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# ARY INDUSTRY MARKET AND LOGISTICS PROFILE

## elling Products for the Mexican Market

### BACKGROUND

Product labelling in Mexico is governed, in part, by the *Ley de Protección al Consumidor* (consumer protection law). Article 34 of that law requires that all information contained on a product or its labels, containers and packages must be in Spanish. The same requirement applies to product advertisements. Nonetheless, the labelling decree of June 19, 1987 allowed "pre-packaged" goods to enter Mexico with foreign labels, as long as minimum Spanish labelling was added by affixing stickers. Pre-packaged goods have been defined as those that are packaged without the consumer present.

In addition to these generic requirements, many products have long been subject to specific quality standards, known as *Normas Oficiales Mexicanas* or NOMs. Compliance with the NOM certification and labelling requirements has, until recently, been the responsibility of the importer. Clothing and textiles, leather products, electrical appliances, medical equipment and supplies, foods and beverages, and pesticides are among the products subject to these specific labelling requirements.

Previously, Canadian exporters of most consumer products had been able to satisfy the Mexican requirements by arranging to have Spanish stickers applied to the original English/French labels by the

Mexican importer or agent after importation and prior to resale.

In March 1994, the Government of Mexico published an official decree which states that effective immediately, both the generic labelling requirements and those set out in NOMs will be enforced at the border. This means that compliance has effectively become the responsibility of the Canadian exporter.

The official decree on labelling (more formally, a "Decisión" by the Minister of Trade and Industrial Development) is dated February 25, 1994. It came into force one day after it was published in the *Diario Oficial de la Federación* on March 7, 1994.

The Mexican government is expected to tighten the regulations to require full original Spanish labelling to be affixed at the point of origin. Canadian exporters to Mexico should prepare for these changes by developing full Spanish labelling for their products.



### GENERAL LABELLING REQUIREMENTS

The new regulations apply to all goods intended for sale to consumers, with certain exceptions which are discussed below. All such products must be labelled in Spanish when they arrive at Mexican customs. The label must contain specific information identifying the product, the

importer and the exporter as well as instructions for use and care (see box).

The labels must be legible, and must be "attached to the product, container or package, depending on the circumstances of the product and how it is to be marketed". Normally, the label will be affixed to each individual package offered for sale to consumers. If the product will be sold as a container of smaller containers, the individual packages do not need to be labelled. There are no

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### HIGHLIGHTS

**Effective March 8, 1994, a new labelling decree changed Mexico's requirements for imported consumer goods:**

- all consumer goods, excluding bulk products, must now be labelled in Spanish (subject to mandatory content requirements) when they arrive at Mexican customs; and
- products covered by *Normas Oficiales Mexicanas* (NOMs) must be accompanied by certificates of compliance and must meet the labelling requirements specified in those NOMs when they arrive at the border.

The requirements for Spanish labelling contained in the March 8 decree are not new, but the enforcement of regulations at the border effectively shifts the onus for compliance from the Mexican importer to the foreign exporter. In addition, the rules for products not covered by NOMs are now somewhat more specific.



specific requirements for label size or location. According to the new regulations, labels can be in several languages, as long as the size of the Spanish version is equal to that of the other languages.

The country of origin was "mistakenly" not included in the official decree, however, it is now necessary to include this information, according to the new regulations. Until a revised decree is formally published, exporters would be wise to include this information, in addition to the other requirements set out in the official decree.

### **LABELLING REQUIREMENTS FOR FOOD AND BEVERAGE PRODUCTS**

Labelling requirements for food and beverage products have been established by the *Secretaría de Salud*. Food and beverage labels must include the following:

- product description;
- date of expiration;
- list of ingredients; and
- nutritional content (if nutritional quality is claimed).

These requirements are in addition to the requirements for generic product labelling. New regulations regarding the labelling of food and beverage products were announced recently, and are expected to be in effect by November, 1994. They are described briefly at the end of this summary.

### **ADDITIONAL LABELLING REQUIREMENTS FOR PRODUCTS COVERED BY NOMS**

Products for which *Normas Oficiales Mexicanas* (NOMs) have been issued must be tested in Mexico and a compliance certificate must be obtained from the *Secretaría de Comercio y Fomento Industrial, Dirección General de Normas (SECOFI)*, the Standards Branch of the Ministry of Trade and Industrial Development or from an agency accredited by them. This certificate must accompany the goods when they are imported.

Some of the NOMs include special labelling requirements and these are now enforced at the border. A partial list of products for which NOMs have been issued, specified by Mexican tariff classification number, is provided at the end of

### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR SPANISH LABELS**

#### **All Consumer Products**

1. Name of the product or good (including a product description, if not described in the name of the product or good).
2. Name or trade name and address of the importer (this information may be displayed on a separate label and may be added after importation).
3. Country of origin of the product.
4. Net contents in accordance with Official Mexican Standard NOM 030-SCFI-1993.
5. Warnings or precautions in the case of dangerous products.
6. Instructions for use, handling and/or preservation of the product.

**Source: Government of Canada translation of Article Five of the March 7, 1994 Decree, as amended by letters of clarification from SECOFI.**

this summary. Exporters of these products should obtain a copy of the NOM for each relevant product to learn about any special labelling regulations.

### **SOME PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS**

Mexico's product labelling regulations contain special treatment for textiles and leather products, electrical and electronic products and refrigerators that differ from the general and NOM-based regulations described above.

#### **Textiles and Leather**

Textiles, clothing and accessories (NOM-004-SCFI-1993), leather shoes and leather products (NOM-020-SCFI-1993) must meet specific labelling requirements specified in the labelling decree (see box) which are enforced at the border. But they do not have to be accompanied by a certificate of compliance, even though they are subject to NOMs, which include labelling standards. For these products, labels must be affixed to the product and not just to the packaging.

#### **Electronic and Electrical Products**

In a letter of clarification issued March 10, 1994, the Ministry of Trade and Industrial Development stated that electronic and electrical products and household appliances are not subject to the general requirement that product labels contain instructions for use and care. The reason is that such products are already

subject to NOM-024-SCFI-1993, which requires instructions and warranties to be provided at the point of sale.

#### **Refrigerators**

Refrigerator labels must comply with a number of very specific requirements including adherence to certain energy-efficiency regulations in addition to all of the requirements for textiles and leather. The label must show the refrigerator's type, size in cubic metres, the model number, the estimated average energy consumption and the annual energy cost.

### **EXEMPTIONS**

The official decree (Article Six) lists several categories of goods which are exempted from both the labelling and certification provisions. A number of other exclusions have been established by letters of clarification. The following goods are exempt:

- A maximum of three units submitted to the relevant Mexican authorities for the purpose of obtaining a certificate of compliance with an official standard.
- Goods that are part of accompanied passenger luggage on international flights.
- Goods that are part of the household effects of persons domiciled in Mexico.
- Goods imported by educational, scientific and non-commercial organizations including any organizations authorized to accept donations under the Income Tax Act.
- Samples with no commercial value.
- Temporary imports for repair or in-bond assembly.
- Goods which are new, one-of-a-kind or highly specialized and involve a security risk may be imported up to a maximum of 25 items per customs declaration. They must be accompanied by a contract that assigns risk to the recipient and states that the items are not for sale to the public.
- Capital and intermediate goods, provided that a written statement of final use accompanies the goods.
- Bulk goods (except where included in a NOM), defined as goods that "must be weighed or measured in the presence of the consumer at the time of sale".



- Packages shipped by courier and valued at less than U.S. \$1,000.

The exclusion of capital and intermediate goods is established by a letter of clarification from the *Secretaría de Comercio y Fomento Industrial (SECOFI)* dated March 10, 1994 which states that this intended use must be demonstrated by a sworn statement. Capital goods, however, are not exempted from certification requirements, if any are applicable.

Exporters can apply to SECOFI for authorization to ship unlabelled products under exceptional circumstances, but such exemptions are unusual.

## ENFORCEMENT

The labelling decree contains a number of errors and vague points that led to difficulties and delays at the border during the first few days after it was issued. SECOFI, the government agency responsible for enforcement, issued a series of clarifying letters in March of this year. Customs officers were given some latitude for flexibility during an unofficial grace period. Some officials have reportedly allowed the importation of products with Spanish labels provided separately, to be affixed in Mexico. Canadian officials in Mexico advise exporters to expect the regulations to be fully enforced, and suggest that Spanish labels should be applied before the product leaves Canada.

## EXPECTED CHANGES TO LABELLING REGULATIONS

In June 1994, two new labelling decrees were published for "public consultation". They include proposed new regulations for generic products and for food and beverage products. These proposed regulations will become effective only upon final publication, which is expected in November 1994. Grace periods for compliance are anticipated extending into early 1995.

### Generic Products

The decree establishes a new *norma*: NOM-050-SCFI-1994, which sets out the minimum commercial information that must be provided on product labels. The new rules will apply to all products not covered by another NOM or regulation.

Under the new rules, Spanish-language labels will have to be "included from ori-

### MINIMUM LABELLING REQUIREMENTS FOR TEXTILE PRODUCTS

#### NOM-004-SCFI-1993

- Brand name
- Content (percentages in descending order)
- Size
- Handling instructions (symbols are permitted in this case provided that they do not require legends)
- Country of origin
- Name and address of importer

Source: Government of Canada translation of Article Four (I) of the March 7 Labelling Decree.

### MINIMUM LABELLING REQUIREMENTS FOR LEATHER PRODUCTS

#### NOM-020-SCFI-1993

- Name of exporter
- Materials (general or specific definition and, if applicable, finishing)
- Country of origin
- Name and address of importer
- Federal Taxpayer Number of the importer and/or registration number of the chamber of commerce to which he/she belongs

Source: Government of Canada translation of Article Four (II) of the March 7 Labelling Decree.

gin". This will formally eliminate the practice of affixing Spanish stickers to English labels. The labels may include other languages as well. In addition, they must meet the metric system requirements set out in NOM-008 and NOM-030.

The most important changes in the proposed rules are requirements for instructions and warranties. The instructions may be on the label or in a separate booklet, and there must be a notice advising the consumer to read the instructions. They must include instructions for use and assembly in Spanish, if applicable.

Warranties will have to be in accordance with the *Ley Federal de Protección al Consumidor* (Consumer Protection Act). They must specify the location of service centres in Mexico. During the term of warranties, manufacturers or importers will be required to replace "any damaged piece or component" free of charge.

Instructions, manuals and warranties must be "incorporated to the product" before

sale, but they will not be required for customs clearance.

The new regulations will also broaden the range of products excluded from the labelling requirements to include the following:

- products imported by Duty Free Shops;
- imports into border cities and zones;
- live animals; and
- books, magazines and newspapers.

The draft regulations also formalize exemptions for a number of other products, such as courier packages, presently included in "letters of clarification".

### Food and Beverages

Food and beverages are presently covered by specific NOMs or by other regulations issued by the *Secretaría de Salud*, Secretariat of Health. Proposed general regulations NOM-051 were published in June 1994, covering all food and beverage products, except those sold in bulk.

The regulations require that the labels be in Spanish and that they be affixed at origin. The product description must reveal the product's basic components. In addition to the present regulations for generic products, food and beverage labels will have to include a list of ingredients, the lot number, the expiry date and special instructions for preservation. A "best before" date is optional, and nutritional information is required only if a particular nutritional quality is claimed or advertised.

Outside packages or wrappers must contain all of the required information, or must allow for the visibility of inside labels.

The new regulations also specify certain claims that may not be made on a food or beverage label. They include claims that a balanced diet does not supply adequate nutrition, claims that cannot be proven, and claims that contravene the Health Act.

### Implementation

The latest decrees covering generic products (NOM-050) and food and beverage products (NOM-051) were first published on June 20, 1994 and June 22, 1994 respectively. There is a 90 day period of public consultation, followed by a 45-day allowance for government review, which



will probably lead to final publication in mid-November, 1994. A grace period of 3 to 6 months is expected before the new regulations will be enforced.

## WHERE TO GET HELP

The **Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade (DFAIT)** is the Canadian federal government department most directly responsible for trade development. The InfoCentre is the first contact point for advice on how to start exporting; it provides information on export-related programs and services; helps find fast answers to export problems; acts as the entry point to DFAIT's trade information network; and can provide companies with copies of specialized export publications.

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### Agriculture Canada

Food Bureau  
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Ottawa, ON K1A 0C5  
Tel: (613) 995-9554  
Fax: (613) 992-0921

The **Embassy of Mexico**, Mexican Trade Commissioners in Canada, and Mexican consulates can provide assistance and guidance to Canadian companies in need of information about doing business in Mexico.

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Ottawa ON K1P 1A4  
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## ADDITIONAL CONTACTS IN CANADA

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#### The Canadian Council for the Americas (CCA)

Executive Offices, Third Floor  
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Toronto, ON M5H 2L2  
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#### Canadian Exporters' Association (CEA)

99 Bank Street, Suite 250  
Ottawa, ON K1P 6B9  
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### Canadian Manufacturers' Association (CMA)

75 International Boulevard, 4th floor  
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### Language Information Centre

240 Sparks Street, RPO  
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## ADDITIONAL CONTACTS IN MEXICO

Canadian companies which export products subject to official standards in Mexico can obtain copies of the relevant *Normas Oficiales Mexicanas* from the following Mexican Government agencies.

### Secretariat of Health

Secretaría de Salud  
Lleja, No. 7, Piso 1  
Col. Juárez  
06600 México, D.F.  
México

### Food, beverages, cosmetics, toiletries:

Control Sanitario de Bienes y Servicios  
Tel.: 518-3696  
Fax: 512-9628

### Medicines, medical equipment and supplies:

Dirección de Control de Insumos por la Salud  
Tel.: 254-0962  
Fax: 250-6962

### Pesticides, fertilizer, toxic substances:

Salud Ambiental  
Tel.: 584-6745  
Fax: 584-5260

### Other Products:

#### Secretariat for Commerce and Industrial Promotion

Secretaría de Comercio y Fomento Industrial (SECOFI)  
Departamento de Información Comercial  
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No. 6, Piso 2  
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Estado de México  
México  
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**PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO NOMs**

<b>MEXICAN TARIFF NUMBER</b>	<b>MANDATORY MEXICAN STANDARD *Referencia anterior = Previous reference</b>	<b>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</b>
	NOM-020-SCFI-1993	Leather products
	NOM-004-SCFI-1993	Textile products
7311.00.01	NOM-021/4-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-012/04-1985)	Cylinders designed to resist high pressures to 5.25 kg/cm <sup>2</sup> , for automobiles and buses
7311.00.01	NOM-018/1-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-005-1992)	Portable containers to hold gas
7321.11.01	NOM-023-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-Q-026/02-1987)	Kitchens that use gaseous fuels
8413.11.01	NOM-005-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-CH-017-1984)	Metered gas distributors
8414.51.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-196/01-1984)	Domestic fans
8414.90.13	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-048-1982)	Exhaust fans of domestic use
8414.90.99	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-152-1987)	Air purifiers
8415.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-O-121-1976)	Wall unit air purifier
8418.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-411-1981)	Air purifier up to 200 Kg
8418.30.03	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-411-1981)	Mechanism for air purifiers, domestic use
8418.40.03	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-411-1981)	Mechanism for air purifiers, domestic use
8419.11.01	NOM-022-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-Q-028/01-1987)	Natural gas water heaters
8419.19.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-152-1987)	Natural gas water heaters, for domestic use
8419.19.99	NOM-027-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-Q-027-1988)	Natural gas water heaters
8419.20.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-031-1990)	Sterilizers for domestic use
8419.81.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-296-1987)	Coffee pots
8419.81.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-387-1979)	Appliances for steam treatment
8422.11.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-360-1979)	Appliances for steam treatment, domestic type
8423.81.01	NOM-010-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-CH-036-1982)	Steam appliances with capacity less than or equal to 30 Kg.
8423.82.01	NOM-010-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-CH-037-1983 and NOM-CH-043-1984)	Steam appliances greater than 30 Kg. but less than 5,000 Kg.
8423.89.99	NOM-010-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-CH-036-1982)	Other steam appliances with capacity greater than 5.000 Kg.
8438.60.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-125-1989)	Choppers or slicers
8438.60.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-143-1989)	Machines to pit, peel or slice fruit vegetables
8450.11.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-337/01-1978)	Machines to pit, peel or slice fruit or vegetables, domestic use
8450.12.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-J-337/01-1978)	Machines to pit, peel or slice fruit or vegetables, domestic use
8452.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-Q-019-1978)	Domestic sewing machines, electric
8469.10.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-162-1985)	Electronics
8469.10.99	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior MNX-N-064-1979)	Others
8470.21.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior MNX-I-046-1987)	Printing calculators
8470.30.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-046-1987)	Calculators
8470.40.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-031-1990)	Adding machines for office use
8470.50.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-062-1988)	Cash registers
8471.10.01	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Machines for automatic processing, analogue or hybrid
8471.20.01	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Machines for automatic data processing, numerical (digital)
8471.91.01	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Numerical processing units (digital)
8471.92.02	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Monitors with color cathode-ray tubes
8471.92.03	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Laser printer with reproduction capacity greater than 20 pages per minute
8471.92.04	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Printers with electronic luminous bar
8471.92.05	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Printers, ink injection
8471.92.06	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Printers thermal
8471.92.07	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Lonograph printers
8471.92.08	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-I-171-1990)	Other laser printers





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8471.92.09	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-171-1990)	Combined units input/output
8471.92.10	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-171-1990)	Monochrome monitors with cathode-ray tubes. Monitors with flat screen greater than 30.5 cm. (14 inches). The other monitors, except those included in 8471.92.02.
8471.92.11	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-171-1990)	Monitors other than those with cathode tubes, with a visual field measured diagonally less than or equal to 30.5 cm. (14 inches)
8471.92.13	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-171-1990)	Printers, dot matrix
8471.92.99	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-171-1990)	Other printers for data processing equipments
8471.99.01	NOM-019-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-171-1990)	Monitor control units or adapters, except those included in 8471.99.04
8472.10.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-N-041-1988)	Shredder, office use
8472.90.11	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior MNX-135-1979)	Shredder, cooling or heating equipment
8476.11.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Carpet shampooing machines
8477.80.99	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Gas washing machines, (tube, blower, diaphragm or lid), included
8481.10.02	NOM-018/4-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-011-1986)	Gas regulators
8481.10.99	NOM-018/4-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-011-1986)	Gas regulators
8481.40.99	NOM-018/2-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X-010/01-1988)	Copper, bronze, brass or aluminum without lining on its surface, except what is included in 8481.80.06
8481.80.04	NOM-018/3-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-X-001-1983)	Battery converters, (dc-dc) for telecommunication equipment
8504.40.06	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOX-1-078-CT-1988)	Battery eliminator with unitary weight less than or equal to 1 Kg. for tape recorders, radios or phonographs
8504.40.08	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-1-031-1990)	Current converter CA/CC/CA for electrical equipment or appliances
8504.40.10	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-1-136-1979)	Drills, except those mentioned in 8508.10.02
8506.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-388-1979)	Drills 6.35, 9.62 or 12.70 millimeters
8508.10.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-388-1979)	Percussion and rotation drills (rotohammers) with potential less than or equal to 1/2 C.P.
8508.10.03	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Circular saw with engine power less than or equal to 2.33 C.P.
8508.20.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-O-151-1982)	Grinders with a minimum of 4,000 to a maximum of 8,000 RPM with capacity from 8 to 25 amperes and 120 watts, with weight of 4 to 8 kilograms
8508.80.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-O-173-1982)	Screwdrivers
8508.80.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Orbital polishing machine with power less than or equal to 0.2 C.P.
8508.80.03	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Keyhole saw with power less than or equal to 0.4 C.P.
8508.80.99	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Electrical tools, domestic use
8509.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-085-1985)	Vacuum cleaners
8509.20.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-132-1984)	Floor polisher
8509.30.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-100-1988)	Food grinder
8509.40.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-302-1988)	Blenders or food processors
8509.40.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-128-1989)	Fruit-juicer
8509.40.03	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-031-1981)	Mixers
8509.80.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Meat grinders
8509.80.03	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Knives
8509.80.04	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-104-1983)	Tooth brushes
8509.80.08	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-127-1988)	Knife sharpeners
8509.80.09	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-112-1988)	Can openers
8510.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-009-1989)	Shavers
8510.20.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-152-1987)	Other hair removal instruments
8515.11.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J-225-1976)	Soldering irons



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8515.31.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-038-1981)	To weld or cut in form of arch, generator type of transformer up to 1,260 amperes
8516.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-090-1988)	Electrical water heaters
8516.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-106-1988)	Water heaters, showers
8515.31.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-469-1989)	Electrical space heaters
8516.31.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-424-1981)	Hair dryers, domestic use
8516.32.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-392-1990)	Other appliances for hair care
8516.33.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-375-1979)	Hand dryers
8516.40.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-006-1982)	Electric irons
8516.50.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-152-1988)	Microwave ovens
8516.60.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-107-1988)	Kitchens, grills and broilers, except what is included in 8518.60.02
8516.60.99	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-133-1983)	Electric ovens
8516.60.99	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-130-1984)	Electric waffle and sandwich grills
8516.72.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-121-1980)	Electric toaster
8516.79.99	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-152-1987)	Yogurt machine, fryer and rice pan, electrical
8516.79.99	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J-114-1989)	Pans
8517.10.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-157-CT-1986)	Cordless telephones with base, except what is included in 8517.10.03 and 04
8517.81.05	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia Anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Fax machines
8518.40.04	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior) NOM-1-088/03-1986)	Equalizers, for sound
8518.50.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-088/03-1986)	Electrical sound amplifiers
8519.10.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Juke boxes
8519.21.02	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-080-1988)	Laser turntables
8519.31.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-080-1988)	Laser turntables with automatic record changer
8519.39.99	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-080-1988)	Turntables, record players, cassette players and other sound reproducers without recording mechanism for domestic use
8519.91.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-137-1988)	Other sound reproducers, domestic and or for automobiles. Unit weight less than or equal to 3.5 Kg.
8520.10.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-137-1988)	Dictaphones, not voice activated
8520.20.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-137-1988)	Answering machines
8521.10.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Cassettes with magnetic band less than or equal to 13 mm.
8522.90.12	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Magnetic videocassette rewriter
8526.92.99	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Remote control mechanism for electrical home appliances
8527.29.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Broadcasting units, except those included in 8527.29.02, 8527.21.02 for domestic use
8527.31.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Broadcasting units, except those included in 8527.31.02
8527.31.02	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Portable broadcasting units with speakers
8528.10.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Color TV sets with screen less than or equal to 35.5 cm. (14 inches) except those of high definition, projection and those included in 8528.10.06
8528.10.02	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Color TV sets with screens greater than 35.5 cm. (14 inches) except high definition, projection and those included in 8528.10.06
8528.10.03	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	TV sets projected by cathode ray tube. Except those of high definition
8528.10.04	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	TV sets of high definition by cathode ray tube. Except projection
8528.10.05	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	TV sets of high definition projected by cathode ray tube
8528.10.06	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	TV sets with flat screen
8528.20.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Black and white TV sets except those included in 8528.20.02



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8528.20.02	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM1-031-1990)	Black and white TV sets by coaxial cable without frequency selector
8531.80.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J381-1979)	Bells, buzzers and other acoustic sounds except those included in 8631.80.01
8536.50.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J005-1988)	Circuit breakers
8538.69.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J021-1988)	Electric current with unit measurement less than or equal to 2 Kg.
8543.80.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J031-1990)	Amplifiers for TV signal transmitters
9008.10.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-031-1990)	Slide projectors
9008.11.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-N-041-C-1988)	Slide projectors
9009.12.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-N-041-C-1998)	Slide reproduction device
9009.21.01	NOM-015-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-N-041-C-1998)	Slide reproduction device, optic system
9009.22.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-N-041-C-1988)	Slide reproduction device, reverse contact
9009.30.01	NOM-016-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-N-041-C-1988)	Thermal photocopier
9018.20.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J103-1988)	Ultraviolet or infrared rays appliances, domestic use
9018.90.03	NOM-009-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-CH-094-1988)	Mercury and aneroids sphygmomanometers for human use
9019.10.02	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-J115-1988)	Electrical massage appliances
9019.11.99	NOM-011-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-CH-005-1985)	Industrial glass thermometers
9026.20.04	NOM-018/4-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-X011-1986)	Pressure regulators, liquid gases.
9026.20.99	NOM-013-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-CH-010-1987)	Pressure regulators, manometers, vacuum gauges of 0.5 MPa and 1,000 MPa
9026.80.01	NOM-014-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-CH-025-1987)	Liquid gas meters. Only positive displacement meters diaphragm style for natural gas with a maximum capacity of 125 Pa m3h and with a heating pressure maximum of 125 Pa (12.70 mm. in column)
9028.20.01	NOM-012-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-CH-009-1964)	Water meter except those included in 9028.20.03.
9029.10.03	NOM-007-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-CH-048-1987)	Electrical or electromechanical taximeters
9207.10.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-031-1990)	Musical organs with more than 24 pedals, without "pedalier".
9207.10.03	NOM-007-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Musical organs with more than 24 pedals, with "pedalier"
9207.10.99	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-031-1990)	Other musical organs, except keyboard instruments in which the sound is produced or has to be amplified electrically
9207.90.99	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-031-1990)	Musical synthesizer
9405.10.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J224-1982)	Non portable lamps, plugs and circuit breakers
9207.10.03	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J224-1982)	Light fixtures
9405.10.04	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J224-1982)	Iron or steel light fixtures
9405.30.01	NOM-003-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J224-1982)	Christmas light bulbs
9405.60.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-031-1990)	Luminous signs, luminous placards, luminous plates and similar articles, electronical
9504.10.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NMX-J362-1979)	Videogames used with TV sets
9504.30.01	NOM-001-SCFI-1993 (Referencia anterior NOM-1-031-1990)	Pinball machines, except automatic bowling

