Dumping Commodity Register

Precision Pipe and Tube Steel

Exported from the People's Republic of China and the Republic of Korea

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2 June 2021	Implementation of Provisional Measures
29 September 2021	Measures imposed following investigation case 550
12 September 2022	Addition of exemption No 3 & 4 following EX0090 & EX0091

Note:

DCRs notify the outcomes of finalised investigations and should be read in conjunction with any relevant current investigations, such as reviews and inquiries. Please refer to the <u>Cases page</u> on the website to locate any current information for this commodity.

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Question	Response
1. What countries do anti- dumping measures apply to?	On 1 June 2021, with an effective date of 2 June 2021, provisional anti-dumping measures in the form of dumping securities (DSA) and countervailing securities (CSA) were imposed on precision pipe and tube steel exported from the People's Republic of China (China). Provisional anti-dumping measures in the form of DSA were also imposed on precision pipe and tube steel exported from the Republic of Korea (Korea). For more information please refer to SEF 550 and Anti-Dumping Notice 2021/074.
	On 28 September 2021, with an effective date of 29 September 2021, anti-dumping measures in the form of interim dumping
	duties (IDD) and interim countervailing duties (ICD) were imposed on precision pipe and tube steel exported from China. Anti- dumping measures in the form of interim dumping duties (IDD) were also imposed on precision pipe and tube steel exported from Korea.
	For more information please refer to Final Report REP 550 and Anti-Dumping Notice 2021/109 and 2021/110.
2. What types of precision	The 'description of goods' subject to measures are:
pipe and tube steel are subject to anti-dumping measures?	Certain electric resistance welded pipe and tube made of carbon steel, whether or not including alloys, comprising circular, rectangular and square hollow sections in metallic coated and non-metallic coated finishes. Metallic finish types for the goods include galvanised and aluminised. Non-metallic finishes include hot-rolled and cold-rolled. Sizes:
	 Circular products - equal to or less than 21 millimetres ("mm") in outside diameter. Also included are air heater tubes to Australian Standard (AS) 2556, up to and including 101.6 mm outside diameter.
	 Rectangular and square products - with a nominal thickness of less than 1.6 mm (being a perimeter up to and including 260 mm).
	Included within the goods are end-configurations such as plain, square-faced and other (e.g. threaded, swaged and shouldered). The goods include all electric resistance welded pipe and tube made of steel meeting the above description of the goods (and inclusions), including whether the pipe or tube meets a specific structural standard or is used in structural applications.

The following descriptions are excluded from measures, exemption type "GOODS" applies:

Oval and other shaped hollow sections which are not circular, rectangular or square, are excluded from the goods.

For more information about the description of the goods subject to measures, please refer to Final Report <u>REP 550</u> for the investigation.

Ministerial Exemption Instrument No 4 of 2021 effective from 2 June 2021 exempts the following:

• Air heater tubes to the Australian Standard (AS) 2556, up to and including 101.6 mm outside diameter.

Ministerial Exemption Instrument No 1 of 2022 effective from 29 September 2021 exempts the following:

- Curtain rods that have a 16 mm outside diameter and a 0.4 mm gauge/wall thickness. They come in both powder-coated (Black/White/Ivory) and electroplated (Brushed Chrome).
- The curtain rods come in lengths 1.5, 2.0, 2.5 and 3.0 metres, and are individually heat/shrink wrapped and labelled.
- The curtain rods are made of A class hot-rolled strip metal comprising of 0.12% Carbon and are made using a roll forming process and a longitudinal welding technique.

For more information about the Ministerial Exemption Instrument please refer to EX0086

Ministerial Exemption Instrument No 3 of 2022 effective from 4 November 2021 exempts the following:

TUBES, WELDED, non alloy steel, being EITHER of the following:

- (a) single wall resistance welded to specification SAE J526, having ALL of the following:
 - (i) carbon content NOT greater than 0.13%;
 - (ii) outside diameter NOT greater than 11.50 mm;
 - (iii) wall thickness NOT less than 0.5 mm and NOT greater than 1.0 mm;
- (b) double wall copper brazed to specification SAE J527, having ALL of the following:
 - (i) carbon content NOT greater than 0.13%;
 - (ii) outside diameter NOT greater than 13 mm;
 - (iii) wall thickness NOT less than 0.5 mm and NOT greater than 1.0 mm.

For more information about the Ministerial Exemption Instrument please refer to EX0090

Ministerial Exemption Instrument No 4 of 2022 effective from 21 December 2021 exempts the following:

Chrome plated steel tube in 16mm and 19mm outside diameters.

For more information about the Ministerial Exemption Instrument please refer to EX0091

Please Note:

- 1. When importing goods into the country importers are required to self-assess whether the imported goods meet the goods description outlined above and whether anti-dumping measures apply.
- 2. The Anti-Dumping Commission is not in a position to provide advice on whether certain goods meet the description above.
- 3. The use of exemption types is subject to monitoring by the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commission) and Australian Border Force (ABF).

3. How much IDD/ICD will an importer have to pay?

IDD - all exporters

IDD is in the form of an ad valorem measure. The total IDD liability is calculated by multiplying the dumping export price (DXP) by the applicable IDD ad valorem duty rate.

ICD - only 'all other exporters' from China

The ICD liability is calculated by multiplying the DXP by the ICD ad valorem duty rate.

4. Example of how to calculate the IDD and ICD liability

Ad valorem measures

The following is an **example** of how to calculate the IDD/ICD liability.

- DXP = AUD \$1,000 (Free-On-Board (FOB), cash)
- IDD ad valorem rate = 10%
- ICA ad valorem rate = 15%

Total IDD liability

DXP (\$1,000) multiplied by the IDD ad valorem rate (10%) = \$100

Total ICD liability

DXP (\$1,000) multiplied by the ICD ad valorem rate (15%) = \$150

5. What is the dumping export price (DXP) and how do I calculate it?

The DXP refers to the actual export price of the exported goods. The DXP should reflect the total export (invoice) price of the goods being entered, not the unit price of the goods.

The DXP should be recorded on the relevant Full Import Declaration for the goods in the same terms as the AEP for the goods. Calculating the DXP may involve adjusting the actual export invoice price of the goods to the terms specified for the AEP.

For example, if the AEP terms are "FOB, cash" and the actual invoice terms of the goods are "CIF, 60 days, packed", the following adjustments will need to be made in order to calculate the DXP at FOB, cash level.

- step 1 an adjustment for interest on credit terms will need to be made; and
- step 2 the overseas freight and insurance components will need to be subtracted from the export invoice price.

Where suitable evidence cannot be proffered by the importer of the interest rate, then 1.0% per month (0.033% per day) should be applied to the actual invoice price credit terms.

An example of adjusting for credit and incoterms is provided below:

- Invoice terms = CIF, 60 days
- Specified terms = FOB, cash
- Export price invoice amount = \$1,000
- Marine insurance and ocean freight amount = \$100

Step 1 - adjust for credit terms

- 1. 1% per month interest rate should be applied to the invoiced price credit terms (i.e. 30 days = 1%)
- 2. If the invoiced CIF, 60 days price is \$1,000, then the CIF, cash price = \$980 (\$1,000 less 2%)

Step 2 - adjust for incoterms

- 3. Adjust for freight and insurance to calculate DXP at FOB, cash equivalent
- 4. CIF, cash price of \$980 minus freight and insurance amount of \$100 = \$880
- 5. The DXP price = \$880 FOB, cash

6. What information is needed to complete an import declaration for goods subject to measures?

The information required by an importer or Customs broker to complete an import declaration for goods subject to IDD/ICD is:

- DXP;
- Dumping Specification Number (DSN) or exemption type (where appropriate);
- Country (this is usually country of origin or export country);
- Tariff classification and statistical code;
- Exporter / supplier; and
- Quantity.

Please see below to determine which DSN applies to the exporter of your goods.

7. What DSN do I use for my imported goods and what are the rates for my exporter?

The following DSNs apply to goods exported from **China and Korea** and entered for home consumption on or after **29 September 2021:**

Exporter	CCID	Measure	IDD Ad Valorem Rate	ICD Ad Valorem Rate	Export Terms	DSN	
China							
Dalian Steelforce Hi Tech Co., Ltd	CCJ9649694M CGK7939746E	IDD	2.9%	N/A	FOB, 90 days	303	
Yantai Aoxin International Trade Co., Ltd	CFC6364746Y	IDD	19.7%	N/A	FOB, 90 days	304	
All other exporters	IDD & ICD	19.7%	42.7%	FOB, 90 days	305		
Francisco		D.A. a. a. u. a.	IDD Ad	ICD Ad	Export	DSN	
Exporter	Measure	Valorem Rate	Valorem Rate	Terms			
Korea							
NOICA							
All exporters	IDD	6.2%	N/A	FOB, cash	306		

Please Note: As duties are in the form of an ad valorem measure, there are no confidential rates.

8. Are there any exporters exempt from anti-dumping	Precision pipe and tube steel exported by Dalian Steelforce Hi Tech Co., Ltd and Yantai Aoxin International Trade Co., Ltd from China are subject to IDD.				
measures?	All other exporters and suppliers from China are subject to IDD and ICD.				
	All exporters and suppliers of precision pipe and tube steel from Korea are subject to IDD.				
	The 'all other exporters' rate of IDD/ICD will apply to exported goods unless an importer has evidence that the goods are being supplied either directly by a named exporter or through a linked supplier.				
9. How long are the measures in place for?	The measures are in place for five years, unless revoked earlier. In the case of precision pipe and tube steel from China and Korea the measures are in place until 29 September 2026.				
10. What tariff classifications	Goods are generally, but not exclusively, classified to the tariff classifications and associated statistical codes below:				
and statistical codes are covered by the anti-dumping		Tariff Classification	Statistical code		
measures?		7306.30.00	30		
		7306.50.00	45		
		7306.61.00	21		
	These tariff classification numbers may apply to goods which are not subject to measures, may change because of amendments to the Working Tariff, or the subject goods may be imported under tariff classification numbers that are not listed. The listing of this tariff classification and statistical code is for convenience or reference only and does not form part of the goods description. Refer to the description of goods for authoritative details regarding the subject goods. Where importers are unclear on the correct tariff classification of their goods, it is recommended they contact Australian Border Force on 131 881 for further advice.				

11. What are the duty assessment importation and application period dates?

The duty assessment importation periods and application dates for Precision Pipe and Tube Steel from China and Korea are as follows:

Importation Period	Application Period
28 September 2021 –27 March 2022	28 March 2022 – 27 September 2022
28 March 2022– 27 September 2022	28 September 2022 – 27 March 2023
28 September 2022 – 27 March 2023	28 March 2023 – 27 September 2023
28 March 2023– 27 September 2023	28 September 2023 – 27 March 2024
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28 March 2025– 27 September 2025	28 September 2025 – 27 March 2026
28 September 2025 – 27 March 2026	28 March 2026 – 27 September 2026
28 March 2026– 27 September 2026	28 September 2026 – 27 March 2027

More information about duty assessments is available on the Anti-Dumping Commission website