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## Initiation of AD and CVD Investigations of Float Glass Products from China and Malaysia

# **Commerce Initiates Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Investigations of Float Glass Products from China and Malaysia**

On January 2, 2025, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) announced the initiation of antidumping duty (AD) and countervailing duty (CVD) investigations of float glass products from the People's Republic of China (China) and Malaysia.

#### **Alleged Dumping Margins**

Trading Partner	Dumping Margins (percent)
China	181.54 – 311.81
Malaysia	66.24 – 1180.00

#### **Alleged Dumping Margins**

Trading Partner	Subsidy Rates
China	Above de minimis*
Malaysia	Above de minimis*

<sup>\*</sup> de minimis = less than one percent for developed countries, less than two percent for developing countries.

#### Case Calendar

EVENT	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS
Petition(s) Filed	November 21, 2024	November 21, 2024
Commerce Initiation Date	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2024
ITC Preliminary Determinations*	January 27, 2025	January 27, 2025

EVENT	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS
Commerce Preliminary Determinations	April 30, 2025	March 6, 2025
Commerce Final Determinations	August 4, 2025	May 20, 2025
ITC Final Determinations**	September 18, 2025	July 7, 2025
Issuance of Orders***	September 25, 2025	July 14, 2025

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; and if a deadline falls on a weekend of Federal Holiday, the deadline falls to the next business day.

<sup>1</sup> Note that the deadline for Commerce to issue its initiation decision was extended by 20 days to allow for polling of the domestic industry. See Notice of Extension of the Deadline for Determining the Adequacy of the Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Petitions: Float Glass Products from the People's Republic of China and Malaysia, 89 FR 102113 (December 17, 2024).

- \* 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
Value (USD)	\$119,720,518	\$156,146,305	\$140,442,488
Malaysia	2021	2022	2023
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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 7005.10.8000, 7005.21.1010, 7005.21.1030, 7005.21.2000, 7005.29.1810, 7005.29.1850, 7005.29.2500, 7007.29.0000, 7008.00.0000, 7009.91.5010, 7009.91.5095, and 7009.92.5010). Due to differences in the listed units of value, this fact sheet only reports the value of relevant imports.

#### **Other Case Information**

- The petitioner is Vitro Flat Glass, LLC (Cheswick, PA) and Vitro Meadville Flat Glass, LLC (Cochranton, PA).
- 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 the following case
  numbers:

Trading Partner	AD Case Number	CVD Case Number
China	A-570-188	C-570-189
Malaysia	A-557-832	C-557-833

- For more information on subsidy programs, please refer to the <u>subsidies enforcement library</u>.
- To date, Commerce maintains 721 AD and CVD orders that provide relief to American companies and industries impacted by unfair trade.