



## RECIPROCAL TARIFF EXCLUSIONS FOR SPECIFIC PRODUCTS (April 12, 2025)

At 10:30 pm on April 11, CBP Headquarters issued CSMS Message [64724565](#), which referenced a Presidential Memorandum entitled: "Clarification of Exceptions Under Executive Order 14257 of April 2, 2025 as Amended" dated April 11, 2025. No official Presidential Memorandum has been posted to the White House website or is available for public examination. The CSMS message lists twenty (20) 4-, 6-, and 8-digit Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) classifications that are excluded from the Reciprocal Tariffs as of April 5. However, only the following eight (8) HTS classifications are new. The other twelve (12) HTS classifications in the CSMS Message were already included on the Presidential Proclamation [Annex III](#) list of 1,039 tariff provisions not subject to Reciprocal Tariffs.

The CSMS Message list includes the following eight new HTS exclusions:

- **8471** - Automatic data processing machines and units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data, not elsewhere specified or included
- **8473.30** - Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471
- **8486** - Machines and apparatus of a kind used solely or principally for the manufacture of semiconductor boules or wafers, semiconductor devices, electronic integrated circuits or flat panel displays; machines and apparatus specified in note 11(C) to this chapter; parts and accessories
- **8517.13.00** - Smartphones
- **8517.62.00** - Machines for the reception, conversion and transmission or regeneration of voice, images or other data, including switching and routing apparatus
- **8523.51.00** - Solid-state non-volatile storage devices
- **8524** - Flat panel display modules, whether or not incorporating touch-sensitive screens
- **8528.52.00** - Other monitors: capable of directly connecting to and designed for use with an automatic data processing machine of heading 8471

As the new exclusions are retroactive to April 5, 2025, clients must consider affirmative actions (i.e., Post Summary Corrections) to secure refunds of duties paid and amendments to e-214 FTZ admissions filed between April 5 and April 11, 2025. Clients should consider instructing their customs broker to pause Customs entry filings subject to the changes to Reciprocal Tariffs until the exclusions are clearly identified in the CBP ACE system. FTZs should consider either delaying e-214 filings or using the Temporary Deposit procedure to be certain that the CBP ACE system is updated.

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