



Tungsten in February 2026

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TRADE DATA

Trade data are sourced from the U.S. Census Bureau (<https://usatrade.census.gov/>). "HTS" refers to the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, and "Schedule B" refers to the Schedule B export classification system used by the United States.

"Imports" refers to "imports for consumption." The import valuation is the U.S. customs value, as appraised by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection, and is generally defined as the price actually paid or payable for merchandise when sold for exportation to the United States, excluding U.S. import duties, freight, insurance, and other charges incurred in bringing the merchandise to the United States.

"Exports" refers to "domestic exports." Export valuation is on a free-alongside-ship basis.

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Table 1. U.S. salient tungsten statistics.

[Data are in metric tons, tungsten content.]

Period	Concentrate		Intermediate products		
	Consumption	Imports for consumption	Stocks, end of period ¹	Net production ²	Stocks, end of period ³
2025					
February	W	200	W	W	W
March	W	129	W	W	W
April	W	144	W	W	W
May	W	131	W	W	W
June	W	93	W	W	W
July	W	163	W	W	W
August	W	106	W	W	W
September	W	141	W	W	W
October	W	235	W	W	W
November	W	151	W	W	W
December	W	260	W	W	W
January–December	W	1,920	W	W	W
2026					
January	W	353	W	W	W
February	W	170	W	W	W
Year-to-date	W	522	W	W	W

¹Consumer stocks.²Net production of tungsten metal powder and tungsten carbide powder.³Producer stocks of tungsten metal powder and tungsten carbide powder.

Table 2. U.S. imports for consumption of tungsten, by country or locality.

[Data are in metric tons, tungsten content. Note: Imports of waste and scrap in February 2026 totaled 464 metric tons, tungsten content, to give a year-to-date total of 940 metric tons, tungsten content.]

Period and country or locality of origin	Ores and concentrates	Ammonium tungstates	Ferro-tungsten	Metal powder	Tungsten carbide powder	Other ¹	Total	Total, year to date
2025								
Year-to-date	365	268	<0.5	324	244	474	1,680	—
January–December	1,920	1,470	19	1,260	1,090	2,510	8,260	—
2026								
January	353	<0.5	0	48	61	127	589	589
February								
Austria	0	0	0	2	39	9	51	110
Bolivia	32	0	0	0	0	0	32	155
Canada	0	0	0	36	29	27	92	153
China	0	18	0	<0.5	4	15	37	66
Germany	0	10	0	0	1	8	18	21
India	0	<0.5	0	0	0	4	4	24
Israel	0	0	0	18	6	<0.5	24	47
Japan	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	5
Mongolia	50	0	0	0	0	0	50	144
Philippines	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	15
Portugal	23	0	0	0	0	0	23	43
Rwanda	24	0	0	0	0	0	24	51
Spain	40	0	0	0	0	0	40	129
Taiwan	0	0	0	0	0	75	75	97
United Kingdom	0	0	4	0	0	<0.5	4	4
Vietnam	0	0	0	17	0	25	42	59
Other	0	0	0	2	1	1	4	6
Total	170	28	4	77	79	182	539	1,130
Year-to-date	522	28	4	125	140	309	1,130	—

¹Includes other unwrought tungsten, wrought tungsten, calcium and other tungstates, tungsten oxides, tungsten chlorides, other tungsten compounds, ash and residues containing mainly tungsten, mixtures of tungsten, and other mixtures of inorganic compounds containing tungsten. Tungsten content estimated in part.

Table 3. U.S. exports of tungsten, by country or locality.

[Data are in metric tons, tungsten content. Note: Exports of waste and scrap in February 2026 totaled 235 metric tons, tungsten content, to give a year-to-date total of 392 metric tons, tungsten content.]

Period and country or locality of origin	Ores and concentrates ¹	Ammonium tungstates	Metal powder ¹	Tungsten carbide powder	Other ²	Total	Total, year to date
2025							
Year-to-date	77	9	170	90	83	428	—
January–December	1,630	273	636	448	488	3,470	—
2026							
January	61	51	42	66	64	284	284
February							
Canada	0	0	10	8	3	21	68
China	0	0	1	6	4	12	20
Germany	<0.5	0	3	4	<0.5	8	43
India	0	0	<0.5	0	<0.5	<0.5	21
Japan	0	42	12	3	<0.5	57	110
Korea, Republic of	0	0	2	0	1	3	4
Mexico	0	0	1	<0.5	14	15	36
Peru	0	3	1	0	0	5	5
Philippines	0	0	0	0	6	6	6
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0	0	<0.5	<0.5	9
Taiwan	19	0	0	0	20	39	53
Turkey	0	0	0	0	<0.5	<0.5	4
Vietnam	67	0	0	0	0	67	128
Other	<0.5	2	5	5	3	14	23
Total	85	47	37	26	51	245	529
Year-to-date	146	98	79	91	115	529	—

¹Tungsten content estimated from reported gross weight.

²Includes unwrought tungsten, including bars and rods obtained simply by sintering, wrought tungsten, ferrotungsten, and other tungstates. Tungsten content estimated in part.