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Product	Type of Restriction	Remarks
<u>Quantitative Restrictions</u>		
All imports	Exchange quotas and licensing	Annual import program provides quotas for specified commodities from EC countries, other than France; global quotas for all other countries outside the Franc Zone.
Batteries for electric accumulators, alcoholic beverages	Quotas	
Used metal casks and drums, used clothing, alcoholic beverages, used sacks and bags	Prior authorization	
New sacks and bags	Embargo	
Cement	Embargo on imports into part of west coast	
<u>Valuation and Taxes</u>		
Most imports	Import tax of 0-50%, levied on c.i.f. value	
Some consumer goods, such as tobacco, footwear, and alcoholic beverages	Consumption tax of 10%-135%	
Cement	Charge of 2,000 francs per metric ton	
<u>Government Procurement</u>		
Purchases for public account	Procurement practices	Short notification and administrative discrimination.
<u>Other Restrictions</u>		
Beer	Stringent requirements regarding container sizes; beer under 4 degrees alcohol prohibited.	