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Importation Guide

Due to the plethora of electronic devices and infusion of wireless into all kinds of products from cookware, bedding, cloths, etc., it becomes unworkable to organize a list of every possible Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) code that requires FCC or may require FCC. Below is a general guide that can help importers and brokers.

**Examples**

- All Wireless Devices
  - TV
  - FM Radio
  - CB Radio
  - Other Radio Receivers
  - Scanning Receiver
  - Radar detector
  - TV Boxes
  - Cable Boxes
  - Computers and peripherals
  - Switching Power supplies
  - General electronics

Goods that require power source: AC, battery, solar, chemical, mechanical

- **No** → Not FCC regulated
- **Yes or Not Sure** → Continue

Goods that contain circuitry

- **No** → Equipment authorization not required
- **Yes or Not Sure** → Continue

Parts, subassemblies or exempt RF devices under 15.103 [2]

- **Yes** → Get Help
- **No or not sure** → Not Sure Get Help

Equipment Authorization Required [3]

- **No/Not Sure** → Get Help
- **Submit Help Inquiry [4]**

For FCC rules see [5]

