



Case: AS677 Optical fibre cables (OFC)
 Anti-subsidy, Initial Investigation, People's Republic of China
Submission title: Sampling form for exporting producers of

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 All mandatory lines must be filled in. If not applicable, please use N/A, 0 or "-".

***Request for Confidentiality**

- Open version
- Open and sensitive version

Reason for confidentiality treatment:

- The sensitive version of the form contains confidential information by nature, such as sales volumes and prices of specific product(s), which is business sensitive and company specific. Disclosing this information to other interested parties would give them an unwarranted competitive advantage vis-a-vis our company. Therefore, I would like to request confidential treatment. A meaningful non-confidential version is provided together with this request.
- The sensitive version of the form contains confidential information due to the following reasons. Therefore, I would like to request confidential treatment. A meaningful non-confidential version is provided together with this request.

This form is designed to assist exporting producers in the People's Republic of China in responding to the request for sampling information made in point 5.3.1(a) of the Notice of Initiation.

1. IDENTITY AND CONTACT DETAILS

* Supply the following details about your company:

	Please fill in
Official name in local language	

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	Please fill in
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Company name (English name)	
Street	
Postal code	
City, County	
Country	
Email address	
Website	
VAT number	

*Contact person's details. Please fill in the sensitive table only so that your personal details are not shown in the open version

	Please fill in
LAST NAME and first name	
Email address	

2. TURNOVER, SALES VOLUME, PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTION CAPACITY

I. Turnover and sales volume

Indicate the turnover in the accounting currency of the company during the investigation period as defined under point 5.1 of the Notice of Initiation (1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020) (export sales to the Union per Member State¹ and domestic sales) of the product under investigation as defined in the Notice of Initiation and the corresponding length and weight. State the currency used.

¹ In 2019, the 28 Member States of the European Union were: Belgium, Bulgaria, Czechia, Denmark, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Croatia, Italy, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Hungary, Malta, the Netherlands, Austria, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, Finland, Sweden, and the United Kingdom. Although the UK ceased to be a Member State of the Union on 1 February 2020, the UK remains subject to EU law during the transition period defined in Article 126 of the Withdrawal Agreement. As a result, the current investigation also covers the UK territory and market. See Article 127 of the Withdrawal Agreement for further information.

* **Export sales to the Union, of the product under investigation, manufactured by your company**

	Length in fibre - kilometres	Length in cable - kilometres	Weight - kilograms	Value in accounting currency	Specify the currency used
Total EU					

* **Export sales to the Union per Member State, of the product under investigation, manufactured by your company**

	Length in fibre - kilometres	Length in cable - kilometres	Weight - kilograms	Value in accounting currency	Specify the currency used
Austria					
Belgium					
Bulgaria					
Croatia					
Cyprus					
Czechia					
Denmark					
Estonia					
Finland					
France					
Germany					
Greece					
Hungary					
Ireland					
Italy					
Latvia					
Lithuania					
Luxembourg					
Malta					
Netherlands (the)					
Poland					
Portugal					
Romania					
Slovakia					
Slovenia					
Spain					
Sweden					
United Kingdom (the)					

***Domestic sales of the product under investigation, manufactured by your company**

	Length in fibre - kilometres	Length cable - kilometres	Weight - kilograms	Value in accounting currency	Specify the currency used
Domestic sales					

II. Production and production capacity

Indicate your production and production capacity during the investigation period (1 July 2019 - 30 June 2020).

***Production and production capacity of the product under investigation, manufactured by your company**

	Length fibre - kilometres	Length cable - kilometres	Weight - kilograms
Your company's overall production of the product under investigation			
Your company's production capacity of the product under investigation			

3. ACTIVITIES OF YOUR COMPANY AND RELATED COMPANIES?

Give details of the precise activities of the company and all related companies (please list them and state the relationship to your company) involved in the production and/or selling (export and /or domestic) of the product under investigation. Such activities could include but are not limited to producing upstream inputs used in the production of the product under investigation, purchasing the product under investigation or producing it under sub-contracting arrangements, or processing or trading the product under investigation. Provide details concerning the type of relationship.

Please also list all related companies involved in the production and/or selling of the inputs used in the production of the product under investigation, and in particular concerning the following inputs: preform, polymers, high-performance fibres such as aramid, and steel products. Please describe the level of integration of the group of related companies in the production process of the product under investigation, and in particular from which stage of the production process your group start the production of the product under investigation.

Please attach file(s) providing additional information on the related companies, where necessary.

	Company name	Location	Activities	Relationship
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² In accordance with Article 127 of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/2447 of 24 November 2015 laying down detailed rules for implementing certain provisions of Regulation (EU) No 952/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the Union Customs Code, two persons shall be deemed to be related if: (a) they are officers or directors of the other person's business; (b) they are legally recognised partners in business; (c) they are employer and employee; (d) a third party directly or indirectly owns, controls or holds 5% or more of the outstanding voting stock or shares of both of them; (e) one of them directly or indirectly controls the other; (f) both of them are directly or indirectly controlled by a third person; (g) together they control a third person directly or indirectly; or (h) they are members of the same family (OJ L 343, 29.12.2015, p. 558). Persons shall be deemed to be members of the same family only if they stand in any of the following relationships to one another: (i) husband and wife, (ii) parent and child (iii) brother and sister (whether by whole or half blood), (iv) grandparent and grandchild, (v) uncle or aunt and nephew or niece, (vi) parent-in-law and son-in-law or daughter-in-law, (vii) brother-in-law and sister-in-law. In accordance with Article 5(4) of Regulation (EU) No 952/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the Union Customs Code, "person" means a natural person, a legal person, and any association of persons which is not a legal person but which is recognised under Union or national law as having the capacity to perform legal acts (OJ L 269, 10.10.2013, p. 1).

***4. OTHER INFORMATION**

a) Please provide the Commission with the company's annual report and/or annual accounts for the last financial year, i. e. 2019 (preferably in English).

b) Please indicate in the table below the total amount of your company's investments relating to the product under investigation for the years 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and the period from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020 (in the accounting currency of the company).

c) Please indicate whether in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and the period from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020 you purchased input materials, in particular perfume, polymers, high-performance fibres such as aramid, and steel products, from (and/or produced by) State-owned enterprises and if so, what percentage such purchases represented from your total purchase of those inputs in each year.

d) Please indicate whether your company acquired any piece of land in the People's Republic of China in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 or in the period of 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020 that was later used in your manufacturing activities of the product under investigation.

e) Please provide any other relevant information, by attaching file(s), which the company considers useful to assist the Commission in the selection of the sample.

* Investments related to the product under investigation

	2016	2017	2018	2019	07-2019 to 06-2020
Total amount of investments (specify the currency used)					

*5. INDIVIDUAL AMOUNT OF SUBSIDISATION

The company declares that, in the event that it is not selected to be in the sample, it would like to claim an individual amount of subsidisation in accordance with section 5.3.1(b) of the Notice of Initiation.

- Yes
 No

6. CERTIFICATION

By providing the above information, the company agrees to its possible inclusion in the sample. If the company is selected to be part of the sample, this will involve completing a questionnaire and accepting a visit at its premises in order to verify its response. If the company indicates that it does not agree to its possible inclusion in the sample, it will be deemed not to have cooperated in the investigation. The Commission's findings for non-cooperating exporting producers are based on facts available and the result may be less favourable to that company than if it had cooperated.

*Name and title of authorised official:

<https://tron.trade.ec.europa.eu/tron/tdi/form/423f4ef0-f84f-7cb6-0429-72e24a91d5ee>