may also be imported under HTSUS subheading 2106.90.9998, and imports under that HTSUS are subject to an additional duty of 7.5% pursuant to section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. § 2411).[11]

E. Description of the Merchandise and Requested Scope of Investigation

1. Requested Scope of Investigations

The following language describes the imported merchandise that Petitioners intend to cover in these investigations:

> The product within the scope of this investigation is erythritol, which is a sugar alcohol, commonly referred to as a polyol, typically produced by the fermentation of glucose using enzymes and yeast or yeast-like fungi (though the scope includes erythritol produced using any other feedstock or organism). Erythritol is an organic compound with the molecular formula $C_4H_{10}O_4$ and a Chemical Abstract Service ("CAS") registry number of 149-32-6. Other names for erythritol include *meso*-erythritol, (2R, 3S)-butan-1,2,3,4-tetrol, butane-1,2,3,4-tetrol, or *meso*-1,2,3,4-Tetrahydroxybutane.
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> Erythritol typically appears as a white crystalline, odorless product that rapidly dissolves in water. While erythritol is typically produced in the crystalline form or as a fine powder or in directly compressible form, the scope of these investigations covers all physical forms and grades of erythritol.
>
> The merchandise covered by this investigation is classifiable under HTSUS subheadings 2905.49.4000 and 2106.90.9998. Although the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the merchandise covered by this investigation is dispositive.

A full description of the scope of these investigations is also contained in **Exhibit I-2**.

[11] *See Notice of Modification of Section 301 Action: China's Acts, Policies, and Practices Related to Technology Transfer, Intellectual Property, and Innovation*, 84 Fed. Reg. 43,304 (Aug. 20, 2024) (assigning section 301 duties); *Notice of Modification of Section 301 Action: China's Acts, Policies, and Practices Related to Technology Transfer, Intellectual Property, and Innovation*, 85 Fed. Reg. 3,741 (Jan. 22, 2020) (reducing the section 301 duty to 7.5%).