

Proposed Frequency Rates for Import Inspections on Plants, Plant Products and Other Objects from 1st July 2022.

To note, the frequencies presented here are provisional and are subject to change. Changes may occur when drafting the Statutory Instruments and/or may be as a result of feedback from the consultation and WTO notification. Once finalised we will confirm the frequencies and publish them on the Plant Health Portal.

<u>Commodity</u>	<u>Suggested Category</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Frequency of checks from EU and RoW</u>
Machinery and vehicles which have been operated for agricultural or forestry purposes	Machinery or vehicles which have been operated for agricultural or forestry purposes	<i>See details in legislation</i>	5%
Growing medium, attached to or associated with plants, intended to sustain the vitality of the plants	Soil and growing medium		To be inspected in accordance with the frequency of plant inspection for the plant that the media supports.
Grain of the genera <i>Triticum</i> , <i>Secale</i> and <i>x Triticosecale</i>	Grain	Other than seed for sowing	100% Only from countries with Karnal bunt [Afghanistan, India, Iran, Iraq, Mexico, Nepal, Pakistan, South Africa and the USA]
Hyacinths (dormant)	Bulbs (for planting)		100% if for professional propagation 10% if for retail (domestic / home use/ flower production)
Narcissi (dormant)	Bulbs (for planting)		100% / 10%
Tulips (dormant)	Bulbs (for planting)		100% / 10%
Gladioli (dormant)	Bulbs (for planting)		100% / 10%
Other (dormant)	Bulbs (for planting)		100% / 10%
Chicory	Bulbs (for planting)		100% / 10%
Unrooted cuttings (other)	Cuttings		100%

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Annual or biennial herbaceous plants that are labelled or packaged for retail	Plants for Planting	e.g.	10%
		Alyssum (<i>Lobularia</i>)	
		Nasturtiums (<i>Tropaeolum</i>)	
		Poppy (<i>Papaver</i>)	
		Sunflower (<i>Helianthus</i>)	
Herbaceous perennials for that are labelled or packaged for retail	Plants for Planting	most grasses,	50%
		most ferns,	
		chrysanthemums	
		hosta (<i>Hosta</i>),	
		mint (<i>Mentha</i>),	
		peony (<i>Paeonia</i>),	
		Short-lived perennials	
		columbine (<i>Aquilegia</i>),	
		carnations (<i>Dianthus</i>),	
		delphinium (<i>Delphinium</i>),	
Gypsophila			
		hyacinth (<i>Hyacinthus</i>)	
Semi woody	Plants for Planting	Lavender (<i>Lavandula</i>),	100%
		rosemary (<i>Salvia rosmarinus</i>),	
		wisteria (<i>Wisteria</i>)	
		<i>Polygala</i>	
<i>Euphorbia pulcherrima</i>	Plants for Planting		100%
Trees shrubs, bushes, and palms	Plants for Planting		100%
With bare roots	Plants for Planting		100%
Rhododendron & azalea	Plants for Planting		100%
Roses	Plants for Planting		100%
Other outdoor plants NOT forestry	Plants for Planting		100%
Forest trees other	Plants for Planting		100%

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Forest trees not bare rooted	Plants for Planting		100%
Forest trees deciduous	Plants for Planting		100%
Non forest outdoor	Plants for Planting		100%
Vegetable [other than Allium, Brassica, Lettuce, celery and ginger etc] & strawberry plants	Plants for Planting		100% if for professional propagation and production 10% if for retail (domestic / home use)
Indoor plants	Plants for Planting	Excluding plants for commercial propagation	5%
Onions, shallots, garlic, leeks and other alliaceous vegetables	Plants for Planting	For planting	5%
Cabbage, cauliflowers and similar brassicas in substrate	Plants for Planting	For planting	5%
Lettuce, chicory in substrate	Plants for Planting	"	5%
Celery in substrate	Plants for Planting	"	5%
Ginger, saffron, turmeric other spices in substrate	Plants for Planting	"	5%
Pineapple plants	Plants for Planting		5%
<i>Cryptocoryne</i> sp	Plants for Planting	Aquatic plants	10%
<i>Hygrophila</i> sp	Plants for Planting	"	10%
<i>Vallisneria</i> sp	Plants for Planting	"	10%
Carrots, turnips, salad beetroot, salsify, celeriac, radishes and similar	Fruit and Veg	Fresh or chilled (not for planting)	3% EU / 5% ROW
Ginger, saffron, turmeric other spices	Fruit and Veg	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
Sugar beet	Fruit and Veg	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
chicory	Fruit and Veg	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
Other Root and Tubercle veg	Fruit and Veg	"	3% EU / 5% ROW

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Swede, mangolds, fodder roots	Fruit and Veg	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Solanum lycopersicum</i>	Fruit and Veg		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Solanum melongena</i>	Fruit and Veg		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Zea mays</i>	Fruit and Veg	Fresh vegetable	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Convolvulus</i>	Fruit and Veg		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Ipomoea</i>	Fruit and Veg		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Micromeria</i>	Fruit and Veg		3% EU / 5% ROW
Solanaceae	Fruit and Veg		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Carica papaya</i>	Fruit and Veg	papaya	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Cydonia</i>	Fruit and Veg	quince	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Fragaria</i>	Fruit and Veg	Strawberry	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Malus</i>	Fruit and Veg	Apple	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Persea americana</i>	Fruit and Veg	Avocado	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Prunus</i>	Fruit and Veg	Plum, cherries and related fruit	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Pyrus</i>	Fruit and Veg	Pear	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Ribes</i>	Fruit and Veg	Currants and related fruit	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Rubus</i>	Fruit and Veg	Raspberry and related fruit	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Syzygium</i>	Fruit and Veg	Java plum and related fruit	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Vaccinium</i>	Fruit and Veg	Blueberry and related fruit	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Vitis</i>	Fruit and Veg	Grapes	3% EU / 5% ROW
Leafy vegetables of <i>Apium graveolens</i>	Leafy veg	Celery	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Eryngium</i>	Leafy veg		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Limnophila</i>	Leafy veg	(an edible aquatic)	3% EU / 5% ROW
Leaves of <i>Manihot esculenta</i>	Leafy veg	Cassava leaves	3% EU / 5% ROW
Momordica and Solanacea	Fruit and Veg	Bitter melon and related fruit, Tomatoes and related fruit	3% EU/ aubergines from Turkey 25% / tomatoes from Morocco and Canary Islands 5% / other commodities from ROW 50%
<i>Luffa</i> sp.	Fruit and Veg	Vegetable in curcurbit family	50%
<i>Telfaria</i> sp. From Nigeria	Fruit and Veg	Fluted pumpkin	3% EU / 50% Nigeria / 5% ROW

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<i>Corchorus</i>	Leafy veg	Leafy tropical vegetable	50%
<i>Ocimum</i>	Leafy veg	basil	3% EU / 50% ROW
Conifers	Branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	Ornamental foliage	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Castanea</i>	Branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	Foliage or cut flowers for ornamental purposes	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Dendranthema</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Dianthus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Gypsophila</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Pelargonium</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Phoenix</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW

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<i>Populus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Quercus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Solidago</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	Ornamental foliage or vegetable product	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Prunus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	Ornamental flowers or foliage; products not specified elsewhere	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Betula</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Fraxinus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW

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<i>Juglans</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Pterocarya</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Ulmus davidiana</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Acer macrophyllum</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	Cut flowers, ornamental foliage, material for plaiting, products not specified elsewhere	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Adiantum aleuticum</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark		

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	or cut Christmas Trees		
<i>Adiantum jordanii</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Aesculus californica</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Aesculus hippocastanum</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Arbutus menziesii</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Arbutus unedo</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Arctostaphylos spp.</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Calluna vulgaris</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers	“	3% EU / 5% ROW

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	other than bark or cut Christmas Trees		
<i>Camellia</i> spp.	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Castanea sativa</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Frangula californica</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Frangula purshiana</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Griselinia littoralis</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers	“	3% EU / 5% ROW

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	other than bark or cut Christmas Trees		
<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Kalmia latifolia</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Laurus nobilis</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Leucothoe</i> spp.	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Lithocarpus densiflorus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	"	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Lonicera hispidula</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers	"	3% EU / 5% ROW

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	other than bark or cut Christmas Trees		
<i>Magnolia spp.</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Michelia doltsopa,</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Osmanthus heterophyllus</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Photinia x fraseri</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Pieris spp.</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Quercus spp.</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers	“	3% EU / 5% ROW

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	other than bark or cut Christmas Trees		
<i>Rhododendron</i> spp. other than <i>Rhododendron simsii</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Salix caprea</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Sequoia sempervirens</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Syringa vulgaris</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Taxus</i> spp.	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Trientalis latifolia</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Umbellularia californica</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers	“	3% EU / 5% ROW

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	other than bark or cut Christmas Trees		
<i>Vaccinium ovatum</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Viburnum spp.</i>	Cut Flowers and/or branches with foliage, parts of conifers other than bark or cut Christmas Trees	“	3% EU / 5% ROW
Orchidaceae	Cut flowers		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Aster</i>	Cut flowers		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Hypericum</i>	Cut flowers		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Trachelium</i>	Cut flowers		3% EU / 5% ROW
<i>Eryngium</i>	Cut flowers		3% EU / 10% ROW
<i>Solidago</i>	Cut flowers		3% EU / 10 % ROW
<i>Lisianthus</i>	Cut flowers		10%
<i>Chrysanthemum and Dendranthema</i>	Cut flowers		3% EU / Colombia and Ecuador 50% / 5% ROW
<i>Rosa</i>	Cut flowers		3% EU / 50% Canada, USA, Mexico and India / ROW 5% - exceptions for countries on reduced checks list (Colombia 3% and Ecuador 1%)
<i>Solanum tuberosum</i>	Tubers of Potatoes	Ware potatoes and potatoes for processing from countries of concern (i.e. Egypt, Poland, Portugal, Romania and Spain)	50%

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Solanum tuberosum	Tubers of Potatoes	Ware potatoes and potatoes for processing from other countries	3%
<i>Castanea</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Helianthus annuus</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Medicago sativa</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Prunus</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Rubus</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Zea mays</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Allium cepa</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Allium porrum</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Phaseolus cocineus</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i>	Seeds		5%
<i>Pisum sativum</i>	Seeds	Pea seeds for sowing	5%
<i>Vicia faba</i>	Seeds	Beans for sowing	5%
<i>Brassica napus</i>	Seeds	Rape seeds for sowing	5%
<i>Brassica rapa</i>	Seeds	Seeds of <i>B. rapa</i> for sowing	5%
<i>Glycine max</i>	Seeds	Soya bean seeds for sowing	5%
<i>Linum usitatissimum</i>	Seeds	Linsed for sowing	5%
<i>Sinapis alba</i>	Seeds	Mustard seed for sowing	5%
Seed for trials	Seeds		10%
Brassicaceae, Poaceae and <i>Trifolium</i> spp.	Seeds		10%
<i>Capsicum</i>	Seeds	Seed for sowing	100%
<i>Solanum sp.</i>	Seeds		100%
<i>Solanum tuberosum</i>	Seeds	True seed for sowing and multiplication and seed potato tubers	100%

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Triticum, Secale and Triticosecale	Seeds	Seed for sowing	100% frequency for countries where Tilletia indica (Karnal bunt) occurs (Afghanistan, India, Iran, Iraq, Mexico, Nepal, Pakistan, South Africa and the USA). Other countries 10%.
Conifers (Pinales)	Bark		100%
<i>Acer saccharum</i> , <i>Populus</i> and <i>Quercus</i> other than <i>Quercus</i> <i>suber</i>	Bark		100%
<i>Fraxinus</i> , <i>Juglans</i> , <i>Pterocarya</i> and <i>Ulmus</i> <i>daurica</i>	Bark		100%
<i>Betula</i>	Bark		100%
<i>Acer macrophyllum</i> , <i>Aesculus californica</i> , <i>Lithocarpus densiflorus</i> and <i>Taxus brevifolia</i>	Bark		100%
<i>Juglans</i> and <i>Pterocarya</i>	Bark		100%
<i>Quercus</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
<i>Platanus</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
<i>Populus</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
Conifers (Pinales)	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%

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<i>Fraxinus, Juglans, Pterocarya, and Ulmus davidiana</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
<i>Betula</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
<i>Amelanchier, Aronia, Cotoneaster, Crataegus, Cydonia, Malus, Pyracantha, Pyrus and Sorbus</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
<i>Prunus</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
<i>Acer, Aesculus, Alnus, Betula, Carpinus, Cercidiphyllum, Corylus, Fagus, Fraxinus, Koelreuteria, Platanus, Populus, Salix, Tilia and Ulmus</i>	Wood	including wood which has not kept its natural round surface	100%
Wood of <i>Acer macrophyllum, Aesculus californica, Lithocarpus densiflorus, and Taxus brevifolia</i> , other than wood packaging material	Wood		100%
Wood of <i>Juglans</i> and <i>Pterocarya</i>	Wood		100%