CHAPTER 36

EXPLOSIVES; PYROTECHNIC PRODUCTS; MATCHES;
PYROPHORIC ALLOYS; CERTAIN COMBUSTIBLE PREPARATIONS



Notes

1. This chapter does not cover separate chemically defined compounds other than those described in note 2(a) or (b) below.

2. The expression "articles of combustible materials" in heading 3606 applies only to:

   (a) Metaldehyde, hexamethylenetetramine and similar substances, put up in forms (for example, tablets, sticks or similar forms) for use as fuels; fuels with a basis of alcohol, and similar prepared fuels, in solid or semi-solid form;

   (b) Liquid or liquefied-gas fuels in containers of a kind used for filling or refilling cigarette or similar lighters, and of a capacity not exceeding 300 $cm^3$; and

   (c) Resin torches, firelighters and the like.

Additional U.S. Note

1. The importation of white phosphorus matches is prohibited.

| Heading/ Subheading | Stat. Suf-fix | Article Description | Unit of Quantity | Rates of Duty 1 General | Rates of Duty 1 Special | Rates of Duty 2 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3601.00.00 | 00 | Propellant powders | kg | 3.25% | Free (A, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 60% |
| 3602.00.00 | | Prepared explosives, other than propellant powders | | Free | | Free |
| | 30 | Dynamite and other high explosives, put up in cartridges, sticks or other forms, suitable for blasting | kg | | | |
| | 60 | Other | kg | | | |
| 3603 | | Safety fuses; detonating cords; percussion or detonating caps; igniters; electric detonators: | | | | |
| 3603.10.00 | 00 | Safety fuses | thousand m | 3% | Free (A*, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 8.3% |
| 3603.20.00 | 00 | Detonating cords | thousand m | 3% | Free (A*, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 8.3% |
| 3603.30.00 | 00 | Percussion caps | thousands. | 4.2% | Free (A*, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 30%[1/] |
| 3603.40.00 | 00 | Detonating caps | No. | 0.2% | Free (A*, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 0.3%[1/] |
| 3603.50.00 | 00 | Igniters | No. | 0.2% | Free (A*, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 0.3%[1/] |
| 3603.60.00 | 00 | Electric detonators | No. | 0.2% | Free (A*, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 0.3%[1/] |
| 3604 | | Fireworks, signaling flares, rain rockets, fog signals and other pyrotechnic articles: | | | | |
| 3604.10 | | Fireworks: | | | | |
| 3604.10.10 | 00 | Display or special fireworks (Class 1.3G) | kg | 2.4% | Free (A, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 12.5% |
| 3604.10.90 | | Other (including Class 1.4G) | | 5.3% | Free (A, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 12.5% |
| | 10 | Class 1.4G (Class C) | kg | | | |
| | 50 | Other | kg | | | |
| 3604.90.00 | 00 | Other | kg | 6.5% | Free (A*, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 40% |

| Heading/ Subheading | Stat. Suf-fix | Article Description | Unit of Quantity | Rates of Duty 1 General | Rates of Duty 1 Special | Rates of Duty 2 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3605.00.00 | | Matches, other than pyrotechnic articles of heading 3604 | ..... | Free | | 20¢/gross of immediate containers |
| | 30 | Matches with natural wood stems | kg | | | |
| | 60 | Other | kg | | | |
| 3606 | | Ferrocerium and other pyrophoric alloys in all forms; articles of combustible materials as specified in note 2 to this chapter: | | | | |
| 3606.10.00 | 00 | Liquid or liquefied-gas fuels in containers of a kind used for filling or refilling cigarette or similar lighters and of a capacity not exceeding 300 $cm^3$ | No | Free | | Free |
| 3606.90 | | Other: | | | | |
| 3606.90.30 | 00 | Ferrocerium and other pyrophoric alloys | kg | 5.9% | Free (A+, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 56.7% |
| 3606.90.40 | 00 | Metaldehyde | kg | Free | | 25% |
| 3606.90.80 | 00 | Other | kg | 5% | Free (A, AU, BH, CL, CO, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, OM, P, PA, PE, S, SG) | 25% |

1/ See 9903.90.08.