

ART. 16. The following modifications are introduced into the Customs' Tariff:—

	per quintal.	
	frs.	cts.
Sugar—		
1st class ... ..	66	25
2nd class ... ..	53	0

This is merely a new system of classification, in lieu of "refined" and "unrefined."

All sugars superior by one degree in whiteness to the Dutch Standard No. 20 are rated in the first class.

	per quintal.	
	frs.	cts.
Cocoa—		
a. In berry ... ..	80	0
b. Crushed, ground, or in paste	100	0
Chocolate ... ..	100	0
Tea ... ..	200	0
Carbonate of magnesia ... ..	25	0
Chloride of potassium ... ..	free	
Cartridge cases—		
Empty, without caps ... ..	60	0
Empty, with caps ... ..	100	0
Filled ... ..	150	0

	frs.	cts.
... ..	80	0
... ..	350	0
... ..	15	0
... ..	1	0
... ..	150	0
Per quintal ... ..	3	0
„ ... ..	1	0
„ ... ..	7	0
„ ... ..	8	0

At the end of the list of unenumerated medicines (imported at fr. 120 per quintal) shall be added "effervescing citrate of magnesia."

Gums and resins of all sorts ... .. free  
 Gambier ... .. free  
 Indigo, cochineal, and kermes ... .. free  
 Prussiate of potassium, yellow and red ... .. free  
 Carpets of linen, hemp, jute, and other vegetable substances, including cotton, without any admixture of wool, are taxed as textures of their respective class. When mixed with wool they are rated as woollen carpets.

The Government is empowered to direct that metal cases containing blacking for shoes shall pay the duty leviable on the metal of which they are made.

Articles made up (or sewn, "oggetti cuciti") are charged as the tissue of which composed, subject to the highest duty, with an addition of 10 per cent. on the amount so leviable.

Bleached cotton textures, the same duty with unbleached, plus 20 per cent.

Bleached cotton goods have hitherto paid various rates, varying from 68 frs. 40 cts. to 120 frs. per quintal, according to fineness. They are now to follow the rates of unbleached goods, namely, from 66 frs. to 100 frs., with an addition of 20 per cent.

	per quintal.	
	frs.	cts.
Cotton textures—		
(a.) Embroidered in chain stitch	300	0
(b.) Embroidered otherwise "a punto passato" ... ..	400	0
Tulle, gauze, and muslin—		
(a.) Unbleached ... ..	250	0
(b.) Bleached or dyed ... ..	300	0
(c.) Embroidered ... ..	500	0

	frs.	cts.
... ..	300	0

Felt—  
 For clothing ... .. 60 0  
 Thrown silk (cascami di seta), Class d (coloured) is suppressed.

A change of designation.  
 This class formerly was rated at 100 frs. per quintal. It will now pay 50 frs., the duty attached to Class c.

	Per quintal.	
	frs.	cts.
Lace, braids, tulle, and silk or filosselle tissues of all kinds, with an admixture of gold or silver, fine or false ... ..	15	0
Wooden wares, including toys of wood ... ..	55	0
Common road carriages:		
(a.) With not more than two wheels ... ..	Each.	
	33	0
(b.) With more than two wheels and not more than five springs	110	0
(c.) With more than two wheels and five springs ... ..	330	0

The only change made here is the addition of the words "tissues of all kinds."

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This is merely a change of definition. The tariff ran—

- (a.) With two wheels.
- (b.) With four wheels and four springs.
- (c.) With four wheels and more than four springs.