

## Chapter 75

### Nickel and articles thereof

#### Note.

I.- In this Chapter the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them:

#### (a) Bars and rods

Rolled extruded, drawn or forged products, not in coils, which have a uniform solid cross-section along their whole length in the shape of circles, ovals rectangles (including squares), equilateral triangles or regular convex polygons (including " flattened circles " and " modified rectangles " of which two opposite sides are convex arcs the other two sides being straight, of equal length and parallel). Products with a rectangular (including square) triangular or polygonal cross-section may have corners rounded along their whole length. The thickness of such products which have a rectangular (including " modified rectangular ) cross-section exceeds one-tenth of the width. The expression also covers cast or sintered products, of the same forms and dimensions, which have been subsequently worked after production (otherwise than by simple trimming or descaling), provided that they have not thereby assumed the character of articles or products of other headings.

#### (b) Profiles

Rolled extruded, drawn, forged or formed products, coiled or not, of a uniform cross-section along their whole length, which do not conform to any of the definitions of bars, rods, wire, plates, sheets, strip foil, tubes or pipes. The expression also covers cast or sintered products, of the same forms, which have been subsequently worked after production (otherwise than by simple trimming or de-scaling), provided that they have not thereby assumed the character of articles or products of other headings.

#### (c) Wire

Rolled extruded or drawn products, in coils, which have a uniform solid cross-section along their whole length in the shape of circles, ovals, rectangles (including squares), equilateral triangles or regular convex polygons (including " flattened circles " and " modified rectangles ", of which two opposite sides are convex arcs, the other two sides being straight, of equal length and parallel). Products with a rectangular (including square) triangular or polygonal cross-section may have corners rounded along their whole length. The thickness of such products which have a rectangular (including " modified rectangular ") cross-section exceeds one-tenth of the width.

#### (d) Plates, sheets, strip and foil

Flat-surfaced products (other than the unwrought products of heading 75.02), coiled or not, of solid rectangular (other than square) cross-section with or without rounded corners (including " modified rectangles " of which two opposite sides are convex arcs, the other two sides being straight, of equal length and parallel) of a uniform thickness, which are :

- Of rectangular (including square) shape with a thickness not exceeding one-tenth of the width,
- Of a shape other than rectangular or square, of any size, provided that they do not assume the character of articles or products of other headings.

Heading 75.06 applies, inrer alia, to plates, sheets, strip and foil with patterns (for example, grooves, ribs, chequers, tears, buttons lozenges) and to such products which have been perforated, corrugated, polished or coated, provided that they do not thereby assume the character of articles or products of other headings.

**(e) Tubes and pipes**

Hollow products, coiled or not, which have a uniform cross-section with only one enclosed void along their whole length in the shape of cireles, ovals, rectangles (including squares), equilateral triangles or regular convex polygons, and which have a uniform wall thickness. Products with a rectangular (including square) equilateral triangular, or regular convex polygonal cross-section, which may have corners rounded along their whole length, are also to be considered as tubes and pipes provided the inner and outer cross-sections are concentric and have the same form and onentation. Tubes and pipes of the foregoing cross-sections may be polished, coated, bent, threaded, drilled, waisted, expanded, cone-shaped or fitted with flanges, collars or rings.

**Subheading Notes.**

I.- In this Chapter the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them :

**(a) Nickel, not alloyed**

Metal containing by weight at least 99 % of nickel plus cobalt, provided that:

(i) the cobalt content by weight does not exceed 1.5 %, and

(ii) the content by weight of any other element does not exceed the limit specified in the foregoing table:

TABLE - Other elements

Element		Limiting content % by weight
Fe	Iron	0.5
O	Oxygen	0.4
Other element each		0.3

**(b) Nickel alloys**

Metallic substances in which nickel predominates by weight over each of the other elements provided that :

(i) The content by weight of cobalt exceeds 1.5 %,

(ii) The content by weight of at least one of the other elements is greater than the limit specified in the foregoing table, or

(iii) The total content by weight of elements other than nickel plus cobalt exceeds 1 % .

2.- Notwithstanding the provisions of Chapter Note I (c) for the purposes of subheading 7508. 10 the term " wire " applies only to products, whether or not in coils, of any cross-sectional shape. of which no cross-sectional dimension exceeds 6 mm.

HEADING NO	H.S CODE	DESCRIPTION	UINT	DUTY RATE
<b>75.01</b>		<b>Nickel mattes, nickel oxide sinters and other intermediate products of nickel metallurgy.</b>		
	75 01 10 00	- Nickel mattes	Value	5%
	75 01 20 00	- Nickel oxide sinters and other intermediate products of nickel metallurgy	Value	5%
<b>75.02</b>		<b>Unwrought nickel.</b>		
	75 02 10 00	- Nickel, not alloyed	Value	5%
	75 02 20 00	- Nickel alloys	Value	5%
<b>75.03</b>	75 03 00 00	<b>Nickel waste and scrap.</b>	Value	5%
<b>75.04</b>	75 04 00 00	<b>Nickel powders and flakes.</b>	Value	5%
<b>75.05</b>		<b>Nickel bars, rods, profiles and wire.</b>		
		- Bars, rods and profiles :		
	75 05 11 00	- - Of nickel, not alloyed	Value	5%
	75 05 12 00	- - Of nickel alloys	Value	5%

HEADING NO	H.S CODE	DESCRIPTION	UINT	DUTY RATE
		- Wire :		
	75 05 21 00	- - Of nickel, not alloyed	Value	5%
	75 05 22 00	- - Of nickel alloys	Value	5%
<b>75.06</b>		<b>Nickel plates, sheets, strip and foil.</b>		
	75 06 10 00	- Of nickel, not alloyed	Value	5%
	75 06 20 00	- Of nickel alloys	Value	5%
<b>75.07</b>		<b>Nickel tubes, pipes and tube or pipe fittings (for example, couplings, elbows, sleeves).</b>		
		- Tubes and pipes :		
	75 07 11 00	- - Of nickel, not alloyed	Value	5%
	75 07 12 00	- - Of nickel alloys	Value	5%
	75 07 20 00	- Tube or pipe fittings	Value	5%
<b>75.08</b>		<b>Other articles of nickel.</b>		
	75 08 10 00	- Cloth, grill and netting, of nickel wire	Value	5%
		- Other :		
	75 08 90 10	- - - Window frames for structures	Value	5%
	75 08 90 20	- - - Reservoirs, tanks, vats and similar containers, of any capacity, not fitted with mechanical or thermal equipment	Value	5%
	75 08 90 30	- - - Nails, tacks, nuts, bolts, screws	Value	5%
	75 08 90 40	- - - Springs	Value	5%
	75 08 90 50	- - - Domestic and kitchen articles	Value	5%
	75 08 90 60	- - - Sanitary wares	Value	5%
	75 08 90 90	- - - Other	Value	5%