

6.3 Australian Standards

AS-1481.1 generally referred to as the SAA Crane Code, sets standards for design, construction and testing which apply to cranes, hoists and winches.

AS-1481.6 sets out further, more detailed requirements of the above machinery used exclusively as appliances for storing and retrieving materials.

6.4 Import Duties

a) Cranes

Australian customs tariff reference number 8426 covers Derricks, Cranes, including cable cranes, Mobile Lifting Frames, Straddle Carriers and Work Trucks fitted with a crane. Specific product tariffs are:

	Standard	Developing Country
- Overhead travelling cranes on fixed support	24%	19%
- Mobile lifting frames on tyres and straddle carriers	27%	22%
- Other	24%	19%
- Tower cranes	24%	19%
- Portal or pedestal jib cranes	24%	19%
- Other lifting machinery, self-propelled;		
On tyres	24%	19%
Other	18%	13%
- Other lifting machinery;		
Designed for mounting on road vehicles	27%	24%
Other	27%	24%