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The product covers viscose filament yarn and thread above 75 deniers under heading 5403, with a tolerance of +/-6%. Yarn made through Spool Spun Technology and ready to use embroidery thread classifiable under 5401 are excluded. The Authority found no merit in excluding ECOJILIN and JINCELL, which it found to be brand names, and on the claim that the domestic yarn is unsuitable for air-jet machines it noted that the air-jet issue applies more to yarn below 75 deniers.

For the period of investigation, October 1, 2023 to September 30, 2024, the Authority found dumping margins from 0-10% to 20-30% and injury margins from 5-15% to 40-50%. Overall price undercutting was negative, but the Authority found that the imports depressed domestic prices and that the domestic industry suffered falling production, sales and capacity utilization, a 147% rise in inventories and deepening losses.

Applying the lesser duty rule, the Authority recommends duties for five years from the Central Government's notification: USD 386 per MT for Xinxiang Chemical Fibre Co. Ltd, USD 667 per MT for Jilin Chemical Fiber Co. Ltd, USD 518 per MT for three Yibin Group companies, and USD 1,071 per MT for all others. An appeal lies before the Customs, Excise and Service Tax Appellate Tribunal.

Measure	Anti-dumping
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Product	Viscose Rayon Filament Yarn (VFY) above 75 deniers
What it covers	Viscose Rayon Filament Yarn/Thread above 75 deniers with permissible tolerance limits of +/-6%, classifiable under customs classification 5403; the scope does not include 75 deniers. Yarn produced through Spool Spun Technology (SSY) is excluded, as is ready to use embroidery thread on a small bobbin that can be installed on an embroidery machine and is classifiable under 5401; 100% rayon embroidery thread, raw white on cone or on hank, classifiable under 5403 is included. The customs classification is indicative only and not binding on the scope. The duty table describes the goods as yarn/thread above 75 deniers produced through PSY or CSY.
Customs codes	54031090, 54033100, 54033200, 54033300, 54033990, 54034110, 54034150, 54034190, 54034911, 54034912, 54034913, 54034919, 54034990
Countries	China
Applicant	Association of Man-Made Fibre Industry of India and Grasim Industries Limited
Period of investigation	1st October 2023 to 30th September 2024
Injury period	2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 and the period of investigation
Findings	• The domestic industry accounts for a major proportion of total Indian production and satisfies the standing requirements; the other Indian producer, Cygnet Industries Limited, supported the application. • Dumping margins are 0-10% for Xinxiang Chemical Fibre Co. Ltd, 10-20% for Jilin Chemical Fiber Co. Ltd, 5-15% for the Yibin Group, and 20-30% for any other producer. • Injury margins are 40-50% for Xinxiang Chemical Fibre Co. Ltd, 20-30% for Jilin Chemical Fiber Co. Ltd, 5-15% for the Yibin Group, and 40-50% for any other producer. • Price undercutting on an overall basis is negative, but the import price declined despite rising raw material costs, and the dumped imports depressed the domestic industry's prices and prevented price increases in line with costs. • Subject imports increased in absolute and relative terms, while the domestic industry's production, capacity utilization and sales declined, inventories rose by 147% over the injury period, production was suspended on a large number of machines, and losses intensified during the period of investigation.

- The investigation has not revealed any other factor that could have caused injury to the domestic industry, and the user industry has not established that the duty would have a significant adverse public impact.

Recommendation	The Authority recommends anti-dumping duty on imports of the subject goods originating in or exported from China, equal to the lesser of the dumping margin and the injury margin, ranging from USD 386 to USD 1,071 per MT as set out in the duty table.
Duty expressed as	USD per MT
For how long	a period of 5 years from the date of notification to be issued in this regard by the Central Government
What happens next	An appeal against the determination lies before the Customs, Excise and Service Tax Appellate Tribunal in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Act/Rules.

The duty table

Country	Producer	Duty
China PR (origin); exported from any country including China PR	Xinxiang Chemical Fibre Co. Ltd	USD 386 per MT
China PR (origin); exported from any country including China PR	Jilin Chemical Fiber Co. Ltd	USD 667 per MT
China PR (origin); exported from any country including China PR	Yibin Hiest Fibre Limited Corporation, Gaoxian Changxin Thread LLC and Leibo Haiya Textile Material Technology Co., Ltd.	USD 518 per MT
China PR (origin); exported from any country including China PR	Any producer other than mentioned in S. No. 1-3	USD 1,071 per MT
Any country other than China PR (origin); exported from China PR	Any producer	USD 1,071 per MT

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