U.S. IMPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE

CHASSIS AND SUBASSEMBLIES FROM CHINA

This questionnaire must be received by the Commission by <u>DATE</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 duty and antidumping investigations concerning certain chassis and subassemblies thereof ("chassis") from China (Inv. Nos. 701-TA-657 and 731-TA-1537 (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

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PART I.—GENERAL INFORMATION

Background.— This proceeding was instituted in response to a petition filed on July 30, 2020, by the Coalition of American Chassis Manufacturers, consisting of Cheetah Chassis Corporation, Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania, Hercules Enterprises, LLC, Hillsborough, New Jersey, Pitts Enterprises, Inc., Pittsview, Alabama, Pratt Industries, Inc., Bridgman, Michigan, and Stoughton Trailers, LLC, Stoughton, Wisconsin. 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 LINK.

<u>Chassis</u> covered by these investigations are chassis and subassemblies thereof, whether finished or unfinished, whether assembled or unassembled, whether coated or uncoated, regardless of the number of axles, for carriage of containers, or other payloads (including self-supporting payloads) for road, marine roll-on/roll-off (RORO) and/or rail transport. Chassis are typically, but are not limited to, rectangular framed trailers with a suspension and axle system, wheels and tires, brakes, a lighting and electrical system, a coupling for towing behind a truck tractor, and a locking system or systems to secure the shipping container or containers to the chassis using twistlocks, slide pins or similar attachment devices to engage the corner fittings on the container or other payload.

Subject merchandise includes, but is not limited to, the following subassemblies:

- Chassis frames, or sections of chassis frames, including kingpins or kingpin assemblies, bolsters
 consisting of transverse beams with locking or support mechanisms, goosenecks, drop
 assemblies, extension mechanisms and/or rear impact guards;
- Running gear assemblies or axle assemblies for connection to the chassis frame, whether fixed
 in nature or capable of sliding fore and aft or lifting up and lowering down, which may or may
 not include suspension(s) (mechanical or pneumatic), wheel end components, slack adjusters,
 axles, brake chambers, locking pins, and tires and wheels;
- Landing gear (legs) or landing gear assemblies, for connection to the chassis frame, capable of supporting the chassis when it is not engaged to a tractor; and
- Assemblies and/or components that connect to the chassis frame or a section of the chassis frame, such as, but not limited to, pintle hooks or B-trains (which include a fifth wheel), which are capable of connecting a chassis to a converter dolly or another chassis.

Importation of any of these subassemblies, whether assembled or unassembled, constitutes an unfinished chassis for purposes of this investigation.

Subject merchandise also includes chassis, whether finished or unfinished, entered with or for further assembly with components such as, but not limited to: Hub and drum assemblies, brake assemblies (either drum or disc), axles, brake chambers, suspensions and suspension components, wheel end components, landing gear legs, spoke or disc wheels, tires, brake control systems, electrical harnesses and lighting systems.

Processing of finished and unfinished chassis and components such as trimming, cutting, grinding, notching, punching, drilling, painting, coating, staining, finishing, assembly, or any other processing either in the country of manufacture of the in-scope product or in a third country does not remove the product from the scope. Inclusion of other components not identified as comprising the finished or unfinished chassis does not remove the product from the scope.

This scope excludes dry van trailers, refrigerated van trailers and flatbed trailers. Dry van trailers are trailers with a wholly enclosed cargo space comprised of fixed sides, nose, floor and roof, with articulated panels (doors) across the rear and occasionally at selected places on the sides, with the cargo space being permanently incorporated in the trailer itself. Refrigerated van trailers are trailers with a wholly enclosed cargo space comprised of fixed sides, nose, floor and roof, with articulated panels (doors) across the rear and occasionally at selected places on the sides, with the cargo space being permanently incorporated in the trailer and being insulated, possessing specific thermal properties intended for use with self-contained refrigeration systems. Flatbed (or platform) trailers consist of load-carrying main frames and a solid, flat or stepped loading deck or floor permanently incorporated with and supported by frame rails and cross members.

The finished and unfinished chassis subject to this investigation are typically classified in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) at subheadings 8716.39.00 or 8716.90.50 (statistical reporting numbers 8716.39.0090 or 8716.90.5060). Imports of finished and unfinished chassis may also be reported under HTSUS statistical reporting number 8716.90.5010. While the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the merchandise under investigation is dispositive.

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

Reporting of information.--If information is not readily available from your records, provide carefully prepared estimates. If your firm is completing more than one questionnaire (i.e., a producer, importer, and/or purchaser questionnaire), you need not respond to duplicated questions.

<u>Confidentiality</u>.--The commercial and financial data furnished in response to this questionnaire that reveal the individual operations of your firm will be treated as confidential by the Commission to the extent that such data are not otherwise available to the public and will not be disclosed except as may be required by law (see 19 U.S.C. § 1677f). Such confidential information will not be published in a manner that will reveal the individual operations of your firm; however, general characterizations of numerical business proprietary information (such as discussion of trends) will be treated as confidential business information only at the request of the submitter for good cause shown.

<u>Verification</u>.--The information submitted in this questionnaire is subject to audit and verification by the Commission. To facilitate possible verification of data, please keep all files, worksheets, and supporting documents used in the preparation of the questionnaire response. Please also retain a copy of the final document that you submit.

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

Valid number error messages.—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 Ahdia Bavari (202-205-3191, ahdia.bavari@usitc.gov).

<u>D-GRIDS tool.</u>--The Commission has a tool that firms can use to move data from their own MS Excel compilation files into self-contained data tables within this MS Word questionnaire, thereby reducing the amount of cell-by-cell data entry that would be required to complete this form. This tool is a macroenabled MS Excel file available for download from the Commission's generic questionnaires webpage (https://www.usitc.gov/trade_remedy/question.htm) called the "D-GRIDs tool." Use of this tool to help your firm complete this questionnaire is *optional*. Firms opting to use the D-GRIDs tool to populate their data into this questionnaire will need the D-GRIDs specification sheet PDF file specific to this proceeding (available on the case page which is linked under the "Background" above) which includes the necessary references relating to this questionnaire, as well as the macro-enable MS Excel D-GRIDs tool itself from the generic questionnaires page. More detailed instructions on how to use the D-GRIDs tool are available within the D-GRIDs tool itself.

I-1. OMB statistics.--Please report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to your firm of completing this questionnaire.

| Hours | Dollars |
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The questions in this questionnaire have been reviewed with market participants to ensure that issues of concern are adequately addressed and that data requests are sufficient, meaningful, and as limited as possible. Public reporting burden for this questionnaire is estimated to average 40 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering data, and completing and reviewing the questionnaire.

We welcome comments regarding the accuracy of this burden estimate, suggestions for reducing the burden, and any suggestions for improving this questionnaire. Please attach such comments to your response or send to the Office of Investigations, USITC, 500 E St. SW, Washington, DC 20436.

I-2a. <u>Establishments covered</u>.--Provide the name and address of establishment(s) covered by this questionnaire.

| " <u>Establishment</u> "Each facility of a firm involved in the <u>importation</u> of chassis, including auxiliary |
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| facilities operated in conjunction with (whether or not physically separate from) such facilities. |
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| I-2b. | <u>Stock symbol information.</u> If your firm or parent firm is publicly traded, please specify the stock exchange and trading symbol: | | | |
| I-2c. | | ur firm or parent firm is represer specify the name of the law firm | nted by external counsel in relation to and the lead attorney(s). | |
| | Law firm: | | | |
| | Lead attorney(s): | | | |
| I-3. | | n owned, in whole or in part, by a | any other firm? elating to the ultimate parent/owner. | |
| | Firm name | Country | Extent of ownership (percent) | |
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| I-4. | foreign, that are engage engaged in exporting ch | | related firms, either domestic or a into the United States or that are tates? | |
| | Firm name | Country | Affiliation | |
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| Related producersDo | | related firms, either dome | stic or foreign, that |
| ☐ No ☐ Yes | sList the following info | rmation. | |
| Firm name | Country | | Affiliation |
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I-8. <u>FTZ, TIB, or bonded warehouses</u>.--Please indicate whether your firm enters chassis into, or withdraws such merchandise from, foreign trade zones or bonded warehouses. Also indicate whether your firm imports chassis under the TIB (temporary importation under bond) program.

"Foreign trade zone" is a designated location in the United States where firms utilize special procedures that allow delayed or reduced customs duty payments on foreign merchandise, as well as other savings. A foreign trade zone must be designated as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in the Foreign-Trade Zones Act.

"Bonded warehouse" is a secured facility supervised by U.S. customs, where dutiable landed imports are stored pending their re-export, or release after payment of import duties, taxes, and other charges. A bonded warehouse must be designed as such pursuant to the rules and procedures set forth in 19 U.S.C. § 1555.

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

| Item | No | Yes |
|----------------------------------|----|-----|
| Foreign trade zones | | |
| Bonded warehouses | | |
| Temporary importation under bond | | |

I-9. <u>Other trade actions</u>.--To your knowledge, have the products subject to this proceeding been the subject of any other import relief proceedings in the United States or in any other countries?

| No | Yes | If yes, please specify. |
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PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

Further information on this part of the questionnaire can be obtained Ahdia Bavari (202-205-3191, ahdia.bavari@usitc.gov). **Supply all data requested on a calendar-year basis.**

| II-1. | • | nationPlease identify the responsible aff may contact that individual regardi | e individual and the manner by which ng the confidential information submitted |
|-------|-----------|---|--|
| | Name | | |
| | Title | | |
| | Email | | |
| | Telephone | | |

II-2a. <u>Changes in operations.</u>—Please indicate whether your firm has experienced any of the following changes in relation to the importation of chassis since January 1, 2018.

| (check as many as appropriate) | | (If checked, please describe the nature, date(s), and significance of any such reported changes as well as the business reasons for them; leave completely blank if not applicable) |
|--------------------------------|---|---|
| | Office/warehouse openings | |
| | Office/warehouse closings | |
| | Relocations | |
| | Expansions | |
| | Acquisitions | |
| | Consolidations | |
| | Prolonged shutdowns or importation curtailments | |
| | Revised labor agreements | |
| | Other (e.g., technology) | |

| II-2b. | COVID-19 pandemic.—Since January 1, 2020, has the COVID-19 pandemic or have any |
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| | government actions taken to contain the spread of the COVID-19 virus resulted in changes in |
| | relation to your firm's supply chain arrangements, production, sales, and employment relating |
| | to chassis? |

| No | Yes | If yes, describe these changes including a separate discussion of the (a) supply chain impact, (b) production and sales impact, and (c) the employment impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. |
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II-3a. <u>Arranged imports</u>.--Has your firm imported or arranged for the importation of chassis for delivery after **December 31, 2020**?

"Arranged imports" – Imports for which your firm has placed an order with a foreign supplier for subject merchandise, but delivery of those imports is not scheduled to occur until after the date listed above.

"Unit" – For purposes of this questionnaire, a unit can be either a complete chassis imported in fully assembled form; a set of imported subassembly parts intended for assembly into a complete chassis; or a subassembly (see page 2) imported for individual use or sale.

| No | Yes | |
|----|-----|-----------------------------------|
| | | If yes, fill out the table below. |

| | Period | | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Source | Jan-Mar 2021 | Apr-Jun 2021 | Jul-Sept 2021 | Oct-Dec 2021 |
| China <i>Quantity</i> (in units) | | | | |
| Quantity (in pounds) | | | | |
| All other sources Quantity (in units) | | | | |
| Quantity (in pounds) | | | | |

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| II-3b. | Imports in the 12-month period preceding the petition Has your firm imported chassis from |
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| | any source between July 1, 2019 and June 30, 2020? (i.e., the last six months in 2019 and first six |
| | months in 2020 combined) |

| No | Yes | |
|----|-----|---|
| | | If yes, report the quantity of such import below by source. |

| Quantity (in units) | | | |
|------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Source July 2019 through June 2020 | | | |
| China | | | |
| Quantity (in units) | | | |
| Quantity (in pounds) | | | |
| All other sources | | | |
| Quantity (in units) | | | |
| Quantity (in pounds) | | | |

| II-4. | Reasons for importing if producerIf your firm also produces chassis in the United States, please indicate the reasons for importing this product. If your firm's reasons differ by source, please elaborate. |
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Definitions

"Unit" – For purposes of this questionnaire, a unit can be either a complete chassis imported in fully assembled form; a set of imported subassembly parts intended for assembly into a complete chassis; or a subassembly (see page 2) imported for individual use or sale.

"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).

"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).

"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 net values (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, rebates, prepaid freight, and the value of returned goods) in U.S. dollars, f.o.b. your point of shipment.

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

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

"Related firm" —A firm that your firm solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled; a firm that solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm; and/or a firm that was solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled by a firm that also solely or jointly owned, managed, or otherwise controlled your firm.

"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-5a. <u>U.S. imports from China</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of chassis imported from China by your firm during the specified periods.

China

| Quantity (in units), value (in \$1,000) | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| | Calendar year | | | |
| Item | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | |
| Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A) | | | | |
| Imports: ¹ Quantity (B) | | | | |
| Value (C) | | | | |
| U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D) | | | | |
| Value (E) | | | | |
| Internal consumption: ² Quantity (F) | | | | |
| Value² (G) | | | | |
| Transfers to related firms: ² Quantity (H) | | | | |
| Value² (I) | | | | |
| Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J) | | | | |
| Value (K) | | | | |
| End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L) | | | | |
| ¹ Please identify the foreign producers, in ² Internal consumption and transfers to basis for valuing these transactions in your the data provided above in this table shoul please report your U.S. shipments as intern chassis to use. Do not report your fleet of conditions of the | related firms must be valued records, please specify to be based on fair marked all consumption based on the line for investigation. | hat basis (e.g., cost, cost plus et value. If your firm is a trans n first period of time in which | , <i>etc.</i>): However, portation services provider, | |

II-5a. U.S. imports from China.—Continued

RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.--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 year | | |
|---------------|---------------|------|
| 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
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| | 2018 0 | , |

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

II-5b. <u>U.S. imports from China (additional detail).</u>--Report additional detail relating to your firm's imports from China during the specified periods.

| | Calendar year | | |
|---|---------------|------|------|
| Item | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
| | | | |
| Imports | | | |
| Quantity (in units) ¹ | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Quantity (pounds) | | | |
| Value (in \$1,000) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ¹ Data for <i>Quantity</i> (in units) and <i>Value</i> (in dollars) will automatically populate from question II-5a. | | | |

II-5c. <u>Channels of distribution: China</u>.--Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from China by channel of distribution during the specified periods.

China

| | Calendar year | | |
|---|---------------|---------------------|------|
| Item | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| | | Quantity (in units) | |
| Channels of distribution: U.S. shipments: To trucking companies and other end users (including leasing companies) (M) | | | |
| To distributors and dealers (N) | | | |

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS.</u>--Please ensure that the quantities reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M and N) in each time period equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., line D, F, H) 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 year | | |
|--|---------------|------|------|
| Reconciliation item | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| M + N - D - F - H = zero ("0"), if not | | | |
| revise. | 0 | 0 | 0 |

II-5d. <u>U.S. shipments by product type: China</u>.--Report your firm's U.S. shipments of imports (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) from China by product type during the specified periods.

"Finished chassis" – A complete chassis (whether assembled or unassembled).

China

| | Calendar year | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|------|------|--|
| Item | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | |
| U.S. shipments: | | | | |
| Finished chassis: | | | | |
| Quantity in units (O) | | | | |
| Quantity <i>in pounds</i> (P) | | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (Q) | | | | |
| Subassemblies: | | | | |
| Chassis frames: | | | | |
| Quantity <i>in units</i> (R) | | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (S) | | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (T) | | | | |
| Running gear/ axle subassemblies: | | | | |
| Quantity in units (U) | | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (V) | | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (W) | | | | |
| Landing gear subassemblies: | | | | |
| Quantity in units (X) | | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (Y) | | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (Z) | | | | |
| Connection subassemblies:1 | | | | |
| Quantity in units (AA) | | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (AB) | | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (AC) | | | | |
| All other subassemblies: ² | | | | |
| Quantity in units (AD) | | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (AE) | | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (AF) | | | | |

¹ Connection subassemblies include assemblies and/or components capable of connecting a chassis to a converter dolly or another chassis, such a pintle hooks or B-trains (fifth wheels).

[&]quot;Subassembly" – A component of a chassis. Please see page 2 for a complete description of the specified subassemblies below.

² Please describe these other subassemblies:

II-5d. <u>U.S. shipments by product type: China</u>.--*Continued*

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS</u>.—Please ensure that the quantities (in units) and values reported for U.S. shipments in this question (i.e., lines O through AC) in each time period equal the quantity and values reported for U.S. shipments in previous question II-5a (i.e., lines D through 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 year | | |
|--|---------------|------|------|
| Reconciliation | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| Quantity : D + F + H - O - R - U - X - AA - | | | |
| AD = zero ("0"), if not revise | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Value : E + G + I – Q – T – W – Z – AC – AF | | | |
| = zero, ("0"), if not revise. | 0 | 0 | 0 |

³ Identify your firm's principal export markets:

II-6a. <u>U.S. imports from All other sources</u>.—Report your firm's imports and your firm's shipments and inventories of chassis imported from all other sources by your firm during the specified periods.

All other sources

| (list sources: | |
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| | Quantity (in units), v | alue (<i>in \$1,000</i>) | |
|--|---|---|--|
| Calendar year | | | |
| Item | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| Beginning-of-period inventories (quantity) (A) | | | |
| Imports: ¹ Quantity (B) | | | |
| Value (C) | | | |
| U.S. shipments: Commercial shipments: Quantity (D) | | | |
| Value (E) | | | |
| Internal consumption: ² Quantity (F) | | | |
| Value² (G) | | | |
| Transfers to related firms: ² Quantity (H) | | | |
| Value² (I) | | | |
| Export shipments: ³ Quantity (J) | | | |
| Value (K) | | | |
| End-of-period inventories (quantity) (L) | | | |
| ¹ Please identify the foreign producer ² Internal consumption and transfers basis for valuing these transactions in you the data provided above in this table should be report your U.S. shipments as into chassis to use. Do not report your fleet of | to related firms must be our records, please specificated be based on fair manernal consumption based | y that basis (e.g., cost, cost pl ket value. If your firm is a tra I on first period of time in whi | us, <i>etc.</i>): However, nsportation services provider |

II-6a. U.S. imports from All other sources.—Continued

RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS, IMPORTS, AND INVENTORIES.--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 year | | |
|--|---------------|------|------|
| Reconciliation | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| A + B – D – F – H – J – L = should equal | | | |
| zero ("0") or provide an explanation. ¹ | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 - 1 15.1 | | | W. I |

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

II-5b. <u>U.S. imports from all other sources (additional detail).</u>--Report additional detail relating to your firm's imports from all other sources during the specified periods.

| | Calendar year | | |
|---|---|-------------------------------|-----------|
| ltem | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
| | | | |
| Imports | | | |
| <i>Quantity</i> (in units) ¹ | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Quantity (pounds) | | | |
| <i>Value</i> (in \$1,000) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ¹ Data for <i>Quantity</i> (in units) ar | nd <i>Value</i> (in dollars) will autom | atically populate from questi | on II-6a. |

II-6c. <u>Channels of distribution: All other sources</u>.--Report your firm's U.S. shipments (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) of imports from all other sources by channel of distribution during the specified periods.

All other sources

| | Calendar year | | |
|---|---------------|---------------------|------|
| Item | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| | | Quantity (in units) | |
| Channels of distribution: U.S. shipments: To trucking companies and other end users (including leasing companies) (M) | | | |
| To distributors and dealers (N) | | | |

<u>RECONCILIATION OF CHANNELS.</u>--Please ensure that the quantities reported for channels of distribution (i.e., lines M and N) in each time period equal the quantity reported for U.S. shipments (i.e., line D, F, H) 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 year | | |
|--|---------------|------|------|
| Reconciliation item | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| M + N - D - F - H = zero ("0"), if not | | | |
| revise. | 0 | 0 | 0 |

II-6d. <u>U.S. shipments by product type: All other sources.</u>--Report your firm's U.S. shipments of imports (i.e. inclusive of commercial U.S. shipments, internal consumption, and transfers to related firms) from all other sources by product type during the specified periods.

"Finished chassis" – A complete chassis (whether assembled or unassembled).

All other sources

| | Calendar year | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|------|------|
| ltem | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| U.S. shipments: | | | |
| Finished chassis: | | | |
| Quantity in units (O) | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (P) | | | |
| Value <i>in \$1,000</i> (Q) | | | |
| Subassemblies: | | | |
| Chassis frames: | | | |
| Quantity <i>in units</i> (R) | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (S) | | | |
| Value <i>in \$1,000</i> (T) | | | |
| Running gear/ axle subassemblies: | | | |
| Quantity in units (U) | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (V) | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (W) | | | |
| Landing gear subassemblies: | | | |
| Quantity in units (X) | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (Y) | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (Z) | | | |
| Connection subassemblies:1 | | | |
| Quantity in units (AA) | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (AB) | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (AC) | | | |
| All other subassemblies: ² | | | |
| Quantity <i>in units</i> (AD) | | | |
| Quantity in pounds (AE) | | | |
| Value in \$1,000 (AF) | | | |

¹ Connection subassemblies include assemblies and/or components capable of connecting a chassis to a converter dolly or another chassis, such a pintle hooks or B-trains (fifth wheels).

[&]quot;Subassembly" – A component of a chassis. Please see page 2 for a complete description of the specified subassemblies below.

² Please describe these other subassemblies:

II-6d. U.S. shipments by product type: All other sources.--Continued

<u>RECONCILIATION OF SHIPMENTS</u>.—Please ensure that the quantities (in units) and values reported for U.S. shipments in this question (i.e., lines O through AC) in each time period equal the quantity and values reported for U.S. shipments in previous question II-6a (i.e., lines D through 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 year | | |
|--|---------------|------|------|
| Reconciliation | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| Quantity : D + F + H - O - R - U - X - AA - | | | |
| AD = zero ("0"), if not revise | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Value : E + G + I – Q – T – W – Z – AC – AF | | | |
| = zero, ("0"), if not revise. | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| II-7. | <u>Transfers to related firms</u> If your firm reported transfers to related firms in any of the data tables in part II, please identify the firm(s) and indicate the nature of the relationship between your firm and the related firms (e.g., joint venture, wholly owned subsidiary) and whether the transfers were priced at market value or by a non-market formula. |
|-------|---|
| | |

| differences and similarities defined below: | s in unfinished product | the following questions regarding the (s) and finished product(s) in this proceeding a ready for use on road/rail/water. |
|--|---|--|
| "Unfinished product(s)" - | • | s of chassis that need to be further attached t |
| (a) Are there uses for the product(s) | unfinished product(s) | other than for the production of the finished |
| No | Yes | If yesPlease describe these uses. |
| | | |
| (b) Is the market for unfit product(s)? | nished product(s) sepa | If yesPlease describe how they are |
| No | Yes | separate and distinct. |
| | | |
| | | |
| product(s) and finishe | d products(s)? | teristics and functions of the unfinished |
| | | teristics and functions of the unfinished If yesPlease describe these differences |
| product(s) and finishe | Yes | |
| No (d) Is there a significant d | Yes | If yesPlease describe these difference r value between unfinished product(s) and |
| No (d) Is there a significant of finished product(s)? | Yes ifference in the cost of | If yesPlease describe these difference |
| No (d) Is there a significant of finished product(s)? No (e) Would you describe the significant of finished product(s)? | Yes ifference in the cost of the processes used to tree. | If yesPlease describe these difference r value between unfinished product(s) and |
| No (d) Is there a significant of finished product(s)? No (e) Would you describe the significant of finished product(s)? | Yes ifference in the cost of the processes used to tree. | If yesPlease describe these difference r value between unfinished product(s) and If yesPlease describe these difference ransform the unfinished product(s) into the |

| II-9. | Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part II for which a narrative response box was not provided, 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.--PRICING AND MARKET FACTORS

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

III-1. <u>Contact information.</u>--Please identify the responsible individual and the manner by which Commission staff may contact that individual regarding the confidential information submitted in part III.

| Name | |
|-----------|--|
| Title | |
| Email | |
| Telephone | |

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, 2018 of the following products your firm imported from China:
 - **Product 1.--**tandem axle gooseneck chassis for carriage of 53' domestic containers, without PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension
 - **Product 2.--**tandem axle gooseneck chassis for carriage of 40' ISO containers, <u>without</u> PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension
 - **Product 3.-**-extendable tandem axle chassis for carriage of 20' ISO containers, <u>without</u> PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension
 - **Product 4.--** triaxle chassis capable of extension for carriage of heavy 20' up to 40' containers, without PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension
 - **Product 5.**-- specialty chassis for carriage of 20' storage tanks, <u>without</u> PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension
 - **Product 6.-**-tandem axle gooseneck chassis for carriage of 40' ISO containers, with PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension
 - **Product 7.--** tandem axle gooseneck chassis for carriage of 53' domestic containers, with PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension
 - **Product 8.--** triaxle chassis capable of extension for carriage of heavy 20' up to 40' containers, with PSI tire inflation system, with steel wheels, and with mechanic suspension

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. <u>Values should also be net of (i.e., excluding) Federal Excise Tax.</u> 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 2018-December 2020, did your firm import from China and sell to unrelated U.S |
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| customers any of the above listed products (or any products that were competitive with these |
| products)? |

| YesPlease complete the following pricing data table as appropriate. |
|---|
| NoSkip to question III-3. |

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

China

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

| (Quantity in units, value in dollars) | | | | | | -1 A | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | Product 1 | | Product 2 | | Product 3 | | Product 4 | |
| Period of shipment | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value |
| 2018: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | | | | | | | | |
| April-June | | | | | | | | |
| July-September | | | | | | | | |
| October-December | | | | | | | | |
| 2019: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | | | | | | | | |
| April-June | | | | | | | | |
| July-September | | | | | | | | |
| October-December | | | | | | | | |
| 2020: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | | | | | | | | |
| April-June | | | | | | | | |
| July-September | | | | | | | | |
| October-December | | | | | | | | |

¹ Net values (i.e., gross sales values less all discounts, allowances, rebates, prepaid freight, and the value of returned goods), f.o.b. your firm's U.S. point of shipment. Please subtract any discounts, rebates, and returns from the quarter in which the sale occurred. Values should also be net of (i.e., excluding) Federal Excise Tax.

| NoteIf your firm's product does not exactly meet the product specifications but is competitive with the specified product, provide a |
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| 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: |
| |

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

III-2a. Price data (Continued).

China

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

| | Product 5 | | Produ | ıct 6 | Produ | ct 7 | Product 8 | |
|--------------------|-----------|-------|----------|-------|----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| Period of shipment | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value |
| 2018: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | | | | | | | | |
| April-June | | | | | | | | |
| July-September | | | | | | | | |
| October-December | | | | | | | | |
| 2019: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | | | | | | | | |
| April-June | | | | | | | | |
| July-September | | | | | | | | |
| October-December | | | | | | | | |
| 2020: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | | | | | | | | |
| April-June | | | | | | | | |
| July-September | | | | | | | | |
| October-December | | | | | | | | |

also be net of (i.e., excluding) Federal Excise Tax.

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

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|------------|---|-----|---|---|---|---|--|--|
| Product 5: | | | | | | | | |
| Product 6: | | | | | | | | |
| Product 7: | | | | | | | | |
| Product 8: | | | | | | | | |

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

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

| Are the price data reported above: | | |
|---|--|--|
| In actual dollars (<i>not</i> \$1,000) and units? | | |
| F.o.b. U.S. point of shipment (i.e., does not include U.S. transport costs)? | | |
| Net of all discounts and rebates, and Federal excise taxes? | | |
| Have discounts, rebates, and returns been credited to the quarter in which the sale occurred? | | |
| Quantities do not exceed commercial shipments in question II-5a in each year? | | |
| Explanation(s) for any boxes not checked: | | |

III-2c. Remack sales.--Please estimate the share of your firm's sales of each pricing product from China for which your customers provided components ("remack" sales) in 2020.

| Pricing product | Share of 2020 sales for which your customers provided components | Describe |
|-------------------|--|----------|
| Pricing product 1 | % | |
| Pricing product 2 | % | |
| Pricing product 3 | % | |
| Pricing product 4 | % | |
| Pricing product 5 | % | |
| Pricing product 6 | % | |
| Pricing product 7 | % | |
| Pricing product 8 | % | |

| 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.

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|--|------|------------|-------------------------|--------|

| III-3. | Price settingHow does your firm determine the prices that it charges for sales of chassis |
|--------|---|
| | (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. <u>Pricing terms.--</u>On what basis are your firm's prices of imported chassis from China 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 chassis imported from China in 2020 was on a (1) short-term contract basis, (2) annual contract basis, (3) long-term contract basis, and (4) spot sales basis?

| | Type of sale | | | | | |
|---------------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|--------|
| 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) | Spot sales (for a single delivery) | Total (shoul sum to 100.0% | d o |
| Share of 2020 sales | % | % | % | % | 0.0 | % |

III-7. <u>Contract provisions.</u>--Please fill out the table regarding your firm's typical sales contracts for chassis imported from China (or check "not applicable" if your firm does not sell on a short-term, annual and/or long-term 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 | | | |
| 3.1.5/ 5.1 p.1.55 | Both | | | |
| Indexed to raw | Yes | | | |
| material costs ¹ | No | | | |
| Not applicable | | | | |
| ¹ Please identify the indexes used: | | | | |

III-8. <u>Lead times</u>.--What is your firm's share of sales of chassis imported from China 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 chassis?

| Source | Share of 2020 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 % | |

%

%

0.0 %

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501 to 1,000 miles

Over 1,000 miles

| | | , | | | | | | | |
|--------|--|---|-------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| III-9. | Shipping information.— | | | | | | | | |
| | (a) | Who generally arranges the transportation to your firm Purchaser (check one) | m's customers' lo | ocations? | | | | | |
| | (b) When your firm sells chassis imported from China, from where is it shipped? Point of importation Storage facility (check one) | | | | | | | | |
| | (c) | (c) Indicate the approximate percentage of your firm's sales of chassis imported from that are delivered the following distances from your firm's U.S. point of shipment. | | | | | | | |
| | | Distance from your firm's U.S. point of shipment | Share | | | | | | |
| | | Within 100 miles | % | | | | | | |
| | | 101 to 500 miles | % | | | | | | |

III-10. <u>Geographical shipments.</u>—In which U.S. geographic market area(s) has your firm sold chassis imported from China since January 1, 2018 (check all that apply)?

Total (should sum to 100.0%)

| Geographic area | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
|--|------|------|------|
| Northeast.–CT, ME, MA, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT. | | | |
| Midwest .–IL, 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. | | | |

III-11. <u>Inland transportation costs.</u>—What is the approximate percentage of the cost of chassis imported from China that is accounted for by U.S. inland transportation costs? _____ percent.

III-12. **End uses.**--List the end uses of the chassis that your firm imports. For each end-use product or service, what percentage of the <u>total cost</u> is accounted for by chassis and other inputs?

| | Share of total cost of service according | Total | |
|-------------------------------|--|--------------|-------------------------------|
| End-use product or service | Chassis | Other inputs | (should sum to 100.0% across) |
| | % | % | 0.0 % |
| | % | % | 0.0 % |
| | % | % | 0.0 % |

| | □ N | 0 | YesP | lease fill ou | t the tak | ole. | | | |
|-------|-----------------|-------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------|--|----------|------------------------------------|--|
| | | | nd use in which this | | | Have changes in the price of this substi | | | |
| | Substitute | - | substitute is used | | No | No Yes Exp | | anation | |
| 1. | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. | | | | | | | | | |
| III-1 | | wn) for cha | issis has ch | nanged sinc | e Januai | ry 1, 20 s in de ate wi | mand. | e of the United trends and describ | |
| | e United States | | | | | | - | | |
| | e United States | | | | | _ | | | |

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|---------|--|-------------|--------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| III-15. | <u>Product changes.</u> Have there been any significant changes in the product range, product mix or marketing of chassis since January 1, 2018? | | | | | | | |
| | No | Yes | If yes, please des | cribe. | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| III-16. | Condition | s of comp | etition.— | | | | | |
| | (a) Is the chassis market subject to business cycles and/or other conditions of competition distinctive to chassis? | | | | | | | |
| | Check all | that apply | y. | Please describe. | | | | |
| | | No | | Skip to question III-17. | | | | |
| | | | ness cycles (e.g. business) | | | | | |
| | Yes-Other distinctive conditions of competition | | | | | | | |
| | (b) If yes, have there been any changes in the business cycles or conditions of competition f chassis since January 1, 2018? | | | | | | | |
| | No | Yes | If yes, describ | e. | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| III-17. | Supply co | nstraints a | and order size.— | | | | | |
| | (a) Has your firm refused, declined, or been unable to supply chassis since January 1, 2018 (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, being unable to meet timely shipment commitments, etc.)? | | | | | | | |
| | No | Yes | If yes, please des | cribe. | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | (b) Is you | r firm una | ble or unwilling to | supply some purchasers due to the size of their orders? | | | | |
| | No | Yes | If yes, please des | cribe. | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

| ı | 11- | 18 | 1 | Raw | , m | at | eri | ial | c - | _ |
|---|-----|------|---|------|-------|----|-----|-----|-----|---|
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(a) How have chassis raw material costs changed since January 1, 2018?

| Factor | Overall increase | No change | Overall decrease | Fluctua with no o | clear | material pr affected ye | noting how raw ice changes have our firm's selling for chassis. |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------------|---|-------|----------------------------|---|
| Cost of raw materials | | | | | | | |
| (b) How did the imp impact raw mat | • | | | - · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | |
| Factor | Ove | erall increas | e No ch | nange | Overa | all decrease | Fluctuate with |
| | | | - | lalige | | | no clear trend |

(c) How did the imposition of tariffs under section 232 on imported steel/aluminum products impact your firm's sales price for chassis?

| Factor | Overall Increase | No change | Overall Decrease | Fluctuate with no clear trend | Explanation |
|--------------------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Prices for chassis | | | | | |

III-19. <u>Interchangeability.--</u>Are chassis 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 | Other countries | | |
|--|-------|-----------------|--|--|
| United States | | | | |
| China | | | | |
| For any country-pair producing chassis 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-20. <u>Factors other than price</u>.--Are differences other than price (e.g., quality, availability, transportation network, product range, technical support, *etc*.) between chassis 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 | Other countries | | | |
|---|-------|-----------------|--|--|--|
| United States | | | | | |
| China | | | | | |
| For any country-pair for which factors other than price <i>always</i> or <i>frequently</i> are a significant factor in your firm's sales of chassis, identify the country-pair and report the advantages or disadvantages imparted by such factors: | | | | | |

| III-21. | Impact of section 301 tariffs Did the imposition of tariffs on Chinese-origin products under |
|---------|--|
| | section 301 have an impact on the chassis market in the United States? |

| Yes— Please indicate the impact in the table below, indicating in particular the impact in 2018, if different | | |
|---|----|------------|
| from other years. | No | Don't know |
| | | |

| Factor | Overall increase | No change | Overall decrease | Fluctuate with no clear trend | Explain, noting how the imposition of tariffs under section 301 affected each factor of the chassis market in the United States (or for the last row, your firm's imports of chassis). |
|---|------------------|--------------|------------------|--|--|
| Supply of U.S produced chassis | | | | | |
| Supply of chassis imported from China | | | | | |
| Supply of chassis imported from other countries | | | | | |
| Prices for chassis | | | | | |
| Overall U.S. demand for chassis | | | | | |
| Raw material costs for chassis | | | | | |
| Your firm's imports of chassis | | | | | |

III-22. <u>Customer identification.</u>--List the names and contact information for your firm's 10 largest U.S. customers for chassis since January 1, 2018. Indicate the share of the quantity of your firm's total shipments of chassis that each of these customers accounted for in 2020.

| Customer's name | | City | State | Share of 2020 sales (%) |
|-----------------|--|------|-------|----------------------------|
| 1 | | | | |
| 2 | | | | |
| 3 | | | | |
| 4 | | | | |
| 5 | | | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| 7 | | | | |
| 8 | | | | |
| 9 | | | | |
| 10 | | | | |

| III-23. | for which a narrative respon- explanation in the space pro- firm had in providing the dat | Other explanationsIf your firm would like to further explain a response to a question in Part III for which a narrative response box was not provided, 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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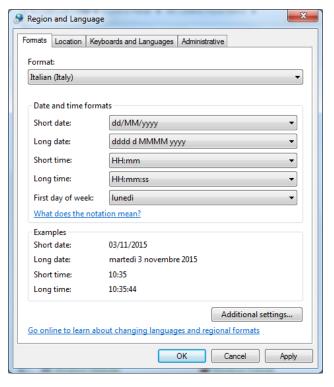
Correcting valid number error messages.--If you are completing a Commission questionnaire in a country that uses periods (".") to delineate multiples of 1000 (e.g., one million would appear as \$1.000.000 instead of as \$1,000,000), you may be unable to enter in numbers greater than 999 in numeric form 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 U.S. International Trade Commission's questionnaires are setup 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.

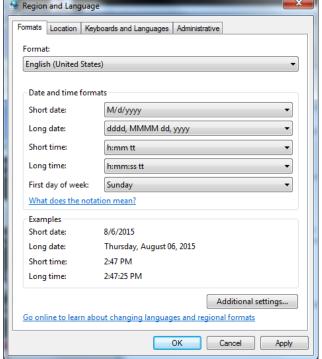
The solution to this data entry issue is to temporarily change your operating system's number formatting to be consistent with the U.S. number formatting system while you complete the questionnaire.

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: LINK

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: CHAS

• E-mail.—E-mail the MS Word questionnaire to Ahdia Bavari (ahdia.bavari@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.