U.S. IMPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE

TOOL CHESTS AND CABINETS FROM CHINA AND VIETNAM

This questionnaire must be received by the Commission by <u>April 25, 2017</u>

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 and antidumping investigations concerning tool chests and cabinets from China and Vietnam (Inv. Nos. 701-TA-575 and 731-TA-1360-1361 (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

	State Zip Co	de
Website		
Has your firm importe January 1, 2014?	d tool chests and cabinets (as defined on next page) fro	m any country at any time since
NO (Sign th	e certification below and promptly return only this page of th	e questionnaire to the Commission)
YES (Compl	ete all parts of the questionnaire, and return the entire questi	onnaire to the Commission)
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PART I.—GENERAL INFORMATION

<u>Background</u>.-- This proceeding was instituted in response to a petition filed on April 11, 2017, by Waterloo Industries Inc., Sedalia, Missouri. 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. Questionnaires and other information pertinent to this proceeding are available at https://www.usitc.gov/investigations/701731/2017/tool_chests_and_cabinets_china_and_vietnam/preliminary.htm

<u>Tool chests and cabinets</u> covered by these investigations are all metal tool chests and cabinets, including top chests, intermediate chests, tool cabinets and side cabinets, storage units, mobile work benches, and work stations and that have the following physical characteristics:

- (1) a body made of carbon, alloy, or stainless steel and/or other metals;
- (2) two or more drawers for storage in each individual unit;
- (3) a width (side to side) exceeding 21 inches but not exceeding 60 inches;
- (4) a drawer depth (front to back) exceeding 10 inches but not exceeding 24 inches; and
- (5) prepackaged for retail sale.

Prepackaged for retail sale means the units are packaged in a cardboard box or other container suitable for retail display and sale. Subject tool chests and cabinets are covered whether imported in assembled or unassembled form. Subject merchandise includes tool chests and cabinets produced in China or Vietnam but assembled, prepackaged for sale, or subject to other minor processing in a third country prior to importation into the United States. Similarly, it would include tool chests and cabinets produced in China or Vietnam that are later found to be assembled, prepackaged for sale, or subject to other minor processing after importation into the United States.

Subject tool chests and cabinets may also have doors and shelves in addition to drawers, may have handles (typically mounted on the sides), and may have a work surface on the top. Subject tool chests and cabinets may be uncoated (e.g., stainless steel), painted, powder coated, galvanized, or otherwise coated for corrosion protection or aesthetic appearance.

Subject tool chests and cabinets may be shipped, packaged or sold as individual units or in sets. When sold in sets, they typically include a cabinet with one or more chests that stack on top of the cabinet. Tool cabinets act as a base tool storage unit and typically have rollers, casters, or wheels to permit them to be moved more easily when loaded with tools. Work stations are tool cabinets with a work surface on the top that may be made of rubber, plastic, metal, or wood.

Top chests are designed to be used with a tool cabinet to form a tool storage unit. The top chests may be mounted on top of the base tool cabinet or onto an intermediate chest. They are often sold as a set with tool cabinets or intermediate chests, but may also be sold separately. They may be sold with mounting hardware (e.g., bolts) and instructions for assembling them onto the base tool cabinet or onto an intermediate tool chest which rests on the base tool cabinet. Smaller top chests typically have handles on the sides, for purposes of lifting the chest out of the package onto the cabinet, while the larger top chests typically lack handles. Intermediate tool chests are designed to fit on top of the floor standing tool cabinet and to be used underneath the top tool chest. Although they may be imported, sold or used separately from the tool cabinet, intermediate chests are designed to be used in conjunction with tool cabinets. The intermediate chests typically do not contain handles. The intermediate and top chests have the capability of being bolted together.

Side cabinets are designed to be bolted or otherwise attached to the side of the base storage cabinet to expand the storage capacity of the base tool cabinet.

Subject tool chests and cabinets also may be shipped, packaged or sold with a tool set included, and when this occurs the tools are part of the subject merchandise.

Excluded from the scope of these investigations are tool boxes, chests and cabinets with bodies made of plastic, carbon fiber, wood, or other non-metallic substances. Also excluded from the scope of these investigations are portable tool boxes. Portable-tool boxes have each of the following characteristics:

- (1) fewer than three drawers;
- (2) a handle on the top that allows the tool box to be carried by hand; and
- (3) a width that is 21 inches or less; and depth (front to back) not exceeding 10 inches.

Also excluded from the scope of these investigations are industrial grade steel tool chests and cabinets. The excluded industrial grade steel tool chests and cabinets are those:

- (1) having a body that is over 60 inches wide; or
- (2) having each of the following physical characteristics:
 - (a) a body made of steel that is 0.055" or more in thickness;
 - (b) all drawers over 21" deep;
 - (c) all drawer slides rated for 200 lbs. or more; and
 - (d) not prepackaged for retail sale.

Also excluded from the scope of these investigations are work benches with fewer than two drawers. Excluded work benches have a solid top working surface, have fewer than two drawers, are supported by legs and have no solid front, side, or back panels enclosing the body of the unit.

Also excluded from the scope of these investigations are metal filing cabinets that are configured to hold hanging file folders and are properly entered into United States through Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States ("HTSUS") category 9403.10.0020.

Tool chests and cabinets are currently imported under statistical reporting number 9403.20.0030 and 7326.90.8688 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS). They may also be imported under HTSUS statistical reporting numbers 9403.20.0026 and 7326.90.3500. The HTSUS provisions are for convenience and customs purposes; the written description of the scope is dispositive.

<u>Importer</u>.--Any person or firm engaged, either directly or through a parent company or subsidiary, in importing tool chests and cabinets (as defined above) into the United States from a foreign manufacturer or through its selling agent.

<u>Reporting of information</u>.-- 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.

<u>Valid number error messages.</u>--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 is provided at the end of this questionnaire and is available upon request from Drew Dushkes (202-205-3229, drew.dushkes@usitc.gov).

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□ No □	YesList the fo	ollowing information	
			Extent of ownership

Firm name	Address	Extent of ownership (percent)

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	Firm name	Country		Affiliation		
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PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

Acquisitions

Consolidations

Prolonged shutdowns or importation curtailments

Revised labor agreements

Other (e.g., technology)

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Drew Dushkes (202-205-

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	Title				
	Email				
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II-2.	chang	ges in rela	ition to the importati	on of tool chests a	r firm has experienced any of the following and cabinets since January 1, 2014. Ease describe; leave blank if not applicable
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		Office/v	varehouse closings		
		Relocations			
		Expansi	ons		

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	<u>Arranged imports</u> Has your firm imported or arranged for the importation of tool chests and cabinets for delivery after December 31, 2016 ?					
	"Arranged imports" after subject merchand date listed above.	•	nose imports is not s			
		Quantity (in units)				
	Period/Source	Jan-Mar 2017	Apr-Jun 2017	Jul-Sept 2017	Oct-Dec 2017	
	China					
	Vietnam					
	Other sources ¹					
	¹ Identify your other sources:					

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. This line should not include shipments that were sold by your firm at the retail level.

"Shipments destined for retail sale by your firm" —Tool chests and cabinets that were directly imported by your firm for the purpose of sale to end users using your firm's own retail establishments. Report the shipment of these imports to their initial location for retail sale with the shipments valued at fair market value.

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

"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.

"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 China</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of tool chests and cabinets imported from China by your firm during the specified periods.

CHINA

	Quantity (<i>in units</i>), va	alue (<i>in \$1,000</i>)		
		Calendar years		
Item	2014	2015	2016	
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)				
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)				
Value (C)				
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Shipments destined for retail sale by your firm: ² Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Internal consumption/ company transfers: ² Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L)				
¹ Please identify the foreign producers, if ² Shipments destined for retail sale by your market value. In the event that your firm us that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.) and program identify your firm's principal export ma	our firm, sales to related ses a different basis fol ovide value data using t	r valuing these sales within you	r company, please specify	

II-5. Imports from China.—Continued

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES</u>.--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line L) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, and J). 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.

	Calendar years			
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016	
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal zero ("0") or provide an explanation.1	0	0	0	

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

II-6. <u>Channels of distribution: China.</u> -- Report the channels of distribution for your firm's non-retail commercial U.S. shipments of imports from China.

CHINA

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)					
	Calendar years				
Item	2014	2015	2016		
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments, non-					
retail:					
To distributors: Quantity (M)					
Value (N)					
To end users: Quantity (O)					
Value (P)					
To unrelated retailers: Quantity (Q)					
Value (R)					

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS.</u>--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M, N, O and N, P, R) in each time period equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. shipments in question II-5 (i.e., lines D and E) 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: $M + O + Q - D = zero ("0"),$			
if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: N + P + R – E = zero ("0"), if			
not revise.	0	0	0

II-7. <u>U.S. shipments by product type: China</u>.-- Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, shipments consumed for retail, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from China by type of product.

CHINA

Qı	uantity (in units), value	e (in \$1,000)	
Calendar years			
Item	2014	2015	2016
U.S. shipments:			
Prepackaged sets:			
Quantity (S)			
Value (T)			
Top chests:			
Quantity (U)			
Value (V)			
Intermediate chests:			
Quantity (W)			
Value (X)			
Tool cabinets:			
Quantity (Y)			
Value (Z)			
Side cabinets:			
Quantity (AA)			
Value (AB)			
All other in-scope products:1			
Quantity (AC)			
Value (AD)			
¹ E.g. mobile work benches, work stations	s, and metal storage units	s with two or more drawers.	_

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by product type (i.e., lines S, U, W, Y, AA, AC and T, V, X, Z, AB, AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in question II-5 (i.e., lines D, F, H and E, G, I) 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: S + U + W + Y + AA + AC -			
D - F - H = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E -			
G-I = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0

II-8. Monthly U.S. imports: China.-- Report your firm's monthly U.S. imports from China from January 2016 through February 2017.

CHINA

	U.S. imports		
Year and month	Quantity (<i>units</i>)	Value (1,000 dollars)	
2016			
January (AE)			
February (AF)			
March (AG)			
April (AH)			
May (AI)			
June (AJ)			
July (AK)			
August (AL)			
September (AM)			
October (AN)			
November (AO)			
December (AP)			
2017			
January (AQ)			
February (AR)			

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for 2016 monthly imports (i.e., lines AE, AF, AG, AH, AI, AJ, AK, AL, AM, AN, AO, and AP) equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. imports in question II-5 (i.e., line B or C) in that same year. 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	Quantity (<i>units</i>)	Value (1,000 dollars)
AE +AF ++AG + AH + AI +AJ + AK + AL + AM + AN +		
AO + AP - B/C = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0

Imports from Vietnam.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of II-9. tool chests and cabinets imported from Vietnam by your firm during the specified periods.

VIETNAM

		Calendar years	
Item	2014	2015	2016
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)			
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)			
Value (C)			
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)			
Value (E)			
Shipments destined for retail sale by your firm: ² Quantity (F) Value ² (G)			
Internal consumption/ company transfers: ² Quantity (H) Value ² (I)			
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J)			
Value (K)			
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L)			

that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.) and provide value data using that basis for each of the periods noted above: _____.

³ Identify your firm's principal export markets: _

II-9. <u>Imports from Vietnam</u>.—*Continued*

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES</u>.--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line L) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, and J). 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
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¹ Explanation if the calculated fields above are returning values other than zero (i.e., "0") but are nonetheless accurate: _____.

II-10. <u>Channels of distribution: Vietnam.</u> -- Report the channels of distribution for your firm's non-retail commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Vietnam.

VIETNAM

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)			
	Calendar years		
Item	2014	2015	2016
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments, non- retail: To distributors: Quantity (M)			
Value (N)			
To end users: Quantity (0)			
Value (P) To unrelated retailers:			
Quantity (Q)			
Value (R)			

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS.</u>--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M, N, O and N, P, R) in each time period equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. shipments in question II-9 (i.e., lines D and E) 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: $M + O + Q - D = zero ("0"),$			
if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: N + P + R – E = zero ("0"), if			
not revise.	0	0	0

II-11. <u>U.S. shipments by product type: Vietnam</u>.-- Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, shipments consumed for retail, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from Vietnam by type of product.

VIETNAM

Qu	antity (<i>in units</i>), value	(in \$1,000)		
	Calendar years			
Item	2014	2015	2016	
U.S. shipments:				
Prepackaged sets:				
Quantity (S)				
Value (T)				
Top chests:				
Quantity (U)				
Value (V)				
Intermediate chests:				
Quantity (W)				
Value (X)				
Tool cabinets:				
Quantity (Y)				
Value (Z)				
Side cabinets:				
Quantity (AA)				
Value (AB)				
All other in-scope products:1				
Quantity (AC)				
Value (AD)				
¹ E.g. mobile work benches, work stations	, and metal storage units	with two or more drawers.		

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by product type (i.e., lines S, U, W, Y, AA, AC and T, V, X, Z, AB, AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in question II-9 (i.e., lines D, F, H and E, G, I) 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: S + U + W + Y + AA + AC -			
D - F - H = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E -			
G-I = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0

II-12. Monthly U.S. imports: Vietnam. -- Report your firm's monthly U.S. imports from Vietnam from January 2016 through February 2017.

VIETNAM

	U.S. imports		
Year and month	Quantity (units)	Value (1,000 dollars)	
2016			
January (AE)			
February (AF)			
March (AG)			
April (AH)			
May (AI)			
June (AJ)			
July (AK)			
August (AL)			
September (AM)			
October (AN)			
November (AO)			
December (AP)			
2017			
January (AQ)			
February (AR)			

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for 2016 monthly imports (i.e., lines AE, AF, AG, AH, AI, AJ, AK, AL, AM, AN, AO, and AP) equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. imports in question II-9 (i.e., line B or C) in that same year. 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	Quantity (units)	Value (1,000 dollars)
AE +AF ++AG + AH + AI +AJ + AK + AL + AM + AN +	(4.7.10)	(=)coc acmancy
AO + AP - B/C = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0

II-13. <u>Imports from Mexico</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of tool chests and cabinets imported from Mexico by your firm during the specified periods.

MEXICO

	Calendar years		
Item	2014	2015	2016
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)			
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)			
Value (C)			
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)			
Value (E)			
Shipments destined for retail sale by your firm: ² Quantity (F) Value ² (G)			
Internal consumption/ company transfers: ² Quantity (H)			
Value² (I)			
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J)			
Value (K)			
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L)			

² Shipments destined for retail sale by your firm, sales to related firms, and internal consumption must be valued at fair market value. In the event that your firm uses a different basis for valuing these sales within your company, please specify that basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.) and provide value data using that basis for each of the periods noted above: _____.

³ Identify your firm's principal export markets: _____.

II-13. Imports from Mexico.—Continued

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES</u>.--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line L) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, and J). 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal			
zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

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

II-14. <u>Channels of distribution: Mexico.</u> -- Report the channels of distribution for your firm's non-retail commercial U.S. shipments of imports from Mexico.

MEXICO

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)			
	Calendar years		
Item	2014	2015	2016
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments, non-			
retail: To distributors: Quantity (M)			
Value (N)			
To end users: Quantity (O)			
Value (P)			
To unrelated retailers: Quantity (Q)			
Value (R)			

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M, N, O and N, P, R) in each time period equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. shipments in question II-13 (i.e., lines D and E) 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: $M + O + Q - D = zero ("0"),$			
if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: N + P + R – E = zero ("0"), if			
not revise.	0	0	0

II-15. <u>U.S. shipments by product type: Mexico</u>.-- Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, shipments consumed for retail, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from Mexico by type of product.

MEXICO

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)			
		Calendar years	
Item	2014	2015	2016
U.S. shipments:			
Prepackaged sets:			
Quantity (S)			
Value (T)			
Top chests:			
Quantity (U)			
Value (V)			
Intermediate chests:			
Quantity (W)			
Value (X)			
Tool cabinets:			
Quantity (Y)			
Value (Z)			
Side cabinets:			
Quantity (AA)			
Value (AB)			
All other in-scope products:1			
Quantity (AC)			
Value (AD)			
¹ E.g. mobile work benches, work stations	, and metal storage uni	ts with two or more drawers.	

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by product type (i.e., lines S, U, W, Y, AA, AC and T, V, X, Z, AB, AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in question II-13 (i.e., lines D, F, H and E, G, I) 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: S + U + W + Y + AA + AC -			
D - F - H = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E -			
G-I = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0

II-16. Monthly U.S. imports: Mexico.--Report your firm's monthly U.S. imports from Mexico from January 2016 through February 2017.

MEXICO

	U.S. imports	
Year and month	Quantity (<i>units</i>)	Value (1,000 dollars)
2016		
January (AE)		
February (AF)		
March (AG)		
April (AH)		
May (AI)		
June (AJ)		
July (AK)		
August (AL)		
September (AM)		
October (AN)		
November (AO)		
December (AP)		
2017		
January (AQ)		
February (AR)		

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for 2016 monthly imports (i.e., lines AE, AF, AG, AH, AI, AJ, AK, AL, AM, AN, AO, and AP) equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. imports in question II-13 (i.e., line B or C) in that same year. 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	Quantity (units)	Value (1,000 dollars)
AE +AF ++AG + AH + AI +AJ + AK + AL + AM + AN +	(4.7.10)	(=)coc acmancy
AO + AP - B/C = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0

Imports from all other sources.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of tool chests and cabinets imported from all other sources by your firm during the specified periods.

ALL OTHER SOURCES

	Quantity (<i>in units</i>), val	ue (<i>in \$1,000</i>)	
	Calendar years		
Item	2014	2015	2016
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A)			
Imports: ¹ Quantity (B)			
Value (C)			
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)			
Value (E)			
Shipments destined for retail sale by your firm: ² Quantity (F)			
Value ² (G)			
Internal consumption/ company transfers: ² Quantity (H)			
Value² (I)			
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J)			
Value (K)			
•			
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L) Please identify the foreign producers, if Shipments destined for retail sale by your market value. In the event that your firm uthat basis (e.g., cost, cost plus, etc.) and produce the produce of the prod	our firm, sales to related ses a different basis for v	aluing these sales within you	r company, please s

³ Identify your firm's principal export markets: _____.

II-17. Imports from all other sources.—Continued

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES</u>.--Generally, the data reported for the end-of-period inventories (i.e., line L) should be equal to the beginning-of-period inventories (i.e., line A), plus imports (i.e., line B), less total shipments (i.e., lines D, F, H, and J). 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
A + B - D - F - H - J - L = should equal			
zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹	0	0	0

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

II-18. <u>Channels of distribution: All other sources.</u> -- Report the channels of distribution for your firm's non-retail commercial U.S. shipments of imports from all other sources.

ALL OTHER SOURCES

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)			
	Calendar years		
Item	2014	2015	2016
Channels of distribution: Commercial U.S. shipments, non- retail: To distributors: Quantity (M)			
Value (N)			
To end users: Quantity (O)			
Value (P)			
To unrelated retailers: Quantity (Q)			
Value (R)			

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M, N, O and N, P, R) in each time period equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. shipments in question II-17 (i.e., lines D and E) 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.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: $M + O + Q - D = zero ("0"),$			
if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: N + P + R – E = zero ("0"), if			
not revise.	0	0	0

II-19. <u>U.S. shipments by product type: All other sources</u>.-- Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, shipments consumed for retail, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from all other sources by type of product.

ALL OTHER SOURCES

Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000)						
Calendar years						
2014	2015	2016				
	-	Calendar years				

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments by product type (i.e., lines S, U, W, Y, AA, AC and T, V, X, Z, AB, AD) in each time period equal the quantities and values reported for U.S. shipments in question II-17 (i.e., lines D, F, H and E, G, I) 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.

		Calendar years	
Reconciliation	2014	2015	2016
Quantity: S + U + W + Y + AA + AC -			
D - F - H = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0
Value: T + V + X + Z + AB + AD - E -			
G-I = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0	0

II-20. <u>Monthly U.S. imports: All other sources</u>.--Report your firm's monthly U.S. imports from all other sources from January 2016 through February 2017.

ALL OTHER SOURCES

	U.S.	imports
Year and month	Quantity (<i>units</i>)	Value (1,000 dollars)
2016		
January (AE)		
February (AF)		
March (AG)		
April (AH)		
May (AI)		
June (AJ)		
July (AK)		
August (AL)		
September (AM)		
October (AN)		
November (AO)		
December (AP)		
2017		
January (AQ)		
February (AR)		

<u>RECONCILIATION OF U.S. SHIPMENTS.</u>--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for 2016 monthly imports (i.e., lines AE, AF, AG, AH, AI, AJ, AK, AL, AM, AN, AO, and AP) equal the quantity and value reported for U.S. imports in question II-17 (i.e., line B or C) in that same year. 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	Quantity (<i>units</i>)	Value (1,000 dollars)
AE +AF ++AG + AH + AI +AJ + AK + AL + AM + AN +		
AO + AP - B/C = zero ("0"), if not revise.	0	0

II-21.	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 Amelia Preece (202-205-3250, Amelia.Preece@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 data for your firm's commercial shipments to unrelated U.S. customers since January 1, 2014 of the following products your firm imported from China and Vietnam:
- <u>Product 1.</u>--26-27 inch wide top chest sold in combination with a 26-27 inch wide rolling cabinet, each with a body of cold-rolled carbon steel, having 9 to 10 total drawers (across both units) with ball bearing drawer slides, a minimum chest depth (front to back) of 15 inches, a minimum cabinet depth of 18 inches and a combined unit weight (not shipping weight) of 150 to 180 lbs.
- <u>Product 2</u>.--40-46 inch wide top chest sold in combination with a 40-46 inch wide rolling cabinet, each with a body of cold-rolled carbon steel, having 16 to 21 drawers (across both units) with ball bearing slides, a chest depth of and cabinet depth of 16 to 19 inches; and combined unit weight (not shipping weight) of less than 420 lbs.
- <u>Product 3.</u>--52-54 inch wide top chest sold in combination with a 52-54 inch wide rolling cabinet, each with a body of cold-rolled carbon steel, having 15 to 18 drawers (across both units) with ball bearing slides, a chest depth of and cabinet depth of 16 to 21 inches; and combined unit weight (not shipping weight) of less than 420 lbs.
- <u>Product 4.</u>--45 to 56 inch wide workstation or mobile workbench, with a body of cold-rolled carbon steel, having 8 to 11 drawers or doors with ball bearing slides, a top work surface, a unit depth of 17-24 inches, and a unit weight (not shipping weight) of less than 175 lbs. This category specifically excludes work stations or mobile workbenches in which the body is made of stainless steel but includes tool chests and cabinets in which the drawers or door fronts are made of stainless steel.

Please note that values should be <u>f.o.b.</u>, <u>U.S.</u> 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).

During January 2014-December 2016, did your firm import from China, Vietnam, and/or Mexico
and sell to unrelated U.S. customers any of the above listed products (or any products that were
competitive with these products)?

YesPlease complete the following pricing data table(s) as appropriate.
NoSkip to question III-2e.

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

China

Report data in actual units 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
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2015: January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2016: January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								

firm's U.S. point of shipment.

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.

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

Vietnam

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

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

	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2016:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
¹ Net values (i.e.,	gross sales val	ues less all dis	scounts, allowand	es, rebates, p	repaid freight, a	nd the value c	of returned goods)	, f.o.b. you
firm's U.S. point of shi								
² Pricing product	definitions are	provided on t	the first page of P	art III.				

III-2c. <u>Price data</u>.--Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² imported from Mexico and sold by your firm.

Mexico

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

(Quantity in units, value in dollars)								
	Product 1		Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2016:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
¹ Net values (i.e., firm's U.S. point of sh ² Pricing product	ipment.				epaid freight, a	and the value o	f returned goods), f.o.b. your
NoteIf your firm's p							fied product, pro	vide a
Product 1:								
Product 2:								
Product 3:								
Product 4:								

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

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.

nports for retail/own use. – During January 2014-December 2016, did your firm import any of the products listed at III-2 from China, Vietnam, and/or Mexico for retail/own use.						
YesPlease complete the following pricing data table(s) as appropriate.						
NoSkip to question III-3.						
the pro						

III-2f. Imports for retail/own use.--Report below the import data¹ for pricing products² imported from China and used for sales in your firm's retail locations or internally consumed.

China

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

	Product 1		(Quantity in units, value in Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2016: January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
¹ LDP value (i.e., l international transpor of entry after clearing ² Pricing product	tation as well Customs.	as all Customs of	duties and fees	. LDP value repr				

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, pr	ovide a
description of your firm's product. Also, please explain any anomalies in your firm's reported pricing data.	

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-2g. <u>Imports for retail/own use</u>.--Report below the import data¹ for pricing products² imported from Vietnam and used for sales in your firm's retail locations or internally consumed.

Vietnam

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

Product 2: Product 3: Product 4:

			(Quantity in	units, value in	dollars)			
	Prod	luct 1	Product 2		Prod	luct 3	Proc	luct 4
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
2016:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-								
December								
¹ LDP value (i.e.,								
of entry after clearing		as all Customs	duties and rees.	. LDP value repr	esents the i.o.	b. value of your	iiiiii s iiiiports a	it the 0.5. port
of entry after clearing Customs. ² Pricing product definitions are provided on the first page of Part III.								
Note -If your firm's p description of your fir		•			•	•	fied product, pro	ovide a
Product 1:								

III-2h. <u>Imports for retail/own use</u>.--Report below the import data¹ for pricing products² imported from Mexico and used for sales in your firm's retail locations or internally consumed.

Mexico

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

Product 2: Product 3: Product 4:

			(Quantity in	units, value in	dollars)			
	Product 1 Product 2		Product 3		Pro	duct 4		
Period of shipment	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value	Quantity	LDP Value
2014:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2015:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
2016:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October- December								
¹ LDP value (i.e., international transpor of entry after clearing ² Pricing product Note -If your firm's p	rtation as well Customs. definitions are	as all Customs e provided on to ot exactly meet	duties and fees. The first page of The product sp	. LDP value repr Part III. ecifications but	esents the f.o.	b. value of you	r firm's imports	at the U.S. por
description of your fir	m's product.	Also, please exp	olain any anoma	alies in your firn	n's reported pr	icing data.		
Product 1:								

III-2i.	Additional costs for	your direct impo	orts of tool	chests and	cabinets for	your firm's	retail/own
	use.						

(i) If your firm reported direct import purchase costs (questions III-2f, 2g, and/or 2h), please identify the factors that add to your cost of importing directly since January 1, 2014, estimate the share of the cost of the landed duty paid value, and explain the specific costs associated with each category.

Factors	Estimated share of landed duty paid value (percent)	Explanation
Logistical or supply chain costs		
Warehousing costs		
Currency conversion costs		
Other		

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

U.S. importers	U.S. producers	Both	Neither

of directly importing tool chests and cabinets instead of purchasing tool chests and cabinet from a U.S. importer or from a U.S. producer.					
	lease provide the estimated margin saved by having directly imported tool chests ets instead of purchasing from a U.S. importer percent of landed duty-paid.				

(iv) What is the approximate percentage of the total cost of tool chests and cabinets you directly imported from China and Vietnam that is accounted for by U.S. inland transportation or other logistics costs from the port of importation to your distribution network or retail store?

Country	Percent		
China	%		
Vietnam	%		

III-3.	Price setting How does your firm determine the prices that it charges for sales of tool chests
	and cabinets (check all that apply)? If your firm issues price lists, please submit sample pages of
	a recent list.

Transaction by transaction	Contracts	Set price lists	Other	If other, describe

III-4. <u>Discount policy</u>.--Please indicate and describe your firm's discount policies (*check all that apply*).

Quantity discounts	Annual total volume discounts	No discount policy	Other	Describe

III-5. Pricing terms.--

(a) What are your firm's typical sales terms for tool chests and cabinets imported from China and Vietnam?

Net 30 days	Net 60 days	2/10 net 30 days	Other	Other (specify)

(b) On what basis are your firm's prices of imported tool chests and cabinets from China and Vietnam usually quoted (check one)?

Delivered	F.o.b.	If f.o.b., specify point

III-6. <u>Contract versus spot.</u>--Approximately what share of your firm's sales of tool chests and cabinets imported from China and Vietnam in 2016 was on a (1) long-term contract basis, (2) annual contract basis, (3) short-term contract basis, and (4) spot sales basis?

	Type of sale					
	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 t 100.0%	ld o
Share of 2016 sales	%	%	%	%	0.0	%

III-7. <u>Contract provisions.</u>—Please fill out the table regarding your firm's typical sales contracts for tool chests and cabinets from China and Vietnam (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	ltem	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	Yes			
(during contract period)	No			
	Quantity			
Fixed quantity and/or price	Price			
	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 tool chests and cabinets imported from China and Vietnam 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 tool chests and cabinets?

Source	Share of 2016 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 %	

firm's U.S. point of shipment.

III-9.	Shipping	information.—
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(a)	cabinets imported from China and Vietnam 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)
(c)	When your firm sells tool chests and cabinets imported from China and Vietnam, from where is it shipped? Point of importation Storage facility (check one)
(d)	Indicate the approximate percentage of your firm's sales of tool chests and cabinets imported from China and Vietnam that are delivered the following distances from your

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-10. <u>Geographical shipments.</u>--In which U.S. geographic market area(s) has your firm sold tool chests and cabinets imported from subject countries since January 1, 2014 (check all that apply)?

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

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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 tool chests and cabinets since January 1, 2014?							
	No	Yes	If yes, please des	cribe.				
III-15.	 Conditions of competition.— (a) Is the tool chests and cabinets market subject to business cycles (other than general economy-wide conditions) and/or other conditions of competition distinctive to tool chest and cabinets? 							
	Check all	that apply	· .	Please describe.				
		No		Skip to question III-16.				
		Yes-Busin seasonal	ess cycles (e.g. business)					
			r distinctive s of competition					
			e been any change cabinets since Janu	es in the business cycles or conditions of competition for uary 1, 2014?				
	No	Yes	If yes, describe	е.				
III-16.	Supply constraintsHas your firm refused, declined, or been unable to supply tool chests and cabinets since January 1, 2014 (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 tool chests and cabinets raw material prices changed since January 1, 2014?

Overall increase	No change	Overall decrease	Fluctuate with no clear trend	Explain, noting how raw material price changes have affected your firm's selling prices for tool chests and cabinets.

III-18. <u>Interchangeability</u>.--Is tool chests and cabinets 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	China	Vietnam	Mexico	Other countries			
United States							
China							
Vietnam							
Mexico							
For any country-pair producing tool chests and cabinets that is <i>sometimes</i> or <i>never</i> interchangeable, 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 tool chests and cabinets 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	China	Vietnam	Mexico	Other countries
United States				
China				
Vietnam				
Mexico				

For any country-pair for which factors other than price *always* or *frequently* are a significant factor in your firm's sales of tool chests and cabinets, 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 tool chests and cabinets since January 1, 2014. Indicate the share of the quantity of your firm's total shipments of tool chests and cabinets that each of these customers accounted for in 2016.

	Customer's name	Contact person	Email	Telephone	City	State	Share of 2016 sales (%)
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5							
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III-21.	Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part III that did not provide a narrative response box, please note the question number and the explanation in the space provided below. Please also use this space to highlight any issues your firm had in providing the data in this section, including but not limited to technical issues with the MS Word questionnaire.

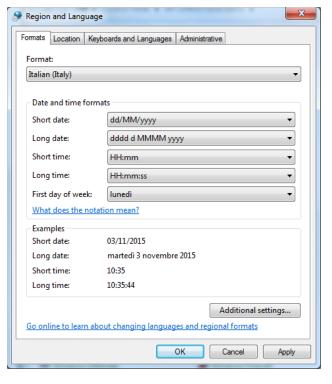
Correcting Valid number error messages.—If you are completing a Commission questionnaire in a country that uses periods (".") to delineate multiples of 1000 (e.g., one million would appear as \$1.000.000 instead of as \$1,000,000), you may be unable to enter in numbers greater than 999 in numeric form fields. This issues stem from your computer number formatting setting (e.g., 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 countries use the reverse where multiples of 1000 are delineated with periods (.) and fractions less than one are delineated with commas (,). The US 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 number formatting, we believe this may cause this issue.

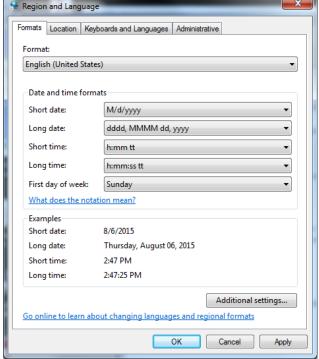
The solution to this data entry issue is to temporarily change your operating system's number formatting to be consistent with the U.S. number formatting system while you complete the questionnaire.

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 questionnaire. When you finish reporting the data then you can close the questionnaire and switch back to Italy settings.





HOW TO FILE YOUR QUESTIONNAIRE RESPONSE

This questionnaire is available as a "fillable" form in MS Word format on the Commission's website at:

https://www.usitc.gov/investigations/701731/2017/tool chests and cabinets china a nd vietnam/preliminary.htm

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

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

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

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

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

<u>Parties to this proceeding</u>.—If your firm is a party to this proceeding, it is required to serve a copy of the completed questionnaire on parties to the proceeding that are subject to administrative protective order (see 19 CFR § 207.7). A list of such parties may be obtained from the Commission's Secretary (202-205-1803). 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.