

**09.05 - Vanilla.**

0905.10 - Neither crushed nor ground

0905.20 - Crushed or ground

This is the fruit (or bean) of a climbing plant of the orchid family. It is blackish in colour and very aromatic. There are two kinds of vanilla, long and short, as well as a very low-grade variety known as vanillon (obtained from the species *Vanilla pompona*), soft, almost viscous and always open.

The heading **does not include** :

- (a) Vanilla oleoresin (sometimes erroneously known as “vanilla resinoid” or “vanilla extract”) (**heading 13.02**).
- (b) Vanilla sugar (**heading 17.01** or **17.02**).
- (c) Vanillin (the odoriferous principle of vanilla) (**heading 29.12**).