



GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN  
DIRECTORATE GENERAL CUSTOMS VALUATION  
CUSTOM HOUSE KARACHI

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**The Collectors of Customs, -**

Model Customs Collectories, Appraisement (East/West)/Port Qasim/Preventive, Karachi/  
( Appraisement / Preventive), Lahore/ Sambrial (Sialkot)/Faisalabad/Multan/Islamabad  
/Hyderabad/Quetta / Peshawar/ Gwadar/ Gilgit-Baltistan.

**Subject: Development of Valuation Database: Reference Values for Groundnut.**

This Directorate General has initiated an exercise to develop database values for different items wherein it has been observed that declarations are of wide range and do not correctly reflect values of the items as traded in the international market. During the scrutiny of previous clearance data, it has been observed that Groundnut falling under PCT headings 1202.4200 are being assessed at different values and certain transactions are on very low side.

2. This Directorate General, after carefully examining the clearance data, also conducted market inquiries to verify the authenticity of declarations. Online prices were also obtained to corroborate the findings of the market surveys. This office, therefore, has found that the customs values of Groundnut are as follows:

S No.	Description	PCT Heading	Origin	Customs Value US\$/ KG
1.	Groundnut in Shells	1202.4200	India	0.65
2.	Groundnut Kernel (HPS)	1202.4200	India	0.85
3.	Groundnut Blanched Splits	1202.4200	India	0.95
4.	Groundnut in Shells	1202.4200	China	0.70
5.	Groundnut Kernel (HPS)	1202.4200	China	0.90
6.	Groundnut Blanched Splits	1202.4200	China	1.00
7.	Groundnut in Shells	1202.4200	African Region	0.62
8.	Groundnut Kernel (HPS)	1202.4200	African Region	0.82
9.	Groundnut Blanched Splits	1202.4200	African Region	0.92

3. These values are, however, for reference/guidance only and final assessment may please be made after considering other factors which have bearing on the customs value.

4. The clearance collectorates may like to consider the values given above before finalizing the assessment of the subject items. If further fine-tuning in specifications and ensuing values are required, Collectorate may forward a reference along with detailed justifications and worksheets so that requisite adjustments are accordingly issued.

5. In case of any grievance, the importer can file a request to the Directorate General along with substantiating evidences/record for reconsideration/review.

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