

Chapter 70

Glass and glassware

Notes.

1. This Chapter does not cover:
 - (a) Goods of heading No. 32.07 (for example, vitrifiable enamels and glazes, glass frit, other glass in the form of powder, granules or flakes);
 - (b) Articles of Chapter 71 (for example, imitation jewellery);
 - (c) Optical fibre cables of heading No. 85.44, electrical insulators (heading No. 85.46) or fittings of insulating material of heading No. 85.47;
 - (d) Optical fibres, optically worked optical elements, hypodermic syringes, artificial eyes, thermometers, barometers, hydrometers or other articles of Chapter 90;
 - (e) Lamps or lighting fittings, illuminated signs, illuminated name-plates and the like, having a permanently fixed light source, or parts thereof of heading No. 94.05;
 - (f) Toys, games, sports requisites, Christmas tree ornaments or other articles of Chapter 95 excluding glass eyes without mechanism for dolls or for other articles of Chapter 95); or
 - (g) Buttons, fitted vacuum flasks, scent or similar sprays or other articles of Chapter 96.
2. For the purposes of heading Nos. 70.03, 70.04 and 70.05:
 - (a) glass is not regarded as "worked" by reason of any process it has undergone before annealing;
 - (b) cutting to shape does not affect the classification of glass in sheets;
 - (c) the expression "absorbent, reflecting or non-reflecting layer" means a microscopically thin coating of metal or of a chemical compound (for example, metal oxide) which absorbs, for example, infra-red light or improves the reflecting qualities of the glass while still allowing it to retain a degree of transparency or translucency, or which prevents light from being reflected on the surface of the glass.
3. The products referred to in heading No. 70.06 remain classified in that heading whether or not they have the character of articles.
4. For the purposes of heading No. 70.19, the expression "glass wool" means:
 - (a) Mineral wools with a silica (SiO_2) content not less than 60% by weight;
 - (b) Mineral wools with a silica (SiO_2) content less than 60% but with an alkaline oxide (K_2O or Na_2O) content exceeding 5% by weight or a boric oxide (B_2O_3) content exceeding 2% by weight.

Mineral wools which do not comply with the above specifications fall in heading No. 68.06.

5. Throughout this Schedule, the expression "glass" includes fused quartz and Other fused silica.

Sub-heading Note.

For the purposes of sub-heading Nos. 7013.21, 7013.31 and 7013.91, the expression "lead crystal" means only glass having a minimum lead monoxide (PbO) content by weight of 24 per cent.

Heading No	H.S.Code	Description	Statutory Rate of Import Duty	Statistical Unit	Statutory Rate of Export Duty
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
70.01	7001.00.00	Cullet and other waste and scrap of glass; glass in the mass.	15%	Kg	Free
70.02		Glass in balls (other than microspheres of heading No. 70.18), rods or tubes, unworked.			
	7002.10.00	-Balls	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7002.20.00	-Rods	37.5%	Kg	Free
		-Tubes:			
		--Of fused quartz or other fused silica:			
	7002.31.10	---Neutral glass tubes for the manufacture of ampoules	5%	Kg	Free
	7002.31.90	---Other	25%	Kg	Free
	7002.32.00	--Of other glass having a linear coefficient of expansion not exceeding 5×10^{-6} per kelvin within a temperature range of 0°C to 300°C	25%	Kg	Free
		--Other:			
	7002.39.10	---Neutral glass tubes for the manufacture of ampoules	5%	Kg	Free
	7002.39.90	---Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
70.03		Cast glass and rolled glass, in sheets or profiles, whether or not having an absorbent, reflecting or non-reflecting layer, but not otherwise worked.			
		-Non-wired sheets:			
	7003.12.00	--Coloured throughout the mass (body tinted), opacified, flashed or having an absorbent, reflecting or non-reflecting layer.	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7003.19.00	--Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7003.20.00	-Wired sheets	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7003.30.00	-Profiles	37.5%	Kg	Free
70.04		Drawn glass and blown glass, in sheets, whether or not having an absorbent, reflecting or non-reflecting layer, but not otherwise worked.			
	7004.20.00	-Glass, coloured throughout the mass (body tinted), opacified, flashed or having an absorbent, reflecting or non-reflecting layer.	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7004.90.00	-Other glass	37.5%	Kg	Free
70.05		Float glass and surface ground or polished glass, in sheets, whether or not having an absorbent, reflecting or non-reflecting layer, but not otherwise worked.			
	7005.10.00	-Non-wired glass, having an absorbent, reflecting or non-reflecting layer	37.5%	Kg	Free
		-Other non-wired glass:			
	7005.21.00	--Coloured throughout the mass (body tinted), opacified, flashed or merely surface ground	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7005.29.00	--Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7005.30.00	-Wired glass	37.5%	Kg	Free
70.06	7006.00.00	Glass of heading Nos. 70.03, 70.04 or 70.05, bent, edge-worked, engraved, drilled, enamelled or otherwise worked, but not framed or fitted with other materials.	37.5%	Kg	Free
70.07		Safety glass, consisting of toughened (tempered) or laminated glass.			
		-Toughened (tempered) safety glass:			
		--Of size and shape suitable for incorporation in vehicles, aircraft, spacecraft or vessels:			
	7007.11.10	---For use in automotive vehicles	37.5%	Kg	Free

	7007.11.90	---Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7007.19.00	--Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
		-Laminated safety glass:			
		--Of size and shape suitable for incorporation in vehicles, aircraft, spacecraft or vessels:			
	7007.21.10	---For use in automotive vehicles	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7007.21.90	---Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7007.29.00	--Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
70.08	7008.00.00	Multiple-walled insulating units of glass.	25%	Kg	Free
70.09		Glass mirrors, whether or not framed, including rear-view mirrors.			
	7009.10.00	-Rear-view mirrors for vehicles	37.5%	Kg	Free
		-Other:			
		--Unframed			
	7009.91.10	---Spherical and cylindrical only for laboratory use	5%	Kg	Free
	7009.91.90	---Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
		--framed			
	7009.92.10	---Spherical and cylindrical only for laboratory use	5%	Kg	Free
70.10	7009.92.90	---Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
		Carboys, bottles, flasks, jars, pots, phials, ampoules and other containers, of glass, of a kind used for the conveyance or packing of goods; preserving jars of glass; stoppers, lids and other closures, of glass.			
	7010.10.00	-Ampoules	5%	Kg	Free
	7010.20.00	-Stoppers, lids and other closures	5%	Gs	Free
		-Other, of a capacity :			
		--Exceeding 1 L			
	7010.91.10	---Preserving jars of glass	5%	Gs	Free
	7010.91.20	---Amber glass bottles	5%	Gs	Free
		---Other			
	7010.91.91	----Bottles and jars	5%	Gs	Free
	7010.91.92	----Other	25%	Gs	Free
		--Exceeding 0.33 L but not exceeding 1 L			
	7010.92.10	---Preserving jars of glass	5%	Gs	Free
	7010.92.20	---Glass bottles	5%	Gs	Free
		---Other			
	7010.92.91	----Bottles and jars	5%	Gs	Free
	7010.92.92	----Other	25%	Gs	Free
		--Exceeding 0.15 L but not exceeding 0.33 L			
	7010.93.10	---Preserving jars of glass	5%	Gs	Free
	7010.93.20	---Amber glass bottles	5%	Gs	Free
		---Other			
	7010.93.91	---- Bottles and jars	5%	Gs	Free
	7010.93.92	----Other	25%	Gs	Free
		--Not exceeding 0.15 L			
	7010.94.10	---Preserving jars of glass	5%	Gs	Free
	7010.94.20	---Amber glass bottles	5%	Gs	Free
		---Other			
	7010.94.91	----Bottles and jars	5%	Gs	Free
70.11	7010.94.92	----Other	25%	Gs	Free
		Glass envelopes (including bulbs and tubes), open and glass parts thereof, without fittings, for electric lamps, cathode-ray tubes or the like.			
	7011.10.00	-For electric lighting	25%	Kg	Free
	7011.20.00	-For cathode-ray tubes	25%	Kg	Free
70.12	7011.90.00	-Other	25%	Kg	Free
		Glass inners for vacuum flasks or for other vacuum vessels.			
	7012.00.10	---Vacuum flask refills	25%	Gs	Free
70.13	7012.00.90	---Other	25%	Gs	Free
		Glassware of a kind used for table, kitchen, toilet, office, indoor decoration or similar purposes (other than that of heading No. 70.10 or 70.18).			
	7013.10.00	-Of glass-ceramics	37.5%	Kg	Free
		-Drinking glasses other than of glass-ceramics:			
	7013.21.00	--Of lead crystal	37.5%	Gs	Free
	7013.29.00	--Other	37.5%	Gs	Free

		-Glassware of a kind used for table (other than drinking glasses) or kitchen purposes other than of glass-ceramics:			
	7013.31.00	--Of lead crystal	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7013.32.00	--Of glass having a linear co-efficient of expansion not exceeding 5×10^{-6} per Kelvin within a temperature range of 0°C to 300°C	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7013.39.00	--Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7013.91.00	-Other glassware:			
	7013.99.00	--Of lead crystal	37.5%	Kg	Free
	7014.00.00	--Other	37.5%	Kg	Free
70.14		Signalling glassware and optical elements of glass (other than those of heading No. 70.15) not optically worked.	25%	No	Free
70.15		Clock or watch glasses and similar glasses, glasses for non-corrective or corrective spectacles, curved, bent, hollowed or the like, not optically worked; hollow glass spheres and their segments, for the manufacture of such glasses.			
	7015.10.00	-Glasses for corrective spectacles	5%	Kg	Free
	7015.90.00	-Other	5%	Kg	Free
70.16		Paving blocks, slabs, bricks, squares, tiles and other articles of pressed or moulded glass, whether or not wired, of a kind used for building or construction purposes; glass cubes and other glass smallwares, whether or not on a backing, for mosaics or similar decorative purposes; leaded lights and the like; multi-cellular or foam glass in blocks, panels, plates, shells or similar forms.			
	7016.10.00	-Glass cubes and other glass smallwares, whether or not on a backing, for mosaics or similar decorative purposes	25%	Kg	Free
	7016.90.00	-Other	25%	Kg	Free
70.17		Laboratory, hygienic or pharmaceutical glassware, whether or not graduated or calibrated.			
	7017.10.00	-Of fused quartz or other fused silica	5%	Kg	Free
	7017.20.00	-Of other glass having a linear co-efficient of expansion not exceeding 5×10^{-6} per Kelvin within a temperature range of 0°C to 300°C	5%	Kg	Free
	7017.90.00	-Other	5%	Kg	Free
70.18		Glass beads, imitation pearls, imitation precious or semi-precious stones and similar glass smallwares, and articles thereof other than imitation jewellery, glass eyes other than prosthetic articles; statuettes and other ornaments of lampworked glass, other than imitation jewellery; glass microspheres not exceeding 1 mm in diameter.			
	7018.10.00	-Glass beads, imitation pearls, imitation precious or semi-precious stones and similar glass smallwares:	25%	Kg	Free
	7018.20.00	-Glass microspheres not exceeding 1 mm in diameter	25%	No	Free
	7018.90.00	-Other	25%	Kg	Free
70.19		Glass fibres (including glass wool) and articles thereof (for example, yarn, woven fabrics).			
	7019.11.00	-Slivers, rovings, yarn and chopped strands :			
	7019.12.00	--Chopped strands, of a length of not more than 50 mm	25%	Kg	Free
	7019.19.10	--Rovings	25%	Kg	Free
	7019.19.90	--Other			
	7019.19.10	---Yarn	25%	Kg	Free
	7019.19.90	--- Other	25%	Kg	Free
	7019.31.00	-Thin sheets (voiles), webs, mats, mattresses, boards and similar nonwoven products :			
	7019.32.00	-- Mats	25%	M	Free
	7019.39.00	--Thin sheets (voiles)	25%	M	Free
	7019.40.10	--Other	25%	M	Free
	7019.40.20	-Woven fabrics of rovings			
	7019.40.90	---Fibre glass filter/strainers for deep tubewell	0%	M	Free
	7019.40.90	---Fibre glass wall screen having internal diameter 4-8"	15%	M	Free
	7019.40.90	---Other goods	25%	M	Free
	7019.51.10	-Other woven fabrics			
	7019.51.20	--Of a width not exceeding 30mm			
	7019.51.10	--- Fibre glass filter/strainers for deep tubewell	0%	M	Free
	7019.51.20	--- Fib. gla.wall scr. having interdiameter 4-8"	15%	M	Free

7019.51.90	---Other goods	25%	M	Free
	--Of a width exceeding 30 cm, plain weave, weighing less than 250 g/m ² , of filaments measuring per single yarn not more than 136 tex			
7019.52.10	---Fibre glass filter/strainers for deep tubewell)	0%	M	Free
7019.52.20	---Fibre glass wall screen having internal diameter 4-8"	15%	M	Free
7019.52.90	---Other goods	25%	M	Free
	--Other			
7019.59.10	--- Fibre glass filter/strainers for deep tubewell	0%	M	Free
7019.59.20	---Fibre glass wall screen having internal diameter 4-8"	15%	M	Free
7019.59.90	---Other	25%	M	Free
	-Other			
7019.90.10	---Glass wool	25%	M	Free
7019.90.90	---Other	25%	M	Free
70.20	7020.00.00 Other articles of glass.	15%	M	Free