

# Trump exempts technology imports in tariff step-back

AFP, WASHINGTON: The Trump administration has announced a series of major exemptions to its punishing global tariffs – an apparent step back in an escalating trade war with China.

A notice late Friday by the US Customs and Border Protection office said smartphones, computers and other electronics would be excluded from the import levies President Donald Trump rolled out a week ago.

The move came as retaliatory Chinese import tariffs of 125% on US goods took effect Saturday, with Beijing standing defiant against its primary trade competitor.

The exemptions will benefit US tech giants like Apple that make iPhones and other premium products in China, and will generally narrow the impact of the staggering 145% tariffs Trump has imposed this year on Chinese goods entering the United States.

Washington and Beijing's escalating tariff battle has raised fears of an enduring trade war between the world's two largest economies and sent global markets into



Men relax outside a Nike store in a shopping mall in Beijing as the trade war with the US intensifies, on Saturday

a tailspin.

The fallout has sent particular shockwaves through the US economy, with investors dumping government bonds and the dollar tumbling.

Nevertheless, Trump insisted Friday on his Truth Social platform that "we are doing really well on our tariff policy," even after Beijing announced its latest hike.

Daniel Ives, senior equity analyst

at Wedbush Securities, called the US exemptions "the best news possible for tech investors."

"US tariff exclusions will apply to computers, smartphones, and chip-making equipment which takes (away) a huge black cloud overhang for now over the tech sector," he added in a note.

Without these exemptions, he said, "the US Tech industry would be taken back a decade and the AI

Revolution thesis would have been slowed significantly."

Many of the exempted products, including hard drives and computer processors, generally are not made in America.

While Trump has referred to tariffs as a way to bring manufacturing back to the United States, analysts say it will likely take years to ramp up domestic production.

Trump has specifically targeted China with his "reciprocal" tariffs meant to address practices Washington deems unfair.

And even with Washington and Beijing going toe-to-toe, the White House insists Trump remains "optimistic" about a deal with China.

His Chinese counterpart Xi Jinping gave his first major comments on the tensions Friday, with state media quoting him as saying his country was "not afraid."

Economists warn that the disruption in trade between the tightly integrated US and Chinese economies will increase prices for consumers and could spark a global recession.

## HOT SELLING



A man buys red chilli peppers at a market in Ternate, North Maluku, Indonesia, on Sunday

## Stocks jump, bond market swings to cap Wall Street's chaotic week

AP, NEW YORK: US stocks jumped Friday in another manic day on Wall Street, while the falling value of the US dollar and other swings in financial markets suggested fear is still high about escalations in President

Donald Trump's trade war with China.

The S&P 500 rallied 1.8%, after veering repeatedly between gains and losses, to cap a chaotic and historic week full of monstrous swings. The Dow Jones Industrial Average went from an early loss of nearly 340 points to a gain of 810 before settling at a rise of 619 points, or 1.6%, while the Nasdaq composite jumped 2.1%.

Stocks kicked higher as pressure eased a bit from within the US bond market. It's typically the more boring corner of Wall Street, but it's been flashing serious enough signals of worry this week that it's demanded investors' and Trump's attention.

The yield on the 10-year Treasury topped 4.58% in the morning, up from 4.01% a week ago. That's a major move for a market that typically measures things in hundredths of a percentage point. Such jumps can drive up rates for mortgages and other loans

going to US households and businesses, which would slow the economy, and they can indicate stress in the financial system.

But Treasury yields eased back as the afternoon progressed, and the 10-year yield regressed to 4.48%. That's still higher than the day before, but not by as eye-wateringly much.

Susan Collins, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, told the Financial Times that the Fed "would absolutely be prepared" if markets become disorderly and "does have tools to address concerns about market functioning or liquidity should they arise."

Several reasons could be behind this week's jump in US Treasury yields, which is unusual because yields typically fall when fear is high. Investors outside the United States could be selling their US bonds because of the trade war, and hedge funds could be selling whatever's available in order to raise cash to cover other losses.

## India votes in favour of first global carbon tax on shipping

PTI, NEW DELHI: India and 62 other countries voted in favour of the world's first-ever global carbon tax imposed on the shipping industry by the United Nations' shipping agency.

The decision, taken at the International Maritime Organisation (IMO) headquarters in London on Friday after a week of intense negotiations, aims to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from ships and promote cleaner technologies.

The move marks the first time a global carbon tax has been imposed on an entire industry. Starting 2028, ships will either have to shift to lower-emission fuels or pay a fee for the pollution they generate.

The tax could generate up to \$40 billion by 2030.

While the agreement is being seen as a breakthrough for international climate policy, it has also drawn criticism for failing to address the climate finance needs of developing countries. All revenues raised from the carbon tax will be ring fenced for decarbonising the maritime sector and will not be allocated to broader climate finance efforts.

Also, carbon pricing is expected to reduce shipping emissions by only 10% by 2030, far short of the IMO's own target of at least 20%.

The deal was supported by 63 countries, including

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India, China and Brazil, but opposed by oil-rich nations like Saudi Arabia, the UAE, Russia and Venezuela. The US delegation did not participate in negotiations and was absent during voting.

A group of more than 60 countries, largely from the Pacific, Caribbean, Africa and Central America, had pushed for a share of the revenues to be directed towards broader climate finance needs. These countries, many of them highly vulnerable to climate change, expressed disappointment at the final outcome.

Tuvalu, speaking on behalf of the Pacific Island nations, criticised the lack of transparency in the negotiations and said the current design fails to promote a real shift to cleaner fuels.

Vanuatu's Minister for Climate Change Ralph Regen vanu said countries like Saudi Arabia, the US and other fossil fuel producers had "blocked progress at every turn" and weakened proposals that could have aligned the shipping sector with the 1.5 degrees Celsius temperature limit under the Paris Agreement.

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