

OFFICE OF TEXTILES AND APPAREL (OTEXA)

Market Reports Textiles, Apparel, Footwear and Travel Goods

Jordan

The following information is provided only as a guide and should be confirmed with the proper authorities before embarking on any export activities.

Import Tariffs

Under the terms of the United States-Jordan Free Trade Area Agreement (FTA), which entered into force on December 17, 2001, duties were eliminated most products, including textile, apparel, footwear, and travel goods. For more information, see the [U.S.-Jordan FTA web page](#).

Products from the United States that do not qualify under the FTA rules are subject to Jordan's MFN rates of duty (see the tariff table below). Jordan applies percent ad valorem duties on the c.i.f. (cost, insurance, and freight) value of imports.

Jordan: Tariffs (percent ad valorem) on Textiles, Apparel, Footwear and Travel Goods

	HS Chapter/Subheading	Tariff Rate Range (%)
Yarn		
-silk	5003-5006	0 - 20
-wool	5105-5110	0 - 20
-cotton	5204-5207	0 - 20
-other vegetable fiber	5306-5308	0
-man-made fiber	5401-5406/5501-5511	0 - 20
Woven Fabric		
-silk	5007	0
-wool	5111-5113	0
-cotton	5208-5212	0
-other vegetable fiber	5309-5311	0
-man-made fiber	5407-5408/5512-5516	0
Knit Fabric	60	0
Non Woven Fabric	5603	0
Industrial Fabric	59	0 - 20
Apparel	61-62	0 - 20
Home Furnishings including: bed, bath, kitchen linens, etc.	63	5 - 20
Carpet	57	20
Footwear	64	0 - 30
Travel Goods	4202	0 - 30

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For information on local customs requirements and documentation, see:

- [Jordan Customs Department](#)
- [Ministry of Industry, Trade and Supply \(MITS\)](#)

Standards

Local standards organization and other resources:

- [Jordan Standards and Metrology Organization \(JSMO\)](#)

Labeling

Imported products must comply with labeling and marketing requirements issued by the Institute of Standards and Metrology and relevant government ministries. Specific statements are required on labels for certain products including ready-made clothing. All labels must either be in Arabic or have a stick-on label in Arabic. Specific information on labeling and packaging standards is available from the [Jordan Standards and Metrology Organization \(JSMO\)](#).

Qualifying Industrial Zone (QIZ):

In 1996, the U.S. Congress established the Qualifying Industrial Zone (QIZ) initiative to support the peace process in the Middle East. The QIZ initiative allows Egypt and Jordan to export products to the United States duty-free, as long as these products contain inputs from Israel. The QIZ legislation authorizes the President to proclaim elimination of duties on articles produced in the West Bank, Gaza Strip, and qualifying industrial zones in Jordan and Egypt. In order to obtain duty-free access to the U.S. market under the initiative, the goods must be produced in designated QIZ factories and meet specific rules of origin requirements. See the section on [QIZs](#) for more information.

For additional information on exporting textiles, apparel, footwear and travel goods, click [here](#).



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