

# Arrangement on Trade in Agricultural Products between Egypt and Iceland

## ARTICLE 1

This Arrangement between Egypt and Iceland on trade in agricultural products is concluded pursuant to the Free Trade Agreement between Egypt and the EFTA States of 2007 (hereinafter referred to as "the Free Trade Agreement"), and in particular Article 4 thereof. It forms part of the instruments establishing a free trade area between the EFTA States and Egypt.

## ARTICLE 2

Egypt shall grant tariff concessions to agricultural products originating in Iceland as specified in Annex 1 to this Arrangement. Iceland shall grant tariff concessions to agricultural products originating in Egypt as specified in Annex 2 to this Arrangement.

## ARTICLE 3

The following provisions of the Free Trade Agreement shall apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to this Arrangement: Articles 5 (Rules of origin and co-operation in customs administration), 9 (Quantitative restrictions and measures having equivalent effect), 10 (Customs duties and quantitative restrictions on exports), 11 (Internal taxation), 12 (Payments and transfers), 15 (State trading enterprises) and 21 (General exceptions) of Chapter Trade in Goods.

## ARTICLE 4

The Parties confirm their rights and obligations under the *WTO Agreement on Agriculture*.

## ARTICLE 5

The rights and obligations of the Parties in respect of sanitary and phytosanitary measures shall be governed by the *WTO Agreement on Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures*.

ARTICLE 6

1. The Parties undertake to continue their efforts with a view to achieving further liberalization of their agricultural trade, within the framework of their respective agricultural policies.
2. The first review shall take place no later than four years after the entry into force of this Agreement, with further reviews to be determined at the first review.

ARTICLE 7

This Arrangement shall enter into force on the same date as the Free Trade Agreement enters into force between Egypt and Iceland. It shall remain in force as long as the Parties to it remain Parties to the Free Trade Agreement between Egypt and the EFTA States.

ARTICLE 8

If Iceland or Egypt withdraws from this Arrangement, the Free Trade Agreement shall terminate between them on the same date as the withdrawal from this Arrangement becomes effective.

ARTICLE 9

The Annexes to this Arrangement constitute an integral part of it.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, being duly authorised thereto, have signed this Arrangement.

Done at Davos, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 2007 in two originals in the Arabic and English languages, both being equally authentic. In case of any divergence in the interpretation of this Agreement, the English text shall prevail.

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For the Arab Republic of Egypt

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For the Republic of Iceland

## Annex 1

### Egypt's Concessions to Iceland on Basic Agricultural Products

Egyptian Code	Description	Reduction of Customs Duty	Quota (Ton)
<b>Ex Chapter 1</b> Ex 01.01	<b>Live animals</b> - live horses	100%	unlimited
<b>Ex Chapter 2</b> Ex 02.04 Ex 02.10.90	<b>Meat and edible meat offal</b> - Meat of sheep, fresh, chilled or frozen - Sheep meat, smoked	100% 20%	2000 100
<b>Ex Chapter 5</b>  <b>05.05</b>	<b>Products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included</b> Skins and other parts of birds, with their feathers or down, feathers and parts of feathers (whether or not with trimmed edges) and down, not further worked than cleaned, disinfected or treated for preservation; powder and waste of feathers or parts of feathers.	50%	100
<b>05.11</b>	Animal products not elsewhere specified or included; dead animals of Chapter 1 or 3, unfit for human consumption.	100%	500

## Annex 2

### Iceland's Concessions to Egypt on Basic Agricultural Products

Heading No.	Icelandic H.S. Code	Description of products	Duty for Egypt
<b>ex Chapter 4</b>		<b>Dairy produce; birds' eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included</b>	
<b>0409</b>		<b>Natural honey</b>	free
<b>Chapter 5</b>		<b>Products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included</b>	free
<b>ex Chapter 6</b>		<b>Live trees and other plants; bulbs, roots and the like; cut flowers and ornamental foliage</b>	
<b>ex0601</b>		<b>Bulbs, tubers, tuberous roots, corms, corms and rhizomes, dormant, in growth or in flower, chicory plants and roots other than roots of heading 12.12</b>	
	0601.10	Bulbs, tubers, tuberous roots, corms, crowns and rhizomes, dormant	free
	0601.2001	Chicory roots	free
<b>ex0603</b>		<b>Cut flowers and flowers buds of a kind suitable for bouquet or for ornamental purposes, fresh, dried, dyed, bleached, impregnated or otherwise prepared</b>	
	0603.1001	Carnations, (spider flowers, flamingo flowers or tail flowers, wonder flowers or chinchilla and bird of paradise):	
		Imported from 1 December to 30 April	free
<b>ex Chapter 7</b>		<b>Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers</b>	
<b>ex 0702</b>		<b>Tomatoes, fresh or chilled</b>	
	0702.0001	Imported from 1 November to 15 March	free
<b>ex 0703</b>		<b>Onions, shallots, garlic, leeks and other alliacious vegetables, fresh or chilled</b>	
	0703.10	Onions and shallots, fresh or chilled	free

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	0703.20	Garlic, fresh or chilled	free
<b>ex 0705</b>		<b>Lettuce (<i>Lactuca sativa</i>) and chicory (<i>cichorium spp.</i>), fresh or chilled</b>	
	0705.1111	Iceberg lettuce, imported from 1 November to 15 March	free
	0705.1191	Other salad and head lettuce, imported from 1 November to 15 March	free
<b>ex 0707</b>		<b>Cucumbers and gherkins, fresh or chilled</b>	
	0707.0011	Cucumbers, imported from 1 November to 15 March	free
	0707.0012	Gherkins, imported from 1 November to 15 March	free
<b>0708</b>		<b>Leguminous vegetables, shelled or unshelled, fresh or chilled</b>	free
<b>ex 0709</b>		<b>Other vegetables, fresh or chilled</b>	
	0709.10	Globe artichokes, fresh or chilled	free
	0709.20	Asparagus, fresh or chilled	free
	0709.52	Truffles, fresh or chilled	free
	0709.70	Spinach, N-Z spinach and orache spinach (garden spinach), fresh or chilled	free
	0709.9003	Olives	free
<b>ex 0710</b>		<b>Vegetables (uncooked or cooked by steaming or oiling in water), frozen</b>	
	0710.21	Peas, frozen	free
	0710.22	Beans, frozen	free
	0710.29	Leguminous vegetables frozen nes	free
	0710.30	Spinach, Spinach New-Zealand, frozen	free
Protocol A	0710.40	Sweet corn, frozen	free
	0710.80	Other, frozen	free
Protocol A	0710.90	Mixtures of vegetables, frozen	free
<b>ex 0711</b>		<b>Vegetables provisionally preserved (for example, by sulphur dioxide gas, in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions), but unsuitable in that state for immediate consumption</b>	
	0711.10	Onions, provisionally preserved but not suitable for immediate consumption	free
	0711.20	Olives	free
<b>ex 0712</b>		<b>Dried vegetables, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder, but not further prepared</b>	

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	0712.20	Onions	free
	0712.31	Mushrooms of the genus <i>Agaricus</i>	free
	0712.32	Wood ears ( <i>Auricularia spp.</i> )	free
	0712.33	Jelly fungi ( <i>Tremella spp.</i> )	free
	0712.39	Other	free
	0712.9001	Sweet corn, tomatoes and carrots, excluding mixtures of vegetables	free
	0712.9009	Other vegetables and mixtures of vegetables, other than potatoes	free
<b>0713</b>		<b>Dried leguminous vegetables, shelled, whether or not skinned or split</b>	free
<b>0714</b>		<b>Manioc, arrowroot, salep, jerusalem artichokes, sweet potatoes and similar roots and tubers with high starch or inulin content, fresh or dried, whether or not sliced or in the form of pellets; sago pith:</b>	free
<b>Chapter 8</b>		<b>Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons</b>	free
<b>Chapter 9</b>		<b>Coffee, tea, maté and spices</b>	free
<b>ex Chapter 10</b>		<b>Cereals</b>	
		Other than for animal feeding	free
<b>ex Chapter 11</b>		<b>Products of the milling industry; malt; starches; inulin; wheat gluten</b>	
<b>ex 1101</b>		<b>Wheat or meslin flour</b>	
		Other than for animal feeding	free
<b>ex 1102</b>		<b>Cereal flours other than of wheat or meslin</b>	
		Other than for animal feeding	free
<b>ex 1103</b>		<b>Cereal groats, meal and pellets</b>	
		Other than for animal feeding	free
<b>ex 1104</b>		<b>Cereal grains otherwise worked (for example, hulled, rolled, flaked, pearled, sliced or kibbled), except rice of heading No.1006; germ of cereals, whole, rolled, flaked or ground</b>	
		Other than for animal feeding	free

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ex 1106		<b>Flour, meal and powder of the dried leguminous vegetables of heading No. 0713, of sago or of roots or tubers of heading No. 0714 or of the products of Chapter 8</b>	
		Other than for animal feeding	free
1107		<b>Malt, whether or not roasted</b>	free
ex 1108		<b>Starches; inulin:</b>	
	1108.11	Wheat starch	free
	1108.12	Maize (corn) starch	free
	1108.14	Manioc (cassava) starch	free
	1108.19	Other starches	free
	1108.20	Inulin	free
1109		<b>Wheat gluten, whether or not dried</b>	free
ex Chapter 12		<b>Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder</b>	
1201		<b>Soya beans, whether or not broken</b>	free
1202		<b>Ground-nuts, not roasted or otherwise cooked, whether or not shelled or broken:</b>	free
1203		<b>Copra</b>	free
1204		<b>Linseed, whether or not broken</b>	free
1205		<b>Rape or colza seeds, whether or not broken</b>	free
1206		<b>Sunflower seeds, whether or not broken</b>	free
1207		<b>Other oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, whether or not broken</b>	free
1208		<b>Flours and meals of oil seeds or oleaginous fruits, other than those of mustard</b>	free
1209		<b>Seeds, fruit and spores, of a kind used for sowing</b>	free
1210		<b>Hop cones, fresh or dried, whether or not ground, powdered or in the form of pellets; lupulin</b>	free

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1211		Plants and parts of plants (including seeds and fruits), of a kind used primarily in perfumery, in pharmacy or for insecticidal, fungicidal or similar purposes, fresh or dried, whether or not cut, crushed or powdered	free
1212		Locust beans, seaweeds and other algae, sugar beet and sugar cane, fresh, chilled, frozen or dried, whether or not ground; fruit stones and kernels and other vegetable products (including unroasted chicory roots of the variety <i>Cichorium intybus sativum</i> ) of a kind used primarily for human consumption, not elsewhere specified or included	free
1214		Swedes, mangolds, fodder roots, hay, lucerne (alfalfa), clover, sainfoin, forage kale, lupines, vetches and similar forage products, whether or not in the form of pellets	free
Chapter 13		Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps and extracts	free
Chapter 14		Vegetable plaiting materials; vegetable products not elsewhere specified or included	free
ex Chapter 15		Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	
1505		Wool grease and fatty substances derived there from (including lanolin):	free
1506		Other animal fats and oils and their fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified	free
1509		Olive Oils	free
1515		Other fixed vegetable fats and oils (including jojoba oil) and their fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified	free
1520	Protocol A	Glycerol, crude; glycerol waters and glycerol lyes.	free
1521		Vegetable waxes (other than triglycerides), beeswax, other insect waxes and spermaceti, whether or not refined or coloured.	free



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1522		Degras; residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes	free
ex Chapter 17		Sugars and sugar confectionery	
1701		Cane or beet sugar and chemically pure sucrose, in solid form	free
1702		Other sugars, including chemically pure lactose, maltose, lucose and fructose, in solid form; sugar syrups not containing added flavouring or colouring matter; artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey; caramel	free
ex 1703		Molasses resulting from the extraction or refining of sugar	
		Other than for animal feeding	free
ex Chapter 18		Cocoa and cocoa preparations	
1801		Cocoa beans, whole or broken, raw or roasted	free
1802		Cocoa shells, husks, skins and other cocoa waste	free
1803		Cocoa paste, whether or not defatted	free
1804		Cocoa butter, fat and oil	free
1805	Protocol A	Cocoa powder, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	free
ex Chapter 20		Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts or other parts of plants	
2002		Tomato prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid	free
2003		Mushrooms and truffles, prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid.	free
ex 2004		Other vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, frozen, other than products of heading 20.06:	
	2004.9001	Sweet corn ( <i>Zea mai var. saccharata</i> )	free
	2004.9002	Globe artichokes	free

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	2004.9003	Green or black olives	free
	2004.9004	Green peas and beans	free
	2004.9005	Preparations with a basis of flours of leguminous plants	free
<b>2007</b>		<b>Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit or nut purée and fruit or nut pastes, being cooked preparations, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter</b>	free
<b>2008</b>		<b>Fruit, nuts and other edible parts of plants, otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or spirit, not elsewhere specified or included</b>	free
<b>2009</b>		<b>Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, unfermented and not containing added spirit, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter</b>	free
<b>ex Chapter 22</b>		<b>Beverages, spirits and vinegar</b>	
<b>2201</b>		<b>Waters, including natural or artificial mineral waters and aerated waters, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter nor flavoured; ice and snow</b>	free
<b>ex Chapter 23</b>		<b>Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder</b>	
<b>2302</b>		<b>Bran, sharps and other residues, whether or not in the form of pellets, derived from the sifting, milling or other working of cereals or of leguminous plants</b>	free
		Other than for animal feeding	