

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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## CONTRACTING PARTIES

### The Territorial Application of the General Agreement

#### A PROVISIONAL LIST of Territories to which the Agreement is applied

It may be useful for the contracting parties, and also for the Secretariat to have a list and comprehensive description of the territories to which the Agreement is at present applied by the contracting parties. With this in view, the attached PROVISIONAL LIST has been prepared. This list requires careful scrutiny by each contracting party, and it would be appreciated if alterations to be made could be submitted to the Secretariat by 30 June, 1951, so that a revised list, incorporating all the changes and corrections notified by contracting parties, may be issued in July.

The PROVISIONAL LIST has been prepared in three parts, based upon information available to the Secretariat. Part A lists those territories in respect of which the application of the Agreement has been made effective. Part B is intended to include those territories to which the Agreement has not thus far been applied. Part C names several territories whose status is unknown and it would be appreciated if contracting parties would assist in clarifying the position of these territories.

(This PROVISIONAL LIST has been adapted from a list of customs areas prepared for the Statistical Commission of the United Nations (E/CN.3/127)).

PART A

Territories in respect of which the  
application of the Agreement has been made effective

AUSTRALIA (Includes Tasmania, Macquarie Island, Lord Howe Island,  
Heard Island, McDonald and Shag Island.)

AUSTRIA (Frontiers as in 1937, including all four zones of occupation  
and Vienna.)

BELGIUM-LUXEMBURG (Including districts of Eupen and Malmédy.)

BELGIAN CONGO and RUANDA-URUNDI (Comprising Belgian Congo (colony) and  
Ruanda-Urundi (Trust Territory).)

BRAZIL (Including islands: Fernando de Noronha (including Rocks of  
Sao Pedro, Sao Paulo, Atoll das Rocas) Trinidad and Martin Vas.)

BURMA (Union of Burma consisting of territories formerly governed by  
Governor of Burma, and the Karenni State, Shan State and Kachin  
State.)

CANADA (Including Newfoundland and Labrador.)

CEYLON

CHILE (Includes province of Arica and port of Iquique but excludes  
province of Tacna. Also includes the islands of: Juan Fernandez  
group, Easter Islands, Salá y Gomez, San Feliz, San Ambrosio  
and Western part of Tierra del Fuego.)

CUBA (Island of Cuba and Pinos Island, as well as some smaller islands.)

CZECHOSLOVAKIA (Excluding Ruthenia and an additional 140 sq. km. of  
Slovakia. Including Pozsony, Bridgehead (left bank of Danube).)

DENMARK (Including Islands of Zeeland, Funen, Lolland, Falster, Bornholm  
and the northern part of the peninsula of Jutland and some 1700  
small islands.)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

FINLAND (1947 frontiers: i.e. excluding all areas ceded in 1944 - the

Carelian Isthmus, Western Shore of Lake Ladoga, Salla District, parts of Ribachi and Sredni Peninsula, and areas ceded in 1947 - Jäniskooski, and the area leased to U.S.S.R. - Porkkala.)

FRANCE (Including Corsica and Islands off the French Coast, the Saar and the principality of Monaco.)

ALGERIA (Northern Algeria, viz: Alger, Oran Constantine, and the Southern Territories, viz: Ain Sefra, Ghardaia, Touggourt, Saharan Oases.)

CAMEROONS (Trust Territory)

FRENCH EQUATORIAL AFRICA (Territories of Gabon, Middle-Congo, Ubangi-Shari, Chad.)

FRENCH GUIANA (Department of Guiana, including territory of Inini and islands: St. Joseph, Ile Roya, Ile du Diable.)

FRENCH INDIA (Pondicherry, Karikal, Yanaon, Mahé.)

FRENCH OCEANIA (Consisting of "Society Islands", Marquesas Islands, Tuamotu group, Iles sous le Vent, Gambier, Tubuai and Rapa Islands.)

FRENCH SOMALILAND (Including islands Maskali and Mourba, Frères.)

FRENCH WEST AFRICA (Senegal, French Guinea, French Sudan, Ivory Coast, Mauritania, Niger, Upper Volta, Dahomey.)

GUADELOUPE (Islands of Guadeloupe Basse Terre and Grand Terre and dependencies: Marie Galante, Ile des Saintes, Petite Terre, St. Bartholomew and St. Martin (French Part), La Desirade.)

INDOCHINA (Comprising Cambodia, Laos (including protected Kingdom of Luang Prabang), Viet Nam (comprising the former provinces of Tonkin, Annam and Cochinchina), Spratly Island and Iles Paracels, but excluding Kwangchow.)

MADAGASCAR (Comprising the Island of Madagascar, the Comoro Islands and dependencies, viz: Europe Island, Bassas da India, Nossi Bé, Ile St. Christophe (called also Juan de Nova), Isles Stériles, Ile Chesterfield, Kerguelen, New Amsterdam, Terre Adèle (in Antarctic) and Crozet Island.)

MARTINIQUE

NEW CALEDONIA (Consisting of Island of New Caledonia and following dependencies: Isle of Pines, Wallis Archipelago, Futuna and Alofi Islands, Loyalty Island, Huon Islands, Belep Archipelago, Chesterfield Islands, Walpoole and Surprise Islands.)

REUNION

ST. PIERRE and MIQUELON (Island groups)

TOGOLAND (Trust territory.)

TUNISIA (Protectorate.)

GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC

GREECE (Comprises Macedonia, Thrace, Epirus, Thessaly, Continental Greece (including Island of Euboea, and The Sporades), Peloponnese, Dodecanese Islands, Cyclades, Ionian Islands, Aegean Islands, Crete.)

HAITI (Including islands: Ile de la Tortue, Ile de la Conave, Cayemites, Ile à Vache.)

INDIA (States: Ajmer Merwara, Andamans and Nicobars, Laccadives, Assam, West Bengal, Bihar, Bombay, Madhya Pradesh, Coorg, Delhi, Himachal Pradesh, Kutch, Madras, Orissa, East Punjab, Uttar Pradesh, Hyderabad, Mysore, Unions: Saurashtra, Vindhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Madhya Bharat, (Malva Union), Patiala, Travancore and Cochin.)

INDONESIA (Consists of the federal areas of Java and Madura, Sumatra, Bangka and Billiton, West, South, and East Borneo (also called Kalimantan), East Indonesia comprising Celebes, Molucca Islands and the Indonesian part of Timor, Bali and Lombok.

ITALY (Excluding Zara, greater part of Venezia Giulia with Fiume and Pola (except Gorizia), Free Territory of Trieste, Petit St. Bernard and Tenda, and 4 small areas transferred to France. Including: Sicily, Sardinia, Pantelleria and Pelagian Islands.)

KOREA (Southern Korea: south of 38° North parallel.)

LIBERIA

NETHERLANDS

NETHERLANDS WEST INDIES (Comprising Islands of: Curacao, Aruba, Bonaire, Saba, St. Eustatius, St. Martin (Netherlands part).)

NEW GUINEA (Western half of island of New Guinea and islands off the coast.)

SURINAM

NEW ZEALAND (Comprising: North and South Island with adjacent islets, Stewart Island, Chatham Islands, Three Kings Islands, Campbell Islands, Antipodes Islands, Bounty Islands, Snares Islands, Solander Islands, Tokelau, Niue, Cook Islands, Kermadec Islands, the Ross dependencies in the Antarctic, Rakahanga (or Reirson), Palmerston (or Avarau), Pukapuka (or Danger), Penrhyn (or Tongareva), Suvarrow (or Anchorage), Manihiki and Nassau.)

NICARAGUA

NORWAY (Excluding Svalbard Archipelago (also known as Spitsbergen and Bear Island), Jan Mayen Islands, and Antarctic possessions (viz: Bouvet Island and Peter I Island).)

PAKISTAN (Provinces: Part of Assam, Bahawalpur (or Punjab States) Baluchistan, part of Bengal, Khaipur, North West Frontier Province, part of the Punjab, Sind.)

PERU (Including provinces of Tacna and Iquitos, excluding province of Arica.)

PHILIPPINES (7097 islands, including Turtle Islands)

SOUTHERN RHODESIA

SWEDEN (Including small islands off the coast and islands off Götland and Öland.)

SYRIA

TURKEY (Comprising Turkey in Europe: Eastern Thrace; and Turkey in Asia: Anatolia, including the autonomous Sanjak of Alexandretta.)

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA (Including Prince Edward Islands in Antarctic. Customs area includes Basutoland, Bechuanaland, Swaziland.)

SOUTH WEST AFRICA (Including islands of Hollandsbird, Mercury, Ichaboe, Seal, Penguin, Halifax, Long, Possession, Albatross, Pomona, Plum-pudding, Sinclair and Roastbeef, and including Luderitz.)

UNITED KINGDOM (Great Britain and Northern Ireland including Isle of Man.)

ADEN (Colony of Aden (including Perim, Kuria Muria Islands, Kamaran), Eastern Aden Protectorate (includes Hadhramaut, which consists of: Quaiti State of Shihr and Mukalla and the Kathiri State of Seiyun and includes the Mahri Sultanate of Qishn and Socotra, the Wahidi Sultanates of Bir Ali and Balihaf and the Sheikdoms of Irqa and Haura) and Western Aden Protectorate (consisting of 19 Sultanates).)

BAHAMA ISLANDS (Twenty-two inhabited islands.)

BAHREIN (Bahrein, Muharraq, Sitra, Nabi Saleh.)

BARBADOS

BASUTOLAND (Included in Union of South Africa customs area.)

BECHUANALAND (Protectorate. Included in Union of South Africa customs area.)

BERMUDA (Fifteen inhabited islands.)

BRITISH GUIANA

BRITISH HONDURAS (Colony, including Belize.)

BRITISH NORTH BORNEO (Including the island of Labuan.)

BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS (Protectorate consisting of: Choiseul Isl.,  
Ysabel Isl., Malaita Isl., Shortland, Treasury Isl., Baga Isl.,  
Kolombangara Isl., Rendova, New Georgia, San Jorge, Rennel, Florida  
Isl., Guadalcanal Isl., San Cristobal Isl., Santa Cruz Isl.,  
Vanikovo Isl., and some smaller islands.)

BRUNEI (Protected state on Island of Borneo.)

CAMEROONS (Trust Territory, comprises Northern areas and 2 Southern  
Provinces i.e. Cameroons Province and Bamenda Province. Included  
in Nigeria customs area.)

CHANNEL ISLANDS (Comprising the islands of Guernsey, Sark, Herm, Jethou,  
Jersey.)

CYPRUS

FALKLAND ISLANDS (Comprising East Falkland, West Falkland and some 100  
small islands. Dependencies: South Georgia, South Shetlands, South  
Orkneys, South Sandwich Islands, Grahams Land (Antartic).)

FIJI (Comprising 322 islands in South Pacific.)

GAMBIA (Colony of Gambia: Island of St. Mary, British Kombo, Albreda,  
Ceded Mile, Mac Carthy Island, other islands and territories on  
bank of Gambia River, and Protectorate of Gambia.)

GIBRALTAR

GILBERT AND ELLICE ISLANDS (Comprises Ocean, Christmas, Fanning,  
Washington Islands, Gilbert, Ellice, Phoenix groups.)

GOLD COAST (Comprises Gold Coast Colony (including Ashanti) and Northern  
Territories.)

HONG KONG (Consisting of Island of Hong Kong, Kowloon, new Territories,  
New Kowloon.)

KENYA (Including the Protectorate which consists of Mainland dominions  
of the Sultan of Zanzibar and islands of Lamu Archipelago and Witu  
Protectorate.)

KUWAIT (The Sheikdom of Kuwait)

LEEWARD ISLANDS (Consisting of four presidencies: (1) Antigua, Barbuda,  
Redonda, (2) St. Christopher (Kitts) and Nevis, Anguilla, (3)  
Montserrat, (4) Virgin Islands, Sombrero.)

MALAYA and SINGAPORE (Including: (1) Federation of Malaya, comprising  
states of: Perak, Selangor, Negri Sembilan, Kelantan, Trengganu,  
Pahang, Johore, Kedah, Perlis, and settlements of Penang and  
Malacca, and (2) Colony of Singapore including Christmas Islands  
and Cocos Islands.

MALDIVES ISLANDS (British protected state formerly (until 1948) dependency of Ceylon.)

MALTA (Malta, Gozo, Comino.)

MAURITIUS (Island of Mauritius and dependencies: Rodriguez, Chagos, Archipelago, Cargados, Carayoz or St. Brandon Islets, Cromeelin Island.)

NIGERIA (Colony and Protectorate)

NORTHERN RHODESIA

NYASALAND

PITCAIRN (Pitcairn Island and dependencies, Ducie, Oeno, Elizabeth/ (Henderson) Islands.)

QATAR (Sheikdom of Qatar?)

St. HELENA (Including dependencies: Ascension, Tristan da Cunha group, Nightingale Islands, Inaccessible Island and Gough Island (also called Diego Alvarez.)

SARAWAK COLONY (Coastal strip on Island of Borneo and islands off the coast.)

SEYCHELLES (Including Mahe, Praslin, Silhouette, La Digue, Curieuse, Felicite, North Island, St. Anne, Providence, Frigate, Denis, Cerf, Bird (or Sea Cow Island), and dependencies: Almirantes, Alphonse, Bijoutier, St. Francois, St. Pierre, Cosmoledo group, Astore, Assumption, Coëtivy, Aldabra, Farquhar Island.)

SIERRA LEONE (Comprising the Colony: Sierra Leone Peninsula, Tasso Island, Banana Islands, township of Bonthe and York Islands; and the Protectorate: 3 provinces.)

SOMALILAND (Protectorate.)

SWAZILAND (Included in Union of South Africa customs area.)

TANGANYIKA (Trust Territory.)

TOGOLAND (Trust Territory, included in the Gold Coast customs area.)

TONGA (Protectorate comprising 3 main groups of islands: Tongatapu, Ha'apai, Vava'u.)

TRINIDAD (Including Tobago and smaller islands.)

TRUCIAL OMAN (Six Sheikdoms: Ras al Khaimah, Umm al Qaiwain, Ajman, Sharjah, Dubai, Abu Dhabi (all on Persian Gulf seaboard of Oman) and a seventh Sheikdom: Kalba.)

UGANDA (Protectorate.)

WINDWARD ISLANDS (Comprising four colonies, (1) Grenada and dependencies, (2) St. Vincent and dependencies, (3) St. Lucia and dependencies, (4) Dominica.)

ZANZIBAR (Islands of Zanzibar and Pemba.)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

ALASKA

AMERICAN SAMOA (Islands of Tutuila, Aunu'u, Ofu, Olosega, Ta'u, Rose Islands including Swains Island;)

BAKER ISLAND

GUAM

HAWAII (Including Midway, Kure (Ocean) Palmyra Island.)

HOWLAND ISLAND

JARVIS ISLAND

JOHNSTON and SAND ISLANDS

KINGMAN REEF

NAVASSA ISLAND

PANAMA CANAL ZONE (Including cities of Balboa and Cristobal.)

PUERTO RICO

SWAN ISLAND

VIRGIN ISLANDS (St. Croix, St. John, St. Thomas.)

WAKE ISLAND

URUGUAY

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PART B

Territories to which the Agreement has not thus  
far been applied

Australia

ANTARTIC TERRITORY

NEW GUINEA (Trust Territory: includes the North Eastern part of the Island of New Guinea, islands in the Bismark Archipelago (principally New Britain and New Ireland), Bougainville and Buka in the Solomon Islands.)

NORFOLK ISLANDS

PAPUA (Comprises South-Eastern portion of Island of New Guinea; Throbriand, Woodlard, d'Entrecasteaux and Louisiade groups of islands.)



Denmark

FAROES, THE (A county of the Kingdom of Denmark)  
GREENLAND (Including Disko Island.)

France

MOROCCO (French Zone.)

Italy

SOMALILAND (Including Jubaland and port of Kismayu.)

New Zealand

WESTERN SOMOA (Trust Territory of New Zealand, including islands of:  
Savai'i, Upolu and adjacent islets.)

United Kingdom

JAMAICA (Including Turks and Caicos Islands, Cayman Islands, Morant  
Cays and Pedro Cays.)

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PART C

Territories whose status is unknown

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN SUDAN

BONIN ISLANDS (Some 25 islands (known as Ogasawara-Jima or Ogasawara-Shoto  
or Ogasawara-Gunto) previously part of Tokyo prefecture now under U.S.  
Military Government and 3 Izu Islands.)

CANTON and ENDERBURY ISLANDS (Islands under joint administration of United  
Kingdom and United States of America.)

CORN ISLANDS (Possession of Nicaragua leased to U.S.A.)

ERITREA (Former Italian Colony of Eritrea now under Military Government (U.K.) and islands off coast in Red Sea.)

KASHMIR

LIBYA-TRIPOLITANIA (Under British Military Administration.)

LIBYA-FEZZAN (Fezzan under French Administration.)

LIBYA-CYRENAICA (Cyrenaica under British Military Administration.)

LINE ISLANDS (Starbuck, Malden, Flint, Christmas, Caroline and Vostock Islands, claimed both by U.S.A. and U.K.)

NAURU (Trust Territory under joint administration of Australia, New Zealand and United Kingdom.)

NEW HEBRIDES (Group with principal islands of: Espiritu Santo, Malekula, Epi, Ambrym, Efate (Sandwich), Erromanga, Tanna, Aneityum, Lopevi, Pentecost - under British and French condominium. Also dependencies - Banks and Torres Islands.)

RYU-KYU ISLANDS (Under Military Government: Northern Ryu-Kyus, Okinawa, Southern Ryu-Kyus.)

SAN MARINO

VATICAN CITY

VOLCANO ISLANDS (Three small islands formerly part of Japan, now under U.S. Military occupation, known in Japan as Kazan-retto (Kita-iwo-jima or Santo Alessandro, Iwo-jima or Sulphur and Minami-iwo-jima or Santo Agostino).)

