



**FAQ | China hits back at US with 125% tariff on US imports**

Updated to our former FAQ Re: China hits back at US with 84% tariff on US imports

Please be updated that the Customs Tariff Commission issued Announcement No. 6 [2025] to hits back at US with 125% tariff on US imports on April 11, 2025.

The Customs Tariff Commission added that given that U.S. exports to China are no longer marketable under the current tariff regime, any further tariff increases by the U.S. on Chinese goods will be disregarded.

We herewith provide the free-translation of the announcements as attached for your kind reference.

Should you have any advice, please feel free to contact us.

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## **Attachment: Free-translation of the Announcements No. 6 of 2025**

### **Announcement by the Customs Tariff Commission of the State Council on Adjusting Tariff Measures for Imports Originating from the United States**

#### **Announcement No. 6 of 2025 by the Tariff Commission**

On April 10, 2025, the U.S. government announced an increase in the so-called "reciprocal tariffs" on Chinese exports to the U.S. to 125%. The U.S. imposition of exorbitant tariffs on Chinese goods severely violates international trade rules and fundamental economic principles, constituting unilateral bullying and coercive practices.

In accordance with the Customs Tariff Law of the People's Republic of China, the Customs Law of the People's Republic of China, the Foreign Trade Law of the People's Republic of China, and other relevant laws and regulations, as well as the basic principles of international law, and upon approval by the State Council, the tariff rates for imports originating from the United States will be adjusted effective April 12, 2025. The details are as follows:

**Adjustment of Tariff Rates:** The additional tariff rates stipulated in Announcement No. 5 of 2025 by the Tariff Commission (Adjustments to Additional Tariffs on Imports Originating from the United States) shall be raised from 84% to 125%. Given that U.S. exports to China are no longer marketable under the current tariff regime, any further tariff increases by the U.S. on Chinese goods will be disregarded.

**Other Matters:** All other provisions shall follow Announcement No. 4 of 2025 by the Tariff Commission (Imposition of Additional Tariffs on Imports Originating from the United States).

**Customs Tariff Commission of the State Council**

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