

Country	Import Permit	Phytosanitary requirements, seed free from :					Nematodes	Insects	Weeds	Untreated sample	Non GMO declaration	Chemical treatment requirements	Additional declarations	Shipping requirements
		pathogens	Virus	Bacteria	Fungi									
ALGERIA	required									required				
ANGOLA (Rep. of)	required													
ARGENTINA	required			<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>			<i>Trogoderma versicolor</i> , <i>Trogoderma variabile</i> , <i>Diabrotica virgifera virgifera</i>						SENASA must be advised of the time, date and place of arrival 48 hours in advance. (Before sending shipment, send by fax the list of materials, invoice letter and Phytosanitary certificate - no specified in latest permit)	
AUSTRALIA	required	Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem etc), animal material (e.g. faeces, feathers) and any other extraneous material of quarantine concern.											Each shipment must be packed in clean, new packaging, clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species).	
BANGLADESH				<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Peronosclerospora philippensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>Sclerophthora rayssiae var. zeae</i>									
BHUTAN	required	The material must arrive free of soil, plant residues and weeds												
BOLIVIA	required	The shipment must be free of foreign material (soil and plant residues such as leaves, stems and seeds of other species)					<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> , <i>Trogoderma variabile</i>			required			Must arrive in new containers and cardboard or wood packaging, packed in a clean and sanitised way that permits phytosanitary inspection.	
BRAZIL	required	A composite untreated sample of the content of the shipment must be sent for analysis prior to or together with the shipment.		<i>Pantoea stewartii</i> , <i>Clavibacter michiganensis</i> subsp <i>nebraskensis</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Kabatella zeae</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora philippensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sorghi</i> , <i>Sclerophthora rayssiae var. zeae</i> , <i>Cercospora sorghi</i> , <i>Mycosphaerella zeae-maydis</i>	<i>Heterodera</i>	<i>Trogoderma granarium</i> , <i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> spp.	<i>Stiga</i>	required, to be sent prior to or with the shipment			The material is a donation for research purposes in Brazil, has no commercial value"	Before sending the shipment the invoice and the list of materials contained in the shipment must be sent by fax to the cooperator	
CANADA	required													
CHILE	required										Carboxin+Captan or Carboxin+Thiram			
CHINA	required	Depends on province, requirements are listed on the permit if required.												
COLOMBIA	required			<i>Erwinia chrysanthemi</i>	<i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>P. sorghi</i> , <i>P. philippinensis</i> , <i>Sclerophthora macrospora</i> , <i>Sclerophthora rayssiae var. zeae</i>		<i>Trogoderma granarium</i> and other species belonging to the family Dermestidae		required, to be sent at the same time as the shipment	required		Seed for experimental use/Semilla para uso experimental Commercial value 3USD.	When seed is sent to private companies, an authorization to receive the shipment signed by the manager of the company is required before shipping the seed.	
COSTA RICA	required													
ECUADOR	required			<i>Acidovorax avenae</i> subsp. <i>avenae</i> , <i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Claviceps gigantea</i> , <i>Gibberella avenacea</i> , <i>Gibberella moniliformis</i> , <i>Sarocladium oryzae</i>		<i>Caulophilus oryzae</i> , <i>Cryptolestes pusillus</i> , <i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> , <i>Rhizopertha dominica</i> , <i>Sitophilus zeamais</i> , <i>Trogoderma variabile</i>				fumigation in Mexico with 56% aluminum phosphide for 72 hours at 3-4 tablets per ton and treatment with a protective fungicide		The seed must be sent in new containers.	

EGYPT	required	The IPC should indicate variety, description, purity and germination rate of seeds, percentage incidence of weed seeds and their kind and level of seed multiplication.										Each package must have printed the name of the importer, variety, origin and date of expiry.	
EL SALVADOR	required								required				
ETHIOPIA (Federal Democratic Rep. of)	required	Must be free from soil. The crop must have been inspected during active growth.		<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i>							fungicide and insecticide always required and must be stated on the International Phytosanitary Certificate	
FIJI ISLANDS	required		maize dwarf mosaic		<i>Ustilago maydis</i>				required			fungicide and insecticide required	
FRANCE	required												
GEORGIA	required			<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Cochliobolus heterostrophus</i> , <i>Stenocarpella macrospora</i>								
GERMANY	required									Genetically engineered seeds must be marked unambiguously as such and all other information pertaining to the Genetic Engineering Law must be provided.		„Saatgut für wissenschaftliche Zwecke oder Züchtungs- und Ausstellungszwecke“.	The packages or containers (in bundled mixed shipments) are to be specially marked with the name of the company, address of the sender, and species, or mixed shipments may instead be accompanied by appropriate information on species and variety in accompanying documents (precise summary).
GUATEMALA	required	Certificate of Origin, Commerical Invoice			<i>Claviceps gigantea</i>		<i>Trogoderma variable</i> , <i>Carpophilus dimidiatus</i>	<i>Cirsium arvense</i>					
INDIA	required	The seed must be free of soil.	maize chlorotic dwarf machlovirus	<i>Clavibacter michiganensis</i> subsp. <i>nebraskensis</i> , <i>Pantoea stewartii</i> , <i>Burkholderia andropogonis</i> , <i>Pantoea agglomerans</i> , <i>Pseudomonas fuscovaginae</i> , <i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> pv. <i>coronafaciens</i>	<i>Claviceps gigantea</i> , <i>Cochliobolus heterostrophus</i> , <i>Phakopsora zeae</i> , <i>Kabatiella zeae</i> , <i>Mycosphaerella zeae-maydis</i>		<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> , <i>Sitophilus zeamais</i>		required, to be sent at the same time as the shipment				
INDONESIA	required												
JAMAICA	required	Package and contents must be free from soil, free from injurious insects and diseases and to have been grown in an area free from golden nematode.					golden nematode (<i>Heterodera rostockiensis</i>)						Packing material to consist of moss, paper, woodshavings or other artificial media.
KENYA	required	The seed must be free from soil, chaff, and leaf mould		<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Sclerospora graminicola</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> (field inspected during active growth)				required		fungicide treatment	For research purposes only	Banana leaves, maize, rice, sorghum, palm, wheat straw, soil, and leaf mould may not be used as packaging. If any other plant material is used a certificate is required stating: all seeds, pathogens and insects have been killed before use of the material either by heating to 180°F/83°C for 10 minutes or by chemical treatment (details required on IPC).
KYRGYZSTAN	required												
MALAWI	required		free from virus diseases	<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Cochliobolus heterostrophus</i> , <i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Kabatiella zeae</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora philippinensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora spontanea</i>		<i>Trogoderma granarium</i> , <i>Prostephanus truncatus</i>		required	required		The material does not contain any cytoplasmic male sterile lines	

MAURITIUS	required	Certified free from dangerous diseases and pests.	maize dwarf mosaic virus, sugarcane mosaic virus, wheat streak mosaic virus	<i>Clavibacter michiganensis</i> subsp. <i>nebraskensis</i> , <i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Claviceps gigantea</i> , <i>Cochliobolus heterostrophus</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora philippinensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sorghi</i>		<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i>			required (insecticide and fungicide, with description)		Must not be packed in earth, leaf or garden mould, compost, farmyard manure, straw or unsterilized sphagnum moss.
MEXICO	required		wheat streak mosaic	<i>Burkholderia andropogonis</i> , <i>Clavibacter michiganensis</i> subsp. <i>nebraskensis</i> , <i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Sclerophthora rayssiae</i> var.	<i>Heterodera</i>	<i>Busseola fusca</i> , <i>Ostrinia</i>					
MOZAMBIQUE	required		maize dwarf mosaic	<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Claviceps gigantea</i> , <i>Kabatella zaeae</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora philippinensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Sclerophthora rayssiae</i> var. <i>zaeae</i>	<i>zaeae</i>	<i>Peronosclerospora philippinensis</i> , <i>nubilalis</i>	<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i>				
NEPAL	required		maize dwarf mosaic virus	<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Claviceps gigantea</i>	<i>Ditylenchus dipsaci</i>	<i>Caulophilus oryzae</i>			required		
NICARAGUA	required	Must be accompanied by Certificate of Origin	maize dwarf mosaic virus	<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora spontanea</i> , <i>Sclerophthora macrospora</i> , <i>Ustilago maydis</i>		<i>Diabotrica virgifera</i>					
NIGERIA	required		maize dwarf, maize rough virus	<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora spontanea</i> , <i>Sclerophthora macrospora</i> , <i>Ustilago maydis</i>		<i>virgifera</i>			required	fungicide treatment required (name and dose should be stated on IPC)	
PAKISTAN	required	Must be free from soil and weeds certified free from insect pests and diseases. Seed consignment must be accompanied with seed testing report issued from Government Laboratory of country of origin showing details of germination, abnormal seeds, inert materials, weed seeds, year of production and seed pathology.		<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>						required	fungicide treatment required (name and dose should be stated on IPC)	
PANAMA	required											
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	required			<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Peronosclerospora</i> spp.							
PARAGUAY	required											
PERU	required			<i>Pantoea stewartii</i> , <i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> pv. <i>syringae</i>	<i>Cochliobolus heterostrophus</i> , <i>Stenocarpella maydis</i> , <i>Stenocarpella macrospora</i> , <i>Sphaceloteca reiliana</i>		<i>Trogoderma variable</i> , <i>Trogoderma versicolor</i>		required	required	always required	list of materials with the number of envelopes and amount of seed per envelopes sent by fax to cooperator before shipping for confirmation
PHILIPPINES	required	Must be free from soil, plant diseases, insect storage pests and weed seeds, the Plant Quarantine Clearance number from the permit must be stated on the IPC.		<i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> pv. <i>syringae</i>	<i>Claviceps gigantea</i> , <i>Cercospora zaeae</i> , <i>maydis</i>		<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> , <i>Trogoderma variable</i>			required	fungicide and insecticide treatment required (stated in IPC)	Seeds should be properly packed.
SERBIA	required											
SOUTH AFRICA (Rep. of)	required			<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Cochliobolus heterostrophus</i> , <i>Kabatella zaeae</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora philippinensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>Sclerophthora rayssiae</i> var. <i>zaeae</i> ,		<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i> , <i>Trogoderma granarium</i> , <i>Listronotus bonariensis</i> , <i>Chaetocnema pulicaria</i>			required		
SPAIN	required											
TAJIKISTAN	required											
TANZANIA	required			<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Peronosclerospora sorghi</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora saccharii</i>						required	
THAILAND	required									required		
TUNISIA					<i>Acremonium maydis</i> , <i>Cochliobolus carbonum</i> , <i>Diplodia</i> spp., <i>Gibberella moniliformis</i> , <i>Gibberella zaeae</i>							
TURKEY	required											
UGANDA	required			<i>Pantoea stewartii</i>	<i>Peronosclerospora</i> spp.					required		

USA	required	The shipment must be free from soil, plant material other than seed, other foreign matter or debris, seeds in the fruit or seed pod, and living organisms such as parasitic plants, pathogens, insects, snails, and mites. The seeds must be free from pesticides.											The shipment should be sent to the Plant Inspection Station (PIS) at the port(s) specified on the permit using supplied "green and yellow" permit label(s), with no other delivery address on the outside of the package. The seeds must be securely packaged in packets or envelopes and sealed to prevent spillage. Clear plastic resealable bags are highly recommended. Regulations apply to wood packaging. A typed or legibly printed seed list/invoice must accompany each shipment with the name of the collector/shipper, the botanical names (at least to genus, preferably to species level) listed alphabetically, and the country of origin and country shipped from for each taxon. Each seed packet must be clearly labeled with the name of the collector/shipper, the country of origin, and the scientific name. Or, the seed list may provide a code for each lot, which may be used on the seed packets. In this case, each packet must at least include the code and scientific name used. Each packet must be limited to a maximum of 50 seeds or 10 grams of seed of 1 taxon (genus, species, cultivar).
VIETNAM	required												
YEMEN	required												
ZAMBIA	required		Sugarcane	<i>Pantoea stewartii</i> , <i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> , <i>Clavibacter michiganensis</i> subsp. <i>nebraskensis</i>	<i>Cochliobolus carbonum</i> , <i>Claviceps gigantea</i> , <i>Dilpodia theobromae</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora philippinensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sorghi</i> , <i>Sclerophthora macrospora</i> , <i>Sphacelotheca reiliana</i>		<i>Chaetocnema pulicaria</i> , <i>Prostephanus truncatus</i>			required	required		
ZIMBABWE	required	Parent plants must have been field inspected during active growth.	maize leaf spot virus, sugarcane mosaic virus	<i>Pantoea stewartii</i> , <i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> , <i>Clavibacter michiganensis</i> subsp. <i>nebraskensis</i>	<i>Acremonium strictum</i> , <i>Claviceps gigantea</i> , <i>Lassiodiplodia theobromae</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora maydis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora philippinensis</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sacchari</i> , <i>Peronosclerospora sorghi</i> , <i>Sclerophthora macrospora</i> , <i>Ustilago maydis</i>		<i>Prostephanus truncatus</i>			required (declaration must be issued by government authorities)	treatment with fungicides required		