

# Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (2016)

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## CHAPTER 45

### CORK AND ARTICLES OF CORK

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#### Note

1. This chapter does not cover:
  - (a) Footwear or parts of footwear of chapter 64;
  - (b) Headgear or parts of headgear of chapter 65; or
  - (c) Articles of chapter 95 (for example, toys, games, sports equipment).

#### Additional U.S. Note

1. For the purposes of subheading 4504.10.20, the term "compressed cork" means forms molded under heat and compression from cork particles without the addition of other materials.

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| Heading/<br>Subheading | Stat.<br>Suf-<br>fix | Article Description                                                                                                                                                       | Unit<br>of<br>Quantity | Rates of Duty |                                                                            |               |
|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
|                        |                      |                                                                                                                                                                           |                        | 1             |                                                                            | 2             |
|                        |                      |                                                                                                                                                                           |                        | General       | Special                                                                    |               |
| 4501                   |                      | Natural cork, raw or simply prepared; waste cork; crushed, granulated or ground cork:                                                                                     |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4501.10.00             | 00                   | Natural cork, raw or simply prepared.....                                                                                                                                 | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | Free          |
| 4501.90                |                      | Other:                                                                                                                                                                    |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4501.90.20             | 00                   | Waste cork.....                                                                                                                                                           | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | Free          |
| 4501.90.40             | 00                   | Crushed, granulated or ground cork.....                                                                                                                                   | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 6.6¢/kg       |
| 4502.00.00             | 00                   | Natural cork, debacked or roughly squared, or in rectangular (including square) blocks, plates, sheets or strip (including sharp-edged blanks for corks or stoppers)..... | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 22¢/kg        |
| 4503                   |                      | Articles of natural cork:                                                                                                                                                 |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4503.10                |                      | Corks and stoppers:                                                                                                                                                       |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
|                        |                      | Tapered and of a thickness (or length) greater than the maximum diameter:                                                                                                 |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4503.10.20             | 00                   | With maximum diameter not over 19 mm.....                                                                                                                                 | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 68¢/kg        |
|                        |                      | Other:                                                                                                                                                                    |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4503.10.30             | 00                   | Wholly of cork, of a thickness (or length) greater than the maximum diameter.....                                                                                         | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 55¢/kg        |
| 4503.10.40             | 00                   | Other.....                                                                                                                                                                | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 55¢/kg        |
| 4503.10.60             | 00                   | Other.....                                                                                                                                                                | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 55¢/kg        |
| 4503.90                |                      | Other:                                                                                                                                                                    |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4503.90.20             | 00                   | Disks, wafers and washers.....                                                                                                                                            | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 55¢/kg        |
| 4503.90.40             | 00                   | Wallcoverings, backed with paper or otherwise reinforced.....                                                                                                             | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 3.3¢/kg + 20% |
| 4503.90.60             | 00                   | Other.....                                                                                                                                                                | X.....                 | 14%           | Free (A, AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, E, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 7% (KR) | 45%           |
| 4504                   |                      | Agglomerated cork (with or without a binding substance) and articles of agglomerated cork:                                                                                |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4504.10                |                      | Blocks, plates, sheets and strip; tiles of any shape; solid cylinders, including disks:                                                                                   |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4504.10.10             | 00                   | Vulcanized sheets and slabs wholly of ground or pulverized cork and rubber.....                                                                                           | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 25%           |
| 4504.10.20             | 00                   | Insulation, coated or not coated, of compressed cork.....                                                                                                                 | m <sup>3</sup> .....   | Free          |                                                                            | Free          |
|                        |                      |                                                                                                                                                                           | kg                     |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4504.10.30             | 00                   | Floor coverings.....                                                                                                                                                      | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 22¢/kg        |
| 4504.10.40             | 00                   | Wallcoverings, backed with paper or otherwise reinforced.....                                                                                                             | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 3.3¢/kg + 20% |
|                        |                      | Corks, stoppers, disks, wafers and washers:                                                                                                                               |                        |               |                                                                            |               |
| 4504.10.45             | 00                   | Stoppers, not tapered, wholly of cork, of a thickness (or length) greater than the maximum diameter.....                                                                  | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 55¢/kg        |
| 4504.10.47             | 00                   | Other.....                                                                                                                                                                | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 55¢/kg        |
| 4504.10.50             | 00                   | Other.....                                                                                                                                                                | kg .....               | Free          |                                                                            | 45%           |
| 4504.90.00             | 00                   | Other.....                                                                                                                                                                | X.....                 | Free          |                                                                            | 45%           |