



Cumulation in the EU within Economic Partnership Agreements with African, Caribbean and Pacific countries

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The table below summarizes the current possibilities for EU operators to apply cumulation when exporting under the framework of an Economic Partnership Agreement ('the EPA') between the EU and African, Caribbean and Pacific countries ('the ACP countries').

The table is based on the provisions related to cumulation within each EPA and on the various notices published in the Official Journal (C Series) of the EU concerning cumulation, which remains the legal basis for the application of cumulation.

All the EPAs with ACP countries in force provide for cumulation in the EU, whereby EU operators can benefit from bilateral and diagonal cumulation of non-originating materials and of working or processing carried out in certain ACP countries and in the OCTs.

The said cumulation is subject to the fulfilment of the specific requirements provided for in the protocols on rules of origin of each EPA.

Notes

- a) Columns lists the various EPAs between the EU and the ACP countries in force;
- b) Rows indicates the countries with whom the EU may cumulate;
- c) "√" indicates that cumulation of materials and of working or processing is possible;
- d) "√*" indicates that only cumulation of materials is possible;
- e) § – exports from the EU to Cameroon are governed by Cameroonian Decree No 2016/367 of 3 August 2016
- f) (1) Certain materials are excluded from cumulation - see Notice 2022/C 211/07

References

[Notice 2019/C 69/02](#) on **cumulation in the EU as from 22 February 2019** under the EU-CARIFORUM, the EU-Pacific and the EU-ESA EPAs

[Notice 2022/C 131/02](#) on **cumulation in the EU as from 1 October 2018 (cumulation with Ghana as from 1 April 2022)** under EU-SADC EPA

[Notice 2022/C 211/07](#) defines the list of materials excluded from cumulation in the EU, in accordance with Article 4(16)(a) of Protocol 1 to the EU-SADC EPA

[Notice 2021/C 520/07](#) on **cumulation in the EU as from 1 January 2022** under the EU-Cote d'Ivoire stepping-stone EPA

[Notice 2022/C 35/02](#) on **cumulation in the EU as from 1 February 2022** under the EU-Ghana stepping-stone EPA

Cameroon [Decree No 2016/367](#) of 3 August 2016

Cumulation in the EU

- [EU-CARIFORUM EPA](#) – Article 3 of Protocol I
- [EU-Pacific iEPA](#) – Article 3 of Protocol II
- [EU-ESA iEPA](#) – Article 3 of Protocol 1
- [EU-SADC EPA](#) – Articles 3.5, 3.7, 4.3,4.7 and 4.16(a) of Protocol 1
- [EU-Cote d'Ivoire stepping-stone EPA](#) – Article 7 of Protocol 1
- [EU-Ghana stepping-stone EPA](#) – Article 7 of Protocol 1
- [EU-Central Africa iEPA](#) (Cameroon) – Article 7 of [Decree 2016 / 367](#) of 3 August 2016

		Economic Partnership Agreements in force							Central Africa - Cameroon ⁵
		CARIFORUM	Pacific	ESA	SADC	Ivory Coast	Ghana		
Cumulation with	CARIFORUM	Antigua and Barbuda	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Bahamas	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Barbados	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Belize	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Dominica	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Dominican Republic	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Grenada	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Guyana	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Jamaica	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Saint Christopher (Saint Kitts) and Nevis	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Saint Lucia	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Suriname	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Trinidad and Tobago	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Pacific	Fiji	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Papua New Guinea	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Samoa	√	√	√		√	√	
		Solomon Islands	√	√	√		√	√	
	ESA	Comoros	√	√	√		√	√	
		Madagascar	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Mauritius	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Seychelles	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
		Zimbabwe	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	SADC	Botswana	√	√	√	√	√	√	
		Eswatini	√	√	√	√	√	√	
		Lesotho	√	√	√	√	√	√	
		Mozambique	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
Namibia		√	√	√	√	√	√		
South Africa		√	√	√	√	√	√		
West Africa	Ivory Coast	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√		
	Ghana	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√		
Central Africa	Cameroon	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	√	

OCTs	Greenland (DK)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	New Caledonia and Dependencies (FR)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	French Polynesia (FR)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	French Southern and Antarctic Territories (FR)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Wallis and Futuna Islands (FR)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
Other ACP States	Saint Barthelemy (FR)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Saint Pierre and Miquelon (FR)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Aruba (NL)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Bonaire (NL)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Curaçao (NL)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Saba (NL)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Sint Eustasius (NL)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Sint Marteen (NL)	√	√	√	√(1)	√	√	
	Angola	√	√	√				
	Benin	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Burkina Faso	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Burundi	√	√	√				
	Cape Verde	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Central African Republic	√	√	√				
	Chad	√	√	√				
Congo (Brazzaville)	√	√	√					
Cook Islands	√	√	√					
Democratic Republic of Congo	√	√	√					
Djibouti	√	√	√					
Equatorial Guinea	√	√	√					
Eritrea	√	√	√					
Ethiopia	√	√	√					

	Gambia	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Republic of Guinea	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Guinea-Bissau	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Haiti	√	√	√				
	Kenya	√	√	√				
	Kiribati	√	√	√				
	Liberia	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Malawi	√	√	√				
	Mali	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Mauritania	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Micronesia	√	√	√				
	Nauru	√	√	√				
	Niger	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Nigeria	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Niue	√	√	√				
	Rwanda	√	√	√				
	Sao Tome and Principe	√	√	√				
	Senegal	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Sierra Leone	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Somalia	√	√	√				
	Sudan	√	√	√				
	Tanzania	√	√	√				
	Timor Leste	√	√	√				
	Togo	√	√	√		√*	√*	
	Tonga	√	√	√				
	Tuvalu	√	√	√				
	Uganda	√	√	√				
	Vanuatu	√	√	√				
	Zambia	√	√	√				