U.S. PRODUCERS' QUESTIONNAIRE

TAPERED ROLLER BEARINGS FROM KOREA

This questionnaire must be received by the Commission by <u>April 2, 2018</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 antidumping duty investigation concerning tapered roller bearings (TRBs) from Korea (Inv. No. 731-TA-1380 (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 produced 2015?	d tapered roller bearings (as defined on pages 2 and 50) at any time since January 1,
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)
	://dropbox.usitc.gov/oinv/. (PIN: TRBS) CERTIFICATION
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PART I.—GENERAL INFORMATION

Background.--This proceeding was instituted in response to a petition filed on June 28, 2017, by The Timken Company, North Canton, Ohio. 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 dumping. Questionnaires and other information pertinent to this proceeding are available at

https://www.usitc.gov/investigations/701731/2017/tapered_roller_bearings_korea/final.htm

<u>Tapered roller bearings (TRBs)</u> The scope of this investigation is certain tapered roller bearings. Commerce's scope covers all tapered roller bearings with a nominal outside cup diameter of eight inches and under, regardless of type of steel used to produce the bearing, whether of inch or metric size, and whether the tapered roller bearing is a thrust bearing or not.

Commission like-product determination: For purposes of its determination in the preliminary phase of the investigation, the Commission found that TRBs over 8 inches in outside cup diameter ("large-diameter TRBs") are included in the same domestic like product definition as TRBs whose maximum outside cup diameter is 8 inches and under ("small-diameter TRBs").

Certain tapered roller bearings include: Finished cup and cone assemblies entering as a set, finished cone assemblies entering separately, and finished parts (cups, cones, and tapered rollers). Certain tapered roller bearings are sold individually as a set (cup and cone assembly), as a cone assembly, as a finished cup, or packaged as a kit with one or several tapered roller bearings, a seal, and grease. The scope of the investigation includes finished rollers and finished cones that have not been assembled with rollers and a cage. Certain tapered roller bearings can be a single row or multiple rows (e.g., two- or four-row), and a cup can handle a single cone assembly or multiple cone assemblies.

Finished cups, cones, and rollers differ from unfinished cups, cones, and rollers in that they have undergone further processing after heat treatment, including, but not limited to, final machining, grinding, and/or polishing. Mere heat treatment of a cup, cone, or roller (without any further processing after heat treatment) does not render the cup, cone, or roller a finished part for the purpose of this investigation. Finished tapered roller bearing parts are understood to mean parts which, at the time of importation, are ready for assembly (if further assembly is required) and require no further finishing or fabrication, such as grinding, lathing, machining, polishing, heat treatment, etc. Finished parts may require grease, bolting, and/or pressing as part of final assembly, and the requirement that these processes be performed, subsequent to importation, does not remove an otherwise finished tapered roller bearing from the scope.

Tapered roller bearings that have a nominal outer cup diameter of eight inches and under that may be used in wheel hub units, rail bearings, or other housed bearings, but entered separately, are included in the scope to the same extent as described above. All tapered roller bearings meeting the written description above, and not otherwise excluded, are included, regardless of coating.

Excluded from the scope of this investigation are:

- (1) Unfinished parts of tapered roller bearings (cups, cones, and tapered rollers);
- (2) cages, whether finished or unfinished;
- (3) the non-tapered roller bearing components of subject kits (e.g., grease, seal); and

(4) tapered roller bearing wheel hub units, rail bearings, and other housed tapered roller bearings (flange, take up cartridges, and hanger units incorporating tapered rollers).

Tapered roller bearings subject to this investigation are primarily classifiable under subheadings 8482.20.0040, 8482.20.0061, 8482.20.0070, 8482.20.0081, 8482.91.0050, 8482.99.1550, and 8482.99.1580 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS).¹

TRBs over 8 inches in outside cup diameter are primarily classifiable under HTSUS statistical reporting numbers 8482.20.0064, 8482.20.0067, 8482.20.0090, 8482.99.1570, and 8482.99.4500.

Parts may also enter under 8482.99.4500. While the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and for customs purposes, the written description of the subject merchandise is dispositive.

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. In addition, if your firm is a U.S. producer, the information you provide on your production and imports of TRBs and your responses to the questions in Part I of the producer questionnaire will be provided to the U.S. Department of Commerce, upon its request, for use in connection with (and only in connection with) its requirement pursuant to section 732(c)(4) of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1673a(c)(4)) to make a determination concerning the extent of industry support for the petition requesting this proceeding. Any information provided to Commerce will be transmitted under

¹ Prior to July 2016, products entering under 8482.20.0061 entered under 8482.20.0060, products entering under 8482.20.0081 entered under 8482.20.0080, and products entering under 8482.99.1550 entered under 8482.99.1540.

the confidentiality and release guidelines set forth above. Your response to these questions constitutes your consent that such information be provided to Commerce under the conditions described above.

I-1a. <u>OMB statistics</u>.--Please report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to your 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 50 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-1b.	TAA information releaseIn the event that the U.S. International Trade Commission (USITC)
	makes an affirmative final determination in this proceeding, do you consent to the USITC's
	release of your contact information (company name, address, contact person, telephone
	number, email address) appearing on the front page of this questionnaire to the Departments of
	Commerce, Labor, and Agriculture, as applicable, so that your firm and its workers can be made
	eligible for benefits under the Trade Adjustment Assistance program?

Yes		No
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I-3.

I-4.

I-2. **Establishments covered**.--Provide the city, state, zip code, and brief description of each establishment covered by this questionnaire. If your firm is publicly traded, please specify the stock exchange and trading symbol in the footnote to the table. Firms operating more than one establishment should combine the data for all establishments into a single report.

Establishments covered ¹	City, State	Zip (5 digit)	Description
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		y related firms, either domestic or into the United States or that are ates?
☐ No ☐ Yes	List the following information.	
Firm name	Country	Affiliation
engaged in the product	tion of TRBs?	rms, either domestic or foreign, tha
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PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Keysha Martinez (202-205-2136, keysha.martinez@usitc.gov). Supply all data requested on a calendar-year basis.

II-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 II.
	Name

Email	
Telephone	
Fax	

II-2. <u>Changes in operations.</u>—Please indicate whether your firm has experienced any of the following changes in relation to the production of TRBs since January 1, 2015.

(chec	k as many as appropriate)	(If checked, please describe; leave blank if not applicable)
	plant openings	
	plant closings	
	relocations	
	expansions	
	acquisitions	
	consolidations	
	prolonged shutdowns or production curtailments	
	revised labor agreements	
	other (e.g., technology)	

No	Yes	If yes Please describe the other products:
	ction constra	<u>ints</u> Please describe the constraint(s) that set the limit(s) on your firm's /.
Production (i)	ct shifting.—	able to switch production (capacity) between TRBs and other products usin
(1)	•	ment and/or labor? Yes (i.e., have produced other products or are able to produce other)
		products). Please identify other actual or potential products:
(ii)	between p	cribe the factors that affect your firm's ability to shift production capacity roducts (e.g., time, cost, relative price change, etc.), and the degree to which rs enhance or constrain such shifts.
	Since Januction of TRBs	ary 1, 2015, has your firm been involved in a toll agreement regarding the?
produc "Toll a materi	ction of TRBs greement" ials and the s	? Agreement between two firms whereby the first firm furnishes the raw
"Toll a	greement" als and the s first firm wit	? Agreement between two firms whereby the first firm furnishes the raw econd firm uses the raw materials to produce a product that it then returns

II-5.	Foreign	trade	zones

(a) <u>Firm's FTZ operations</u>.--Does your firm produce TRBs in and/or admit TRBs into a foreign trade zone (FTZ)?

"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. A foreign trade zone must be designed as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in the Foreign-Trade Zones Act.

No	If yes Describe the nature of your firm's operations in FTZs and identify the specific FTZ site(s).

(b) Other firms' FTZ operations.--To your knowledge, do any firms in the United States import TRBs into a foreign trade zone (FTZ) for use in distribution of TRBs and/or the production of downstream articles?

No	Yes	If yesIdentify the firms and the FTZs.

II-6. <u>Importer</u>.--Since January 1, 2015, has your firm imported TRBs?

"Importer" – The person or firm primarily liable for the payment of any duties on the merchandise, or an authorized agent acting on his behalf. The importer may be the consignee, or the importer of record.

No	Yes	
		If yes <u>COMPLETE AND RETURN A U.S. IMPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE</u>

Definitions

<u>Production, shipment, and inventory data</u>.--Report your firm's production capacity, production, shipments, and inventories related to the production of TRBs in its U.S. establishment(s) during the specified periods.

"Average production capacity" or "capacity" – The level of production that your establishment(s) could reasonably have expected to attain during the specified periods. Assume normal operating conditions (i.e., using equipment and machinery in place and ready to operate; normal operating levels (hours per week/weeks per year) and time for downtime, maintenance, repair, and cleanup; and a typical or representative product mix).

"**Production**" – All production in your U.S. establishment(s), including production consumed internally within your firm and production for another firm under a toll agreement.

"Commercial U.S. shipments" – Shipments made within the United States as a result of an arm's length commercial transaction in the ordinary course of business. Report <u>net values</u> (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, rebates, prepaid freight, and the value of returned goods) in U.S. dollars, f.o.b. your point of shipment.

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

"Transfers to related firms" – Shipments made to related 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-7a. Production, shipment, and inventory data (small-diameter TRBs).

Report your firm's production capacity, production, shipments, and inventories related to the production of small-diameter TRBs (8" or less outside cup diameter) in its U.S. establishment(s) during the specified periods.

Include only parts and subassemblies essentially equivalent to a complete bearing, such as sets consisting of cups and cone assemblies or, if cups and cone assemblies are sold separately, the equivalent of sets. For the purposes of reporting quantity data, please treat an assembly or a cup as one half (i.e., ½) of a completed bearing. So for example if your firm produces and sells 400 cups for use in a completed TRB, report those quantity data in this grid as a quantity of 200 bearing equivalents. Any other finished parts (excluding cages) that cannot be converted into "bearing equivalents" (e.g., parts other than assemblies and cups) should be reported in question II-7c).

Small-diameter TRBs (8" or less outside cup diameter)

Quantity (in complete bearings	or bearing equiva	lents) and value (in \$1	,000)
	Calendar years		
Item	2015	2016	2017
Average production capacity ¹ (quantity) (A)			
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (B)			
Production (quantity) (C)			
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)			
Value (E)			
Internal consumption: ² Quantity (F)			
Value ² (G)			
Transfers to related firms: ² Quantity (H)			
Value ² (I)			
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J)			
Value (K)			
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L)			
¹ The production capacity reported is based on operation methodology used to calculate production capacity, and consumption and transfers to related firms in different basis for valuing these transactions, please specthat basis for each of the periods noted above: 3 Identify your firm's principal export markets:	explain any changes nust be valued at fai	in reported capacity r market value. In the ev	 rent that your firm uses a

II-7a. Production, shipment, and inventory data (small-diameter TRBs).--Continued

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, PRODUCTION, AND INVENTORY.</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 B), plus production (i.e., line C), 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 reflect your firm's actual records; and, also provide explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2015	2016	2017
B + C - 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-7b. <u>Channels of distribution (small-diameter TRBs)</u>.--Report your firm's value of commercial U.S. shipments by channel of distribution and known end uses.

Small-diameter TRBs (8" or less outside cup diameter)

(5° 51 1655 Gatoliae cap alameter)			
Value (in \$1,000)			
	Calendar years		
Item	2015	2016	2017
Channels of distribution: <u>Value</u> of commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (M)			
To <u>end users</u> in the following sectors: Automotive(N)			
Heavy equipment / industrial (O)			
Agricultural (P)			
Other or unknown (Q) ¹			
Total, end user shipments	0	0	0
¹ Please identify the other industries:			

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS</u>.--Please ensure that the values reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M through Q) in each time period equal the values reported for commercial U.S. shipments (i.e., line 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	2015	2016	2017
M + N + O + P + Q - E = zero ("0"), if			
not revise.	0	0	0

II-7c. <u>U.S. shipments of finished parts (not including cages) not included in II-7a (Small-diameter TRBs)</u>

Report your firm's shipments of parts of TRBs (finished, not including cages). Do <u>not</u> report here (i.e., double-count) any parts that were reported in question II-7a including when embodied in an assembly, cup, or complete TRB that is being reported in II-7a (i.e., do NOT report "internal consumption" here for merchandise reported in a more finalized form in II-7a).

Parts Only (Small-diameter TRBs)

Value (in \$1,000)				
	Calendar years			
Item	2015	2016	2017	
U.S. shipments:				
Commercial U.S. shipments				
Internal consumption ²				
Transfers to related firms ²				
Export shipments: ³				
¹ Identify the types of TRB parts included above: ² Internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. In the event that your firm uses a different basis for valuing these transactions, 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-8a. Production, shipment, and inventory data (large-diameter TRBs).

Report your firm's production capacity, production, shipments, and inventories related to the production of large-diameter TRBs (over 8" outside cup diameter) in its U.S. establishment(s) during the specified periods.

Include only parts and subassemblies essentially equivalent to a complete bearing, such as sets consisting of cups and cone assemblies or, if cups and cone assemblies are sold separately, the equivalent of sets. For the purposes of reporting quantity data, please treat an assembly or a cup as one half (i.e., ½) of a completed bearing. So for example if your firm produces and sells 400 cups for use in a completed TRB, report those quantity data in this grid as a quantity of 200 bearing equivalents. Any other finished parts (excluding cages) that cannot be converted into "bearing equivalents" (e.g., parts other than assemblies and cups) should be in question II-8c).

Large-diameter TRBs (over 8" outside cup diameter)

Quantity (in complete bearings or bearing equivalents) and value (in \$1,000)				
	Calendar years			
Item	2015	2016	2017	
Average production capacity ¹ (quantity) (A)				
Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (B)				
Production (quantity) (C)				
U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D)				
Value (E)				
Internal consumption: ² Quantity (F)				
Value ² (G)				
Transfers to related firms: ² Quantity (H)				
Value² (I)				
Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J)				
Value (K)				
End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L)				
¹ The production capacity reported is based on opera methodology used to calculate production capacity, and ² Internal consumption and transfers to related firms different basis for valuing these transactions, please spe that basis for each of the periods noted above: ³ Identify your firm's principal export markets:	l explain any change must be valued at fa	s in reported capacity air market value. In the ev	 ent that your firm uses a	

II-8a. Production, shipment, and inventory data (large-diameter TRBs).--Continued

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, PRODUCTION, AND INVENTORY.</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 B), plus production (i.e., line C), 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 reflect your firm's actual records; and, also provide explanations for any differences (e.g., theft, loss, damage, record systems issues, etc.) if they exist.

	Calendar years		
Reconciliation	2015	2016	2017
B + C - 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-8b. <u>Channels of distribution (large-diameter TRBs)</u>.--Report your firm's value of commercial U.S. shipments by channel of distribution and known end uses.

Large-diameter TRBs (over 8" outside cup diameter)

(over o outside cap diameter)			
Value (in \$1,000)			
		Calendar years	
Item	2015	2016	2017
Channels of distribution: <u>Value</u> of commercial U.S. shipments: To distributors (M)			
To <u>end users</u> in the following sectors: Automotive(N)			
Heavy equipment / industrial (O)			
Agricultural (P)			
Other or unknown (Q) ¹			
Total, end user shipments	0	0	0
¹ Please identify the other industries:			

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS</u>.--Please ensure that the values reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M through Q) in each time period equal the values reported for commercial U.S. shipments (i.e., line 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	2015	2016	2017
M + N + O + P + Q - E = zero ("0"), if			
not revise.	0	0	0

II-8c. <u>U.S. shipments of finished parts (not including cages) not included in II-8a (Large-diameter TRBs)</u>

Report your firm's shipments of parts of TRBs (finished, not including cages). Do <u>not</u> report here (i.e., double-count) any parts that were reported in question II-8a including when embodied in an assembly, cup, or complete TRB that is being reported in II-8a (i.e., do NOT report "internal consumption" here for merchandise reported in a more finalized form in II-8a).

Parts Only (Large-diameter TRBs)

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Value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)				
	Calendar years			
Item	2015	2016	2017	
U.S. shipments:				
Commercial U.S. shipments				
Internal consumption ²				
Transfers to related firms ²				
Export shipments: ³				
¹ Identify the types of TRB parts included at ² Internal consumption and transfers to relation firm uses a different basis for valuing these transprovide value data using that basis for each of ³ Identify your firm's principal export market	ated firms must be value ansactions, please speci the periods noted abo	fy that basis (e.g., cost,		

II-9a. **Employment data**.--Report your firm's employment-related data related to the production of TRBs and provide an explanation for any trends in these data.

Include only parts and subassemblies essentially equivalent to a complete bearing, such as sets consisting of cups and cone assemblies or, if cups and cone assemblies are sold separately, the equivalent of sets.

"Production and Related Workers" (PRWs) includes working supervisors and all nonsupervisory workers (including group leaders and trainees) engaged in fabricating, processing, assembling, inspecting, receiving, storage, handling, packing, warehousing, shipping, trucking, hauling, maintenance, repair, janitorial and guard services, product development, auxiliary production for plant's own use (e.g., power plant), recordkeeping, and other services closely associated with the above production operations. Average number employed may be computed by adding the number of employees, both full time and part time, for the 12 pay periods ending closest to the 15th of the month and divide that total by 12.

"Hours worked" includes time paid for sick leave, holidays, and vacation time. Include overtime hours actually worked; do not convert overtime pay to its equivalent in straight time hours.

"Wages paid" – Total wages paid before deductions of any kind (e.g., withholding taxes, old-age and unemployment insurance, group insurance, union dues, bonds, etc.). Include wages paid directly by your firm for overtime, holidays, vacations, and sick leave.

Small-diameter TRBs (8" or less outside cup diameter)

	Calendar years		
Item	2015	2016	2017
Average number of PRWs (number)			
Hours worked by PRWs (1,000 hours)			
Wages paid to PRWs (\$1,000)			

Ex	planation of tre	nds:		

II-9b. **Employment data.**—Continued

Explanation of trends:

Large-diameter TRBs (over 8" outside cup diameter)

	Calendar years		
ltem	2015	2016	2017
Average number of PRWs (number)			
Hours worked by PRWs (1,000 hours)			
Wages paid to PRWs (\$1,000)			

II-10.	Related firmsIf your firm reported transfers to related firms in questions II-7a and/or II-8b, please indicate the nature of the relationship between your firm and the related firms (e.g., joint venture, wholly owned subsidiary), whether the transfers were priced at market value or by a non-market formula, whether your firm retained marketing rights to all transfers, and whether the related firms also processed inputs from sources other than your firm.

I-11.	<u>Purchases</u> Other than direct imports, has your firm otherwise purchased TRBs and/or finished parts (not including cages) since January 1, 2015?				
	"Purchase" – A transaction to buy product from a U.S. corporate entity such as another U.S. producer, a U.S. distributor, or a U.S. firm that has imported the product. "Import" –A transaction to buy from a foreign supplier where your firm is the importer of record.				
	No YesReport the <u>value</u> of such purchases below and explain the reasons for your firms' purchases:				
		(Value <i>in \$1,000</i>)			
Calendar year			Calendar years	'S	
	Item	2015	2016	2017	
<u>cup di</u> Pur froi	-diameter TRBs (8" or less outside iameter): chases from U.S. importers ¹ m— Korea				
,	All other sources				
Pur	chases from domestic producers ²				
Pur	chases from other sources ²				
<u>cup di</u> Pur froi	-diameter TRBs (over 8" outside iameter): chases from U.S. importers ¹ m— Korea				
,	All other sources				
Pur	chases from domestic producers ²				
Pur	chases from other sources ²				
supplie	lease list the name of the importer(s) fers differ by source, please identify the lease list the name of the producer(s) or	source for each listed	supplier:		

II-12. Other explanations.--If your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part II that did not provide a narrative 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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PART III.--FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Address questions on this	part of the questionnaire to 0	Charles Yost (202-205-3432),
charles.yost@usitc.gov.		

Name	
Title	
Email	
Telephone	
Fax	
Accounting sy	vstemBriefly describe your firm's financial accounting system.
A.	When does your firm's fiscal year end (month and day)?
	If your firm's fiscal year changed during the data-collection period, explain
	below:
	NotePlease note that we are requesting that firms report their financia
	on a calendar year basis.
D 4	Describe the levest level of executions /s a releast division converse, with
B.1.	Describe the lowest level of operations (e.g., plant, division, company-wid which financial statements are prepared that include TRBs:
	which illiancial statements are prepared that include TNBs.
2.	Does your firm prepare profit/loss statements for TRBs:
	☐ Yes ☐ No
3.	How often did your firm (or parent company) prepare financial statement
	(including annual reports, 10Ks)? Please check relevant items below.
	Audited, unaudited, annual reports, 10Ks, 10 Qs,
_	☐ Monthly, ☐ quarterly, ☐ semi-annually, ☐ annually
4.	Accounting basis: GAAP, cash, tax, or other comprehe
	basis of accounting (specify)
	As requested in Part I of this questionnaire, please keep all supporting documents/re
Note:	
	າ the preparation of the financial data. as Commission staff may contact your firm
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list the products your firm produc	
vide the share of net sales accour year.	ced in the facilities in which your firr nted for by these products in your
	Share of sales
nches or less)	%
er 8 inches)	%
	%
	%
	%
estion III-7. NoContinue pliersPlease identify the inputs m related suppliers and that are r	e to question III-9a. s used in the production of TRBs that reflected in questions III-9a or III-9b. by relevant input on the basis of you
d fiscal year. For "Input valuatior ny's own accounting system, of the supplier's actual cost, cost plus, to value.	he purchase cost from the related
ny's own accounting system, of tl d supplier's actual cost, cost plus,	he purchase cost from the related
	e inputs (raw materials, labor, en any related suppliers (e.g., incluster components within the same estion III-7. NoContinue pliersPlease identify the inputs on related suppliers and that are residued.

III-8.	Inputs purchased from related suppliersPlease confirm that the inputs purchased from related suppliers, as identified in question III-7, were reported in questions III-9a or III-9c (financial results on small or large diameter TRBs, respectively) in a manner consistent with your firm's accounting books and records.
	Yes
	NoIn the space below, please report the valuation basis of inputs purchased from related suppliers as reported in question III-9a and/or III-9c.

III-9. Operations on TRBs--General. -- Report the revenue and related cost information requested on the TRB operations of your firm's U.S. establishment(s) on a consolidated basis. Do not report resales of products. Note that internal consumption and transfers to related firms must be valued at fair market value. Input purchases from related suppliers should be consistent with and based on information in the firm's accounting books and records. Provide data for the three most recently completed calendar years. If your firm was involved in tolling operations (either as the toller or as the tollee), please contact Charles Yost at (202) 205-3432 before completing this section of the questionnaire. See product definition on page 2.

Include only parts and subassemblies essentially equivalent to a complete bearing, such as sets consisting of cups and cone assemblies or, if cups and cone assemblies are sold separately, the equivalent of sets. For the purposes of reporting quantity data, please treat an assembly or a cup as one half (i.e., ½) of a completed bearing. So for example if your firm produces and sells 400 cups for use in a completed TRB, report those quantity data as a quantity of 200 bearing equivalents. Any other finished parts (excluding cages) that cannot be converted into "bearing equivalents" (e.g., parts other than assemblies and cups) should be reported in questions III-9b or III-9d).

- III-9a. Operations on small diameter TRBs (8 inches or less outside cup diameter).—Include only small diameter TRBs (8" or less outside cup diameter).
- III-9b. Operations on finished parts and subassemblies (not including cages) not included in question III-9a (Small-diameter TRBs).--Report your firm's operations on parts of TRBs (finished, not including cages). Do not report (i.e., double-count) any parts that were reported in question III-9a including when embodied in an assembly, cup, or complete TRB that is being reported in question III-9a (i.e., do NOT report "internal consumption" here for merchandise reported in a more finalized form in question III-9a).
- III-9c. Operations on large diameter TRBs (over 8 inches outside cup diameter). Include only large diameter TRBs (over 8" outside cup diameter).
- III-9d. Operations on finished parts and subassemblies (not including cages) not included in question III-9c (Large-diameter TRBs).—Report your firm's operations on of parts of TRBs (finished, not including cages). Do not report here (i.e., double-count) any parts that were reported in question III-9c including when embodied in an assembly, cup, or complete TRB that is being reported in question III-9c (i.e., do NOT report "internal consumption" here for merchandise reported in a more finalized form in question III-9c).

III-9a. Operations on small diameter TRBs (8 inches or less outside cup diameter).

Item	Calendar years ended		
	2015	2016	2017
Net sales quantities: ² Commercial sales ("CS")			
Internal consumption ("IC")			
Transfers to related firms ("Transfers")			
Total net sales quantities	0	0	0
Net sales values: ² Commercial sales			
Internal consumption			
Transfers to related firms			
Total net sales values	0	0	0
Cost of goods sold (COGS): ³ Raw materials			
Direct labor			
Other factory costs			
Total COGS	0	0	0
Gross profit or (loss)	0	0	0
Selling, general, and administrative (SG&A) expenses: Selling expenses			
General and administrative expenses			
Total SG&A expenses	0	0	0
Operating income (loss)	0	0	0
Other expenses and income: Interest expense			
All other expense items			
All other income items			
Net income or (loss) before income taxes	0	0	0
Depreciation/amortization included above			

¹ Include only sales (whether <u>domestic or export</u>) and costs related to your <u>U.S. manufacturing operations</u>.

² Less discounts, returns, allowances, and prepaid freight. The quantities and values should approximate the corresponding shipment quantities and values reported in Part II of this questionnaire.

³ COGS (whether for domestic or export sales) should include <u>costs associated with CS, IC, and Transfers.</u>

III-9b. Operations on finished parts and subassemblies (not including cages) not included in III-9a (Small-diameter TRBs).

Value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)				
ltem	Calendar years ended			
	2015	2016	2017	
Net sales values: ²				
Commercial sales				
Internal consumption				
Transfers to related firms				
Total net sales values	0	0	0	
Cost of goods sold (COGS): ³ Raw materials				
Direct labor				
Other factory costs				
Total COGS	0	0	0	
Gross profit or (loss)	0	0	0	
Selling, general, and administrative (SG&A) expenses: Selling expenses				
General and administrative expenses				
Total SG&A expenses	0	0	0	
Operating income (loss)	0	0	0	
Other expenses and income: Interest expense				
All other expense items				
All other income items				
Net income or (loss) before income taxes	0	0	0	
Depreciation/amortization included above				

¹ Include only sales (whether <u>domestic or export</u>) and costs related to your <u>U.S. manufacturing operations</u>.

² Less discounts, returns, allowances, and prepaid freight. The quantities and values should approximate the corresponding shipment quantities and values reported in Part II of this questionnaire.

³ COGS (whether for domestic or export sales) should include <u>costs associated with CS, IC, and Transfers.</u>

III-9c. Operations on large-diameter TRBs (over 8" outside cup diameter).

Item	Calendar years ended			
	2015	2016	2017	
Net sales quantities: ² Commercial sales ("CS")				
Internal consumption ("IC")				
Transfers to related firms ("Transfers")				
Total net sales quantities	0	0	0	
Net sales values: ² Commercial sales				
Internal consumption				
Transfers to related firms				
Total net sales values	0	0	0	
Cost of goods sold (COGS): ³ Raw materials				
Direct labor				
Other factory costs				
Total COGS	0	0	0	
Gross profit or (loss)	0	0	0	
Selling, general, and administrative (SG&A) expenses: Selling expenses				
General and administrative expenses				
Total SG&A expenses	0	0	0	
Operating income (loss)	0	0	0	
Other expenses and income: Interest expense				
All other expense items				
All other income items				
Net income or (loss) before income taxes	0	0	C	
Depreciation/amortization included above				

¹ Include only sales (whether <u>domestic or export</u>) and costs related to your <u>U.S. manufacturing operations</u>.

² Less discounts, returns, allowances, and prepaid freight. The quantities and values should approximate the corresponding shipment quantities and values reported in Part II of this questionnaire.

³ COGS (whether for domestic or export sales) should include <u>costs associated with CS, IC, and Transfers.</u>

III-9d. Operations on finished parts and subassemblies (not including cages) not included in III-9c (Large-diameter TRBs)

	Value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)			
Item	Calendar years ended			
	2015	2016	2017	
Net sales values: ²				
Commercial sales				
Internal consumption				
Transfers to related firms				
Total net sales values	0	0	0	
Cost of goods sold (COGS): ³ Raw materials				
Direct labor				
Other factory costs				
Total COGS	0	0	0	
Gross profit or (loss)	0	0	0	
Selling, general, and administrative (SG&A) expenses: Selling expenses				
General and administrative expenses				
Total SG&A expenses	0	0	0	
Operating income (loss)	0	0	0	
Other expenses and income: Interest expense	0			
All other expense items				
All other income items				
Net income or (loss) before income taxes	0	0	0	
Depreciation/amortization included above				

¹ Include only sales (whether <u>domestic or export</u>) and costs related to your <u>U.S. manufacturing operations</u>.

² Less discounts, returns, allowances, and prepaid freight. The quantities and values should approximate the corresponding shipment quantities and values reported in Part II of this questionnaire.

³ COGS (whether for domestic or export sales) should include <u>costs associated with CS, IC, and Transfers.</u>

III-9e.	net sales loss)) hav fields ret	quantities /e been cal urn the co	nciliationThe calculable line items from questions III-9a and III-9c (i.e., total and values, total COGS, gross profit (or loss), total SG&A, and net income (or culated from the data submitted in the other line items. Do the calculated rect data according to your firm's financial records ignoring non-material y arise due to rounding?
	Yes	☐ NoI	f the calculated fields do not show the correct data, please double check the feeder data for data entry errors and revise.
			Also, check signs accorded to the post operating income line items; the two expense line items should report positive numbers (i.e., expenses are positive and incomes or reversals are negativeinstances of the latter should be rare in those lines) while the income line item also in most instances should have its value be a positive number (i.e., income is positive, expenses or reversals are negative).
			If after reviewing and potentially revising the feeder data your firm has provided, the differences between your records and the calculated fields persist please identify and discuss the differences in the space below.

Nonrecurring items (charges and gains) included in small and large-diameter TRBs financial results. --For each annual for which financial results are reported in questions III-9a and/or III-9c, please specify all material (significant) nonrecurring items (charges and gains) in the schedule below, the specific question III-9a/III-9c line item where the nonrecurring items are included, a brief description of the relevant nonrecurring items, and the associated values (in \$1,000), as reflected in questions III-9a/III-9c; i.e., if an aggregate nonrecurring item has been allocated to question III-9a or III-9c, only the allocated value amount included in questions III-9a/III-9c should be reported in the schedule below. Note: The Commission's objective here is to gather information only on material (significant) nonrecurring items which impacted the reported financial results of the subject product in questions III-9a/III-9c.

	Calendar years ended			
	2015	2016	2017	
Nonrecurring item: In this column please provide a brief description of each nonrecurring item and indicate the specific line item in questions III-9a and/or III-9c where the nonrecurring item is	Nonrecurring item: In the relevant nonrecur III-9c.	n these columns please rring item reported in c	•	
classified.		Value (<i>\$1,000</i>)		
1. , classified as				
2. , classified as				
3. , classified as				
4. , classified as				
5. , classified as				
6. , classified as				
7. , classified as				

<u>records of the company</u> If non-recurring items were reported in question III-10 above, please identify where your company recorded these items in your accounting books and records in the
normal course of business; i.e., just as responses to question III-10 identify where these items are reported in questions III-9a and/or III-9c.

III-12. <u>Asset values</u>.--Report the <u>total</u> assets (i.e., both current and long-term assets) associated with the production, warehousing, and sale of TRBs. If your firm does not maintain some or all of the specific asset information necessary to calculate total assets for TRBs in the normal course of business, please estimate this information based upon a method (such as production, sales, or costs) that is consistent with relevant cost allocations in question III-9a and III-9b. Provide data as of the end of the three most recently completed calendar years.

Note: Total assets should reflect <u>net assets</u> after any accumulated depreciation and allowances deducted.

Total assets should be <u>allocated to the domestic like product</u> if these assets are also related to other products. Please provide a <u>brief explanation if there are any substantial changes</u> in total asset value during the period; e.g., due to asset write-offs, revaluation, and major purchases.

Small-diameter TRBs are 8" or less outside cup diameter; large-diameter TRBs are over 8" outside cup diameter. See product definition on p. 2.

Value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)				
	Calendar years ended			
Item	2015	2016	2017	
Small-diameter TRBs— Total assets (net) ¹				
Large-diameter TRBs— Total assets (net) ²				
¹ Describe				
Describe				

III-13. <u>Capital expenditures and research and development expenses</u>.--Report your firm's capital expenditures and research and development expenses for TRBs. Provide data for the three most recently completed calendar years, and for the specified interim periods.

Small-diameter TRBs are 8" inches or less outside cup diameter; large-diameter TRBs are above 8" outside cup diameter. See product definition on p. 2.

	Value (<i>in \$1,000</i>)				
Item	Calendar years ended-	-			
	2015	2016	2017		
Small diameter TRBs					
Capital expenditures ¹					
Research and development expenses ²					
Large diameter TRBs					
Capital expenditures ³					
Research and development expenses ⁴					

¹ Please describe the nature, focus, and significance of your firm's capital expenditures on small diameter TRBs.

² Please describe the nature, focus, and significance of your firm's R&D expenses related to small diameter TRBs.

³Please describe the nature, focus, and significance of your firm's capital expenditures on large diameter TRBs.

⁴ Please describe the nature, focus, and significance of your firm's R&D expenses related to large diameter TRBs.

III-14. <u>Data consistency and reconciliation.</u>--Please indicate whether your firm's financial data for questions III-9, III-12, and III-13 are based on a calendar year or on your firm's fiscal year:

Calendar year	Fiscal year	Specify fiscal year

<u>RECONCILIATION OF TRADE VS FINANCIAL DATA</u>.--Please ensure that the quantities and values reported for total shipments in part II equal the quantities and values reported total net sales in part III of this questionnaire in each time period. If the calculated fields below return values other than zero (i.e., "0") and both are being reported on a calendar basis, please explain the discrepancy below.

Reconciliation		Full year data	
	2015	2016	2017
Tapered Roller Bearings			
Quantity (small diameter): Trade data from question II-7a (lines D, F, H, and J) less financial total net sales quantity data from question III-9a, = zero ("0").	0	0	0
Value (small diameter): Trade data from question II-7a (lines E, G, I, and K) less financial total net sales value data from question III-9a, = zero ("0").	0	0	0
Quantity (large diameter): Trade data from question II-8a (lines D, F, H, and J) less financial total net sales quantity data from question III-9c, = zero ("0").	0	0	0
Value (large diameter): Trade data from question II-8a (lines E, G, I, and K) less financial total net sales value data from question III-9c, = zero ("0").	0	0	0
Finished parts and subassemblies (not	including cages)		
Small diameter Value: Trade data from question II-7c less financial total net sales value data from question III-9b, = zero ("0").	0	0	0
Large diameter Value: Trade data from question II-8c less financial total net sales value data from question III-9d, = zero ("0").	0	0	0

	Do thes		ta in questions III-9a, III-9b, III-9c, and III-9d reconcile with data in questions II-7a, II-II-8a, and II-8c?					
	Yes		No	If no, please explain.				
versus	large-dia	amet	er TRE	•	III-15, III-16, and III-17 differ by small-diameter differences and, as applicable, indicate which your			
III-15.	. <u>Effects of imports on investment</u> Since January 1, 2015, has your firm experienced any actual negative effects on its return on investment or the scale of capital investments as a result of imports of TRBs from Korea?							
	∐ No			J YesMiy firm has experi	enced actual negative effects as follows:			
		(ch	ieck a	s many as appropriate)	(please describe)			
				ellation, postponement, ection of expansion cts				
		investme Reduction		al or rejection of tment proposal				
				ction in the size of al investments				
				rn on specific tments negatively cted				
			Othe	r				

III-16.	<u>Effects of imports on growth and development</u> Since January 1, 2015, has your firm experienced any actual negative effects on its growth, ability to raise capital, or existing development and production efforts (including efforts to develop a derivative or more advanced version of the product) as a result of imports of TRBs from Korea?					
	☐ No		YesMy firm has experi	enced actual negative effects as follows:		
		(ch	heck as many as appropriate)	(please describe)		
			Rejection of bank loans			
			Lowering of credit rating			
			Problem related to the issue of stocks or bonds			
			Ability to service debt			
			Other			

III-17.	Anticipated effects of importsDoes your firm anticipate any negative effects due to imports or
	TRBs from Korea?

No	Yes	If yes, my firm anticipates negative effects as follows:

III-18.	Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part III that did not provide a narrative 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 IV.--PRICING AND MARKET FACTORS

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

IV-1. <u>Contact information</u>.--Please identify the individual that Commission staff may contact regarding the confidential information submitted in part IV.

Name	
Title	
Email	
Telephone	
Fax	

PRICE DATA

IV-2. This question requests quarterly quantity and value data for your firm's commercial shipments to unrelated U.S. <u>OEM</u> customers since January 1, 2015 of the following products produced by your firm.

Product 1.— 55437 – TRB Cup (single row, outer diameter OD 4.375 inches, width 0.813 inch).

Product 2.— 55200C - TRB Cone Assemblies (single row, 2 inch bore, width 1.0594 inch).

Product 3.— 72487 – TRB Cup (single row, OD 4.8750 inches, width 1.0000 inch).

<u>Product 4.— 72212C – TRB Cone Assemblies (single row, bore 2.1250 inches).</u>

Product 5.— JLM704610 – TRB Cup (single row, OD 3.3071 inches, width 0.6890 inch).

<u>Product 6.— LM501349 – TRB Cone Assemblies (single row, bore 1.6250 inches).</u>

Product 7.— LM501314 – TRB Cup (single row, OD 2.8910 inches, width 0.6537 inch).

Product 8.— M804049 – TRB Cone Assemblies (single row, bore 1.8750 inches).

Please note that values should be <u>f.o.b.</u>, <u>U.S.</u> <u>point of shipment</u> 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 2015-December 2017, did your firm produce 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 tables as appropriate.
NoSkip to question IV-3.

Product 2: Product 3: Product 4:

IV-2a. <u>Price data</u>.--Report below the quarterly price data¹ for pricing products² produced and sold by your firm to OEMs.

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

		(Quanti	ty in units, va	lue <i>in dolla</i>	ırs)				
	Product 1			Product 2		Product 3		Product 4	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	
2015:									
January-March									
April-June									
July-September									
October-December									
2016:									
January-March									
April-June									
July-September									
October-December									
2017:									
January-March									
April-June									
July-September									
October-December									
¹ Net values (i.e., gross : goods), f.o.b. your firm's U.S ² Pricing product definit	. point of shipn ions are provid	nent. led on the f	irst page of Pa	rt IV.					
Note. If your firm's product provide a description of your		,			•			oauct,	
Product 1:									

IV-2a. **Price data.--Continued**

Product 8:

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

		(Quanti	ty in units, va	ue in dolla	ırs)			
	Product 5		Product 6		Product 7		Product 8	
Period of shipment	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2015:								·
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								<u>. </u>
2016: January-March								
April-June								·
July-September								
October-December								
2017:								
January-March								
April-June								
July-September								
October-December								
¹ Net values (i.e., gross so goods), f.o.b. your firm's U.S. ² Pricing product definition	point of shipn	nent.			prepaid freigl	ht, and the	value of retur	ned
Note -If your firm's product of provide a description of your		,						oduct,
Product 5:								
Product 6:								
Product 7:								

IV-2b.	Price data checklistPlease check that the pricing data in question III-2(a) has been correctly
	reported.

Is the price data reported above:	√ if Yes
In actual dollars (not \$1,000) and actual units (not bearing equivalents)?	
F.o.b. U.S. point of shipment (i.e., does not include U.S. transport costs)?	
Net of all discounts and rebates?	
Have returns credited to the quarter in which the sale occurred?	
Less than reported commercial shipments in question II-7a in each year?	

IV-2c.	<u>Pricing data methodology</u> 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.

IV-3.	Price settingHow does your firm determine the prices that it charges for sales of TRBs (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

IV-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

IV-5. **Pricing terms.--**

(a) What are your firm's typical sales terms for its U.S.-produced TRBs?

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

(b) On what basis are your firm's prices of domestic TRBs usually quoted (check one)?

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

IV-6. Contract versus spot.--Approximately what share of your firm's sales of its U.S.-produced TRBs in 2017 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 (should sum to 100.0%)	
Share of 2017 sales	%	%	%	%	0.0	%

IV-7. <u>Contract provisions.</u>--Please fill out the table regarding your firm's typical sales contracts for U.S.-produced TRBs (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	No. of days		365	
Price renegotiation	Yes			
(during contract period)	No			
	Quantity			
Fixed quantity and/or price	Price			
ana, er pries	Both			
Meet or release	Yes			
provision	No			
Not applicab	le			

IV-8. <u>Lead times.</u>—What is your firm's share of sales 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 its U.S.-produced TRBs?

Source	Share of 2017 sales	Lead time (average number of days)
From inventory	%	
Produced to order	%	
Total (should sum to 100.0%)	0.0 %	

IV-9.	Shipping	information

(a)	What is the approximate percentage of the cost of U.Sproduced TRBs 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) Indicate the approximate percentage of your firm's sales of TRBs that are delivered the following distances from its production facility.

Distance from production facility	Share
Within 100 miles	%
101 to 1,000 miles	%
Over 1,000 miles	%
Total (should sum to 100.0%)	0.0 %

IV-10. <u>Geographical shipments.--</u>In which U.S. geographic market area(s) has your firm sold its U.S.-produced TRBs since January 1, 2015 (check all that apply)?

Geographic area	√ if applicable
NortheastCT, 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.	
Mountains.—AZ, 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.	

IV-11. <u>End uses.--</u>List the end uses of the TRBs that your firm manufactures. For each end-use product, what percentage of the <u>total cost</u> is accounted for by TRBs and other inputs?

	Share of total cost	Total	
			(should sum to
End use product	TRBs	Other inputs	100.0% across)
	%	%	0.0 %
	%	%	0.0 %
	%	%	0.0 %

IV-12.	V-12. <u>Substitutes</u> Can other products be substituted for TRBs?						
	☐ No	YesPlease fill out t	ne tak	ole.			
		End use in which this	Have changes in the price of this substitute affected the price for TRBs?				
Substitute		substitute is used	No	Yes	Explanation		
1.							
2.							
3.							

IV-13. <u>Demand trends</u>.--Indicate how demand within the United States and outside of the United States (if known) for TRBs has changed since January 1, 2015. Explain any trends and describe the principal factors that have affected these changes in demand.

Market	Overall increase	No change	Overall decrease	Fluctuate with no clear trend	Explanation and factors		
Within the United States							
Overall							
Automotive							
Agriculture							
Heavy equipment/ industrial							
Outside the United States ¹							
¹ Please identify countries or regions referenced:							

IV-14. **Product changes.--**Have there been any significant changes in the product range, product mix, or marketing of TRBs since January 1, 2015?

No	Yes	If yes, please describe and quantify if possible.

IV-15.	Conditions	of com	petition

IV-16.

IV-17.

(a)	Is the TRBs market subject to business cycles (other than general economy-wide
	conditions) and/or other conditions of competition distinctive to TRBs? If yes, describe.

Check all t	that apply	/ .	P	Please describe.	
	No		S	kip to question IV-16.	
	Yes-Business cycles (e.g. seasonal business)				
		Yes-Other distinctive conditions of competition			
(b) If yes, have there been any changes TRBs since January 1, 2015?				the business cycles or conditions of competition for	
No	Yes If yes, describe.				
lanuary 1, declining to	2015 (exa o accept r	imples inclunew custom	ude placing co ners or renew	declined, or been unable to supply TRBs since ustomers on allocation or "controlled order entry," existing customers, delivering less than the nely shipment commitments, etc.)?	
No	Yes		ase describe, could not be	including an estimate of the dates and volume of supplied.	
Raw mate	Raw materialsHow have TRBs raw material prices changed since January 1, 2015?				
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 TRBs.	
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IV-18. <u>Interchangeability.</u>--Are TRBs 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	Korea	China	Japan	Other countries
United States				
Korea				
China				
Japan				

For any country-pair producing TRBs that is *sometimes* or *never* interchangeable, identify the country-pair and explain the factors that limit or preclude interchangeable use:

IV-19. <u>Factors other than price</u>.--Are differences other than price (e.g., quality, availability, transportation network, product range, technical support, *etc*.) between TRBs 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	Korea	China	Japan	Other countries
United States				
Korea				
China				
Japan				

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

IV-20. <u>Customer identification</u>.--List the names and contact information for your firm's 10 largest U.S. customers for TRBs since January 1, 2015. Indicate the share of the quantity of your firm's total shipments of TRBs that each of these customers accounted for in 2017.

C	Customer's name	Contact person	Email	Telephone	City	State	Share of 2017 sales (%)
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							

IV-21. Competition from imports

(a) <u>Lost revenue</u>.--Since January 1, 2015: To avoid losing sales to competitors selling TRBs from Korea, did your firm:

Item	No	Yes
Reduce prices		
Roll back announced price increases		

(b) <u>Lost sales.</u>--Since January 1, 2015: Did your firm lose sales of TRBs to imports of this product from Korea?

No	Yes

(c) The submission of lost sales/lost revenue allegations is to be completed only by NON-PETITIONERS.

If your firm indicated "yes" to any of the above, your firm can provide the Commission with additional information by downloading and completing the lost sales/lost revenues worksheet at http://usitc.gov/trade_remedy/question.htm. Note that the Commission may contact the firms named to verify the allegations reported.

Is your firm submitting the lost sales/lost revenues worksheet?

No—Please explain.
Yes—Please complete the worksheet and submit via the Commission dropbox. https://dropbox.usitc.gov/oinv/ . (PIN: TRBS)

IV-22. Other explanations.--If your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part IV 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 V.--ALTERNATIVE PRODUCT INFORMATION

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained from Keysha Martinez (202-205-2136, keysha.martinez@usitc.gov).

Small-diameter TRBs—TRBs as described on page 2, with an outside cup diameter of eight inches or less.

Large-diameter TRBs—TRBs as described on page 2, with an outside cup diameter over 8 inches.

Note.--The alternative product comparison questions are being asked in multiple questionnaire types (U.S. producers', U.S. importers', and U.S. purchasers' questionnaires). If your firm is completing more than one of these questionnaire types in relation to this proceeding, please only respond to the alternative product comparisons question in only **one questionnaire type**. In general, your firm should make these comparisons in the questionnaire type that is most relevant to your firm's role in the market.

V-1. Comparability of small-diameter TRBs and large-diameter TRBs.--For each of the following indicate whether small-diameter TRBs and large-diameter TRBs are: fully comparable or the same, *i.e.*, have no differentiation between them; mostly comparable or similar; somewhat comparable or similar; never or not-at-all comparable or similar; or no familiarity with products.

F: fully comparable or the same, i.e., have no differentiation between them;

M: mostly comparable or similar;

S: somewhat comparable or similar;

N: never or not-at-all comparable or similar; or

0: no familiarity with products.

(a) <u>Physical Characteristics and End Uses</u>.--The differences and similarities in the physical characteristics and end uses.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their physical characteristics and uses:
Small-diameter TRBs vs Large- diameter TRBs		

(b) Interchangeability.--The ability to substitute the products in the same application.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their <u>interchangeability</u> :
Small-diameter TRBs vs Large- diameter TRBs		

- V-1. Comparability of small-diameter TRBs and large-diameter TRBs.—Continued
 - (c) <u>Manufacturing facilities</u>, <u>production processes</u>, <u>and production employees</u>.--Whether manufactured in the same facilities, from the same inputs, on the same machinery and equipment, and using the same employees.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their manufacturing facilities, production processes, and production employees:
Small-diameter TRBs vs Large- diameter TRBs		

(d) <u>Channels of distribution</u>.--Channels of distribution/market situation through which the products are sold (i.e., sold direct to end users, through wholesaler/distributors, etc.).

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their <u>channels of distribution</u> :
Small-diameter TRBs vs Large- diameter TRBs		

(e) <u>Customer and producer perceptions</u>.--Perceptions as to the differences and/or similarities in the market (*e.g.*, sales/marketing practices).

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their customer and product perceptions:
Small-diameter TRBs vs Large- diameter TRBs		

(f) **Price**.--Whether prices are comparable or differ between the products.

Product-pair	Comparison	Please provide a narrative discussion for the comparability ratings you provided in terms of their customer and product perceptions:
Small-diameter TRBs vs Large- diameter TRBs		

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/tapered_roller_bearings_korea/Final.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: TRBS

• E-mail.—E-mail the MS Word questionnaire to keysha.martinez@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 <u>does not </u>**produce 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.