

Number of Section 337 Investigations Instituted By Calendar Year

1972: 3	1992: 13
1973: 4	1993: 17
1974: 9 ¹	1994: 6
1975: 5	1995: 11
1976: 7	1996: 13
1977: 11	1997: 13
1978: 22	1998: 11
1979: 15	1999: 9
1980: 18	2000: 17
1981: 18	2001: 24
1982: 23	2002: 17
1983: 43	2003: 18
1984: 33	2004: 26
1985: 25	2005: 29
1986: 24	2006: 33
1987: 18	2007: 35
1988: 11	2008: 41
1989: 19	2009: 31
1990: 13	2010: 56
1991: 11	2011: 69
	2012: 40

¹ A new Section 337 investigation numbering system (beginning with 337-TA-1) was commenced after January 3, 1975, the effective date of the Trade Act of 1974, which significantly changed the procedures for Section 337 investigations. However, since 16 investigations were pending on the effective date (all of which were instituted in 1972 and 1973), they were redesignated as Inv. Nos. 337-TA-1 through 337-TA-16. The first Section 337 investigation instituted *after* enactment of the Trade Act of 1974 was instituted on July 24, 1975, and designated Inv. No. 337-TA-17.