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Sub - Agency	96/97	97/98	98/99	99/00	00/01	01/02	02/03	03/04
519 Other nominated chemicals (TOOCS2)	np	np	np		5	10	15	25
521 Industrial gases, fumes	40	25	40	30	25	20	25	20
522 Acids	5	5	5	10	np	np	np	np
523 Bases and alkalis	np	5	10	5	np	np	np	np
524 Non-bituminous hydrocarbon fuels	30	35	15	25	20	15	15	10
525 Bitumen, asphalt, tar, pitch	np	5						
529 Other basic and unspecified chemicals	135	135	145	100	90	95	75	50
531 Plant treatment chemicals	15	15	10	10	15	5	15	10
532 Animal treatment chemicals	10	np	5	np	5	5	5	np
533 Pharmaceuticals	10	20	15	10	10	10	10	10
534 Paint, varnish	45	25	35	35	35	30	40	35
535 Organic solvents	20	15	10	10	5	10	5	10
536 Detergents	55	60	55	55	50	40	40	40
537 Plastic materials, synthetic resins and rubbers	30	30	40	30	25	30	40	45
538 Manufactured explosive substances	np	10	np	5	5	np	np	np
539 Other chemical products	120	110	120	105	95	120	110	85
611 Abrasive powders	np	0						
612 Cement and lime	35	20	20	20	25	20	15	30
613 Wet concrete	10	5	10	10	15	np	15	10
614 Rocks, stones, boulders	20	20	15	20	15	10	25	25
615 Bricks and tiles and concrete, cement and clay								
products, not elsewhere classified	70	85	75	70	85	55	70	105
616 Dust, not elsewhere classified	80	80	75	90	90	90	65	65
618 Asbestos (TOOCS2)		np		np	30	60	85	105
619 Other non-metallic minerals and substances	130	145	95	130	130	145	140	135

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preliminary and subject to change.

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