

Intergovernmental Affairs NS: Tariff Update

What products are included:

The expansion goes well beyond raw steel and aluminum. It now covers a wide range of goods that contain these metals, such as:

- Some food packaging (like cans for condensed milk and packaging for food preparations)
- Chemicals, including paints
- Some plastic products (such as windows)
- Certain machinery and equipment (like air compressors, agricultural machinery)
- Furniture and some sports equipment

For such products, 50% tariffs will apply to the steel and aluminum content. The non-steel and non-aluminum content of the product will remain subject to the reciprocal and other applicable tariffs. It is unclear whether the non-steel and non-aluminum content remains exempt under CUSMA. We are seeking further clarification on this issue as well.

For more details, please see [Federal Register :: Adoption and Procedures of the Section 232 Steel and Aluminum Tariff Inclusions Process](#)

What will the process at the U.S. border look like:

- In the case where the value of the steel/aluminum content is less than the entered value of the imported article, the good must be reported to the U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) on two lines.
- The first line will represent the non-steel or non-aluminum content, and include the HTS code, country of origin, entered value and all the tariffs applicable to the good and other information.
- The second line will represent the steel/aluminum content and include details like HTS code, country of melt and pour, value of steel/aluminum content, estimated value of duty based on the value of steel/aluminum content, quantity of steel/aluminum content in kg and any other applicable duties and other information.

For more details, please see [CSMS # 65236374 - UPDATED GUIDANCE: Import Duties on Imports of Steel and Steel Derivative Products](#)