

Section XI – Chapter 55

Manmade Staple Fibers

Note

1. Headings 5501 and 5502 apply only to manmade filament tow, consisting of parallel filaments of a uniform length equal to the length of the tow, meeting the following specifications:
 - (a). Length of tow exceeding 2 m (2.187 yds.);
 - (b). Twist less than 5 turns per meter (1.093 yds.);
 - (c). Measuring per filament less than 67 decitex (2.161 oz./10,000 yds.);
 - (d). Synthetic filament tow only: the tow must be drawn, that is to say, be incapable of being stretched by more than 100 percent of its length; and
 - (e). Total measurement of tow more than 20,000 decitex (645.098 oz./10,000 yds.).

Tow of a length not exceeding 2 m (2.187 yds.) is to be classified in heading 5503 or 5504.

Statistical Note

1. For the purposes of the woven fabrics of chapter 55, unless the context otherwise requires, provisions relating to one or more weaves embrace only those fabrics which (excluding selvage) are wholly of the specified weave or weaves, including combinations exclusively thereof.

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5501	Synthetic filament tow:	
5501.10.0000	Of nylon or other polyamides	kg
5501.20.0000	Of polyesters	kg
5501.30.0000	Acrylic or modacrylic	kg
5501.90.0000	Other	kg
5502.00.0000	Artificial filament tow	X
5503	Synthetic staple fibers, not carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning:	
5503.10.0000	Of nylon or other polyamides	kg
5503.20.0000	Of polyesters	kg
5503.30.0000	Acrylic or modacrylic	kg
5503.40.0000	Of polypropylene	kg
5503.90.0000	Other	kg
5504	Artificial staple fibers, not carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning:	
5504.10.0000	Of viscose rayon	kg
5504.90.0000	Other	kg
5505	Waste (including noils, yarn waste and garnetted stock) of manmade fibers:	
5505.10	Of synthetic fibers:	
5505.10.0020	Of nylon or other polyamides	kg
5505.10.0040	Of polyesters	kg
5505.10.0060	Other	kg
5505.20.0000	Of artificial fibers	kg

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5506	Synthetic staple fibers, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning:	
5506.10.0000	Of nylon or other polyamides	kg
5506.20.0000	Of polyesters	kg
5506.30.0000	Acrylic or modacrylic	kg
5506.90.0000	Other	kg
5507.00.0000	Artificial staple fibers, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	kg
5508	Sewing thread of manmade staple fibers, whether or not put up for retail sale:	
5508.10.0000	Of synthetic staple fibers	kg
5508.20.0000	Of artificial staple fibers	kg
5509	Yarn (other than sewing thread) of synthetic staple fibers, not put up for retail sale:	
	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of staple fibers of nylon or other polyamides:	
5509.11.0000	Single yarn	kg
5509.12.0000	Multiple (folded) or cabled yarn	kg
	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of polyester staple fibers:	
5509.21.0000	Single yarn	kg
5509.22.0000	Multiple (folded) or cabled yarn	kg

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5509 (con.)	Yarn (other than sewing thread) of synthetic staple fibers, not put up for retail sale (con.):	
	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of acrylic or modacrylic staple fibers:	
5509.31.0000	Single yarn	kg
5509.32.0000	Multiple (folded) or cabled yarn	kg
	Other yarn, containing 85 percent or more by weight of synthetic staple fibers:	
5509.41.0000	Single yarn	kg
5509.42.0000	Multiple (folded) or cabled yarn	kg
	Other yarn, of polyester staple fibers:	
5509.51.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with artificial staple fibers	kg
5509.52.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair	kg
5509.53.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with cotton	kg
5509.59.0000	Other	kg
	Other yarn, of acrylic or modacrylic staple fibers:	
5509.61.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair	kg
5509.62.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with cotton	kg
5509.69.0000	Other	kg
	Other yarn:	
5509.91.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair	kg
5509.92.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with cotton	kg
5509.99.0000	Other	kg

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5510	Yarn (other than sewing thread) of artificial staple fibers, not put up for retail sale: Containing 85 percent or more by weight of artificial staple fibers:	
5510.11.0000	Single yarn	kg
5510.12.0000	Multiple (folded) or cabled yarn	kg
5510.20.0000	Other yarn, mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair	kg
5510.30.0000	Other yarn, mixed mainly or solely with cotton	kg
5510.90.0000	Other yarn	kg
5511	Yarn (other than sewing thread) of manmade staple fibers, put up for retail sale:	
5511.10.0000	Of synthetic staple fibers, containing 85 percent or more by weight of such fibers	kg
5511.20.0000	Of synthetic staple fibers, containing less than 85 percent by weight of such fibers	kg
5511.30.0000	Of artificial staple fibers	kg
5512	Woven fabrics of synthetic staple fibers containing 85 percent or more by weight of synthetic staple fibers: Containing 85 percent or more by weight of polyester staple fibers:	
5512.11.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ²
5512.19.0000	Other	m ²
		kg

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5512 (con.)	Woven fabrics of synthetic staple fibers containing 85 percent or more by weight of synthetic staple fibers (con.): Containing 85 percent or more by weight of acrylic or modacrylic staple fibers:	
5512.21.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ²
		kg
5512.29.0000	Other	m ²
		kg
	Other:	
5512.91.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ²
		kg
5512.99.0000	Other	m ²
		kg
5513	Woven fabrics of synthetic staple fibers, containing less than 85 percent by weight of such fibers, mixed mainly or solely with cotton, of a weight not exceeding 170 g/m ² (5.014 oz./sq. yd.): Unbleached or bleached:	
5513.11.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ²
		kg
5513.12.0000	3-thread or 4-thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ²
		kg
5513.13.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ²
		kg
5513.19.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ²
		kg
	Dyed:	
5513.21.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ²
		kg
5513.22.0000	3-thread or 4-thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ²
		kg
5513.23.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ²
		kg
5513.29.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ²
		kg

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5513 (con.)	Woven fabrics of synthetic staple fibers, containing less than 85 percent by weight of such fibers, mixed mainly or etc. –(con.):	
	Of yarns of different colors:	
5513.31.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ² kg
5513.32.0000	3–thread or 4–thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5513.33.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5513.39.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ² kg
	Printed:	
5513.41.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ² kg
5513.42.0000	3–thread or 4–thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5513.43.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5513.49.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ² kg
5514	Woven fabrics of synthetic staple fibers, containing less than 85 percent by weight of such fibers, mixed mainly or solely with cotton, of a weight exceeding 170 g/m ² (5.014 oz./sq. yd.):	
	Unbleached or bleached:	
5514.11.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ² kg
5514.12.0000	3–thread or 4–thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.13.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.19.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ² kg

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5514 (con.)	Woven fabrics of synthetic staple fibers, containing less than 85 percent by weight of such fibers, mixed mainly or etc. –(con.):	
	Dyed:	
5514.21.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ² kg
5514.22.0000	3–thread or 4–thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.23.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.29.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ² kg
	Of yarns of different colors:	
5514.31.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ² kg
5514.32.0000	3–thread or 4–thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.33.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.39.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ² kg
	Printed:	
5514.41.0000	Of polyester staple fibers, plain weave	m ² kg
5514.42.0000	3–thread or 4–thread twill, including cross twill, of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.43.0000	Other woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers	m ² kg
5514.49.0000	Other woven fabrics	m ² kg

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5515	Other woven fabrics of synthetic staple fibers:	
	Of polyester staple fibers:	
5515.11.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with viscose rayon staple fibers	m ² kg
5515.12.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with manmade filaments	m ² kg
5515.13.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair	m ² kg
5515.19.0000	Other	m ² kg
	Of acrylic or modacrylic staple fibers:	
5515.21.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with manmade filaments	m ² kg
5515.22.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair	m ² kg
5515.29.0000	Other	m ² kg
	Other woven fabrics:	
5515.91.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with manmade filaments	m ² kg
5515.92.0000	Mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair	m ² kg
5515.99.0000	Other	m ² kg
5516	Woven fabrics of artificial staple fibers:	
	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of artificial staple fibers:	
5516.11.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ² kg
5516.12.0000	Dyed	m ² kg
5516.13.0000	Of yarns of different colors	m ² kg
5516.14.0000	Printed	m ² kg

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5516 (con.)	Woven fabrics of artificial staple fibers (con.): Containing less than 85 percent by weight of artificial staple fibers, mixed mainly or solely with manmade filaments:	
5516.21.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ²
		kg
5516.22.0000	Dyed	m ²
		kg
5516.23.0000	Of yarns of different colors	m ²
		kg
5516.24.0000	Printed	m ²
		kg
	Containing less than 85 percent by weight of artificial staple fibers, mixed mainly or solely with wool or animal hair:	
5516.31.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ²
		kg
5516.32.0000	Dyed	m ²
		kg
5516.33.0000	Of yarns of different colors	m ²
		kg
5516.34.0000	Printed	m ²
		kg
	Containing less than 85 percent by weight of artificial staple fibers, mixed mainly or solely with cotton:	
5516.41.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ²
		kg
5516.42.0000	Dyed	m ²
		kg
5516.43.0000	Of yarns of different colors	m ²
		kg
5516.44.0000	Printed	m ²
		kg
	Other:	
5516.91.0000	Unbleached or bleached	m ²
		kg
5516.92.0000	Dyed	m ²
		kg
5516.93.0000	Of yarns of different colors	m ²
		kg
5516.94.0000	Printed	m ²
		kg