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On June 18, 2025, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) announced the initiation of antidumping duty (AD) and countervailing duty (CVD) investigations of L-lysine (lysine) from the People's Republic of China (China).

Alleged Dumping Margins

Trading Partner	Dumping Margins
China	198.51%

Alleged Subsidy Rates

Trading Partner	Subsidy rates
China	Above de minimis*

^{*}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	May 28, 2025	May 28, 2025
Commerce Initiation Date	June 17, 2025	June 17, 2025
ITC Preliminary Determinations	July 14, 2025**	July 14, 2025**
Commerce Preliminary Determinations *and **	November 4, 2025	August 21, 2025

EVENT	AD INVESTIGATIONS	CVD INVESTIGATIONS
Commerce Final Determinations	January 20, 2026**	November 4, 2025
ITC Final Determinations***	March 6, 2026	December 19, 2025
Issuance of Orders****	March 13, 2026	December 26, 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.

- * If the International Trade Commission (ITC) makes a negative preliminary determination of injury, then the corresponding AD/CVD investigation(s) will be terminated.
- ** Where the deadline falls on a weekend/holiday, the appropriate date is the next business day.
- *** 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	2022	2023	2024
Volume (KG)	29,065,959	56,120,258	77,933,588
Value (USD)	\$47,105,231	\$66,288,213	\$95,953,899

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, accessed through S&P Global Trade Atlas (Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheadings 2922.41.0090). Imports of lysine enter under HTSUS subheadings that may cover subject and non-subject merchandise. Therefore, publicly available import data may not accurately reflect actual imports of lysine covered by the scope of the investigations.

Other Case Information

- The petitioner is the Lysine Fair Trade Coalition, whose members are Archer Daniels Midland Company (Chicago, IL), CJ Bio America, Inc. (Fort Dodge, IA), and Evonik Corporation (Piscataway, NJ). 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
 number:

Trading Partner	AD Case Number	CVD Case Number
China	A-570-215	C-570-216

• For more information on subsidy programs, please refer to the subsidies enforcement library.

 To date, Commerce maintains 760 AD and CVD orders that provide relief to American companies and industries impacted by unfair trade. 		