2.3 MASTER ITEM NUMBERING AND DESCRIPTION SYSTEM

The Master Item Numbering and Description System is adopted for use in establishing all IATA Specific Commodity Rates.

0001-0999	**Edible animal and vegetable products**
0001-0099	Foodstuff, spices, beverages
0100-0199	Beverages, coffee, tea
0200-0299	Dairy products, eggs, ice cream
0300-0399	Fish and seafood, frogs
0400-0499	Fruits, berries, melons
0500-0599	Grains and grain preparations, cereal foods
0600-0699	Meat, slaughtered poultry and game, sausages, meat pies
0700-0799	Roots and spices
0800-0899	Vegetables, soup, yeast
0900-0999	Miscellaneous edible animal and vegetable products which could not be classified between 0001-0899
1000-1999	**Live animals and inedible animal and vegetable products**
1000-1099	Animals, live
1100-1199	Furs, hides, pelts, skins, excluding wearing apparel
1200-1299	Leather, leather goods, skin rugs, artificial leather, excluding wearing apparel
1300-1399	Naval stores, gums, resins
1400-1499	Floral and/or nursery stock and bulbs, flowers, seeds, tubers, plants, cuttings
1500-1599	Herbs, leaves and products thereof, betel, tobacco, tobacco products
1600-1699	Not used
1700-1799	Oils, animal and/or vegetable, but not mineral
1800-1899	Not used
1900-1999	Miscellaneous inedible animal and vegetable products which could not be classified between 1000-1799
2000-2999	**Textiles; fibres and manufactures**
2000-2499	Yarn, thread, fibres, felt, cloth, fabrics, clothing, footwear
2500-2599	Drawnwork, needlework, embroideries, lace
2600-2699	Textiles and finished textile articles
2700-2799	Hair, hair manufactures
2800-2899	Textile furnishings, curtains, floor coverings, bed linen, blankets
2900-2999	Miscellaneous textile manufactures and raw materials which could not be classified between 2000-2899.
3000-3999	**Metals and manufactures, excluding machinery, vehicles and electrical equipment**
3000-3099	Metals (gold, silver, platinum, copper, brass, aluminium, steel)
3100-3199	Cutlery, tableware, flatware, razor blades, scissors, trophies
3200-3299	Hand tools
3300-3399	Hardware
3400-3499	Utensils for household, kitchen and hospital
3500-3599	Furniture and fixtures
3600-3889	Not used
3890-3899	Ore
3900-3999	Miscellaneous metal which could not be classified between 3000-3899
4000-4999	**Machinery, vehicles and electrical equipment**
4000-4099	Business and office machines, machinery, tools, surface vehicles, excluding steamship and motorship machinery spare parts
4100-4199	Aircraft, aircraft engines, aircraft parts, outboard motors for boats
4200-4299	Surface vehicles, parts, accessories
4300-4399	Business and office machinery, parts, accessories
4400-4499	Electrical and electronic appliances
4500-4599	Electrical machinery
4600-4699	Engines and turbines
4700-4799	Machinery and tools
4800-4899	Electrical and mechanical tools
4900-4999	Miscellaneous mechanical products
5000-5999	**Non-metallic minerals and manufactures**
5000-5099	Abrasives and abrasive products
5100-5149	Asbestos products
5150-5199	Carbon and graphite products
5200-5299	Ceramics, pottery, chinaware, earthenware, stoneware, crystalware, porcelain, glassware, excluding synthetic stones and optical goods.
5300-5399	Glass and glass products
5400-5449	Marble
5450-5499	Not used
5500-5599	Mica and mica products
5600-5699	Petroleum and petroleum products
5700-5799	Quartz and quartz manufactures
5800-5899	Stones
5900-5999	Miscellaneous non-metallic minerals and manufactures
6000-6999	**Chemicals and related products**
6000-6099	Chemicals, pharmaceuticals
6100-6199	Biologicals, human dried blood protein
6200-6299	Chemicals
6300-6399	Coal tar products; dyes
6400-6499	Drugs
6500-6599	Pharmaceuticals
6600-6699	Cosmetics, soaps, toilet preparations
6700-6749	Not used
6750-6799	Pains, pigments, varnishes
6800-6899	Plastic materials and articles; synthetic gums and resins
6900-6999	Cleansing and polishing materials
7000-7999	**Paper, reed, rubber and wood manufactures**
7000-7099	Paper and paper products
7100-7199	Printed matter
7200-7299	Packaging materials
7300-7399	Reeds and reed products
7400-7499	Rubber and rubber products
7500-7599	Straw and grass products
7600-7699	Wood and wood products; cork
7700-7899	Not used
7900-7999	Miscellaneous
8000-8999	**Scientific, professional and precision instruments, apparatus and supplies, musical instruments and accessories**
8000-8099	Scientific, precision, dental and surgical instruments, apparatus and supplies; one generic item also including optical, photographic and projection equipment and supplies
8100-8199	Dental, medical and surgical instruments, apparatus and supplies
8200-8299	Musical instruments; gramophones and gramophone records, recording tapes; music boxes; musical boxes; juke boxes
8300-8399	Optical instruments, apparatus and supplies; photographic and projection equipment in some generic items, even including darkroom supplies
8400-8499	Photographic and projection instruments, apparatus, supplies and accessories; films, exposed and unexposed; film sound tracks; sound equipment
8500-8599	Safety equipment and apparatus; one generic item including 8000-8199, 8300-8399 items
8600-8699	Scientific and laboratory equipment
8700-8799	Not used
8800-8899	Surveying and engineering instruments
8900-8999	Miscellaneous precision instruments which could not be classified between 8000-8899, such as watches and clocks; hearing devices; taximeters; fuel flow meters
9000-9999	**Miscellaneous**
9000-9010	Jewellery, costume and imitation jewellery
9050-9085	Packing materials, empty containers
9090-9092	Human hair, human remains (uncremated), human eyes, tissues and dehydrated corneas
9100-9105	Gift parcels
9200-9299	Toys, athletic and sporting goods
9300-9350	Firearms and ammunitions, fireworks
9400-9473	Office supplies, excluding machinery
9500-9599	Handicraft products, souvenirs, paintings, buttons, brushes, candles, fire extinguishers (empty)
9600-9699	Tobacco and tobacco related products, batteries for chicken farms, animal identification ear tags
9700-9999	Miscellaneous items

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