

Unflavored Tobacco List

Quick Reference Guide

On December 31, 2025, the California Department of Justice published an Unflavored Tobacco List (UTL).

The UTL includes tobacco products that are considered unflavored and can legally be sold in California, including unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County. Tobacco products that are not listed on the UTL are not permitted to be sold.

Effective January 1, 2026, the UTL is enforceable in unincorporated Los Angeles County. The following steps provide information on how to use the UTL to search for tobacco products.

1 Go to the UTL website

<https://utl.doj.ca.gov/>



2 Search for the product

Type the UPC barcode number, brand, or product name in the search box. Click "Search."

Filter	<input type="text" value="852302001085"/>	<input type="button" value="Search"/>	<input type="button" value="Reset"/>
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3 Check the results

If the tobacco product is listed, the product can be legally sold.

Search Results			
Trade Name	Packaging/Brand Style	UPC	Category
Marlboro Red Label 100s	Filtered Cigarettes	02836920	10 Cigarettes

If the tobacco product is not listed ("No products found."), the product cannot be legally sold.

Search Results			
Trade Name	Packaging/Brand Style	UPC	Category
vuse menthol			No products found.



The following tobacco products are exempt by the state flavor ban and are not required to be listed on the Unflavored Tobacco List:



Loose-leaf Pipe Tobacco*



Shisha (Hookah)*



Premium Cigars*
(with a wholesale price of \$12 or more)

◀ **NOTICE:** These exemptions do not apply to tobacco retailers operating in unincorporated Los Angeles County.

*Per Los Angeles County Code § 11.35.070(E), tobacco retailers operating in unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County are not permitted to sell any flavored tobacco products, including those exempted by state law.

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