

The SONCAP Regulated Product List

GROUP I - TOYS

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
I-01	TOYS, incl. VIDEO GAMES and OTHER ELECTRONIC TOYS, PLAYGROUND, AMUSEMENT AND FAIRGROUND EQUIPMENT, CHILDREN HAIR SLIDES AND BANDS	
I-02	GYMNASIUM, FITNESS AND HEALTH RELATED PRODUCTS.	
I-03	BABY TROLLEY AND OTHER RELATED PRODUCTS incl. BABY CRIB, BABY ROCKER	
I-04	SPORTS, OUTDOOR GAMES AND OTHER RECREATION RELATED PRODUCTS	

GROUP II - ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
II-01	AUDIO, VIDEO AND SIMILAR ELECTRONIC APPLIANCES	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-02	VACUUM CLEANERS AND WATER-SUCTION CLEANING APPLIANCES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-03	ELECTRIC IRONS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-04	SPIN EXTRACTORS UP TO A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 12 KG	
II-05	DISHWASHERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-06	STATIONARY COOKING RANGES, HOBS, OVENS AND SIMILAR APPLIANCES	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-07	WASHING MACHINES UP TO A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 12 KG	
II-08	SHAVERS, HAIR CLIPPERS AND SIMILAR APPLIANCES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 500 W	
II-09	GRILLS, TOASTERS AND SIMILAR PORTABLE COOKING APPLIANCES	All types are regulated
II-10	FLOOR TREATMENT MACHINES AND WET SCRUBBING MACHINES	All types are regulated
II-11	TUMBLE DRYERS UP TO A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 12 KG	
II-12	WARMING PLATES AND SIMILAR APPLIANCES	
II-13	DEEP FAT FRYERS, FRYING PANS AND SIMILAR APPLIANCES	All types are regulated
II-14	KITCHEN MACHINES	All types are regulated
II-15	APPLIANCES FOR HEATING LIQUIDS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-16	FOOD WASTE DISPOSERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-17	BLANKETS, PADS AND SIMILAR FLEXIBLE HEATING APPLIANCES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-21	STORAGE WATER HEATERS UP TO A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 600 LITRES	
II-23	APPLIANCES FOR SKIN OR HAIR CARE UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	

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II-24	REFRIGERATING APPLIANCES, ICE-CREAM APPLIANCES AND ICE-MAKERS UP TO A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 50 CU. FT	
II-25	MICROWAVE OVENS, INCLUDING COMBINATION MICROWAVE OVENS UP TO A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 60 LITRES.	
II-26	CLOCKS AND WATCHES	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated including battery-operated watches.
II-27	APPLIANCES FOR SKIN EXPOSURE TO ULTRAVIOLET AND INFRARED RADIATION UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-28	SEWING MACHINES	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-29	BATTERY CHARGERS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated.
II-30	ROOM HEATERS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-31	RANGE HOODS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-32	MASSAGE APPLIANCES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 500 W	All types that are Electrically/Mechanically driven are regulated except those with therapeutic claims.
II-34	MOTOR-COMPRESSORS UP TO A MAXIMUM LIMIT OF 60,000 BTU/HR.	
II-35	INSTANTANEOUS WATER HEATERS UP TO A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 600 LITRES	
II-40	ELECTRICAL HEAT PUMPS, AIR-CONDITIONERS UP TO A MAXIMUM LIMIT OF 60,000 BTU/HR AND DEHUMIDIFIERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE LIMIT OF 3500 W	
II-41	PUMPS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 12 KW	
II-43	CLOTHES DRYERS AND TOWEL RAILS	
II-44	IRONERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-45	PORTABLE HEATING TOOLS AND SIMILAR APPLIANCES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 1500 W	
II-51	STATIONARY CIRCULATION PUMPS FOR HEATING AND SERVICE WATER INSTALLATIONS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 12 KW	
II-52	ORAL HYGIENE APPLIANCES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 500 W	Excluding tooth brushes of all types
II-53	SAUNA HEATING APPLIANCES	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-54	SURFACE-CLEANING APPLIANCES FOR USE EMPLOYING LIQUIDS OR STEAM UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-55	ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES FOR USE WITH AQUARIUMS AND GARDEN PONDS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-56	PROJECTORS AND SIMILAR APPLIANCES	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-59	INSECT KILLERS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated excluding chemically based insect killers
II-60	WHIRLPOOL BATHS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-61	THERMAL-STORAGE ROOM HEATERS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated

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II-65	AIR-CLEANING APPLIANCES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-66	WATER-BED HEATERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-67	FLOOR TREATMENT AND FLOOR CLEANING MACHINES FOR INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL USE.	
II-69	WET AND DRY VACUUM CLEANERS, INCLUDING POWER BRUSH FOR INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL USE.	
II-73	FIXED IMMERSION HEATERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-74	PORTABLE IMMERSION HEATERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-75	DISPENSING APPLIANCES AND VENDING MACHINES	
II-77	PEDESTRIAN CONTROLLED MAINS OPERATED LAWNMOWERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 1500 W	
II-78	OUTDOOR BARBECUES UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-79	HIGH PRESSURE CLEANERS AND STEAM CLEANERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 1500 W	
II-80	FANS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W incl. CKDs and SKDs	
II-81	FOOT WARMERS AND HEATING MATS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-82	AMUSEMENT MACHINES AND PERSONAL SERVICE MACHINES	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-85	FABRIC STEAMERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-88	HUMIDIFIERS INTENDED FOR USE WITH HEATING, VENTILATION, OR AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEMS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-91	WALK-BEHIND AND HAND-HELD LAWN TRIMMERS AND LAWN EDGE TRIMMERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 1500 W	
II-94	SCISSOR TYPE GRASS SHEARS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 1500 W	
II-95	DRIVES FOR VERTICALLY MOVING GARAGE DOORS FOR RESIDENTIAL USE UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-96	FLEXIBLE SHEET HEATING ELEMENTS FOR ROOM HEATING	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-97	DRIVES FOR ROLLING SHUTTERS, AWNINGS, BLINDS AND SIMILAR EQUIPMENT UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-98	HUMIDIFIERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-100	HAND-HELD MAINS-OPERATED GARDEN BLOWERS, VACUUMS AND BLOWER VACUUMS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 1500 W	
II-101	VAPORIZERS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-103	DRIVES FOR GATES, DOORS AND WINDOWS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	
II-105	MULTIFUNCTIONAL SHOWER CABINETS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-126	IT EQUIPMENT incl. POS EQUIPMENT, HARD DRIVES, FLOPPY DRIVES, SOUND CARDS, PROCESSORS, SERVERS, MOTHERBOARDS, MEMORY STICKS, WEB CAMS, STORAGE MEDIA...	
II-127	POWER GENERATORS incl. ALTERNATORS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated
II-128	HAND-HELD MOTOR-OPERATED ELECTRIC TOOLS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 3500 W	

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II-129	ELECTRIC WIRES, CABLES, EXTENSION CORDS, CORD SETS, WIRE CONNECTORS AND EARTHING ROD/THUNDER ARRESTORS.	All types of electric wires, cables, extension cords and cord sets are regulated. Bare copper wires and rods are non-regulated
II-130	LUMINAIRES FIXTURES AND LAMP HOLDERS	All types of luminaires, fixtures and lampholders are regulated
II-131	FAX MACHINES, TELEPHONES, MOBILE PHONES, INTERCOMS AND SIMILAR COMMUNICATION PRODUCTS	All types of fax machines, telephones, mobile phones, intercoms and similar communication products are regulated
II-132	MAINS PLUGS, SOCKET OUTLETS, ADAPTERS AND ELECTRICAL BOXES (PATRESSES)	All types of plugs, socket outlets and adapters conforming to the applicable BS standards are regulated
II-133	ELECTRIC LAMPS AND BULBS.	All types of electric lamps/bulbs are regulated
II-134	STARTERS AND BALLASTS FOR LAMPS	All types of starters and ballasts for lamps are regulated
II-135	SWITCHES, CIRCUIT BREAKERS AND FUSES	All types of switches, circuit breakers are regulated
II-136	POWER SUPPLY, BATTERY CHARGERS AND UPS	Not subject to wattage limit. All types are regulated.
II-137	NON-AUTOMOTIVE BATTERIES incl. UPS BATTERIES etc.	All types of non-automotive batteries are regulated
II-138	MOTORS UP TO A MAXIMUM WATTAGE OF 12 KW (STANDALONE OR FORMING PART OF ANOTHER APPLIANCE)	
II-139	POWER TRANSFORMERS	All types of Power Transformers are regulated
II-140	WATER PURIFIERS	All types of water purifiers are regulated excluding chemically based ones
II-141	SOLAR POWERED APPLIANCES	
II-149	WATT HOUR METER	
II-152	FUEL DISPENSING APPLIANCES	All types of fuel dispensing appliances are regulated.
II-153	ELECTRIC DOOR BELLS OF ALL TYPES incl. THOSE WHICH ARE DC OPERATED	
II-199	PRODUCTS OPERATING ON DIRECT CURRENT (D.C) SUPPLY ONLY i.e. BATTERY OPERATED	All DC operated products are regulated within this category



GROUP III – AUTOMOTIVE

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
III-01b	USED MOTOR VEHICLES (CBU)	All used motor vehicles up to the age of eight (8) years are regulated. Motor vehicles older than eight (8) years are on the import prohibited list. The age is calculated from the year of manufacture.
III-02	AUTOMOTIVE GLASS	All types of automotive glass are regulated
III-03	VEHICLE SPARE PARTS (NEW) incl. COMPLETELY KNOCKED DOWN (CKD) KITS FOR MOTORISED AND NON-MOTORISED VEHICLES, SPARK PLUGS, OIL FILTER, OIL PUMPS AND FUEL FILTERS	All types of vehicle spare parts including CKD kits for motorised and non-motorised vehicles (Including bicycles) are regulated.
III-04	VEHICLE TYRES AND INNER TUBES	All tyres for cars, bus, trucks, wheelbarrow, MPV, motorcycles, mopeds, scooters & bicycles are regulated. Agricultural, forklifts, earthmoving tyres are not regulated.
III-05	MOTOR VEHICLE BATTERIES incl. BATTERIES FOR ELECTRICAL FORKLIFTS	All types of motor vehicle batteries are regulated

GROUP IV –CHEMICAL PRODUCTS

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
IV-01	MOTOR LUBRICATING OILS AND PETROLEUM BASED PRODUCTS FOR USE IN VEHICLES, MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL MACHINES	
IV-02	PAINTS, VARNISHES THINNERS, PUTTIES AND RELATED PRODUCTS	
IV-06	CHAFFING FUELS, GAS LIGHTERS AND GAS REFILL, FIRELIGHTERS, BARBECUE BRIQUETTE, BARBECUE FUEL/COAL	
IV-09	SAFETY MATCHES (RED PHOSPHORUS)	
IV-11	NON-PERFUMED CANDLES	
IV-14	FLEXIBLE PVC FLOORING	
IV-15	TABLEWARE AND DINNERWARE OF ALL MATERIAL incl. CERAMIC, CHINA, PORCELAIN.... etc.	All types are regulated including ceramics, glass, china etc.
IV-17	SCHOOL CHALK	
IV-18	BITUMEN ROAD EMULSION	
IV-22	ADHESIVES incl. ADHESIVE TAPES, GLUES	
IV-23	FEEDING BOTTLES	
IV-24	FLASKS, VACUUMWARE	All types are regulated
IV-25	BITUMINOUS PRODUCTS incl. ASPHALT	

GROUP V – MECHANICAL MATERIAL AND GAS APPLIANCES

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
V-11	GAS APPLIANCES	
V-12	NON-GALVANISED STEEL BARS, RODS, BEAMS, ANGLES, SHEETS, PIPES, BILLETS, WIRE ROPES AND GALVANISED STEEL AND STAINLESS STEEL BARS, RODS, BEAMS, ANGLES, SHEETS, PIPES incl. IRON WIRE GAUZE AND FENCE SECURITY BARB STEEL WIRES	
V-13	WATER TAPS AND VALVES	Valves for household use are regulated Valves used in sewage application are regulated Valves used in water pipelines, oil/gas are non-regulated
V-14	KEYS AND LOCKS	All types of keys and locks including electrical door lock systems are regulated
V-15	CERAMIC PRODUCTS, TILES, SANITARY WARE APPLIANCES, STAINLESS STEEL HAND WASH BASIN, PIPES AND FITTINGS	All types of ceramic products, tiles, sanitary ware appliances are regulated
V-16	SUSPENDED CEILING AND GRIDS	All types of false ceilings are regulated
V-17	ROOFING SHEETING, ROOFING TILES	
V-18	WINDOW LOUVRE FRAMES	
V-19	GAS CYLINDERS	All types of gas cylinders (domestic and Industrial) are regulated. Importers to contact SON HQ. Lagos, Nigeria.
V-20	KEROSENE STOVES AND HURRICANE LANTERNS	
V-23	LPG PRESSURE REGULATOR	
V-24	PUMPS, TOOL, AND SIMILAR WORKING ON INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES	
V-25	AIR COMPRESSORS AND TOOLS RUNNING ON AIR COMPRESSORS	
V-26	MECHANICAL BACKPACK SPRAYERS USED FOR PROJECTING, DISPERSING OR SPRAYING LIQUIDS OR POWDERS.	All types are regulated
V-27	ALUMINIUM AND ALUMINIUM ALLOY PRODUCTS incl. ALUMINIUM PROFILES	
V-28	HANDS TOOLS AND SIMILAR PRODUCTS incl. SREW DRIVER, TESTER, HYDRAULIC JACK BOTTLE etc.	
V-29	PRESSURE COOKERS	
V-30	CEMENT AND GYPSUM	
V-31	CURTAIN RAILINGS AND ACCESSORIES	
V-32	RAZOR BLADES AND SHAVERS	All types of blades and shavers are regulated but excluding chemical based shavers such as creams, powder or foam.
V-33	ROPES incl. VEHICLE TOWING ROPE, TEXTILE SLINGS, FIBRE ROPES etc.	

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
V-34	SAW BLADES AND CUTTING DISCS	
V-35	MEASURING DEVICES incl. SCALES, TAPES, VERNIER CALIPERS etc.	

GROUP VII – PAPER AND STATIONERY

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
VII-01	PAPER AND PAPER PRODUCTS	
VII-02	WRITING MATERIALS incl. PENS, PENCILS, MARKER, CORRECTION FLUID, CRAYON FELTPENS AND RELATED PRODUCTS.	
VII-99	OTHER STATIONERY ITEMS incl. MATHEMATICAL SETS	

GROUP VIII – PROTECTIVE SAFETY EQUIPMENT

Pr.No.	Item	Remarks
VIII-01	FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT incl. FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, HELMETS, BLANKETS, TROUSERS etc.	
VIII-02	ELECTRONIC SECURITY EQUIPMENT/ALARM AND SIMILAR PRODUCTS	
VIII-03	HELMETS	All types of helmets are regulated.

Notes

General

1	Nigerian industrial standards (NIS) take precedence. Conformance to international/regional standards like IEC, ISO, EN etc. is acceptable provided the Nigerian requirements are met
2	Used products other than used motor vehicles are non-regulated
3	Products included in the Import Prohibited list and SONCAP exempted list are non-regulated
4	Project specific products are non-regulated.
5	Non-regulated products do not require Product certificate and SONCAP certificate.

For Group I

1	Electrical toys operating on DC or AC power supply are regulated.
2	Electrical toys should also conform to points 1 and 5 of Group II

For Group II

1	Household electrical frequency and voltage in Nigeria is 50 Hz and 230 $\pm 4\%$ V. Three phase supply in Nigeria is 415 V $\pm 10\%$ V and is not generally available in Nigerian households
2	Climatic class for Nigeria is Tropical
3	Appliances of Insulation Class 0 and Class 01 are allowed in Nigeria
4	Earth grounding is compulsory in all houses
5	Plugs and socket outlets to conform to BS 1363 and BS 546. Shaver Plugs and socket outlets to conform to BS 4573.
6	Normal IEC standard conditions apply for ambient temperature (i.e 20 $\pm 5^\circ$ C)
7	Appliances working only on DC supply are regulated. Appliances working on DC or AC supply are regulated.

8	Industrial and commercial products within or equal to the prescribed wattage limit noted against the product categories are regulated
9	Products in CKD condition are regulated
For Group III	
1	In addition to the Original Equipment Manufacturers, automotive spare parts manufactured by After Market Suppliers are allowed to be exported to Nigeria provided they meet the SONCAP requirements
For Group IV	
1	Chemicals that are used in manufacturing processes are non-regulated.