



DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-533-901]

Organic Soybean Meal from India: Preliminary Results and Rescission, in Part of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2024-2025

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) preliminarily determines that producers/exporters subject to this review did not make sales of subject merchandise at less than normal value (NV) during the period of review (POR) May 1, 2024, through April 30, 2025. In addition, we are rescinding the review with respect to 145 companies. Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results of review.

DATES: Applicable [INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*].

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On May 16, 2022, based on timely requests for review, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i), we initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty (AD) order on organic soybean meal from India.¹ On August 27, 2025, Commerce selected Ecopure Specialities Ltd. (Ecopure) and Bergwerff Organic (India) Pvt., Ltd. (Bergwerff) as the

¹ See *Organic Soybean Meal from India: Antidumping Duty Order*, 87 FR 29737 (May 16, 2022) (*Order*).

mandatory respondents in this review.² On September 23, 2025, Perdue Agribusiness LLC (Perdue) timely withdrew its request for review.³ On September 23, 2025, Organic Soybean Producers of America (OSPA) timely withdrew its request for review for all companies except Ecopure.⁴

Due to the lapse in appropriations and Federal Government shutdown on November 14, 2025, Commerce tolled all deadlines in administrative proceedings by 47 days.⁵ Additionally, due to a backlog of documents that were electronically filed via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS) during the Federal Government shutdown, on November 24, 2025, Commerce tolled all deadlines in administrative proceedings by an additional 21 days.⁶ On April 7, 2026, Commerce extended the deadline for the preliminary results of this review by 113 days.⁷ On July 24, 2026, Commerce extended the deadline for the preliminary results of this review by 7 days.⁸ Accordingly, the deadline for Commerce to issue these preliminary results is August 7, 2026.

For a complete description of the events that followed the initiation of this review, *see* the Preliminary Decision Memorandum.⁹ A list of the topics discussed in the Preliminary Decision Memorandum is attached as Appendix I to this notice. The Preliminary Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via ACCESS, which is available to registered users at <https://access.trade.gov>. In addition, a complete version of the Preliminary Decision Memorandum can be accessed at <https://access.trade.gov/frnotices>.

² See Memorandum, "2024 – 2025 Administrative Review of Organic Soybean Meal from India: Respondent Selection," dated August 27, 2025.

³ See Perdue's Letter, "Organic Soybean Meal from India (A-533-901)," dated September 23, 2025.

⁴ See OSPA's Letter, "Partial Withdrawal of Petitioners' Request for a 3rd Administrative Review," dated September 23, 2025.

⁵ See Memorandum, "Deadlines Affected by the Shutdown of the Federal Government," dated November 14, 2025.

⁶ See Memorandum, "Tolling of all Case Deadlines," dated November 24, 2025.

⁷ See Memorandum, "Extension of Deadline for Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review," dated April 7, 2026.

⁸ See Memorandum, "Second Extension of Deadline for Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review," dated July 24, 2026.

⁹ See Memorandum, "Decision Memorandum for the Preliminary Results, and Rescission, in Part, of the Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Organic Soybean Meal from India; 2024-2025," dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice (Preliminary Decision Memorandum).

Scope of the *Order*

The merchandise subject to the *Order* is organic soybean meal from India. For a complete description of the scope of the *Order*, *see* the Preliminary Decision Memorandum.

Rescission of Administrative Review, in Part

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), Commerce will rescind an administrative review, in whole or in part, if a party who requested a review withdraws its request within 90 days of the date of publication of notice of initiation. As noted above, Commerce received timely-filed withdrawal requests with respect to the companies listed in Appendix III, and no other parties requested an administrative review of these companies. Therefore, we are rescinding this administrative review with respect to these companies, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1).

Methodology

Commerce is conducting this review in accordance with section 751(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). Export price and constructed export price are calculated in accordance with section 772 of the Act. NV is calculated in accordance with section 773 of the Act. For a full description of the methodology underlying our conclusions, *see* the Preliminary Decision Memorandum.

Rate for Non-Individually Examined Companies

There is one company for which a review was requested and Commerce does not intend to rescind review, which had reviewable entries, and which was not selected as a mandatory respondent or found to be cross-owned with a mandatory respondent (*see* Appendix II). The Act does not address the establishment of a rate to apply to companies not selected for individual examination when Commerce limits its examination in an administrative review pursuant to section 777A(e)(2) of the Act. However, Commerce's regulation at 19 CFR 351.109(g) states that Commerce will determine the rate for non-selected companies by following the process set forth in 19 CFR 351.109(f)(1)-(2), which generally parallels the process for determining the all-others rate in an investigation under section 735(c)(5) of the Act. Section 735(c)(5)(A) of the

Act and 19 CFR 351.109(f) state that for companies not investigated, in general, we will determine an all-others rate by weight averaging the AD rates established for each of the companies individually investigated, excluding rates that are zero, *de minimis*, or based entirely on facts available.

In this administrative review, we preliminarily calculated a weighted-average dumping margin for Ecopure, the sole individually examined respondent in this review. Because this estimated weighted-average dumping margin is not zero, *de minimis*, or based entirely on facts otherwise available, we are preliminarily assigning the estimated weighted-average dumping margin calculated for Ecopure to the companies under review that were not selected for individual examination, consistent with the guidance in section 735(c)(5)(A) of the Act.

Preliminary Results of Review

As a result of this review, we preliminarily determine the following estimated weighted-average dumping margin exists for the period May 1, 2024, through April 30, 2025:

Producer/Exporter	Weighted-Average Dumping Margin (percent)
Ecopure	26.60
Companies Not Selected for Individual Review ¹⁰	26.60

Disclosure

Commerce intends to disclose its calculations and analysis performed to interested parties for these preliminary results within five days of any public announcement or, if there is no public announcement, within five days of the date of publication of this notice in accordance with 19 CFR 351.224(b).

Public Comment

Case briefs or other written comments may be submitted to the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance. Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.309(c)(1)(ii), we have modified the deadline for interested parties to submit case briefs to Commerce to no later than 21 days after

¹⁰ The exporters or producers not selected for individual review are listed in Appendix II.

the date of the publication of this notice.¹¹ Rebuttal briefs, limited to issues raised in the case briefs, may be filed not later than five days after the date for filing case briefs.¹² Interested parties who submit case or rebuttal briefs in this proceeding must submit: (1) a table of contents listing each issue; and (2) a table of authorities.¹³ All briefs must be filed electronically using ACCESS. An electronically filed document must be received successfully in its entirety in ACCESS by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the established deadline.

As provided under 19 CFR 351.309(c)(2)(iii) and (d)(2)(iii), we request that interested parties provide at the beginning of their briefs a public executive summary for each issue raised in their briefs.¹⁴ Further, we request that interested parties limit their public executive summary of each issue to no more than 450 words, not including citations. We intend to use the public executive summaries as the basis of the comment summaries included in the issues and decision memorandum that will accompany the final results in this administrative review. We request that interested parties include footnotes for relevant citations in the public executive summary of each issue. Note that Commerce has amended certain of its requirements pertaining to the service of documents in 19 CFR 351.303(f).¹⁵

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.310(c), interested parties who wish to request a hearing must submit a written request to the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance, filed electronically via ACCESS by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice. Requests should contain: (1) the party's name, address, and telephone number; (2) the number of participants, and whether any participant is a foreign national; and (3) a list of issues to be discussed. Oral presentations at the hearing will be limited to issues raised

¹¹ See 19 CFR 351.309.

¹² See 19 CFR 351.309(d); *see also Administrative Protective Order, Service, and Other Procedures in Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings*, 88 FR 67069, 67077 (September 29, 2023) (*APO and Service Procedures*).

¹³ See 19 CFR 351.309(c)(2) and (d)(2).

¹⁴ We use the term "issue" here to describe an argument that Commerce would normally address in a comment of the Issues and Decision Memorandum.

¹⁵ See *APO and Service Procedures*.

in the briefs. If a request for a hearing is made, Commerce will inform parties of the scheduled date for the hearing.¹⁶

Assessment Rates

Pursuant to section 751(a)(2)(A) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.212(b)(1), Commerce will determine, and U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) shall assess, antidumping duties on all appropriate entries of subject merchandise in accordance with the final results of this review.

If Ecopure's weighted-average dumping margin is not zero or *de minimis* (i.e., less than 0.50 percent) in the final results of this review, Commerce intends to calculate importer-specific assessment rates on the basis of the ratio of the total amount of dumping calculated for each importer's examined sales to the total entered value of those sales. Where we do not have entered values for all U.S. sales to a particular importer, we will calculate an importer-specific, per-unit assessment rate on the basis of the ratio of the total amount of dumping calculated for the importer's examined sales to the total quantity of those sales.¹⁷ To determine whether an importer-specific, per-unit assessment rate is *de minimis*, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.106(c)(2), we also will calculate an importer-specific *ad valorem* ratio based on estimated entered values. If Ecopure's weighted-average dumping margin is zero or *de minimis* or where an importer-specific *ad valorem* assessment rate is zero or *de minimis*, we will instruct CBP to liquidate appropriate entries without regard to antidumping duties.¹⁸

In accordance with Commerce's "automatic assessment" practice, for entries of subject merchandise during the POR produced by Ecopure for which it did not know that the merchandise was destined for the United States, we intend to instruct CBP to liquidate those

¹⁶ See 19 CFR 351.310(d).

¹⁷ See 19 CFR 351.212(b)(1).

¹⁸ See 19 CFR 351.106(c)(2); see also *Antidumping Proceeding: Calculation of the Weighted-Average Dumping Margin and Assessment Rate in Certain Antidumping Proceedings; Final Modification*, 77 FR 8101, 8103 (February 14, 2012).

entries at the all-others rate calculated in the less-than-fair-value (LTFV) investigation if there is no rate for the intermediate company(ies) involved in the transaction.¹⁹

For the companies listed in Appendix II which were not selected for individual review, we will assign an assessment rate based on the review-specific rate, calculated as noted in the “Rate for Non-Individually Examined Companies” section, above. The final results of this review shall be the basis for the assessment of antidumping duties on entries of merchandise covered by the final results of this review and for future deposits of estimated duties, where applicable.²⁰

For the companies listed in Appendix III for which the review is being rescinded, Commerce will instruct CBP to assess antidumping duties on all appropriate entries. Antidumping duties shall be assessed at rates equal to the cash deposit rate for estimated antidumping duties required at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(c)(1)(i). Commerce intends to issue rescission instructions to CBP no earlier than 35 days after the date of publication of this notice in the *Federal Register*.

Commerce intends to issue assessment instructions to CBP regarding Ecopure and the companies listed in Appendix II no earlier than 35 days after the date of publication of the final results of this review in the *Federal Register*. If a timely summons is filed at the U.S. Court of International Trade, the assessment instructions will direct CBP not to liquidate relevant entries until the time for parties to file a request for a statutory injunction has expired (*i.e.*, within 90 days of publication).

Cash Deposit Requirements

The following deposit requirements will be effective for all shipments of the subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the publication

¹⁹ For a full discussion of this practice, see *Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings: Assessment of Antidumping Duties*, 68 FR 23954 (May 6, 2003).

²⁰ See section 751(a)(2)(C) of the Act.

date of the final results of this administrative review, as provided by section 751(a)(2)(C) of the Act: (1) the cash deposit rate for the companies listed above will be that established in the final results of this review, except if the rate is less than 0.50 percent and, therefore, *de minimis* within the meaning of 19 CFR 351.106(c)(1), in which case the cash deposit rate will be zero; (2) for previously investigated or reviewed companies not covered by this review, the cash deposit rate will continue to be the company-specific cash deposit rate published for the most recently completed segment of this proceeding in which the company participated; (3) if the exporter is not a firm covered in this review, or the LTFV investigation, but the manufacturer is, then the cash deposit rate will be the rate established for the most recent segment for the manufacturer of the merchandise; and (4) the cash deposit rate for all other manufacturers or exporters will continue to be 3.07 percent, the all-others rate established in the LTFV investigation.²¹ These cash deposit requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until further notice.

Notification to Importers

This notice also serves as a preliminary reminder to importers of their responsibility under 19 CFR 351.402(f)(2) to file a certificate regarding the reimbursement of antidumping and/or countervailing duties prior to liquidation of the relevant entries during this review period. Failure to comply with this requirement could result in Commerce's presumption that reimbursement of antidumping and/or countervailing duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties, and/or an increase in the amount of antidumping duties by the amount of the countervailing duties.

Notification to Interested Parties

We are issuing and publishing these preliminary results of review in accordance with sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i)(1) of the Act, and 19 CFR 351.221(b)(4).

Dated: August 7, 2026.

²¹ See Order.

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for Policy and Negotiations,

performing the non-exclusive functions and duties

of the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.

Appendix I

List of Topics Discussed in the Preliminary Decision Memorandum

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Appendix II

Company Not Selected for Individual Review

1. Shri Sumati Industries

Appendix III

Companies Rescinded for Review

Aashiyana Foodstuffs
ABC Fruits
Adani Wilmar Ltd.
Agrawal Oil & Biocheam
Aia Engineering Ltd.
Al Quresh Exp.
Alembic Pharmaceuticals Ltd.
Allana Consumer Products Pvt. Ltd.
Apac Sourcing Solutions Ltd.
Arctal India International
Arn Designs 12. Artevet India LLP
Artevet Therapeutics Pvt. Ltd.
Asa Agrotech Pvt., Ltd.
Aurobindo Pharma Ltd.
Avi Agri Business Ltd.
Avt Natural Products Ltd.
Axis India International
B.H. Handicrafts
Basillia Organics Pvt. Ltd.
Bawa Fishmeal and Oil Co.
Bergwerff Organic (India) Pvt., Ltd.;
Suminter India Organic Pvt., Ltd.
Bharat Cereals Pvt., Ltd.
BNS Agro Industries Sarl
Capital Ventures Pvt. Ltd.
Cardolite Speciality Chemicals India LLP
Cloves Inc.
Craft Home
Crest Container Lines Pvt., Ltd.
Dhanay Logistics Pvt., Ltd.
Deccan Fine Chemicals (India) Pvt. Ltd.
Delhi Haat Craft Cottage Industries
Dighvijay Overseas
Divi's Laboratories Ltd.
Eco Gold Nutri and Organics LLP
Euroasias Organics Pvt., Ltd.
Exp. Freight Pvt., Ltd.
Eyeconic Indian Handicraft
Fair Exp. India Pvt., Ltd.
Fermenta Biotech Ltd.
Flex Foods Ltd.
Frigorifico Allana Pvt. Ltd.
Gate Foods Pvt. Ltd.
Gateway Exim
Gee Pee Overseas
Gharda Chemicals Ltd.
Goglocal Pvt. Ltd.
GRS Agritech

HBNT Packaging and Manufacturing Pvt., Ltd.
Healthline Pvt. Ltd.
HK. Exp.
Indauto Filters
Indrani Automotive & Engineering
Infinite Bioscience
Interport Global Logistics Pvt., Ltd.
Issgf India Pvt., Ltd.
ITC Ltd.
J.B. Overseas
Jaeger Products Pvt., Ltd.
Jairaj Adi Global Food Products LLP
Janatha Fish Meal and Oil Product
Jay Keshav Exp. Pvt., Ltd.
JSM Foods
Kamal & Sons
Kemin Industries South Asia Pvt., Ltd.
King Exp.
Krishna Corncob Industries
Lamtuf Ltd.
Larsen & Toubro
Levon Chemicals India Pvt., Ltd.
Lophius
Lupin Ltd.
Luxmi Tea
Magnuss Enterprizes
Makwell Organics Pvt., Ltd.
Makwell Plastics Pvt., Ltd.
Manisha Pharmo Pvt., Ltd.
Marinetrans India Pvt., Ltd.
Marksans Pharma Ltd.
Medikonda Nutrients
Menon Renewable Resources (India) Pvt. Ltd.
Molhadeen International Nigeria
Mukka Proteins Ltd.
Natural Remedies Pvt., Ltd.
Noble Shipping
Novel Nutrients Pvt. Ltd.
Nutech Biosciences India Pvt. Ltd.
Orchid Exim India Pvt. Ltd.
Orgonew Pvt. Ltd.
Pachranga Foods
Parikh Enterprises Pvt. Ltd.
Patel Retail Pvt., Ltd.
Pck Agri Ventures Pvt. Ltd.
Pfizer Healthcare India Pvt. Ltd.
Pisces Fashions
Pots and Grains Pvt. Ltd.
Prima Chemicals
Propelor India Pvt., Ltd.
R.P.M. Exim Pvt., Ltd.
R.M. Trading Co.

Radhakrishna Agro Industries Pvt. Ltd.
Radhika Textiles & Handicrafts
Rayban Organics Pvt., Ltd.
Reindeer Organics LLP
Repast Dietary Lifesciences Pvt., Ltd.
Rishabh Gupta Corp. Pvt., Ltd.
Ritz Creations
Rohlig India Pvt., Ltd.
Saastha Warehousing Ltd.
Safewater Lines India Pvt.
Samruddhi Organic Farm (India) Pvt., Ltd.
Samsung Data Systems India Pvt., Ltd.
Sap Oleochemicals Pvt., Ltd.
Sayaji Industries Ltd.
Sethi International
SGR (777) Foods Pvt., Ltd.
Shah Precicast Pvt., Ltd.
Shakti Exim Co.
Shikhar Logistics Pvt., Ltd.
Shreeram Fibres India Pvt. Ltd.
Shree Uday Oil and Foods Industries
Shubhangay Exim Pvt. Ltd.
Singh Agritech Pvt. Ltd.
Soliflex Packaging Pvt., Ltd.
Speciality Indian Food Parks & Exp. Pvt., Ltd.
S.S. India Foods Pvt. Ltd.
Star India Container Line Pvt., Ltd.
Sukhvarsha Projects Pvt., Ltd.
Sunrise Seafoods India Pvt. Ltd.
Suryamitra Exim Pvt., Ltd.
Swaranimakash Life Sciences Pvt. Ltd.
Teamglobal Logistics Pvt., Ltd.
Tejawat Organic Foods
Tex Biosciences Pvt. Ltd.
The Vantage Tradelink
Triveni Interchem Pvt., Ltd.
Unique Fragrances
United Magnetic System
Uno Vetchem
Vahdam Teas Pvt., Ltd.
Veesure Animal Health
Vippy Industries Ltd.
Vishnu Barium Pvt., Ltd.
Vista Processed Foods Pvt. Ltd.
Wellcome Fisheries Ltd.