

U.S. IMPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE

OVERHEAD DOOR COUNTERBALANCE TORSION SPRINGS FROM CHINA AND INDIA

This questionnaire must be received by the Commission by **November 12, 2024**
See last page for instructions regarding how to file this questionnaire.

The information called for in this questionnaire is for use by the United States International Trade Commission in connection with its countervailing duty and antidumping investigations concerning overhead door counterbalance torsion springs ("overhead door springs") from China and India (Inv. Nos. 701-TA-746-747 and 731-TA-1724-1725 (Preliminary)). The information requested in the questionnaire is requested under the authority of the Tariff Act of 1930, title VII. This report is mandatory and failure to reply 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 _____

Has your firm imported overhead door springs (as defined on next page) from any country at any time since January 1, 2021?

☐ **NO** (Sign the certification below and promptly return **only** this page of the questionnaire to the Commission)

☐ **YES** (Complete all parts of the questionnaire, and return the entire questionnaire to the Commission)

Return questionnaire via the Commission's secure portal by clicking on the following link:
<https://usitc.gov/qportal>. (PIN: **DOOR**, PHASE: **Preliminary**). See last page for detailed instructions.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information herein supplied in response to this questionnaire is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and understand that the information submitted is subject to audit and verification by the Commission. By means of this certification I also grant consent for the Commission, and its employees and contract personnel, to use the information provided in this questionnaire and throughout this proceeding in any other import-injury proceedings conducted by the Commission on the same or similar merchandise.

I, the undersigned, acknowledge that information submitted in response to this request for information and throughout this proceeding or other proceedings may be disclosed to and used: (i) by the Commission, its employees and Offices, and contract personnel (a) for developing or maintaining the records of this or a related proceeding, or (b) in internal investigations, audits, reviews, and evaluations relating to the programs, personnel, and operations of the Commission including under 5 U.S.C. Appendix 3; or (ii) by U.S. government employees and contract personnel, solely for cybersecurity purposes. I understand that all contract personnel will sign appropriate nondisclosure agreements.

Name of Authorized Official

Title of Authorized Official

Date

Signature

Phone

Email address

PART I.—GENERAL INFORMATION

Background.--This proceeding was instituted in response to a petition filed on October 29, 2024, by IDC Group, Inc., Minneapolis, Minnesota; Iowa Spring Manufacturing, Inc., Adel, Iowa; and Service Spring Corp., Maumee, Ohio. Countervailing and/or antidumping duties may be assessed on the subject imports as a result of these proceedings if the Commission makes an affirmative determination of injury, threat, or material retardation, and if the U.S. Department of Commerce ("Commerce") makes an affirmative determination of subsidization and/or dumping. Pertinent information to this proceeding is available at:

Questionnaires: https://usitc.gov/reports/active_import_injury_questionnaires.

Other case information: <https://ids.usitc.gov/case/8234/investigation/8655>

Overhead door springs covered by this proceeding are helically wound, overhead door counterbalance torsion steel springs ("overhead door counterbalance torsion springs"). Overhead door counterbalance torsion springs are helical steel springs with tightly wound coils that store and release mechanical energy by winding and unwinding along the spring's axis by an angle, using torque to create a lifting force in the counterbalance assembly typically used to raise and lower overhead doors, including garage doors, industrial rolling doors, warehouse doors, trailer doors, and other overhead doors, gates, grates, or similar devices. The merchandise covered by these investigations covers all overhead door counterbalance torsion springs with a coil inside diameter of 15.8 millimeters ("mm") or more but not exceeding 304.8 mm (measured across the diameter from inner edge to inner edge); a wire diameter of 2.5 mm to 20.4 mm; a length of 127 mm or more; and regardless of the following characteristics:

- Wire type (including, but not limited to, oil-tempered wire, hard-drawn wire, music wire, galvanized or other coated wire);
- Wire cross-sectional shape (e.g., round, square, or other shapes);
- Coating (e.g., uncoated, oil- or water-based coatings, lubricant coatings, zinc, aluminum, zinc-aluminum, paint or plastic coating, etc.);
- Winding orientation (left-hand or right-hand wind direction);
- End type (including, but not limited to, looped, double looped, clipped, long length, mini warehouse, Barcol, Crawford, Kinnear, Wagner, rolling steel or barrel ends); and
- Whether the overhead door counterbalance torsion springs are fitted with hardware, including but not limited to fasteners, clips, and cones (winding or stationary cones).

For purposes of the diameters referenced above, where the nominal and actual measurements vary, a product is within the scope if application of either the nominal or actual measurement would place it within the scope based on the definitions set forth above.

The steel torsion springs included in the scope of these investigations are produced from steel in which: (1) iron predominates, by weight, over each of the other contained elements; and (2) the carbon content is 2 percent or less, by weight.

Subject merchandise includes cones or other fittings attached to or entered with the subject overhead door counterbalance torsion springs. Subject merchandise also includes all subject overhead door counterbalance torsion springs entered as a part of overhead door kits, overhead door mounting or assembly kits, or as a part of a spring-operated motor assembly or as a part of a spring winder assembly kit for torsion springs. When counterbalance torsion springs are entered as a part of such kits, only the counterbalance spring and cones attached to or entered with the spring are within scope.

Subject merchandise also includes overhead door counterbalance torsion springs that have been further processed in a third country, including but not limited to cutting to length, attachment of hardware, cones or end-fittings, inclusion in garage door kits or garage door mounting or assembly kits, or any other processing that would remove the merchandise from the scope of these orders if performed in the country of manufacture of the in-scope overhead door counterbalance torsion springs.

All products that meet the written physical description are within the scope of these investigations unless specifically excluded. The following products are specifically excluded from the scope of these investigations:

- Leaf springs (slender arc-shaped length of spring steel of a rectangular cross-section);
- Disc springs (conical springs consisting of a convex disc with the outer edge working against the center of the disc);
- Extension springs (close-wound round helical wire springs that store and release energy by resisting the external pulling forces applied to the spring's ends in the direction of its length);
- Compression springs (helical coiled springs with open wound active coils (such open winding is also known as pitch) that are designed to compress under load or force); and
- Spiral springs (torsion springs wound as concentric spirals such as a clock spring or mainspring).

Overhead door springs are currently imported under statistical reporting numbers 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045 and 7320.20.5060 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS). They may also be classified under HTSUS subheading 8412.90.9085 if entered as parts of spring-operated motors. They may also be classified in HTSUS subheading 8412.80.1000 (spring-operated motors) if entered as part of a spring counterweight assembly for an overhead door. They may also be classified in HTSUS subheading 7308.90.9590, a basket category that includes metal garage doors entered with mounting accessories or assemblies. The HTSUS provisions are for convenience and customs purposes; the written description of the scope is dispositive.

Importer.--Any person or firm engaged, either directly or through a parent company or subsidiary, in importing overhead door springs (as defined above) into the United States from a foreign manufacturer or through its selling agent.

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.

Confidentiality.--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 U.S.C. § 1677f). 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.

Verification.--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 business proprietary 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 Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1677f) and section 207.7 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR § 207.7). 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.

Valid number error messages.--If you are completing this form in a country that uses periods (".") to delineate multiples of 1000 (e.g., one million would appear as \$1.000.000 rather than \$1,000,000), you may be unable to enter in numbers greater than 999 in numeric form fields. 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 this form. Detailed instructions on how to resolve this issue are provided at the end of this questionnaire and are available upon request from Peter Stebbins (202-205-2039), peter.stebbins@usitc.gov.

D-GRIDS tool.--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 optional. 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. **Reporting requirements.**--Please report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to your firm of completing this questionnaire for use by the Office of Management and Budget.

Hours	Dollars

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 provide such comments to the Office of Investigations, import_injury@usitc.gov.

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

"Establishment"--Each facility of a firm involved in the importation of overhead door springs, including auxiliary facilities operated in conjunction with (whether or not physically separate from) such facilities.

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- I-2b. **Stock symbol information.**-- If your firm or parent firm is publicly traded, please specify the stock exchange and trading symbol: _____.

- I-2c. **External counsel.**-- If your firm or parent firm is represented by external counsel in relation to this proceeding, please specify the name of the law firm and the lead attorney(s).

Law firm:	
Lead attorney(s):	

I-3. **Ownership.**--Is your firm owned, in whole or in part, by any other firm?

☐ No

☐ Yes--List the following information, relating to the ultimate parent/owner.

Firm name	Country	Extent of ownership (percent)

“Related firm” --A firm that your firm solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled; a firm that solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm; and/or a firm that was solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled by a firm that also solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm.

I-4. **Related importers/exporters.**--Does your firm have any related firms, either domestic or foreign, that are engaged in importing overhead door springs from China or India into the United States or that are engaged in exporting overhead door springs from China or India to the United States?

☐ No

☐ Yes--List the following information.

Firm name	Country	Affiliation

“Related firm”—A firm that your firm solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled; a firm that solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm; and/or a firm that was solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled by a firm that also solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm.

- I-5. **Related producers.**--Does your firm have any related firms, either domestic or foreign, that are engaged in the production of overhead door springs?

☐ No ☐ Yes--List the following information.

Firm name	Country	Affiliation

- I-6. **Importing operations.**--Please indicate the nature of your firm’s importing operations on overhead door springs. The importer of record is expected to complete this questionnaire; however, more than one answer may be applicable.

Importer of record	Takes title to the imported product(s)	Consignee of the imported products(s)	Customs broker or freight forwarder
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- I-7. **Consignee.**--If your firm is an importer of record of overhead door springs 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 admits overhead door springs 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 designated as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in 19 U.S.C. § 1555.

Item	No	Yes	Quantity (<i>in pounds</i>) admitted in 2023
Foreign trade zones	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Bonded warehouses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- I-9. **Other trade actions.**--To your knowledge, have the products subject to this proceeding been the subject of any other import relief proceedings in the United States or in any other countries?

No	Yes	If yes, please specify.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Peter Stebbins (202-204-2039), peter.stebbins@usitc.gov. **Supply all data requested on a calendar-year basis.**

- II-1. **Contact information.**--Please identify the responsible individual and the manner by which Commission staff may contact that individual regarding the confidential information submitted in Part II.

Name	
Title	
Email	
Telephone	

- II-2a. **Changes in operations.**--Has your firm experienced any changes in ownership or in the nature of its importing operations for overhead door springs since January 1, 2021?

No	Yes	If yes, supply details as to the time, nature, and significance of such changes and describe reasons for the changes, including any underlying assumptions used.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- II-2b. **COVID-19 pandemic.**--Has the COVID-19 pandemic or have any government actions taken to contain the spread of the COVID-19 virus resulted in changes in your firm's supply chain arrangements, importation, employment, and shipments relating to overhead door springs? In your response, please discuss the duration and timing of any such changes as they relate to your firm's operations.

No	Yes	If yes, describe these changes including the impact over time on the (a) supply chain, (b) importation and shipments, and (c) employment with respect to overhead door springs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

II-3a. **Arranged imports.**--Has your firm imported or arranged for the importation of overhead door springs for delivery after **June 30, 2024**?

“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.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Source	Period			
	Jul-Sep 2024	Oct-Dec 2024	Jan-Mar 2025	Apr-Jun 2025
	Quantity (in pounds)			
China				
India				
All other sources				

II-3b. **Imports in the 12-month period preceding the petition.**--Has your firm imported overhead door springs from any source between October 1, 2023 and September 30, 2024? (i.e., the last 3 months in 2023 and first 9 months in 2024 combined).

“Primary HTS numbers”—Statistical reporting numbers 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045, and 7320.20.5060 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) of the United States.

No	Yes	If yes, report the quantity of such import below by source.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Source	October 2023 through September 2024	
	Classified under primary HTS numbers	Classified under other HTS numbers ¹
	Quantity (in pounds)	
China		
India		
All other sources		
¹ List the specific “Other” HTS statistical reporting numbers (10-digit) your firm imported its overhead door springs under: _____.		

II-4. **Reasons for importing if producer.**--If your firm also produces overhead door springs in the United States, please indicate the reasons for importing this product. If your firm’s reasons differ by source, please elaborate.

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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.S. imports from China.**—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of overhead door springs imported from China by your firm during the specified periods.

"Primary HTS numbers"—Statistical reporting numbers 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045, and 7320.20.5060 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) of the United States.

China

Quantity (in pounds), value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports classified under:^{1 2}					
Primary HTS numbers					
Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
Other HTS numbers³					
Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
U.S. shipments:					
Commercial shipments:					
Quantity (F)					
Value (G)					
Internal consumption:⁴					
Quantity (H)					
Value ² (I)					
Transfers to related firms:⁴					
Quantity (J)					
Value ² (K)					
Export shipments:⁵					
Quantity (L)					
Value (M)					
End-of-period inventories: (quantity) (N)					
<p>¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known: _____.</p> <p>² Please refer to questions II-9a and II-9b for imports of out-of-scope product under the primary HTS numbers.</p> <p>³ List the specific "Other" HTS statistical reporting numbers (10-digit) your firm imported its overhead door springs under: _____.</p> <p>⁴ 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.</p> <p>⁵ Identify your firm's principal export markets: _____.</p>					

II-5a. **U.S. imports from China.**—Continued

RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.— Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line N) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., lines B and D), less total shipments (i.e., lines F, H, J and L). Please ensure that any differences are not due to data entry errors in completing this form, but rather actually reflect your firm's records; and also provide any likely explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

Reconciliation	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
A + B + D – F – H – J – L – N = should equal zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	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. **Channels of distribution: China.**—Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e., inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from China by channel of distribution during the specified periods.

China

Quantity (in pounds)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
U.S. shipments: to Distributors (O)					
to End users (P)					

RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS.—Please ensure that the quantities reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines O and P) in each time period equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., line F, H, J) in each time period. 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.

Reconciliation item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
O + P – F – H – J = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

- II-5c. **Imports by level of assembly: China.**--Report your firm's imports of overhead door springs from China by the level of assembly (e.g., overhead door kits, overhead door mounting or assembly kits) during the specified periods. For those overhead door springs imported as part of a kit or otherwise attached to out-of-scope components (e.g., garage doors, motors, et cetera), please report only the quantity and value of the overhead door springs (reasonable estimates are acceptable), rather than the kit or broader merchandise on to which they were attached.

China

Quantity (in pounds) and value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
U.S. imports of:					
Overhead door springs with or without cones, not in kits or further assembled:					
Quantity (Q)					
Value (R)					
Overhead door springs in kits:					
Quantity (S)					
Value (T)					
Overhead door springs as parts of components (e.g., motors, counterweight assemblies) or as parts of garage doors:					
Quantity (U)					
Value (V)					

RECONCILIATION OF IMPORTS BY LEVEL OF ASSEMBLY.--Please ensure that the quantities (i.e., lines Q, S, and U) and values (i.e., lines R, T and V) reported for imports by level of assembly in each time period equal the quantity (i.e., lines B and D) and values (i.e., lines C and E) reported for imports in each time period. 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.

Reconciliation item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Quantity: $Q + S + U - B - D = \text{zero}$ ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0
Value: $R + T + V - C - E = \text{zero}$ ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

- II-5d. **U.S. shipments by wire diameter and spring length: China.**--Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e., inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports of overhead door springs from China by wire diameter and spring length in calendar year 2023.

China

Quantity (in pounds)			
Wire diameter (down) and spring length (across)	Calendar year 2023		
	>=5" and <40" length	>= 40" and <80" length	>=80" length
U.S. shipments:			
>= 2.5 mm and <5.1 mm wire diameter (W)			
>= 5.1 mm and <12.7 mm wire diameter (X)			
>= 12.7 mm and <=20.4 mm wire diameter (Y)			

RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS BY WIRE DIAMETER AND SPRING LENGTH.--Please ensure that the quantity reported for U.S. shipments by wire diameter and spring length in this question (i.e., lines W, X, and Y across all columns) equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., lines F, H, and J) in 2023 from part "a" of this question. 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.

Reconciliation	Calendar year 2023
W + X + Y (across all columns) – F – H – J (in the calendar year 2023 column) = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0

II-6a. **U.S. imports from India.**—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of overhead door springs imported from India by your firm during the specified periods.

"Primary HTS numbers"—Statistical reporting numbers 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045, and 7320.20.5060 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) of the United States.

India

Quantity (in pounds), value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports classified under: ^{1 2}					
Primary HTS numbers					
Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
Other HTS numbers ³					
Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
U.S. shipments:					
Commercial shipments:					
Quantity (F)					
Value (G)					
Internal consumption: ⁴					
Quantity (H)					
Value ² (I)					
Transfers to related firms: ⁴					
Quantity (J)					
Value ² (K)					
Export shipments: ⁵					
Quantity (L)					
Value (M)					
End-of-period inventories: (quantity) (N)					

¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known: ____.

² Please refer to questions II-9a and II-9b for imports of out-of-scope product under the primary HTS numbers.

³ List the specific "Other" HTS statistical reporting numbers (10-digit) your firm imported its overhead door springs under: ____.

⁴ 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.

⁵ Identify your firm's principal export markets: ____.

II-6a. **U.S. imports from India.**—Continued

RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.-- Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line N) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., lines B and D), less total shipments (i.e., lines F, H, J and L). Please ensure that any differences are not due to data entry errors in completing this form, but rather actually reflect your firm's records; and also provide any likely explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

Reconciliation	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
A + B + D – F – H – J – L – N = should equal zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	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. **Channels of distribution: India.**--Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e., inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from India by channel of distribution during the specified periods.

India

Quantity (in pounds)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
U.S. shipments:					
to Distributors (O)					
to End users (P)					

RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS.--Please ensure that the quantities reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines O and P) in each time period equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., line F, H, J) in each time period. 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.

Reconciliation item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
O + P – F – H – J = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

- II-6c. **Imports by level of assembly: India.**--Report your firm's imports of overhead door springs from India by the level of assembly (e.g., overhead door kits, overhead door mounting or assembly kits) during the specified periods. For those overhead door springs imported as part of a kit or otherwise attached to out-of-scope components (e.g., garage doors, motors, et cetera), please report only the quantity and value of the overhead door springs (reasonable estimates are acceptable), rather than the kit or broader merchandise on to which they were attached.

India

Quantity (in pounds) and value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
U.S. imports of:					
Overhead door springs with or without cones, not in kits or further assembled:					
Quantity (Q)					
Value (R)					
Overhead door springs in kits:					
Quantity (S)					
Value (T)					
Overhead door springs as parts of components (e.g., motors, counterweight assemblies) or as parts of garage doors:					
Quantity (U)					
Value (V)					

RECONCILIATION OF IMPORTS BY LEVEL OF ASSEMBLY.--Please ensure that the quantities (i.e., lines Q, S, and U) and values (i.e., lines R, T and V) reported for imports by level of assembly in each time period equal the quantity (i.e., lines B and D) and values (i.e., lines C and E) reported for imports in each time period. 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.

Reconciliation item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Quantity: $Q + S + U - B - D = \text{zero}$ ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0
Value: $R + T + V - C - E = \text{zero}$ ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

- II-6d. **U.S. shipments by wire diameter and spring length: India.**--Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e., inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports of overhead door springs from India by wire diameter and spring length in calendar year 2023.

India

Quantity (in pounds)			
Wire diameter (down) and spring length (across)	Calendar year 2023		
	>=5" and <40" length	>= 40" and <80" length	>=80" length
U.S. shipments:			
>= 2.5 mm and <5.1 mm wire diameter (W)			
>= 5.1 mm and <12.7 mm wire diameter (X)			
>= 12.7 mm and <=20.4 mm wire diameter (Y)			

RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS BY WIRE DIAMETER AND SPRING LENGTH.--Please ensure that the quantity reported for U.S. shipments by wire diameter and spring length in this question (i.e., lines W, X, and Y across all columns) equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., lines F, H, and J) in 2023 from part "a" of this question. 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.

Reconciliation	Calendar year 2023
W + X + Y (across all columns) – F – H – J (in the calendar year 2023 column) = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0

II-7a. **Imports from all other sources.**—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of overhead door springs imported from all other sources (i.e., sources other than China or India) by your firm during the specified periods.

"Primary HTS numbers"—Statistical reporting numbers 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045, and 7320.20.5060 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) of the United States

All other sources

(list sources: _____)

Quantity (in pounds), value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports classified under:^{1 2} Primary HTS numbers Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
Other HTS numbers³ Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (F)					
Value (G)					
Internal consumption:⁴ Quantity (H)					
Value ² (I)					
Transfers to related firms:⁴ Quantity (J)					
Value ² (K)					
Export shipments:⁵ Quantity (L)					
Value (M)					
End-of-period inventories: (quantity) (N)					

¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if known: _____.

² Please refer to questions II-9a and II-9b for imports of out-of-scope product under the primary HTS numbers.

³ List the specific "Other" HTS statistical reporting numbers (10-digit) your firm imported its overhead door springs under: _____.

⁴ 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.

⁵ Identify your firm's principal export markets: _____.

II-7a. **Imports from all other sources.**—Continued

RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.-- Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line N) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., lines B and D), less total shipments (i.e., lines F, H, J and L). Please ensure that any differences are not due to data entry errors in completing this form, but rather actually reflect your firm's records; and also provide any likely explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

Reconciliation	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
A + B + D – F – H – J – L – N = should equal zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	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. **Channels of distribution: All other sources.**-- Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e., inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from all other sources (i.e., sources other than China or India) by channel of distribution during the specified periods.

All other sources

Quantity (in pounds)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
U.S. shipments:					
to Distributors (O)					
to End users (P)					

RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS.--Please ensure that the quantities reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines O and P) in each time period equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., line F, H, J) in each time period. 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.

Reconciliation item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
O + P – F – H – J = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

- II-7c. **Imports by level of assembly: All other sources.**--Report your firm's imports of overhead door springs from all other sources (i.e., sources other than China or India) by the level of assembly (e.g., overhead door kits, overhead door mounting or assembly kits) during the specified periods. For those overhead door springs imported as part of a kit or otherwise attached to out-of-scope components (e.g., garage doors, motors, et cetera), please report only the quantity and value of the overhead door springs (reasonable estimates are acceptable), rather than the kit or broader merchandise on to which they were attached.

All other sources

Quantity (in pounds) and value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
U.S. imports of:					
Overhead door springs with or without cones, not in kits or further assembled:					
Quantity (Q)					
Value (R)					
Overhead door springs in kits:					
Quantity (S)					
Value (T)					
Overhead door springs as parts of components (e.g., motors, counterweight assemblies) or as parts of garage doors:					
Quantity (U)					
Value (V)					

RECONCILIATION OF IMPORTS BY LEVEL OF ASSEMBLY.--Please ensure that the quantities (i.e., lines Q, S, and U) and values (i.e., lines R, T and V) reported for imports by level of assembly in each time period equal the quantity (i.e., lines B and D) and values (i.e., lines C and E) reported for imports in each time period. 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.

Reconciliation item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Quantity: $Q + S + U - B - D = \text{zero}$ ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0
Value: $R + T + V - C - E = \text{zero}$ ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

- II-7d. **U.S. shipments by wire diameter and spring length: All other sources.**--Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e., inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports of overhead door springs from all other sources (i.e., sources other than China or India) by wire diameter and spring length in calendar year 2023.

All other sources

Quantity (in pounds)			
Wire diameter (down) and spring length (across)	Calendar year 2023		
	>=5" and <40" length	>= 40" and <80" length	>=80" length
U.S. shipments:			
>= 2.5 mm and <5.1 mm wire diameter (W)			
>= 5.1 mm and <12.7 mm wire diameter (X)			
>= 12.7 mm and <=20.4 mm wire diameter (Y)			

RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS BY WIRE DIAMETER AND SPRING LENGTH.--Please ensure that the quantity reported for U.S. shipments by wire diameter and spring length in this question (i.e., lines W, X, and Y across all columns) equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., lines F, H, and J) in 2023 from part "a" of this question. 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.

Reconciliation	Calendar year 2023
W + X + Y (across all columns) – F – H – J (in the calendar year 2023 column) = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0

- II-7e. **Imports by nonsubject source: All other sources.**--Report your firm's imports of overhead door springs from all other sources (i.e., sources other than China or India) by the source country for the periods requested.

All other sources

Quantity (in pounds), value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Imports of overhead door springs from--					
Canada:					
Quantity (AA)					
Value (AB)					
Germany:					
Quantity (AC)					
Value (AD)					
Mexico:					
Quantity (AE)					
Value (AF)					
Thailand:					
Quantity (AG)					
Value (AH)					
Other:¹					
Quantity (AI)					
Value (AJ)					

¹ Please list the source countries: _____.

RECONCILIATION OF IMPORTS BY NONSUBJECT SOURCE.--Please ensure that the quantities and values (i.e., lines AA through AJ) reported for imports by source in each time period equal the quantity (i.e., lines B and D) and values (i.e., lines C and E) reported for imports in each time period. 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.

Reconciliation item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Quantity: AA + AC + AE + AG + AI – B – D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0
Value: AB + AD + AF + AH + AJ – C – E = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

- II-8. **Transfers to related firms.**--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.

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- II-9a. **Out-of-scope imports under the primary HTS statistical reporting number.**--Report your firm's imports of products other than overhead door springs that are classified under the primary HTS number (i.e., 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045, and 7320.20.5060) from any source during the specified period.

Out-of-scope products imported under primary HTS statistical reporting numbers

Quantity (in pounds); Value (in dollars)					
Item	Calendar year			January-June	
	2021	2022	2023	2023	2024
Out-of-scope imports under primary HTS statistical reporting numbers¹ from--					
China:					
Quantity					
Value					
India:					
Quantity					
Value					
All other sources:²					
Quantity					
Value					
¹ Please describe the products being imported: _____. ² Please list sources: _____.					

- II-9b. **Imports in the 12-month period preceding the petition of out-of-scope imports under the primary HTS.**--Has your firm imported out-of-scope products under the primary HTS statistical reporting numbers (i.e., 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045 and 7320.20.5060) from any source between October 1, 2023, and September 30, 2024? (i.e., the last 3 months in 2023 and first 9 months in 2024 combined)

No	Yes	If yes, report the quantity of such import below by source.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Quantity (<i>in pounds</i>)	
Source	October 2023 through September 2024
China	
India	
All other sources	

- II-10. **Overhead door springs in kits and other assemblies.**-- Does your firm import standalone overhead door springs (i.e., not attached to or combined with any out-of-scope merchandise, other than cones), and use those imported springs to create garage door kits or other assemblies that include out-of-scope merchandise mixed with in-scope overhead door springs domestically in the United States?

No	Yes	If yes, please describe in detail the domestic activities involved in your firm's assembly operations and describe the specific end products or services your firm sells with the imported overhead door springs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- II-11. **Other explanations.**--If 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.

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PART III.--PRICING AND MARKET FACTORS

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Tana von Kessler (202-205-2389, tana.vonkessler@usitc.gov).

- III-1. **Contact information.**--Please identify the responsible individual and the manner by which Commission staff may contact that individual regarding the confidential information submitted in Part III.

Name	
Title	
Email	
Telephone	

PRICE DATA

- III-2. This question requests quarterly quantity and value data for your firm's commercial shipments to unrelated U.S. customers since January 1, 2021 of the following products your firm imported from China and India:

Product 1.-- Residential garage door torsion spring with the following characteristics:

- a. Wire diameter 0.207" – 0.234"
- b. Inner diameter 1.750" – 2.625"
- c. Overall length 20" – 40"
- d. Left wound or right wound
- e. Description stenciled on spring
- f. Aluminum castings/cones installed

Product 2.-- Residential garage door torsion spring with the following characteristics:

- a. Wire diameter 0.243" – 0.262"
- b. Inner diameter 1.750" – 2.625"
- c. Overall length 20" – 40"
- d. Left wound or right wound
- e. Description stenciled on spring
- f. Aluminum castings/cones installed

Product 3.-- Commercial garage door torsion spring with the following characteristics:

- a. Wire diameter 0.273" – 0.362"
- b. Inner diameter 2.500" – 6.000"
- c. Overall length 35" – 65"
- d. Left wound or right wound
- e. Description stenciled on spring
- f. Aluminum castings/cones installed

Product 4.-- Long length spring with the following characteristics:

- a. Wire diameter 0.192" – 0.437"
- b. Inner diameter 1.750" – 6.000"
- c. Overall length 96" – 144"
- d. Left wound or right wound
- e. Description stenciled on spring
- f. Plain ends – no aluminum castings/cones installed

III-2a. During January 2021-June 2024, did your firm import from China and India and sell to unrelated U.S. customers any of the above listed products (or any products that were competitive with these products)?

<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes. --Please complete the following pricing data tables as appropriate.
<input type="checkbox"/>	No. --Skip to question III-3.

III-2b. **Price data.**--Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from China and sold by your firm.

Please note that values should be **f.o.b., U.S. point of shipment** and should not include U.S.-inland transportation costs. Values should reflect the *final net* amount paid to your firm (i.e., should be net of all deductions for discounts or rebates). Do not report overhead door springs sold as part of a kit. The weight and value of the cone should be included in the data reported for products 1, 2, and 3.

China

Report data in **pounds** (not 1,000 pounds) and **actual dollars** (not \$1,000s).

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)								
Period of shipment	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2021:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2022:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2023:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2024:								
January-March								
April-June								

¹ Net values (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, rebates, prepaid freight, and the value of returned goods), f.o.b. your firm's U.S. point of shipment. Please subtract any discounts, rebates, and returns from the quarter in which the sale occurred.

² Pricing product definitions are provided on the first page of Part III.

Note.--If your firm's product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description of your firm's product. Also, please explain any anomalies in your firm's reported pricing data.

Product 1:

Product 2:

Product 3:

Product 4:

III-2c. **Price data.**--Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from India and sold by your firm.

Please note that values should be **f.o.b., U.S. point of shipment** and should not include U.S.-inland transportation costs. Values should reflect the *final net* amount paid to your firm (i.e., should be net of all deductions for discounts or rebates). Do not report overhead door springs sold as part of a kit. The weight and value of the cone should be included in the data reported for products 1, 2, and 3.

India

Report data in **pounds** (not 1,000 pounds) and **actual dollars** (not \$1,000s).

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)								
Period of shipment	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2021:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2022:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2023:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2024:								
January-March								
April-June								

¹ Net values (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, rebates, prepaid freight, and the value of returned goods), f.o.b. your firm's U.S. point of shipment. Please subtract any discounts, rebates, and returns from the quarter in which the sale occurred.

² Pricing product definitions are provided on the first page of Part III.

Note.--If your firm's product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description of your firm's product. Also, please explain any anomalies in your firm's reported pricing data.

Product 1:

Product 2:

Product 3:

Product 4:

III-2d. **Price data checklist.**--Please check that the pricing data in question III-2b-c have been correctly reported.

Are the price data reported above:	✓ if Yes
In actual dollars (not \$1,000s) and actual pounds?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Valued f.o.b. U.S. point of shipment (i.e., exclude U.S. inland transportation costs)?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reported net of all discounts, rebates, and returns (deducted from the quarter in which the original sale occurred)?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reported for commercial U.S. shipments only (i.e., exclude internal consumption, transfers, and exports)?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Less than or equal to the quantities and values reported in Part II for commercial U.S. shipments in each period?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Excluded any overhead door springs sold as part of a kit or otherwise attached with out-of-scope merchandise (other than cones)?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Explanation(s) for any boxes not checked:	

III-2e. **Pricing data methodology.**--Please describe the method and the kinds of documents/records that were used to compile your price data.

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PURCHASE COST DATA

III-3. **Imports for internal use**--This question requests quarterly quantity and landed-duty paid value data for your firm's imports of the products defined on the first page of Part III for internal consumption from China and India since January 1, 2021. These are imports that your firm does not resell as overhead door springs.

III-3a. During January 2021-June 2024, did your firm import any of the products listed on the first page of Part III from China and India for internal consumption?

<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes. --Please complete the following tables as appropriate.
<input type="checkbox"/>	No. --Skip to question III-4.

III-3b. **Imports for internal use.**—Report below the import data¹ for pricing products² imported from China and used by your own firm. These are imports of overhead door springs that your firm uses as an input into a finished good or service (e.g., installed garage doors, garage door kits, etc.) or overhead door springs that you firm repackages for sale at your own retail locations, not imports of overhead door springs that your firm resells wholesale as standalone overhead door springs.

Please note that values should be landed, duty-paid (“LDP”) and should not include U.S.-inland transportation costs. Values should reflect the *final net* amount paid by your firm (i.e., should be net of all returns, discounts, allowances, and rebates). The weight and value of the cone should be included in the data reported for products 1, 2, and 3.

China

Report data in pounds (not 1,000 pounds) and actual dollars (not \$1,000s).

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)								
Period of importation	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
	Quantity	LDP Value ¹	Quantity	LDP Value ¹	Quantity	LDP Value ¹	Quantity	LDP Value ¹
2021:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2022:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2023:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2024:								
January-March								
April-June								

¹ LDP value (i.e., landed duty-paid 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). See “Import values” definition in Part II (Trade and Related Information – Definitions).

² Pricing product definitions are provided on the first page of Part III.

Note.—If your firm’s product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description of your firm’s product. Also, please explain any anomalies in your firm’s reported data.

Product 1:

Product 2:

Product 3:

Product 4:

III-3c. **Imports for internal use.**—Report below the import data¹ for pricing products² imported from India and used by your own firm. These are imports of overhead door springs that your firm uses as an input into a finished good or service (e.g., installed garage doors, garage door kits, etc.) or overhead door springs that you firm repackages for sale at your own retail locations, not imports of overhead door springs that your firm resells wholesale as standalone overhead door springs.

Please note that values should be landed, duty-paid (“LDP”) and should not include U.S.-inland transportation costs. Values should reflect the *final net* amount paid by your firm (i.e., should be net of all returns, discounts, allowances, and rebates). The weight and value of the cone should be included in the data reported for products 1, 2, and 3.

India

Report data in pounds (not 1,000 pounds) and actual dollars (not \$1,000s).

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)								
Period of importation	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
	Quantity	LDP Value ¹	Quantity	LDP Value ¹	Quantity	LDP Value ¹	Quantity	LDP Value ¹
2021:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2022:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2023:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
2024:								
January-March								
April-June								

¹ LDP value (i.e., landed duty-paid 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). See “Import values” definition in Part II (Trade and Related Information – Definitions).

² Pricing product definitions are provided on the first page of Part III.

Note.—If your firm’s product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description of your firm’s product. Also, please explain any anomalies in your firm’s reported data.

Product 1:

Product 2:

Product 3:

Product 4:

III-3d. **Purchase cost data checklist.**--Please check that the purchase cost data in question III-3a-b have been correctly reported.

Are the purchase cost data reported above:	✓ if Yes
In actual dollars (not \$1,000) and actual pounds (not 1,000 pounds)?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Valued at landed duty-paid import value (i.e., value at the U.S. border after clearing Customs)?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reported only for imports used for internal consumption or for your firm's retail sale?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Less than or equal to the quantities and values reported in part II for imports in each period?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Explanation(s) for any boxes not checked:	

Complete these questions only if your firm reported data on the previous page, otherwise skip to question III-4.

The following questions ask about the costs/benefits (not included in the LDP values reported above) that factor into your firm's decision to import overhead door springs rather than purchase from a U.S. producer or importer of overhead door springs.

III-3e. **Additional costs for your firm's imports of overhead door springs for your firm's internal use.—**

- i. Did your firm incur any additional costs by importing overhead door springs rather than purchasing from a U.S. producer or importer (e.g., logistical or supply chain management costs, warehousing/inventory carrying costs, insurance or other risk management fees, demurrage fees, indirect and overseas costs)?

☐ No

☐ Yes—Please answer parts ii, iii, and iv.

- ii. Please provide an estimate of the total additional cost incurred (as a percentage compared to LDP value) when importing overhead door springs rather than purchasing from a U.S. producer or importer. (Report only the portion that is related to your firm's importing activities, either directly or indirectly, and not already included in the LDP value. Do NOT include any costs that also would be incurred if your firm purchased the product from a U.S. producer or importer.) _____ percent compared to LDP value.

- iii. Please identify and explain the specific additional costs incurred by your firm and estimate each cost (in percent) compared to the cost of importing. (Only report costs and the portion of each cost that was related to your firm's importing activities for overhead door springs, either directly or indirectly, and that are not already included in the LDP value. Do NOT report costs that your firm would incur when purchasing overhead door springs from a U.S. producer or importer.)

Costs	Estimated percentage compared to LDP value (percent)	Explanation
	%	
	%	
	%	
	%	

- iv. Briefly describe how your firm's additional costs (beyond the purchase price) by importing overhead door springs yourself compare with the additional costs your firm incurs when purchasing from a U.S. producer or U.S. importer.

III-3f. **Decision basis.**—To which source(s) does your firm compare costs in determining whether or not to import overhead door springs? Check all that apply.

U.S. importers	U.S. producers	Neither U.S. importers nor U.S. producers
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

III-3g. **Benefits of importing overhead door springs.**

- i. Briefly identify the benefits of importing overhead door springs instead of purchasing overhead door springs from a U.S. importer or from a U.S. producer.

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- ii. Is it your firm's experience that the overhead door springs your firm imported from China and India are priced lower than they would be if your firm purchased from a U.S. importer or U.S. producer?

Imports are priced lower when	No	Yes (If yes to either, please answer parts iii and iv.)
Not including the additional costs above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Including the additional costs above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

III-3g. **Benefits of importing overhead door springs.**--*Continued*

- iii. Please estimate your firm's savings by importing overhead door springs instead of purchasing from a U.S. producer or U.S. importer since January 1, 2021 (as a percent of the purchase price from the U.S. importer or U.S. producer). For your estimate, compare the price of purchasing from a U.S. importer or U.S. producer to the cost of direct imports (including the additional costs described above in III-3e).

Factors	Estimated savings (percent of purchase price from U.S. importer/producer)
U.S. producer	%
U.S. importer	%

- iv. What methods or experience did you base the estimates in III-3giii (i.e. based on previous transactions with U.S. producers and/or U.S. importers, market research, etc.) *Check all that apply.*

Reported estimates in III-3diii based on	✓ if Yes
Previous company transactions	<input type="checkbox"/>
Market research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other – Please explain	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

- III-4. **Price setting.**--How does your firm determine the prices that it charges for sales of overhead door springs (*check all that apply*)?

Transaction by transaction	Contracts	Set price lists	Other	If other, describe
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-5. **Discount policy.**--Please indicate and describe your firm's discount policies (*check all that apply*).

Quantity discounts	Annual total volume discounts	No discount policy	Other	Describe
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-6. **Pricing terms.**--On what basis are your firm's prices of imported overhead door springs from China and India usually quoted (*check one*)?

Delivered	F.o.b.	If f.o.b., specify point
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-7. **Contract versus spot.**-- Approximately what shares of your firm's sales of its overhead door springs from China and India in 2023 were on the basis of (1) short-term contracts, (2) annual contracts, (3) long-term contracts, and (4) spot sales?

Item	Type of sale				Total (should sum to 100.0%)
	Short-term contracts (multiple deliveries for less than 12 months)	Annual contracts (multiple deliveries for 12 months)	Long-term contracts (multiple deliveries for more than 12 months)	Spot sales (for a single delivery)	
Share of 2023 sales	%	%	%	%	0.0 %

III-8. **Contract provisions.**--Please fill out the table regarding your firm's typical sales contracts for overhead door springs imported from China and India (or check "not applicable" if your firm does not sell on a short-term, annual and/or long-term contract basis).

Typical sales contract provisions	Item	Short-term contracts (multiple deliveries for less than 12 months)	Annual contracts (multiple deliveries for 12 months)	Long-term contracts (multiple deliveries for more than 12 months)
Average contract duration	No. of days		365	
Price renegotiation (during contract period)	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fixed quantity and/or price	Quantity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Price	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Indexed to raw material costs ¹	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not applicable		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
¹ Please identify the indexes used: _____.				

III-9. **Lead times.**-- What share of your firm's sales of its overhead door springs imported from China and India was from inventory and produced to order, and what was the typical lead time between a customer's order and the date of delivery for your firm's sales of its imported overhead door springs?

Source	Share of 2023 sales	Lead time (Average number of days)
From your firm's U.S. inventory	%	
From foreign manufacturers' inventory	%	
Produced to order	%	
Total (should sum to 100.0%)	0.0 %	

III-10. Shipping information.—

- (a) Who generally arranges the transportation to your firm's customers' locations?
- ☐ Your firm ☐ Purchaser (*check one*)
- (b) When your firm sells overhead door springs imported from China and India, from where is it shipped?
- ☐ Point of importation ☐ Storage facility (*check one*)
- (c) Indicate the approximate percentage of your firm's sales of overhead door springs imported from China and India that are delivered the following distances from your firm's U.S. point of shipment.

Distance from your firm's U.S. point of shipment	Share
Within 100 miles	%
101 to 1,000 miles	%
Over 1,000 miles	%
Total (should sum to 100.0%)	0.0 %

- III-11. Geographical shipments.—**In which U.S. geographic market area(s) has your firm sold overhead door springs imported from subject countries since January 1, 2021 (check all that apply)?

Geographic area	China	India
Northeast. —CT, ME, MA, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Midwest. —IL, IN, IA, KS, MI, MN, MO, NE, ND, OH, SD, and WI.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Southeast. —AL, DE, DC, FL, GA, KY, MD, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Central Southwest. —AR, LA, OK, and TX.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mountains. —AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, and WY.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pacific Coast. —CA, OR, and WA.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other. —All other markets in the United States not previously listed, including AK, HI, PR, and VI.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- III-12. Inland transportation costs.—**What is the approximate percentage of the cost of overhead door springs imported from China and India that is accounted for by U.S. inland transportation costs? _____ percent.

- III-13. **End uses.**--List the end uses of the overhead door springs that your firm imports. For each end-use product, what percentage of the total cost is accounted for by overhead door springs and other inputs?

End-use product	Share of total cost of end-use product accounted for by		Total (should sum to 100.0% across)
	Overhead door springs	Other inputs	
	%	%	0.0 %
	%	%	0.0 %
	%	%	0.0 %

- III-14. **Substitutes.**--Can other products be substituted for overhead door springs?

☐ No

☐ Yes--Please fill out the table.

Substitute	End use in which this substitute is used	Have changes in the price of this substitute affected the price for overhead door springs?		
		No	Yes	Explanation
1.		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2.		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
3.		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-15. **Demand trends.**-- Has demand within the United States and outside of the United States (if known) for overhead door springs steadily increased, fluctuated but ended higher, not changed, fluctuated but ended lower, or steadily decreased since January 1, 2021? Explain any trends and describe the principal factors that have affected these changes in demand.

Select one box per row.

Market	Steadily increase	Fluctuate up	No change	Fluctuate down	Steadily decrease	Explanation and factors
Within the United States	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Outside the United States	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-16. **Product changes.**--Have there been any significant changes in the product range, product mix or marketing of overhead door springs since January 1, 2021?

No	Yes	If yes, please describe.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-17. **Business cycles.**--Is the overhead door springs market subject to business cycles, either during the year or across years? If yes, describe.

No	Yes	If yes, please describe, including any changes since January 1, 2021.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-18. **Conditions of competition.**--Is the overhead door springs market subject to conditions of competition distinctive to overhead door springs other than the business cycles described in the previous question? If yes, describe.

No	Yes	If yes, please describe, including any changes since January 1, 2021.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- III-19. **Supply constraints.**--Has your firm refused, declined, or been unable to supply overhead door springs at any time since January 1, 2021 (examples include placing customers on allocation or "controlled order entry," declining to accept new customers or renew existing customers, delivering less than the quantity promised, being unable to meet timely shipment commitments, impact from changes in operations listed in II-2a, etc.)?

Period	No	Yes	If yes, please describe, including the reason, timing, and duration of the constraint.
2021	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2022	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2023	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2024 (to present)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

III-20. **Raw materials.**--

- (a) Have overhead door springs raw material prices steadily increased, fluctuated but ended higher, not changed, fluctuated but ended lower, or steadily decreased since January 1, 2021?

Select one box per row.

Factor	Steadily increase	Fluctuate up	No change	Fluctuate down	Steadily decrease	Explain, noting how raw material price changes have affected your firm's selling prices for overhead door springs.
Cost of raw materials	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- (b) How have the tariffs under section 232 on imported steel/aluminum products impacted raw material costs for overhead door springs?

- (c) How have the tariffs under section 232 on imported steel/aluminum products impacted your firm's sales price for overhead door springs?

III-21. **Interchangeability.**—How often are overhead door springs produced in the United States and in other countries interchangeable (i.e., can they physically be used in the same applications)?

Please indicate A, F, S, N, or O in the table below:

A = the products from a specified country-pair are *always* interchangeable

F = the products are *frequently* interchangeable

S = the products are *sometimes* interchangeable

N = the products are *never* interchangeable

O = *no familiarity* with products from a specified country-pair

Country-pair	China	India	Other countries
United States			
China			
India			
For any country-pair producing overhead door springs that is <i>sometimes</i> or <i>never</i> interchangeable, identify the country-pair and explain the factors that limit or preclude the interchangeable use of overhead door springs produced in the countries:			

III-22. **Factors other than price.**—How often are differences other than price (e.g., quality, availability, transportation network, product range, technical support, *etc.*) between overhead door springs produced in the United States and in other countries a significant factor in your firm's sales of the products?

Please indicate A, F, S, N, or O in the table below:

A = such differences are *always* significant

F = such differences are *frequently* significant

S = such differences are *sometimes* significant

N = such differences are *never* significant

O = *no familiarity* with products from a specified country-pair

Country-pair	China	India	Other countries
United States			
China			
India			
For any country-pair for which factors other than price are <i>always</i> or <i>frequently</i> a significant factor in your firm's sales of overhead door springs, identify the country-pair and the relevant factors other than price, and report the advantages or disadvantages imparted by such factors:			

III-25. **Customer identification.**--List the names and contact information for your firm's 10 largest U.S. customers for overhead door springs since January 1, 2021. Indicate the share of the quantity of your firm's U.S. shipments of overhead door springs that each of these customers accounted for in 2023.

	Customer's name	Contact person	Email	Telephone	City	State	Share of 2023 sales (%)
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							

III-26. **Other explanations.**--If your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part III 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.

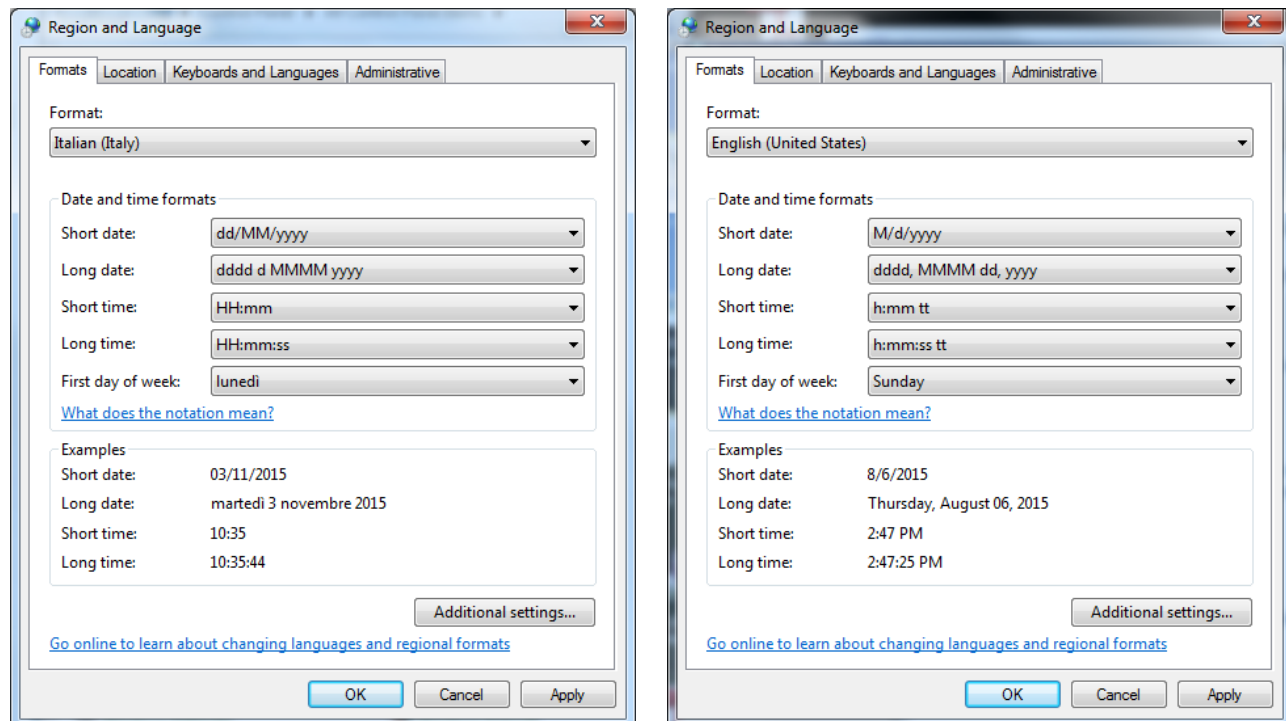
Correcting valid number error messages.--If you are completing this questionnaire in a country that uses periods (".") to delineate multiples of 1000 (i.e., one million would appear as \$1.000.000 instead of as \$1,000,000), you may be unable to enter in numbers greater than 999 in the numeric form fields. 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.



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https://usitc.gov/reports/active_import_injury_questionnaires.

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• **Upload via Commission’s secure submission portal.**— The questionnaire must be uploaded in two formats: (1) a Microsoft Word 97-2003 document; and (2) a PDF copy of the complete questionnaire with a signature on the first page. Please include any attachments at the end of the PDF (e.g., APO certification, additional comments, etc.).

Web address: <https://usitc.gov/qportal> **Pin:** **DOOR** **Phase:** **Preliminary**

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If your firm did not import this product, please fill out page 1, print, sign, and submit a scanned PDF copy via the Commission’s secure submission portal or email.

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