

Part B: Specific Commodity Definitions and Exclusions

Guidance

- Definitions specific to commodity types are listed below along with some exclusions.
- If unclear around a particular commodity type including inclusions and exclusions, please email standards@mpi.govt.nz for clarification.

Commodity Definition and Inclusions

Commodity Exclusions

The requirements of this IHS do not apply to any commodities listed as excluded below.

Land vehicles ([Part 3](#))

A vehicle that is a mobile conveyance used for the purpose of transporting persons or cargo and designed to be predominately used on land. Land vehicles can be motorised or designed to be pulled by another vehicle. Land vehicles include but are not limited to:

- Passenger vehicles ^{1*}
- Trucks ¹
- Buses ¹
- Caravans ¹
- Campervans ¹
- ATVs and quad bikes ²
- Golf carts ²
- Go-karts ²
- Motorcycles ²
- Scooters ²
- Side-by-side racers ²
- Snow mobiles ²
- Tricycles ²
- Army/defence vehicles (with wheels)
- Amphibious vehicle
- Hagglunds
- Trailers including horse floats
- Trains and train carriages

* = Passenger vehicles are intended for road use, have at least 4 wheels and less than 9 seating positions such as cars, vans, utes and some shuttles.

¹ = links to section 3.1: USED vehicle types that must be managed by an MPI Approved System, year-round if exported from Japan; and if managed by an MPI Approved System in a Schedule 3 country (including Japan), must undergo MPI Approved Treatment for BMSB during the BMSB risk season

² = links to section 3.2.1 (2): Small vehicle types that if NEW, may be eligible for BMSB management exclusions during the BMSB season.

Excludes new and used:

- Electric and manual pedal bicycles or tricycles;
- Children's motorised vehicles;
- Standing scooters or segways (electric or non-electric);
- Perambulators (prams) or pushchairs;
- Wheelchairs; and
- Wheelbarrows or trolleys.

Aircraft and watercraft ([Part 4](#))

A vehicle that is a mobile conveyance used for the purpose to transport persons or cargo and designed to be used predominately on water or in the air. Aircraft and watercraft can be motorised or designed to be pulled by another vehicle type. Aircraft and watercraft include but are not limited to:

Excludes new and used:

- Inflatable, plastic or fibreglass kayaks, canoes

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amphibious vehicles • Gliders • Helicopters • Hot air balloons • Hovercrafts • Jet skis ¹ • Motorised boats • Planes • Spacecraft • Sea scooters ¹ • Yachts (sail boats) • Zeppelins (airships) • Trailers that are exported attached to watercraft or aircraft are considered a part of the craft. <p>¹ = links to section 4.1.1 (2): <u>NEW</u> jet skis and sea scooters may be eligible for exclusion to BMSB management during the BMSB season.</p>	<p>surfboards and paddle boards; and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children’s sail boats; • Parachutes or parasailing devices; and • Dinghies that are free of all internal compartments.
<p>Machinery (Part 5)</p>	
<p>Any mechanical device that modifies or transmits energy for performing a task. The device may be drawn, fixed in position, pushed, pulled or self-propelled, electric or non-electric.</p> <p>5.1 Used indoor or non-targeted machinery definition: Used indoor machinery that is not used with or around biosecurity contaminants (and therefore, are non-targeted) and meets all the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) not drivable in the intended state of use (not in a dismantled state); and (2) has never been exposed to biosecurity contamination such as animal material, plant material (including seeds) or soil; and (3) has never been used or stored outdoors; and (4) is exported in a fully enclosed FCL or FAK container. <p>If machinery does not meet the above criteria it falls under section 5.2.</p> <p>Used <u>handheld</u> garden machinery or <u>handheld</u> power tools are additionally included as indoor or non-targeted machinery providing (4) is met.</p> <p>5.2 Used outdoor or targeted machinery definition: Machinery that is used or stored outdoors and/or is deemed to be of high biosecurity risk due to being used with/around biosecurity contaminants (and therefore, is targeted) including but not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concrete mixing machinery • Construction and roading machinery • Cranes • Farming machinery • Forklifts 	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fruit picking or harvesting machinery • Food processing machinery used to process animal material or plant material (including seeds). • Ground compactors • Generators • Indoor/outdoor grain processing machinery • Lifts (including boom, man and scissor) • Logging machinery • Planting machinery • Ride on lawn mowers • Seed drilling machinery • Ski lift or gondola machinery • Straddle carriers • Tracked machines (bulldozers, excavators and tractors) • Tracked army/defence machinery • Tunnelling machinery • Water pumping machinery 	
Parts from or for a vehicle or machine (Part 6)	
<p>Parts or components that are for or will make up a vehicle (including land vehicles, aircraft and watercraft) or machine, include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Booms or frames • Chassis • Doors and panels • Engines/motors • Exhaust systems • Grabbers, Claws, Scoops and Buckets • Seats • Suspension and braking units • Tracks • Tyres if on rims or wheels • Wheels and mags • Wings 	<p>Excludes new and used:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parts from or for children's toy vehicles and machinery.
Tyres (Part 7)	
<p>A rubber attachment applied to a vehicle or machine wheel to permit movement.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used Tyres: Any type of used tyres, not on rims or wheels and that have been used on a drivable vehicle or machine. • New Tyres: Any tyre, not on rims or wheels, to be used on a drivable vehicle of machine. 	<p>Excludes new and used:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tyres from or for children's toy vehicles or machines.

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<p>Wire cables or ropes (Part 8)</p>	
<p>Wire cable or ropes that are attached or have been attached to vehicles or machinery and have been used for agricultural, horticultural or forestry purposes.</p>	

Schedule 2 – Thresholds for Biosecurity Contaminants and Regulated Pests

Guidance

The following table defines the criteria that determines if imported vehicles, machinery and parts (includes tyres) are considered free from biosecurity contaminants and regulated pests. If the quantity of a biosecurity contaminant or regulated pest is below the threshold specified, then it is unlikely to present a biosecurity risk.

Note: This table is subject to periodic change.

Type	Contaminant Type	Threshold Permitted
Animals	Live animals such as amphibians, arthropods, birds, crustaceans, mammals, molluscs, reptiles.	Nil tolerance (always seen as a pest) *. <i>Note: Dead arthropods including dead insects, mites and spiders are not seen as contaminants.</i>
	Animal products or by-products such as blood, bones, carcasses, excretions, feathers, fibre, meat, etc.	Nil tolerance (always seen as a contaminant) *.
Aquatic	Water (pooled or standing).	Nil tolerance (always seen as a contaminant).
Micro-organisms	Fungi that is embedded/systemic in the vehicle, machine or part.	Nil tolerance (always seen as a contaminant) *. <i>Note: Surface fungi (mildew) is not considered as a contaminant if it can be wiped off</i>
Plants	Fresh/green plant material and flowers.	Nil tolerance (always seen as a contaminant) *.
	Fruit (whole) and seeds (including cones with seeds, dried seeds and fruit with seeds).	Nil tolerance (always seen as a contaminant) *. <i>Note: Burnt, dried, scorched seeds that are present in or on exhaust systems and radiators are not seen as contaminants.</i>
	Small pieces of loose dead or dry plant material such as bark, fruit pieces, leaves, sawdust or twigs.	5 pieces More than 5 pieces are seen as actionable contaminants by MPI*. <i>Note: Burnt, dried, scorched pieces of material that are present in or on exhaust systems and radiators are not seen as contaminants.</i>
	Pine needles	Nil tolerance (always seen as a contaminant).
Soil	Clumps or loose soil may contain micro-organisms.	20 grams More than 20 grams is seen as a contaminant. <i>Note: Road film (fine dust or soil particles) that is free of organic material and present as a thin covering is not seen as a contaminant.</i>

* Unless officially identified as otherwise or as a species that is not a regulated pest.

Schedule 3 – BMSB Management

- (1) In accordance with requirements in various sections of this IHS, vehicles (includes land vehicles, aircraft and watercraft), machinery, parts and new tyres are captured by BMSB management when they:
- are exported from a country listed below, on or after 1 September; OR
 - are used, moved to or stored in a country listed below for more than 5 days before being loaded in that country, on or after 1 September; AND
 - they arrive in New Zealand on or before 30 April.

Guidance: See section 9.2 for requirements relating to transshipping vehicles, machinery, parts and tyres through a country listed below on, or after 1 September and arriving in New Zealand before 30 April.

- (2) Vehicles, machinery, parts and new tyres that are sealed in a fully enclosed container before 1 September and exported before 1 October of the same year, are excluded from all BMSB management requirements if evidence of the container sealing date is provided before arrival, in New Zealand.

Guidance: Refer to section 2.1 (2) e) regarding evidence of container sealing applicable to (2) above.

BMSB risk countries		
Albania	Germany	Portugal
Andorra	Greece	Romania
Armenia	Hungary	Russia
Austria	Italy *	Serbia
Azerbaijan	Japan *	Slovakia
Belgium	Kazakhstan	Slovenia
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Kosovo	Spain
Bulgaria	Liechtenstein	Switzerland
Canada	Luxemburg	Turkey
Croatia	Republic of North Macedonia	Ukraine
Czechia	Moldova	USA (excludes Alaska and Hawaii).
France	Montenegro	
Georgia	Netherlands	

* Italy is a Schedule 3 country with large BMSB populations and increased associated risk. Therefore, no types of vehicles, machinery and parts (includes new tyres) are eligible for BMSB management exclusions under this IHS.

* Japan is a Schedule 3 country (native range) that is targeted for BMSB and other regulated pests including *Lymantria dispar* (Asian gypsy moth - AGM), *Erthesina fullo* (Yellow spotted stink bug - YSSB) and *Glaucias subpunctatus* (Polished green stink bug - PGSB) under this IHS.