



## BRAZIL SECTION 301 DETERMINATION (JUNE 2, 2026)

On June 1, the United States Trade Representative (USTR) [announced](#) a Section 301 determination proposing a 25% tariff on all goods of Brazil origin. Exemptions are proposed for donations, articles subject to Section 232 tariffs, and products identified in an [Annex](#), which include certain meats, fruits, vegetables, juices, teas, minerals, oils, fuels, woods, medicaments, computers, semiconductors, and many civil aircraft items.

The determination follows a self-initiated USTR [investigation](#) which started on July 15, 2025. The determination concludes that that certain acts, policies, and practices of Brazil related to digital trade and economic payment services, unfair preferential tariffs, anti-corruption enforcement, intellectual property protection, ethanol market access, and illegal deforestation are unreasonable or discriminatory and burden or restrict U.S. commerce, so they are subject to action under Section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974.

While the USTR continues to engage with Brazil to reach a resolution by the July 15, 2026 deadline, it is inviting public comments and requests to attend the public hearing scheduled for July 6, 2026 in Washington, D.C. Public comments are accepted until July 1 ([Docket USTR-2026-0331](#)). Requests to appear at the public hearing must be made by June 22 ([Docket USTR-2026-0397](#)).

Clients should evaluate potential impacts and consider submitting detailed public comments, either by the company or through trade associations, and public hearing testimony.

Please contact [Marshall Miller](#), [Brian Murphy](#), [Sean Murray](#), or [David Ostheimer](#) with questions or for assistance with comments.

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