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Initiation of AD and CVD investigations of Frozen Warmwater Shrimp from Multiple Countries

Commerce Initiates Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Investigations of Frozen Warmwater Shrimp from Ecuador, India, Indonesia, and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam

On November 15, 2023, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) announced the initiation of antidumping duty (AD) investigations of frozen warmwater shrimp from Ecuador and Indonesia and countervailing duty (CVD) investigations of frozen warmwater shrimp from Ecuador, India, Indonesia, and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam (Vietnam).

Alleged Dumping Margins

Country	Dumping Margins
Ecuador	9.55 - 25.82%
Indonesia	26.13 - 33.95%

Alleged Subsidies Rates

Country	Subsidy Rates
Ecuador	Above de minimis*
India	Above de minimis*
Indonesia	Above de minimis*
Vietnam	Above de minimis*

^{*} de minimis = less than 1% for developed countries, less than 2% for developing countries

Case Calendar

Event	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS
Petitions Filed	October 25, 2023	October 25, 2023
Commerce Initiation Date	November 14, 2023	November 14, 2023
ITC Preliminary Determination*	December 11, 2023	December 11, 2023
Commerce Preliminary Determinations	April 2, 2024	January 18, 2024
Commerce Final Determinations	June 17, 2024	April 2, 2024
ITC Final Determination**	August 1, 2024	May 17, 2024
Issuance of Orders***	August 8, 2024	May 24, 2024

NOTE: Commerce's preliminary and final determination deadlines are governed by statute. For CVD investigations, the deadlines are set forth in sections 703(b) and 705(a)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). For AD investigations, the deadlines are set forth in sections 733(b) and 735(a) of the Act. These deadlines may be extended under certain circumstances.

Import Statistics

Ecuador	2020	2021	2022
Volume (kg)	120,784,034	177,592,689	191,336,456
Value (USD)	\$751,319,529	\$1,319,205,859	\$1,435,206,138
India	2020	2021	2022
Volume (kg)	270,489,085	339,249,031	301,665,803
Value (USD)	\$2,327,252,331	\$2,952,490,962	\$2,735,705,599
Indonesia	2020	2021	2022
Volume (kg)	145,914,035	150,599,111	139,538,956
Value (USD)	\$1,320,948,672	\$1,400,354,851	\$1,400,352,373
Vietnam	2020	2021	2022
Volume (kg)	54,045,058	73,355,461	51,200,829
Value (USD)	\$599,425,277	\$851,362,219	\$645,170,500

^{*} If the International Trade Commission (ITC) makes a negative preliminary determination of injury, then the corresponding AD/CVD investigation(s) will be terminated.

^{**} This will take place only in the event of a final affirmative determination from Commerce.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, accessed through S&P Global Trade Atlas (Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheadings 0306.17.0003, 0306.17.0004, 0306.17.0005, 0306.17.0006, 0306.17.0007, 0306.17.0008, 0306.17.0009, 0306.17.0010, 0306.17.0011, 0306.17.0012, 0306.17.0013, 0306.17.0014, 0306.17.0015, 0306.17.0016, 0306.17.0017, 0306.17.0018, 0306.17.0019, 0306.17.0020, 0306.17.0021, 0306.17.0022, 0306.17.0023, 0306.17.0024, 0306.17.0025, 0306.17.0026, 0306.17.0027, 0306.17.0028, 0306.17.0029, 0306.17.0040, 0306.17.0041, 0306.17.0042, 1605.21.1030, and 1605.29.1010).

Other Case Information

- The petitioner is American Shrimp Processors Association (Port Arthur, TX).
- For general information and next steps, please refer to a list of initiation FAQs.
- The alleged subsidy programs include provisions of goods or services for less than adequate remuneration, preferential lending, export credit programs, tax programs, grant programs, and other subsidies. For more information on subsidy programs, please refer to the subsidies enforcement library.
- Additional case information, including the scope of the investigations, is on file electronically via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS). Once you log in, please refer to case numbers A-331-805, C-331-806, C-533-921, A-560-842, C-560-843, and C-552-838.
- To date, Commerce maintains 672 AD and CVD orders that provide relief to American companies and industries impacted by unfair trade.