

Why are US tariffs on solar panels coming to Southeast Asia?

Nov 29 (Reuters) - U.S. trade officials announced on Friday a new round of tariffs on solar panel imports from four Southeast Asian nations after American manufacturers complained that companies there are flooding the market with unfairly cheap goods.

Where are Chinese solar panels made?

The Chinese firms had set up factories in Southeast Asia, but Commerce Department officials said that some were not doing substantial manufacturing there. Rather, they were using sites in those countries to make minor changes to Chinese-made solar products, and then shipping them to the United States tariff-free, the ruling decided.

Where do US solar equipment imports come from?

Since the imposition of the Obama-era tariffs, the share of US solar equipment imports directly from China has been almost completely phased out, with imports shifting to Southeast Asia. The recent DOC decision would expand these AD/CVD tariffs to cover imports from certain companies in Cambodia, Malaysia, Thailand, and Vietnam.

Are Chinese solar energy producers circumventing US import duties?

Blog by Lilly Yejin Lee & Noah Kaufman on November 13, 2023 According to the United States government, certain Chinese producers have been circumventing US import duties by exporting solar energy equipment from Southeast Asian countries to the US. New steep import tariffs are scheduled to be imposed on these companies in June 2024.

Which countries circumvent solar panels & modules?

Commerce has determined that circumvention occurred during the review period through each of the four Southeast Asian countries and made "country-wide" circumvention findings designating Cambodia, Malaysia, Thailand, and Vietnam as countries from which circumventing solar cells and modules are being exported.

Where are solar panels made?

(A) solar cells that were produced in Southeast Asia from wafers produced in China; and (B) modules, laminates, and panels that were produced in Southeast Asia from wafers produced in China, and where more than two of the following components in the modules were produced in China: (f) junction boxes.

4 ???#0183; What is not normal, though, is the pace in which it has taken up solar photovoltaic (PV) installations - a market it now leads in Southeast Asia. From only 134 megawatts (MW) in 2018, Vietnam's cumulative installed solar PV ...



# Photovoltaic panels exported from Southeast Asia

The US government recently announced a two-year suspension of tariffs on solar panels imported from countries in Southeast Asia such as Cambodia, Thailand, Vietnam, and Malaysia. ...

On August 18, 2023, the US Department of Commerce ("Commerce") issued its final affirmative determinations that solar cells and modules completed in Cambodia, Malaysia, Thailand, or ...

The U.S. Commerce Department on Tuesday announced anti-subsidy countervailing duties on solar cells imported by companies in Vietnam, Cambodia, Malaysia and Thailand that were lower than some ...

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With a mature supply chain and large production capacity for export, Southeast Asia has benefitted from China-targeted PV trade policies by the US, as more module production has moved to the region. However, ...

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Third-quarter imports rose about 55% from a year ago, marking the fifth consecutive quarter of gains since President Joe Biden in June 2022 temporarily waived import duties on crystalline-silicon PV cells and panels from ...

After an affirmative determination from the U.S. International Trade Commission in June that the U.S. solar panel manufacturing industry is being materially injured by imports of silicon solar cells and panels from ...

China's exports were mainly dominated by modules in 2022 - Europe remained the country's top solar module export market with 56% share, according to Wood Mackenzie findings. But solar cells saw more than 100% ...

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In a Dec. 2 preliminary decision, the U.S. Commerce Department affirmed that certain solar imports from Southeast Asia are circumventing tariffs on China. Renewable energy groups ...

6 ???&#0183; Solar imports from Southeast Asia are being unfairly sold in the US below their production



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costs, according to initial findings of a Commerce Department review that laid out ...

The House voted Friday to reinstate tariffs on solar panel imports from several Southeast Asian countries. President Joe Biden paused them in a bid to boost solar panel installations in the U.S., a key part of his ...

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