22. TRQ-21: Evaporated milk

(a) The in-quota rate of customs duty on originating goods of the European Union classified under the tariff lines set out in subparagraph (c) shall be duty-free, when:

(i) the aggregate volume of the originating goods imported from the European Union in any year does not exceed the aggregate quota quantity set out in the table below; and

Year	Aggregate quota quantity (metric tonnes)
1	780
2	1,124
3	1,468
4	1,812
5	2,156
6	2,500
For the seventh year and for each subsequent year, the aggregate quota quantity shall remain at 2,500 metric tonnes.	

(ii) the originating goods are liquid at ordinary temperature, approximately from 1 to 32 degrees Celsius.

(b) The rate of customs duty on originating goods of the European Union classified under the tariff lines set out in subparagraph (c) imported in excess of the aggregate quota quantity set out in subparagraph (a)(i) shall be excluded from any tariff commitment under this Agreement.

(c) Subparagraphs (a) and (b) shall apply to the originating goods classified under the tariff lines 040291.129 and 040291.290.

(d) TRQ-21 shall be administered by Japan, in a non-discriminatory manner, through a first-come, first-served import licensing procedure pursuant to which a certificate of tariff rate quota shall be issued by Japan.