Information about China Customs

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Classification infrastructure

Classification offices

CGA Department of duty collection

National Classification center

- Shanghai Branch
- Guangzhou Branch
- Tianjin Branch
- Dalian Branch

Regional office ..... Regional office

Local office .... Local office .... Local office .... Local office

2 Technical Committees within Customs

We have 8 digits code based on HS

- WCO HS

6 digits

- CHINA TARIFF

8 digits

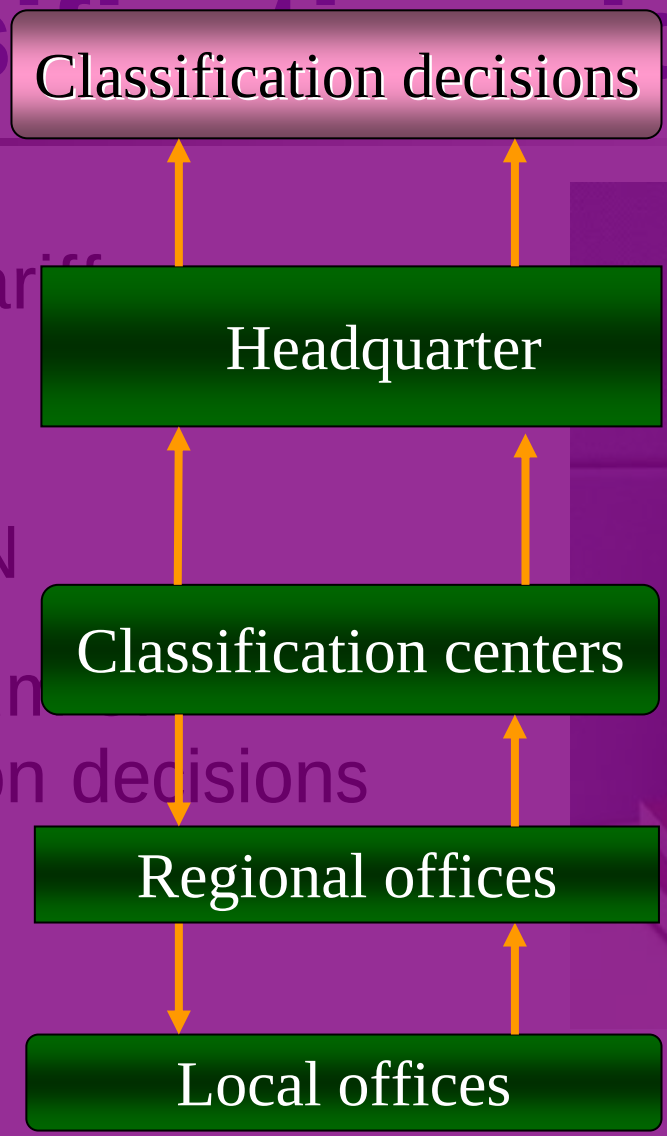
National tariff

-Technological progress
-Trade patterns
-Social and environmental concerns
-Trade statistics
-Domestic industry considerations
...

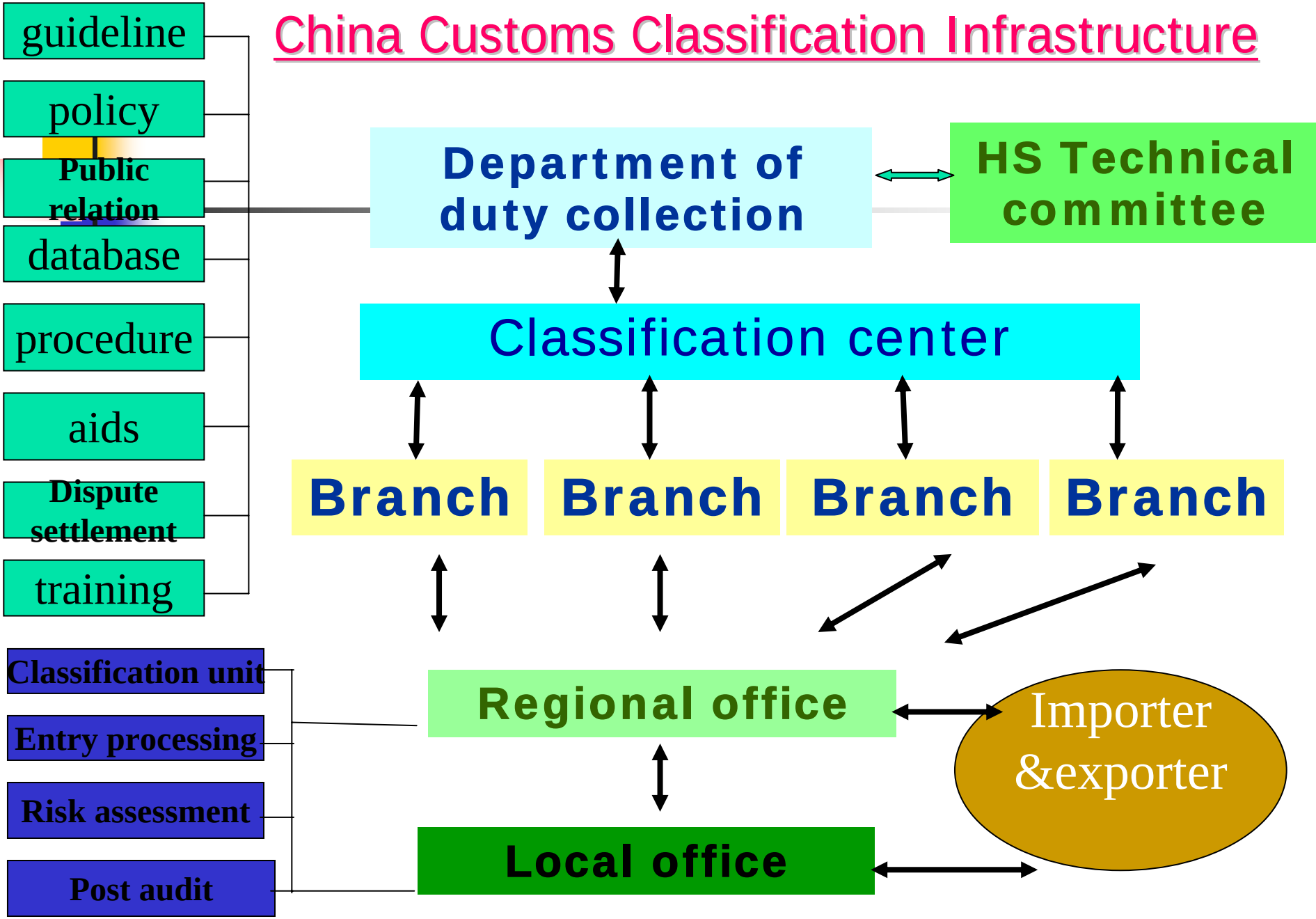
Amended yearly

Classification aids

- National Tariff
- HS EN
- National EN
- Compendium of classification decisions



China Customs Classification Infrastructure



Some cases

8703 & 8704

- 8703 **MOTOR CARS AND OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES PRINCIPALLY DESIGNED FOR THE TRANSPORT OF PERSONS**

  Including ambulances, prison vans and hearses

- 8704 **MOTOR VEHICLES FOR THE TRANSPORT OF GOODS**

van-type vehicle

Criteria to differ (NC0056E1)

- Compare the capacity weight of goods and persons
- Whether there is a single enclosed interior space

Food stuffs with specific medical purpose

- Generally depends on whether there is a medicine certificate for it.

- 2106
- Ch.30

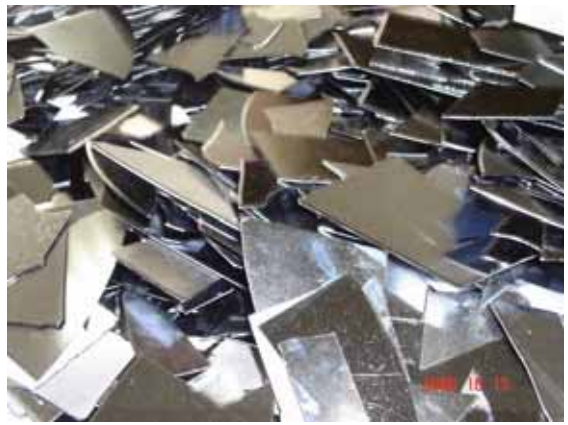
CASE 1:silicon wafer wastes

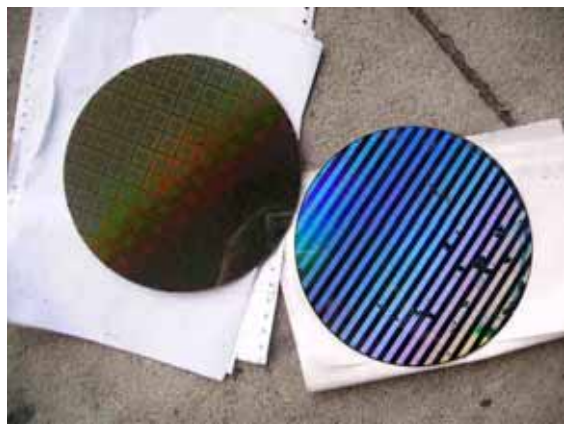
Electronic level

Wafer scrap and wastes

Solar cell level

CASE1:silicon wafer wastes





CASE1:silicon wafer wastes

type	structure	HS CODE	M.F.N
Virgin type	Monocrytal line Si	2804.6190	4%
	Polycrystal line Si	2804.6190	4%
Finished type		3825.6900	Import prohibition

Case 2: welding wires

- 8311 : …**OF BASE METAL OR OF METAL CARBIDES, COATED OR CORED WITH FLUX MATERIAL,** …
- Others should be classified as their presenting manner

Notice the difference between the industry and HS

ELEMENT	HS STANDARD	ISO STANDARD
aluminium	0.3%	0.1%
boron	0.0008%	0.0008%
chromium	0.3%	0.3%
cobalt	0.3%	0.1%
copper	0.4%	0.4%
lead	0.4%	0.4%
manganese	1.65%	1.65%
molybdenum	0.08%	0.08%
nickel	0.3%	0.3%
niobium	0.06%	0.06%
silicon	0.6%	0.5%
titanium	0.05%	0.05%
tungsten (wolfram)	0.3%	0.1%
- vanadium	0.1%	0.1%
zirconium	0.05%	0.05%
Other elements	0.1%	0.05%

solution

- Standardized the declaration data
- Laboratory test

Case 3:baby garment

- **Baby coat, made of man-made fiber, Cloth lenth:35cm**

Case 3:baby garment

Note 6 to ch.61

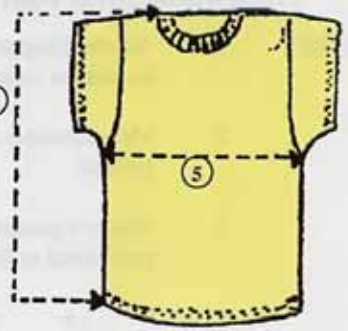
-For the purposes of heading 61.11 :

The expression " babies' garments and clothing accessories " means articles for young children of a body height not exceeding **86 cm**; it also covers babies' napkins;

Articles which are, *prima facie*, classifiable both in heading 61.11 and in other headings of this Chapter are to be classified in heading 61.11.

SHIRTS AND BLOUSES

T-SHIRTS AND GRANDAD VESTS



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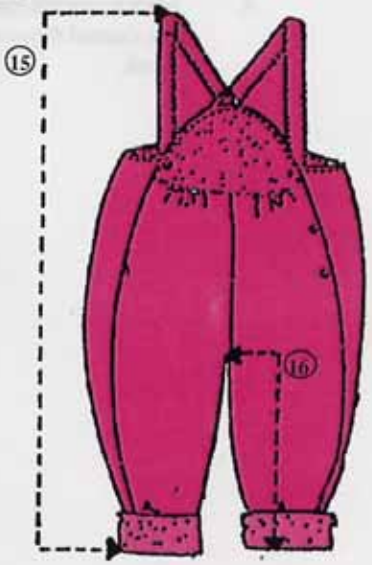
DUNGAREES



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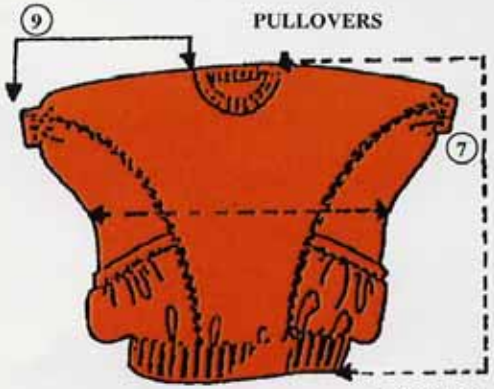


DRESSES

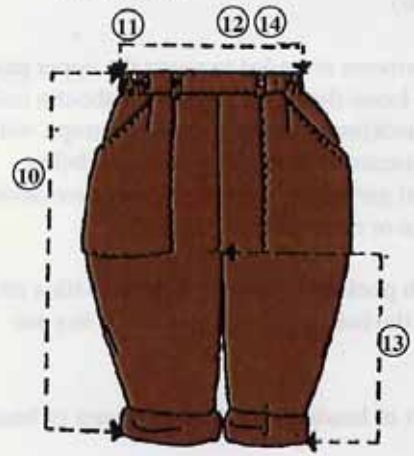
COLLAR

SLEEPSUIT

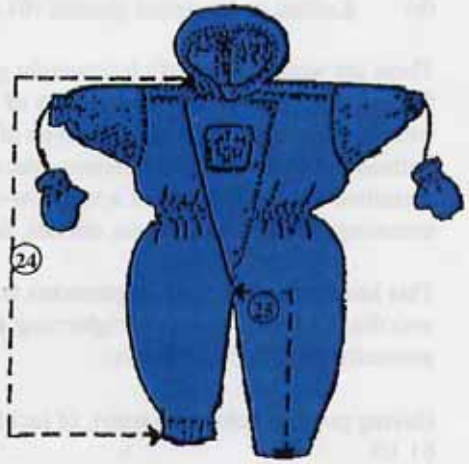
ANORAKS/BLOUSONS

SWIMWEAR

TROUSERS

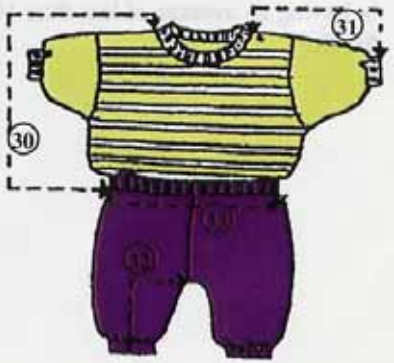


SNOW SUIT



SKIRTS

PYJAMAS



海关总署司（局）函

税管函[2005]148号

关税征管司关于执行征收纺织品出口关税政策有关情况的复函

汕头海关：

你关《汕头海关关于执行征收纺织品出口关税政策有关问题的请示》（汕关税发〔2005〕38号）已收悉，经研究，现就“婴儿服装”界定标准问题函复如下：

由于目前对该问题无政策性解释及相关标准，为便于海关监管，可暂按如下标准执行。“婴儿服装”是指身高不超过86厘米婴儿所穿着服装，其标准为：非连身服上衣长不超过40厘米、裤长不超过45厘米；连身服长度（带有帽子的不包括帽子的长度）不超过86厘米。

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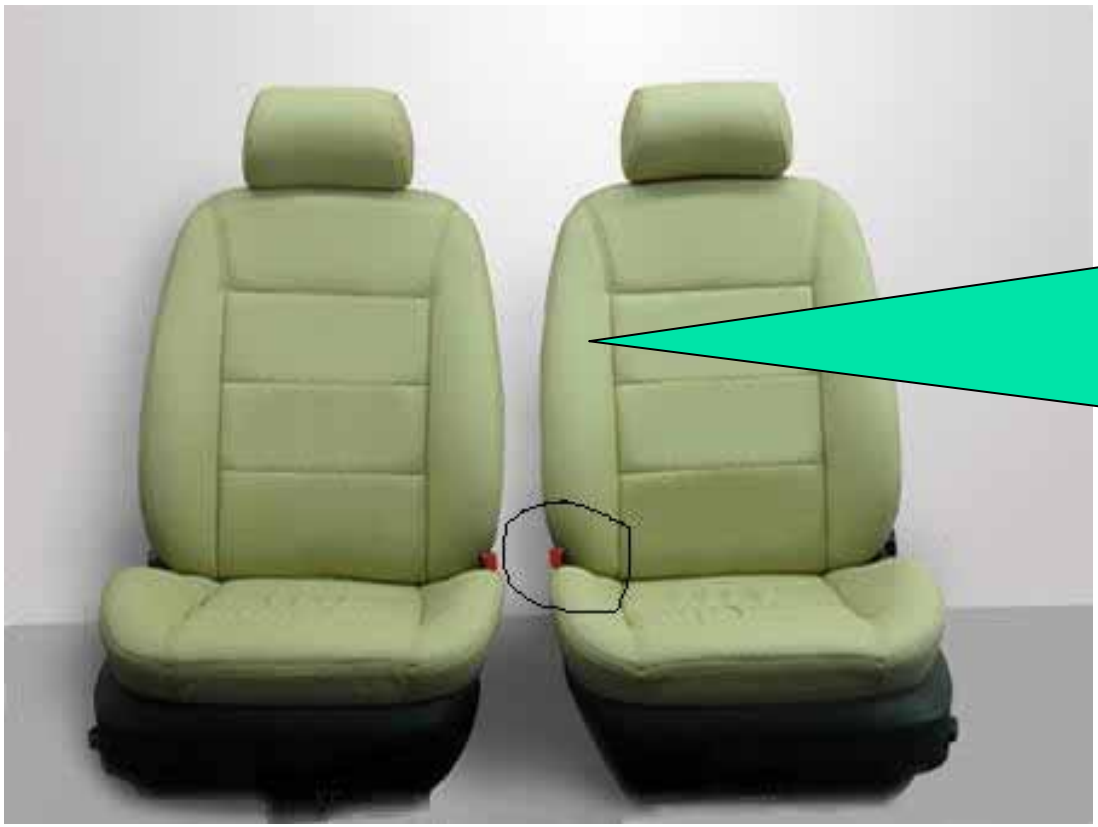
Case 4: Bucket for seat belt

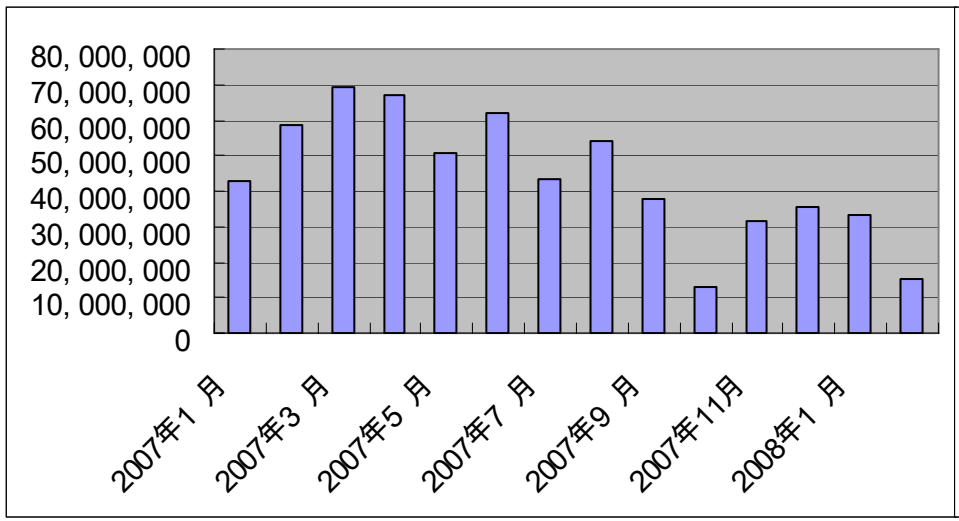
- 8708
- 9401



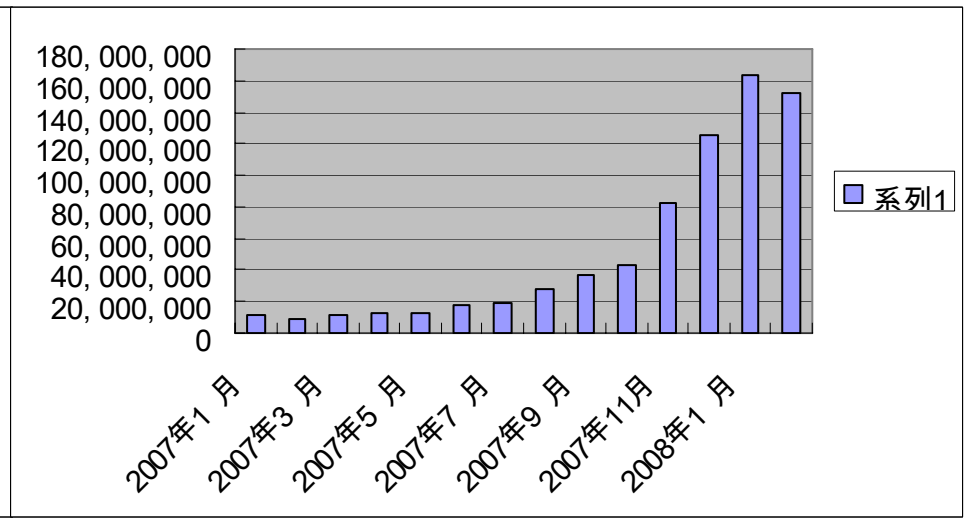
Not a part of the seat

Case 5: aluminium tube

- statistics of 7601 (unwrought AL)



- Statistics of 7608 (Tubes and pipes)



Case 5: aluminium tube

- **Note 1(e) to Ch.76**

  Hollow products, coiled or not, which have a uniform cross-section with only one enclosed void along their whole length in the shape of circles, ovals, rectangles (including squares) , equilateral triangles or regular convex polygons, and which have a uniform wall thickness.

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