



# Mexico: NOMs and NMXs issued by the Mexican Government

During the period June 1 to 30, 2008

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## Summary

This document reports on **draft and final technical regulations and standards – NOMs and NMXs - issued by the Mexican Government, during the period June 1 to 30, 2008.** Five different lists are included to assist U.S. exporters, companies, and other parties interested in:

1. Draft technical regulations (NOMs) that are still in the comment period.
2. Technical regulations (NOMs) that have been published in final form as well as responses to comments on draft technical regulations.
3. Draft standards (NMXs), the comment period of which is still open.
4. Enacted standards (NMXs).
5. Cancelled technical regulations and standards.

## Background

All goods and products imported into Mexico must comply with all applicable technical regulations and labeling requirements. Applicable technical regulations and labeling requirements are listed by harmonized tariff system (HS or HTS) code. The Mexican Government publishes technical regulations and standards, through the Diario Oficial de la Federacion (Official Gazette) - the Mexican equivalent of the US Federal Register. Technical regulations are published in the form of a Norma Oficial Mexicana (NOM) (Literally *Official Mexican Standard*), or a Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana (*Draft Technical Regulation*). The minimum comment period for draft technical regulations is 60 days. During the comment period the public, businesses, or any interested party can submit comments to the address specified in the text of the draft technical regulation. Comments must be submitted in Spanish and be received no later than the closing date listed in the text of the Proyecto.

The full texts of draft and enacted NOMs and some NMXs are available in the library of the Direccion General de Normas (DGN) (Mexican Bureau of Standards), which is part of the Secretaria de Economia (Secretariat of Economy), or on DGN's web pages. The DGN home page can be reached at <http://www.economia.gob.mx/?P=85>. To search for draft and enacted technical regulations and standards, the electronic NOM library can be accessed at <http://www.economia-noms.gob.mx>. For some NMX standards, the draft texts are available for free download at [www.economia-nmx.gob.mx](http://www.economia-nmx.gob.mx). Most NMXs, however, are copyrighted and therefore only available for a fee directly from the standards development body that issued the draft standard. The most common include ANCE, NYCE, and ONNCCE. These three private-sector voluntary standards developers have web pages of their own with contact information.

The web page addresses follow the format of [www.{acronym of the body}.org.mx](http://www.{acronym of the body}.org.mx), for example, [[www.ance.org.mx](http://www.ance.org.mx)]. Responses to comments received must be published in the Diario Oficial. The publication of responses to comments is a clear indication that the publication of the standard in its final form is imminent. If the Government decides to finalize the standard, it will be published as a NOM in the Diario Oficial. Private sector standards follow the same procedure and are identified with the NMX prefix. Voluntary NMX standards become mandatory when quoted or listed in NOMs. The Diario Oficial is available both in hard copy and electronically.

## Lists Included In This Document

Five different lists follow below to assist companies, and other interested parties, to be aware of drafts and final technical regulations issued by the Mexican Government during the period June 1 to 30, 2008:

1. The first is a list of the titles of **draft technical regulations (NOMs) that are still in the comment period.**  
 Notes:
  - The title and short description are in Spanish, with an English translation.
  - Interested parties are encouraged to submit comments on draft technical regulations directly to the entity or individual identified in the publication of the draft NOM.
  
2. The second list reports the titles of the **technical regulations (NOMs) that have been published in final form as well as responses to comments on draft technical regulations.**  
 Note:
  - The title and short description are in Spanish with an English translation.
  
3. The third is a list of **draft standards (NMXs), for which the comment period is still open.**  
 Note:
  - Because of time and human resource constraints, only the titles/NMX and codes are presented in Spanish and English, without description. More detailed information is accessible at [www.economia-nmx.gob.mx](http://www.economia-nmx.gob.mx)
  
4. The fourth is a list of the **enacted standards (NMXs).**  
 Note:
  - Because of time and human resource constraints, only the titles/NMX and codes are presented in Spanish and English, without description. More detailed information is accessible at [www.economia-nmx.gob.mx](http://www.economia-nmx.gob.mx)
  
5. The fifth is a list of **cancelled technical regulations and standards.**  
 Notes:
  - Remember that although (NMXs) are voluntary, they become mandatory when referred to in technical regulations (NOMs), which are always mandatory.

**1. Draft Technical Regulations (NOM) Published - June 1 to 30, 2008  
 Proyectos de Norma (Comment period still open)**

Unless otherwise noted, the comment period for these draft technical regulations is 60 calendar days from the date of publication. Unofficial translations of titles have been provided to aid the reader as appropriate.

Date	Description
2008-06-02	<p>Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-247-SSA1-2005, Productos y servicios. Cereales y sus productos. Cereales, harinas de cereales, sémolas o semolinas. Alimentos a base de: cereales, semillas comestibles, de harinas, sémolas o semolinas o sus mezclas. Productos de panificación. Disposiciones y especificaciones sanitarias y nutrimentales. Métodos de prueba</p> <p>Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-247-SSA1-2005 Products and services. Cereals and their products. Cereals, cereal flours, semolina. Food based on cereals, edible seeds, on flours, semolina, or their mixtures. Bakery products. Sanitary and nutritional dispositions and specifications.</p>

2008-06-03	<p>Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-014-CNA-2003, Requisitos para la recarga artificial de acuíferos</p> <p>Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-014-CAN-2003, Requirements for the replenishment of artificial aquifers</p>
2008-06-05	<p>Proyecto de Modificación de la Norma Oficial Mexicana NOM-025-STPS-1999, Condiciones de iluminación en los centros de trabajo, para quedar como PROY-NOM-025-STPS-2005, Condiciones de iluminación en los centros de trabajo</p> <p>Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-025-STPS-1999, Lighting conditions in work places, to remain as PROY-NOM-025-STPS-2005, Lighting conditions in work places</p>
2008-06-23	<p>Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-243-SSA1-2005, Productos y servicios. Leche, fórmula láctea, producto lácteo combinado y derivados lácteos. Disposiciones y especificaciones sanitarias. Métodos de prueba</p> <p>Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-243-SSA1-2005, Products and services. Milk, formula, mixed milk products and dairy products. Dispositions and sanitary specifications. Test methods.</p>
2008-06-30	<p>Proyecto de Modificación de la Norma Oficial Mexicana NOM-005-STPS-1998, Relativa a las condiciones de seguridad e higiene en los centros de trabajo para el manejo, transporte y almacenamiento de sustancias químicas peligrosas, para quedar como PROY-NOM-005-STPS-2004, Manejo de sustancias químicas peligrosas- Condiciones y procedimientos de seguridad y salud en los centros de trabajo</p> <p>Draft modification of Technical Regulation NOM-005-STPS-1998, About the safety and hygienic conditions in work places for the handling, transportation, and storage of hazardous chemicals to remain as PROY-NOM-005-STPS-2004, Handling of hazardous chemicals- Safety and health conditions and procedures in work places</p>

**2. Technical Regulations (NOM) Issued and Response to Comments - June 1 to 30, 2008 - NOMs Emitidas y Respuestas a Comentarios**

Date	Description
2008-06-27	<p>Norma Oficial Mexicana de Emergencia NOM-EM-011/2-SESH-2008, Recipientes no metálicos para contener Gas L.P. Especificaciones y métodos de prueba</p> <p>Technical Regulation NOM-EM-011/2-SESH-2008, Non-metallic containers for LP Gas. Specifications and test methods.</p>

2008-06-02	<p>Respuesta a los comentarios recibidos al Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-021-ENER/SCFI-2007, Eficiencia energética, requisitos de seguridad al usuario en acondicionadores de aire tipo cuarto. Límites, métodos de prueba y etiquetado, publicado el 3 de enero de 2008</p> <p>Responses to comments received about Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-021-ENER/SCFI-2007, Energy efficiency, end-user safety requirements in Type Four air conditioning systems. Limits, test methods, and labeling, published on January 3, 2008.</p>
2008-06-05	<p>Comentarios recibidos respecto del Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-003-SCT/2006, Características de las etiquetas de envases y embalajes destinadas al transporte de sustancias, materiales y residuos peligrosos, publicado el 16 de octubre de 2007</p> <p>Responses to comments received about Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-003-SCT/2006, Characteristics of the labels for containers and packaging for transportation of hazardous substances, materials, and waste, published on October 16, 2007.</p>
2008-06-06	<p>Comentarios recibidos respecto del Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-004-SCT/2006, Sistema de identificación de unidades destinadas al transporte de sustancias, materiales y residuos peligrosos, publicado el 18 de octubre de 2007</p> <p>Comments received about Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-004-SCT/2006, Identification systems of vehicles intended for transportation of hazardous substances, materials and waste, published o October, 18 2007.</p>
2008-06-09	<p>Comentarios recibidos respecto del Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-005-SCT/2006, Información de emergencia para el transporte de sustancias, materiales y residuos peligrosos, publicado el 22 de octubre de 2007</p> <p>Responses to comments received about Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM0005-SCT/2006, Emergency information for the transportation of hazardous substances, materials, and waste, published on October 22, 2007.</p>
2008-06-20	<p>Respuesta a los comentarios recibidos al Proyecto de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-004-ENER-2005, Eficiencia energética de bombas y conjunto motor-bomba, para bombeo de agua limpia, en potencias de 0,187 kW a 0,746 kW. Límites y métodos de prueba, publicado el 16 de enero de 2008</p> <p>Responses to comments received about Draft Technical Regulation PROY-NOM-004-ENER-2005, Energy efficiency of pumps and motor-pump assemblies, for the pumping of clean water, power levels from 0.25 hp to 1 hp. Limits and test methods, published on January 16, 2008.</p>

**3. Draft Voluntary (NMX) Standards Published - June 1 to 30, 2008**  
**Aviso de consulta pública (Comment period still open)**

Please note - **in the case of Voluntary (NMX) Standards**, only the titles are presented in Spanish and English without description, due to time and human resource constraints.

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2008-06-13	Aviso de consulta pública de los proyectos de normas mexicanas PROY-NMX-A-015/1-INNTEX-2008 y PROY-NMX-A-096-INNTEX-2008 Notice of public consultation of the draft Voluntary Standards PROY-NMX-A-015/1-INNTEX-2008 and PROY-NMX-A-096-INNTEX-2008
2008-06-13	Aviso de consulta pública de los proyectos de normas mexicanas PROY-NMX-CH-1302-IMNC-2008, PROY-NMX-CH-7870-1-IMNC-2008, PROY-NMX-CH-11453-IMNC-2008, PROY-NMX-GR-11660-1-IMNC-2008 y PROY-NMX-GR-22877-IMNC-2008 Notice of public consultation of the draft Voluntary Standards PROY-NMX-CH-1302-IMNC-2008, PROY-NMX-CH-7870-1-IMNC-2008, PROY-NMX-CH-11453-IMNC-2008, PROY-NMX-GR-11660-1-IMNC-2008 and PROY-NMX-GR-22877-IMNC-2008
2008-06-18	Aviso de consulta pública de los proyectos de normas mexicanas PROY-NMX-AA-145-SCFI-2008 y PROY-NMX-AA-146-SCFI-2008 Notice of public consultation of the draft Voluntary Standards PROY-NMX-AA-145-SCFI-2008 and PROY-NMX-AA-146-SCFI-2008
2008-06-18	Aviso de consulta pública del Proyecto de Norma Mexicana PROY-NMX-T-004-SCFI-2008 Notice of public consultation of the draft Voluntary Standard PROY-NMX-T-004-SCFI-2008
2008-06-18	Aviso de consulta pública del Proyecto de Norma PROY-NMX-N-066-SCFI-2008 Notice of public consultation of the draft Voluntary Standard PROY-NMX-N-066-SCFI-2008
2008-06-19	Aviso de consulta pública del Proyecto de Norma Mexicana PROY-NMX-A-010-INNTEX-2008 Notice of public consultation of the draft Voluntary Standard PROY-NMX-A-010-INNTEX-2008
2008-06-23	Proyecto de Norma Mexicana PROY-NMX-AA-144-SCFI-2008, Características y especificaciones técnicas del contenido de fibra de material reciclable y cloro para la fabricación de papel para impresoras y fotocopiadoras que sea adquirido por las dependencias y entidades de la Administración Pública Federal Draft Voluntary Standard PROY-NMX-AA-144-SCFI-2008, Characteristics and technical specifications of the recycled material fiber content and chlorine for the manufacture of paper for printers and copying machines to be procured by Federal Public Administration entities and agencies.

#### 4. Enacted Voluntary (NMX) Standards - June 1 to 30, 2008 Declaratoria de vigencia de NMXs

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<p>2008-06-03</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-GR-2330-IMNC-2008, NMX-GR-2331-IMNC-2008, NMX-GR-4310-IMNC-2008 y NMX-GR-5053-IMNC-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-GR-2330-IMNC-2008, NMX-GR-2331-IMNC-2008, NMX-GR-4310-IMNC-2008 and NMX-GR-5053-IMNC-2008.</p>
<p>2008-06-03</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-I-101/25-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/11-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-152/01-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-152/02-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-152/03-NYCE-2008 y NMX-I-169-NYCE-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-I-101/25-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/11-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-152/01-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-152/02-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-152/03-NYCE-2008 and NMX-I-169-NYCE-2008.</p>
<p>2008-06-10</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-CH-6143-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-8258-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-7966-IMNC-2008 y NMX-GR-4301-4-IMNC-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-CH-6143-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-8258-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-7966-IMNC-2008 and NMX-GR-4301-4-IMNC-2008.</p>
<p>2008-06-10</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de la Norma Mexicana NMX-FF-109-SCFI-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standard NMX-FF-109-SCFI-2008.</p>
<p>2008-06-10</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-I-074-NYCE-2008 y NMX-I-154-NYCE-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-I-074-NYCE-2008 and NMX-I-154-NYCE-2008.</p>
<p>2008-06-10</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-J-033-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-034-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-212-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-301-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-458-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-464-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-466-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-565/6-ANCE-2007 y NMX-J-598-ANCE-2007</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of Voluntary Standards NMX-J-033-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-034-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-212-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-301-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-458-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-464-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-466-ANCE-2007, NMX-J-565/6-ANCE-2007 y NMX-J-598-ANCE-2007.</p>
<p>2008-06-13</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-I-031-NYCE-2008 y NMX-I-153/02-NYCE-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-I-031-NYCE-2008 and NMX-I-153/02-NYCE-2008.</p>
<p>2008-06-13</p>	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-I-098-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/01-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/10-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/12-NYCE-2008 y NMX-I-153/03-NYCE-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-I-098-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/01-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/10-NYCE-2008, NMX-I-151/12-NYCE-2008 and NMX-I-153/03-NYCE-2008.</p>

2008-06-13	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-V-019-NORMEX-2008 y NMX-V-020-NORMEX-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-V-019-NORMEX-2008 and NMX-V-020-NORMEX-2008.</p>
2008-06-13	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de la Norma Mexicana NMX-A-070-INNTEX-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standard NMX-A-070-INNTEX-2008.</p>
2008-06-13	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-CC-023-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-154-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-1-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-2-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-4-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-5-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-6-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-7-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-1101-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-2602-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-3534-1-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-7873-IMNC-2008 y NMX-CH-14253-1-IMNC-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-CC-023-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-154-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-1-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-2-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-4-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-5-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-6-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-389-7-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-1101-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-2602-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-3534-1-IMNC-2008, NMX-CH-7873-IMNC-2008 and NMX-CH-14253-1-IMNC-2008.</p>
2008-06-18	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de la Norma Mexicana NMX-L-142-SCFI-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standard NMX-L-142-SCFI-2008.</p>
2008-06-18	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-AA-001-SCFI-2008, NMX-AA-020-SCFI-2008 y NMX-AA-139-SCFI-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-AA-001-SCFI-2008, NMX-AA-020-SCFI-2008 and NMX-AA-139-SCFI-2008.</p>
2008-06-18	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-F-026-SCFI-2008, NMX-F-051-SCFI-2008, NMX-F-052-SCFI-2008, NMX-F-066-SCFI-2008 y NMX-F-068-SCFI-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-F-026-SCFI-2008, NMX-F-051-SCFI-2008, NMX-F-052-SCFI-2008, NMX-F-066-SCFI-2008 and NMX-F-068-SCFI-2008.</p>
2008-06-19	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de la Norma Mexicana NMX-I-271/01-NYCE-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standard NMX-I-271/01-NYCE-2008.</p>
2008-06-19	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-CH-146-IMNC-2008 y NMX-CH-376-IMNC-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-CH-146-IMNC-2008 and NMX-CH-376-IMNC-2008.</p>
2008-06-19	<p>Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-A-080-INNTEX-2008, NMX-A-114-INNTEX-2008 y NMX-A-299-INNTEX-2008</p> <p>Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-A-080-INNTEX-2008, NMX-A-114-INNTEX-2008 and NMX-A-299-INNTEX-2008.</p>

2008-06-19	Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-J-063-ANCE-2008, NMX-J-178-ANCE-2008 y NMX-J-230-ANCE-2008 Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-J-063-ANCE-2008, NMX-J-178-ANCE-2008 and NMX-J-230-ANCE-2008.
2008-06-19	Declaratoria de vigencia de las normas mexicanas NMX-J-193-ANCE-2008, NMX-J-490-ANCE-2008 y NMX-J-491-ANCE-2008 Declaration of enactment of the Voluntary Standards NMX-J-193-ANCE-2008, NMX-J-490-ANCE-2008 and NMX-J-491-ANCE-2008.

**5. Cancelled Technical Regulations and Standards - June 1 to 30, 2008**  
**Normas Canceladas**

Date	Description
	No declarations of cancellation were published during this period of time

**For More Information**

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