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The Commission took note of the US' National Security Strategy, which is a US internal document not subject to the Commission's scrutiny.

The Commission is not in the possession of data on the energy sources used by chemical plants in China. However, according to public information, China imports roughly 38 billion cubic meters of Russian pipeline gas annually through the Power of Siberia pipeline, which is used across different sectors and economic actors in the country. The size of China's chemical market and its dynamic growth have attracted foreign investment, including from the US, Japan, South Korea, Saudi Arabia as well as Member States' chemical companies. The Commission has no information on the specific contractual arrangements or feedstock supply of individual industrial plants in China.