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On April 24, 2024, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) announced the initiation of antidumping duty (AD) and countervailing duty (CVD) investigations of 2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid (2,4-D) from the People's Republic of China (China) and India.

#### **ALLEGED DUMPING RATES:**

Trading Partner	DUMPING MARGINS (percent)	
China	127.21%	
India 36.41%		

#### **ALLEGED SUBSIDY RATES:**

Trading Partner	SUBSIDY RATES	
China	Above de minimis*	
India	Above de minimis*	

<sup>\*</sup> de minimis = less than 1% for developed countries, less than 2% for developing countries.

#### **CASE CALENDAR:**

EVENT	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS	
Petition(s) Filed	March 14, 2024	March 14, 2024	
Commerce Initiation Date	April 23, 2024	April 23, 2024	

EVENT	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS	
ITC Preliminary Determinations*	May 20, 2024	May 20, 2024	
Commerce Preliminary Determinations	September 10, 2024	June 27, 2024	
Commerce Final Determinations	November 25, 2024	September 10, 2024	
ITC Final Determinations**	January 9, 2025	October 25, 2024	
Issuance of Orders***	January 16, 2025	November 1, 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.

- \* 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.
- \*\*\* This will take place only in the event of final affirmative determinations from Commerce and the ITC.

#### **IMPORT STATISTICS:**

China	2021	2022	2023
Volume (kg)	9,176,207	23,034,885	9,366,712
Value (USD)	\$24,277,760	\$94,225,092	\$22,917,839
India	2021	2022	2023
Volume (kg)	3,988,600	8,328,602	6,942,604
Value (USD)	\$9,640,900	\$35,264,996	\$21,605,520

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, accessed through S&P's Global Trade Atlas (Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheading 2918.99.2010).

#### Other Case Information

- The petitioner is Corteva Agriscience LLC (Indianapolis, IN), represented by Crowell & Moring LLP.
- For general information and next steps, please refer to a <u>list of initiation FAQs</u>.
- Additional case information, including the scope of the investigations and alleged subsidy programs, are
  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-570160, C-570-161, A-533-922, and C-533-923 for the AD and CVD investigations for China and India,
  respectively.
- For more information on subsidy programs, please refer to the subsidies enforcement library
- To date, Commerce maintains 675 AD and CVD orders that provide relief to American companies and industries impacted by unfair trade.