80.03 - Tin bars, rods, profiles and wire.

These products, which are defined in Chapter Notes 1 (a), 1 (b) and 1 (c), correspond to similar goods made of copper. The provisions of the Explanatory Notes to heading 74.07 or 74.08 therefore apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to this heading.

The heading also includes rods of tin base solder (generally made by extrusion) whether or not cut to length, **provided** they are not coated with flux material. Coated rods are **excluded** (**heading 83.11**).

The heading also excludes cast rods intended, for example, for rolling or drawing or for re-casting into shaped articles (heading 80.01).