

REACH COMPLIANCE

7. Tracking import data and REACH compliance of imports

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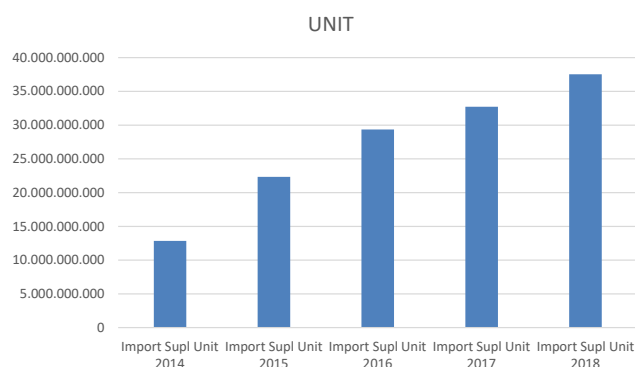
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Statistics and Data Completion



- Amalgamated data from members per year and per quarter
- No overall data tracking of imports
- **Query:** Should we track import data using HS codes?
 - E.g. HS code 3918 Floorcoverings of plastic
- Investigate best sources
- **Any suggestions?**

Example imports from China to EU 28 Harmonised System Code 39181010



ECHA Data base for Substances of Concern in Products -SCIP

- Information of SVHCs on the Candidate List must be available throughout the whole lifecycle of products and materials, including at the waste stage
- Companies supplying articles that contain Candidate List substances in a concentration above 0.1% w/w on the EU market will have to submit to ECHA, as from 5 January 2021, sufficient information to allow safe use of those articles

Who has to enter data

- EU producers and assemblers,
- EU importers,
- EU distributors of articles and other actors who place articles on the market.
- Retailers and other supply chain actors supplying articles directly to consumers are not covered by the obligation to submit information to ECHA.

Tracking REACH Compliance



- **The Forum:** Coordination body for enforcement under the head of ECHA, the European Chemicals Agency
- Companies noticing that competitors infringe REACH, can inform their national authorities and the Forum
- Forum secretariat managed by ECHA
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