

**United States – Chile (Goods)
Summary Fact Sheet**

Table 1: Background Information

Parties	United States, Chile	
Date of signature	6 June 2003	
Date of entry into force	1 January 2004	
Transition period for full implementation	12 Years	
Date of full implementation	1 January 2016	
Website addresses or points of contact	United States: http://www.ustr.gov/ Chile: http://rc.direcon.cl/	
List of related GATT/WTO documents	WT/REG160/N/1 WT/REG160/1 WT/REG160/2 WT/REG160/3 and Corr.1 WT/REG160/M/1-3 WT/REG160/5-6 and WT/REG160/6/Corr.1	Notification Agreement Terms of Reference Standard Format Summary Records Questions and Replies

Table 2: Internal trade liberalization provisions

Import duties and charges	Chapter 3, Section B – Tariff elimination
Export duties and charges	Article 3.13 – Export Taxes
Non-tariff measures	Chapter 3, Section D – Import and Export Restrictions
Sector-specific rules	Chapter 3, Section F - Agriculture Chapter 3, Section G - Textiles And Apparel
Product exclusions	Not available.

Table 3: Common External Tariff

Provisions	Not applicable.
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Table 4: General trade-related provisions

Provision	Relevant Article(s)	Additional Information
Rules of Origin	Chapter 4 Annex 4.1	The main criteria for qualification as originating goods are that the goods be wholly obtained or produced entirely in the territory of one or both of the Parties and each of the non-originating materials used in the production of the good undergoes an applicable change in tariff classification specified in the specific rules of origin annex or the good otherwise satisfies any applicable regional value content, or the goods be produced entirely in the territory of one or both of the Parties exclusively from originating materials. The Agreement contains a series of provisions to help enterprises determine the origin of the goods they produce, including regional value content accumulation and <i>de minimis</i> rules. There are also provisions for determining the origin of raw materials used in producing export goods; among the key provisions are indirect materials, fungible goods and accessories, spare parts and tools.
Standards-related measures	Chapter 7	The Chapter's objectives are to increase and facilitate trade through the improvement of the implementation of the TBT Agreement, the elimination of unnecessary technical barriers to trade, and the enhancement of bilateral cooperation. It establishes a Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade. The Parties affirm their existing rights and obligations with respect to each other under the WTO TBT Agreement

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SPS measures	Chapter 6	The objectives of the Chapter are to protect human, animal, and plant health conditions in the Parties' territories, enhance the Parties' implementation of the WTO SPS Agreement, provide a forum for addressing bilateral SPS matters, resolve trade issues, and thereby expand trade opportunities. It establishes a Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures. The Parties affirm their existing rights and obligations with respect to each other under the WTO SPS Agreement.
Safeguard mechanisms (intra-trade)	Chapter 8 Section A; Article 23.4	The Agreement establishes a mechanism allowing the Parties to impose temporary safeguard measures if, as a result of the reduction or elimination of a duty, imports of a good originating in the territory of the other Party are increased to an extent so as to cause serious injury, or threat thereof, to a domestic industry producing a like or directly competitive good. It also specifies conditions concerning safeguard measures, investigation procedures and transparency, notification and compensation. With regard to global actions, each Party retains its rights and obligations under Article XIX of GATT 1994 and the Safeguards Agreement. The Agreement also provides for the imposition of balance of payments measures on trade in goods but only in accordance with the Party's rights and obligations under GATT 1994.
Anti-dumping and countervailing measures	Chapter 8 Section B	Each Party retains its rights and obligations under the WTO Agreement on the application of antidumping and countervailing duties.
Subsidies and state aid	None	
Customs-related procedures	Chapter 5 Article 3.21	The Agreement establishes provisions on customs administration, including requirements to publish customs laws, regulations and procedures and, to the extent possible, to provide advance notice and comment on proposed customs regulations.
IPR	Chapter 17	The Chapter includes disciplines on trademarks, geographical indications, copyrights, patents and data protection. It also calls for strong enforcement mechanisms.
Government procurement	Chapter 9	The provisions apply to central and sub-central government, and other government-related entities listed in each country's schedule. The Agreement provides for national treatment and non-discrimination for goods and services of each Party for the entities covered, subject to specified thresholds and exceptions. It also provides disciplines on procurement procedures, including advance public notice of purchases and transparent bid review procedures
Competition	Chapter 16	The Chapter includes provisions on anticompetitive business conduct, cooperation, designated monopolies, state enterprises, differences in pricing, transparency and information requests, consultations and disputes.
Investment	Chapter 10	Provisions include: scope and coverage, national and MFN treatment, minimum standard of treatment, performance requirements, non-conforming measures, transfers, expropriation and compensation, denial of benefits, implementation, and investor-state dispute settlement.
General exceptions	Chapter 23	Article XX of the GATT 1994 and its interpretive notes are incorporated into and made part of the Agreement for the purposes of: national treatment and market access for goods; rules of origin; customs administration; SPS, and TBT measures. Parties may provide exceptions in order to protect their essential security interests or take action in pursuance of their obligations under the United Nations Charter with respect to the maintenance of international peace and security.
Accession	None	
Dispute resolution	Chapter 22	Dispute settlement procedures apply to all disputes between the

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		Parties regarding the interpretation or application of the Agreement, wherever a Party considers that the other Party's measure is inconsistent with the Agreement's obligations or that the other Party has otherwise failed to carry out its obligations.
Relation with other trade agreements	Article 1.3	The Parties reaffirm their existing rights and obligations with respect to each other under existing bilateral and multilateral agreements to which both Parties are party, including the WTO Agreement.
Institutional provisions	Chapter 21	The Agreement establishes a series of rules for its administration and forms The Free Trade Commission to supervise the implementation of this Agreement and resolve disputes that may arise regarding the interpretation or application of this Agreement.
Other	Chapters 18 and 19	The Agreement includes provisions on labour standards and environmental protection.

Table 5a: United States' imports from Chile, 2003^a
US\$, thousands

	2004	2008	2012	2014	2016	Total
No. of tariff lines liberalized	9,814	203	146	66	61	10,290
Per cent of total tariff lines	93.6	1.9	1.4	0.6	0.6	98.1
Value of imports from Chile	3,057,349	8,970	42,674	444	141,109	3,250,545
Per cent of total imports from Chile	78.1	0.2	1.1	0.0	3.6	83.0

a: Does not include 200 tariff lines which are subject to tariff rate quotas and are scheduled to be liberalized by the end of the implementation period.

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Table 5b: Chile's imports from the United States, 2003^a
US\$, thousands

	2004	2006	2007	2008	2012	2014	2016	Total
No. of tariff lines liberalized	7,120	10	24	399	231	28	165	7,977
Per cent of total tariff lines	88.5	0.1	0.3	5.0	2.9	0.3	2.1	99.2
Value of imports from the United States	2,165	2.3	56.9	181.3	52.9	0.0	42.6	2,501
Pr cent of total imports from the United States	86.6	0.1	2.3	7.2	2.1	0.0	1.7	100.00

a: Does not include 66 tariff lines which are subject to tariff rate quotas and are scheduled to be liberalized by the end of the implementation period.

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