

## COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2015/1953

of 29 October 2015

**imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of certain grain-oriented flat-rolled products of silicon-electrical steel originating in the People's Republic of China, Japan, the Republic of Korea, the Russian Federation and the United States of America**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1225/2009 of 30 November 2009 on protection against dumped imports from countries not members of the European Community ('basic Regulation') [\(1\)](#), and in particular Article 9(4) thereof,

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HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

### *Article 1*

1. A definitive anti-dumping duty is imposed on imports of grain-oriented flat-rolled products of silicon-electrical steel, of a thickness of more than 0,16 mm, currently falling within CN codes ex 7225 11 00 (TARIC Codes 7225110011, 7225110015 and 7225110019) and ex 7226 11 00 (TARIC codes 7226110012, 7226110014, 7226110016, 7226110092, 7226110094 and 7226110096) and originating in the People's Republic of China, Japan, the Republic of Korea, the Russian Federation and the United States of America.
2. The amount of the definitive anti-dumping duty applicable to the product described in paragraph 1 and produced by the named legal entities as set out in paragraph 4 shall be the difference between the minimum import prices fixed in paragraph 3 and the net free-at-Union-frontier price, before duty, if the latter is lower than the former. No duty shall be collected where the net free-at-Union-frontier price is equal to or higher than the corresponding minimum import price fixed in paragraph 3. In no event shall the amount of the duty be higher than the *ad valorem* duty rates set in paragraph 4.
3. For the purpose of paragraph 2, the minimum import price set out in the table below shall apply. Where it is found, following post-importation verification, that the net free-at-Union-frontier price actually paid by the first independent customer in the Union (post-importation price) is below the net free-at-Union-frontier price, before duty, as resulting from the customs declaration, and the post-importation price is lower than the minimum import price, an amount

of duty equivalent to the difference between the minimum import price set out in the table below and the post-importation price shall apply, unless the application of the *ad valorem* duty set out in paragraph 4 plus the post-importation price lead to an amount (price actually paid plus *ad valorem* duty) which remains below the minimum import price set out in the table below.

<b>Countries concerned</b>	<b>Product range</b>	<b>Minimum Import Price (EUR/tonne net product weight)</b>
People's Republic of China, Japan, United States of America, Russian Federation, Republic of Korea	Products with a maximum core loss not higher than 0,9 W/kg	EUR 2 043
	Products with a maximum core loss higher than 0,9 W/kg but not higher than 1,05 W/kg	EUR 1 873
	Products with a maximum core loss higher than 1,05 W/kg	EUR 1 536

4. For the purpose of paragraph 2, the *ad valorem* duty rates set out in the table below shall apply.

<b>Company</b>	<b><i>Ad Valorem</i> Duty</b>	<b>TARIC additional code</b>
Baoshan Iron & Steel Co., Ltd., Shanghai, PRC	21,5 %	C039
Wuhan Iron & Steel Co., Ltd., Wuhan, PRC	36,6 %	C056
JFE Steel Corporation, Tokyo, Japan	39,0 %	C040
Nippon Steel & Sumitomo Metal Corporation, Tokyo, Japan	35,9 %	C041
POSCO, Seoul, Republic of Korea	22,5 %	C042
OJSC Novolipetsk Steel, Lipetsk; VIZ Steel, Ekaterinburg, Russian Federation	21,6 %	C043
AK Steel Corporation, Ohio, United States of America	22,0 %	C044

5. The rate of the definitive anti-dumping duty applicable to the product described in paragraph 1 and produced by any other company not specifically mentioned in paragraph 4 shall be the *ad valorem* duty as set out in the table below.

<b>Company</b>	<b><i>Ad Valorem</i> Duty</b>	<b>TARIC additional code</b>
All other Chinese companies	36,6 %	C999
All other Japanese companies	39,0 %	C999
All other Korean companies	22,5 %	C999
All other Russian companies	21,6 %	C999
All other American companies	22,0 %	C999

6. The application of the measures for the companies mentioned in paragraph 4 shall be conditional upon presentation to the customs authorities of the Member States of a valid

commercial invoice and a mill certificate, which shall conform to the requirements as set out in respectively Annexes I and II. If neither the mill certificate nor the invoice is presented, the duty applicable to all other companies shall apply. This mill certificate shall list the actual maximum core loss for each coil in Watts per kilogram at a frequency of 50 Hz and a magnetic induction of 1,7 Tesla.

7. For the individually named producers and in cases where goods have been damaged before entry into free circulation and, therefore, the price actually paid or payable is apportioned for the determination of the customs value pursuant to Article 145 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 of 2 July 1993 laying down provisions for the implementation of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 establishing the Community Customs Code ([OJ L 253, 11.10.1993, p. 1](#)), the minimum import price set out above shall be reduced by a percentage which corresponds to the apportioning of the price actually paid or payable. The duty payable will then be equal to the difference between the reduced minimum import price and the reduced net, free-at-Union-frontier price, before customs clearance.

8. For all other companies and in cases where goods have been damaged before entry into free circulation and, therefore, the price actually paid or payable is apportioned for the determination of the customs value pursuant to Article 145 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, the amount of the anti-dumping duty, calculated on the basis of paragraph 2 above, shall be reduced by a percentage which corresponds to the apportioning of the price actually paid or payable.

9. Unless otherwise specified, the provisions in force concerning customs duties shall apply.

#### *Article 2*

The amounts secured by way of the provisional anti-dumping duty pursuant to Regulation (EU) No 763/2015 shall be released.

#### *Article 3*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 29 October 2015.

*For the Commission*

*The President*

Jean-Claude JUNCKER