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Appendix C – Tariff Abbreviations

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General Appendix Information

Tariff Abbreviations

This appendix lists standard Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) units of measure abbreviations and their meanings.

Additional units of measure abbreviations can be found in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule in the General Statistics Notes, Item 4, Abbreviations Section.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

If filing in ACE and if Appendix C for **ACE** is referenced in the implementation guide, please refer to this **ACE** Appendix C and its contents.

If Appendix C for **ACS** is referenced, please continue to use the **ACS** Appendix C codes.

HTS Units of Measure	
<i>Code</i>	<i>Description</i>
AC	Alternating Current
ASTM	American Society for Testing Materials
BBL	Barrels
BOL	Boluses (Dosage)
C	Celsius
CAP	Capsules (Dosage)
CAR	Carat
CC	Cubic Centimeter
CFT	Cubic Feet (Volume)
CG	Centigrams
CGM	Content Gram
CKG	Content Kilogram
CM	Centimeters
CM2	Square Centimeters
CM3	Cubic Centimeters
CTN	Content Ton
CU	Cubic
CUR	Curie
CY	Clean Yield
CYD	Cubic Yards (Volume)
CYG	Clean Yield Gram
CYK	Clean Yield Kilogram
D	Denier
DC	Direct Current
DEG	Degree
DOZ	Dozen

HTS Units of Measure	
<i>Code</i>	<i>Description</i>
DPC	Dozen Pieces
DPR	Dozen Pairs
FBM	Fiber M
FIB	Fibers
FOZ	Ounces, fluid (Volume)
FT	Feet (Length)
G	Gram
GAL	(US)(Volume)
GBQ	Giqabecquerel
GR	Gross
GRL	Gross Lines
GVW	Gross Vehicle Weight
HUN	Hundreds
HZ	Hertz
IRC	Internal Revenue Code
JWL	Number of Jewels
K	1,000
KCAL	Kilocalories
KG	1,000 Grams
KHZ	Kilohertz
KM	1,000 Meters
KM2	1,000 Square Meters
KM3	1,000 Cubic Meters
KN	Kilonewtons
KPA	Kilopascal
KSB	1,000 Standard Brick
KVA	Kilovolt - Amperes

HTS Units of Measure	
<i>Code</i>	<i>Description</i>
KVAR	Kilovolt - Amperes Reactive
KW	Kilowatts
KWH	Kilowatt-Hours
L	Liter
LB	Pounds, (weight) avdp)
LIN	Linear
LNM	Linear Meters
M	Meters
M2	Square Meters
M3	Cubic Meters
MBQ	Megabecquerel
MC	Millicurie
MG	Milligram
MHZ	Megahertz
ML	Milliliter
MM	Millimeters
MPA	Megapascal
NO	Number
ODE	Ozone Depletion Equivalent
OZ	Ounces, (weight) (avdp)
PCS	Pieces
PF	Proof
PFG	Proof Gallon
PFL	Proof Liter

HTS Units of Measure	
<i>Code</i>	<i>Description</i>
PK	Pack
PRS	Pairs
PTL	Pints, liquid (US) (Volume)
QTL	Quarts, liquid (US) (Volume)
RPM	Revolutions Per Minute
SBE	Standard Brick Equivalent
SFT	Sq. Feet (Area)
SQ	Square
SQI	Sq. Inches (Area)
STN	Short Ton (2000 LB) (Weight)
SUP	Suppositories (Dosage)
SYD	Sq. Yards (Area)
T	Metric Ton
TAB	Tablets (Dosage)
TON	Long Ton (2,240 LB) (WGT)
TOZ	Ounces, Troy/APOTH(WGT)
V	Volts
W	Watts
WG	Wine Gallon
WL	Wine Liter
WT	Weight
X*	Quantity Not Required (valid only for HTS statistical reporting)
YD	Yards (Length)

* Note that the unit of measure X should not be used when reporting invoice quantity on Record Identifier C33 (Input), position 19-21.

