

European Union:
Anti-dumping Measures against Products from the Mainland of China
(Position as at 31 December 2010)

Anti-dumping Measures

(A) Cases in Force (55 cases)

	<u>Date of Initiation of Investigation</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>Rate of Duty (Date of Imposition of Current Duty)</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
1.	1.8.1984	Silicon Carbide	52.6% (25.8.2006)	–
2.	15.12.1988	Tungsten Carbide	33% (1.1.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 30.12.2009.
3.	1.2.1989	Silicon Metal	19% (except for one company whose individual duty rate is 16.3%). (30.5.2010)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Consequent to a circumvention investigation, AD duty has been extended, with effect from 20.1.2007, to imports of the same products consigned from the Republic of Korea, whether declared as originating in the Republic of Korea or not. – Consequent to an expiry cum partial interim review, the AD measure has been maintained for another period of five years from 30.5.2010 and the duty rate has been reduced from 49% to 19%.

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4.	7.4.1990	Gas-fuelled Non-refillable Pocket Flint Lighters	€0.065 per lighter (13.12.2007)	Consequent to a circumvention investigation, AD duty has been extended, with effect from 30.1.1999, to imports of the same products consigned from Chinese Taipei, whether declared as originating in Chinese Taipei or not.
5.	12.10.1991	Bicycles	48.5% (15.7.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 13.7.2010.
6.	23.10.1991	Magnesia (Deadburned)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. The difference between the minimum import price of €120 per tonne and the net, free-at-Union-frontier price before duty in all cases where the latter is less than the minimum import price, and established on the basis of an invoice issued by an exporter located in the Mainland of China directly to an unrelated party in the Union; ii. zero, if the net, free-at-Union-frontier price before duty is equal to or higher than the minimum import price of €120 per tonne, and established on the basis of an invoice issued by an exporter located in the Mainland of China directly to an unrelated party in the Union; and iii. equal to an ad valorem duty of 63.3% in all other cases not falling under (i) and (ii) above. (13.5.2006) 	–
7.	31.7.1993	Furfuraldehyde	€52 per tonne (29.4.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 27.4.2010.

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8.	3.2.1994	Certain Tube and Pipe Fittings of Iron or Steel	58.6% (5.9.2009)	Consequent to four separate circumvention investigations, AD duty has been extended to imports of the same products consigned from Chinese Taipei (with effect from 15.4.2000), Indonesia or Sri Lanka (with effect from 2.12.2004) and the Philippines (with effect from 30.4.2006), whether declared as originating in Chinese Taipei, Indonesia, Sri Lanka or the Philippines or not.
9.	2.3.1994	Powdered Activated Carbon	€23 per tonne (11.7.2008)	—
10.	20.5.1994	Coumarin	€3,479 per tonne (12.7.2008)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Consequent to two separate circumvention investigations, AD duty has been extended to imports of the same products consigned from India or Thailand (with effect from 1.1.2005), and from Indonesia or Malaysia (with effect from 11.11.2006), whether declared as originating in India, Thailand, Indonesia or Malaysia or not.– Under partial interim review initiated on 5.11.2010.

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11.	28.10.1995	Certain Ring Binder Mechanisms	For mechanisms with 17 and 23 rings : the difference between €325 per 1,000 pieces and the net, free-at-Union-frontier price; for mechanisms other than 17 and 23 rings : 78.8% (except for one company with an individual duty rate at 51.2%) (27.2.2010)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consequent to two separate circumvention investigations, AD duty has been extended to imports of the same products consigned from Vietnam (with effect from 2.7.2004), and from the Lao People's Democratic Republic (with effect from 13.1.2006), whether declared as originating in Vietnam or Lao People's Democratic Republic or not. - Original duty rate maintained for an additional period of five years consequent to an expiry review.
12.	19.4.1996	Certain Bicycle Parts	48.5% (15.7.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 13.7.2010.
13.	8.5.1998	Gas-fuelled Refillable Pocket Flint Lighters	€0.065 per lighter, excluding those with a net, free-at-Union-frontier price equal to or greater than €0.15 (13.12.2007)	Consequent to a circumvention investigation, AD duty has been extended, with effect from 30.1.1999, to imports of the same products consigned from Chinese Taipei, whether declared as originating in Chinese Taipei or not.

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14.	20.5.1998	Steel Stranded Ropes and Cables	60.4% (17.11.2005)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consequent to two separate circumvention investigations, AD duty has been extended to imports of the same products consigned from Morocco with effect from 31.10.2004, and from the Republic of Korea with effect from 12.5.2010, whether declared as originating in Morocco or the Republic of Korea or not. - Under expiry review initiated on 13.11.2010.
15.	6.7.2001	Sulphanilic Acid	33.7% (17.10.2008)	-
16.	9.8.2002	Furfuryl Alcohol	€250 per tonne (except for five companies with individual duty rates ranging from €84 to €160 per tonne) (11.12.2009)	Original duty rate maintained for an additional period of two years consequent to an expiry review.
17.	19.12.2002	Sodium Cyclamate	€0.26 per kilo (except for three companies with individual duty rates ranging from €0 to €0.11 per kilo) (9.6.2010)	Consequent to an expiry review, AD duty has been maintained for another five years with effect from 9.6.2010
18.	22.5.2003	Polyethylene Terephthalate	€184 per tonne (except for nine companies with individual duty rates ranging from €0 to €184 per tonne) (18.11.2010)	Consequent to an expiry review, AD duty has been maintained for another five years with effect from 18.11.2010.
19.	19.8.2003	Okoumé Plywood	66.7% (except for four companies with individual duty rates ranging from 6.5% to 23.5%) (13.11.2004)	Under expiry cum partial interim review initiated on 11.11.2009.

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20.	19.12.2003	Polyester Staple Fibres	49.7% (except for six companies with individual duty rates ranging from 4.9% to 26.3%) (18.3.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 16.3.2010.
21.	29.4.2004	Hand Pallet Trucks and Their Essential Parts	46.7% (except for four companies with individual duty rates ranging from 7.6% to 39.9%) (22.7.2005)	- Consequent to a circumvention investigation, AD duty has been extended with effect from 17.6.2009 to imports of the same products consigned from Thailand, whether declared as originating in Thailand or not. - Under expiry review initiated on 20.7.2010.
22.	30.4.2004	Barium Carbonate	€6.4 per tonne (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are €6.3 per tonne and €8.1 per tonne respectively) (22.7.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 16.7.2010.
23.	30.4.2004	Certain Castings	47.8% (except for seventeen companies with individual duty rates ranging from 0% to 37.9%) (30.7.2005)	- Under expiry review initiated on 27.7.2010. - Under partial interim review initiated on 1.12.2010.
24.	10.7.2004	Trichloroisocyanuric Acid	42.6% (except for four companies with individual duty rates ranging from 3.2% to 40.5%) (8.10.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 6.10.2010.
25.	13.7.2004	Certain Magnesia Bricks	39.9% (except for seven companies with individual duty rates ranging from 0% to 18.6%) (13.10.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 8.10.2010.

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26.	24.8.2004	Certain Stainless Steel Fasteners and Parts	27.4% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 11.4% and 12.2% respectively) (20.11.2005)	Under expiry review initiated on 19.11.2010.
27.	30.10.2004	Tartaric Acid	34.9% (except for three companies with individual duty rates ranging from 0% to 10.1%) (28.1.2006)	–
28.	28.4.2005	Lever Arch Mechanisms	47.4% (except for one company whose individual duty rate is 27.1%) (28.7.2006)	–
29.	25.6.2005	Chamois Leather	58.9% (15.9.2006)	–
30.	30.6.2005	Certain Plastic Sacks and Bags	28.8% (except for a number of companies with individual duty rates ranging from 4.3% to 12.8%) (30.9.2006)	Under partial interim review initiated on 21.9.2010.
31.	7.7.2005	Certain Footwear with Uppers of Leather	16.5% (except for one company whose individual duty rate is 9.7%) (31.12.2009)	– Original duty rate maintained for an additional period of fifteen months consequent to an expiry review. – Consequent to a circumvention investigation, AD duty has been extended, with effect from 3.5.2008, to imports of the same products consigned from Macao SAR, whether declared as originating in Macao SAR or not.

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32.	17.12.2005	Certain Tungsten Electrodes	63.5% (except for three companies with individual duty rates ranging from 17% to 41%) (14.3.2007)	–
33.	19.1.2006	Frozen Strawberries	<p>i. The difference between the minimum import price (which ranges from €496.8 to €98 per tonne, depending on the sugar content) and the net, free-at-Union-frontier price before duty, if the latter is lower than the former (except for one company whose individual duty rate is 0%);</p> <p>ii. Where it is found that the net, free-at-Union-frontier price actually paid by the first independent customer in the Union is (a) below the net, free-at-Union-frontier price before duty as resulting from the customs declaration, and (b) is lower than the minimum import price, the fixed AD duty (which ranges from €169.9 to €204.5 per tonne, depending on the sugar content, except for one company) shall apply. (18.4.2007)</p>	–
34.	4.2.2006	Ironing Boards	42.3% (except for six companies with individual duty rates ranging from 18.1% to 39.6%) (1.4.2010)	<p>– Duty rate modified with effect from 1.4.2010 consequent to a partial interim review.</p> <p>– Consequent to a review of the AD measure, the individual rate of one company was modified with effect from 23.12.2010.</p>

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35.	7.4.2006	Certain Saddles	29.6% (except for six companies with individual duty rates ranging from 0% to 5.8%) (22.6.2007)	—
36.	13.7.2006	Peroxosulphates	71.8% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 0% and 24.5% respectively) (12.10.2007)	—
37.	17.8.2006	Dicyandiamide	49.1% (16.11.2007)	—
38.	6.9.2006	Silico-manganese	8.2% (6.12.2007)	—
39.	30.11.2006	Ferro Silicon	31.2% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 15.6% and 29% respectively) (29.2.2008)	—
40.	20.12.2006	Coke of Coal	The difference between the minimum import price of €197 per tonne and the net, free-at-Union-frontier price before duty, in all cases where the latter is less than the minimum import price. (19.3.2008)	—
41.	5.9.2007	Monosodium Glutamate	39.7% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 33.8% and 36.5% respectively) (3.12.2008)	—
42.	4.9.2007	Citric Acid	42.7% (except for eight companies with individual duty rates ranging from 6.6% to 42.7%) (4.12.2008)	—
43.	26.9.2007	Certain Welded Tubes and Pipes of Iron or Non-alloy Steel	90.6% (20.12.2008)	—

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44.	20.10.2007	Certain Prepared or Preserved Citrus Fruits	€31.2 per tonne (except for nineteen companies with individual duty rates ranging from €61.4 to €31.2 per tonne) (31.12.2008)	—
45.	9.11.2007	Certain Iron or Steel Fasteners	85% (except for a number of companies with individual duty rates ranging from 0% to 79.5%) (1.2.2009)	Under circumvention investigation initiated on 29.10.2010.
46.	16.2.2008	Certain Pre- and Post-stressing Wires and Wire Strands of Non-alloy Steel	46.2% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 0% and 31.1% respectively) (14.5.2009)	—
47.	16.2.2008	Certain Candles, Tapers and the Like	€49.33 per tonne of fuel (except for a number of companies with individual duty rates ranging from €0 per tonne of fuel to €67.09 per tonne of fuel) (15.5.2009)	—
48.	8.5.2008	Wire Rod	24% (except for one company whose individual duty rate is 7.9%) (6.8.2009)	—
49.	9.7.2008	Certain Seamless Pipes and Tubes of Iron or Steel	39.2% (except for a number of companies with individual duty rates ranging from 17.7% to 27.2%) (7.10.2009)	—
50.	12.7.2008	Certain Aluminium Foil	30% (except for three companies with individual duty rates ranging from 6.4% to 24.2%) (7.10.2009)	—
51.	18.3.2009	Certain Cargo Scanning Systems	34% (17.6.2010)	—
52.	8.4.2009	Certain Molybdenum Wires	64.3% (17.6.2010)	—

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53.	11.8.2009	Sodium Gluconate	53.2% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 5.6% and 27.1%) (29.10.2010)	—
54.	13.8.2009	Certain Aluminium Road Wheels	22.3% (29.10.2010)	—
55.	8.9.2009	High Tenacity Yarn of Polyesters	9.8% (except for eleven companies with individual duty rates ranging from 0% to 9.8%) (2.12.2010)	—

(B) Cases under Investigation (9)

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1.	17.12.2009	Certain Continuous Filament Glass Fibre Products	Provisional AD duty of 43.6% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 8.5%) imposed on 17.9.2010.
2.	17.2.2010	Melamine	Provisional AD duty of 65.2% (except for three companies with individual duty rates ranging from 44.9% to 49.0%) imposed on 17.11.2010.
3.	18.2.2010	Coated Fine Paper	Provisional AD duty of 39.1% (except for two companies whose individual duty rates are 19.7%) imposed on 18.11.2010.
4.	20.5.2010	Certain Open Mesh Fabrics of Glass Fibres	—
5.	19.6.2010	Ceramic Tiles	—
6.	30.6.2010	Wireless Wide Area Networking (WWAN) Modems	—

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7.	23.7.2010	Tris (2-chloro-1-methylethyl) phosphate	–
8.	30.9.2010	Certain Seamless Pipes and Tubes of Stainless Steel	–
9.	17.12.2010	Certain Graphite Electrode Systems	–