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# Final Determinations in the AD CVD Investigations of Paper Plates from China, Thailand, and Vietnam

## Final Affirmative Determinations in the Antidumping Duty and Countervailing Duty Investigations of Paper Plates from People's Republic of China, the Kingdom of Thailand, and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam

On January 22, 2025, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) announced its final determinations in the antidumping duty (AD) investigations of paper plates from the People's Republic of China (China), the Kingdom of Thailand (Thailand), and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam (Vietnam), and the and countervailing duty (CVD) investigations of paper plates from China and Vietnam.

#### **Final Dumping Rates**

#### China

Exporter	Producer	Dumping Rate (Percent)	Cash Deposit Rate (Adjusted for Subsidy Offsets) (percent)
Fuzhou Hengli Paper Co., Ltd.	Guangdong Ecosource Environmental Technology Co., Ltd	515.40*	504.86
Fuzhou Hengli Paper Co., Ltd.	Ningbo Hongtai Package New Material Technology Co., Ltd.	515.40*	504.86
Jinhua P&P Products Co., Ltd.	Jinhua P&P Products Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Festa (Guangzhou) Co., Ltd.	Festa Party Products Mfy. (Zhongshan) Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Festa (Guangzhou) Co., Ltd.	Top Printing Paper Products (Zhongshan) Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Festa Limited	Festa Party Products Mfy. (Zhongshan) Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Festa Limited	Top Printing Paper Products (Zhongshan) Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**

Exporter	Producer	Dumping Rate (Percent)	Cash Deposit Rate (Adjusted for Subsidy Offsets) (percent)
Fujian Putian Zhonghao Trade Co., Ltd.	Jieyang Weikangda Paper Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Fujian Putian Zhonghao Trade Co., Ltd.	Dongyang Founder Paper Product Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Fuzhou Nicrolandee Arts & Craft Co., Ltd.	Fuzhou Nicrolandee Arts & Craft Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Hangzhou Enli Paper Products Co. Ltd.	Zhejiang Lanweier Paper Products Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Landward Color Printing Co., Ltd.	Landward Color Printing Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Ningbo Feisuo Import & Export Co., Ltd.	Ningbo Hongtai Package New Material Technology Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Ningbo Homelink Eco-Itech Co., Ltd	Ningbo Homelink Eco-Itech Co., Ltd	267.63	267.63**
Ningbo Hongtai Package New Material Technology Co., Ltd.	Ningbo Hongtai Package New Material Technology Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Ningbo Kosda New Material Technology Co., Ltd.	Ningbo Kosda New Material Technology Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Ningbo Qtop Import & Export Co., Ltd.	Ningbo Goldland Industry and Technology Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Ningbo Qtop Import & Export Co., Ltd.	Zhejiang Lingrong Crafts Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Qingdao Gold Top Trade Co. Ltd.	Qingdao Robana Paper Product Co., Ltd	267.63	267.63**
Qingdao Wonderful Industry and Trade Co. Ltd.	Qingdao Wonderful Industry and Trade Co. Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Shandong Boao Package Co., Ltd.	Shandong Boao Package Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Xanadu Industrial Limited	Festa Party Products Mfy. (Zhongshan) Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Xanadu Industrial Limited	Top Printing Paper Products (Zhongshan) Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
Yeko Trading Limited	Hangzhou Enli Paper Products Co., Ltd.	267.63	267.63**
China-Wide Entity		515.40*	515.40

<sup>\*</sup> Rate based on facts available with adverse inference.

## Thailand

<sup>\*\*</sup> No subsidy offset adjustments were made for the separate rate companies.

Exporter/Producer	<b>Dumping Rate (Percent)</b>
Thai Paper Co., Ltd.	5.57
Nirvana Foods & Commerce International Co., Ltd.	5.57
Pandora Production Co	5.57
SNC Cup Co., Ltd.	5.57
ABC Digital Technology Co Ltd	73.17*
Beeconcious Co	73.17*
Dester Co, Ltd	73.17*
Pimlapas Printing Co., Ltd	73.17*
Sincerely Cargo	73.17*
Thai Coconut Co Ltd	73.17*
Thai Union Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	73.17*
All Others	5.57

<sup>\*</sup> Rate based on facts available with adverse inference.

## Vietnam

Exporter	Producer	Dumping Rate (Percent)	Cash Deposit Rate (Adjusted for Subsidy Offsets) (percent)
Go-Pak Paper Products Vietnam Co., Ltd.	Go-Pak Paper Products Vietnam Co., Ltd.	30.42	24.89
Vietnam-Wide Entity		165.27*	159.74

<sup>\*</sup> Rate based on facts available with adverse inference.

## **Final Subsidy Rates**

## China

Exporter/Producer	subsidy Rate (Percent)
Fuzhou Hengli Paper Co., Ltd.	11.38
Jinhua P&P Product Co., Ltd.	4.47
Ningbo Artcool Co., Ltd.	295.08*
Ningbo Fenghua Yongfa Printing Stationery Co., Ltd.	295.08*
Zhejiang Kingsun Eco-Pack Co., Ltd.	295.08*
Zhejiang Lingrong Crafts Co., Ltd.	295.08*
All Others	10.61

\* Rate based on facts available with adverse inference.

#### Vietnam

Exporter/Producer	subsidy Rate (Percent)
Go-Pak Paper Products Vietnam Co., Ltd.	5.53
Innovative Sonic Vietnam International	225.90*
Ningbo Changya Plastic Vietnam Company	225.90*
Ningbo Changya Plastic Vietnam	225.90*
SCG Vietnam	225.90*
Xie Li Vietnam International Company Limited	225.90*
All Others	5.53

<sup>\*</sup> Rate based on facts available with adverse inference.

#### **Case Calendar**

Event	AD INVESTIGATION	CVD Investigation
Petitions Filed	January 25, 2024	January 25, 2024
Commerce Initiation Date	February 14, 2024	February 14, 2024
ITC Preliminary Determinations	March 11, 2024	March 11, 2024
Commerce Preliminary Determinations	August 29, 2024	June 24, 2024
Commerce Final Determinations	January 21, 2025	January 21, 2025
ITC Final Determination	March 7, 2025	March 7, 2025
Issuance of Orders*	March 14, 2025	March 14, 2025

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

## **Import Statistics**

China	2021	2022	2023
Volume (Units)	\$38,775,203	\$71,569,838	\$60,108,753
Value (USD)	\$97,765,716	\$178,579,734	\$137,694,801

<sup>\*</sup>This will take place only in the event of final affirmative determinations from Commerce and the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC).

Thailand	2021	2022	2023
Volume (Units)	108,137	2,405,681	2,049,386
Value (USD)	\$284,654	\$5,813,950	\$4,948,264
Vietnam	2021	2022	2023
Vietnam	2021	2022	2023
Volume (Units)	1,359,703		3,725,175

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, accessed through S&P Global Trade Atlas (Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheading 4823.69.0040). Imports of certain paper plates enter under HTSUS subheading(s) that may cover subject and non-subject merchandise. Therefore, publicly available import data may not accurately reflect actual imports of certain paper plates covered by the scope of the investigations.

#### **Other Case Information**

- The petitioner is the American Paper Plate Coalition, which consists of AJM Packaging Corporation (Bloomfield Hills, MI); Aspen Products, Inc. (Kansas City, MO); Dart Container Corporation (Mason, MI); Hoffmaster Group, Inc. (Oshkosh, WI); Huhtamaki Americas, Inc. (De Soto, KS); and Unique Industries, Inc. (Philadelphia, PA).
- For general information and next steps, please refer to a list of FAQs for the final determination.
- 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 the following case numbers:

Trading Partner	AD Case Number	CVD Case Number
China	A-570-164	C-570-165
Thailand	A-549-849	N/A
Vietnam	A-552-839	C-522-840

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