

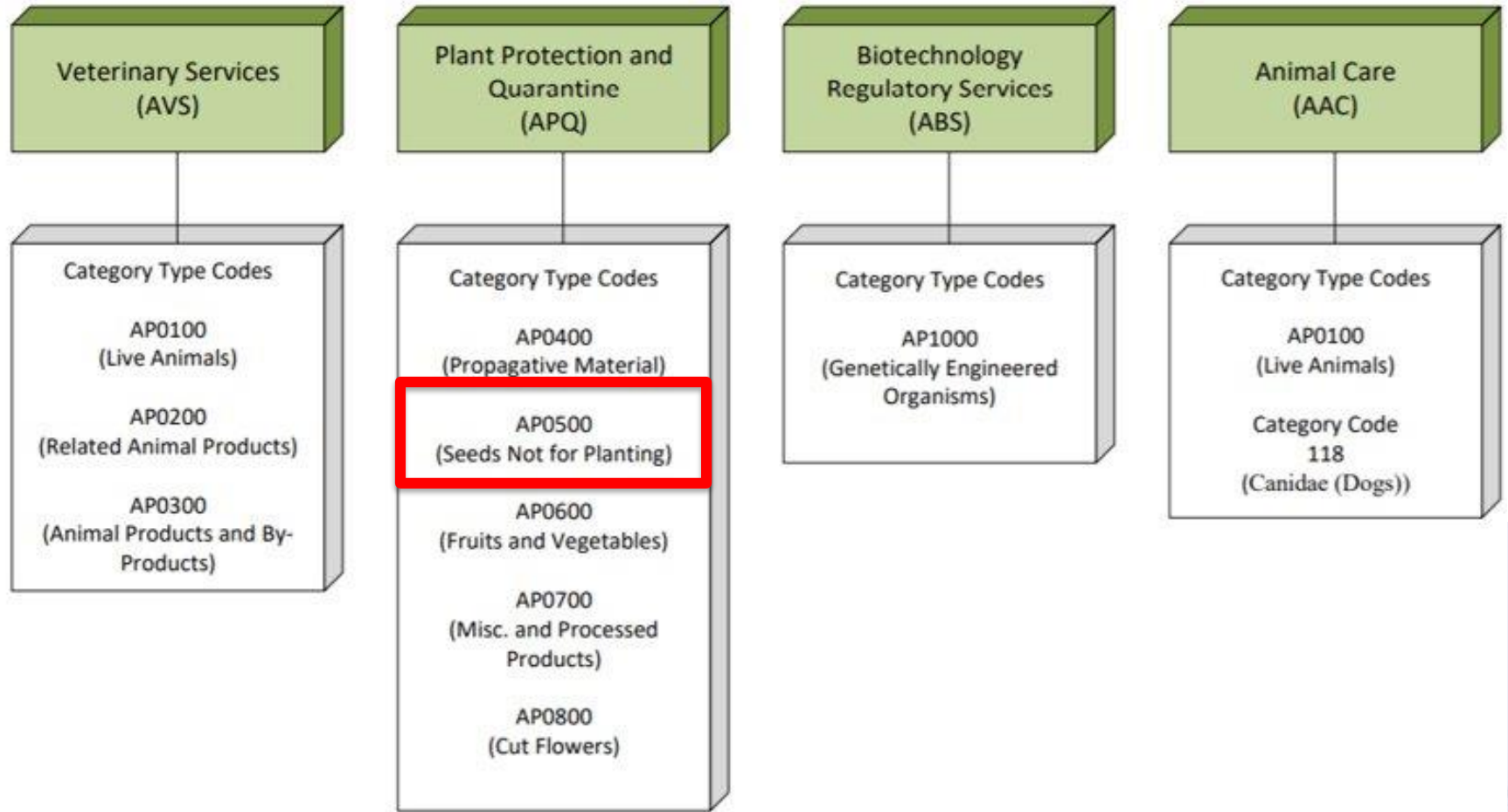


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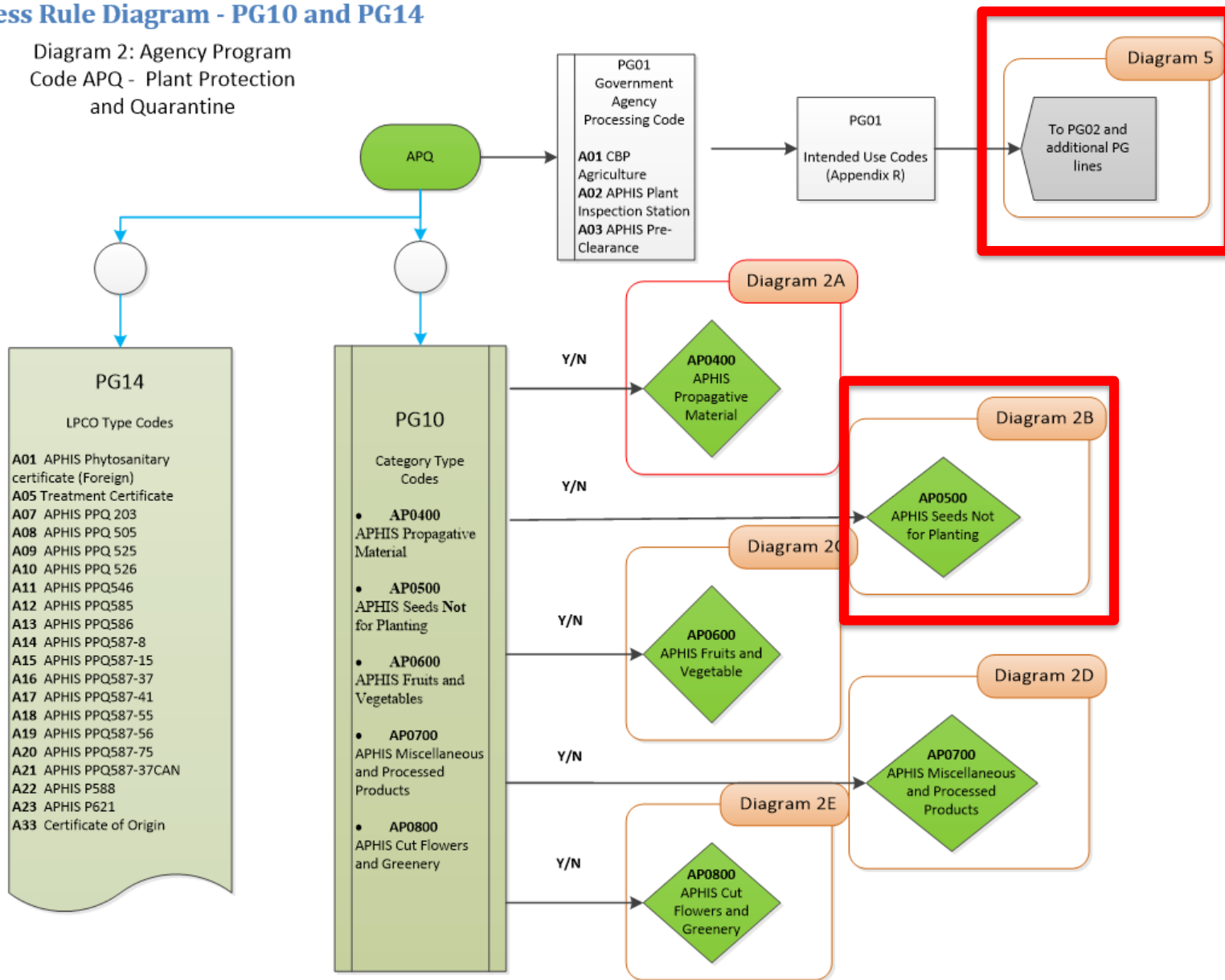
Using the Automated Commercial Environment (ACE) to Submit APHIS-Required Import Data for Seeds not for Planting

March 3, 2020



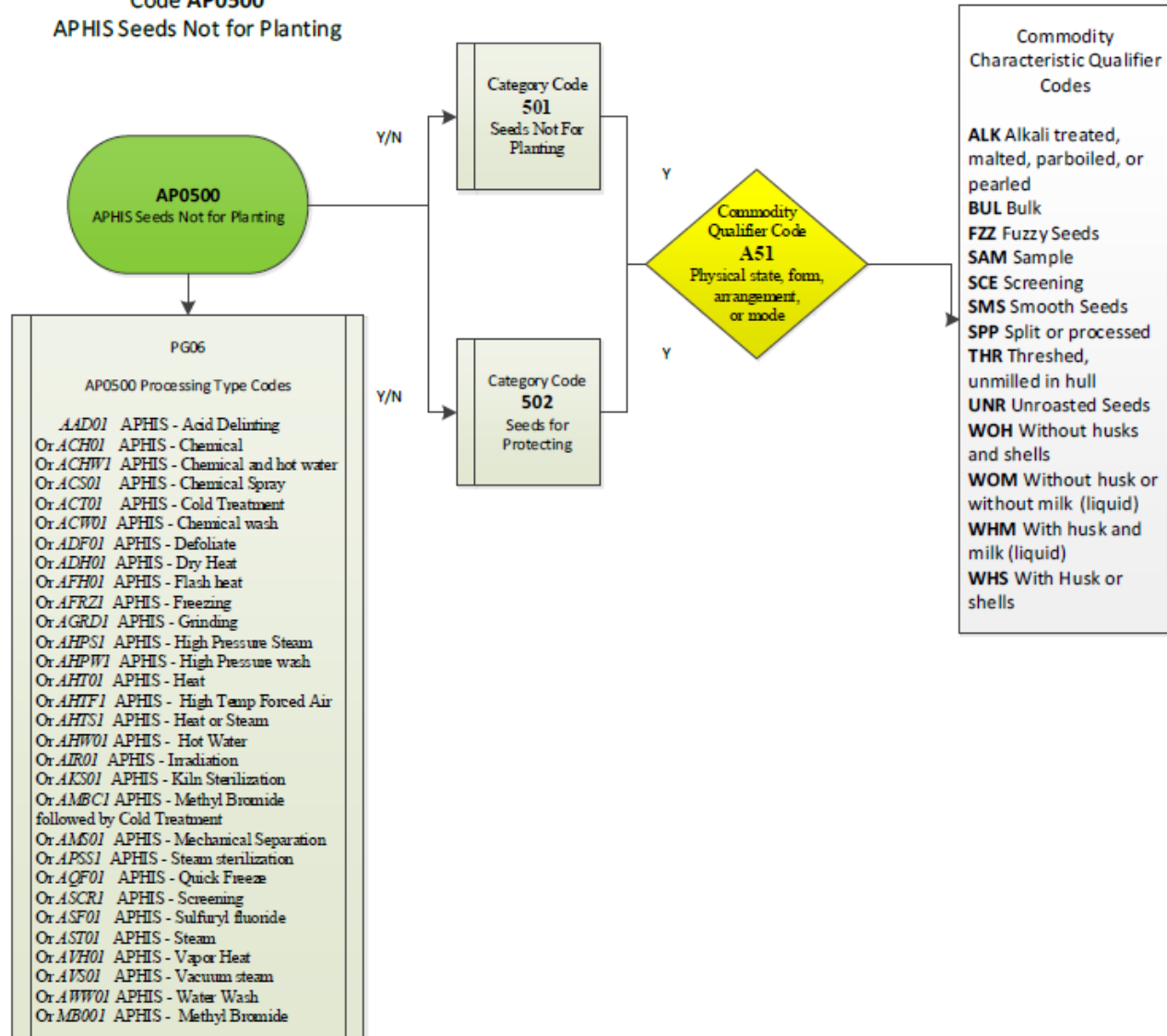
APQ Business Rule Diagram - PG10 and PG14

Diagram 2: Agency Program Code APQ - Plant Protection and Quarantine



AP0500 Business Rule Diagram - PG10 Category Type, Category, and Characteristics

**Diagram 2B: Category Type
Code AP0500
APHIS Seeds Not for Planting**



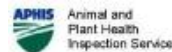
Data Elements That "Drive" the Message Set

- HTS Code
- Government Agency Code: **APH**
- APHIS Program Code: **APQ**
- Government Agency Processing Code: **A01**
- Requirement for PG05: **Genus and Species**
- **PG 10:**
 - **Category Type Code: AP0500 (Seeds not for Planting)**
 - **Category Code: 501 (Seeds not for Planting) and 502 (Seeds for Protecting)**
 - **Commodity Characterisitcs**
- LPCO Type and Identifier (Number)
- Country of origin and/or export
- Permitted Destination Address



PPQ 587

- Enter permit #, Type, and details in PGA message set.
- Enter commodity type and number, importer address, destination address, and country of origin in PGA message set



United States Department of Agriculture
 Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
 4700 River Road PG 13
 Riverdale, MD 20737

Permit to Import Plants and Plant Products PG 14
 Regulated by 7 CFR 319.56

This permit was generated electronically via the ePermits system

PERMITTEE NAME: Pat Smith	PERMIT NUMBER: P56-10 PG 14
ORGANIZATION: Big Deal Fine Foods	APPLICATION NUMBER: P587-
ADDRESS: 12345 Main Street PG 19/ 20	DATE ISSUED: 10/08/2010
Brooklyn, NY 11232	
MAILING ADDRESS: 12345 Main Street	
Brooklyn, NY 11232	
PHONE: 555-555-5555	DATE REVISED: 10/19/2012
FAX: 555-555-5556	EXPIRES: 10/19/2015 PG 14

DESIGNATED PORTS: Various Ports of Entry Staffed by CBP-Agriculture Specialists PG 30

Under the conditions specified, this permit authorizes the following:

Article(s): PG 05/ 17 Faba Bean (Vicia faba)	Countries of Origin: PG 32 Various Approved Countries	Plant Parts: Seed	Intended Use: PG 01 consumption
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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO INSPECTORS

See permit conditions below

This permit authorizes the importation of the listed articles, under the conditions specified below. A copy of this permit (including all conditions) must accompany all shipments authorized under this permit. Upon arrival in the United States, the articles and shipping container(s) are subject to inspection by officials of Customs and Border Protection, Agriculture Inspection (CBP-AI) and Plant Protection and Quarantine (PPQ).

1. Faba Bean (horsebeans, Vicia faba)

If harvested in: Canada, Central America, Mexico or West Indies ORIGIN ONLY (INSPECT AND RELEASE)

Country or region OTHER THAN listed above require TO BE TREATED WITH METHYL BROMIDE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION T101-c-2 or T101-d-2 OF THE PLANT PROTECTION AND QUARANTINE TREATMENT MANUAL.

1 pound or less or more than 1 pound of sample OR non-commercial lot (INSPECT and RELEASE) 7CFR 319.56 PG06 Processing Type

For more than 1 pound commercial lot NO whole seeds in the consignment ONLY (INSPECT and RELEASE) 7CFR 319.56

For Faba beans that were foreign grown, entered Canada, and were treated in Canada. Commercial lot is accompanied by a Canadian phytosanitary certificate stating that the faba beans received T101-c-2 or T101-d-2 INSPECT AND RELEASE

For Faba beans that were foreign grown, and/or entered Canada LACKS a Canadian phytosanitary certificate or is accompanied by a certificate that lacks the statement that the faba beans were treated NO WHOLE SEEDS in the shipment INSPECT AND RELEASE.

For Faba beans that were foreign grown, entered Canada WHOLE SEEDS in the shipment REQUIRE an import permit and T101-c-2 or T101-d-2 under 7CFR 319.56.

THIS PERMIT HAS BEEN APPROVED ELECTRONICALLY BY THE FOLLOWING PPQ HEADQUARTER OFFICIAL VIA EPERMITTS.	DATE
<i>Bonita Davis</i> Bonita Davis	10/19/2012

Phytosanitary Certificate

- Must submit in original, paper form
- Enter the certificate number in ACE

PHYTOSANITARY CERTIFICATE PG 96/03 **CERTIFICAT PHYTOSANITAIRE**
UNITED STATES PG 96/03 33872 300-10725573

Reference - Référence: PERMITS: EPICAN-11-09-201 PG 96/03

DESCRIPTION OF CONSIGNMENT / **DESCRIPTION DE L'ENVOI**
 Name and Address of Importer: 122 THREE STREET ST. CATHARINES ONTARIO L9M 9P9 CANADA
 Name and Address of Consignor: 122 THREE STREET ST. CATHARINES ONTARIO L9M 9P9 CANADA

Place of Origin - **Lieu d'origine**: NIAGARA REGION, ONTARIO, CANADA PG 96/03
Declared States of Conveyance: ROAD

Name of Product and Quantity Declared / **Nom de produit et quantité déclarée**
 UNITS: 11 BOX PLANTS

Additional Declaration / **Declaration Additionnelle**
 NO REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN OBSERVED.

Signature / **Signature**: [Red Stamp: CANADIAN PLANT INSPECTION SERVICE]

Place of Issue / **Lieu de délivrance**: ST. CATHARINES, ONTARIO, CANADA
Place of Authorization / **Lieu de l'autorisation**: ST. CATHARINES, ONTARIO, CANADA

Original

Canada

Example: Soybeans

- PG01 – Agency Key Indicators
 - Government Agency Code: **APH**
 - Program Code: **APQ**
 - Processing code: **A01**
 - Electronic Image Submitted: **Y**
 - Intended Use Code: **010.000**
 - Confidentiality Indicator: **Y**
- PG02 - Item Type: **P**
- PG05 – Species Information
 - Genus Name: **Glycine**
 - Species Name: **max**

Example: Soybeans

- PG06 – Country of Origin
 - Source Type Code: **HRV**
 - Country Code: **IN**
- PG10 – Commodity Characteristic Information
 - Category Type Code: **AP0500**
 - Category Code: **501**
 - Qualifier Code: **A51**
 - Characteristic Qualifier: **BUL**

Example: Soybeans

- PG13/14 –LPCO Information
 - LPCO Type: A01 – Phytosanitary Certificate
 - Date Qualifier: 3
 - Transaction Type: 1
- PG17 – Wildlife Commodity Information
 - Common Name: Soybean

Example: Soybeans

- PG 19/20 – Entity information
 - Ultimate Consignee – **UC**
 - The party to whom the overseas shipper consigned the imported merchandise or
 - If the merchandise has not been sold at time of entry release the proprietor of the U.S. premises to which the merchandise is to be delivered.
 - Party who has been designated on the invoice as the final recipient
 - Customs Broker or Importer – **CB** or **IM**
 - Permit holder - LPCO authorized party (**LAP**)

Example: Soybeans

- PG26 – Packing Information
 - Packing Qualifier: 1
 - Quantity and Unit of Measure: KG
- PG27 – Container Information
- PG30
 - Inspection Status: I
 - Arrival Location Code: 2
 - Arrival Location: Port Code of Arrival
- PF32 – Routing Information
 - Routing Type: 198
 - Routing Country Code: IN



Example: Faba Beans (from France Transshipping Canada)

- PG01 - **APH, APQ, A01** with intended use of **230.00**
- PG02 - **P**
- PG05 - ***Vicia faba***
- PG06 - Report source type code of **HRV** country **FR**
- PG06 - Processing code **MB001**
- PG10 - **AP0500, 501** and **WHS**
- PG13/14 – Report Permit and Phytosanitary Certificate
- PG17 – **Faba Bean**
- PG19/20 - Continue to report the appropriate **CB or IM, UC, LAP**
- PG26 - In this case inner most package is **1** and the count **KG**
- PG30 - **I, 2** and location reported as **port code**
- PG32- **198, FR** Repeat for transshipment **13, CA**



Example: Coconut from Costa Rica

- PG01 - **APH, APQ, A01** with intended use of **230.00**
- PG02 - **P**
- PG05 – ***Cocos Nucifera***
- PG06 - Report source type code of **HRV** country **CR**
- PG10 - **AP0500, 501** and **WHM**
- PG13/14 – Report Permit and Phytosanitary Certificate
- PG17 – **Coconut**
- PG19/20 - Continue to report the appropriate **CB or IM, UC, LAP**
- PG26 - In this case inner most package is **1** and the count **KG**
- PG30 - **I, 2** and location reported as **port code**
- PG32- **198, CR**

Guidance: Flagging - Disclaims

- APHIS HTS flagging is based on the tariff code description, including explanatory notes
- Country or commodity-specific restrictions may not require an LPCO
- Tariff code flagging cannot account for country or commodity-specific restrictions
- If No LPCO is required:
 - Disclaim Code A (not regulated) or B (data not required as per PGA guidance)
 - OR
 - File a message set

Even with Disclaim, filers can also submit DIS document to support disclaim if you choose not to file PGA data. Example: country of origin certificate or ingredients list.

Additional Resources

- Contact ACE.ITDS@usda.gov regarding APHIS Core Message Set
- More guidance available on the APHIS ACE Website (www.aphis.usda.gov/ace)
 - Exemptions
 - Entry types where APHIS Core flagging is enforced
 - Full list of CBP Appendices referenced for APHIS Core Message Set
- [APHIS' Import/Export web page](#)