

Customs Tariff (Amendment) Act, 2003

Chapter LXXVI - Aluminium and Articles Thereof

CHAPTER 76

ALUMINIUM AND ARTICLES THEREOF

NOTE

In this Chapter, the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them:

(a) Bars and rods

Rolled, extruded, drawn or forged products, not in coils, which have a uniform solid cross-section along their whole length in the shape of circles, ovals, rectangles (including squares), equilateral triangles or regular convex polygons (including "flattened circles" and "modified rectangles", of which two opposite sides are convex arcs, the other two sides being straight, of equal length and parallel). Products with a rectangular (including square), triangular or polygonal cross-section may have corners rounded along their whole length. The thickness of such products, which have a rectangular (including "modified rectangular") cross-section exceeds one-tenth of the width. The expression also covers cast or sintered products, of the same forms and dimensions, which have been subsequently worked after production (otherwise than by simple trimming or de-scaling), provided that they have not thereby assumed the character of articles or products of other headings.

(b) Profiles

Rolled, extruded, drawn, forged or formed products, coiled or not, of a uniform cross-section along their whole length, which do not conform to any of the definitions of bars, rods, wire, plates, sheets, strip, foil, tubes or pipes. The expression also covers cast or sintered products, of the same forms, which have been subsequently worked after production (otherwise than by simple trimming or de-scaling), provided that they have not thereby assumed the character of articles or products of other headings.

(c) Wire

Rolled, extruded or drawn products, in coils, which have a uniform solid cross-section along their whole length in the shape of circles, ovals, rectangles (including squares), equilateral triangles or regular convex polygons (including "flattened circles" and "modified rectangles", of which two opposite sides are convex arcs, the other two sides being straight, of equal length and parallel). Products with a rectangular (including square), triangular or polygonal cross-section may have corners rounded along their whole length. The thickness of such products which have a rectangular (including "modified rectangular") cross-section exceeds one-tenth of the width.

(d) Plates, sheets, strip and foil

Flat-surfaced products (other than the unwrought products of heading 7601), coiled or not, of solid rectangular (other than square) cross-section with or without rounded corners (including

"modified rectangles" of which two opposite sides are convex arcs, the other two sides being straight, of equal length and parallel) of a uniform thickness, which are:

- (i) of rectangular (including square) shape with a thickness not exceeding one-tenth of the width;
- (ii) of a shape other than rectangular or square, of any size, provided that they do not assume the character of articles or products of other headings.

Headings 7606 and 7607 apply, inter alia, to plates, sheets, strip and foil with patterns (for example, grooves, ribs, chequers, tears, buttons, lozenges) and to such products which have been perforated, corrugated, polished or coated, provided that they do not thereby assume the character of articles or products of other headings.

(e) Tubes and pipes

Hollow products, coiled or not, which have a uniform cross-section with only one enclosed void along their whole length in the shape of circles, ovals, rectangles (including squares), equilateral triangles or regular convex polygonals, and which have a uniform wall thickness. Products with a rectangular (including square), equilateral triangular or regular convex polygonal cross-section, which may have corners rounded along their whole length, are also to be considered as tubes and pipes provided the inner and outer cross-sections are concentric and have the same form and orientation. Tubes and pipes of the foregoing cross-sections may be polished, coated, bent, threaded, drilled, waisted, expanded, cone-shaped or fitted with flanges, collars or rings.

Sub-Heading Notes

1. In this Chapter, the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them:

(a) Aluminium, not alloyed

Metal containing by weight at least 99% of aluminium, provided that the content by weight of any other element does not exceed the limit specified in the following Table:

TABLE - OTHER ELEMENTS

Element	Limiting content % by weight
Fe + Si (iron plus silicon)	1
Other elements ¹ , each	0.12

1. Other elements are, for example, Cr, Cu, Mg, Mn, Ni, Zn

2. Copper is permitted in a proportion greater than 0.1 % but not more than 0.2%, provided that neither the chromium nor manganese content exceeds 0.05%

(b) Aluminium alloys

Metallic substances in which aluminium predominates by weight over each of the other elements, provided that:

- (i) the content by weight of at least one of the other elements or of iron plus silicon taken together is greater than the limit specified in the foregoing table; or

(ii) the total content by weight of such other elements exceeds 1%.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions of Chapter Note 1(c), for the purposes of subheading 7616 91, the term "wire" applies only to products, whether or not in coils, of any cross-sectional shape, of which no cross-sectional dimension exceeds 6 mm.

Tariff Item	Description of goods	Unit	Rate or duty	
			Standard	Preferential Areas
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
7601	UNWROUGHT ALUMINUM			
760110	- Aluminium, not alloyed:			
76011010	--- Ingots	kg.	15%	-
76011020	--- Billets	kg.	15%	-
76011030	--- Wire bars	kg.	15%	-
76011040	--- Wire rods	kg.	15%	-
76011090	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
760120	- Aluminium alloys :			
76012010	--- Ingots	kg.	15%	-
76012020	--- Billets	kg.	15%	-
76012030	--- Wire bars	kg.	15%	-
76012040	--- Wire rods	kg.	15%	-
76012090	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
7602	aluminium waste and scrap			
760200	- Aluminium waste and scrap :			

76020010	--- Aluminium scrap, namely the following : clean aluminium lithographic sheets covered by ISRI code word 'Tablet'; new, clean aluminium lithographic sheets covered by ISRI code word 'Tabloid'; mixed low copper aluminium clippings and solids covered by ISRI code word 'Taboo'; clean mixed old alloy sheet aluminium covered by ISRI code word 'Taint' /'Tabor'; new aluminium can stock covered by ISRI code word 'Take'; old can stock covered by ISRI code word 'Talap'; shredded aluminium used beverages can (U) scrap covered by ISRI code word 'Talcured'; densified aluminium used beverages can (UBC) scrap covered by ISRI code word 'Taldeck'; baled aluminium used beverage can (UBC) scrap covered by ISRI code word 'Taldon'; briquetted aluminium used beverage can (UBC) scrap covered by ISRI code word 'Taldork'; painted siding covered by ISRI code word 'Tale'; coated scrap covered by ISRI code word 'Talent'; aluminium scrap radiators covered by ISRI code word 'Talk'; E.C. aluminium nodules covered by ISRI code word 'Tall'; new pure aluminium wire and cable covered by ISRI code word 'Talon'; new mixed aluminium wire and cable covered by ISRI code word 'Tanri'; old pure aluminium wire and cable covered by ISRI code word 'Taste'; old mixed aluminium wire and cable covered by ISRI code word 'Tassel'; aluminium pistons covered by ISRI code word 'Tarry'; segregated aluminium borings and turnings covered by ISRI code word 'Teens'; mixed aluminium castings covered by ISRI code word 'Telic'; mixed aluminium castings covered by ISRI code word 'Tense'; wrecked airplane sheet aluminium covered by ISRI code word 'Tepid'; new aluminium foil covered by ISRI code word 'Terse'; old aluminium foil covered by ISRI code word 'Testy'; aluminium grindings covered by ISRI code word 'Thigh'; sweated aluminium covered by ISRI code word 'Throb'; segregated new aluminium alloy clippings and solids covered by ISRI code word 'Tooth'; mixed new aluminium alloy clippings and solids covered by ISRI code word 'Tough'; segregated new aluminium castings, forgings and extrusions covered by ISRI code word 'Tread'; aluminium auto castings covered by ISRI code word 'Trump'; insulated aluminium wire scrap covered by ISRI code word 'Twang'; aluminium airplane castings covered by ISRI code word 'Twist'; fragmentizer aluminium scrap (from automobile shredder) covered by ISRI code word 'Twitch'	kg.	15%	
7602 00 90	--- Other waste and scrap	kg.	15%	-

7603	aluminium powders and flakes			
7603 10	- Powders of non-lamellar structure :			
7603 10 10	--- Aluminium powder for thermit process	kg.	15%	-
7603 90	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
7603 00	- Powders of lamellar structure; flakes	kg.	15%	-
7604	aluminium bars, rods and profiles			
7604 10	- Of aluminium, not alloyed :			
7604 10 10	--- Wire rods	kg.	15%	-
7604 20	--- Bars and rods, other than wire rods	kg.	15%	-
	--- Profiles :			
7604 31	---- Hollow	kg.	15%	-
7604 39	---- Other	kg.	15%	-
	- Of aluminium alloys :			
7604 00	-- Hollow profiles	kg.	15%	-
7604 29	-- Other :			
7604 10	--- Hard drawn bare aluminium conductors steel	kg.	15%	-
	re-inforced (A.C.S.R.)			
7604 20	--- Wire rods	kg.	15%	-
7604 30	--- Bars and rods, other than wire rods	Kg.	15%	-
7604 90	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
7605	aluminium wire			
	- Of aluminium, not alloyed :	.		
7605 00	-- Of which the maximum cross-sectional dimension exceeds 7 mm	kg.	15%	-
7605 19	- Other:			
7605 10	--- Of which the maximum cross-sectional dimension exceeds 6 mm but does not exceed 7 mm	kg.	15%	
	--- Other :			
7605 91	---- Hard drawn bare-solid	kg.	15%	-
7605 99	---- Other	kg.	15%	-
	- Of aluminium alloys:			
7605 00	-- Of which the maximum cross-sectional dimension exceeds 7 mm	kg.	15%	-
7605 29	-- Other :			
7605 10	--- Of which the maximum cross-sectional dimension exceeds 6 mm but does not exceed 7 mm	kg.	15%	

7605 29	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
90				
7606	aluminium plates, SHEETS and strip, of a thickness exceeding 0.2 mm			
	- Rectangular (including square):			
7606 11	-- Of aluminium, not alloyed :			
7606 11	--- Electrolytic plates or sheets	kg.	15%	-
10				
7606 11	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
90				
7606 12	-- Of aluminium alloys	kg.	15%	-
00				
	- Other :			
7606 91	-- Of aluminium, not alloyed :			
7606 91	--- Circles	kg.	15%	-
10				
7606 91	--- Electrolytic plates or sheets	kg.	15%	-
20				
7606 91	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
90				
7606 92	-- Of aluminium alloys :			
7606 92	--- Circles	kg.	15%	-
10				
7606 92	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
90				
7607	aluminium foil (whether or not printed or backed with paper, patchboard, plastics or similar backing materials) of a thickness (excluding any backing) not exceeding 0.2 mm			
	- Not backed:			
7607 11	-- Rolled but not further worked :			
7607 11	--- Ordinarily used for tea chest lining	kg.	15%	-
10				
7607 11	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
90				
7607 19	-- Other:			
7607 19	--- Ordinarily used for tea chest lining	kg.	15%	-
10				
	--- Other:			
7607 19	---- Plain	kg.	15%	-
91				
7607 19	---- Embossed	kg.	15%	-
92				
7607 19	---- Perforated or cut-to-shape	kg.	15%	-
93				
7607 19	---- Coated	kg.	15%	-
94				
7607 19	---- Printed	kg.	15%	-
95				
7607 19	---- Other	kg.	15%	-
99				
7607 20	- Backed :			

7607 10	20	--- Ordinarily used for tea chest lining	kg.	15%	-
7607 90	20	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
7608		aluminum tubes and pipes			
7608 00	10	- Of aluminium, not alloyed	kg.	15%	-
7608 00	20	- Of aluminium alloys	kg.	15%	-
7609 00	00	aluminium tube or pipe fittings (for example, couplings, elbows, sleeves)	kg.	15%	-
7610		aluminium structures (excluding prefabricated buildings of heading 9406) and parts of structures (for example, bridges and bridge-sections, towers, lattice masts, roofs, roofing frameworks, doors and windows and their frames and thresholds for doors, balustrades, pillars and columns); aluminium plates, rods, profiles, tubes and the like. PREPARED for use in structures			
7610 00	10	- Doors, windows and their frames and thresholds for doors	kg.	15%	-
7610 90		- Other:			
7610 10	90	--- Structures	kg.	15%	-
7610 20	90	--- Parts of structures, not elsewhere specified	kg.	15%	-
7610 30	90	--- Aluminium plates, rods, profiles, tubes and the like, prepared for use in structure	kg.	15%	-
7610 90	90	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
7611 00	00	aluminium RESERVORS, tanks, vats and similar CONTAINERS, FOR ANY MATERIAL (OTHER THAN COMPRESSED OR LIQUEFIED GAS), OF A CAPACITY EXCEEDING 300L, WHETHER OR NOT LINED OR HEAT-INSULATED, BUT NOT FITTED WITH MECHANICAL OR THERMAL EQUIPMENT	kg.	15%	
7612		aluminium casks, drums, cans, boxes and similar containers (including rigid or collapsible tubular containers), for any material (other than compressed or liquefied gas), of a capacity not exceeding 300l, whether or not lined or heat-insulated, but not fitted with mechanical or thermal equipment			
7612 10		- Collapsible tubular containers :			
7612 10	10	--- Plain	kg.	15%	-
7612 20	10	--- Lacquered	kg.	15%	-
7612 30	10	--- Printed	kg.	15%	-

7912 10	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
90				
7612 90	- Other :			
7612 10	--- Plain	kg.	15%	-
7612 20	--- Lacquered	kg.	15%	-
7612 30	--- Printed	kg.	15%	-
7612 90	--- Other	kg.	15%	-
7613	aluminium containers for compressed or liquefied gas			
7613 00	Aluminium containers for compressed or liquefied gas;			
	--- Low pressure cylinders:			
7613 11	---- Plain	kg.	15%	-
7613 12	---- Lacquered	kg.	15%	-
7613 13	---- Printed	kg.	15%	-
7613 19	---- Other	kg.	15%	-
	--- High pressure cylinders :			
7613 21	---- Plain	kg.	15%	-
7613 22	---- Lacquered	kg.	15%	-
7613 23	---- Printed	kg.	15%	-
7613 29	---- Other	kg.	15%	-
	--- Other :			
7613 91	---- Plain	kg.	15%	-
7613 92	---- Lacquered	kg.	15%	-
7613 93	---- Printed	kg.	15%	-
7613 99	---- Other	kg.	15%	-
7614	stranded wire, cables, plaited bands and the like, of aluminium, not electric ally insulated			
7614 00	- With steel core	kg.	15%	-
7614 00	,90- Other	kg.	15%	-

7615	table, kitchen or OTHER household articles and parts thereof, of aluminium; pot scourers and scouring or polishing pads, cloves and the like, of aluminium; sanitary ware and parts thereof, of aluminium			
	Table, kitchen or other household articles and parts thereof; pot scourers and scouring or polishing pads, gloves and the like :			
7615 11 00	-- Pot scourers and scouring or polishing pads, gloves and the like	kg.	30%	-
7615 19	-- Other;			
7615 19 10	--- Pressure cookers	kg.	30%	-
7615 19 20	--- Non-stick utensils	kg.	30%	-
7615 19 30	--- Solar collectors and parts thereof	kg.	30%	-
7615 19 40	--- Other table and kitchenware	kg.	30%	-
7615 19 90	--- Other	kg.	30%	-
7615 20	- Sanitary ware and parts thereof:			
7615 20 10	--- Sanitary ware of aluminium and aluminium alloys for indoor use	kg.	30%	-
7615 20 20	--- Parts	kg.	30%	-
7615 20 90	--- Other	kg.	30%	-
7616	other articles of aluminium			
7616 10 00	- Nails, tacks, staples (other than those of heading 8305), screws, bolts, nuts, screw hooks, rivets, cotters, cotter-pins, washers and similar articles	kg.	15%	
	- Other:			
7616 10 00	-- Cloth, grill, netting and fencing, of aluminium wire	kg.	15%	-
7616 99	-- Other:			
7616 99 10	--- Expanded metal of aluminium and aluminium alloys	kg.	15%	-
7616 99 20	--- Chains	kg.	15%	-
7616 99 30	--- Bobbins	kg.	15%	-
7616 99 90	--- Other	kg.	15%	