U.S. IMPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE

LARGE RESIDENTIAL WASHERS

This questionnaire must be received by the Commission by April 7, 2023 See last page for filing instructions.

The information called for in this questionnaire is for use by the United States International Trade Commission in connection with its investigation No. TA-201-076 (Evaluation), Large Residential Washers: Evaluation of Effectiveness of Import Relief, under section 204 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. § 2254). The information requested in the guestionnaire is needed to supplement data available to the Commission from other sources and is requested under the authority of section 204 of the Tariff Act of 1974. This report is mandatory and failure to comply as directed can result in a subpoena or other order to compel the submission of records or information in your firm's possession (19 U.S.C. § 1333(a)).

Name of firm _____

Address

City	State	Zip Code	
Website			
PSC/belt driv	n imported large residential washers (as defined on re/clutch, or front-load residential washers with CIM, at any time since January 1, 2020?		
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☐ YES	(Complete all parts of the questionnaire, and return the	entire questionnaire to the Commission)	
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Signature	Phone	Email address	_

PART I.—GENERAL INFORMATION

Background.— On January 23, 2018, the President, pursuant to section 203 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2253) (the Act), issued Proclamation 9694, imposing a safeguard measure on imports of certain residential washers and parts thereof in the form of a tariff-rate quota, effective February 7, 2018.

On January 23, 2020, pursuant to sections 204(b)(1)(B) and 204(b)(2) of the Trade Act (19 U.S.C. 2254(b)(1)(B) and (b)(2)), the President issued Proclamation 9979 to modify the action taken in Proclamation 9694 by allocating on a quarterly basis, within-quota quantities of 1.2 million units during the third year of the action, beginning February 7, 2020.

On December 8, 2020, in response to a petition filed on behalf of Whirlpool Corporation, Benton Harbor, Michigan, the Commission issued its determination and report pursuant to section 204(c) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 2254(c)), finding that the safeguard measure continued to be necessary to prevent or remedy the serious injury to the domestic industry, and that there was evidence that the domestic industry was making a positive adjustment to import competition (see Large Residential Washers: Extension of Action, Inv. No. TA-201-076, USITC Publication 5144, December 2020). On January 14, 2021, the President issued Proclamation 10133 (86 FR 6541), pursuant to section 203(e)(1)(B) of the Trade Act (19 U.S.C. 2253(e)(1)(B)), extending the safeguard measure on large residential washers through February 7, 2023.

Section 204(d) of the Act requires the Commission to evaluate the effectiveness of the actions in facilitating positive adjustment by the domestic industry to import competition, consistent with the reasons set out by the President in the report submitted to the Congress under section 203(b) of the Act, and to submit a report to the President and the Congress no later than the 180th day after the day on which the actions taken under section 203 are terminated. Questionnaires and other information pertinent to this proceeding are available at https://ids.usitc.gov/case/4559/investigation/8352.

Products covered by the scope of this measure

<u>Large residential washers</u>.—The products covered by the investigation are all large residential washers and certain parts thereof.

The term "large residential washers" denotes all automatic clothes washing machines, regardless of the orientation of the rotational axis, with a cabinet width (measured from its widest point) of at least 24.5 inches (62.23 cm) and no more than 32.0 inches (81.28 cm), except as noted below.

<u>Covered parts</u>.-- Also covered are certain parts used in large residential washers, namely: (1) all cabinets, or portions thereof, designed for use in large residential washers; (2) all assembled tubs¹ designed for use in large residential washers which incorporate, at a minimum: (a) a tub; and (b) a seal; (3) all assembled baskets² designed for use in large residential washers which incorporate, at a minimum: (a) a side wrapper;³ (b) a base; and (c) a drive hub;⁴ and (4) any combination of the foregoing parts or subassemblies.

¹ A "tub" is the part of the washer designed to hold water.

² A "basket" (sometimes referred to as a "drum") is the part of the washer designed to hold clothing or other fabrics.

³ A "side wrapper" is the cylindrical part of the basket that actually holds the clothing or other fabrics.

⁴ A "drive hub" is the hub at the center of the base that bears the load from the motor.

Products excluded from the scope of this measure

(1) Stacked washers-dryers & commercial washers

Excluded are stacked washer-dryers and commercial washers. The term "stacked washer-dryers" denotes distinct washing and drying machines that are built on a unitary frame and share a common console that controls both the washer and the dryer. The term "commercial washer" denotes an automatic clothes washing machine designed for the "pay per use" segment meeting either of the following two definitions:

(1) (a) it contains payment system electronics;⁵ (b) it is configured with an externally mounted steel frame at least six inches high that is designed to house a coin/token operated payment system (whether or not the actual coin/token operated payment system is installed at the time of importation); (c) it contains a push button user interface with a maximum of six manually selectable wash cycle settings, with no ability of the end user to otherwise modify water temperature, water level, or spin speed for a selected wash cycle setting; and (d) the console containing the user interface is made of steel and is assembled with security fasteners;⁶ or

(2) (a) it contains payment system electronics; (b) the payment system electronics are enabled (whether or not the payment acceptance device has been installed at the time of importation) such that, in normal operation, the unit cannot begin a wash cycle without first receiving a signal from a bona fide payment acceptance device such as an electronic credit card reader; (c) it contains a push button user interface with a maximum of six manually selectable wash cycle settings, with no ability of the end user to otherwise modify water temperature, water level, or spin speed for a selected wash cycle setting; and (d) the console containing the user interface is made of steel and is assembled with security fasteners.

(2) Top load residential washers with PSC/belt drive/clutch

Also excluded are automatic clothes washing machines that meet all of the following conditions: (1) have a vertical rotational axis; (2) are top loading;⁸ (3) have a drive train consisting, inter alia, of (a) a permanent split capacitor (PSC) motor,⁹ (b) a belt drive,¹⁰ and (c) a flat wrap spring clutch.¹¹

⁵ "Payment system electronics" denotes a circuit board designed to receive signals from a payment acceptance device and to display payment amount, selected settings, and cycle status. Such electronics also capture cycles and payment history and provide for transmission to a reader.

⁶ A "security fastener" is a screw with a non-standard head that requires a non-standard driver. Examples include those with a pin in the center of the head as a "center pin reject" feature to prevent standard Allen wrenches or Torx drivers from working.

⁷ "Normal operation" refers to the operating mode(s) available to end users (*i.e.*, not a mode designed for testing or repair by a technician).

⁸ "Top loading" means that access to the basket is from the top of the washer.

⁹ A "PSC motor" is an asynchronous, alternating current (AC), single phase induction motor that employs split phase capacitor technology.

¹⁰ A "belt drive" refers to a drive system that includes a belt and pulleys.

¹¹ A "flat wrap spring clutch" is a flat metal spring that, when engaged, links abutted cylindrical pieces on the input shaft with the end of the concentric output shaft that connects to the drive hub.

(3) Front load residential washers with CIM/belt drive

Also excluded are automatic clothes washing machines that meet all of the following conditions: (1) have a horizontal rotational axis; (2) are front loading; ¹² and (3) have a drive train consisting, inter alia, of (a) a controlled induction motor (CIM), ¹³ and (b) a belt drive.

(4) <u>"Extra-wide" residential washers</u>

Also excluded are automatic clothes washing machines that meet all of the following conditions: (1) have a horizontal rotational axis; (2) are front loading; and (3) have cabinet width (measured from its widest point) of more than 28.5 inches (72.39 cm).

Large residential washers are currently classifiable under subheading 8450.20.00 (statistical reporting numbers 8450.20.0040 and 8450.20.0080) of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS). They may also be imported under HTSUS 8450.11.0040, 8450.11.0080, 8450.90.2000, and 8450.90.6000. The HTSUS provisions are for convenience and customs purposes; the written description of the scope is dispositive.

Reporting of information. --If information is not readily available from your records, provide carefully prepared estimates. If your firm is completing more than one questionnaire (i.e., a producer, importer, and/or purchaser questionnaire), you need not respond to duplicated questions.

<u>Confidentiality</u>. --The commercial and financial data furnished in response to this questionnaire that reveal the individual operations of your firm will be treated as confidential by the Commission to the extent that such data are not otherwise available to the public and will not be disclosed except as may be required by law (see 19 CFR §§ 206.17(a)(1) and 206.52(c)). Such confidential information will not be published in a manner that will reveal the individual operations of your firm; however, general characterizations of numerical business proprietary information (such as discussion of trends) will be treated as confidential business information only at the request of the submitter for good cause shown.

<u>Verification</u>. --The information submitted in this questionnaire is subject to audit and verification by the Commission. To facilitate possible verification of data, please keep all files, worksheets, and supporting documents used in the preparation of the questionnaire response. Please also retain a copy of the final document that you submit.

Release of information.--The information provided by your firm in response to this questionnaire, as well as any other confidential business information submitted by your firm to the Commission in connection with this proceeding, may become subject to, and released under, the administrative protective order provisions of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. § 2252(i)) and sections 206.17 and 206.52 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR §§ 206.17(a)(1) and 206.52(c)). This means that certain lawyers and other authorized individuals may temporarily be given access to the information for use in connection with this proceeding or other import-injury proceedings conducted by the Commission on the same or similar merchandise; those individuals would be subject to severe penalties if the information were divulged to unauthorized individuals.

¹² "Front loading" means that access to the basket is from the front of the washer.

¹³ A "controlled induction motor" is an asynchronous, alternating current (AC), polyphase induction motor.

¹⁴ Large residential washers and parts and certain subassemblies covered by the scope are currently subject to tariffrate quotas under a safeguard measure imposed effective February 7, 2018, under subheadings 9903.45.01 and 9903.45.02 (large residential washers) and 9903.45.05 and 9903.45.06 (covered parts) and related legal notes.

<u>D-GRIDS tool.</u>--The Commission has a tool that firms can use to move data from their own MS Excel compilation files into self-contained data tables within this MS Word questionnaire, thereby reducing the amount of cell-by-cell data entry that would be required to complete this form. This tool is a macro-enabled MS Excel file available for download from the Commission's generic questionnaires webpage (https://www.usitc.gov/trade_remedy/question.htm) called the "D-GRIDs tool." Use of this tool to help your firm complete this questionnaire is <u>optional</u>. Firms opting to use the D-GRIDs tool to populate their data into this questionnaire will need the D-GRIDs specification sheet PDF file specific to this proceeding (available on the case page which is linked under the "Background" above) which includes the necessary references relating to this questionnaire, as well as the macro-enable MS Excel D-GRIDs tool itself from the generic questionnaires page. More detailed instructions on how to use the D-GRIDs tool are available within the D-GRIDs tool itself.

I-1. OMB statistics.--Please report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to your firm of completing this questionnaire.

Hours	Dollars		

The questions in this questionnaire have been reviewed with market participants to ensure that issues of concern are adequately addressed and that data requests are sufficient, meaningful, and as limited as possible. Public reporting burden for this questionnaire is estimated to average 40 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering data, and completing and reviewing the questionnaire.

We welcome comments regarding the accuracy of this burden estimate, suggestions for reducing the burden, and any suggestions for improving this questionnaire. Please attach such comments to your response or send to the Office of Investigations, USITC, 500 E St. SW, Washington, DC 20436.

I-2a. <u>Establishments covered</u>. --Provide the name and address of establishment(s) covered by this questionnaire.

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"Establishment" -- Each facility of a firm involved in the importation of large residential washers,

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Law firm:		
Lead attorney(s):		
□ No □ \	esList the following information, relating	g to the ultimate parent/owner
Firm name	Country	Extent of ownership (percent)
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"Related firm" –A firm that your firm solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled; a firm that

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owned,	or jointly owned, managed, managed, managed, or otherwise of led your firm.		•	that was solely or jointly d, managed, or otherwise	
I-4.	Related importers/exportersDoes your firm have any related firms, either domestic or foreign, that are engaged in importing large residential washers into the United States or that are engaged in exporting large residential washers in foreign countries to the United States? No YesList the following information.				
	Firm name	Country		Affiliation	
I-5.	engaged in the production			ic or foreign, that are	
	Firm name	Country		Affiliation	
I-6.			e of your firm's importing	g operations of large	
	residential washers. Mor	e than one answer may b	pe applicable.		
	Importer of record	Takes title to the imported product(s)	Consignee of the imported products(s)	Customs broker or freight forwarder	
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I-7.	Consignee If your firm is an importer of record of large residential washers but is not the
	consignee, please list the consignees below (firm name, address, telephone number, and individual
	to contact).

Firm name	Address	Contact person and phone number

I-8. **FTZ or bonded warehouses**. --Please indicate whether your firm enters large residential washers into, or withdraws such merchandise from, foreign trade zones or bonded warehouses.

"Foreign trade zone" is a designated location in the United States where firms utilize special procedures that allow delayed or reduced customs duty payments on foreign merchandise, as well as other savings. A foreign trade zone must be designated as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in the Foreign-Trade Zones Act.

"Bonded warehouse" is a secured facility supervised by U.S. customs, where dutiable landed imports are stored pending their re-export, or release after payment of import duties, taxes, and other charges. A bonded warehouse must be designed as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in 19 U.S.C. § 1555.

Item	No	Yes
Foreign trade zones		
Bonded warehouses		

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

No

Yes

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Charles Cummings (202-708-

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Title	
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•	of large residential washers since the imposition of the safeguard meas
February 7, 2018)	
Please describe t	he nature, date(s), and significance of any such reported changes as
well as the busin	ess reasons for them; leave completely blank if not applicable.
Effect of safeguard	I measure Describe the significance of the tariff-rate quota imposed b
_	February 7, 2018, in terms of its effect on your firm's imports, U.S. ship
exports, and inven	tories. You may wish to compare your firm's operations before and afte
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provide. Please note if your response differs by country.

II-3.	Arranged imports Has your firm imported or arranged for the importation of large residential
	washers for delivery after January 1, 2023?

"Arranged imports" are imports for which your firm has placed an order with a foreign supplier for subject merchandise, but delivery of those imports is not scheduled to occur until after the date listed above.

No	Yes	
		If yes, fill out the table below.

Quantity (in	units)			
Period/Source	Jan-Mar 2023	Apr-Jun 2023	Jul-Sep 2023	Oct-Dec 2023
Complete large residential washers China				
Mexico				
South Korea				
Thailand				
Vietnam				
All other sources				
Covered parts ¹ China				
Mexico				
South Korea				
Thailand				
Vietnam				
All other sources				
Top load residential washers with PSC/belt drive/clutch ¹ All sources				
Front load residential washers with CIM/belt drive ¹ All sources				
¹ ·Covered parts, PSC/Belt Drive/Clutch Top Load, and CIM/Be	lt Drive Front L	oad are defined	on pages 2-4.	1

II-4.	Reasons for importing if producer If your firm also produces large residential washers in the
	United States, please indicate the reasons for importing this product. If your firm's reasons differ by
	source, please elaborate.

Definitions

"Imports" – Those products identified for Customs purposes as imports for consumption for which your firm was the importer of record (i.e., was responsible for paying any import duty).

"Import quantities" –Quantities reported should be net of returns.

"Import values"—Values reported should be landed, duty-paid values at the U.S. port of entry, including ocean freight and insurance costs, brokerage charges, and import duties (i.e., all charges except inland freight in the United States).

"Commercial U.S. shipments"— Shipments made within the United States as a result of an arm's length commercial transaction in the ordinary course of business. Report net values (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, rebates, prepaid freight, and the value of returned goods) in U.S. dollars, f.o.b. your point of shipment.

"Internal consumption" – Product consumed internally by your firm. Such transactions are valued at fair market value.

"Transfers to related firms" – Shipments made to related firms. Such transactions are valued at fair market value.

"Export shipments"— Shipments to destinations outside the United States, including shipments to related firms.

"Inventories" -- Finished goods inventory, not raw materials or work in progress.

Note: As requested in Part I of this questionnaire, please keep all supporting documents/records used in the preparation of the trade data, as Commission staff may contact your firm regarding questions on the trade data. The Commission may also request that your company submit copies of the supporting documents/records (such as production and sales schedules, inventory records, etc.) used to compile these data.

II-5a. <u>U.S. imports of complete large residential washers from China</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>complete large residential washers</u> imported from China by your firm during the specified periods.

China: Complete large residential washers

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)				
	Calendar year			
Item	2020	2021	2022	
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)				
U.S. imports: ¹				
Quantity (B)				
Value (C)				
U.S. shipments:				
Commercial U.S. shipments:				
Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Internal consumption: ²				
Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Transfers to related firms: ²				
Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³				
Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)				
¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known: ² Internal consumption and transfers to related firms mu different basis for valuing these transactions in your record However, the data provided above in this table shown is a short firm's principal export markets:	st be valued at fair r ls, please specify tha	nt basis (e.g., cost,		

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-5b. <u>U.S. imports of covered parts from China</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>covered parts</u> (as defined on page 2) imported from China by your firm during the specified periods.

China: Covered parts

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)				
	Calendar year			
Item	2020	2021	2022	
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)				
U.S. imports: ¹				
Quantity (B)				
Value (C)				
U.S. shipments:				
Commercial U.S. shipments:				
Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Internal consumption: ²				
Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Transfers to related firms: ²				
Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³				
Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)				
Please identify the foreign producers, if known: Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided above in this table should be based on fair market value. Identify your firm's principal export markets:				

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
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an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

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II-6a. <u>U.S. imports of complete large residential washers from Mexico</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>complete large residential washers</u> imported from Mexico by your firm during the specified periods.

Mexico: Complete large residential washers

Wexies. Complete large residential Washers					
Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)					
	Calendar year				
ltem	2020	2021	2022		
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)					
U.S. imports: ¹					
Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments:					
Commercial U.S. shipments:					
Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
Internal consumption: ²					
Quantity (F)					
Value ² (G)					
Transfers to related firms: ²					
Quantity (H)					
Value² (I)					
Export shipments: ³					
Quantity (J)					
Value (K)					
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)					
Please identify the foreign producers, if known: Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided above in this table should be based on fair market value. Identify your firm's principal export markets:					

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
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an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-6b. <u>U.S. imports of covered parts from Mexico</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>covered parts</u> (as defined on page 2) imported from Mexico by your firm during the specified periods.

Mexico: Covered parts

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)					
	Calendar year				
Item	2020	020 2021 20			
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)					
U.S. imports:1					
Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments:					
Commercial U.S. shipments:					
Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
Internal consumption: ²					
Quantity (F)					
Value² (G)					
Transfers to related firms: ²					
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Value² (I)					
Export shipments: ³					
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II-7a. <u>U.S. imports of complete large residential washers from South Korea</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>complete large residential washers</u> imported from South Korea by your firm during the specified periods.

South Korea: Complete large residential washers

South Rolean Complete large residential Musilers					
Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)					
	Calendar year				
Item	2020	2021	2022		
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)					
U.S. imports: ¹					
Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments:					
Commercial U.S. shipments:					
Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
Internal consumption: ²					
Quantity (F)					
Value ² (G)					
Transfers to related firms: ²					
Quantity (H)					
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Export shipments: ³					
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Value (K)					
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)					
 Please identify the foreign producers, if known: Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided above in this table should be based on fair market value. Identify your firm's principal export markets: 					

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-7b. <u>U.S. imports of covered parts from South Korea</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>covered parts</u> (as defined on page 2) imported from South Korea by your firm during the specified periods.

South Korea: Covered parts

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)				
	Calendar year			
Item	2020	2021	2022	
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)				
U.S. imports: ¹				
Quantity (B)				
Value (C)				
U.S. shipments:				
Commercial U.S. shipments:				
Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Internal consumption: ²				
Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Transfers to related firms: ²				
Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³				
Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)				
 Please identify the foreign producers, if known: Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. If your firm uses a different basis for valuing these transactions in your records, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.): However, the data provided above in this table should be based on fair market value. Identify your firm's principal export markets: 				

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-8a. <u>U.S. imports of complete large residential washers from Thailand</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>complete large residential washers</u> imported from Thailand by your firm during the specified periods.

Thailand: Complete large residential washers

Quantity (<i>in units</i>), va	alue (<i>in \$1,000</i>)			
	Calendar year			
ltem	2020	2020 2021		
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)				
U.S. imports: ¹				
Quantity (B)				
Value (C)				
U.S. shipments:				
Commercial U.S. shipments:				
Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Internal consumption: ²				
Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Transfers to related firms: ²				
Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³				
Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)				
Please identify the foreign producers, if known: Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must different basis for valuing these transactions in your records, However, the data provided above in this table should dentify your firm's principal export markets:	please specify that	at basis (e.g., cost, o		

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-8b. <u>U.S. imports of covered parts from Thailand</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>covered parts</u> (as defined on page 2) imported from Thailand by your firm during the specified periods.

Thailand: Covered parts

Quantity (<i>in units</i>), va	alue (<i>in \$1,000</i>)				
-		Calendar year			
Item	2020	0 2021 202			
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)					
U.S. imports: ¹					
Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments:					
Commercial U.S. shipments:					
Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
Internal consumption: ²					
Quantity (F)					
Value ² (G)					
Transfers to related firms: ²					
Quantity (H)					
Value² (I)					
Export shipments: ³					
Quantity (J)					
Value (K)					
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)					
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	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-9a. <u>U.S. imports of complete large residential washers from Vietnam</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>complete large residential washers</u> imported from Vietnam by your firm during the specified periods.

Vietnam: Complete large residential washers

Quantity (in units), va					
		Calendar year			
Item	2020	<u> </u>			
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)					
U.S. imports: ¹					
Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments:					
Commercial U.S. shipments:					
Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
Internal consumption: ²					
Quantity (F)					
Value ² (G)					
Transfers to related firms: ²					
Quantity (H)					
Value² (I)					
Export shipments: ³					
Quantity (J)					
Value (K)					
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)					
Please identify the foreign producers, if known: Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must different basis for valuing these transactions in your records, However, the data provided above in this table should dentify your firm's principal export markets: .	please specify th	at basis (e.g., cost,			

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-9b. <u>U.S. imports of covered parts from Vietnam</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>covered parts</u> (as defined on page 2) imported from Vietnam by your firm during the specified periods.

Vietnam: Covered parts

Quantity (in units),	value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)		
	Calendar year		
Item	2020	2021	2022
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)			
U.S. imports: ¹			
Quantity (B)			
Value (C)			
U.S. shipments:			
Commercial U.S. shipments:			
Quantity (D)			
Value (E)			
Internal consumption: ²			
Quantity (F)			
Value² (G)			
Transfers to related firms: ²			
Quantity (H)			
Value² (I)			
Export shipments: ³			
Quantity (J)			
Value (K)			
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)			
 Please identify the foreign producers, if known: Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must different basis for valuing these transactions in your record However, the data provided above in this table shout a lidentify your firm's principal export markets: 	s, please specify tha	it basis (e.g., cost, o	

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

³ Identify your firm's principal export markets:

II-10a. <u>U.S. imports of complete large residential washers from all other sources</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>complete large residential washers</u> imported from all other sources (i.e., sources other than China, Mexico, South Korea, Thailand, or Vietnam) by your firm during the specified periods.

All other sources: Complete large residential washers

(list sources:)
Quantity (in unit	s), value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)		
	Calendar year		
Item	2020	2021	2022
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)			
U.S. imports: ¹			
Quantity (B)			
Value (C)			
U.S. shipments:			
Commercial U.S. shipments:			
Quantity (D)			
Value (E)			
Internal consumption: ²			
Quantity (F)			
Value² (G)			
Transfers to related firms: ²			
Quantity (H)			
Value² (I)			
Export shipments: ³			
Quantity (J)			
Value (K)			
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)			
¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known: ² Internal consumption and transfers to related firms in different basis for valuing these transactions in your reconstruction. However, the data provided above in this table services.	ords, please specify tha	it basis (e.g., cost,	

II-10a. <u>U.S. imports of complete large residential washers from all other sources</u>. – *Continued*

	Calendar year		
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0
¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values of	ther than zero (i	.e "0") but are r	nonetheless

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: ______.

³ Identify your firm's principal export markets: _

II-10b. <u>U.S. imports of covered parts from all other sources</u>. –Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of <u>covered parts</u> (as defined on page 2) imported from all other sources (i.e., sources other than China, Mexico, South Korea, Thailand, or Vietnam) by your firm during the specified periods.

All other sources: Covered parts

		Calendar year		
Item	2020	2021	2022	
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)				
J.S. imports: ¹				
Quantity (B)				
Value (C)				
J.S. shipments:				
Commercial U.S. shipments:				
Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Internal consumption: ²				
Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Transfers to related firms: ²				
Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³				
Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)				
¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known:		1	L	

II-10b. U.S. imports of covered parts from all other sources. – Continued

	Calendar year	
2020	2021	2022
0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-11. <u>Imports of top load residential washers with PSC/belt drive/clutch</u>.--Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of top load residential washers with PSC/belt drive/clutch during the specified periods.

ALL SOURCES - PSC/BELT DRIVE/CLUTCH TOP LOAD

Quantity (in	units), value (in \$1,000)		
	Calendar year			
Item	2020	2021	2022	
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)				
U.S. imports: ¹ PSC/Belt Drive/Clutch Top Load Quantity (B)				
Value (C)				
U.S. shipments: Commercial U.S. shipments: Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Internal consumption: ² Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Transfers to related firms: ² Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)				
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II-11. Imports of top load residential washers with PSC/belt drive/clutch.—Continued

		Calendar year	
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
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an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-12. <u>Imports of front load residential washers with CIM/belt drive</u>. --Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of front load residential washers with CIM/belt drive during the specified periods.

ALL SOURCES - CIM/BELT DRIVE FRONT LOAD

(list sources:)
Quantity (in	units), value (in \$1,000)		
		Calendar year	
Item	2020	2021	2022
Beginning inventories (quantity) (A)			
U.S. imports: ¹			
CIM/Belt Drive Front Load			
Quantity (B)			
Value (C)			
U.S. shipments:			
Commercial U.S. shipments:			
Quantity (D)			
Value (E)			
Internal consumption: ²			
Quantity (F)			
Value² (G)			
Transfers to related firms: ²			
Quantity (H)			
Value² (I)			
Export shipments: ³			
Quantity (J)			
Value (K)			
Ending inventories (quantity) (L)			
Please identify the foreign producer(s): Internal consumption and transfers to related firr different basis for valuing these transactions in your However, the data provided above in this table.	records, please specify that	basis (e.g., cost, cos	
³ Identify your firm's principal export markets:	<u> </u>		

II-12. Imports of front load residential washers with CIM/belt drive. - Continued

		Calendar year	
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide			
an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-13. <u>Imports within and exceeding tariff-rate quota</u>. --Report your firm's imports of large residential washers including covered parts into the United States for the periods below.

			Quantity	(in units)		
	Complete I	arge residenti	al washers		Covered parts	
ltem	In-quota	Above quota	Other	In-quota	Above quota	Other
2020:						
January – March						
April – June						
July – September						
October – December						
2021:						
January – March						
April – June						
July – September						
October – December						
2022:						
January – March						
April – June						
July – September						
October – December						

<u>RECONCILIATION IMPORTS</u>.-- Generally, the sum of the data reported for complete large residential washers for each calendar year above should be equal to the sum of the quantities for each calendar year reported in line B in parts a of tables II-5 through II-10. Additionally, the sum of the data reported for covered parts for each calendar year above should be equal to the sum of the quantities for each calendar year reported in line B in tables parts b of II-5 through II-10. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0"), the data reported must be revised prior to submission to the Commission.

		Calendar yea	ſ
Reconciliation	2020	2021	2022
Complete LRWs: (Sum of line B in parts a of II-5 through II-10) – (Sum of quantities of complete LRWs in II-13) = should equal zero ("0") for each			
calendar year.	0	0	0
Covered parts: (Sum of line B in parts b of II-5 through II-10) – (Sum of quantities for covered parts in II-13) = should equal zero ("0") for each			
calendar year.	0	0	0

II-14.	<u>Transfers to related firms</u> If your firm reported transfers to related firms in any of the data tables in part II, please identify the firm(s) and indicate the nature of the relationship between your firm and the related firms (e.g., joint venture, wholly owned subsidiary) and whether the transfers were priced at market value or by a non-market formula.
II-15.	Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part II for which a narrative response box was not provided, please note the question number and the explanation in the space provided below. Please also use this space to highlight any issues your firm had in providing the data in this section.

PART III.--PRICING AND MARKET FACTORS

Further information on this	part of the questionnai	re can be obtained from	າ Tana von Kessler
(tana.vonkessler@usitc.gov)	or Lauren McLemore (Lauren.McLemore@usi	tc.gov).

					d in Part III.
Name					
Title					
Email	_				
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since Febr anticipate	uary 7, 201 any future	L8? <i>Pleo</i> change	ase als		bility of large residential washers in the U.S. market change te any changes resulting from COVID-19 pandemic. Do you
Availab	oility in the market	U.S.	No	Yes	Please explain, noting the countries and reasons for the changes.
Changes	since Febr	uary 7,	2018	:	
U.Sprod	luced prod	uct			
Imports f					
Anticipat	ted change	s:			
U.Sprod	luced prod	uct			
Imports f					
روم براموری	nce Februa	ary 7, 2 ng to ac	018 (e cept i	exam new (fused, declined, or been unable to supply large residential ples include placing customers on allocation or "controlled customers or renew existing customers, delivering less than meet timely shipment commitments, etc.)?

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III-4.	<u>Demand trends.</u> Indicate how demand within the United States and outside of the United States
	(if known) for large residential washers has changed since February 7, 2018, and how you anticipate
	demand will change in the future. Explain any trends and describe the principal factors that have
	affected, and that you anticipate will affect, these changes in demand. Please also note any changes
	resulting from COVID-19 pandemic.

Market	Overall increase	No change	Overall decrease	Fluctuate with no clear trend	Explanation and factors
Demand since February 7, 2018					
Within the United States					
Outside the United States					
Anticipated future demand					
Within the United States					
Outside the United States					

III-5.	<u>Product changes</u> Have there been any significant changes in the product range, product mix, or
	marketing of large residential washers since February 7, 2018?

No	If yes, please describe, noting when these changes occurred or are expected to occur.

III-6. <u>Conditions of competition.</u> --Have there been any changes in the business cycles or conditions of competition for large residential washers since February 7, 2018? *Please also note any changes resulting from COVID-19 pandemic.*

No	Yes	If yes, describe.

III-7. <u>Efforts since implementation of safeguard measures.</u>—Has your firm made any efforts to increase product availability to your customers, either in terms of the quantity of products available or by increasing your product offerings (e.g., new size ranges, qualities, features, products, etc.) since February 7, 2018?

No	Yes	If yes, describe.

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III-8.	Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part III that did not provide a narrative response box, please note the question number and the explanation in the space provided below. Please also use this space to highlight any issues your firm had in providing the data in this section, including but not limited to technical issues with the MS Word questionnaire.

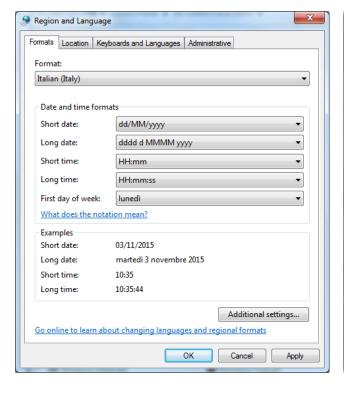
Correcting valid number error messages.—If you are completing this questionnaire in a country that uses periods (".") to delineate multiples of 1000 (i.e., one million would appear as \$1.000.000 instead of as \$1,000,000), you may be unable to enter in numbers greater than 999 in the numeric form fields. This issue stems from your computer's number formatting setting (i.e., not the MS Word document itself, but the computer from which you are opening up the document). In the United States commas (",") delineate multiples of 1000 and periods (".") delineate fractions less than one. Many EU and other countries use the reverse where multiples of 1000 are delineated with periods (".") and fractions less than one are delineated with commas (","). The U.S. International Trade Commission's questionnaires are set-up in the United States with the U.S. number formatting. When this formatting interacts with a computer set to EU or other country number formatting, we believe this may cause this issue.

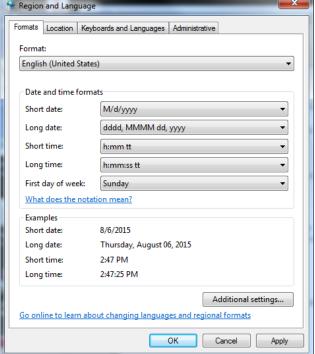
The solution to this data entry issue is to temporarily change your operating system's number formatting to be consistent with the U.S. number formatting system while you complete the questionnaire.

To temporarily change your computer's number settings to U.S. settings, please do the following (for Microsoft Windows Operating system):

- START
- Control Panel
- Region and Language (under Clock, Language, and Region category)
- Format tab
- Change the Format from your existing one (e.g., "Italian (Italy)") to "English (United States)" (see screen shots below)

When you do this the number "twelve million dollars and thirty five cents" would change from \$12.000.000,35 (Italy format) to \$12,000,000.35 (U.S. format), and then there will be no conflict with the USITC importer questionnaire form. When you finish reporting the data then you can close the questionnaire and switch back to Italy (or your country) settings.





HOW TO FILE YOUR QUESTIONNAIRE RESPONSE

This questionnaire is available as a "fillable" form in MS Word format on the Commission's website at: https://ids.usitc.gov/case/4559/investigation/8352

Please do not attempt to modify the format or permissions of the questionnaire document.Please submit the completed questionnaire using one of the methods noted below. If your firm is unable to complete the MS Word questionnaire or cannot use one of the electronic methods of submission, please contact the Commission for further instructions.

• <u>Upload via Secure Drop Box</u>.—Upload the MS Word questionnaire along with a scanned copy of the signed certification page (page 1) through the Commission's secure upload facility:

Web address: https://dropbox.usitc.gov/oinv/ Pin: LRWS

• E-mail.—E-mail the MS Word questionnaire to Charles.Cummings@usitc.gov; include a scanned copy of the signed certification page (page 1). Submitters are strongly encouraged to encrypt nonpublic documents that are electronically transmitted to the Commission to protect your sensitive information from unauthorized disclosure. The USITC secure drop-box system and the Electronic Document Information System (EDIS) use Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) 140-2 cryptographic algorithms to encrypt data in transit. Submitting your nonpublic documents by a means that does not use these encryption algorithms (such as by email) may subject your firm's nonpublic information to unauthorized disclosure during transmission. If you choose a non-encrypted method of electronic transmission, the Commission warns you that the risk of such possible unauthorized disclosure is assumed by you and not by the Commission.

If your firm did not import this product, please fill out page 1, print, sign, and submit a scanned copy to the Commission.

<u>Parties to this proceeding</u>.—If your firm is a party to this proceeding, it is required to serve a copy of the completed questionnaire on parties to the proceeding that are subject to administrative protective order (see 19 CFR § 207.7). A list of such parties may be obtained from the Commission's Secretary (202-205-1802). A certificate of service must accompany the completed questionnaire you submit (see 19 CFR § 207.7).