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Preface

On February 16, 1983, at the request of the Subcommittee on Trade, Committee on Ways and Means, U.S. House of Representatives, and in accordance with the provisions of section 332(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1332(b)), the United States International Trade Commission instituted investigation No. 332-153, Monthly Report on Selected Steel Industry Data. The purpose of the report is to gather and compile data on the U.S. steel industry from public sources and report such data to the subcommittee on a monthly basis through December 1985.

On October 21, 1982, the Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products between the European Coal and Steel Community and the United States (the Arrangement) became effective. The text of the Arrangement is published in the Federal Register of October 29, 1982 (47 F.R. 49060). Under the terms of the Arrangement, exports of certain steel products from the European Community to the United States are to be limited to a percentage of apparent U.S. consumption from November 1, 1982, through December 31, 1985. The 15 steel products subject to the Arrangement (for which a concordance between shipment, import, and export data was developed), the 10 product categories into which they are grouped, and the percentages of apparent consumption to which exports are to be limited are as follows:

1. Hot-rolled sheet and strip (6.81 percent):
Hot-rolled carbon sheet and strip
Hot-rolled alloy sheet and strip
2. Cold-rolled sheet (5.11 percent):
Cold-rolled carbon sheet
Cold-rolled alloy sheet
3. Plate (5.36 percent):
Carbon plate
Alloy plate
4. Structural (9.91 percent):
Carbon structural shapes
Alloy structural shapes
5. Wire rod (4.29 percent):
Carbon wire rod
6. Hot-rolled bar (2.38 percent):
Hot-rolled carbon bar
Hot-rolled alloy bar
7. Coated sheet (3.27 percent):
Carbon and alloy coated sheet and terne
plate and sheet
8. Tin plate (2.20 percent):
Tin plate
9. Rails (8.90 percent):
Carbon and alloy rails
10. Sheet piling (21.85 percent):
Carbon and alloy sheet piling.

This monthly report includes data on steel shipments, imports, exports, apparent consumption, import market share, and selected prices available for the 15 products subject to the Arrangement on monthly, quarterly and annual bases. In addition, information on total U.S. steel production, shipments, employment, imports, exports, apparent consumption, import market share, and average prices is provided so that developments regarding products subject to the Arrangement can be assessed in a broader context.

Notes on product coverage

The following points regarding product coverage should be noted. First, the Tariff Schedules of the United States Annotated (TSUSA) classifies hot- and cold-rolled alloy strip in the same TSUSA item; import data shown for hot-rolled alloy sheet and strip (tables 8 and 9) are, therefore, most likely overstated. Second, certain semifinished products classified in the TSUSA as plate have been excluded from the Arrangement; since the TSUSA does not separately identify these semifinished products, import data shown for carbon plate (tables 14 and 15) and alloy plate (tables 16 and 17) may be overstated. The effect of overstatement in these three product areas on the aggregate import data for the 15 products subject to the Arrangement (tables 4 and 5) is minimal. Imports of hot- and cold-rolled alloy strip represent a small portion of total imports; moreover, inquiries made by the Commission staff to Customs and industry sources indicate that imports of semifinished products classified as plate under the TSUSA probably represent a small percentage of total plate imports.

Monthly and quarterly data may not add to quarterly and annual totals, respectively, owing to rounding and data revisions.

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Table 1.--Steel: 1/ U.S. production, capability utilization, 2/ and employment, 3/
1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

	Production		Employment			
	Raw steel	Capability utilization	Total	Employees receiving wages	Employees on short work week 4/	Employees on short work week 5/
	1,000 short tons	Percent				
1981:	120,828	78.3	391	286	93	
1982:	72,903	47.3	289	198	178	
January-March	32,363	84.1	397	293	5/	
April-June	33,068	85.0	404	298	5/	
July-September	29,898	76.9	397	292	5/	
October-December	24,636	63.4	369	265	93	
1982:						
January-March	22,970	60.7	342	243	107	
April-June	19,711	51.2	307	212	135	
July-September	16,555	42.7	272	183	157	
October-December	14,265	36.7	238	157	178	
January	7,737	59.3	353	252	86	
February	7,178	60.9	341	242	91	
March	8,049	61.7	331	234	107	
April	7,006	55.2	321	224	116	
May	6,678	50.9	306	210	135	
June	6,050	47.7	295	201	135	
July	5,719	43.8	283	192	139	
August	5,538	42.4	273	185	151	
September	5,299	41.9	259	173	157	
October	5,262	40.2	247	164	169	
November	4,546	35.9	231	151	174	
December	4,456	34.0	235	156	178	
Percentage change:						
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	-2.0	-	1.7	3.3	2.3	
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-41.9	-	-34.9	-39.5	91.4	

1/ Carbon, stainless, and alloy steel, whether or not subject to the Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products, which became effective in October 1982.

2/ Based on production and capability to produce raw steel for a sustained full order book.

3/ Covering those employees engaged in the production and sale of iron and steel products.

4/ Data are for end of period and are for 26 companies which together account for approximately 85 percent of U.S. raw steel production.

5/ Not available.

Table 2.—Steel mill products: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption		
		Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	
-----1,000 short tons-----										
1981:										
1981-	87,014	19,898	6,482	2,904	104,008	19.1	6.2			
1982-	59,783	16,683	5,617	1,842	74,624	22.4	7.5			
January-March	23,415	3,657	800	729	26,343	13.9	3.0			
April-June	24,236	5,199	1,605	830	28,605	18.2	5.6			
July-September	21,266	5,637	2,035	640	26,263	21.5	7.7			
October-December	18,097	5,405	2,042	705	22,797	23.7	9.0			
1982:										
January-March	17,200	4,925	1,547	524	21,601	22.8	7.2			
April-June	16,004	4,509	1,630	522	19,991	22.6	8.2			
July-September	13,962	3,754	1,145	456	17,260	21.7	6.6			
October-December	12,632	3,495	1,295	337	15,790	22.1	8.2			
1982:										
January	5,608	1,969	744	173	7,404	26.6	10.0			
February	5,434	1,600	411	154	6,880	23.3	6.0			
March	6,163	1,356	392	197	7,322	18.5	5.4			
April	5,488	1,029	319	148	6,369	16.2	5.0			
May	5,149	1,696	564	194	6,651	25.5	8.5			
June	5,372	1,784	747	180	6,976	25.6	10.7			
July	4,514	1,113	395	146	5,481	20.3	7.2			
August	4,724	1,451	364	152	6,023	24.1	6.0			
September	4,760	1,191	386	158	5,793	20.6	6.7			
October	4,309	1,146	346	133	5,322	21.5	6.5			
November	4,088	1,258	493	106	5,240	24.0	9.4			
December	4,234	1,091	455	97	5,228	20.9	8.7			
Percentage change:										
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	3.6	-13.3	-7.7	-8.5	-0.2	-	-			
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-25.3	-32.4	-26.4	-57.3	-25.9	-	-			

1/ Carbon, stainless, and alloy steel, whether or not subject to the Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products, which became effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 3.- Steel mill products: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981-82,
and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in 1,000 short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source	1981	1982	1981		1982		Year to date	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (5)	(7) from (3)	(7) from (8)	(8) from (9)	(9) from (10)	Percentage change
			Dec.	date	Nov.	Dec.									
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,109	929	82	:	1,109	77	72	:	929	:	-6.5	:	-12.2	:	-16.2
France	1,289	998	166	:	1,289	76	75	:	998	:	-1.3	:	-54.8	:	-22.6
Italy	768	644	98	:	768	23	30	:	644	:	30.4	:	-69.4	:	-16.1
Netherlands	463	375	49	:	463	59	65	:	375	:	10.2	:	32.7	:	-19.0
United Kingdom	574	486	50	:	574	25	38	:	486	:	52.0	:	-24.0	:	-15.3
West Germany	2,164	2,080	168	:	2,164	219	174	:	2,080	:	-20.5	:	3.6	:	-4.0
All other	115	104	5	:	115	14	2/	:	104	:	-	:	-	:	-9.6
Subtotal, EC	6,482	5,617	618	:	6,482	493	455	:	5,617	:	-7.7	:	-26.4	:	-13.3
Brazil	548	605	69	:	548	32	50	:	605	:	56.3	:	-27.5	:	10.4
Canada	2,899	1,844	127	:	2,899	151	96	:	1,844	:	-36.4	:	-24.4	:	-36.4
Japan	6,220	5,185	517	:	6,220	274	273	:	5,185	:	-0.4	:	-47.2	:	-16.6
Republic of Korea	1,218	1,062	87	:	1,218	64	50	:	1,062	:	-21.9	:	-42.5	:	-12.8
Spain	730	547	71	:	730	25	19	:	547	:	-24.0	:	-73.2	:	-25.1
All other	1,801	1,823	124	:	1,801	219	148	:	1,823	:	-32.4	:	19.4	:	1.2
Total, all sources	19,898	16,683	1,613	:	19,898	1,258	1,091	:	16,683	:	-13.3	:	-32.4	:	-16.2
Value															
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	467,480	373,754	35,987	:	467,480	27,243	24,122	:	373,754	:	-11.5	:	-33.0	:	-20.0
France	598,542	532,404	81,264	:	598,542	33,344	33,272	:	532,404	:	-0.2	:	-59.1	:	-11.0
Italy	442,968	424,191	59,820	:	442,968	11,377	18,599	:	424,191	:	63.5	:	-68.9	:	-4.2
Netherlands	168,841	134,263	18,161	:	168,841	19,662	21,459	:	134,263	:	9.1	:	18.2	:	-20.5
United Kingdom	321,132	279,582	29,574	:	321,132	10,703	14,710	:	279,582	:	37.4	:	-50.3	:	-12.9
West Germany	1,193,251	1,127,680	109,693	:	1,193,251	82,487	63,473	:	1,127,680	:	-23.1	:	-42.1	:	-4.5
All other	49,964	49,337	2,880	:	49,964	5,472	32	:	49,337	:	-99.4	:	-98.9	:	-1.3
Subtotal, EC	3,242,179	2,921,211	337,378	:	3,242,179	190,287	175,668	:	2,921,211	:	-7.7	:	-47.9	:	-9.9
Brazil	235,751	233,996	32,706	:	235,751	10,484	14,279	:	233,996	:	36.2	:	-56.3	:	-0.7
Canada	1,296,673	854,965	67,098	:	1,294,673	64,430	42,648	:	854,965	:	-33.8	:	-36.4	:	-34.0
Japan	3,731,749	3,448,081	357,350	:	3,731,749	150,632	136,532	:	3,448,081	:	-9.4	:	61.8	:	-7.6
Republic of Korea	538,940	447,814	40,171	:	538,940	23,528	19,297	:	447,814	:	-18.0	:	-51.7	:	-16.9
Spain	340,364	245,465	33,132	:	340,364	10,143	7,372	:	245,465	:	-27.3	:	-77.7	:	-27.9
All other	864,003	806,864	68,228	:	864,003	71,108	48,494	:	806,864	:	-31.8	:	-28.9	:	-6.6
Total, all sources	10,247,659	8,958,396	936,064	:	10,247,659	520,612	444,290	:	8,958,396	:	-14.7	:	-52.5	:	-12.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3.--Steel mill products: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982,
and specified periods, 1981 and 1982--Continued

(Quantity in 1,000 short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source		1981	1982	1982			1982			Percentage change		
				Year to		Year to	Year to		(6) from		(7) from	
		(1)	(2)	Dec.	date	Nov.	Dec.	date	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	422	402	436	422	354	333	402	5.9	-23.6	-4.7		
France	464	534	489	464	438	443	534	1.1	-9.4	15.1		
Italy	577	659	613	577	489	622	659	27.2	1.5	14.2		
Netherlands	365	358	369	365	333	330	358	-0.9	-10.6	-1.9		
United Kingdom	560	575	596	560	435	386	575	-11.3	-35.2	2.7		
West Germany	551	542	654	551	376	364	542	-3.2	-44.3	-1.6		
Other EC	433	474	530	433	396	392	474	-1.0	-26.0	9.5		
Subtotal, EC	500	520	546	500	386	386	520	-	-29.3	4.0		
Brazil	430	387	473	430	324	283	387	-12.7	-40.2	-10.0		
Canada	447	464	529	447	427	447	464	4.7	-15.5	3.8		
Japan	600	665	692	600	550	500	665	-9.1	-27.7	10.8		
Republic of Korea	442	422	459	442	366	385	422	5.2	-16.1	-4.5		
Spain	466	449	469	466	400	395	449	-1.3	-15.8	-3.6		
All other	480	443	551	480	325	328	443	0.9	-40.5	-7.7		
Average, all sources	515	537	580	515	414	407	537	-1.7	-29.8	4.3		

1/ Carbon, stainless, and alloy steel, whether or not subject to the Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products.

2/ Less than 500 tons.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 4.—Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports	Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
					Total	From EC
Short tons						
1981:						
January-March	60,851,891	10,879,553	4,172,631	1,412,249	70,319,195	15.5
April-June	43,715,615	9,182,789	3,616,353	707,001	52,191,403	17.6
July-September	16,672,186	1,896,831	465,030	338,701	18,230,316	10.4
October-December	17,066,789	2,771,092	985,275	386,102	19,451,779	14.2
1982:						
January-March	14,799,761	3,109,972	1,281,450	330,491	17,579,242	17.7
April-June	12,313,155	3,101,658	1,440,876	356,956	15,057,857	20.6
July-September	11,973,249	2,481,673	843,499	199,659	14,255,263	17.4
October-December	11,587,556	2,366,535	957,330	182,115	13,771,976	17.2
1982:						
January	10,548,946	2,039,232	768,152	177,327	12,410,851	16.4
February	9,605,864	2,295,349	1,047,373	147,900	11,753,313	19.5
March						
April	3,832,214	1,047,009	404,290	75,716	4,803,507	21.8
May	3,770,702	786,262	215,286	56,917	4,500,047	17.5
June	4,375,554	648,402	223,923	67,026	4,956,930	13.1
July	3,889,430	421,042	137,264	61,734	4,248,738	9.9
August	3,701,221	876,421	313,140	73,234	4,504,408	19.5
September	3,998,259	1,069,073	506,926	47,147	5,020,185	21.3
October	3,422,523	543,360	236,586	58,237	3,907,646	13.9
November	3,569,432	807,602	247,105	63,776	4,313,258	18.7
December	3,585,692	688,270	284,461	55,314	4,218,648	16.3
Percentage change:						
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	6.7	-10.5	1.7	-4.5	3.2	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-14.9	-11.4	-0.8	-56.1	-13.3	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 5.- Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)															Percentage change
	1981			1982			Year to date			Nov.			Dec.			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Quantity																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	946,339	807,894	67,919		946,339	66,850		64,679		807,894		-3.2		-4.8		-14.6
France	994,540	690,127	125,895		994,540	62,515		66,887		690,127		7.0		-46.9		-30.6
Italy	188,377	220,543	28,519		188,377	17,052		12,592		220,543		-26.2		-55.8		17.1
Netherlands	425,205	319,856	44,265		425,205	47,888		62,171		319,856		29.8		40.5		-24.8
United Kingdom	371,024	270,384	31,842		371,024	21,269		35,444		270,384		66.6		11.3		-27.1
West Germany	1,201,272	1,287,415	83,667		1,201,272	147,672		138,969		1,287,415		-5.9		65.7		7.2
All other	45,874	20,134	1,604		45,874	11,074		20,134		-100.0		-100.0		-100.0		-56.1
Subtotal, EC	4,172,631	3,616,353	383,912		4,172,631	374,321		380,741		3,616,353		1.7		-1.0		-13.3
Brazil	388,044	387,746	38,733		388,044	26,958		24,630		387,746		-8.6		-36.4		-0.1
Canada	1,515,710	1,113,562	64,407		1,515,710	95,480		58,145		1,113,562		-39.1		-9.7		-26.5
Japan	2,896,452	2,323,987	219,527		2,896,452	169,333		188,919		2,323,987		11.6		-13.9		-19.8
Republic of Korea	344,587	372,057	19,156		344,587	25,389		13,837		372,057		-45.5		-27.8		8.0
Spain	464,154	365,826	42,601		464,154	18,770		7,897		365,826		-57.9		-81.5		-21.2
All other	1,097,974	1,003,257	59,930		1,097,974	109,311		59,609		1,003,257		-45.5		-1.0		-8.6
Total, all sources	10,879,553	9,182,789	828,266		10,879,553	819,562		733,777		9,182,789		-10.5		-11.4		-15.6
Value																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	344,900	276,226	24,580		344,900	21,718		20,248		276,226		-6.8		-17.6		-19.9
France	362,291	258,495	46,787		362,291	21,826		24,853		258,495		13.9		-46.9		-28.6
Italy	70,219	74,115	11,950		70,219	5,789		4,289		74,115		-25.9		-64.1		5.5
Netherlands	146,075	108,117	15,350		146,075	15,702		19,487		108,117		24.1		27.0		-26.0
United Kingdom	151,730	105,676	13,629		151,730	6,694		11,341		105,676		69.4		-16.8		-30.4
West Germany	469,068	478,641	34,359		469,068	51,255		46,657		478,641		-9.0		35.8		2.0
All other	16,986	7,451	713		16,986	4,221		-		7,451		-100.0		-100.0		-56.1
Subtotal, EC	1,561,268	1,308,720	147,367		1,561,268	127,206		126,875		1,308,720		-0.3		-13.9		-16.2
Brazil	139,975	117,626	14,339		139,975	7,455		5,606		117,626		-24.8		-60.9		-16.0
Canada	561,138	420,491	24,543		561,138	35,627		21,226		420,491		-40.4		-13.5		-25.1
Japan	1,223,351	997,281	95,523		1,223,351	71,369		76,797		997,281		7.6		-19.6		-18.5
Republic of Korea	124,144	125,173	7,250		124,144	8,041		4,489		125,173		-44.2		-38.1		0.8
Spain	175,070	135,502	17,850		175,070	5,498		2,252		135,502		-59.0		-87.4		-22.6
All other	391,040	328,488	22,199		391,040	31,970		17,561		328,488		-45.1		-23.0		-16.0
Total, all sources	4,175,987	3,433,281	329,612		4,175,987	287,165		254,806		3,433,281		-11.3		-22.7		-17.8

See footnote at end of table.

Table 5.--Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date		Nov.		Dec.			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	364	342	362	364	325	313	342	342	-3.7	-13.5	-6.0	
France	364	375	372	364	349	372	375	6.6	0.0	3.0		
Italy	373	336	419	373	339	341	336	0.6	-18.6	-9.9		
Netherlands	344	338	347	344	328	313	338	-4.6	-9.8	-1.7		
United Kingdom	409	391	428	409	315	320	391	1.6	-25.2	-4.4		
West Germany	390	372	410	390	347	336	372	-3.2	-18.0	-4.6		
All other	370	370	444	370	381	-	370	-100.0	-100.0	0.0		
Subtotal, EC	374	362	384	374	340	333	362	-2.1	-13.3	-3.2		
Brazil	361	303	370	361	277	228	303	-17.7	-38.4	-16.1		
Canada	370	378	381	370	373	365	378	-2.1	-4.2	2.2		
Japan	422	429	435	422	421	407	429	-3.3	-6.4	1.7		
Republic of Korea	360	336	378	360	317	324	336	2.2	-14.3	-6.7		
Spain	377	370	419	377	293	285	370	-2.7	-32.0	-1.9		
All other	356	327	380	356	292	295	327	1.0	-22.4	-8.1		
Average, all sources	384	374	398	384	350	347	374	-0.9	-12.9	-2.6		

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 6.—Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC
		<u>short tons</u>					
1981	12,621,451	2,150,203	1,207,203	131,252	14,640,402	14.7	8.2
1982	8,564,575	1,752,969	888,508	37,012	10,280,532	17.1	8.6
1981:							
January-March	3,326,119	259,402	80,110	10,124	3,575,397	7.3	2.2
April-June	3,609,346	482,064	236,322	21,906	4,069,504	11.8	5.8
July-September	3,113,255	639,737	397,357	31,384	3,721,608	17.2	10.7
October-December	2,572,731	769,000	493,414	67,837	3,273,894	23.5	15.1
1982:							
January-March	2,333,294	524,143	223,880	10,307	2,847,130	18.4	7.9
April-June	2,291,450	423,067	230,846	9,654	2,704,863	15.6	8.5
July-September	2,069,405	353,899	169,601	10,917	2,412,387	14.7	7.0
October-December	1,870,426	451,860	264,180	6,133	2,316,153	19.5	11.4
1982:							
January	738,623	225,888	104,382	2,775	961,736	23.5	10.9
February	720,657	178,753	61,749	3,420	895,990	20.0	6.9
March	886,764	119,502	57,750	4,113	1,002,153	11.9	5.8
April	771,148	73,831	31,189	2,778	842,201	8.8	3.7
May	728,135	156,476	64,117	4,495	880,116	17.8	7.3
June	804,895	192,760	135,540	2,381	995,274	19.4	13.6
July	718,204	107,671	71,271	3,277	822,598	13.1	8.7
August	706,677	146,378	53,547	2,999	850,056	17.2	6.3
September	641,989	99,849	44,783	4,642	737,196	13.5	6.1
October	628,408	137,837	66,540	2,603	763,642	18.0	8.7
November	610,556	160,203	106,818	1,485	769,274	20.8	13.9
December	628,197	153,820	90,823	2,045	779,972	19.7	11.6
Percentage change:							
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	2.9	-4.0	-15.0	37.7	1.4	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-25.6	-5.4	-13.8	-91.0	-20.7	-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 7.--Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to		Year to		(6) from:			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Quantity												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	107,995	89,985	7,877	107,995	5,473	4,202	89,985	-23.2	-46.7	-16.7		
France	456,741	195,636	47,415	456,741	30,551	18,254	195,636	-40.3	-61.5	-57.2		
Italy	69,534	61,060	7,979	69,534	5	-	61,060	-100.0	-100.0	-12.2		
Netherlands	253,514	128,502	23,356	253,514	15,520	28,488	128,502	83.6	22.0	-49.3		
United Kingdom	327	14,772	62	327	6,875	2,864	14,772	-58.3	1/	1/		
West Germany	319,093	398,554	18,675	319,093	48,393	37,015	398,554	-23.5	98.2	24.9		
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	1,207,203	888,508	105,365	1,207,203	106,818	90,823	888,508	-15.0	-13.8	-26.4		
Brazil	3,902	62,895	245	3,902	-	6,231	62,895	-	1/	1/		
Canada	184,862	118,307	9,839	184,862	12,120	8,070	118,307	-33.4	-18.0	-36.0		
Japan	522,603	383,073	34,833	522,603	21,882	37,825	383,073	72.9	8.6	-26.7		
Republic of Korea	73,583	152,335	7,413	73,583	8,106	5,433	152,335	-33.0	-26.7	107.0		
Spain	5,142	4,851	139	5,142	-	-	4,851	-	-100.0	-5.7		
All other	152,908	143,000	4,812	152,908	11,277	5,438	143,000	-51.8	-13	-6.5		
Total, all sources	2,150,203	1,752,969	162,647	2,150,203	160,203	153,820	1,752,969	-4.0	-5.4	-18.5		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	34,782	25,310	2,434	34,782	1,413	929	25,310	-34.3	-61.8	-27.2		
France	137,311	60,188	14,348	137,311	8,252	5,086	60,188	-38.4	-64.6	-56.2		
Italy	20,596	16,968	2,449	20,596	5	-	16,968	-100.0	-100.0	-17.6		
Netherlands	79,442	37,133	7,085	79,442	4,150	7,485	37,133	80.4	5.6	-53.3		
United Kingdom	179	3,512	32	179	1,506	580	3,512	-61.5	1/	1/		
West Germany	99,783	117,523	6,155	99,783	12,799	10,385	117,523	-18.9	68.7	17.8		
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	372,093	260,634	32,504	372,093	28,124	24,465	260,634	-13.0	-24.7	-30.0		
Brazil	1,408	16,831	97	1,408	-	1,357	16,831	-	1/	1/		
Canada	61,515	39,237	3,571	61,515	3,975	2,438	39,237	-38.7	-31.7	-36.2		
Japan	174,621	127,340	11,858	174,621	7,070	12,090	127,340	71.0	2.0	-27.1		
Republic of Korea	22,564	44,263	2,268	22,564	2,079	1,497	44,263	-28.0	-34.0	96.2		
Spain	1,325	1,261	38	1,325	-	-	1,261	-	-100.0	-4.8		
All other	43,645	38,706	1,519	43,645	2,780	1,272	38,706	-54.2	-16.3	-11.3		
Total, all sources	677,173	528,272	51,854	677,173	44,029	43,119	528,272	-2.1	-16.8	-22.0		

See footnote at end of table.

Table 7---Hot-rolled carbon sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date		1982		Year to date			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	322	281	309	322	258	221	281	-14.3	-28.5	-12.7		
France	301	308	303	301	270	279	308	3.3	-7.9	2.3		
Italy	296	278	307	296	917	-	278	-100.0	-100.0	-6.1		
Netherlands	313	289	303	313	267	263	289	-1.5	-13.2	-7.7		
United Kingdom	548	238	523	548	219	202	238	-7.8	-61.4	-56.6		
West Germany	313	295	330	313	264	281	295	..	6.4	-14.8	-5.8	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	308	293	308	308	263	269	293	2.3	-12.7	-4.9		
Brazil	361	268	397	361	-	218	268	-	-45.1	-25.8		
Canada	333	332	363	333	328	302	332	-7.9	-16.8	-0.3		
Japan	334	332	340	334	323	320	332	-1.0	-5.9	-0.6		
Republic of Korea	307	291	306	307	256	275	291	7.4	-10.1	-5.2		
Spain	258	260	270	258	-	-	260	-	-100.0	0.8		
All other	285	271	316	285	247	234	271	-5.3	-25.9	-4.9		
Average, all sources	315	301	319	315	275	280	301	1.8	-12.2	-4.4		

1/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 8.—Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981	1,450,365	6,430	2,679	87,097	1,369,698	0.5	0.2
1982	966,795	7,641	3,226	46,105	928,331	0.8	0.3
1981:							
January-March	397,724	696	324	19,305	379,115	0.2	0.1
April-June	390,771	1,895	820	27,409	365,257	0.5	0.2
July-September	388,364	1,745	685	21,754	368,355	0.5	0.2
October-December	273,506	2,094	849	18,630	256,970	0.8	0.3
1982:							
January-March	292,179	1,727	491	20,900	273,006	0.6	0.2
April-June	263,457	1,221	554	17,168	247,510	0.5	0.2
July-September	224,958	2,688	1,385	4,776	222,870	1.2	0.6
October-December	186,201	2,006	796	3,260	184,947	1.1	0.4
1982:							
January	98,252	343	147	16,316	82,279	0.4	0.2
February	82,414	728	115	2,584	80,558	0.9	0.1
March	106,892	655	229	2,000	105,547	0.6	0.2
April	97,464	307	141	13,671	84,100	0.4	0.2
May	74,072	321	150	1,606	72,787	0.4	0.2
June	91,019	593	262	1,892	89,720	0.7	0.3
July	82,419	924	676	982	82,361	1.1	0.8
August	76,295	827	375	2,024	75,098	1.1	0.5
September	66,197	937	334	1,771	65,363	1.4	0.5
October	61,977	804	341	1,080	61,701	1.3	0.6
November	59,702	669	277	970	59,401	1.1	0.5
December	63,808	532	178	1,210	63,130	0.8	0.3
Percentage change:							
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	6.9	-20.5	-35.7	24.7	6.3	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-33.8	-51.0	-47.5	-59.2	-33.2	-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 9.—Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Source				1981			1982			Percentage change		
				Year to date			Year to date			(7) from (6)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(4)	(5)
Quantity												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	707	1,422	63	707	92	157	1,422	707	149.2	101.1	-	-
Italy	15	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0	-
Netherlands	-	481	-	-	-	-	-	481	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	361	216	14	361	16	10	216	-37.5	-28.6	-40.2	-	-
West Germany	1,596	1,106	262	1,596	169	11	1,106	-93.5	-95.8	-30.7	-	-
All other	-	2/	-	-	-	-	-	2/	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	2,679	3,226	339	2,679	217	178	3,226	-35.7	-47.5	20.4	-	-
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	913	1,224	14	913	217	58	1,224	-73.3	314.3	34.1	-	-
Japan	2,158	2,491	658	2,158	138	285	2,491	106.5	-56.7	15.4	-	-
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	20	247	-	20	-	-	247	-	-	-	-	-
All other	660	453	73	660	38	12	453	-68.4	-83.6	-31.4	-	-
Total, all sources	6,430	7,641	1,085	6,430	669	532	7,641	-20.5	-51.0	18.8	-	-

Source				1981			1982			Value		
				Year to date			Year to date			(7) from (6)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(4)	(5)
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	4,277	8,375	370	4,277	509	909	8,375	78.6	145.7	95.8	-	-
Italy	10	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0	-
Netherlands	-	1,167	-	-	-	-	1,167	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	786	470	34	786	36	26	470	-27.8	-23.5	-40.2	-	-
West Germany	2,110	2,320	280	2,110	83	23	2,320	-72.3	-91.8	10.0	-	-
All other	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	7,183	12,334	683	7,183	627	958	12,334	52.8	40.3	71.7	-	-
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	1,171	617	33	1,171	102	21	617	-79.4	-36.4	-47.3	-	-
Japan	2,544	4,212	365	2,544	337	361	4,212	7.1	-1.1	65.6	-	-
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	15	118	-	15	-	-	118	-	-	686.7	-	-
All other	1,992	1,448	216	1,992	95	98	1,448	3.2	-54.6	-27.3	-	-
Total, all sources	12,906	18,730	1,297	12,906	1,161	1,438	18,730	23.9	10.9	45.1	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9.—Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982—Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source	:	1981	:	1982	:	Year to date	:	Dec. (3)	:	Nov. (4)	:	Year to date	:	Dec. (5)	:	(6)	:	(7)	:	(8)	:	(9)	:	(10)	Percentage change	
EC countries:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	5,888	:	5,903	:	6,054	:	5,501	:	5,790	:	5,888	:	5,3	:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
France	6,054	-	:	-	:	-	:	663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2.7		
Italy	663	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0		
Netherlands	-	2,425	:	-	:	-	:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom	2,178	:	2,362	:	2,178	:	2,292	:	2,663	:	2,177	:	16.2	:	12.7	:	12.7	:	12.7	:	12.7	:	12.7	:	-0.0	
West Germany	1,322	:	2,098	:	1,065	:	1,322	:	489	:	2,155	:	2,098	:	340.7	:	340.7	:	340.7	:	340.7	:	340.7	:	58.7	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	2,682	:	3,823	:	2,013	:	2,682	:	2,265	:	5,398	:	3,823	:	138.3	:	168.2	:	168.2	:	168.2	:	168.2	:	42.5	
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Canada	1,283	:	504	:	2,301	:	1,283	:	470	:	369	:	504	:	-21.5	:	-84.0	:	-84.0	:	-84.0	:	-84.0	:	-60.7	
Japan	1,179	:	1,690	:	555	:	1,179	:	2,452	:	1,264	:	1,690	:	-48.5	:	127.7	:	127.7	:	127.7	:	127.7	:	43.3	
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Spain	768	:	479	:	-	:	768	:	-	:	-	:	479	:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-37.6	
All other	3,020	:	3,198	:	2,947	:	3,020	:	2,499	:	8,394	:	3,198	:	235.9	:	184.8	:	184.8	:	184.8	:	184.8	:	5.9	
Average, all sources	2,007	:	2,451	:	1,195	:	2,007	:	1,735	:	2,702	:	2,451	:	55.7	:	126.1	:	126.1	:	126.1	:	126.1	:	22.1	

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

2/ Negligible.

3/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 10.—Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	Percent
Short tons										
1981	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
1982	:	13,748,362	1,582,204	832,410	45,964	15,284,602	10,4	5.4		
1981:	10,565,058	1,621,374	924,161	20,763	12,165,669	13.3		7.6		
January-March	3,735,056	183,916	73,147	12,093	3,906,879	4.7		1.9		
April-June	4,054,469	340,051	147,099	12,855	4,381,665	7.8		3.4		
July-September	3,328,184	487,501	280,902	13,036	3,802,649	12.8		7.4		
October-December	2,630,653	570,736	331,262	7,980	3,193,409	17.9		10.4		
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
January-March	2,581,778	419,130	225,157	5,522	2,995,386	14.0		7.5		
April-June	2,856,319	400,637	183,254	5,929	3,251,027	12.3		5.6		
July-September	2,584,472	327,845	189,258	6,038	2,906,279	11.3		6.5		
October-December	2,542,489	473,762	326,492	3,273	3,012,978	15.7		10.8		
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
January	829,402	219,041	138,847	1,233	1,047,210	20.9		13.3		
February	774,011	119,503	47,589	2,823	890,691	13.4		5.3		
March	977,796	80,586	38,721	1,466	1,056,916	7.6		3.7		
April	952,857	42,155	19,244	2,591	992,421	4.2		2.0		
May	903,892	155,347	54,857	1,525	1,057,714	14.7		5.2		
June	1,008,375	203,135	109,152	1,812	1,209,698	16.8		9.0		
July	841,985	65,763	43,453	1,979	905,769	7.3		4.8		
August	876,978	137,507	62,130	2,569	1,011,916	13.6		6.1		
September	865,509	124,575	83,675	1,490	988,594	12.6		8.5		
October	834,084	171,168	101,892	1,261	1,003,991	17.0		10.1		
November	785,991	166,691	118,261	637	952,045	17.5		12.4		
December	927,112	135,904	106,339	1,376	1,061,640	12.8		10.0		
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	18.0	-18.5	-10.1	116.0	11.5	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	19.9	0.6	34.2	-28.3	17.1	-	-	-	-	

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 11.- Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source		1981		1982		Year to date	Dec.	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	Percentage change										
														Quantity										
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)																			
EC countries:																								
Belgium/Luxembourg	45,772	134,271	2,798	45,772	18,655	15,696		134,271	-	-15.9		461.0		193.3										
France	158,061	141,474	22,724	158,061	6,116	16,395		141,474	-	168.1		-27.9		-10.5										
Italy	55,561	46,767	8,131	55,561	-	-		46,767	-	-100.0		-15.8												
Netherlands	146,374	162,864	15,211	146,374	29,562	29,776		162,864	-	1.0		95.8		11.3										
United Kingdom	13,552	17,278	5,107	13,552	2,439	1,564		17,278	-	-35.9		-69.4		27.5										
West Germany	390,162	401,373	25,282	390,162	50,414	42,908		401,373	-	-14.9		69.7		2.9										
All other	22,928	20,134	-	22,928	11,074	-		20,134	-	-100.0		-		-12.2										
Subtotal, EC	832,410	924,161	79,254	832,410	118,261	106,339		924,161	-	-10.1		34.2		11.0										
Brazil	18,883	45,075	9,597	18,883	4,109	37		45,075	-	-99.1		-99.6		138.7										
Canada	96,559	47,449	2,716	96,559	4,318	2,512		47,449	-	-41.8		-7.5		-50.9										
Japan	400,923	304,310	19,801	400,923	20,943	22,479		304,310	-	7.3		13.5		-24.1										
Republic of Korea	100,839	65,631	4,451	100,839	8,400	2,058		65,631	-	-75.5		-53.8		-34.9										
Spain	62,576	48,058	19,153	62,576	25	-		48,058	-	-100.0		-100.0		-23.2										
All other	70,014	186,689	98	70,014	10,634	2,479		186,689	-	-76.7		1/		166.6										
Total, all sources	1,582,204	1,621,374	135,070	1,582,204	166,691	135,904		1,621,374	-	-18.5		1.0		2.5										
Value																								
EC countries:																								
Belgium/Luxembourg	19,007	48,631	1,154	19,007	5,998	4,819		48,631	-	-19.7		317.6		155.9										
France	56,155	51,568	8,750	56,155	2,199	5,731		51,568	-	160.6		-34.5		-8.2										
Italy	21,836	18,394	3,097	21,836	-	-		18,394	-	-		-100.0		-15.8										
Netherlands	54,369	57,965	5,517	54,369	10,189	10,474		57,965	-	2.8		89.8		6.6										
United Kingdom	5,717	6,786	2,203	5,717	829	551		6,786	-	-33.5		-75.0		18.7										
West Germany	152,793	147,459	9,834	152,793	16,891	14,214		147,459	-	-15.8		44.5		-3.5										
All other	8,600	7,450	-	8,600	4,221	-		7,450	-	-100.0		-		-13.4										
Subtotal, EC	318,477	338,252	30,555	318,477	40,327	35,788		338,252	-	-11.3		17.1		6.2										
Brazil	7,733	15,218	4,044	7,733	1,237	21		15,218	-	-98.3		-99.5		96.8										
Canada	40,693	20,414	1,248	40,693	1,821	956		20,414	-	-47.5		-23.4		-49.8										
Japan	160,548	126,469	7,984	160,548	8,502	8,736		126,469	-	2.8		9.4		-21.2										
Republic of Korea	38,483	24,219	1,740	38,483	2,864	724		24,219	-	-74.7		-58.4		-37.1										
Spain	25,710	18,625	8,017	25,710	9	-		18,625	-	-100.0		-100.0		-27.6										
All other	23,563	62,057	35	23,563	4,517	848		62,057	-	-81.2		1/		163.4										
Total, all sources	615,206	605,253	53,622	615,206	59,277	47,074		605,253	-	-20.6		-12.2		-1.6										

See footnote at end of table.

Table 11. Cold rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982. Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change
	1981			1982			Year to date			Year to date	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	415	362	412		415	322	307	362	-4.7	-25.5	-12.8
France	355	365	385		355	360	350	365	-2.8	-9.1	2.8
Italy	393	393	381		393	-	-	393	-	-100.0	0
Netherlands	371	356	363		371	345	352	356	2.0	-3.0	-4.0
United Kingdom	422	393	431		422	340	352	393	3.5	-18.3	-6.9
West Germany	392	367	389		392	335	331	367	-1.2	-14.9	-6.4
All other	375	370	-		375	381	-	370	-100.0	-	-1.3
Subtotal, EC	383	366	386		383	341	337	366	-1.2	-12.7	-4.4
Brazil	410	338	421		410	301	576	338	91.4	36.8	-17.6
Canada	421	430	459		421	422	380	430	-10.0	-17.2	2.1
Japan	400	416	403		400	406	389	416	-4.2	-3.5	4.0
Republic of Korea	382	369	391		382	341	352	369	3.2	-10.0	-3.4
Spain	411	388	419		411	347	-	388	-100.0	-100.0	-5.6
All other	337	332	356		337	425	342	332	-19.5	-3.9	-1.5
Average, all sources	389	373	397		389	356	346	373	-2.8	-12.8	-4.1

1/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department^a of Commerce.

Table 12.—Cold-rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981-	142,332	2,083	657	12,886	131,529	1.6	0.5
1982-	147,302	1,588	475	5,201	143,689	1.1	0.3
1981:							
January-March	36,674	337	5	2,398	34,613	1.0	2/
April-June	34,767	559	29	3,566	31,760	1.8	0.1
July-September	41,091	386	42	3,760	37,717	1.0	0.1
October-December	29,800	800	580	3,162	27,438	2.9	2.1
1982:							
January-March	30,738	153	38	1,351	29,540	0.5	0.1
April-June	45,984	277	45	1,687	44,574	0.6	0.1
July-September	38,296	484	226	1,247	37,533	1.3	0.6
October-December	32,284	674	165	916	32,042	2.1	0.5
1982:							
January	8,363	54	9	369	8,048	0.7	0.1
February	9,414	47	15	629	8,832	0.5	0.2
March	12,961	51	14	352	12,660	0.4	0.1
April	16,262	41	19	596	15,707	0.3	0.1
May	14,544	129	10	787	13,886	0.9	0.1
June	15,170	107	17	303	14,974	0.7	0.1
July	12,681	177	63	591	12,267	1.4	0.5
August	11,356	219	158	253	11,322	1.9	1.4
September	15,084	88	6	404	14,768	0.6	2/
October	8,961	268	70	297	8,932	3.0	0.8
November	10,492	164	38	292	10,364	1.6	0.4
December	12,654	243	57	327	12,570	1.9	0.5
Percentage change:							
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	20.6	48.2	50.0	12.0	21.3	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	80.4	102.5	171.4	-60.1	99.0	-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Less than 0.05 percent.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 13.--Cold-rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Source		1981	1982	Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)				Percentage change
				Year to date		Nov.	Dec.	
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7) from (4)
Quantity								
EC countries:								
Belgium/Luxembourg	5	1/ 355	5	5	5	5	1/ 57	-100.0 : -100.0
France	53	-	8	53	9	355	533.3	612.5 : 569.8
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Germany	598	120	7	598	29	-	120	-100.0 : -79.9
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	657	475	21	657	38	57	475	50 : -21.7
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	41	358	-	41	101	81	358	-19.8 : 773.2
Japan	655	419	57	655	10	82	419	720 : 43.9 : -36.0
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	12	83	12	12	-	-	83	-100.0 : 591.7
All other	718	253	30	718	15	23	253	-23.3 : -64.8
Total, all sources	2,083	1,588	120	2,083	164	243	1,588	48.2 : -23.8
Value								
EC countries:								
Belgium/Luxembourg	10	4	10	10	4	4	-	-60.0 : -60.0
France	433	1,412	17	433	69	265	1,412	284.1 : 2/ : 226.1
Italy	-	-	111	-	-	-	-	-100 : -
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Germany	633	739	-	633	212	-	739	-100.0 : -
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	1,075	2,155	138	1,075	280	269	2,155	-3.9 : 94.9 : 100.5
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	51	204	-	51	49	40	204	-18.4 : 2/ : 300.0
Japan	1,235	927	93	1,235	66	165	927	150.0 : 77.4 : -24.9
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	9	41	9	9	-	-	41	-100.0 : 355.6
All other	1,642	886	107	1,642	41	82	886	-23.4 : -46.0
Total, all sources	4,012	4,214	348	4,012	437	555	4,214	27.0 : 59.5 : 5.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13.-Cold rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982. Continued

Quantity in short tons: value in thousands of dollars: unit value per short ton)

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 14.—Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Total	From EC	From EC	Ratio of imports to consumption
		Total	From EC						
Short tons									
1981	5,772,095	1,840,626	495,841	153,392	7,459,329	24.7			6.6
1982	3,037,915	1,152,274	327,439	84,245	4,105,944	28.1			8.0
1981:									
January-March	1,646,017	412,481	53,791	22,750	2,035,748	20.3			2.6
April-June	1,538,723	482,270	143,973	46,587	1,974,406	24.4			7.3
July-September	1,392,715	543,926	170,467	49,304	1,887,337	28.8			9.0
October-December	1,194,640	401,948	127,610	34,752	1,561,836	25.7			8.2
1982:									
January-March	1,103,794	310,612	73,655	22,627	1,391,779	22.3			5.3
April-June	760,346	335,876	108,924	8,914	1,087,308	30.9			10.0
July-September	596,999	263,430	81,387	22,909	837,520	31.5			9.7
October-December	576,776	242,356	63,473	29,795	789,337	30.7			8.0
1982:									
January	346,319	132,448	25,492	6,316	472,451	28.0			5.4
February	357,524	86,256	22,692	5,170	438,610	19.7			5.2
March	400,141	91,908	25,472	11,142	480,907	19.1			5.3
April	286,730	70,528	15,181	3,511	353,747	19.9			4.3
May	240,196	117,718	37,795	2,779	355,135	33.1			10.6
June	233,355	147,630	55,949	2,624	378,361	39.0			14.8
July	195,393	80,084	19,291	3,063	272,414	29.4			7.1
August	219,117	106,614	22,818	12,506	313,225	34.0			7.3
September	195,815	76,732	39,278	7,340	265,207	28.9			14.8
October	196,092	87,203	23,170	6,028	277,267	31.5			8.4
November	197,095	76,908	17,233	12,191	261,812	29.4			6.6
December	186,701	78,245	23,071	11,576	253,370	30.9			9.1
Percentage change:									
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	-5.3	1.7	33.9	-5.0	-3.2	-			
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-50.1	-22.8	-29.4	25.4	-45.7	-			

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 15.—Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source													Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date		Nov.		Dec.		Year to date			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)		
Quantity														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg	300,885	177,833	15,644		300,885	7,345		6,416		177,833	-12.6		-59.0	
France	18,153	10,318	1,509		18,153	845		1,241		10,318	46.9		-17.8	
Italy	17,445	60,476	3,557		17,445	6,831		6,966		60,476	2.0		95.8	
Netherlands	4,623	2,660	64		4,623	-		1,266		2,660	-		2/	
United Kingdom	35,340	25,102	264		35,340	-		428		25,102	-		62.1	
West Germany	96,448	51,050	10,041		96,448	2,211		6,754		51,050	205.5		-32.7	
All other	22,946	-	1,604		22,946	-		-		-	-		-100.0	
Subtotal, EC	495,841	327,439	32,682		495,841	17,233		23,071		327,439	33.9		-29.4	
Brazil	309,271	149,200	21,349		309,271	12,770		11,883		149,200	-6.9		-44.3	
Canada	227,923	149,196	7,136		227,923	10,315		8,936		149,196	-13.4		25.2	
Japan	30,608	52,939	1,554		30,608	1,956		1,796		52,939	-8.2		15.6	
Republic of Korea	114,977	90,496	2,376		114,977	947		2,968		90,496	213.4		24.9	
Spain	99,404	75,793	1,911		99,404	3		81		75,793	2/		-95.8	
All other	562,602	307,210	34,356		562,602	33,683		29,510		307,210	-12.4		-14.1	
Total, all sources	1,840,626	1,152,274	101,364		1,840,626	76,908		78,245		1,152,274	1.7		-22.8	
Value														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg	62,057	5,819			110,978	2,317		1,823		62,057	-21.3		-68.7	
France	6,545	4,068	603		6,545	296		695		4,068	134.8		15.3	
Italy	5,501	16,710	1,893		5,501	1,838		2,007		16,710	9.2		6.0	
Netherlands	2,537	707	26		2,537	-		357		707	-		2/	
United Kingdom	12,836	7,373	193		12,836	-		166		7,373	-		-14.0	
West Germany	37,500	17,077	4,094		37,500	683		1,552		17,077	127.2		-62.1	
All other	8,310	-	637		8,310	-		-		-	-		-100.0	
Subtotal, EC	184,206	107,992	13,267		184,206	5,134		6,601		107,992	28.6		-50.2	
Brazil	47,528	7,765			112,855	3,633		2,736		47,528	-24.7		-64.8	
Canada	57,466	2,783			85,851	4,064		3,136		57,466	-22.8		12.7	
Japan	16,004	22,199	761		16,004	681		747		22,199	9.7		-1.8	
Republic of Korea	41,259	31,230	885		41,259	359		917		31,230	155.4		3.6	
Spain	36,989	24,212	663		36,989	1		23		24,212	2/		-96.5	
All other	200,333	99,884	12,976		200,333	9,165		9,010		99,884	-1.7		-30.6	
Total, all sources	677,499	390,511	39,100		677,499	23,037		23,170		390,511	0.6		-40.7	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 15.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date		Dec.		1982			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	369	349	372	369	315	284	349	-9.8	-23.7	-5.4		
France	361	394	400	361	350	560	394	60.0	40.0	9.1		
Italy	315	276	532	315	269	288	276	7.1	-45.9	-12.4		
Netherlands	549	266	407	549	-	282	266	-	-30.7	-51.5		
United Kingdom	363	294	733	363	-	389	294	-	-46.9	-19.0		
West Germany	389	335	408	389	309	230	335	-25.6	-43.6	-13.9		
All other	362	-	397	362	-	-	-	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Subtotal, EC	372	330	406	372	298	286	330	-4.0	-29.6	-11.3		
Brazil	365	319	364	365	285	230	319	-19.3	-36.8	-12.6		
Canada	377	385	390	377	394	351	385	-10.9	-10.0	2.1		
Japan	523	419	489	523	348	416	419	19.5	-14.9	-19.9		
Republic of Korea	359	345	373	359	379	309	345	-18.5	-17.2	-3.9		
Spain	372	319	347	372	230	286	319	24.3	-17.6	-14.2		
All other	356	325	378	356	272	305	325	12.1	-19.3	-8.7		
Average, all sources	368	339	386	368	300	296	339	-1.3	-23.3	-7.9		

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

2/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 16.—Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC
		Short tons					
1981	1,502,645	51,609	35,198	36,439	1,517,815	3.4	2.3
1982	1,000,395	42,005	22,485	32,979	1,009,421	4.2	2.2
1981:							
January-March	437,849	9,385	6,454	8,989	438,245	2.1	1.5
April-June	393,106	19,372	14,242	9,273	403,205	4.8	3.5
July-September	367,962	12,564	8,064	7,349	373,177	3.4	2.2
October-December	303,728	10,288	6,438	10,828	303,188	3.4	2.1
1982:							
January-March	357,360	22,793	12,693	8,944	371,209	6.1	3.4
April-June	250,702	10,629	5,424	8,835	252,496	4.2	2.1
July-September	213,411	4,995	2,946	8,453	209,953	2.4	1.4
October-December	178,922	3,588	1,422	6,747	175,763	2.0	0.8
1982:							
January	108,370	10,459	5,633	1,378	117,451	8.9	4.8
February	131,440	9,223	5,803	3,220	137,443	6.7	4.2
March	116,620	3,111	1,257	4,345	115,386	2.7	1.1
April	96,492	2,639	947	2,842	96,289	2.7	1.0
May	80,785	4,062	2,425	3,624	81,223	5.0	3.0
June	73,421	3,927	2,052	2,370	74,978	5.2	2.7
July	57,361	2,159	1,016	2,616	56,904	3.8	1.8
August	73,818	1,735	1,090	1,996	73,557	2.4	1.5
September	65,725	1,101	840	3,841	62,985	1.8	1.3
October	58,298	1,196	415	3,005	56,489	2.1	0.7
November	55,492	563	234	1,422	54,633	1.0	0.4
December	65,892	1,829	773	2,320	65,401	2.8	1.2
Percentage change:							
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	18.7	224.9	230.3	63.1	19.7	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-34.0	-42.5	-71.8	-50.5	-33.5	-	-

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1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the

Table 17.--Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source																
	1981		1982		Year to date		Nov.		Dec.		Year to date		(6) from (5)		(7) from (6) from (5)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	
Quantity																
EC countries:																Percentage change
Belgium/Luxembourg	891	1,140	7	891	-	110	1,140	-	2/	-	27.9	-	-	-	-	
France	5,556	5,809	1,058	5,556	68	293	5,809	330.9	-72.3	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	
Italy	13,442	11,014	656	13,442	-	-	11,014	-	-100.0	-	-18.1	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom	865	1,033	149	865	24	-	1,033	-100.0	-	-	19.4	-	-	-	-	
West Germany	14,445	3,489	866	14,445	142	370	3,489	160.6	-57.3	-	-75.8	-	-	-	-	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	35,198	22,485	2,736	35,198	234	773	22,485	230.3	-71.7	-	-36.1	-	-	-	-	
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Canada	2,236	1,978	-	2,236	194	202	1,978	4.1	-	-	-11.5	-	-	-	-	
Japan	12,716	7,421	431	12,716	129	753	7,421	483.7	74.7	-	-41.6	-	-	-	-	
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other	1,459	10,092	11	1,459	7	101	10,092	2/	-	-	591.7	-	-	-	-	
Total, all sources	51,609	42,005	3,178	51,609	563	1,829	42,005	224.9	-42.4	-	-18.6	-	-	-	-	

Source																
	1981		1982		Year to date		Nov.		Dec.		Year to date		(6) from (5)		(7) from (6) from (5)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	
Value																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	534	805	5	534	-	84	805	-	2/	-	50.7	-	-	-	-	
France	5,428	5,865	1,006	5,428	69	271	5,865	292.8	-73.1	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	
Italy	3,375	3,331	446	3,375	-	-	3,331	-	-100.0	-	-1.3	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom	620	725	110	620	18	-	725	-100.0	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-	
West Germany	10,189	2,688	665	10,189	103	233	2,688	126.2	-65.0	-	-73.6	-	-	-	-	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	20,147	13,414	2,232	20,147	191	588	13,414	207.9	-73.7	-	-33.4	-	-	-	-	
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Canada	2,002	878	-	2,002	59	88	878	49.2	-	-	-56.1	-	-	-	-	
Japan	9,927	6,208	384	9,927	92	477	6,208	418.5	24.2	-	-37.5	-	-	-	-	
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other	1,149	7,312	38	1,149	6	76	7,312	2/	100.0	-	536.4	-	-	-	-	
Total, all sources	33,225	27,832	2,655	33,225	348	1,228	27,832	252.9	-53.7	-	-16.2	-	-	-	-	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 17.—Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982—Continued

Source		(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Unit value	Percentage change		
		1981		1982		Year to date		Nov.		Dec.					
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)				
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	600	705	747	600	—	759	705	—	—	—	—	—	—		
France	977	1,010	951	977	1,022	925	1,010	—	—	—	—	1.6	17.5		
Italy	251	302	680	251	—	—	302	—	—	—	—	-2.7	3.4		
Netherlands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	-100.0	20.3		
United Kingdom	718	702	738	718	759	—	—	702	—	—	—	-100.0	-0.8		
West Germany	705	771	768	705	728	629	771	—	—	—	—	-18.1	9.4		
All other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Subtotal, EC	572	597	816	572	817	760	597	—	—	—	—	-6.9	4.4		
Brazil	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Canada	896	444	—	896	—	307	434	—	—	—	—	—	-50.4		
Japan	781	837	893	781	710	633	837	—	—	—	—	-29.1	7.2		
Republic of Korea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Spain	—	664	—	—	—	—	—	664	—	—	—	—	—		
All other	788	725	3,304	788	866	751	725	—	—	—	—	-77.3	-8.0		
Average, all sources	644	663	835	644	617	671	663	—	—	—	—	-19.6	3.0		

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

2/ Percentage change exceeds 99.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 18.—Carbon steel structural shapes to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/
imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by
specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	
Short tons									
1981:									
January-March	3,961,617	1,959,183	702,044	107,482	5,813,318	33.7	12.1		
April-June	2,740,655	1,461,795	554,292	46,350	4,156,100	35.2	13.3		
July-September	1,141,326	420,021	134,074	33,629	1,527,718	27.5	8.8		
October-December	1,059,522	571,097	207,897	28,635	1,601,984	35.6	13.0		
1982:									
January-March	826,758	390,475	116,004	10,794	1,206,439	32.4	9.6		
April-June	699,395	428,156	170,123	14,991	1,112,560	38.5	15.3		
July-September	658,059	364,643	143,521	11,247	1,011,455	36.1	14.2		
October-December	556,443	278,520	124,644	9,318	825,645	33.7	15.1		
January	264,296	142,981	48,077	3,343	403,934	35.4	11.9		
February	258,145	137,507	39,526	3,500	392,152	35.1	10.1		
March	303,893	109,987	28,401	3,951	409,929	26.8	6.9		
April	256,019	67,561	27,233	3,070	320,510	21.1	8.5		
May	225,202	168,421	63,355	9,947	383,676	43.9	16.5		
June	213,870	192,174	79,535	1,974	404,070	47.6	19.7		
July	216,767	102,557	56,140	3,034	316,290	32.4	17.7		
August	218,475	144,430	42,665	4,141	358,764	40.3	11.9		
September	223,128	117,656	44,716	4,072	336,712	34.9	13.3		
October	191,566	77,905	30,276	3,226	266,245	29.3	11.4		
November	192,627	99,525	40,675	3,059	289,093	34.4	14.1		
December	167,311	101,091	53,693	3,034	265,368	38.1	20.2		
Percentage change:									
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	-13.1	1.6	32.0	-0.8	-8.2	-	-		
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-30.4	-7.7	21.2	-26.1	-23.3	-	-		

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 19.—Carbon steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source	1981			1982			Year to date	Dec.	Nov.	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)										
Quantity																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	402,934	317,057	35,894	402,934	24,864	26,010	317,057									
France	52,009	29,149	2,727	52,009	161	592	29,149									
Italy	237	25	48	237	—	—	25									
Netherlands	1,384	2,638	—	1,384	120	21	2,638									
United Kingdom	136,330	80,893	3,389	136,330	3,602	9,746	80,893									
West Germany	109,150	124,531	2,238	109,150	11,927	17,324	124,531									
All other	1/	—	—	1/	—	—	—									
Subtotal, EC	702,044	554,292	44,296	702,044	40,675	53,693	554,292									
Brazil	15,907	3,860	1,183	15,907	—	2,955	3,860									
Canada	224,072	149,047	11,181	224,072	9,332	8,486	149,047									
Japan	646,124	436,117	43,994	646,124	18,518	26,308	436,117									
Republic of Korea	903	12,575	9	903	3,861	1,148	12,575									
Spain	238,081	173,197	7,568	238,081	16,842	6,031	173,197									
All other	132,051	132,707	1,235	132,051	10,297	2,470	132,707									
Total, all sources	1,959,183	1,461,795	109,467	1,959,183	99,525	101,091	1,461,795									
Value																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	145,189	105,825	13,041	145,189	7,638	8,386	105,825									
France	18,576	9,820	960	18,576	52	204	9,820									
Italy	371	36	75	371	—	—	36									
Netherlands	470	864	—	470	40	75	864									
United Kingdom	51,383	29,641	1,332	51,383	1,324	3,005	29,641									
West Germany	42,734	47,126	852	42,734	4,123	5,330	47,126									
All other	1	—	—	1	—	—	—									
Subtotal, EC	258,723	193,312	16,260	258,723	13,177	16,999	193,312									
Brazil	5,153	1,005	381	5,153	—	705	1,005									
Canada	81,132	53,636	4,370	81,132	3,556	2,993	53,636									
Japan	228,843	159,122	15,582	228,843	6,370	10,640	159,122									
Republic of Korea	341	3,792	3	341	1,061	406	3,792									
Spain	86,210	61,342	2,889	86,210	4,757	1,592	61,342									
All other	47,771	41,571	352	47,771	2,530	730	41,571									
Total, all sources	708,172	513,781	39,837	708,172	31,451	34,065	513,781									

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 19.-Carbon steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982--Continued

					1981	:	1982	:		Year to	:	Percentage change										
Source		1981	:	1982	-		Dec.	:	date	Nov.	:	Dec.	:	date	:	(6)	from:					
		(1)	:	(2)	(3)		(4)	:	(5)	(6)		(5)	:	(6)		(7)	:	(8)	:	(9)	:	(10)
(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)																						
EC countries:																						
Belgium/Luxembourg		360	:	334	:	363	:	360	:	307	:	322	:	334	:	4.9	:	-11.3	:	-7.2		
France		357	:	337	:	352	:	357	:	325	:	345	:	337	:	6.2	:	-2.0	:	-5.6		
Italy		1,563	:	1,464	:	1,547	:	1,563	:	-	:	-	:	1,464	:	-	:	-100.0	:	-6.3		
Netherlands		339	:	328	:	-	:	339	:	330	:	3,577	:	328	:	983.9	:	-	:	-3.2		
United Kingdom		377	:	366	:	393	:	377	:	368	:	308	:	366	:	-16.3	:	-21.6	:	-3.0		
West Germany		392	:	378	:	381	:	392	:	346	:	308	:	378	:	-11.0	:	-19.2	:	-3.6		
All other		-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-		
Subtotal, EC		369	:	349	:	367	:	369	:	324	:	317	:	349	:	-2.2	:	-13.6	:	-5.4		
Brazil		324	:	260	:	322	:	324	:	-	:	239	:	260	:	-	:	-25.8	:	-19.8		
Canada		362	:	360	:	391	:	362	:	381	:	353	:	360	:	-7.3	:	-9.7	:	-0.6		
Japan		354	:	365	:	354	:	354	:	344	:	404	:	365	:	17.4	:	14.1	:	3.1		
Republic of Korea		378	:	302	:	368	:	378	:	275	:	354	:	302	:	28.7	:	-3.8	:	-20.1		
Spain		362	:	354	:	382	:	362	:	282	:	264	:	354	:	-6.4	:	-30.9	:	-2.2		
All other		362	:	313	:	285	:	362	:	246	:	295	:	313	:	19.9	:	3.5	:	-13.5		
Average, all sources		361	:	351	:	364	:	361	:	316	:	337	:	351	:	6.6	:	-7.4	:	-2.8		

- 1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 20.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: ^{1/} U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981	659,267	17,587	7,177	23,903	652,951	2.7	1.1
1982	433,104	21,690	4,708	10,050	444,744	4.9	1.1
1981:							
January-March	204,112	2,577	885	5,135	201,554	1.3	0.4
April-June	175,501	2,961	1,322	7,534	170,928	1.7	0.8
July-September	155,191	6,455	3,082	6,370	155,276	4.2	2.0
October-December	124,463	5,594	1,887	4,864	125,193	4.5	1.5
1982:							
January-March	126,557	5,247	429	3,359	128,445	4.1	0.3
April-June	119,738	9,562	3,441	2,896	126,404	7.6	2.7
July-September	103,130	3,949	308	1,966	105,113	3.8	0.3
October-December	83,679	2,932	530	1,828	84,783	3.5	0.6
1982:							
January	45,079	1,623	167	1,385	45,317	3.6	0.4
February	38,819	2,166	110	856	40,129	5.4	0.3
March	42,659	1,458	153	1,118	42,999	3.4	0.4
April	44,266	1,367	15	1,079	44,554	3.1	2/
May	35,429	4,226	2,611	795	38,860	10.9	6.7
June	39,953	3,968	815	1,022	42,899	9.2	1.9
July	35,300	523	110	343	35,480	1.5	0.3
August	29,372	1,644	121	935	30,081	5.5	0.4
September	38,393	1,781	77	688	39,486	4.5	0.2
October	26,613	937	62	857	26,693	3.5	0.2
November	29,520	579	35	473	29,626	2.0	0.1
December	27,366	1,416	433	498	28,284	5.0	1.5
Percentage change:							
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	-7.3	144.6	3/	5.3	-4.5	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-34.4	7.8	55.2	-71.7	-31.4	-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Less than 0.05 percent.

3/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the

Table 21.- Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1982			Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	Dec.	Year to date	Nov.	Dec.	Year to date	(5)	(6) from (7) from (4) : (8) : (9) : (10)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	71	-	-	-	-	-	-	71	-
France	20	25	-	20	-	-	-	25	-	25.0
Italy	190	392	28	190	31	39	392	25.8	39.3	106.3
Netherlands	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
United Kingdom	6,478	3,815	244	6,478	-	394	3,815	-	61.5	-41.1
West Germany	489	402	8	489	4	1/	402	-	-	-17.8
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	7,177	4,708	279	7,177	35	433	4,708	1,137.1	55.2	-34.4
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	466	2,903	140	466	45	129	2,903	186.7	-7.9	523.0
Japan	9,647	12,656	836	9,647	414	773	12,656	86.7	-7.5	31.2
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	297	1,423	58	297	85	82	1,423	-3.5	41.4	379.1
Total, all sources	17,587	21,690	1,313	17,587	579	1,416	21,690	144.6	7.8	23.4
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	35	-	-	-	-	35	-	-	-
France	8	28	-	8	-	-	28	-	-	250.0
Italy	288	490	46	288	35	54	490	54.3	17.4	70.1
Netherlands	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
United Kingdom	3,851	2,200	231	3,851	-	213	2,200	-	-	-42.9
West Germany	2,009	1,142	51	2,009	76	1	1,142	-98.7	-98.0	-43.2
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	6,156	3,897	329	6,156	111	269	3,897	142.3	-18.2	-36.7
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	462	1,727	60	462	54	469	1,727	768.5	681.7	273.8
Japan	12,300	21,904	1,765	12,300	948	1,051	21,904	10.9	-40.5	78.1
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	579	3,241	122	579	195	184	3,241	-5.6	50.8	459.8
Total, all sources	19,497	30,769	2,277	19,497	1,308	1,973	30,769	50.8	-13.4	57.8

See footnote at end of table.

Table 21.—Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982—Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change
Source	1981		1982		Year to date		Dec.	Unit value	1982	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	490	-	-	-	-	-	490	-	-
France	408	1,100	-	408	-	-	1,401	1,248	25.7	-16.6
Italy	1,514	1,248	1,679	1,514	1,115	-	-	1,100	-	-
Netherlands	-	1,178	-	-	-	-	-	1,178	-	-
United Kingdom	595	577	948	595	-	-	541	577	-	-42.9
West Germany	4,108	2,840	6,436	4,108	19,543	-	-	2,840	-	-30.9
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	858	828	1,177	858	3,142	621	828	-80.2	-47.2	-3.5
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	992	595	431	992	1,198	3,646	595	204.3	745.9	-40.0
Japan	1,275	1,731	2,112	1,275	2,291	1,360	1,731	-40.6	-35.6	35.8
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	1,949	2,277	2,100	1,949	2,294	2,250	2,277	-1.9	7.1	16.8
Average, all sources	1,109	1,419	1,734	1,109	2,259	1,393	1,419	-38.3	-19.7	28.0
1/ Negligible.										

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 22.—Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC
Short tons										
1981:										
January-March	2,924,599		772,693	:172,502	82,293		3,614,999		21.4	4.8
April-June	2,305,637		875,170	:192,850	8,494		3,172,313		27.6	6.1
July-September										
October-December										
1982:										
January-March	505,190		221,195	:44,866	3,594		722,791		30.6	6.2
April-June	619,883		185,329	:54,189	3,665		801,547		23.1	6.8
July-September										
October-December										
1982:										
January	164,704		70,352	:9,472	2,684		232,372		30.3	4.1
February	146,644		70,933	:6,406	646		216,931		32.7	3.0
March	192,333		79,910	:28,988	264		271,979		29.4	10.7
April	196,049		32,212	:5,155	374		227,887		14.1	2.3
May	209,231		61,126	:15,562	202		270,155		22.6	5.8
June	207,154		91,991	:33,471	3,088		296,057		31.1	11.3
July	192,390		51,270	:4,781	773		242,887		21.1	2.0
August	197,516		66,227	:14,323	109		263,634		25.1	5.4
September	218,054		79,116	:16,614	65		297,105		26.6	5.6
October	226,782		90,852	:13,305	45		317,589		28.6	4.2
November	199,710		105,925	:15,985	100		305,535		34.7	5.2
December	182,730		75,256	:28,788	143		257,843		29.2	11.2
Percentage change:										
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	-8.5		-29.0	:80.1	43.0		-15.6		-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-9.5		-8.8	:-8.1	-97.7		-7.3		-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 23.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source		1981	1982	1981		1982		Year to date	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (7)	(6) from (8)	(6) from (9)	(7) from (4)	(7) from (10)	Percentage change
				Dec.	date	Nov.	Dec.									
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)							
Quantity																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	21,547	27,571	1,280	21,547	2,053	3,580	27,571	74.4	179.7	28						
France	101,921	128,699	20,272	101,921	7,245	15,512	128,699	114.1	-23.5	26.3						
Italy	35	511	33	35	1/	-	511	-	-100.0	2/						
Netherlands	4,326	10,568	741	4,326	806	1,291	10,568	60.2	74.2	144.3						
United Kingdom	29,089	14,034	6,678	29,089	3,477	4,958	14,034	42.5	-25.8	-51.8						
West Germany	15,583	11,461	2,317	15,583	2,404	3,447	11,461	43.4	48.8	-26.5						
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	172,502	192,850	31,322	172,502	15,985	28,788	192,850	80.1	-8.1	11.8						
Brazil	32,579	111,025	6,358	32,579	9,575	3,267	111,025	-65.9	-48.6	240.8						
Canada	317,369	284,292	15,926	317,369	35,565	13,558	284,292	-61.9	-14.9	-10.4						
Japan	173,859	152,803	15,688	173,859	16,285	15,811	152,803	-2.9	0.8	-12.1						
Republic of Korea	-	6,188	-	-	335	-	6,188	-100.0	-	-						
Spain	1,657	6,818	718	1,657	965	127	6,818	-86.8	-82.3	-311.5						
All other	74,727	121,194	12,466	74,727	27,216	13,705	121,194	-49.6	9.9	62.2						
Total, all sources	772,693	875,170	82,478	772,693	105,925	75,256	875,170	29.0	-8.8	13.3						
Value																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	6,749	7,492	403	6,749	512	898	7,492	75.4	122.8	11.0						
France	33,357	33,832	6,297	33,357	2,381	4,800	33,832	101.6	-23.8	1.4						
Italy	31	213	28	31	1/	-	213	-	-100.0	587.1						
Netherlands	1,821	3,777	308	1,821	279	402	3,777	44.1	30.5	107.4						
United Kingdom	11,875	4,833	2,087	11,875	800	1,445	4,833	80.6	-30.8	-59.3						
West Germany	4,901	3,972	543	4,901	1,103	837	3,972	-24.1	54.1	-19.0						
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	58,733	54,119	9,665	58,733	5,074	8,382	54,119	65.2	-13.3	-7.9						
Brazil	10,553	32,151	2,052	10,553	2,137	691	32,151	-67.7	-66.3	204.7						
Canada	103,575	93,077	5,067	103,575	11,440	4,283	93,077	-62.6	-15.5	-10.1						
Japan	70,731	60,565	6,492	70,731	6,202	6,190	60,565	-0.2	-4.7	-14.4						
Republic of Korea	-	2,060	-	-	84	-	2,060	-100.0	-	-						
Spain	834	2,963	347	834	382	44	2,963	-88.5	-87.3	255.3						
All other	24,832	31,036	4,375	24,832	6,669	2,926	31,036	-56.1	-33.1	25.0						
Total, all sources	269,257	275,970	27,998	269,257	31,987	22,517	275,970	-29.6	-19.6	2.5						

Table 23.—Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982—Continued

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1/ Negligible.
2/ Percentage chance exceeds 999,9%.

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Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 24.—Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement:^{1/} U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers'		Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Shipments	Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC	
Short tons								
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
January-March	4,204,066	404,798	151,309	91,041	4,517,823	9,0	9,0	3.3
April-June	2,702,938	289,381	96,452	31,014	2,961,305	9,8	9,8	3.3
July-September	1,144,896	78,743	11,394	21,036	1,202,603	6,5	6,5	0.9
October-December	1,208,881	110,291	41,846	14,796	1,304,376	8,5	8,5	3.2
1982:	998,873	113,130	46,009	17,141	1,094,862	10,3	10,3	4.2
January-March	851,416	102,634	52,060	38,068	915,982	11,2	11,2	5.7
April-June	843,317	84,376	20,212	8,676	919,017	9,2	9,2	2.2
July-September	734,301	89,202	37,141	9,956	813,547	11,0	11,0	4.6
October-December	598,340	63,183	19,603	6,266	655,257	9,6	9,6	3.0
1982:	526,980	52,620	19,495	6,115	573,485	9,2	9,2	3.4
January	265,594	30,373	6,605	3,699	292,268	10,4	10,4	2.3
February	264,961	29,542	7,211	2,447	292,056	10,1	10,1	2.5
March	315,364	24,461	6,396	2,531	337,294	7,3	7,3	1.9
April	244,740	16,322	2,094	2,393	258,669	6,3	6,3	0.8
May	237,389	33,334	14,837	5,696	265,027	12,6	12,6	5.6
June	254,303	39,546	20,210	1,867	291,982	13,5	13,5	7.0
July	180,959	22,118	10,295	2,543	200,534	11,0	11,0	5.1
August	211,809	21,878	5,548	1,949	231,738	9,4	9,4	2.4
September	206,652	19,186	3,796	1,774	224,064	8,6	8,6	1.7
October	189,185	12,395	1,959	2,308	199,272	6,2	6,2	1.0
November	159,224	17,057	4,485	2,015	174,266	9,8	9,8	2.6
December	175,463	23,169	13,051	1,792	196,840	11,8	11,8	6.6
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	10.2	35.8	191.0	-11.1	13.0	-	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-24.6	-40.1	203.2	-75.5	-25.5	-	-	-

^{1/} Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 25.—Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source	1981		1982		Year to		Year to		(6) from:		(7) from	
	1981		1982		Dec. date		Nov. date		(5)		(3)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Quantity												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	14,785	10,404	1,819	14,785	308	1,594	10,404	417.5	-12.4	-29.6		
France	5,481	1,440	617	5,481	125	-	1,440	-100.0	-100.0	-73.7		
Italy	23	14	-	23	-	-	14	-	-	-39.1		
Netherlands	27	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0		
United Kingdom	117,281	62,807	15,415	117,281	777	8,451	62,807	987.6	-45.2	-46.4		
West Germany	13,713	21,786	1,256	13,713	3,275	3,007	21,786	-8.2	139.4	58.9		
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	151,309	96,452	19,107	151,309	4,485	13,051	96,452	191.1	-31.7	-36.3		
Brazil	7,259	7,156	-	7,259	355	252	7,156	-29.0	-	-1.4		
Canada	108,899	89,248	4,304	108,899	5,217	3,054	89,248	-42.1	-29.0	-18.0		
Japan	86,480	64,418	8,302	86,480	3,675	4,214	64,418	14.7	-49.2	-25.5		
Republic of Korea	12,742	2,570	87	12,742	432	224	2,570	-48.1	157.5	-79.8		
Spain	33,707	20,709	6,758	33,707	888	1,622	20,709	82.7	-76.0	-38.6		
All other	4,402	8,828	119	4,402	1,944	751	8,828	-61.4	531.1	100.5		
Total, all sources	404,798	289,381	38,678	404,798	17,057	23,169	289,381	35.8	-40.1	-28.5		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	4,749	3,204	558	4,749	101	363	3,204	259.4	-34.9	-32.5		
France	1,952	550	228	1,952	45	-	550	-100.0	-100.0	-71.8		
Italy	9	7	-	9	-	-	7	-	-	-22.2		
Netherlands	41	-	-	41	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0		
United Kingdom	50,868	27,741	7,077	50,868	331	2,857	27,741	763.1	-59.6	-45.5		
West Germany	6,518	9,684	778	6,518	1,397	1,669	9,684	19.5	114.5	48.6		
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	64,137	41,186	8,641	64,137	1,874	4,889	41,186	160.9	-43.4	-35.8		
Brazil	2,151	2,096	-	2,151	371	93	2,096	-74.9	-	-2.6		
Canada	40,876	33,402	1,757	40,876	1,897	1,105	33,402	-41.8	-37.1	-18.3		
Japan	32,772	25,333	3,390	32,772	1,363	1,579	25,333	14.2	-53.4	-22.7		
Republic of Korea	3,280	804	27	3,280	128	64	804	-50.0	137.0	-75.5		
Spain	12,443	8,772	2,659	12,443	340	585	8,772	72.1	-78.0	-29.5		
All other	1,508	2,738	57	1,508	575	195	2,738	-66.1	242.1	81.6		
Total, all sources	157,168	114,331	16,531	157,168	6,568	8,511	114,331	29.6	-48.5	-27.3		

Table 25.--Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)						Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date			
	Dec.	Year to date	Dec.	Nov.	Dec.	Year to date		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
EC countries:								
Belgium/Luxembourg	321	308	307	321	327	228	308	
France	356	382	370	356	362	-	382	
Italy	392	486	-	392	-	-	486	
Netherlands	1,510	-	-	1,510	-	-	-	
United Kingdom	434	442	459	434	426	338	442	
West Germany	475	445	619	475	426	555	445	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	424	427	452	424	418	375	427	
Brazil	296	293	-	296	1,047	369	293	
Canada	375	374	408	375	360	362	374	
Japan	379	393	408	379	376	375	393	
Republic of Korea	257	313	306	257	295	287	313	
Spain	369	424	393	369	383	361	424	
All other	343	310	484	343	295	260	310	
Average, all sources	388	395	427	388	385	367	395	

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 26.—Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981:							
January-March	2,380,922	154,114	48,943	51,224	2,483,812	6.2	2.0
April-June	1,403,437	140,772	20,532	42,721	1,501,488	9.4	1.4
July-September							
October-December							
1982:							
January-March	585,667	35,515	6,778	12,155	609,027	5.8	1.1
April-June	650,153	45,210	16,976	20,572	674,791	6.7	2.5
July-September	604,667	40,513	14,394	8,532	636,648	6.4	2.3
October-December	540,435	32,876	10,795	9,965	563,346	5.8	1.9
January-March	511,547	42,037	9,111	17,850	535,734	7.8	1.7
April-June	407,827	43,046	4,491	8,904	441,969	9.7	1.0
July-September	255,225	33,710	4,547	10,192	278,743	12.1	1.6
October-December	228,838	21,979	2,383	5,775	245,042	9.0	1.0
January	172,743	17,447	4,724	6,890	183,300	9.5	2.6
February	166,613	13,297	3,257	6,561	173,349	7.7	1.9
March	172,394	11,293	1,130	4,398	179,289	6.3	0.6
April	149,103	12,890	2,899	3,683	158,310	8.1	1.8
May	133,258	10,917	413	3,792	140,383	7.8	0.3
June	123,918	19,239	1,179	1,429	141,728	13.6	0.8
July	78,783	10,736	1,884	2,420	87,099	12.3	2.2
August	92,753	11,266	889	3,549	100,470	11.2	0.9
September	83,156	11,709	1,775	4,224	90,641	12.9	2.0
October	77,190	7,291	686	1,852	82,629	8.8	0.8
November	71,900	6,255	372	1,806	76,349	8.2	0.5
December	79,644	8,433	1,325	2,118	85,959	9.8	1.5
Percentage change:							
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	10.8	34.8	256.2	17.3	12.6	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-52.2	-32.9	-60.9	-20.5	-51.3	-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 27.—Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods; 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source	1981		1982		Year to date	Nov.	Dec.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)											
	Quantity														
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	40,669	8,676	2,220	40,669	-	-	-	8,676	-	-	-	-	-	-	-78.7
Italy	1,286	3,085	543	1,286	-	-	-	3,085	-	-	-	-	-	-	139.9
Netherlands	69	133	-	69	2	-	-	133	-	-	-	-	-	-	92.8
United Kingdom	5,198	2,744	485	5,198	280	182	2,744	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-47.2
West Germany	1,721	5,893	144	1,721	90	1,139	5,893	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	242.4
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	48,943	20,532	3,392	48,943	372	1,325	20,532	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-58.0
Brazil	52	8,518	-	52	149	5	8,518	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/
Canada	59,108	60,776	2,597	59,108	4,782	3,854	60,776	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8
Japan	36,236	36,829	4,648	36,236	759	2,911	36,829	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6
Republic of Korea	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0
Spain	4,762	9,244	1,099	4,762	-	-	-	9,244	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.1
All other	5,011	4,873	839	5,011	193	338	4,873	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	-2.8
Total, all sources	154,114	140,772	12,575	154,114	6,255	8,433	140,772	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-8.7
Value															
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	24,124	5,404	1,354	24,124	-	-	-	5,404	-	-	-	-	-	-	-77.6
Italy	903	1,994	294	903	-	-	-	1,994	-	-	-	-	-	-	120.8
Netherlands	57	120	-	57	3	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	110.5
United Kingdom	3,137	2,039	307	3,137	154	134	2,039	-	120	-100.0	-	-	-	-	-35.0
West Germany	1,790	3,817	138	1,790	69	889	3,817	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	113.2
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	30,011	13,374	2,093	30,011	226	1,028	13,374	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	-55.4
Brazil	42	2,790	-	42	76	3	2,790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/
Canada	26,432	29,456	1,257	26,432	2,216	1,857	29,456	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4
Japan	19,170	20,478	2,435	19,170	401	1,333	20,478	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8
Republic of Korea	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0
Spain	2,667	5,871	690	2,667	-	-	-	5,871	-	-	-	-	-	-	120.1
All other	3,486	3,247	486	3,486	139	227	3,247	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	-6.9
Total, all sources	81,809	75,215	6,961	81,809	3,058	4,448	75,215	-	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	-8.1

See footnote at end of table.

Table 27.—Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source	1981		1982		Year to date		Year to date		Year to date		Percentage change	
					Nov.	Dec.	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)								
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	1,362	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,362	-	-	-
France	593	623	610	593	-	-	-	-	623	-	-	-100.0 :
Italy	702	646	542	702	-	-	1,234	-	646	-	-	127.7 :
Netherlands	833	901	-	833	1,141	-	-	-	901	-100.0 :	-	-8.0 :
United Kingdom	604	743	633	604	549	736	743	-	34.1	-	-	8.2 :
West Germany	1,040	648	954	1,040	773	781	648	-	1.0	-	-	23.0 :
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-18.1	-	-37.7 :
Subtotal, EC	613	651	617	613	607	776	651	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	811	328	-	811	514	692	328	-	34.6	-	-	6.2 :
Canada	447	485	484	447	463	482	485	-	4.1	-0.4	-	8.5 :
Japan	529	556	524	529	528	458	556	-	-13.3	-12.6	-	5.1 :
Republic of Korea	633	-	-	633	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0 :
Spain	560	635	628	560	-	-	635	-	-	-	-	13.4 :
All other	696	666	579	696	719	671	666	-	-6.7	15.9	-	-4.3 :
Average, all sources	531	534	554	531	489	527	534	-	7.8	-4.9	-	-0.6 :

1/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 28.—Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC
		Short tons					
1981	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
1982	:	6,758,750	1,305,731	249,445	148,356	7,916,125	16.5
1981:	6,062,681	1,230,020	260,404	81,051	7,211,650	17.1	3.6
January-March	1,853,238	184,930	17,183	37,347	2,000,821	9.2	0.9
April-June	1,924,204	285,534	33,935	44,237	2,165,501	13.2	1.6
July-September	1,638,733	394,967	73,181	33,569	2,000,131	19.7	3.7
October-December	1,342,575	440,300	125,145	33,203	1,749,672	25.2	7.2
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January-March	1,332,372	303,960	39,140	15,720	1,620,612	18.8	2.4
April-June	1,583,619	247,435	50,909	13,807	1,817,247	13.6	2.8
July-September	1,630,688	306,720	60,685	28,414	1,908,994	16.1	3.2
October-December	1,516,002	371,906	109,670	23,110	1,864,798	19.9	5.9
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January	420,448	128,497	24,468	6,499	542,446	23.7	4.5
February	411,191	106,837	8,734	4,046	513,982	20.8	1.7
March	500,774	68,626	5,938	5,175	564,225	12.2	1.1
April	487,284	57,767	12,145	3,007	542,044	10.7	2.2
May	504,856	89,752	14,664	6,065	588,543	15.2	2.5
June	583,506	99,916	24,101	4,735	678,687	14.7	3.6
July	520,314	72,847	16,221	13,357	579,804	12.6	2.8
August	538,316	110,671	15,015	7,884	641,103	17.3	2.3
September	572,064	123,201	29,449	7,172	688,093	17.9	4.3
October	532,087	113,919	31,912	6,781	639,225	17.8	5.0
November	474,567	144,016	42,660	9,615	608,968	23.6	7.0
December	509,357	113,970	35,099	6,714	616,613	18.5	5.7
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	7.3	-20.9	-17.8	-30.2	1.3	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	25.2	-20.7	-23.2	-29.5	14.0	-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 29.—Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and plate and terne plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date		Nov.		Dec.			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Quantity												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	13,905	9,608	1,146	13,905	463	3,215	9,608	594.4	180.5	-30.9		
France	63,916	44,861	14,899	63,916	4,934	5,261	44,861	6.6	-64.7	-29.8		
Italy	30,606	37,192	7,544	30,606	10,183	5,584	37,192	-45.2	-26.0	21.5		
Netherlands	10,865	7,120	4,462	10,865	1,147	1,014	7,120	-11.6	-77.3	-34.5		
United Kingdom	3,298	12,077	-	3,298	1,982	5,013	12,077	152.9	-	266.2		
West Germany	126,854	149,547	17,643	126,854	23,950	15,012	149,547	-37.3	-14.9	17.9		
All other	1/	-	1/	1/	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	249,445	260,404	45,694	249,445	42,660	35,099	260,404	-17.7	-23.2	4.4		
Brazil	193	17	-	193	-	-	17	-	-	-	-91.2	
Canada	148,351	125,844	5,964	148,351	10,684	6,791	125,844	-36.4	13.9	-15.2		
Japan	758,886	692,885	76,777	758,886	73,396	65,817	692,885	-10.3	-14.3	-8.7		
Republic of Korea	40,091	40,667	4,765	40,091	3,308	1,902	40,667	-42.5	-60.1	1.4		
Spain	18,584	26,796	5,242	18,584	47	35	26,796	-25.5	-99.3	44.2		
All other	90,181	83,406	5,197	90,181	13,922	4,326	83,406	-68.9	-16.8	-7.5		
Total, all sources	1,305,731	1,230,020	143,640	1,305,731	144,016	113,970	1,230,020	-20.9	-20.7	-5.8		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	6,192	3,976	518	6,192	198	1,310	3,976	561.6	152.9	-35.8		
France	28,981	19,495	6,765	28,981	2,371	2,265	19,495	-4.5	-66.5	-32.7		
Italy	17,298	15,972	3,621	17,298	3,911	2,224	15,972	-43.1	-38.6	-7.7		
Netherlands	5,286	3,324	2,170	5,286	556	478	3,324	-14.0	-78.0	-37.1		
United Kingdom	1,660	6,216	-	1,660	961	1,728	6,216	79.8	-	274.5		
West Germany	53,977	65,756	7,847	53,977	10,831	6,116	65,756	-43.5	-22.1	21.8		
All other	76	-	76	76	-	-	-	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Subtotal, EC	113,469	114,740	20,997	113,469	18,828	14,121	114,740	-25.0	-32.7	1.1		
Brazil	81	7	-	81	-	-	7	-	-	-	-91.4	
Canada	64,339	57,096	2,613	64,339	5,121	2,846	57,096	-44.4	8.9	-11.3		
Japan	361,431	316,860	36,209	361,431	33,091	27,462	316,860	-17.0	-24.2	-12.3		
Republic of Korea	17,498	18,121	2,302	17,498	1,466	820	18,121	-44.1	-64.4	3.6		
Spain	8,797	12,278	2,539	8,797	9	7	12,278	-22.2	-99.7	39.6		
All other	39,356	34,954	2,237	39,356	5,260	1,793	34,954	-65.9	-19.8	-11.9		
Total, all sources	604,971	554,056	66,897	604,971	63,776	47,049	554,056	-26.2	-29.7	-8.4		

See footnote at end of table.

Table 29.--Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			Percentage change			
	1981	1982	Year to date	Nov.	Dec.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(7) from (6)	(8) from (7)	(9) from (8)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	445	414	452	445	426	407	414	-4.5	-10.0	:
France	453	435	454	453	481	431	435	-10.4	-5.1	-4.0
Italy	565	429	480	565	384	398	429	3.6	-17.1	-24.1
Netherlands	487	467	486	487	485	471	467	-2.9	-3.1	-4.1
United Kingdom	503	515	-	503	485	345	515	-28.9	-	2.4
West Germany	426	440	445	426	452	407	440	-10.0	-8.5	3.3
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	455	441	460	455	441	402	441	-8.8	-12.6	-3.1
Brazil	422	396	-	422	-	-	396	-	-	-6.2
Canada	434	454	438	434	479	419	454	-12.5	-4.3	4.6
Japan	476	457	472	476	451	417	457	-7.5	-11.7	-4.0
Republic of Korea	436	446	483	436	443	431	446	-2.7	-10.8	2.3
Spain	473	458	484	473	200	200	458	0	-58.7	3.2
All other	436	419	430	436	378	414	419	9.5	3.8	-3.9
Average, all sources	463	450	466	463	442	413	450	-6.6	-11.4	-2.8

1/ Negligible.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 30.—Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	Percent
Short tons										
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January-March	3,489,768	286,270	73,754	363,998	3,412,040	3,007,798	8.4	8.4	2.2	2.2
April-June	3,018,030	216,240	82,982	226,472	3,007,798	3,007,798	7.2	7.2	2.8	2.8
July-September	967,416	80,932	20,368	98,823	949,525	949,525	8.5	8.5	2.1	2.1
October-December	891,915	84,076	15,887	109,757	866,234	866,234	9.7	9.7	1.8	1.8
1982:	860,200	63,425	14,660	81,012	842,613	842,613	7.5	7.5	1.7	1.7
January-March	770,237	57,837	22,840	74,406	753,668	753,668	7.7	7.7	3.0	3.0
February	872,178	44,484	17,485	59,618	857,044	857,044	5.2	5.2	2.0	2.0
March	737,233	59,312	13,133	69,714	726,831	726,831	8.2	8.2	1.8	1.8
April	858,438	60,055	26,024	53,828	864,665	864,665	6.9	6.9	3.0	3.0
May	550,181	52,389	26,339	43,312	559,258	559,258	9.4	9.4	4.7	4.7
June	272,918	15,933	6,258	14,683	274,168	274,168	5.8	5.8	2.3	2.3
July	317,197	9,349	3,807	19,682	306,864	306,864	3.0	3.0	1.2	1.2
August	279,555	19,201	7,421	25,253	273,503	273,503	7.0	7.0	2.7	2.7
September	222,985	10,867	767	20,173	213,679	213,679	5.1	5.1	0.4	0.4
October	237,646	25,633	6,517	28,939	234,340	234,340	10.9	10.9	2.8	2.8
November	276,631	22,812	5,848	20,601	278,842	278,842	8.2	8.2	2.1	2.1
December	236,712	16,245	6,851	19,247	233,710	233,710	7.0	7.0	2.9	2.9
Percentage change:										
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	12.9	14.4	6.2	4.7	13.5	13.5	-	-	-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-32.0	-11.3	15.1	-52.3	-28.6	-28.6	-	-	-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 31.—Tin Plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date		1982		Year to date			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	904	546	-	-	904	-	-	-	546	-	-39.6	
France	36,429	38,068	4,539	36,429	3,937	3,352	38,068	-14.9	-	-26.2	4.5	
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands	3,258	4,889	431	3,258	729	315	4,889	56.8	26.9	50.1	-	
United Kingdom	891	556	4	891	-	5	556	-	25.0	-37.6	-	
West Germany	32,271	38,922	3,011	32,271	3,989	5,521	38,922	38.4	83.4	20.6	-	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	73,754	82,982	7,985	73,754	8,655	9,193	82,982	6.2	15.1	12.5	-	
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Canada	37,850	19,889	631	37,850	1,347	1,614	19,889	19.8	155.8	-47.5	-	
Japan	173,028	111,023	11,211	173,028	5,714	6,705	111,023	17.3	-40.2	-35.8	-	
Republic of Korea	598	104	-	598	-	104	104	-	-	-82.6	-	
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other	1,041	2,242	458	1,041	-	-	368	2,242	-	-19.7	115.4	
Total, all sources	286,270	216,240	20,286	286,270	15,716	17,984	216,240	14.4	-11.3	-24.5	-	
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	539	313	-	539	-	-	313	-	-	-	-41.9	
France	22,983	24,087	2,873	22,983	2,467	2,063	24,087	-16.4	-	-28.2	4.8	
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands	1,872	3,056	245	1,872	487	217	3,056	-55.4	-11.4	63.2	-	
United Kingdom	508	427	2	508	-	13	427	-	550.0	-15.9	-	
West Germany	20,772	23,269	2,056	20,772	2,389	3,179	23,269	33.1	54.6	12.0	-	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	46,676	51,152	5,175	46,676	5,343	5,473	51,152	2.4	5.8	9.6	-	
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Canada	20,746	11,391	340	20,746	758	757	11,391	-0.1	122.6	-45.1	-	
Japan	111,216	70,159	7,834	111,216	3,361	4,361	70,159	29.8	-44.3	-36.9	-	
Republic of Korea	344	62	-	344	-	62	62	-	-	-82.0	-	
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other	483	1,007	218	483	-	108	1,007	-	-50.5	108.5	-	
Total, all sources	179,465	133,771	13,567	179,465	9,462	10,761	133,771	13.7	-20.7	-25.5	-	

Table 31.—Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source														
	1981		1982		Year to		Dec.		Year to		(6) from:		(7) from	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(5)	(3)	(4)	(10)
Unit value														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg	596	573	-	596	-	-	573	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.9
France	631	633	633	631	627	616	633	-1.8	-2.7	0.3	-	-	-	-
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	575	625	568	575	667	689	625	3.3	-21.3	8.7	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	571	767	398	571	-	2,688	767	-	-	575.4	34.3	-	-	-
West Germany	644	598	683	644	599	576	598	-3.8	-15.7	-7.1	-	-	-	-
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	633	616	648	633	617	595	616	-3.6	-8.2	-2.7	-	-	-	-
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	548	573	538	548	562	469	573	-16.5	-12.8	4.6	-	-	-	-
Japan	643	632	699	643	588	650	632	10.5	-7.0	-1.7	-	-	-	-
Republic of Korea	575	596	-	575	-	596	596	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	464	449	476	464	-	292	449	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Average, all sources	627	619	669	627	602	598	619	-1.0	-10.6	-1.3	-	-	-	-

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 32. Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC
Short tons									
1981:									
January-March	953,711	247,305	111,971	69,314	1,131,702	21.9	9.9		
April-June	517,073	255,008	147,888	28,924	743,157	34.3	19.9		
July-September									
October-December									
1982:									
January-March	192,569	93,299	46,356	9,386	276,482	33.7	16.8		
April-June	136,316	96,094	64,569	4,929	227,481	42.2	28.4		
July-September	87,171	26,604	12,949	9,197	104,578	25.4	12.4		
October-December	101,017	39,011	24,014	5,412	134,616	29.0	17.8		
January	77,380	44,003	23,552	7,943	113,440	38.8	20.8		
February	66,092	18,419	5,735	914	83,597	22.0	6.9		
March	49,097	30,877	17,069	529	79,445	38.9	21.5		
April	46,980	26,559	15,328	1,932	71,607	37.1	21.4		
May	47,006	35,239	23,610	2,180	80,065	44.0	29.5		
June	42,330	34,296	25,631	816	75,810	45.2	33.8		
July	33,350	3,712	2,360	3,476	33,586	11.1	7.0		
August	25,511	14,651	8,263	4,457	35,705	41.0	23.1		
September	27,988	8,242	2,326	1,264	34,966	23.6	6.7		
October	24,574	12,018	6,006	1,931	34,661	34.7	17.3		
November	35,940	13,228	7,846	2,702	46,466	28.5	16.9		
December	40,503	13,764	10,163	779	53,488	25.7	19.0		
Percentage change:									
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	12.7	*4.1	29.5	-71.2	15.1	-	-		
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-31.7	27.7	24.5	-48.1	-22.0	-	-		

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Table 33.—Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source		1981	1982	1981		1982		Year to date		Year to date		(6) from (5)		(6) from (7)		Percentage change (4) from (10)	
				Dec.	Year to date	Nov.	Dec.	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)						
Quantity																	
EC countries:																	
Belgium/Luxembourg	11,858	9,953	1,215	11,858	579	134	9,953	-76.9	-89.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-16.1
France	29,269	56,554	6,562	29,269	6,194	2,799	56,554	-55.0	-57.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93.2
Italy	2	-	1/	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	4,566	19,000	19	4,566	1,009	1,112	19,000	-10.2	-	2/	-	-	-	-	-	-	316.1
West Germany	66,275	62,380	366	66,275	64	6,118	62,380	2/	2/	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5.9
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	111,971	147,888	8,161	111,971	7,846	10,163	147,888	-29.5	-	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.1
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	90,753	39,664	1,723	90,753	313	438	39,664	-40.0	-	74.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-56.3
Japan	41,829	65,077	659	41,829	5,070	3,158	65,077	-37.7	-	379.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.6
Republic of Korea	851	1,492	55	851	-	-	1,492	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.3
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	1,901	888	177	1,901	-	5	888	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-53.3
Total, all sources	247,305	255,008	10,775	247,305	13,228	13,764	255,008	4.1	27.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1

Value

Source		1981	1982	1981		1982		Year to date		Year to date		(6) from (5)		(6) from (7)		Percentage change (4) from (10)	
				Dec.	Year to date	Nov.	Dec.	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)						
EC countries:																	
Belgium/Luxembourg	5,212	4,881	562	5,212	225	71	4,881	-68.4	-	87.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-6.4
France	11,909	22,122	2,620	11,909	2,206	1,236	22,122	-44.0	-	52.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	85.8
Italy	1	-	1/	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	2,216	7,774	16	2,216	448	362	7,774	-19.2	-	2/	-	-	-	-	-	-	250.8
West Germany	27,926	28,082	146	27,926	211	2,079	28,082	885.3	-	2/	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	47,265	62,859	3,345	47,265	3,090	3,748	62,859	-21.3	12.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	25,079	11,050	365	25,079	88	65	11,050	-26.1	-	82.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-55.9
Japan	21,698	34,835	332	21,698	2,673	1,606	34,835	-39.9	-	383.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.5
Republic of Korea	373	623	25	373	-	-	623	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.0
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	701	400	61	701	-	12	400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-42.9
Total, all sources	95,115	109,766	4,127	95,115	5,851	5,431	109,766	-7.2	31.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 33.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source											Percentage change	
			1981		1982							
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Dec.	Year to date	Nov.	Dec.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	(8)
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	440	490	463	440	389	527	490	35.5	35.5	13.8	11.4	:
France	407	391	399	407	356	442	391	24.2	24.2	10.8	-3.9	:
Italy	598	-	-	598	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0	:
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	:
United Kingdom	485	409	838	485	444	325	409	-26.8	-26.8	-61.2	-15.7	:
West Germany	421	450	400	421	3,287	340	450	-89.7	-89.7	-15.0	6.9	:
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	:
Subtotal, EC	422	425	410	422	394	369	425	-6.3	-10.0	0.7	:	
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	:
Canada	276	279	212	276	282	148	279	-47.5	-47.5	-30.2	1.1	:
Japan	519	535	504	519	527	508	535	-3.6	-3.6	0.8	3.1	:
Republic of Korea	438	417	452	438	-	-	417	-	-	-100.0	-4.8	:
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	:
All other	369	450	343	369	-	2,356	450	-	-	586.9	22.0	:
Average, all sources	385	430	383	385	442	395	430	-10.6	-10.6	3.1	11.7	:

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 34.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. Producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	Percent
Short tons										
1981:										
January-March	88,344	18,144	14,394		735		105,753		17.2	13.6
April-June	58,775	39,089	33,366		750		97,114		40.3	34.4
July-September	66,872	20,882	17,479		876		86,878		24.0	20.1
October-December	67,950	20,603	16,261		5,246		83,307		24.7	19.5
1982:										
January-March	63,614	18,044	13,981		1,011		80,647		22.4	17.3
April-June	80,990	36,695	30,286		1,067		116,618		31.5	26.0
July-September	55,491	30,414	19,992		929		84,976		35.8	23.5
October-December	49,880	29,711	25,692		2,617		76,974		38.6	33.4
January	19,723	7,566	6,459		203		27,086		27.9	23.8
February	25,580	3,702	2,536		419		28,863		12.8	8.8
March	18,311	6,775	4,986		389		24,697		27.4	20.2
April	21,051	5,997	4,906		33		27,015		22.2	18.2
May	29,580	13,720	12,216		802		42,498		32.3	28.7
June	30,359	16,977	13,164		232		47,104		36.0	27.9
July	19,905	6,575	2,210		538		25,942		25.3	8.5
August	16,892	12,006	9,058		327		28,571		42.0	31.7
September	18,694	11,833	8,724		64		30,463		38.8	28.6
October	19,511	9,528	7,187		2,511		26,528		35.9	27.1
November	15,017	12,063	10,748		42		27,038		44.6	39.8
December	15,352	8,120	7,757		64		23,408		34.7	33.1
Percentage change:										
Dec. 1982/Nov. 1982	2.2	-32.7	-27.8		52.4		-13.4		-	-
Dec. 1982/Dec. 1981	-7.3	45.3	136.7		-98.5		31.8		-	-

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 35. Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source	1981			1982			Percentage change		
	1981	1982	Year to date	Nov.	Dec.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (8)	(7) from (4)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity									
EC countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	24,857	29,453	234	24,857	7,110	3,723	29,453	47.6	1/
France	25,555	27,640	1,282	25,555	2,239	2,974	27,640	32.8	132.0
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	765	-	-	765	-	-	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom	17,450	16,057	11	17,450	788	718	16,057	-8.9	1/
West Germany	12,872	16,801	1,750	12,872	611	343	16,801	-43.9	-80.4
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	81,499	89,950	3,277	81,499	10,748	7,757	89,950	-27.8	136.7
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	16,309	23,386	2,235	16,309	870	363	23,386	-58.3	-83.8
Japan	700	1,526	77	700	445	-	1,526	-100.0	-100.0
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	211	-	-	211	-	-	-	-	-
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0
Total, all sources	98,718	114,863	5,589	98,718	12,063	8,120	114,863	-32.7	45.3
Value									
EC countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	10,958	13,692	76	10,958	3,316	1,562	13,692	-52.9	1/
France	10,250	11,681	596	10,250	910	1,326	11,681	45.7	122.5
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	180	-	-	180	-	-	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom	6,093	5,940	5	6,093	287	262	5,940	-8.7	1/
West Germany	5,434	7,987	808	5,434	285	147	7,987	-48.4	-81.8
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	32,916	39,300	1,485	32,916	4,799	3,298	39,300	-31.3	122.1
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	7,213	10,839	1,079	7,213	426	172	10,839	-59.6	-84.1
Japan	313	671	38	313	191	-	671	-100	-100.0
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	71	-	-	71	-	-	-	-	-
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total, all sources	40,512	50,810	2,602	40,512	5,416	3,470	50,810	-35.9	33.4

See footnote at end of table.

Table 35.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other, selected sources, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981 and 1982

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)

Source													Percentage change	
	1981		1982		Year to date		Nov.		Dec.		Year to date			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)		
Unit value														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg	441	465	326	441	466	420	465	-9.9	28.8	5.4				
France	401	423	465	401	406	446	423	9.9	-4.1	5.5				
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Netherlands	236	-	-	236	-	-	-	-	-	-				
United Kingdom	349	370	429	349	365	370	0.0	-14.9	6.0	-100.0				
West Germany	422	475	461	422	467	429	475	-8.1	-6.9	12.6				
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Subtotal, EC	404	437	453	404	446	425	437	-4.7	-6.2	8.2				
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Canada	422	463	483	442	490	475	463	-3.1	-1.7	4.3				
Japan	447	440	496	447	429	-	440	-100.0	-100.0	-1.6				
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Spain	335	-	-	335	-	-	-	-	-	-				
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Average, all sources	410	442	465	410	449	427	442	-4.9	-8.2	7.8				
1/ Percentage change exceeds 999.9.														

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 36.—Composite prices for finished steel products and prices for selected steel products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement 1/

Product	1982			Jan.		Percentage change, January from December
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1983		
Per short ton						
Composite 2/	\$506	\$506	\$506	\$506	\$506	-
Hot-rolled sheet, 0.075 inch thick	416	416	416	416	416	-
Cold-rolled sheet, class 1	493	493	493	493	493	-
Carbon grade plate	485	485	485	485	485	-
Standard structurals	478	478	478	478	478	-
Wire rod	447	447	447	447	447	-
Hot-rolled carbon bar (special quality)	479	479	479	479	479	-
Galvanized, hot-dipped sheet	543	543	543	543	543	-
Tin plate, single reduced electrolytic, 0.25 pound 3/	797	797	797	797	797	-
Standard rails, No. 1	487	487	487	487	487	-
Sheet piling	529	529	529	529	529	-

1/ Mill base list prices; transaction prices are likely to differ.

2/ Prices based on weighted index of steel bar, shapes, plate, wire, rail, black pipe, and hot- and cold-rolled sheet and strip.

3/ Tin plate prices are quoted by the base box. These prices are converted to a per ton basis assuming a base box weight of 70 pounds.

Source: Iron Age and American Metal Market, various issues.

