2.10 Re-exported Products

*Lycopersicon esculentum*

(Seed for sowing)

Conditions:

Tomato

Consignments of tomato seed not of New Zealand origin which are re-exported to Tonga must be accompanied by:

- the original phytosanitary certificate (or a certified copy) issued by the country of origin
- the re-export phytosanitary certificate must reference the country of origin and the conditions in which the seed entered New Zealand

Vitis vinifera

Grape

(Fresh fruit)

Conditions:

Consignments of fresh grapes not of New Zealand origin which are re-exported to Tonga must be accompanied by:

- the original phytosanitary certificate (or a certified copy) issued by the country of origin
- the re-export phytosanitary certificate must state "Grapes reshipped from New Zealand" and "This produce has been cleared by NZ MPI and meets the current import standards for entry of fresh produce into New Zealand"

### 3 Commodity Class Requirements

#### 3.1 Fruit and Vegetables

##### 3.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit and phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment where required will be stated upon the import permit. Where treatment is required, the following schedules as agreed upon with Tonga may be used:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Consignment must be free of soil. Treatments where applicable must be identified upon the phytosanitary certificate. Refer Section 4.1.1 for commodity specific requirements.

Additional declarations: (generic for all fresh produce). **Note**, refer to import permit for other AD's which may be required.  
"New Zealand Grown"

OR

“.....(name of produce exported) is reshipped from New Zealand, and has been cleared by MPI and meets the current import standards for the entry of fresh produce into New Zealand”

### 3.1.2 Passenger Accompanied Fresh Fruit Consignments

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection on arrival. Documentation showing proof of purchase in New Zealand required. Consignments must be under 20kg.

The following passenger accompanied fruit consignments are permitted:

Scientific name:	Common name:
<i>Acca sellowiana</i>	Feijoa
<i>Actinidia deliciosa</i>	Kiwifruit
<i>Citrus spp.</i>	Citrus
<i>Cynara cardunculus</i>	Cardoon
<i>Diospyros kaki</i>	Chinese Persimmon
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	Persimmon
<i>Fortunella margarita</i>	Cumquat (Kumquat)
<i>Fragaria ananassa</i>	Strawberry
<i>Litchi chinensis</i>	Lychee
<i>Malus spp.</i>	Apple
<i>Momordica charantia</i>	Balsam pear
<i>Olea europaea</i>	Olive
<i>Persea americana</i>	Avocado
<i>Physalis peruviana</i>	Cape gooseberry
<i>Prunus spp.</i>	Stone fruit
<i>Pyrus spp.</i>	Pear
<i>Ribes spp.</i>	Currant
<i>Solanum muricatum</i>	Pepino (Pear melon)
<i>Vaccinium spp.</i>	Blueberry, Cranberry
<i>Vitis spp.</i>	Grape

### 3.1.3 Dried Fruit and Vegetables

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival. If live insects are identified, consignment will be treated, destroyed or shipped. Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Refer Section 4.1.2 for commodity specific requirements.

### 3.1.4 Frozen Fruit and Vegetables

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Consignment must be commercially frozen. Export documentation must demonstrate produce has been frozen at -18°C for a minimum of 7 days. Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Frozen

Citrus will be subject to quarantine inspection.

### **3.1.5 Fresh Culinary Herbs**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Must be free of propagatable material - includes the herbs parsley, dill, chives, sorrel, chervil and coriander. The following additional declaration may be required for some species of fresh herbs ref IP 0459 2002, RR Section

#### Additional declaration

"New Zealand grown"

AND

"Grown in an area free from Carrot Rust Fly (*Psila rosae*)"

### **3.1.6 Dried Culinary Herbs**

#### Conditions

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection on arrival.

## **3.2 Cut Flowers and Foliage**

### **3.2.1 Fresh Cut Flowers and Foliage**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations where required will be stated upon the import permit. Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Flowers and foliage must be incapable of propagation. Refer Section 4.2.1 for commodity specific requirements.

### **3.2.2 Dried Cut Flowers and Foliage**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival. Prohibited plant species are not permitted. If live insects or fungal diseases are identified, consignment will be treated, destroyed or reshipped. Material must be incapable of further growth.

## **3.3 Nursery Stock**

### **Budwood and Cuttings**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations where required will be stated upon the import permit. Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Post entry quarantine is required for most nursery stock.

### **Bulbs/tubers/corms/rhizomes (for propagation)**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations where required will be stated upon the import permit.

Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Post entry quarantine is required for most nursery stock.

### **Whole Plants**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations where required will be stated upon the import permit. Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Post entry quarantine is required for most nursery stock.

### **Tissue Culture**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations where required will be stated upon the import permit. Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean. Post entry quarantine is required for most nursery stock.

### **Aquatic Plants**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Post entry quarantine required.

## **3.4 Seeds, Grains and Nuts**

### **3.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing**

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations where required will be stated upon the import permit. Packaging associated with the consignment must be new and clean.

Refer Section 4.4.1 for commodity specific requirements

### **3.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption**

#### Conditions:

Seed species for consumption require a phytosanitary import permit and a phytosanitary certificate unless stated in section 4.4.2. Exporters are advised to confirm requirements prior to shipping.

### **3.4.3 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Processing**

#### Conditions:

Not Specified

## **3.5 Packing Material**

ref IP 0453 2002 & RR Section

#### Conditions

Permitted packing materials include

- buckwheat hulls
- cellulose wadding
- clean paper
- foam
- plastic
- granulated cork

- sawdust
- vermiculite
- wood shavings
- wood wool
- charcoal

- osmunda fibre
- peat moss
- perlite
- sphagnum moss

Packing material must **NOT** comprise

- hay
- chaff
- straw
- cereal straw
- soil
- rice hull
- decomposing material.

## 4 Commodity Specific Requirements

### 4.1 Fruit and Vegetables

#### 4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables

Refer Sections 3.1.1 & 3.1.5

##### Allium ampeloprasum

##### Leek

##### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit.

##### Additional declaration

"Grown in New Zealand"

AND

"Leeks are free from White Rot (*Sclerotium cepivorum*) and Neck rot (*Botrytis* spp.) and were grown in an area where onion smut (*Urocystis cepulae*) is not known to occur"

##### Allium ascalonicum

##### Shallot

##### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit.

##### Additional declaration

"Grown in New Zealand"

AND

"Shallots are free from White Rot (*Sclerotium cepivorum*) and Neck rot (*Botrytis* spp.) and were grown in an area where onion smut (*Urocystis cepulae*) is not known to occur"

##### Allium cepa

##### Onion

##### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit.



Additional declaration

"Grown in New Zealand"

AND

"Onions are free from White Rot (*Sclerotium cepivorum*) and Neck rot (*Botrytis* spp.) and were grown in an area where onion smut (*Urocystis cepulae*) is not known to occur"

Allium sativum

Garlic

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Subject to fumigation upon arrival.

Allium schoenoprasum

Chives

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Fresh leaves only permitted. Must be free of propagatable material.

Anethum graveolens

Dill

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Fresh leaves only permitted. Must be free of propagatable material.

Apium graveolens

Celery

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. Basal part must be removed.

ref. fax 010702

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Grown in an area free from Carrot Rust Fly (*Psila rosae*)"

OR

"The produce was treated with Methyl Bromide at [insert concentration] for 2 hours at [insert temperature]degrees Celsius (ambient temperature) or above at atmospheric pressure"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

Brassica napus

Swede

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. Must be free of leaves.

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Grown in an area free from Carrot Rust Fly (*Psila rosae*)"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Brassica oleracea*

Broccoli

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. ref IP 0458 2002

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Inspected and found free from cabbage butterfly (*Pieris rapae*) and other insects"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Brassica oleracea* var *botrytis*

Cauliflower

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. ref IP 458 2002

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Inspected and found free from cabbage butterfly (*Pieris rapae*) and other insects"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Brassica oleracea capitata*

Cabbage

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. ref IP 0458 2002

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Inspected and found free from cabbage butterfly (*Pieris rapae*) and other insects"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Brassica oleracea gemmifera*

Brussels Sprout

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. ref IP 0458 2002

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Inspected and found free from cabbage butterfly (*Pieris rapae*) and other insects"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Cichorium intybus, C. endiva*

Endive / Whitloof

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Must be leaves and stems only. Free of soil.

*Daucus carota*

Carrot

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit.

Additional declaration

"Grown in New Zealand"

AND

"The commodity was grown in a Pest Free Area (PFA) from Carrot Rust Fly (*Psila rosae*)"

OR

"The fresh carrot were inspected to the 0.5% MPL standard and found no Carrot rust fly or sign of Carrot rust fly infestation"

OR

"The fresh carrot was treated with Methyl Bromide at [insert concentration] for 2 hours at [insert temperature] degrees Celsius (ambient temperature) or above at atmospheric pressure."

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Foeniculum vulgare*

Fennel

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. Fresh leaves only permitted.

Must not be propagatable. ref. fax 010702

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Grown in an area free from Carrot Rust Fly (*Psila rosae*)"

OR

"The produce was treated with Methyl Bromide at [insert concentration] for 2 hours at [insert temperature] degrees Celsius (ambient temperature) or above at atmospheric pressure"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Fragaria* spp.

Strawberry

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Apart from leaves upon sepal, must be free of

loose leaves. ref IP 0453 2002, RR Section

*Lycopersicon esculentum*

Tomato

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. ref IP 0600 2002

Additional declaration

"Grown in New Zealand"

AND

"Tomatoes were inspected and found free from *Didymella* spp."

*Pastinaca* spp.

Parsnip

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. ref IP 0460 2002

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"Grown in an area free from Carrot Rust Fly (*Psila rosae*)"

OR

"The produce was treated with Methyl Bromide at [insert concentration] for 2 hours at [insert temperature] degrees Celsius (ambient temperature) or above at atmospheric pressure"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Petroselinum crispum*

Parsley

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. ref fax 010702

Additional declarations

"New Zealand grown"

AND

"Grown in an area free from Carrot Rust Fly (*Psila rosae*)"

OR

"The produce was treated with Methyl Bromide at [insert concentration] for 2 hours at [insert temperature] degrees Celsius (ambient temperature) or above at atmospheric pressure"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Pisum sativum*

Snow pea

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Must be free of mature pods. ref RR Section

*Rhem Rhaponticum*

Rhubarb

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Stems only permitted.

*Rosmarinus officinalis*

Rosemary

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Fresh leaves and stem only permitted. Must

not be propagatable.

*Solanum tuberosum*

Potato

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Refer also to additional requirements within "MPI Phytosanitary Official Assurance Programme for Potato Cyst Nematode and Potato Wart." <http://www.mpi.govt.nz/document-vault/743>

Additional declaration

"Grown in an area free from Potato Cyst Nematode (*Globodera rostochiensis*) and Back Wart"

AND

"Potatoes inspected and found free from Potato Tuber Moth"

OR

"Potatoes grown under the Potato Export Certification Scheme"

*Spinacia oleracea*

Spinach

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Must be leaves only free of stems

*Vitis vinifera*

Grape

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declarations and treatment as stated upon import permit. Glasshouse grown grapes only permitted.

Additional declaration

"New Zealand Grown"

AND

"The glasshouse in which the grapes were grown is free from *Phylloxera*"

OR

"The produce was treated with Methyl Bromide at [insert concentration] for 2 hours at [insert temperature] degrees Celsius (ambient temperature) or above at atmospheric pressure"

Treatment:

Fumigation with methyl bromide at one of the following rates:

32 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 21°C and above

40 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 16-20°C

48 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 11-15°C

56 g/m<sup>3</sup> for 2hrs at 10°C

**Note:** Fumigation with Methyl Bromide is not permitted below 10°C.

*Zea mays*

Sweetcorn cobs

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit.

Additional declaration

"Cobs were grown in New Zealand from seed which was grown in New Zealand"

#### 4.1.2 Dried Fruit and Vegetables

Refer Section 3.1.3

##### Prunus armeniaca

##### Apricot

###### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival. Fruit of European / Middle Eastern origin must be free of seed / stone.

##### Prunus avium

##### Cherry

###### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival. Must be commercially produced. Must be free of seed.

##### Pyrus communis

##### Pear

###### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival. Sun dried / home dried not permitted.

#### 4.1.3 Frozen Fruit and Vegetables

Refer Section 3.1.4

#### 4.2 Cut Flowers and Foliage

##### 4.2.1 Fresh Cut Flowers and Foliage

Refer Section 3.2.1

##### Chrysanthemum spp.

##### Chrysanthemum

###### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Treatment required.

###### Additional declaration

"Certified free of whiterust"

###### Treatment

Must be treated with a bud inhibitor Glyphosate (Roundup®) solution @ 5ml/L to 50mm from bloom, for 15 minutes then not put in water for 2 hours. Treatment must be endorsed upon the phytosanitary certificate.

##### Dianthus caryophyllus

##### Carnation

###### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Treatment required.

###### Treatment

Must be treated with a bud inhibitor Glyphosate (Roundup®) solution @ 5ml/L to 50mm from bloom, for 15 minutes then not put in water for 2 hours. Treatment must be endorsed upon the phytosanitary certificate.

### Lilium

### Lillies

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Treatment required.

#### Treatment

Must be treated with a bud inhibitor Glyphosate (Roundup®) solution @ 5ml/L to 50mm from bloom, for 15 minutes then not put in water for 2 hours. Treatment must be endorsed upon the phytosanitary certificate.

### Rosa spp.

### Rose

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Must be treated with a bud inhibitor Glyphosate (Roundup®) solution @ 5ml/L to 50mm from bloom, for 15 minutes then not put in water for 2 hours. Treatment must be endorsed upon the phytosanitary certificate.

### Sandersonia spp.

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit.

## **4.2.2 Dried Cut Flowers and Foliage**

Refer Section 3.2.2

## **4.3 Nursery Stock**

Refer Section 3.3

## **4.4 Seeds, Grains and Nuts**

### **4.4.1 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Sowing**

Refer Section 3.4.1

### Cicer arietinum

### Chickpea

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary Certificate required. Additional Declaration as stated upon import permit. International seed testing certificate required for bulk consignments.

### Daucus carota

### Carrot

#### Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate and additional declaration required.



**Additional declaration**  
**"Grown in New Zealand."**

Glycine max

Soybean

Conditions:

Import permit required and phytosanitary certificate required. International seed testing certificate. Subject to fumigation upon arrival.

Lycopersicon esculentum

Tomato

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit.

**Note:** Anyone wishing to export tomato seeds, please contact PlantExports@mpi.govt.nz.

Sorghum spp. excluding S. halepense

Broom corn/Sudan

Conditions:

Import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. International seed testing certificate required.

Vicia spp.

Broad Bean

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Additional declaration as stated upon import permit. Bulk seed requires an International seed certificate required. Subject to inspection on arrival.

Vigna spp.

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Bulk seed requires an International seed certificate required. Subject to inspection on arrival.

#### **4.4.2 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Consumption**

Refer Section 3.4.2

Aesculus spp.

Conkers/ Horse chestnuts

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival.

Anacardium occidentale

Cashew nuts

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Fumigation mandatory for commercial consignments upon arrival. Small packets will be inspected on arrival.

Arachis hypogaea

Peanut

Conditions: (shelled or unshelled raw, seed in bulk)

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Bulk consignments may be treated upon arrival.

*Bertholletia excelsa*

Brazil nuts

Conditions: (shelled or unshelled)

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Fumigation mandatory for commercial consignments upon arrival. Small packets will be inspected on arrival.

*Castanea spp.*

Chestnuts

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary Certificate not required. Only dried or blanched nuts permitted. Inspection upon arrival.

*Carum carvi*

Caraway seed

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival.

*Carya illinoensis*

Pecan nuts (raw)

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Fumigation upon arrival for raw seeds. Small packets will be inspected on arrival.

*Elettaria cardamomum*

Cardamon

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival.

*Juglans spp.*

Walnut

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Commercial consignments will be fumigated upon arrival. Small packets of 'walnut meat' imported by air passengers will be inspected upon arrival.

*Lens culinaris*

Lentils (whole and split)

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection on arrival.

*Prunus amygdalis*

Almond

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. Fumigation required. Small commercial packs of roasted nuts will be inspected and treated if insects are identified.

*Sesamum indicum*

Sesame

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required.

Inspection on arrival.

*Zea mays subsp. everta*

Popcorn (Popped)

Conditions:

Import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection on arrival.

#### 4.4.3 Seeds, Grains and Nuts for Processing

Not specified

#### 4.5 Miscellaneous

*Bambusa vulgaris*,

*Bamboo*,

*Saccharum officinarum*, *Salix* spp.

Cane, Willow (Baskets)

Conditions:

Baskets made out of bamboo, cane or willow will be inspected upon arrival and treated if required.

*Medicago sativa*

Lucerne/Alfalfa (Stockfeed)

Conditions:

Phytosanitary certificate required. Treatment may be required. Exporters are advised to confirm requirements prior to shipping.

*Panax* spp.

Ginseng

Conditions:

Import Permit required and Phytosanitary Certificate not required. Inspection upon arrival.

*Zea mays*

Corn Cob Powder

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required.

*Zea mays*

Corn Grits

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate not required. Inspection on arrival.