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Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Investigations of Alkyl Phosphate Esters from the People's Republic of China

Commerce Initiates Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Investigations of Alkyl Phosphate Esters from the People's Republic of China

On May 14, 2024, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) announced the initiation of antidumping duty (AD) and countervailing duty (CVD) investigations of alkyl phosphate esters from the People's Republic of China (China).

ALLEGED DUMPING RATES:

TRADING PARTNER	DUMPING MARGIN	
China	86.45 - 171.61%	

ALLEGED SUBSIDY RATES:

TRADING PARTNER	SUBSIDY RATE	
China	Above de minimis*	

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

CASE CALENDAR:

EVENT	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS	
Petition(s) Filed	April 23, 2024	April 23, 2024	
Commerce Initiation Date	May 13, 2024	May 13, 2024	
ITC Preliminary Determinations*	June 7, 2024	June 7, 2024	
Commerce Preliminary Determinations	September 30, 2024	July 17, 2024	

EVENT	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS	
Commerce Final Determinations	December 16, 2024	September 30, 2024	
ITC Final Determinations**	January 30, 2025	November 14, 2024	
Issuance of Orders***	February 6, 2025	November 21, 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 final affirmative determinations 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)	51,713,548	47,871,892	53,501,318
Value (USD)	\$118,783,614	\$104,873,453	\$73,791,562

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, accessed through S&P Global Trade Atlas (Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheading 2919.90.5050).

Other Case Information

- The petitioner is ICL-IP America, Inc. (Saint Louis, MO)
- For general information and next steps, please refer to a list of initiation FAQs.
- 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-570168 and C-570-169, for the AD and CVD investigations, respectively.
- For more information on subsidy programs, please refer to the subsidies enforcement library.
- To date, Commerce maintains 676 AD and CVD orders that provide relief to American companies and industries impacted by unfair trade.