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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
and  
SWEDEN**

**Interim Agreement relating to the General Agreement on  
Tariffs and Trade (with Schedules). Signed at Geneva,  
on 5 March 1962**

*Official text: English.*

*Registered by the United States of America on 15 April 1963.*

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**ÉTATS-UNIS D'AMÉRIQUE  
et  
SUÈDE**

**Accord intérimaire relatif à l'Accord général sur les tarifs  
douaniers et le commerce (avec listes). Signé à Genève,  
le 5 mars 1962**

*Texte officiel anglais.*

*Enregistré par les États-Unis d'Amérique le 15 avril 1963.*

No. 6610. INTERIM AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup> BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND SWEDEN RELATING TO THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE.<sup>2</sup> SIGNED AT GENEVA, ON 5 MARCH 1962

The Government of the United States of America and the Government of Sweden, having carried on tariff negotiations pursuant to Article XXVIII bis<sup>3</sup> of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade<sup>2</sup> at the 1960-61 Tariff Conference of the Contracting Parties to the General Agreement, and desiring to enter immediately into a definitive agreement without awaiting the preparation of a Protocol embodying the results of that Conference, agree as follows :

I

The provisions of each party's schedule annexed hereto shall be applied by it as if this Agreement were a Protocol of Supplementary Concessions to the General Agreement.

II

The CONTRACTING PARTIES are requested to exercise the same functions with respect to the schedules annexed to this Agreement as they would exercise if these schedules were schedules to the General Agreement.

<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 18 May 1962, the date of ratification by Sweden, in accordance with the provisions of article III. According to information provided by the United States of America, ratification is not required by the United States.

<sup>2</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 55, p. 187; Vols. 56 to 64; Vol. 65, p. 335; Vol. 66, pp. 358 and 359; Vol. 68, p. 286; Vol. 70, p. 306; Vol. 71, p. 328; Vol. 76, p. 282; Vol. 77, p. 367; Vol. 81, pp. 344 to 377; Vol. 90, p. 324; Vol. 92, p. 405; Vol. 104, p. 351; Vol. 107, p. 83; Vol. 117, p. 387; Vol. 123, p. 303; Vol. 131, p. 316; Vol. 135, p. 336; Vol. 138, p. 334; Vol. 141, p. 382; Vols. 142 to 146; Vol. 147, p. 159; Vol. 161, p. 365; Vol. 163, p. 375; Vol. 167, p. 265; Vol. 172, p. 340; Vol. 173, p. 395; Vol. 176, p. 3; Vol. 180, p. 299; Vol. 183, p. 351; Vol. 186, p. 314; Vol. 188, p. 366; Vol. 189, p. 360; Vol. 191, p. 364; Vol. 220, p. 154; Vol. 225, p. 258; Vol. 226, p. 342; Vol. 228, p. 366; Vol. 230, p. 430; Vol. 234, p. 310; Vol. 243, p. 314; Vols. 244 to 246; Vol. 247, p. 386; Vol. 248, p. 359; Vol. 250, p. 290; Vol. 253, p. 316; Vol. 256, p. 338; Vol. 257, p. 362; Vol. 258, p. 384; Vol. 261, p. 390; Vol. 265, p. 328; Vol. 271, p. 386; Vol. 274, p. 322; Vol. 277, p. 346; Vol. 278, p. 168; Vol. 280, p. 350; Vol. 281, p. 394; Vol. 283, p. 308; Vol. 285, p. 372; Vol. 287, p. 343; Vol. 300, p. 371; Vol. 306, p. 332; Vol. 309, p. 362; Vol. 317, p. 317; Vol. 320, p. 326; Vol. 321, p. 244; Vol. 324, p. 300; Vol. 328, p. 290; Vol. 330, p. 352; Vol. 338, p. 334; Vol. 344, p. 304; Vol. 346, p. 312; Vol. 347, p. 362; Vol. 349, p. 314; Vol. 350, p. 3; Vol. 351, p. 380; Vol. 355, p. 406; Vol. 358, p. 256; Vol. 362, p. 324; Vol. 363, p. 402; Vol. 367, p. 314; Vol. 373, p. 350; Vol. 376, p. 406; Vol. 377, p. 396; Vol. 381, p. 380; Vol. 382, p. 330; Vol. 386, p. 376; Vol. 387, p. 330; Vol. 388, p. 334; Vol. 390, p. 348; Vol. 398, p. 316; Vol. 402, p. 308; Vol. 405, p. 298; Vol. 411, p. 296; Vol. 419, p. 344; Vol. 421, p. 286; Vol. 424, p. 324; Vol. 425, p. 314; Vol. 429, p. 268; Vol. 431, p. 202; Vol. 435, p. 310; Vol. 438, p. 342; Vols. 440 and 441; Vol. 442, p. 302; Vol. 444, p. 322; Vol. 445, p. 290; Vol. 449, p. 280; Vol. 451, p. 322; Vol. 452, p. 282, and Vol. 456, p. 488.

<sup>3</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 278, p. 208.

## III

This Agreement shall enter into force upon signature, subject to such ratification by either party as may be required under its Constitution and laws. However, the concessions set forth in the schedule of a party shall take effect, except as otherwise provided in such schedule, thirty days after the date on which that party has notified the other party of its intention to put such concessions into effect.<sup>1</sup> A party which has put the concessions set forth in its schedule into effect shall have the right to suspend or withdraw them in whole or in part until such time as the other party gives such notification.

## IV

This Agreement shall terminate at such time as a Protocol to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade embodying the results of the 1960-61 Tariff Conference<sup>2</sup> and incorporating the schedules annexed hereto enters into force.

DONE at Geneva this fifth day of March 1962.

For the Government  
of the United States of America :

John W. EVANS

For the Government  
of Sweden :

Nils MONTAN

<sup>1</sup> Notification given by the United States and by Sweden June 1, 1962, effective July 1, 1962.

<sup>2</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vols. 440 and 441; Vol. 445, p. 292; Vol. 452, p. 288, and Vol. 456, p. 490.

## SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

This schedule is authentic only in the English language

Customs Territory of the United States

## MOST-FAVORED-NATION TARIFF

(See general notes at the end of this Schedule)

Paragraph*	Description of Products	Rates of Duty	
		A	B
27(a) (3) (4) (5)	All products, by whatever name known, which are similar to any of the products provided for in paragraph 27 or 1651, Tariff Act of 1930, and which are obtained, derived, or manufactured in whole or in part from any of the products provided for in either of such paragraphs; and all mixtures, including solutions, consisting in whole or in part of any of the products provided for in subdivision (1), (2), or (3) of paragraph 27(a), Tariff Act of 1930: 2,3-dichloro-1,4-naphthoquinone . . . . .	3.1¢ per lb. and 22½% ad val.	2.8¢ per lb. and 20% ad val.
28(a)	Medicinals, when obtained, derived, or manufactured in whole or in part from any of the products provided for in paragraph 27 or 1651, Tariff Act of 1930: Salicylazosulfapyridine . . . . .	3.1¢ per lb. and 22½% ad val.	2.8¢ per lb. and 20% ad val.
78	Potassium: Hydroxide or caustic potash . . . . .	0.35 per lb.	0.2 per lb.
201(a)	Fire brick, not specially provided for . . . . .	4% ad val.	3% ad val.
218(f)	Table and kitchen articles and utensils, and all articles of every description not specially provided for, composed wholly or in chief value of glass, blown or partly blown in the mold or otherwise, or colored, cut, engraved, etched, frosted, gilded, ground (except such grinding as is necessary for fitting stoppers or for purposes other than ornamentation), painted, printed in any manner, sandblasted, silvered, stained, or decorated or ornamented in any manner, whether filled or unfilled, and whether their contents be dutiable or free (except articles and utensils commercially known as bubble glass and produced otherwise than by automatic machine; articles designed primarily for ornamental		

\* The word "Paragraph" refers to the respective paragraphs appearing in the Tariff Act of 1930.

Paragraph*	Description of Products	Rates of Duty	
		A	B
218(f) (con.)	Table and kitchen articles, etc. (con.) : purposes, decorated chiefly by engraving, and valued at \$8 or more each; articles blown or partly blown, in the mold or otherwise, if cut or engraved, and valued at \$3 or more each; colored mosaic tiles; and Christmas tree ornaments) : Table, kitchen, and other household articles and utensils containing 24% or more of lead oxide . . . . .	45¢ each article or utensil, but not less than 27% nor more than 45% ad val.	40¢ each article or utensil, but not less than 24% nor more than 40% ad val.
234(a)	Granite suitable for use as monumental, paving, or building stone, not specially provided for: Unmanufactured, or not dressed, pointed, pitched, lined, hewn, or polished (including that which has been roughly squared merely to facilitate its shipment to the United States) . . . . .	4¢ per cu. ft.	1¢ per cu. ft.
301	The additional duty applicable under the third proviso to paragraph 301, Tariff Act of 1930, to vanadium contained in articles provided for in said paragraph 301, Tariff Act of 1930, shall be . . . . .	45¢ per lb. on the vanadium content in excess of 1/10 of 1 per centum	40¢ per lb. on the vanadium content in excess of 1/10 of 1 per centum
302(k)	Ferrochrome or ferrochromium containing less than 3 per centum of carbon . . . . .	9½% ad val.	8½% ad val.
305(2)	The additional cumulative duty to be levied, collected, and paid under paragraph 305(2), Tariff Act of 1930, on the vanadium content of all steel or iron in the materials and articles enumerated or described in paragraphs 303, 304, 307, 308, 312, 313, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 322, 323, 324, 327, and 328, Tariff Act of 1930, shall be . . . . .	45¢ per lb. on the vanadium content in excess of 1/10 of 1 per centum	40¢ per lb. on the vanadium content in excess of 1/10 of 1 per centum

Paragraph*	Description of Products	Rates of Duty	
		A	B
315	The additional duty under the third proviso to paragraph 315, Tariff Act of 1930, applicable to "strips of iron or steel, whether in long or short lengths, not specially provided for", as provided for in paragraph 313, Tariff Act of 1930, when cold hammered, blued, brightened, tempered or polished by any process to such perfected surface finish or polish better than the grade of cold rolled, smoothed only, shall be . .	0.09¢ per lb.	0.08¢ per lb.
320	Electric storage batteries and parts thereof, storage battery plates, and storage battery plate material, wholly or partly manufactured, all the foregoing not specially provided for (except lead-acid type storage batteries and parts thereof, lead-acid type storage battery plates, and lead-acid type storage battery plate material) . . . . .	18% ad val.	16% ad val.
328	Finished or unfinished iron or steel tubes, not specially provided for: If suitable for use in the manufacture of ball or roller bearings . . . . .	13½% ad val.	12% ad val.
340	Mill saws, pit and drag saws, circular saws, and steel band saws, finished or further advanced than tempered and polished . . . . .	9% ad val.	8% ad val.
362	Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats, of whatever cut or kind, seven inches in length or over . . .	20¢ per doz.	17.5¢ per doz.
370	Parts of motor boats: Internal combustion engines, except non-carburetor type engines weighing over 2,500 pounds each . . . . .	8¾% ad val.	
372	Cash registers . . . . .	11% ad val.	10% ad val.
372	Cream separators, valued over \$50 but not over \$100 each . . . . .	5% ad val.	4% ad val.
372	Machines, finished or unfinished, not specially provided for: Mining machines . . . . . Sawmill and other wood-working machines (except reciprocating gang-saw machines) .	10½% ad val. 10½% ad val.	9% ad val. 10% ad val.
372	Parts, not specially provided for, wholly or in chief value of metal or porcelain, of any article provided for in any item 372 of this Schedule . . .	The rate for the article of which they are parts	The rate for the article of which they are parts

Paragraph*	Description of Products	Rates of Duty	
		A	B
389	Nickel, and alloys (except those provided for in paragraph 302 or 380, Tariff Act of 1930) in which nickel is the component material of chief value : In bars, rods, plates, sheets, strips, strands, castings, wire, anodes, or electrodes . . . All the foregoing, if cold rolled, cold drawn, or cold worked . . . . .	11% ad val.  4½% ad val. in addition to the foregoing rate	10% ad val.  4% ad val. in addition to the foregoing rate
1402	Paper board and pulpboard, including cardboard (but not including wallboard; leather board or compress leather; and except pulpboard 0.012 inch or more thick, of a kind chiefly used as corrugating media; strawboard; solid fiber shoe board and all counter board; and insulating board), not plate finished, supercalendered or friction calendered, laminated by means of an adhesive substance, coated, surface stained or dyed, lined or vat-lined, embossed, printed, decorated or ornamented in any manner, nor cut into shapes for boxes or other articles and not specially provided for : Beer mat board . . . . . Pulpboard in rolls for use in the manufacture of wallboard; and wet machine board . . .	5% ad val.  4% ad val.	4% ad val.  3% ad val.
1406	Labels and flaps, composed wholly or in chief value of paper lithographically printed in whole or in part from stone, gelatin, metal, or other material, not specially provided for : Over 10 square inches cutting size in dimensions, or not over such dimensions and neither embossed nor diecut, any of the foregoing printed in less than 8 colors (bronze printing to be counted as 2 colors), but not printed in whole or in part in metal leaf . . . . .	19¢ per lb.	17¢ per lb.
1517	Cartridges, except shotgun shells . . . . .	27% ad val.	25% ad val.
1530(c)	Leather (except leather provided for in subdivision (d) of paragraph 1530, Tariff Act of 1930), made from hides or skins of animals (including fish, reptiles, and birds, but not including cattle of the bovine species), in the rough, in the white, crust, or russet, partly finished, or finished : Chamois (except oil-tanned), garment or glove, made from lamb or sheep skins . .	11% ad val.	10% ad val.

Paragraph*	Description of Products	Rates of Duty	
		A	B
1535	Parts of fishing reels, finished or unfinished, not specially provided for . . . . .	30½% ad val.	27% ad val.
1537(b)	Manufactures of india rubber or guttapercha, or of which these substances or either of them is the component material of chief value, not specially provided for: Tires . . . . .	11% ad val.	10% ad val.
1732	Oils, expressed or extracted: Rapeseed, rendered unfit for use as food or for any but mechanical or manufacturing purposes . . . . .	Free	

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Section**	Description of Products	Rates of Import Tax	
		A	B
4571(1)	Rapeseed oil, whether or not refined, sulphated, sulphated, hydrogenated, or otherwise processed	2¢ per lb.	1.8¢ per lb.

## [TRADUCTION — TRANSLATION]

## GENERAL NOTES

1. The provisions of this Schedule are subject to the pertinent notes appearing at the end of Schedule XX (Geneva-1947) annexed to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, as authenticated at Geneva on October 30, 1947.

2. Subject to the provisions of this Schedule, to the provisions of this Agreement, and to the provisions of section 350 (a) (4) (B) and (C) of the Tariff Act of 1930, the rates specified in the rate columns in this Schedule will become effective as follows:

(a) Rates in Column A will become initially effective on the day provided

## NOTES GÉNÉRALES

1. Les dispositions de la présente liste sont assujetties aux notes appropriées figurant à la fin de la liste XX (Genève 1947) annexée à l'Accord général sur les tarifs douaniers et le commerce et authentiquée à Genève le 30 octobre 1947.

2. Sous réserve des dispositions de la présente liste, de celles du présent Accord et de celles de l'article 350 a (4) (B) et (C) du tarif des États-Unis (loi de 1930), les taux indiqués dans les colonnes A et B de la présente liste entreront en vigueur aux dates suivantes:

a) Les taux de la colonne A entreront originellement en vigueur à la date prévue

\*\* The word "Section" refers to the respective section appearing in the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.



therefor in the proclamation by the President of the United States<sup>1</sup> to carry out the provisions of this Agreement. Rates in Column B will become initially effective in each case upon the expiration of a full period of one year after the related rate in Column A became initially effective. A rate shall be considered as becoming initially effective as indicated above even though such rate reflects no change in rate of duty, and notwithstanding duty on the product or products concerned is temporarily suspended.

(b) For the purposes of subparagraph (a) above, the phrase "full period of one year" means a period or periods aggregating one year exclusive of the time, after a rate becomes initially effective, when, by reason of legislation of the United States or action thereunder, a higher rate of duty is being applied.

à cet effet dans la proclamation du Président des États-Unis<sup>1</sup> portant mise en application des dispositions du présent Accord. Les taux de la colonne B entreront originairement en vigueur, dans chaque cas, à l'expiration d'une période complète d'un an à compter de la date d'entrée en vigueur initiale du taux correspondant de la colonne A. Un taux sera considéré comme entrant originairement en vigueur selon les indications qui précèdent, même si ce taux ne représente aucune modification des droits et même si les droits sur le produit ou les produits en question sont temporairement suspendus;

b) Aux fins de l'alinéa a, l'expression « période complète d'un an » signifie une période d'un an ou plusieurs périodes représentant un an au total, compte non tenu du temps pendant lequel, après la date d'entrée en vigueur initiale d'un taux, des droits plus élevés auront été appliqués en vertu de la législation des États-Unis ou de mesures prises en application de ladite législation.

<sup>1</sup> Rates effective July 1, 1962. See Proclamation 3468 of Apr. 30, 1962; 27 Fed. Reg. 4239, 4241.

<sup>1</sup> Taux applicables à partir du 1<sup>er</sup> juillet 1962. Voir Proclamation 3468 du 30 avril 1962.

## 1960/61 TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS

### FINAL LIST OF CONCESSIONS GRANTED BY SWEDEN TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

This list is authentic only in the English language

Tariff Item Number	Description of Products	Rate of Duty Sw. Cr/100 Kg. or ad val.
ex 09.01	Coffee, whether or not roasted or freed of caffeine; coffee husks and skins; coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion :	
	Coffee, roasted . . . . . 100 Kg.	60.—
	<i>plus special tax 100 Kg.</i>	45.—
ex 19.08	Pastry, biscuits, cakes and other fine bakers' wares, whether or not containing cocoa in any proportion :	
	Biscuits and wafers . . . . . ad val.	10%

Tariff Item Number	Description of Products	Rate of Duty Sw. Cr/100 Kg. or ad val.
ex 20.06	Fruit otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or spirit : Other than pulp : Pineapples, apricots, peaches and mixed fruits for salad 100 Kg. <sup>1</sup>	25.—
ex 20.07	Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, whether or not containing added sugar, but unfermented and not containing spirit : Unsweetened, in vessels weighing gross : 3 Kg. or less : Of citrus fruits . . . . . 100 Kg. <sup>1</sup> Of vegetables . . . . . 100 Kg. <sup>1</sup>	20.— 20.—
ex 21.04	Sauces; mixed condiments and mixed seasonings : Sauces containing not more than 20% of fatty substances ad val.	8%
ex 33.06	Perfumery, cosmetics and toilet preparations : Not containing alcohol (ethyl alcohol) : Shaving cream . . . . . ad val.	12%
ex 38.11	Disinfectants, insecticides, fungicides, weed-killers, anti-sprouting products, rat poisons and similar products, put up in forms or packings for sale by retail or as preparations or as articles (for example, sulphur-treated bands, wicks and candles, fly-papers) : Insecticides, fungicides and weed-killers . . . . . ad val.	10%
ex 40.06	Unvulcanised natural or synthetic rubber, including rubber latex, in other forms or states, (for example, rods, tubes and profile shapes, solutions and dispersions); articles of unvulcanised natural or synthetic rubber (for example, coated or impregnated textile thread; rings and discs) : Solutions and dispersions . . . . . ad val.	8%
ex 40.13	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories (including gloves), for all purposes, of unhardened vulcanised rubber : Gloves . . . . . ad val.	10%
ex 61.10	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods : Of other textile materials than continuous man-made fibres . . . . . ad val.	15%
ex 82.02	Saws (non-mechanical) and blades for hand or machine saws (including toothless saw blades) : Saw blades, other than the following : band saw blades, circular saw blades, blades for rail saws and for hack saws, frame saw and log saw blades . . . . . ad val.	8%

<sup>1</sup> The duty shall be calculated on the weight of the goods incl. such packings in which the goods are usually sold by retail.

<i>Tariff Item Number</i>	<i>Description of Products</i>	<i>Rate of Duty Sw. Cr/100 Kg. or ad val.</i>
ex 82.05	Interchangeable tools for hand tools, for machine tools or for power-operated hand tools (for example, for pressing, stamping, drilling, tapping, threading, boring, broaching, milling, cutting, turning, dressing, morticing or screw driving), including dies for wire drawing, extrusion dies for metal, and rock drilling bits : Threading and tapping tools . . . . . <i>ad val.</i>	8%
ex 84.05	Steam and other vapour power units, not incorporating boilers : Steam turbines . . . . . <i>ad val.</i>	10%
ex 84.06	Internal combustion piston engines : Spark-ignition engines : Marine engines (other than outboard motors) with a cylinder capacity of more than 1,5 litres . . . . . <i>ad val.</i> Other, except the following : stationary engines, aircraft engines, marine engines, auxiliary engines for cycles, motorcycle and automobile engines . . . . . <i>ad val.</i> Compression-ignition diesel engines, weighing each more than 500 Kg. . . . . <i>ad val.</i>	10% 10% 10%
ex 84.41	Sewing machines; furniture specially designed for sewing machines; sewing machine needles : Sewing machines (other than for the shoe-manufacturing industry), not principally intended for domestic use . . . <i>ad val.</i>	10%
84.47	Machine-tools for working wood, cork, bone, ebonite (vulcanite), hard artificial plastic materials or other hard carving materials, other than machines falling within heading No. 84.49 . . . . . <i>ad val.</i>	10%
ex 84.58	Automatic vending machines (for example, stamp, cigarette, chocolate and food machines), not being games of skill or chance : Automatic vending machines, electrically operated, and parts thereof . . . . . <i>ad val.</i>	10%
ex 87.02	Motor vehicles for the transport of persons, goods or materials (including sports motor vehicles, other than those of heading No. 87.09) : Straddle trucks . . . . . <i>ad val.</i>	10%
ex 92.11	Gramophones, dictating machines and other sound recorders and reproducers, including record-players and tape decks with or without sound-heads : Coin operated gramophones . . . . . <i>ad val.</i>	5%