U.S. IMPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE

CERTAIN POLYETHYLENE TEREPHTHALATE RESIN FROM CANADA, CHINA, INDIA, AND OMAN

This questionnaire must be received by the Commission by January 5, 2016

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 countervailing/antidumping duty investigation(s) concerning Certain Polyethylene Terephthalate Resin (PET resin) from Canada, China, India, and Oman (Inv. Nos. 701-TA-531-533; 731-TA-1270-1273 (Final)). 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

City	State Zip Code
Website	
Has your firm imported	PET resin (as defined on next page) from any country at any time since January 1, 2012?
NO (Sign the	e certification below and promptly return only this page of the questionnaire to the Commission)
YES (Comple	te all parts of the questionnaire, and return the entire questionnaire to the Commission)
•	e via the U.S. International Trade Commission <i>Drop Box</i> by clicking on the ://dropbox.usitc.gov/oinv/. (PIN: PRES)
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PART I.—GENERAL INFORMATION

<u>Background</u>.--This proceeding was instituted in response to a petition filed on March 10, 2015, by DAK Americas LLC (Charlotte, NC), M&G Chemicals (Houston, TX), and Nan Ya Plastics Corporation, America (Lake City, SC). 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 makes an affirmative determination of subsidization/dumping. Questionnaires and other information pertinent to this proceeding are available at

http://www.usitc.gov/investigations/701731/2015/certain_polyethylene_terephthalate_resin_canada/f_inal.htm.

<u>Certain PET resin</u> covered by these investigations is polyethylene terephthalate (PET) resin having an intrinsic viscosity of at least 0.70, but not more than 0.88, deciliters per gram. The scope includes blends of virgin PET resin and recycled PET resin containing predominantly virgin PET resin content, provided such blends meet the intrinsic viscosity requirements above. The scope includes all PET resin meeting the above specifications regardless of additives introduced in the manufacturing process. The merchandise subject to these investigations is properly classified under statistical reporting number 3907.60.00.30 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS). Although the HTSUS subheading is provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the merchandise under investigation is dispositive.

<u>Importer</u>.--Any person or firm engaged, either directly or through a parent company or subsidiary, in importing PET resin (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.

<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 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.

<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 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.

I-1.	OMB statisticsPlease report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to you
	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-2.	Establishments covered. Provide the name and address of establishment(s) covered by this
	questionnaire. If your firm is publicly traded, please specify the stock exchange and trading
	symbol.

	" <u>Establishment</u> "Each facility of a firm involved in the <u>importation</u> of PET resin, including auxiliary facilities operated in conjunction with (whether or not physically separate from) such facilities.				
I-3.	OwnershipIs your firm owned, in whole or in part, by any other firm?				
	☐ No ☐ YesList the following information				

Firm name	Address	Extent of ownership (percent)

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-4.	Related importers/exportersDoes your firm have any related firms, either domestic or foreign, that are engaged in importing PET resin from Canada, China, India, and Oman into the United States or that are engaged in exporting PET resin from Canada, China, India, and Oman to the United States?							
	☐ No ☐ YesList the following information.							
	Firm name		Address		Affiliation			
-5.	Related producersDoes your firm have any related firms, either domestic or foreign, the engaged in the production of PET resin? No YesList the following information.							
	Firm name		Address		Affiliation			
-6.	Importing operationsPlease indicate the nature of your firm's PET resin importing operations. More than one answer may be applicable.							
	Importer of record		s title to the ted product(s)	Consignee of the imported products(s)	Customs broker or freight forwarder			
		Шрог			Treight forwarder			
-7.	<u>Consignee</u> If your firm is an importer of record of PET resin but is not the consignee, please I the consignees below (firm name, address, telephone number, and individual to contact).							
	Firm name		Address		Contact person and phone number			

I-8. **FTZ, TIB, or bonded warehouses**.--Please indicate whether your firm enters PET resin into, or withdraws such merchandise from, foreign trade zones or bonded warehouses. Also indicate whether your firm imports PET resin under the TIB (temporary importation under bond) program.

"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 designed 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.

"Temporary Importation under Bond ("TIB") program" is a procedure whereby imported merchandise may be entered under certain conditions for a limited time into the United States free of duty. Under the program, an importer posts a bond for twice the amount of duty, taxes, etc. that would otherwise be owed on the importation and agrees to export or destroy the merchandise within a specified time or pay liquidated damages. This program is restricted to certain categories of merchandise listed in subheadings 9813.00.05 through 9813.00.75 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States(HTS).

	No	Yes
Foreign trade zones		
Bonded warehouses		
Temporary importation under bond		

<u>Third-country trade activities</u> To your knowledge, have the products subject to the proceeding been the subject of any other import relief proceedings in the United Stany other countries?				
☐ No	Yes-Please specify.			

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

Prolonged shutdowns or importation curtailments

Revised labor agreements

Other (e.g., technology)

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Michael Haberstroh (202-

205-33	90, mic	chael.haberstroh@usitc.gov). Sup	ply all data requested on a <u>calendar-year</u> basis.
II-1.		nission staff may contact that indi	the responsible individual and the manner by which vidual regarding the confidential information submitted
	Name		
	Title		
	Email		
	Telepl	none	
	Fax		
II-2.			e whether your firm has experienced any of the following of PET resin since January 1, 2012.
	(che	ck as many as appropriate)	(please describe)
		Office/warehouse openings	
		Office/warehouse closings	
		Relocations	
		Expansions	
		Acquisitions	
		Consolidations	
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<u>Arranged imports</u> Has your firm imported or arranged for the importation of PET res delivery on or after September 31, 2015?						
"Arranged imports" a for subject merchand date listed above.	•	nose imports is not s				
	Qua	ntity (in 1,000 poun	ds)			
Period/Source	Oct-Dec 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Apr-June 2016	July-Sept 202		
renou/source						
Canada						
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Canada						
Canada China						
Canada China India						

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) or consignee (i.e., to which the merchandise was first delivered).

"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).

"U.S. commercial 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.

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

"Related firm" —A firm that your firm solely or jointly owns, manages, or otherwise controls. 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-5. <u>Imports from Canada</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from Canada during the specified periods

CANADA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds), value (in \$1,000)						
	Calendar years			January-September		
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015	
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)						
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)						
Value (C)						
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D) Value (E)						
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F)						
Value ² (G) Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H)						
Value (I) End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)						
¹ Please identify the foreign producers ² Sales to related firms (including inter uses a different basis for valuing these sa provide value data using that basis for ea dentify your firm's principal export r	nal consumption les within your och of the period	n) must be valued company, please s Is noted above: _	specify that basis			

	Calendar years January-September				
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
A + B - D - F - H - J = 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-6. <u>Channels of distribution Canada</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Canada during the specified periods.

CANADA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)									
		Calendar years	3	January-S	eptember				
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)									
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)									
Water bottlers (M)									
Hot-fill bottlers (N)									
Other bottlers (O)									
Carpeting manufacturers (P)									
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)									
Other end users (R) ¹									
¹ Please describe the other end users:	•			·					

	Calendar years January-September				
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
K + L + M + N + O + P + Q + R - D = zero					
("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

II-7. <u>Mode of U.S.-inland transportation Canada</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Canada by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

CANADA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)								
	Calendar years			January-September				
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹								
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)								
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)								
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²								

NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.S.-inland transportation from your firm's U.S. warehouses/storage facilities to your U.S. customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of PET resin in your own U.S. facilities, but rather arranges transportation directly from the border to your customers' locations, then this table is only conerned with the mode(s) of U.S.-inland transportation from the U.S. border to your U.S customers' locations.

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Please list the largest customers reported here that received shipments of PET resin from your firm via rail delivery directly into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers. _____.

² Describe the "other" modes. . .

II-8. <u>Imports from China</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from China during the specified periods.

CHINA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds), value (in \$1,000)								
		Calendar years	January-September					
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)								
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)								
Value (C)								
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)								
Value (E)								
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F)								
Value ² (G)								
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H)								
Value (I)								
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)								
¹ Please identify the foreign producers ² Sales to related firms (including inter uses a different basis for valuing these sa provide value data using that basis for ea ³ Identify your firm's principal export r	nal consumption les within your c ach of the period	n) must be valued company, please	specify that basis					

		Calendar years	January-September		
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
A + B - D - F - H - J = should equal zero ("0")					
or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0

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II-9. <u>Channels of distribution China</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from China during the specified periods.

CHINA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)									
		Calendar years	3	January-S	eptember				
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)									
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)									
Water bottlers (M)									
Hot-fill bottlers (N)									
Other bottlers (O)									
Carpeting manufacturers (P)									
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)									
Other end users (R) ¹									
¹ Please describe the other end users:	<u>.</u>								

	Calendar years January-September		eptember		
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
K + L + M + N + O + P + Q + R - D = zero					
("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

II-10. <u>Mode of U.S.-inland transportation China</u>.-- Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from China by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

CHINA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)								
	Calendar years			January-September				
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹								
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)								
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)								
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²								

NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.S.-inland transportation from your firm's U.S. warehouses/storage facilities to your U.S. customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of PET resin in your own U.S. facilities, but rather arranges transportation directly from the border to your customers' locations, then this table is only conerned with the mode(s) of U.S.-inland transportation from the U.S. border to your U.S customers' locations.

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Please list the largest customers reported here that received shipments of PET resin from your firm via rail delivery directly into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers. _____.

² Describe the "other" modes. . .

II-11. <u>Imports from India</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from India during the specified periods.

INDIA

Q	uantity (<i>in 1,00</i>	0 pounds), value	(in \$1,000)		
		Calendar years		January-S	eptember
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D) Value (E)					
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F) Value ² (G)					
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H) Value (I)					
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)					
¹ Please identify the foreign producers, ² Sales to related firms (including interruses a different basis for valuing these salprovide value data using that basis for eal didentify your firm's principal export m	nal consumption es within your c ch of the period	n) must be valued company, please	specify that basis		

	Calendar years January-Septemb			September	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
A + B - D - F - H - J = should equal zero ("0")					
or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0	0	0

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II-12. <u>Channels of distribution India</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from India during the specified periods.

INDIA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)									
		Calendar years	5	January-S	eptember				
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)									
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)									
Water bottlers (M)									
Hot-fill bottlers (N)									
Other bottlers (O)									
Carpeting manufacturers (P)									
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)									
Other end users (R) ¹									
¹ Please describe the other end users:	•	<u> </u>	•						

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
K + L + M + N + O + P + Q + R - D = zero					
("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

II-13. <u>Mode of U.S.-inland transportation India</u>.-- Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from India by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

INDIA

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)								
		Calendar years	January-September					
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹								
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)								
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)								
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²								

NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.S.-inland transportation from your firm's U.S. warehouses/storage facilities to your U.S. customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of PET resin in your own U.S. facilities, but rather arranges transportation directly from the border to your customers' locations, then this table is only conerned with the mode(s) of U.S.-inland transportation from the U.S. border to your U.S customers' locations.

	Calendar years January-September				
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Please list the largest customers reported here that received shipments of PET resin from your firm via rail delivery directly into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers. _____.

² Describe the "other" modes. . .

II-14. <u>Imports from Oman</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from Oman during the specified periods.

OMAN

Quantity (<i>in 1,000 pounds</i>), value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)									
		Calendar years		January-September					
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)									
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)									
Value (C)									
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)									
Value (E)									
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F)									
Value ² (G)									
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H)									
Value (I)									
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)									
¹ Please identify the foreign producers ² Sales to related firms (including inter uses a different basis for valuing these sa provide value data using that basis for ea ³ Identify your firm's principal export r	nal consumption les within your c ach of the period	n) must be valued company, please	specify that basis						

		Calendar years	January-	September	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
A + B - D - F - H - J = 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-15. <u>Channels of distribution Oman</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Oman during the specified periods.

OMAN

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)									
	Calendar years			January-September					
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)									
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)									
Water bottlers (M)									
Hot-fill bottlers (N)									
Other bottlers (O)									
Carpeting manufacturers (P)									
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)									
Other end users (R) ¹									
¹ Please describe the other end users:	<u>.</u>		•						

	Calendar years January-September		eptember		
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
K + L + M + M +N + O + P + Q + R - D =					
zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

II-16. <u>Mode of U.S.-inland transportation Oman</u>.-- Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Oman by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

OMAN

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)								
		Calendar years	January-September					
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹								
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)								
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)								
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²								

NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.S.-inland transportation from your firm's U.S. warehouses/storage facilities to your U.S. customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of PET resin in your own U.S. facilities, but rather arranges transportation directly from the border to your customers' locations, then this table is only conerned with the mode(s) of U.S.-inland transportation from the U.S. border to your U.S customers' locations.

	Calendar years January-September				
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Please list the largest customers reported here that received shipments of PET resin from your firm via rail delivery directly into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers. _____.

² Describe the "other" modes. . .

II-17. <u>Imports from Mexico</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from Mexico during the specified periods.

MEXICO (NONSUBJECT)

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds), value (in \$1,000)									
	Calendar years			January-September					
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)									
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)									
Value (C)									
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D) Value (E)									
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F)									
Value ² (G) Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H)									
Value (I) End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)									
¹ Please identify the foreign producers ² Sales to related firms (including inter uses a different basis for valuing these sa provide value data using that basis for ea ³ Identify your firm's principal export r	nal consumption les within your och of the period	n) must be valued company, please s Is noted above: _	specify that basis						

		Calendar years	January-	September	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
A + B - D - F - H - J = 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-18. <u>Channels of distribution Mexico</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Mexico during the specified periods.

MEXICO (NONSUBJECT)

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)									
		Calendar years	S	January-S	eptember				
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)									
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)									
Water bottlers (M)									
Hot-fill bottlers (N)									
Other bottlers (O)									
Carpeting manufacturers (P)									
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)									
Other end users (R) ¹									
¹ Please describe the other end users:	<u>.</u>								

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
K + L + M + M +N + O + P + Q + R - D =					
zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

II-19. Mode of U.S.-inland transportation Mexico.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Mexico by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

MEXICO (NONSUBJECT)

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)								
		Calendar years	3	January-September				
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹								
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)								
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)								
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²								

NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.S.-inland transportation from your firm's U.S. warehouses/storage facilities to your U.S. customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of PET resin in your own U.S. facilities, but rather arranges transportation directly from the border to your customers' locations, then this table is only conerned with the mode(s) of U.S.-inland transportation from the U.S. border to your U.S customers' locations.

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Please list the largest customers reported here that received shipments of PET resin from your firm via rail delivery directly into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers. _____.

² Describe the "other" modes.

II-20. <u>Imports from Korea</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from Korea during the specified periods.

KOREA (NONSUBJECT)

Quantity (<i>in 1,000 pounds</i>), value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)									
		Calendar years	January-September						
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)									
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)									
Value (C)									
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)									
Value (E)									
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F)									
Value ² (G)									
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H)									
Value (I)									
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)									
¹ Please identify the foreign producers ² Sales to related firms (including inter uses a different basis for valuing these sa provide value data using that basis for ea ³ Identify your firm's principal export r	nal consumption les within your c ach of the period	n) must be valued company, please	specify that basis						

		Calendar years	January-	September	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
A + B - D - F - H - J = 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-21. <u>Channels of distribution Korea</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Korea during the specified periods.

KOREA (NONSUBJECT)

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)								
		Calendar years	3	January-S	eptember			
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)								
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)								
Water bottlers (M)								
Hot-fill bottlers (N)								
Other bottlers (O)								
Carpeting manufacturers (P)								
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)								
Other end users (R) ¹								
¹ Please describe the other end users:	<u> </u>			1				

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
K + L + M + M +N + O + P + Q + R - D =					
zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

II-22. <u>Mode of U.S.-inland transportation Korea</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Korea by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

KOREA (NONSUBJECT)

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds)									
		Calendar years	3	January-S	eptember				
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015				
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹									
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)									
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)									
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²									

NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.S.-inland transportation from your firm's U.S. warehouses/storage facilities to your U.S. customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of PET resin in your own U.S. facilities, but rather arranges transportation directly from the border to your customers' locations, then this table is only conerned with the mode(s) of U.S.-inland transportation from the U.S. border to your U.S customers' locations.

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Please list the largest customers reported here that received shipments of PET resin from your firm via rail delivery directly into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers. _____.

² Describe the "other" modes.

II-23. <u>Imports from Taiwan</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from Taiwan during the specified periods.

TAIWAN (NONSUBJECT)

Quantity (in 1,000 pounds), value (in \$1,000)								
		Calendar years	January-September					
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015			
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)								
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)								
Value (C)								
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)								
Value (E)								
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F)								
Value ² (G)								
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H)								
Value (I)								
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)								
¹ Please identify the foreign producers ² Sales to related firms (including inter uses a different basis for valuing these sa provide value data using that basis for ea ³ Identify your firm's principal export r	nal consumption les within your onch of the period	n) must be valued company, please	specify that basis					

	Calendar years			January-September	
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
A + B - D - F - H - J = 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-24. <u>Channels of distribution Taiwan</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Taiwan during the specified periods.

TAIWAN (NONSUBJECT)

	Quantity (in 1	1,000 pounds)			
		Calendar years	5	January-S	eptember
ltem	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)					
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)					
Water bottlers (M)					
Hot-fill bottlers (N)					
Other bottlers (O)					
Carpeting manufacturers (P)					
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)					
Other end users (R) ¹					
¹ Please describe the other end users:	<u>.</u>	•	<u> </u>		

	Calendar years			s January-September		
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015	
K + L + M + M +N + O + P + Q + R - D =						
zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0	

II-25. <u>Mode of U.S.-inland transportation Taiwan</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Taiwan by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

TAIWAN (NONSUBJECT)

Qu	antity (in 1,0	00 pounds)				
	Calendar years Januar			January-S	y-September	
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015	
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹						
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)						
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)						
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²						

NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.S.-inland transportation from your firm's U.S. warehouses/storage facilities to your U.S. customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of PET resin in your own U.S. facilities, but rather arranges transportation directly from the border to your customers' locations, then this table is only conerned with the mode(s) of U.S.-inland transportation from the U.S. border to your U.S customers' locations.

	Calendar years			January-September		
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015	
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0	

¹ Please list the largest customers reported here that received shipments of PET resin from your firm via rail delivery directly into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers. _____.

² Describe the "other" modes. . .

³ Identify your firm's principal export markets: _

II-26. <u>Imports from AOS</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of PET resin imported from all other sources (AOS) during the specified periods.

ALL OTHER SOURCES

Qu	uantity (<i>in 1,00</i>	0 pounds), value	(in \$1,000)		
		Calendar years		January-Se	eptember
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)					
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)					
Value (C)					
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)					
Value (E)					
Internal consumption/ company transfers: Quantity (F) Value ² (G)					
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (H)					
Value (I)					
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (J)					
¹ Please identify the foreign producers, ² Sales to related firms (including intern uses a different basis for valuing these sale provide value data using that basis for eac	al consumptiones within your o	n) must be valued company, please :			

Reconciliation 2012 2013 2014 2014	2015
A + B – D – F – H – J = should equal zero ("0")	
or provide an explanation. 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-27. <u>Channels of distribution AOS</u>.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from all other sources (AOS) during the specified periods.

ALL OTHER SOURCES

	Quantity (in 1	1,000 pounds)			
		Calendar years	5	January-S	eptember
Item	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (K)					
To end users.— Bottle producers Soda bottlers (L)					
Water bottlers (M)					
Hot-fill bottlers (N)					
Other bottlers (O)					
Carpeting manufacturers (P)					
Sheet, packaging, and strapping manufacturers (Q)					
Other end users (R) ¹					
¹ Please describe the other end users:		•	•	•	

	Calendar years			Calendar years January-September			eptember
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015		
K + L + M + M + N + O + P + Q + R - D =							
zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0		

² Describe the "other" modes.

II-28. Mode of U.S.-inland transportation AOS.--Report your firm's commercial U.S. shipments of imports from all other sources by mode of transportation for the U.S.-inland transportion of you firm's commercial shipments to your firm's U.S. customers.

ALL OTHER SOURCES

Quantity lin 1 000 nounds)

		Calendar years	January-S	eptember		
Item	2012 20		2014	2014	2015	
Mode of U.Sinland transportation: Commercial U.S. shipments: Shipped entirely via rail (quantity) (S) ¹						
Shipped entirely via truck (quantity) (T)						
Shipped by a combination of both truck and rail (e.g., bimodal) (quantity) (U)						
Shipped via other modes (quantity) (V) ²						
NOTE.—This table is only concerned with U.Sinland to customers. If your firm does not first store the imports of the border to your customers' locations, then this table is concern your U.S customers' locations.	PET resin in your	own U.S. facilities	, but rather arra	nges transportation	on directly from	

<u>RECONCILIATION OF MODES</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities reported for mode of U.S.-inland transportation (i.e., lines S through V) in each time period equal the quantity reported for commercial U.S. commercial shipments (i.e., line D) 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.

into their facilities, indicate the end use(s) of the shipped PET resin, and the geographic location of those customers.

	Calendar years			January-September		
Reconciliation	2012	2013	2014	2014	2015	
S + T + U + V - D = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0	0	0	

II-29.	Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part II 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.

PART III.--PRICING AND MARKET FACTORS

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from John Benedetto (202-205-3270, john.benedetto@usitc.gov).

III-1. <u>Contact information.</u>-- 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	
Fax	

PRICE DATA

- III-2. This question requests quarterly quantity and value of sales data for your firm's commercial shipments to unrelated U.S. customers since January 1, 2012 (for importers that are not end users) **OR** quantity and value of purchase costs (for importer that are end users) of the following products your firm imported from Canada, China India, Oman, Mexico, Korea, and/or Taiwan:
 - <u>Product 1</u>.—PET resin, being either a clear homo- or co-polymer, and having an intrinsic viscosity of 0.72 IV to 0.84 IV, in the solid stated form. This PET resin product is typically used in water bottle applications.
 - <u>Product 2</u>.—PET resin, being either a clear homo- or co-polymer, and having an intrinsic viscosity of 0.72 IV to 0.84 IV, in the solid stated form. This PET resin product is typically used in sheet and strapping.
 - <u>Product 3.-- PET resin, being either a clear homo- or co-polymer, and having an intrinsic viscosity of 0.78 IV to 0.86 IV, in the solid stated form. This PET resin product is typically used in carbonated soft drink applications.</u>
 - <u>Product 4</u>.—PET resin, being mainly a co-polymer, and having an intrinsic viscosity of 0.75 IV to 0.86 IV, in the solid stated form. This PET resin product is typically used in heat set or hot fill applications; food, household, and other products.

Please note that values should be <u>f.o.b.</u>, <u>U.S. point of shipment</u> (commercial sales) and landed duty paid (for internal consumption—see Part II Definitions (page 8) for definition of "import values") and should not include U.S.-inland transportation costs. Values should reflect the *final net* amount paid to or by your firm (i.e., should be net of all deductions for discounts or rebates).

III-2.	China,	nercial salesDuring January 2012-September 2015, did your firm import from Canada, India, Oman, Korea, Mexico, and/or Taiwan and sell to unrelated U.S. customers any of love listed products (or any products that were competitive with these products)?
		YesPlease complete questions III-2a through III-2g as appropriate.
		NoSkip questions III-2a through III-2g.

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

CANADA – COMMERCIAL SALES

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

			(Quantity in po	unds, value in	dollars)			
	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Net values (i.e., g	gross sales value	es less all disco	unts, allowances,	rebates, prepa	aid freight, and tl	ne value of retu	rned goods), f.o	.b. your firm's
U.S. point of shipment.								
f Pricing product of	² Pricing product definitions are provided on the first page of Part III.							

	Them's product definitions are provided on the mot page of tare in
	If your firm's product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a description
of you	r firm's product. Also, please explain any anomalies in your firm's reported pricing data.

Product 1:

Product 2:

Product 3: Product 4: III-2b. **Price data China**.--Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from China and sold by your firm.

CHINA- COMMERCIAL SALES

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

	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								

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

NoteIf your firm	's product does not exac	tly meet the product spe	cifications but is	competitive with	n the specified _l	product, provi	de a description
of your firm's prod	luct. Also, please explair	n any anomalies in your fi	irm's reported pr	ricing data.			

Product 1:
Product 2:

Product 3: Product 4: III-2c. Price data India.--Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from India and sold by your firm.

INDIA- COMMERCIAL SALES

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

	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								

	† 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.
	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 Oman.—Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from Oman and sold by your firm.

OMAN-COMMERCIAL SALES

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

Period of shipment	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								

Net values (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, repaires, prepair freight, and the value of returned goods), i.o.b. ye	Jul IIIIII 3
U.S. point of shipment.	
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-2e. Price data Korea.—Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from Korea and sold by your firm.

KOREA- COMMERCIAL SALES

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

	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								

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

NoteIf 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:

Product 2: Product 3: Product 4:

III-2f. Price data Mexico.—Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from Mexico and sold by your firm.

MEXICO-COMMERCIAL SALES

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)

	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Net values (<i>i.e.</i> , § U.S. point of shipment. ² Pricing product of					aid freight, and th	ne value of retu	rned goods), f.o.	b. your firm's
Note -If your firm's prof your firm's product.						the specified p	roduct, provide a	a description
Product 1:								

Product 4:

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

TAIWAN-COMMERCIAL SALES

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)									
	Product 1		Produ	uct 2	Prod	uct 3	Product 4		
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	
2012:								ļ	
January-March									
April-June									
July-September									
October-								ļ	
December									
2013:								ļ	
January-March									
April-June								ļ	
July-September									
October-									
December									
2014:								ļ	
January-March									
April-June									
July-September									
October-									
December									
2015:								ļ	
January-March									
April-June									
July-September									
1 Net values (<i>i.e.</i> , 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. 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									

NoteIf 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.

or your min o product vision, product or your min or operated prioring data.	
Product 1:	
Product 2:	
Product 3:	

Oman,	t cost dataDuring January 2012-September 2015, did your firm import from Canada, China, India, Korea, Mexico, and/or Taiwan and internally consume any of the products listed on page 33 (or roducts that were competitive with these products)?
	YesPlease complete questions III-2h through III-2n as appropriate.
	NoSkip questions III-2h through III-2n.

III-2h. <u>Import cost data Canada.</u>--Report below the quarterly landed duty-paid cost data¹ for pricing products² imported from Canada for internal consumption by your firm in the United States.

CANADA – NOT SOLD COMMERCIALLY

			(Quantity in p	ounds, value in	dollars)			
	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								

¹ Please note that values should be net <u>landed, duty-paid ("LDP")</u> 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).

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

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Product 1:				Product 2:				
Product 3:				Product 4:				

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

III-2i. <u>Import cost data China.</u>--Report below the quarterly landed duty-paid cost data¹ for pricing products² imported from China for internal consumption by your firm in the United States.

CHINA- NOT SOLD COMMERCIALLY

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

			(Quantity in po	ounds, value in o	dollars)			
	Product 1		Prod	luct 2	Prod	luct 3	Prod	uct 4
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Please note that we brokerage charges, and ² Pricing product of	limport duties	(i.e., all charges	except inland fi	reight in the Uni	of entry, included ted States).	ling ocean freigh	nt and insurance	costs,

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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.	on
Product 1:	

Product 3: Product 4:

Product 2:

III-2j. <u>Import cost data India.</u>--Report below the quarterly landed duty-paid cost data¹ for pricing products² imported from India for internal consumption by your firm in the United States.

INDIA- NOT SOLD COMMERCIALLY

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

			(Quantity in po	ounds, value in o	dollars)			
	Prod	luct 1	Prod	luct 2	Prod	luct 3	Prod	uct 4
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Please note that v brokerage charges, and ² Pricing product of	d import duties	(i.e., all charges	except inland fi	reight in the Uni	of entry, included ted States).	ding ocean freigh	nt and insurance	e costs,

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Note -If your firm's product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a descripti of your firm's product. Also, please explain any anomalies in your firm's reported pricing data.	on
Product 1:	

Product 3: Product 4:

Product 2:

III-2k. <u>Import cost data Oman.</u>--Report below the quarterly landed duty-paid cost data¹ for pricing products² imported from Oman for internal consumption by your firm in the United States.

OMAN- NOT SOLD COMMERCIALLY

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

			(Quantity in po	ounds, value in o	dollars)			
	Prod	uct 1	Prod	uct 2	Prod	luct 3	Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Please note that v	alues should b	e net <u>landed, du</u>	ity-paid ("LDP")	at the U.S. port	of entry, includ	ling ocean freigh	nt and insurance	costs,
brokerage charges, and ² Pricing product d	l import duties	(i.e., all charges	except inland fr	eight in the Uni	ted States).			

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-2I. <u>Import cost data Korea.</u>--Report below the quarterly landed duty-paid cost data¹ for pricing products² imported from Korea for internal consumption by your firm in the United States.

KOREA- NOT SOLD COMMERCIALLY

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

	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Please note that vorokerage charges, and	alues should b	e net landed, du	ty-paid ("LDP"	at the U.S. port	of entry, includ	ling ocean freigh	nt and insurance	costs,

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-2m. <u>Import cost data Mexico.</u>--Report below the quarterly landed duty-paid cost data¹ for pricing products² imported from Mexico for internal consumption by your firm in the United States.

MEXICO- NOT SOLD COMMERCIALLY

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

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)								
Product 1 Product 2 Product 3			luct 3	Product 4				
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Please note that we brokerage charges, and ² Pricing product of	d import duties definitions are p	(i.e., all charges provided on the	except inland for first page of Par	reight in the Uni t III.	ted States).			

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-2n. Import cost data Taiwan.--Report below the quarterly landed duty-paid cost data for pricing products² imported from Taiwan for internal consumption by your firm in the United States.

TAIWAN- NOT SOLD COMMERCIALLY

(Quantity in pounds, value in dollars)								
	Prod	Product 1 Product 2 Product 3			luct 3	uct 3 Product 4		
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value	Quantity	LDP value
2012:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2013:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
¹ Please note that	values should b	e net landed, d u	ity-paid ("LDP"	at the U.S. port	t of entry, includ	ding ocean freigh	nt and insurance	e costs,
brokerage charges, and	d import duties	(i.e., all charges	except inland for	reight in the Uni	ted States).			
² Pricing product of	definitions are p	provided on the	first page of Par	ቲ III.				

NoteIf 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.

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Product 1:									
Product 2:									
Product 3:									
Product 4:									

III-20. Additional costs for your direct imports of PET resin for your firm's own use or company transfer.

(i) If your firm reported direct import costs above (question III-2h to II-2h), please identify the factors that add to your cost of importing directly since January 1, 2012, **NOT** including costs already reflected in the landed, duty-paid value (LDPV) cost. Also estimate the share of the LDPV cost this factor represents and explain the specific costs associated with each category.

Factors	Estimated share of LDPV (percent)	Explanation
Logistical or supply chain costs		
Warehousing costs		
Compliance costs		
Currency conversion costs		
Other		

(ii)	To which source does your firm compare costs in determining your additional
	ransaction costs to directly import?

U.S. Importers	U.S. Producers	Both	Neither

	(iii)	If your firm reported data above (questions III-2h through III-2n), briefly identify the benefits of directly importing PET resin instead of purchasing PET resin from a U.S. importer or from a U.S. producer.
III-2p.		data methodology.—Please describe the method and the kinds of documents/records ere used to compile your price and/or cost data from III-2a-III-2n above.

Note: As requested in Part I of this questionnaire, please keep all supporting documents/records used in the preparation of the price data, as Commission staff may contact your firm regarding questions on the price data. 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.

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III-3a.		that it charges for sales of PET resin se submit sample pages of a recent list.							
	Transact by transact		ontracts	Set price lists	Other		If other, describe		
III-3b.	Il-3b. Do your firm's contracts set prices based on a comparison to raw material costs or raw material price indexes?								
	No	•	Ye	s	If yes,	please bri	efly describe each pricing mechanism		
]					
III-4.	Discount papply).	oolicy I	Please ind	icate and	l describe	your firm	's discount policies (<i>check all that</i>		
	Quantity discount	to y vol	nual otal lume ounts	No discount policy	Other		Describe		
III-5.	 5. Pricing terms (a) What are your firm's typical sales terms for PET resin imported from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman? 								
		Net 30 days	Net 60 days	2/10	net 30 lays	Other	Other (specify)		

On what basis are your firm's prices of imported PET resin from Canada, China, India,

If f.o.b., specify point

and/or Oman usually quoted (check one)?

F.o.b.

Delivered

(b)

III-6. <u>Contract versus spot.</u>--Approximately what share of your firm's sales of PET resin imported from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman in 2014 was on a (1) long-term contract basis, (2) annual contract basis, (3) short-term contract basis, and (4) spot sales basis?

	Long-term contracts (multiple deliveries for more than 12 months)	Annual contracts (multiple deliveries for 12 months)	Short-term contracts (multiple deliveries for less than 12 months)	Spot sales (for a single delivery)	Total (shoul sum to 100.0%	d o
Share of 2014 sales	%	%	%	%	0.0	%

III-7. <u>Contract provisions.</u>— Please fill out the table regarding your firm's typical sales contracts for PET resin from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman (or check "not applicable" if your firm does not sell on a long-term, short-term and/or annual 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	# of days		365	
Price renegotiation	Yes			
(during contract period)	No			
	Quantity			
Fixed quantity and/or price	Price			
, . р	Both			
Meet or release	Yes			
provision	No			
Not applicab	le			

III-8. <u>Lead times.--</u>What is your firm's share of sales of PET resin imported from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman from inventory and produced-to-order and what is the typical lead time between a customer's order and the date of delivery for your firm's sales of PET resin?

Source	Share of 2014 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-9. Shipping information. -	_
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where is it shipped?

(c)

(a)	What is the approximate percentage of the total delivered cost of PET resin imported from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman that is accounted for by U.S. inland transportation costs? percent.
(b)	Who generally arranges the transportation to your firm's customers' locations?
	Your firm Purchaser (check one)

(d) Indicate the approximate percentage of your firm's sales of PET resin imported from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman that are delivered the following distances from your firm's U.S. point of shipment.

When your firm sells PET resin imported from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman, from

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 %

Point of importation Storage facility (check one)

III-10a.	Geographical shipmentsIn which U.S. geographic market area(s) has your firm sold PET resir
	imported from subject countries since January 1, 2012 (check all that apply)?

	Ge	eographic area	Canada	China	India	Oman		
Northeast VT.	-CT, ME	, MA, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and						
MidwestI SD, and WI.		, KS, MI, MN, MO, NE, ND, OH,						
Southeast SC, TN, VA,		DC, FL, GA, KY, MD, MS, NC, /.						
Central Sou	thwest	.–AR, LA, OK, and TX.						
Mountains.	–AZ, CC	D, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, and WY.						
Pacific Coas	stCA,	OR, and WA.						
		arkets in the United States not occluding AK, HI, PR, and VI.						
b. Geographical shipments. —If your firm's PET resin is only available in a few geographic market areas, please describe what limits its availability in other regions.								
c. <u>Geographical shipments.</u> —Does your firm's PET resin compete with PET resin from U.S. producers and other subject countries in all U.S. geographic regions?								
Please describe any limitations or lack thereof, and attach any available No Yes documentation to the questionnaire.								

III-11a. <u>End uses.</u>--List the end uses of the PET resin that your firm imports from Canada, China, India, and/or Oman. For each end-use product, what percentage of the <u>total cost</u> is accounted for by PET resin and other inputs?

	Share of total cost	Total	
End use product	PET resin	(should sum to 100.0% across)	
Bottled water/soda Excluding liquid contents (e.g., just the bottle)	%	%	0.0 %
Inclusive of liquid contents (e.g., final bottled product)	%	%	0.0 %
Carpet	%	%	0.0 %
Roll of PET sheet	%	%	0.0 %
PET strapping	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %
Other:	%	%	0.0 %

III-11b. <u>End uses.</u>—Does the PET resin that your firm imports compete with PET resin from U.S. producers, Canada, China, India, and/or Oman across all end uses?

PET resin source	Competes with your firm's imports of PET resin in all end uses	Does not compete with your firm's imports of PET resin in all end uses	List end uses in which other suppliers' product does not compete with your firm's imports of PET resin
United States			
Canada			
China			
India			
Oman			
Other			

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III-:	II-12. <u>Substitutes</u> Can other products be substituted for PET resin? No YesPlease fill out the table.									
Have changes in the price of this substitute affected the price for PET resin?										
		Substitute		nd use in v substitute	which this e is used	No	Yes		Explanation	
1.										
2.										
3.										
III-:	III-13. <u>Demand trends.</u> Indicate how demand within the United States and outside of the United States (if known) for PET resin has changed since January 1, 2012. Explain any trends and describe the principal factors that have affected these changes in demand.									
		Market	Overall increase	No change	Overall decrease		ate wi ar trei	-	Explanation and factors	

Within the United States Outside

the United States

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III-14.	<u>Product changes</u> Have there been any significant changes in the product range, product mix or marketing of PET resin since January 1, 2012?							
	No	Yes	If yes, please des	cribe.				
III-15.	 III-15. Conditions of competition.— (a) Is the PET resin market subject to business cycles (other than general economy-wide conditions) and/or other conditions of competition distinctive to PET resin? 							
	Check all	that apply	<i>/</i> .	Please describe.				
		No		Skip to question III-16.				
			ness cycles (e.g. business)					
			r distinctive s of competition					
			e been any change anuary 1, 2012?	es in the business cycles or conditions of competition for				
	No	Yes	If yes, describe	е.				
III-16.	-16. Supply constraintsHas your firm refused, declined, or been unable to supply PET resin since January 1, 2012 (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, been unable to meet timely shipment commitments, etc.)?							
	No	Yes	If yes, please des	cribe.				

III-17. Raw materials.-- How have PET resin raw materials prices changed since January 1, 2012?

Overall increase	No change	Overall decrease	Fluctuate with no clear trend	Explain, noting how raw material price increases have affected your firm's selling prices for PET resin.	Explain, noting how raw material price decreases have affected your firm's selling prices for PET resin.

III-18. <u>Interchangeability</u>.--Is PET resin 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 0 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

0 = no familiarity with products from a specified country-pair

Country- pair	Canada	China	India	Oman	Other countries		
United States							
Canada							
China							
India							
Oman							
For any country-pair producing PET resin which is <i>sometimes</i> or <i>never</i> interchangeable, please identify the country-pair and explain the factors that limit or preclude interchangeable use:							

III-19. <u>Factors other than price</u>.--Are differences other than price (*e.g.*, quality, availability, transportation network, product range, technical support, *etc.*) between PET resin 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 0 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

0 = no familiarity with products from a specified country-pair

Country- pair	Canada	China	India	Oman	Other countries
United States					
Canada					
China					
India					
Oman					

For any country-pair for which factors other than price *always* or *frequently* are a significant factor in your firm's sales of PET resin, identify the country-pair and report the advantages or disadvantages imparted by such factors:

III-20. <u>Customer identification</u>.--List the names and contact information for your firm's 10 largest U.S. customers for PET resin since January 1, 2012. Indicate the share of the quantity of your firm's total shipments of PET resin that each of these customers accounted for in 2014.

	Customer's name	City	State	Share of 2014 sales (%)
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				

III-21.	Please estimate the average selling price in 2015 for PET resin sold by different modes o
	packaging/transport:

Rail car direct	
Rail car plus bulk truck	
Bulk truck direct	
Super sacs	

III-22.	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.

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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 (202-205-1803). A certificate of service must accompany the completed questionnaire you submit (see 19 CFR § 207.7). Service of the questionnaire must be made in paper form.