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THORIUM

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Please return this form in the enclosed envelope or fax to the above toll-free number **BY JANUARY 31**. Complete a separate form for each mineral establishment that was active during the reporting period. A mineral establishment is defined as a single physical location where mineral operations are conducted; for example, a mine only, a mine and preparation plant, or a preparation plant only.

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1. Stocks, production, receipts, and disposition of thorium minerals.

Material (1)	Code	Weight unit Mark (X) one (2)					Average ThO ₂ content (3)	Beginning stocks (4)	Imports (5)	Domestic receipts (6)	Production (7)	Consumption (8)	SHIPMENTS TO CONSUMERS		Ending Stocks (11)
		Pounds	Kilograms	Tons		U.S. (9)							Exports (10)		
				Short	Metric										
Monazite.....	102														
Thorium Oxide.....	105														
Other (<i>specify</i>)	103														
Other (<i>specify</i>)	104														

2. Countries of origin for IMPORTS as reported in SECTION 1, COLUMN 5.

☐ Australia	☐ China	☐ India	☐ Madagascar	☐ South Africa	☐ Other (<i>specify</i>)
☐ Brazil	☐ Estonia	☐ Japan	☐ Malaysia	☐ Ukraine	_____
☐ Canada	☐ France	☐ Kazakstan	☐ Russia	☐ United Kingdom	_____

3. Countries of destination for EXPORTS as reported in SECTION 1, COLUMN 10.

☐ Australia	☐ China	☐ India	☐ Madagascar	☐ South Africa	☐ Other (<i>specify</i>)
☐ Brazil	☐ Estonia	☐ Japan	☐ Malaysia	☐ Ukraine	_____
☐ Canada	☐ France	☐ Kazakstan	☐ Russia	☐ United Kingdom	_____

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4. Thorium.

Material (1)	Code	Report basis	Weight unit Mark (X) one (2)				ThO ₂	Th	Beginning stocks (4)	Imports (5)	Domestic receipts (6)	Production (7)	Consumption (8)	SHIPMENTS TO CONSUMERS		Ending Stocks (11)
			Pounds	Kilograms	Tons									U.S. (9)	Exports (10)	
					Short	Metric										
Thorium compounds:		GROSS WEIGHT														
Oxide.....	401															
Nitrate.....	402															
Flouride.....	403															
Oxalate.....	404															
Carbides.....	407															
Hydrates.....	408															
Chlorides.....	409															
Sulfate.....	410															
Other (<i>specify</i>)																
	405															
Other (<i>specify</i>)																
	406															
Thorium metal & alloys:																
Thorium metal.....	411															
Thorium hardener.....	412															
HK31A.....	413															
Alloys.....	414															
Waste.....	417															
Thorium slabs.....	418															
Other.....	415															
Other.....	416															

5. Quantity of shipments to consumers by use.

	Code	ThO ₂ equiv. compounds		Th metal content gross weight			Code	ThO ₂ equiv. compounds		Th metal content gross weight	
		lbs. ☐	kgs. ☐	ST ☐	kgs. ☐			lbs. ☐	kgs. ☐	ST ☐	kgs. ☐
Petroleum catalysts.....	801					Lasers.....	815				
Catalysts, other.....	803					Electronic.....	821				
Alloys, aerospace.....	804					Ceramics.....	828				
Alloys, magnets.....	808					Chemical processing.....	829				
Alloys, other.....	809					Other (<i>specify</i>) _____	830				
Lighting.....	812					Other (<i>specify</i>) _____					
Polishing compounds.....	813						831				

Remarks:

Name of person to be contacted regarding this report				Tel. area code		No.		Ext.			
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