

2007 U.S. NET IMPORT RELIANCE FOR SELECTED NONFUEL MINERAL MATERIALS

Commodity	Percent	Major Import Sources (2003-06) ¹
ARSENIC (trioxide)	100	China, Morocco, Hong Kong, Chile
ASBESTOS	100	Canada
BAUXITE and ALUMINA	100	Guinea, Jamaica, Australia, Brazil
CESIUM	100	Canada
FLUORSPAR	100	China, Mexico, South Africa, Mongolia
GRAPHITE (natural)	100	China, Mexico, Canada, Brazil
INDIUM	100	China, Japan, Canada, Belgium
MANGANESE	100	South Africa, Gabon, Australia, China
MICA, sheet (natural)	100	India, Belgium, China, Brazil
NIOBIUM (columbium)	100	Brazil, Canada, Estonia, Germany
QUARTZ CRYSTAL (industrial)	100	Brazil, Germany, Madagascar, Canada
RARE EARTHS	100	China, France, Japan, Russia
RUBIDIUM	100	Canada
STRONTIUM	100	Mexico, Germany
TANTALUM	100	Australia, Brazil, China, Germany
THALLIUM	100	Russia, Netherlands, Belgium
THORIUM	100	United Kingdom, France
VANADIUM	100	Czech Republic, Swaziland, Canada, Austria
YTTRIUM	100	China, Japan, France, Austria
GALLIUM	99	China, Ukraine, Japan, Hungary
GEMSTONES	99	Israel, India, Belgium, South Africa
BISMUTH	95	Belgium, Mexico, China, United Kingdom
PLATINUM	94	South Africa, United Kingdom, Germany, Canada
STONE (dimension)	90	Italy, Turkey, China, Mexico
DIAMOND (natural industrial stone)	88	Botswana, Ireland, Namibia, South Africa
ANTIMONY	86	China, Mexico, Belgium
RHENIUM	86	Chile, Germany
BARITE	83	China, India
TITANIUM MINERAL CONCENTRATES	82	South Africa, Australia, Canada, Ukraine
POTASH	81	Canada, Belarus, Russia, Germany
TIN	79	Peru, Bolivia, China, Indonesia
COBALT	78	Norway, Russia, Finland, China
PALLADIUM	73	Russia, South Africa, United Kingdom, Norway
TUNGSTEN	70	China, Canada, Germany, Portugal
TITANIUM (sponge)	64	Kazakhstan, Japan, Russia, Ukraine
CHROMIUM	62	South Africa, Kazakhstan, Russia, Zimbabwe
PEAT	60	Canada
ZINC	58	Canada, Peru, Mexico, Australia
MAGNESIUM COMPOUNDS	57	China, Canada, Austria, Australia
GARNET (industrial)	56	Australia, India, China, Canada
SILICON (ferrosilicon)	56	China, Venezuela, Russia, Norway
SILVER	55	Mexico, Canada, Peru, Chile
MAGNESIUM METAL	54	Canada, Russia, Israel, China
DIAMOND (dust, grit and powder)	52	China, Ireland, Russia, Ukraine
NITROGEN (fixed), AMMONIA	44	Trinidad and Tobago, Canada, Russia, Ukraine
VERMICULITE	40	South Africa, China
COPPER	37	Chile, Canada, Peru, Mexico
MICA, scrap and flake (natural)	32	Canada, China, India, Finland
PERLITE	30	Greece
ALUMINUM	26	Canada, Russia, Brazil, Venezuela
GYPSUM	26	Canada, Mexico, Spain, Dominican Republic
SULFUR	24	Canada, Mexico, Venezuela
PUMICE	20	Greece, Italy, Turkey
SALT	18	Canada, Chile, The Bahamas, Mexico
CEMENT	17	Canada, China, Thailand, Republic of Korea
NICKEL	17	Canada, Russia, Norway, Australia
PHOSPHATE ROCK	14	Morocco
BROMINE	13	Israel, United Kingdom
IRON and STEEL	12	Canada, European Union, Mexico, Brazil
IRON and STEEL SLAG	7	Canada, Italy, France, Japan
LIME	1	Canada, Mexico