

# SCHEDULE 2.—EARTHS, EARTHENWARE, AND GLASSWARE—Continued

Comparison of rates of duty in the tariff act of 1922 and the tariff act of 1930—Continued

Paragraph		Commodity	Unit of quantity	Imports, calendar year 1928			Computed duties on 1928 imports		Rate of duty		Actual or computed ad valorem rate	
Act of 1922	Act of 1930			Quantity	Value	Value per unit	Act of 1922	Act of 1930	Act of 1922	Act of 1930	Act of 1922	Act of 1930
233	233	Alabaster and jet manufactured into vases or other articles.			\$220,251		\$110,126	\$110,126	50 per cent.	50 per cent.	Per cent 50.00	Per cent 50.00
233	233	Agate, rock, crystal, and other semiprecious stones, manufactures of, not suitable for jewelry n. s. p. f.			196,496		98,248	98,248	do.	do.	50.00	50.00
		Total, paragraph.			416,747		208,374	208,374			50.00	50.00
234	1640	Burrstones bound up into millstones.	Ton.	2	84	\$42.00	13	Free.	15 per cent.	Free.	15.00	Free.
		Granite:										
235	234	Quarry block, rough.	Cubic feet.	142,907	241,058	1.687	21,436	35,726	15 cents per cubic foot.	25 cents per cubic foot <sup>32</sup>	8.89	14.82
235	234	Hewn, dressed or polished.	Pound.	5,793,326	243,461	.042	121,731	146,077	50 per cent.	60 per cent.	50.00	60.00
		Sandstone, limestone, free stone, lava, and other monumental or building stone, n. e. s.:										
235	234	Quarry block, rough.	Cubic feet.	279,866	268,965	.961	41,980	41,980	15 cents per cubic foot.	15 cents per cubic foot.	15.61	15.61
235	234	Hewn, dressed or polished.	Pound.	1,084,256	40,589	.037	20,295	20,295	50 per cent.	50 per cent.	50.00	50.00
235	234	Travertine stone, unmanufactured.			( <sup>9</sup> )				15 cents per cubic foot.	25 cents per cubic foot.		
		Total, paragraph.			794,073		205,442	244,078			25.87	30.74
236	1692	Grindstones.	Ton.	1,583	114,874	72.567	2,770	Free.	\$1.75 per ton.	Free.	2.41	Free.
237	235	Slates, roofing, chimney pieces, mantels, slabs, and other slate manufactures.			44,778		6,717	11,195	15 per cent.	25 per cent.	15.00	25.00
238	236	Watch crystals.	Gross.	131,698	159,272	1.209	95,563	95,563	60 per cent.	60 per cent.	60.00	60.00
		Total, Schedule 2, for which comparable calculations have been made.			55,921,814		25,511,007	29,985,159			45.62	53.62
		NONCOMPARABLE ITEMS										
		In the following paragraphs rates of duty are so classified for some articles in the tariff act of 1930, that the rates of duty therein can not be applied to available import statistics for those articles for 1928. Available data for these noncomparable items are shown below:										
1440	205	Statues, statuettes and bas reliefs, wholly or in chief value of plaster of Paris, n. s. p. f.			87,314		30,560		35 per cent.	60 per cent or 35 per cent.	35.00	
208	208	Manufactures of which plaster of Paris is the material of chief value, n. s. p. f.										
		Mica splittings:										
		Mica films and splittings.										
		Not cut or stamped to dimensions.										
		Not above 12/10,000 inch in thickness.	Pound.	3,496,353	1,025,790	.293	307,737		30 per cent.	25 per cent.	30.00	
		Over 12/10,000 inch in thickness.								40 per cent.		
		Total Schedule 2.			57,034,918		25,849,304				45.32	

<sup>1</sup> No imports.

<sup>2</sup> Countervailing duty.

<sup>3</sup> Import statistics not segregated to show quantity and value of glazed and unglazed. It is assumed that all are unglazed.

<sup>4</sup> Including countervailing duty.

<sup>5</sup> Average unit value would not be indicative of dutiable value of the various commodities subject to duty under the paragraph because of the great differences in price, quality, decoration, or types of articles.

<sup>6</sup> Rate of duty on crude magnesite changed by presidential proclamation from  $\frac{5}{8}$  cent per pound to  $\frac{15}{32}$  cent per pound, effective Dec. 10, 1927.

<sup>7</sup> Rate of duty on caustic calcined magnesite changed by presidential proclamation from  $\frac{3}{4}$  cent per pound to  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent per pound, effective Dec. 10, 1927.

<sup>8</sup> Imports not segregated.

<sup>9</sup> Not comparable. See figures at end of schedule.

<sup>10</sup> Partial. See additional figures at end of schedule.

<sup>11</sup> Rate of duty on fluorspar containing not more than 93 per cent calcium fluoride changed by presidential proclamation from \$5.60 per ton to \$8.40 per ton, effective Nov. 16, 1928.

<sup>12</sup> Included in "Other manufactures of n. s. p. f."

<sup>13</sup> Included in "Unmanufactured, valued at not over 15 cents per pound," and "Scrap mica."

<sup>14</sup> Estimated.

<sup>15</sup> Duty calculated on ad valorem rate only; specific rate of 10 cents per dozen pieces not included; estimated at 55 per cent.

<sup>16</sup> Import statistics not segregated to show imports of toys. Act of 1930 transfers toys to paragraph 1513.

<sup>17</sup> Import statistics not segregated to show quantity and value of imports of curling stones, which are transferred under act of 1930 to paragraph 1665.

<sup>18</sup> Imports for manufacture in bonded warehouses amounting to \$26,139 are not included. This item did not enter into domestic consumption.

<sup>19</sup> Rods transferred from paragraph 231 to paragraph 218.

<sup>20</sup> Hand blown 75 per cent, machine blown 25 per cent; calculated at 75 per cent.

<sup>21</sup> Rates of duty on window glass (cylinder, crown, and sheet glass, unpolished) changed by presidential proclamation, effective June 13, 1929, as follows:

Not over 150 square inches, from  $1\frac{1}{4}$  cents per pound to  $1\frac{3}{4}$  cents per pound.

Over 150 square inches and not over 384 square inches, from  $1\frac{3}{4}$  cents per pound to  $2\frac{1}{4}$  cents per pound.

Over 384 square inches and not over 720 square inches, from  $1\frac{3}{4}$  cents per pound to  $2\frac{1}{4}$  cents per pound.

Over 720 square inches and not over 864 square inches, from  $1\frac{3}{4}$  cents per pound to  $2\frac{5}{8}$  cents per pound.

Over 864 square inches and not over 1,200 square inches, from 2 cents per pound to 3 cents per pound.

Over 1,200 square inches and not over 2,400 square inches, from  $2\frac{1}{4}$  cents per pound to  $3\frac{3}{4}$  cents per pound.

Over 2,400 square inches, from  $2\frac{1}{4}$  cents per pound to  $3\frac{3}{4}$  cents per pound.

<sup>22</sup> Specific rates apply. "provided that none of the foregoing shall be subject to a less rate of duty than 50 per cent ad valorem," on glass weighing less than 16 and not less than 12 ounces per square foot (imports not segregated for application of provision).

<sup>23</sup> Polished cylinder, crown, and sheet glass takes same rate as cast polished plate glass, and under in act of 1930 is transferred to par. 222.

<sup>24</sup> Estimated. For purposes of calculation, it is assumed that 50 per cent of the bracket "over 720 square inches" is transferred to the new bracket "over 720 and not over 1,008 square inches." Equivalent ad valorem rate is calculated for groups instead of by brackets.

<sup>25</sup> Import statistics not segregated to show thickness of glass. Therefore, the provision for a minimum rate of 50 per cent ad valorem on glass one-half inch or more in thickness is not applied.

<sup>26</sup> Rates on polished plate glass are as follows:

Not over 384 square inches,  $12\frac{1}{2}$  cents per square foot.

Over 384 and not over 720 square inches, 17 cents per square foot.

Over 720 and not over 1,008 square inches,  $17\frac{1}{2}$  cents per square foot.

Over 1,008 square inches,  $19\frac{3}{4}$  cents per square foot.

<sup>27</sup> Rates of duty on cast polished plate glass, finished or unfinished, and unsilvered, changed by presidential proclamation, effective Feb. 16, 1929, as follows:

Not exceeding 384 square inches, from  $12\frac{1}{2}$  cents per pound to 16 cents per pound.

Over 384 square inches and not over 720 square inches, from 15 cents per pound to 19 cents per pound.

Over 720 square inches, from  $17\frac{1}{2}$  cents per pound to 22 cents per pound.

<sup>28</sup> Import statistics not segregated for full application of rates of duty in act of 1930. The disproportionate increase in specific and minimum ad valorem rates, respectively, renders it necessary to apply rates by total brackets.

<sup>29</sup> Import statistics not segregated to show imports of broken glass or glass waste. Act of 1930 transfers to paragraph 1555.

<sup>30</sup> Imports not segregated for application of rate, if polished, 6 cents per superficial foot additional.

<sup>31</sup> Import statistics not segregated for full application of rates of duty under act of 1930.

<sup>32</sup> Minimum content of calcium fluoride changed from 93 per cent to 97 per cent.