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1 General Information

1.1 For enquires about this standard email the Exports Group (Plants):

plantexports@maf.govt.nz

To help Exports process your email please record in the subject line of your email descriptive keywords which are relevant to your enquiry i.e. ICPR enquiry-Country-specific details.

For urgent enquiries phone or fax the Exports Group Plants
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1.2 Scope

This standard specifies Vietnam's phytosanitary requirements for the stated commodities and commodity classes only. If a commodity or commodity group is not identified within Section 3 or Section 4 exporters should contact:

- Vietnam directly to ascertain requirements refer Section 2.2.4

or

- Biosecurity New Zealand (Exports). Please note, the determination of phytosanitary requirements is undertaken on a cost recovery basis

Users of this document are strongly advised to review all sections of the ICPR for the determination of a commodity's phytosanitary requirements.

1.3 Phytosanitary Legislation

The following legislation controls the importation of plants and plant materials into Vietnam:

- Decree of Plant Protection and Quarantine 1993
- Regulation on Plant Quarantine No 92/CP
- Regulation on Plant Variety Management No 07/CP
- Regulation on articles subject to pest risk analysis no. 34/2007 QD-BNN

2 General Requirements

2.1 Prohibitions

No commodities of New Zealand origin are known to be prohibited entry to Vietnam

2.2 Phytosanitary Import Permits

2.2.1 Phytosanitary import permits state the phytosanitary requirements for importation.

2.2.2 Phytosanitary import permits are required for all commodity classes from New Zealand, excluding those listed directly below.

- Malted barley;
- Hop pellets and hop extract;
- Green beans – frozen;
- Peas – frozen;
- Potato fries – frozen;
- Corn kernels – frozen; and
- Retort sweet corn.

Note:

- I. In the event that a regulated pest is detected on-arrival of one of these plants Viet Nam will require a full pest risk analysis and may stop the trade while this is done.
- II. Viet Nam has determined for phytosanitary certification purposes all New Zealand is considered to be a “pest free area” for all pests listed in the Quarantine Pest list (refer to Section 2.4) until note I (above) occurs.

2.2.3 For new market access a full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

Pest risk analysis data has been submitted for potato, *Solanum tuberosum*, as fresh tuber for consumption, processing and seed potato for sowing

2.2.5 Phytosanitary import permits and conditions of import may be requested from:

Mr Dam Quoc Tru
Deputy Director General
Plant Protection Department
149 Ho Duc Di St
Dong Da
HANOI
VIETNAM

Telephone: (84-4) 857 4719 or 533 0045
Facsimile: (84-4) 851 8198
Email: trudq@fpt.vn

2.3 Phytosanitary Certificates

Phytosanitary certificates are required to accompany ALL consignments of plants and plant products imported from New Zealand.

Note: Viet Nam has determined that for the purposes of phytosanitary certification all of New Zealand is considered to be a “pest free area” for all the pests in their Quarantine Pest list.

2.4 Quarantine Pests

Insects

<i>Acanthoscelides obtectus</i>	Bean bruchid weevil	<i>Monochamus alternatus</i>	
<i>Anastrepha fraterculus</i>	South African Fruit Fly	<i>Pachymerus cardo</i>	Kernel borer
<i>Anastrepha ludens</i>	Mexican Fruit Fly	<i>Pachymerus lacerdae</i>	Kernel borer
<i>Anthonomus grandis</i>	Mexican cotton boll weevil	<i>Pachymerus nucleorum</i>	Coconut borer
<i>Anthonomus vestitus</i>	Peruvian cotton boll weevil	<i>Pachymerus pallidus</i>	Senna pod weevil
<i>Bactrocera tryoni</i>	Queensland Fruit Fly	<i>Pantomorus leucoloma</i>	Vegetable weevil
<i>Bactrocera tsuneonis</i>		<i>Phthorimaea operculella</i>	Potato tuber moth
<i>Caulophilus latinasus</i>	Broad-nosed grain weevil	<i>Pomacea canaliculata</i>	Rice Golden snail
<i>Ceratitis capitata</i>	Mediterranean Fruit Fly	<i>Popillia japonica</i>	Japanese beetle
<i>Ceratitis rosa</i>	Natal Fruit Fly	<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i>	Larger grain borer
<i>Dacus tsuneosis</i>	Japanese orange fly	<i>Pseudaulecaspis pentagona</i>	Peach white scale
<i>Graphognathus leucoloma</i>		<i>Quadraspidiotus perniciosus</i>	San Jose scale
<i>Hyphantria cunea</i>	Fall webworm	<i>Scirtothrips aurantii</i>	South African citrus thrips
<i>Hypothenemus hampei</i>	Coffee berry borer	<i>Sitophilus granarius</i>	Grain weevil
<i>Leptinotarsa decemlineata</i>	Colorado potato beetle	<i>Tagosodes cubanus</i>	
<i>Leptopharsa heveae</i>	Lace bug (Rubber)	<i>Tagosodes orizicolus</i>	Confused flour beetle
		<i>Tribolium confusum</i>	Khapra beetle
		<i>Trogoderma granarium</i>	
		<i>Trogoderma inclusum</i>	
		<i>Zabrotes subfasciatus</i>	Mexican bean weevil

Diseases

<i>Ceratocystis fimbriata</i>	Black rot sweet potato
<i>Corynespora cassiicola</i>	Leaf spot
<i>Deuterophoma tracheiphila</i>	Citrus Maisecco
<i>Ephelis oryzae</i>	Udbatta disease
<i>Erwinia sterwartii</i>	Bacterial wilt
<i>Fusarium oxysporum f.sp. cubense</i>	Panama wilt of banana
Hoja blanca disease of rice	White leaf
<i>Microcyclus ulei</i>	South American leaf blight
<i>Phymatotrichum omnivorum</i>	Texas root rot
<i>Pseudomonas garcae</i>	Coffee bacterial leaf spot
<i>Sphacelotheca reiliana</i>	Maize head smut
<i>Spongospora subterranea</i>	Powdery scab
<i>Synchytrium endobioticum</i>	Black wart
<i>Tilletia indica</i>	Karnal bunt
<i>Verticillium albo-atrum</i>	Verticillium wilt

Nematodes

<i>Aphelenchoides besseyi</i>	Rice leaf nematode
<i>Bursaphelenchus xylophilus</i>	Pine wood nematode
<i>Ditylenchus destructor</i>	Potato rot nematode
<i>Ditylenchus dipsaci</i>	Stem and bulb nematode
<i>Globodera pallida</i>	Potato cyst nematode
<i>Globodera rostochiensis</i>	Potato cyst nematode
<i>Radopholus similis</i>	Burrowing nematode
<i>Rhadinaphelenchus cocophilus</i>	Red ring disease

Gastropoda

<i>Pomacea canaliculata</i>	Rice golden snail
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Viruses

<i>Citrus tristeza virus</i>	Quick decline
<i>Coffee ring spot virus</i>	
<i>Cotton leaf roll virus</i>	
<i>Peanut stripe virus</i>	Peanut stripe
<i>Rice hoja blanca virus</i>	

Weeds

<i>Cuscuta</i> spp.	Parasitic weed
<i>Striga angustifolia</i>	Witch weed
<i>Striga densiflora</i>	Witch weed
<i>Striga hermonthica</i>	Witch weed
<i>Striga lutea</i>	Witch weed

2.5 Maximum Pest Limits (MPLs)

Please note; for all commodities exported to Viet Nam requiring MAF phytosanitary certificates, the following levels have been set by MAF to facilitate exports while still meeting the importing country's minimum requirements for specified quarantine pests and soil.

Quarantine pests* specified by Viet Nam	0.5%
Soil (all plant products excluding seed for sowing)	25g/600 unit or as specified for specific commodities
Soil (seed for sowing)	0.1% by weight

*Quarantine pests for Viet Nam include organisms identified within:

- The quarantine pests section of this ICPR (Section 2.4);
- Additional declarations; and
- A phytosanitary import permit.

2.6 Inspection on Arrival

All consignments of imported plant material are subject to inspection for phytosanitary purposes on arrival using the following sample rates.

2.7 Sampling Rates

Consignment Size	Sample Size
'Small'	100%
'Large'	5%

Note: Vietnam has not defined the respective consignment sizes

2.7.1 The unit of inspection for all commodity classes is the individual plant or fruit

2.7.2 Where plant pests are found the consignment is liable to be treated. Treatment includes selecting, re-processing, cleaning, decontaminating, returning to country of origin or destruction of the consignment.

2.8 Ports of Entry

Consignments are not restricted to enter via specific ports

2.9 Transit Requirements

Plants and plant products transiting Vietnam must be Ref Art 27 DPPQ

- Sealed within accompanying packaging
- Accompanied by a phytosanitary certificate

3 Commodity Class Requirements

3.1 Fruit and Vegetables

3.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. For commodity specific requirements refer to Section 4.1.1. For commodities not listed in Section 4.1.1 a full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.1.2 Frozen Fruit and Vegetables

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required. For commodity specific requirements refer to Section 4.1.2

3.1.3 Dried Fruit and Vegetables

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

3.2 Cut Flowers and Foliage

3.2.1 Fresh Cut Flowers and Foliage

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

3.2.2 Dried Cut Flowers and Foliage

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

3.3 Nursery Stock

3.3.1 Nursery Stock (General)

The Vietnamese Ministry of Agriculture and Food Industry must be advised a minimum of 10 days in advance of the entry of any nursery stock consignments.
Ref Article 18 DPPQ

Post entry quarantine may be required for items of Nursery stock.

3.3.2 Whole Plants

Conditions:

New Zealand does not have market access for whole plants. A full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required for any new commodity before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.3.3 Budwood and Cuttings

Conditions:

New Zealand does not have market access for budwood and cuttings. A full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required for any new commodity before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.3.4 Bulbs, corms, rhizomes and tubers (for propagation)

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. For commodity specific requirements refer to Section 4.3.4. For commodities not listed in Section 4.3.4 a full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.3.5 Tissue Culture

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. For commodity specific requirements refer to Section 4.3.5. For commodities not listed in Section 4.3.5 a full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.4 Seeds (grain) and Nuts

3.4.1 Seed (grain) and Nuts for Sowing

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required. For commodity specific requirements refer to Section 4.4.1. For commodities not listed in Section 4.4.1 a full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.4.2 Seed (grain) and Nuts for Consumption

Conditions:

New Zealand does not have market access for seed (grain) and nuts for processing. A full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required for any new commodity before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.4.3 Seed (grain) and Nuts for Processing

Conditions:

New Zealand does not have market access for seed (grain) and nuts for processing. A full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required for any new commodity before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.5 Growing Media and Packing Material

Conditions:

New Zealand does not have market access for growing media and packing material. A full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required for any new commodity before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

3.6 Miscellaneous

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required. For commodity specific requirements refer to Section 4.6 For commodities not listed in Section 4.6 a full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

4 Commodity Specific Requirements

Refer Section 3 for commodity class requirements

Notes:

- i. Viet Nam has determined for phytosanitary certification purposes all New Zealand is considered a “pest free area” for all pests in the Quarantine Pest list (Section 2.4).
- ii. For new market access requests (i.e. commodities not listed below) a full Pest Risk Analysis (PRA) is required before a phytosanitary import permit can be issued.

4.1 Fruit and Vegetables

4.1.1 Fresh Fruit and Vegetables

Actinidia arguta Kiwiberry

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Actinida deliciosa and A. chinensis Kiwifruit (green & gold)

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Diospyros kaki Persimmon

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Malus spp. Apple

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Passiflora edulis Passionfruit

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Prunus armeniaca Apricot

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Prunus avium Cherry

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Vaccinium ashei and V. corymbosum Blueberry

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

4.1.2 Frozen Fruit and Vegetables

Corn kernels

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Green beans

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Peas

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Potato fries

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

4.1.3 Dried Fruit and Vegetables

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.1.3

4.2 Cut Flowers and Foliage

4.2.1 Fresh Cut Flowers and Foliage

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.2.1

4.2.2 Dried Cut Flowers and Foliage

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.2.2

4.3 Nursery Stock

4.3.1 Nursery Stock (General)

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.3.1

4.3.2 Whole Plants

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.3.2

4.3.3 Budwood and Cuttings

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.3.3

4.3.4 Bulbs, corms, rhizomes and tubers (for propagation)

Lilium spp. Lily

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Sandersonia aurantiaca Christmas bells

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

4.3.5 Tissue culture

Zantedeschia spp. (Including *Z. aethiopica*; Arum lily
Z. albomaculata; *Z. elliotiana*; *Z. rehmannii*)

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

4.4 Seeds (grain) and Nuts

4.4.1 Seed (grain) and Nuts for Sowing

Apium spp. (including *A. graveolens* var. *dulce* Celery; Chinese Celery

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Beta vulgaris Beet

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Brassica spp. (including *B. rapa*; *B. rapa* subsp. *oleifera*; *B. chinensis*; *B. campestris* subsp. *chinesis* var. *utilis*; *B. campestris* subsp. *pekinensis*; *B. juncea* var. *foliosa*, *B. juncea*; *B. parachinensis*; *B. alboglabra*; *B. campestris*; *B. nigra*; *B. oleracea*; *B. oleracea* var. *italica*; *B. rapa* subsp. *oleifera*).

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Daucus carota Carrot

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Chrysanthemum coronarium Chrysanthemum

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Coriandrum sativum Coriander

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Cucurbita spp. (including *C. moschata*; *C. pepo*; *C. maxima*) Pumpkin; Squash

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Medicago sativa Lucerne

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Raphanus sativus Radish

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Sinapis alba White radish

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Sinapis nigra Black radish

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Spinacia oleracea Spinach

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

4.4.2 Seed (grain) and Nuts for Consumption

Refer Section 3.4.2

4.4.3 Seed (grain) and Nuts for Processing

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.4.3

4.5 Growing Media and Packing Material

Conditions:

Refer Section 3.5

4.6 Miscellaneous

Malted barley

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Hop pellets and hop extract

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.

Retort sweet corn

Conditions:

Phytosanitary import permit not required. Phytosanitary certificate required.