

Importation of Animal Products for Personal Consumption

An **import permit is not required** when importing animal products originating or manufactured in the countries listed in the matrix below for personal use. However, importers must meet all the specific requirements highlighted in BAF [Notices](#) and [Alerts](#) and other general import requirements specified below.

Restrictions are in place for the importation of all the products that are not listed in the matrix, from any country, as practiced before. The products imported under personal allowance will be subjected to biosecurity inspection upon arrival and must not be retailed or distributed, and it is strictly prohibited.

Additionally, there are weight restrictions on the total allowance for personnel, with a collective weight limit of 10kg for all regulated products. Some animal products, including processed commodities, have specific weight restrictions.

For further clarification, do not hesitate to contact the BAF Animal Permits team at BAF Headquarters at 3312512 or alternatively, by email: info@baf.com.fj and animalimports@com.fj.

General Import Requirements

The products must be;

- shelf stable, otherwise specified;
- commercially prepared and packed or hermetically sealed;
- contained the animal ingredients or were manufactured in approved countries;
- directly imported from the approved countries, otherwise specified;
- imported only for human consumption and must not be for other purposes, including animal consumption;
- in its original packaging on arrival;
- presented with original retail receipts or invoices from the country of import above-listed;
- labeled in legible English language, stating the product name, manufacturer, ingredient list, and country of origin or manufacture, and must clearly identify the product;
- complied with all other requirements under the regulations of respective regulatory authorities, not limited to food safety requirements in Fiji before the importation; and
- **declared** upon arrival in Fiji, and consignments or the products are subject to inspection at the port of entry, the border, and post-border for biosecurity purposes.

List of product categories originating from approved countries

Animal Product Category		Approved Country for the Importation of Animal Products for Personnel Consumption						
		Australia	New Zealand	USA	EU	Asia	Pacific Islands	Other
01	Sugar confectionaries	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
02	Baked products with commercial packages (<i>except moon and cheese cakes</i>)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
04	Noodles products with only artificial flavours	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
05	Noodles products with natural flavours	Follow Biosecurity notice issued 31 January 2024						
06	Condensed and evaporated milk products (<i>maximum 2 kg per person and follow the Biosecurity notice issued on 22 May 2024</i>)	✓	✓	✓ Including Canada and Mexico	✗ Only from Selected EU Countries	✗	✗	✗
07	Shelf-stable infant formula accompanied by a baby (<i>up to 5kg per person and products suitable up to 36 months of age</i>)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
08	Self-stable nutritional supplements (<i>follow biosecurity notice issued on 05 May 2023</i>)	✓	✓	✓	✗ Only from Selected EU Countries	✗	✗	✗
09	Cheese, curd or fermented products (<i>yoghurt, kefir</i>), and Butter (<i>dairy products that are not shelf-stable</i>)	✓	✓	✗	✗ Only from France	✗	✗	✗

10	Bee honey	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
11	Pork and pork products, including ham and bacon	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
12	Chicken meat (<i>frozen or cooked</i>) and poultry products	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
13	Chicken canned soup, processed chicken meat jerky (<i>only shelf-stable products</i>)	×	✓	×	×	×	×	×
14	Beef, canned beef, and other processed beef products	✓	✓	×	×	×	×	×
15	Packs from fast food chains	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
16	Mayonnaise and acidified sauce products with less than 10% of eggs, bee honey and dairy	✓	✓	✓	×	×	×	×
17	Pet food (<i>follow biosecurity notice issued 12 December 2019</i>)	✓	✓	×	×	×	×	×
18	Prawns and sea food	Follow Biosecurity notice issued on December 2018						
19	Table eggs	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
20	Salami (<i>beef and pork ingredients</i>)	×	×	×	×	×	×	×

The Notice is issued on 16 April 2025 at BAF Headquarters, Suva.