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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 shapes (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 and methodology

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. The term "negligible" in this report refers to values less than \$500, quantities less than 500 short tons (table 3), or quantities less than 0.5 short ton (tables 4-35). Unit values are calculated using unrounded data. Import values are customs value. Imports of steel mill products in tables 2 and 3 based on definition used by the American Iron and Steel Institute (AISI). To maintain consistency, however, the deletion by the AISI of TSUSA item 642.3560 in 1983 is not reflected. Imports of this item totaled 382 tons in 1981 (\$295,000) and 1,162 tons in 1982 (\$360,000).

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Table 1.--Steel: 1/ U.S. production, capability utilization, 2/ and employment, 3/
1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982, and 1983

Period	Production		Employment		
	Raw steel	Capability utilization	Total	Employees receiving wages	Employees on layoff or short work week 4/
	1,000 short tons	Percent	Thousands		
1981-----					
1982-----	120,828	78.3	391	286	93
1981:-----	72,903	47.3	289	198	178
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
1983:-----					
January-March-----	18,382	49.3	235	159	145
April-June-----	21,276	57.8	245	170	123
July-September-----	21,076	55.7	245	172	107
1982:-----					
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
1983:-----					
January-----	5,570	43.4	230	153	174
February-----	5,676	49.0	234	158	152
March-----	7,127	55.5	242	165	145
April-----	7,292	58.9	247	170	135
May-----	7,412	57.9	243	169	128
June-----	6,993	56.5	246	172	123
July-----	6,921	54.3	247	173	117
August-----	7,020	55.1	247	173	113
September-----	7,134	57.8	241	171	107
Percentage change:					
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983-----	1.6	-	-2.4	-1.2	-5.3
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982-----	34.6	-	-6.9	-1.2	-31.8

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.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute.

Table 2--Steel mill products: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982, and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		-----1,000 short tons-----				-----Percent-----	
1981 2/-	88,450	19,898	6,482	2,904	105,444	18.9	6.1
1982 3/-	61,567	16,663	5,597	1,842	76,388	21.8	7.3
1981:							
October-December	18,097	5,405	2,042	705	22,797	23.7	9.0
1982:							
January-March 4/-	17,200	4,905	1,527	524	21,581	22.7	7.1
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
1983:							
January-March 4/-	15,282	3,368	840	276	18,374	18.3	4.6
April-June	16,997	3,832	942	307	20,502	18.7	4.6
July-September	16,803	4,535	980	307	21,031	21.6	4.7
1982:							
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
1983:							
January	4,583	1,098	382	95	5,586	19.7	6.8
February 4/-	4,588	1,157	224	92	5,653	20.5	4.0
March	5,969	1,113	233	89	6,993	15.9	3.3
April	5,399	1,182	253	106	6,475	18.3	3.9
May	5,612	1,353	327	101	6,864	19.7	4.8
June	5,986	1,297	362	100	7,183	18.1	5.0
July	5,045	1,411	297	108	6,348	22.2	4.7
August	5,789	1,615	360	100	7,304	22.1	4.9
September	5,893	1,509	323	99	7,303	20.7	4.4
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983	1.8	-6.6	-10.3	-1.0	5/	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982	23.6	26.7	-16.3	-37.3	26.1	-	-

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/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

3/ Reflects adjustment of import data (total and EC) and revision in producers' shipments data.

4/ Reflects adjustment of import data (total and EC).

5/ Less than 0.5 percent.

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

Table 3.--Total steel mill products: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Quantity											
Value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	1,109	929	79	706	58	56	476	-3.4	-29.1	-32.6	
France--	1,289	977	41	784	60	77	665	28.3	87.8	-15.2	
Italy--	768	644	55	572	54	27	260	-50.0	-50.9	-54.5	
Netherlands--	463	375	24	239	50	24	237	-52.0	0.0	-0.8	
United Kingdom--	574	486	49	408	33	34	251	3.0	-30.6	-38.5	
West Germany--	2,164	2,080	139	1,510	92	105	827	14.1	-24.5	-45.2	
All other--	115	104	2/	84	14	2/	45	-	-	-46.4	
Subtotal, EC--	6,482	5,597	386	4,302	360	323	2,762	-10.3	-16.3	-35.8	
Brazil--	548	605	38	491	161	105	892	-34.8	176.3	81.7	
Canada--	2,899	1,844	177	1,445	158	213	1,694	34.8	20.3	17.2	
Japan--	6,220	5,185	353	4,324	398	321	2,809	-19.3	-9.1	-35.0	
Republic of Korea--	1,218	1,062	72	838	173	156	1,219	-9.8	116.7	45.5	
Spain--	730	547	17	493	100	108	445	8.0	535.3	-9.7	
All other--	1,801	1,823	147	1,274	265	282	1,913	6.4	91.8	50.2	
Total, all sources:	19,898	16,663	1,191	13,168	1,615	1,509	11,735	-6.6	26.7	-10.9	
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	467,481	373,754	28,111	296,193	19,439	18,049	162,315	-7.2	-35.8	-45.2	
France--	598,542	532,405	22,136	442,497	25,912	28,748	276,189	10.9	29.9	-37.6	
Italy--	442,968	424,191	34,377	384,825	25,906	7,652	125,083	-70.5	-77.7	-67.5	
Netherlands--	168,841	134,262	8,989	87,620	15,671	7,012	74,406	-55.3	-22.0	-15.1	
United Kingdom--	321,132	279,582	17,616	246,089	14,143	13,496	110,579	-4.6	-23.4	-55.1	
West Germany--	1,193,251	1,127,679	75,255	908,017	41,175	41,219	350,310	0.1	-45.2	-61.4	
All other--	49,964	49,337	47	40,788	4,309	37	16,330	-99.1	-21.3	-60.0	
Subtotal, EC--	3,242,179	2,921,211	186,531	2,406,029	146,556	116,214	1,115,212	-20.7	-37.7	-53.6	
Brazil--	235,752	233,995	12,281	198,839	39,456	30,033	233,951	-23.9	144.5	17.7	
Canada--	1,294,673	854,966	76,243	683,630	61,304	83,477	630,361	36.2	9.5	-7.8	
Japan--	3,731,750	3,448,082	213,384	2,967,985	174,237	142,856	1,302,082	-18.0	-33.1	-56.1	
Republic of Korea--	538,939	447,813	28,517	366,197	53,627	51,283	389,312	-4.4	79.8	6.3	
Spain--	340,364	245,466	10,898	220,486	29,129	28,661	146,707	-1.6	163.0	-33.5	
All other--	864,004	806,863	52,013	622,603	83,849	87,823	618,070	4.7	68.8	-0.7	
Total, all sources:	10,247,660	8,958,396	579,867	7,465,769	588,158	540,348	4,435,694	-8.1	-6.8	-40.6	

See footnotes at end of table.

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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
-----Short tons-----							
1981 3/-----	61,509,661	10,879,553	4,172,631	1,414,886	70,974,328	15.3	5.9
1982 4/-----	44,546,215	9,162,530	3,596,094	707,001	53,001,744	17.3	6.8
1981:							
October-December-----	12,313,155	3,101,658	1,440,876	356,956	15,057,857	20.6	9.6
1982:							
January-March 5/-----	11,973,249	2,461,414	823,240	199,659	14,235,004	17.3	5.8
April-June-----	11,587,556	2,366,535	957,330	182,115	13,771,976	17.2	7.0
July-September-----	10,548,946	2,039,232	768,152	177,327	12,410,851	16.4	6.2
October-December-----	9,605,864	2,295,349	1,047,373	147,900	11,753,313	19.5	8.9
1983:							
January-March 5/-----	11,656,114	2,196,776	599,894	131,428	13,721,462	16.0	4.4
April-June-----	13,015,026	2,481,739	698,793	159,348	15,337,417	16.2	4.6
July-September-----	12,872,486	3,114,019	750,208	154,996	15,831,509	19.7	4.7
1982:							
July-----	3,422,523	543,360	236,586	58,237	3,907,646	13.9	6.1
August-----	3,569,432	807,602	247,105	63,776	4,313,258	18.7	5.7
September-----	3,585,659	688,270	284,461	55,314	4,218,648	16.3	6.7
October-----	3,245,143	742,010	292,311	51,858	3,935,295	18.9	7.4
November-----	3,076,907	819,562	374,321	49,138	3,847,331	21.3	9.7
December-----	3,284,189	733,777	380,741	46,904	3,971,062	18.5	9.6
1983:							
January-----	3,487,617	769,777	298,364	45,525	4,211,869	18.3	7.1
February 5/-----	3,529,467	733,020	143,705	38,821	4,223,666	17.4	3.4
March-----	4,525,981	693,979	157,825	47,082	5,172,878	13.4	3.1
April-----	4,129,970	740,897	175,102	53,101	4,817,766	15.4	3.6
May-----	4,274,659	890,214	248,576	51,199	5,113,674	17.4	4.9
June-----	4,615,685	850,628	275,115	55,048	5,411,265	15.7	5.1
July-----	3,865,029	945,065	231,782	58,339	4,751,755	19.9	4.9
August-----	4,444,449	1,133,164	264,093	47,548	5,530,065	20.5	4.8
September-----	4,520,044	1,035,790	254,333	49,109	5,506,725	18.8	4.6
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983----	1.7	-8.6	-3.7	3.3	-0.4	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982----	26.1	50.5	-10.6	-11.2	30.5	-	-

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.

3/ Reflects adjustment of export data and revision in producers' shipments data.

4/ Reflects adjustment of import data (total and EC) and revision in producers' shipments data.

5/ Reflects adjustment of import data (total and EC).

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and 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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
1981 3/-----	1,508,115	51,609	35,198	36,439	1,523,285	3.4	2.3
1982 3/-----	1,010,995	42,005	22,485	32,979	1,020,021	4.1	2.2
1981:							
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
1983:							
January-March-----	206,098	3,044	1,434	6,336	202,806	1.5	0.7
April-June-----	228,459	3,846	2,731	10,738	221,567	1.7	1.2
July-September-----	230,560	5,353	2,992	6,323	229,590	2.3	1.3
1982:							
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
1983:							
January-----	55,101	1,018	417	1,730	54,389	1.9	0.8
February-----	60,573	793	188	3,122	58,244	1.4	0.3
March-----	86,209	1,234	829	1,485	85,958	1.4	1.0
April-----	74,453	584	404	2,387	72,650	0.8	0.6
May-----	74,034	1,676	1,393	4,080	71,630	2.3	1.9
June-----	80,395	1,586	934	4,271	77,710	2.0	1.2
July-----	69,636	1,428	1,137	1,246	69,818	2.0	1.6
August-----	74,725	1,915	1,037	2,292	74,348	2.6	1.4
September-----	86,386	2,010	818	2,784	85,612	2.3	0.9
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983-----	15.6	5.0	-21.1	21.5	15.2	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982-----	31.4	82.6	-2.6	-27.5	35.9	-	-

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.

3/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

Table 18.--Carbon steel structural shapes 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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
-----Short tons-----							
1981 2/-----	4,259,917	1,959,183	702,044	107,482	6,111,618	32.1	11.5
1982 2/-----	2,876,955	1,461,795	554,292	46,350	4,292,400	34.1	12.9
1981:							
October-December-----	783,834	419,815	154,562	18,962	1,184,687	35.4	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
1983:							
January-March-----	658,863	267,142	99,961	11,330	914,675	29.2	10.9
April-June-----	662,271	337,566	126,339	9,439	990,398	34.1	12.8
July-September-----	651,474	438,897	117,202	8,996	1,081,375	40.6	10.8
1982:							
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
1983:							
January-----	190,776	84,126	42,169	3,958	270,944	31.0	15.6
February-----	199,816	89,219	23,970	3,823	285,212	31.3	8.4
March-----	246,371	93,797	33,822	3,548	336,620	27.9	10.0
April-----	192,923	87,398	29,428	2,464	277,857	31.5	10.6
May-----	223,476	146,712	52,444	3,328	366,860	40.0	14.3
June-----	242,867	103,456	44,467	3,647	342,676	30.2	13.0
July-----	197,333	139,097	37,407	2,080	334,350	41.6	11.2
August-----	189,261	132,897	39,885	3,563	318,595	41.7	12.5
September-----	256,102	166,903	39,910	3,353	419,652	39.8	9.5
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983-----	35.3	25.6	0.1	-5.9	31.7	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982-----	33.7	41.9	-10.7	-17.7	24.6	-	-

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

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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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		Short tons				Percent	
1981 2/	668,667	17,587	7,177	23,903	662,351	2.7	1.1
1982 2/	436,504	21,690	4,708	10,050	448,144	4.8	1.1
1981:							
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
1983:							
January-March	101,148	1,809	482	1,670	101,287	1.8	0.5
April-June	106,557	1,715	462	5,127	103,145	1.7	0.4
July-September	124,312	2,343	166	1,469	125,186	1.9	0.1
1982:							
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
1983:							
January	31,641	891	149	499	32,033	2.8	0.5
February	29,812	596	223	126	30,282	2.0	0.7
March	39,495	322	110	1,045	38,772	0.8	0.3
April	32,098	542	90	919	31,721	1.7	0.3
May	32,969	421	196	790	32,600	1.3	0.6
June	41,633	752	176	3,418	38,967	1.9	0.5
July	39,195	948	48	433	39,710	2.4	0.1
August	45,868	667	65	376	46,159	1.4	0.1
September	39,081	728	53	660	39,149	1.9	0.1
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983	-14.8	9.1	-18.5	75.5	-15.2	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982	1.8	-59.1	-31.2	-4.1	-0.9	-	-

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	71	0	71	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
France--	20	25	0	25	31	0	252	-100.0	-	908.0
Italy--	190	392	33	276	13	52	269	300.0	57.6	-2.5
Netherlands--	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom--	6,478	3,815	0	3,421	1/	1	354	-	-	-89.7
West Germany--	489	402	44	383	22	1	235	-95.5	-97.7	-38.6
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	7,177	4,708	77	4,177	65	53	1,110	-18.5	-31.2	-73.4
Brazil--	0	0	0	0	19	23	81	21.1	-	-
Canada--	466	2,903	55	2,600	260	237	1,338	-8.8	330.9	-48.5
Japan--	9,647	12,656	1,563	10,804	239	347	2,769	45.2	-77.8	-74.4
Republic of Korea--	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	-	-	-
Spain--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other--	297	1,423	86	1,177	84	68	561	-19.0	-20.9	-52.3
Total, all sources:	17,587	21,690	1,781	18,758	667	728	5,868	9.1	-59.1	-68.7
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	35	0	35	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
France--	8	28	0	28	38	0	340	-100.0	-	2/
Italy--	288	490	33	352	14	55	298	292.9	66.7	-15.3
Netherlands--	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom--	3,851	2,200	0	1,987	1/	6	203	-	-	-89.8
West Germany--	2,009	1,142	104	984	52	17	788	-67.3	-83.7	-19.9
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	6,156	3,897	138	3,388	104	78	1,628	-25.0	-43.5	-51.9
Brazil--	0	0	0	0	28	31	124	10.7	-	-
Canada--	462	1,727	51	1,142	96	82	587	-14.6	60.8	-48.6
Japan--	12,300	21,904	2,264	18,497	406	589	5,696	45.1	-74.0	-69.2
Republic of Korea--	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	-	-	-
Spain--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other--	579	3,241	190	2,675	144	121	1,091	-16.0	-36.3	-59.2
Total, all sources:	19,497	30,769	2,643	25,701	779	901	9,144	15.7	-65.9	-64.4

See footnotes 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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	Year to date	Aug.	Sep.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(7) from (4)	
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	45,772	134,271	19,285	73,690	8,286	4,545	38,367	-45.1	-76.4	-47.9
France--	158,061	141,474	6,742	110,488	11,433	14,879	107,653	30.1	120.7	-2.6
Italy--	55,561	46,767	0	46,767	13,878	11,551	45,627	-16.8	-	-2.4
Netherlands--	146,374	162,864	11,517	100,726	17,192	3,223	77,769	-81.3	-72.0	-22.8
United Kingdom--	13,552	17,278	3,553	10,818	3,330	11	10,575	-99.7	-99.7	-2.2
West Germany--	390,162	401,373	42,578	246,120	27,697	26,497	206,479	-4.3	-37.8	-16.1
All other--	22,928	20,134	0	9,060	13,471	0	28,592	-100.0	-	215.6
Subtotal, EC--	832,410	924,161	83,675	597,669	95,287	60,705	515,062	-36.3	-27.5	-13.8
Brazil--	18,883	45,075	7,047	39,885	28,777	40,059	217,452	39.2	468.5	445.2
Canada--	96,559	47,449	5,474	36,333	7,688	18,699	54,637	143.2	241.6	50.4
Japan--	400,923	304,310	17,276	238,017	55,745	43,173	354,409	-22.6	149.9	48.9
Republic of Korea--	100,839	65,631	4,473	40,497	17,986	15,718	125,124	-12.6	251.4	209.0
Spain--	62,576	48,058	1	48,015	26,820	15,970	50,786	-40.5	-	5.8
All other--	70,014	186,689	6,630	147,196	45,345	46,831	254,497	3.3	606.3	72.9
Total, all sources:	1,582,204	1,621,374	124,575	1,147,612	277,648	241,154	1,571,968	-13.1	93.6	37.0
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	19,007	48,631	6,660	28,747	2,824	1,666	12,721	-41.0	-75.0	-55.7
France--	56,155	51,568	2,517	40,208	3,323	5,035	35,248	51.5	100.0	-12.3
Italy--	21,836	18,394	0	18,394	3,659	3,326	12,735	-9.1	-	-30.8
Netherlands--	54,369	57,965	4,190	36,308	5,899	1,158	26,550	-80.4	-72.4	-26.9
United Kingdom--	5,717	6,786	1,447	4,609	1,235	19	3,702	-98.5	-98.7	-19.7
West Germany--	152,793	147,459	15,893	94,602	9,881	9,299	73,107	-5.9	-41.5	-22.7
All other--	8,600	7,450	0	3,229	4,201	0	8,834	-100.0	-	173.6
Subtotal, EC--	318,477	338,252	30,708	226,097	31,022	20,503	172,897	-33.9	-33.2	-23.5
Brazil--	7,733	15,218	2,096	12,833	7,960	11,471	63,368	44.1	447.3	393.8
Canada--	40,693	20,414	2,323	15,833	2,896	6,356	21,233	119.5	173.6	34.1
Japan--	160,548	126,469	7,340	99,723	20,596	16,369	131,257	-20.5	123.0	31.6
Republic of Korea--	38,483	24,219	1,518	15,522	5,497	5,352	39,322	-2.6	252.6	153.3
Spain--	25,710	18,625	1	18,612	7,176	4,217	13,506	-41.2	2/	-27.4
All other--	23,563	62,057	2,297	48,498	14,067	15,832	75,692	12.5	589.2	56.1
Total, all sources:	615,206	605,253	46,282	437,117	89,214	80,099	517,275	-10.2	73.1	18.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
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:							
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
1983:							
January-March	46,912	519	159	1,583	45,848	1.1	0.3
April-June	57,142	1,047	652	1,182	57,007	1.8	1.1
July-September	55,410	1,423	755	1,453	55,380	2.6	1.4
1982:							
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
1983:							
January	13,654	194	46	457	13,391	1.4	0.3
February	14,396	128	42	523	14,001	0.9	0.3
March	18,862	198	70	604	18,456	1.1	0.4
April	20,865	498	469	518	20,845	2.4	2.2
May	19,457	257	135	399	19,315	1.3	0.7
June	19,660	291	48	265	19,686	1.5	0.2
July	14,023	414	176	464	13,973	3.0	1.3
August	18,750	772	556	357	19,165	4.0	2.9
September	22,669	237	23	633	22,273	1.1	0.1
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983	20.9	69.3	-95.9	74.5	16.2	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982	50.3	169.3	283.3	145.8	50.8	-	-

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1981	1982		1983		Percentage change					
		1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	1,963										
France--	8,103	3,983	9,554	3,447	4,528	12,348	4,753	172.7	29.2	37.9	
Italy--											
Netherlands--											
United Kingdom--											
West Germany--	1,058	6,147		5,755	519	4,535	687	773.8		-88.1	
All other--											
Subtotal, EC--	1,637	4,537	8,794	4,130	854	7,252	1,935	749.2	-17.5	-53.1	
Brazil--											
Canada--	1,241	570	586	677		751	523		28.2	-22.7	
Japan--	1,886	2,212	4,857	2,433	937	914	1,584	-2.5	-81.2	-34.9	
Republic of Korea--											
Spain--	768	495		495							
All other--	2,287	3,507	3,591	3,553	3,410	3,124	3,458	-8.4	-13.0	-2.7	
Total, all sources:	1,926	2,654	2,334	2,957	999	1,679	1,922	68.1	-28.1	-35.0	
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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
Short tons							
Percent							
1981 3/-----	5,810,195	1,840,626	495,841	153,392	7,497,429	24.6	6.6
1982-----	3,037,915	1,152,274	327,439	84,245	4,105,944	28.1	8.0
1981:							
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
1983:							
January-March-----	622,008	189,063	27,151	5,670	805,401	23.5	3.4
April-June-----	679,712	249,427	63,973	23,306	905,833	27.5	7.1
July-September-----	682,411	338,368	71,108	21,184	999,595	33.9	7.1
1982:							
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
1983:							
January-----	191,670	52,235	6,130	1,511	242,394	21.5	2.5
February-----	182,728	71,274	13,062	1,783	252,219	28.3	5.2
March-----	246,280	65,554	7,958	2,376	309,458	21.2	2.6
April-----	222,126	66,888	15,556	7,858	281,156	23.8	5.5
May-----	221,292	82,144	27,084	7,684	295,752	27.8	9.2
June-----	236,236	100,395	21,333	7,764	328,867	30.5	6.5
July-----	203,652	118,920	23,190	17,413	305,159	39.0	7.6
August-----	237,593	135,567	19,718	1,680	371,480	36.5	5.3
September-----	241,788	83,881	28,200	2,091	323,578	25.9	8.7
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983-----	1.8	-38.1	43.0	24.5	-12.9	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982-----	23.5	9.3	-28.2	-71.5	22.0	-	-

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.

3/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	300,885	177,833	6,209	154,208	12,846	16,146	96,286	25.7	160.0	-37.6
France--	18,153	10,318	924	7,762	1,248	1,120	6,943	-10.3	21.2	-10.6
Italy--	17,445	60,476	16,005	38,092	2,009	1,770	5,509	-11.9	-88.9	-85.5
Netherlands--	4,623	2,660	0	1,394	137	502	7,282	266.4	-	422.4
United Kingdom--	35,340	25,102	14,089	24,308	1,304	4,404	19,513	237.7	-68.7	-19.7
West Germany--	96,448	51,050	2,050	38,202	2,173	4,258	26,698	96.0	107.7	-30.1
All other--	22,946	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	495,841	327,439	39,278	263,966	19,718	28,200	162,231	43.0	-28.2	-38.5
Brazil--	309,271	149,200	6,240	119,963	44,421	819	181,062	-98.2	-86.9	50.9
Canada--	227,923	149,196	9,471	121,253	14,314	19,756	167,272	38.0	108.6	38.0
Japan--	30,608	52,939	1,001	45,955	875	342	9,147	-60.9	-65.8	-80.1
Republic of Korea--	114,977	90,496	2,703	81,221	13,236	3,724	79,657	-71.9	37.8	-1.9
Spain--	99,404	75,793	376	75,690	17,401	14,535	32,170	-16.5	2/	-57.5
All other--	562,602	307,210	17,664	201,869	25,603	16,505	145,320	-35.5	-6.6	-28.0
Total, all sources:	1,840,626	1,152,274	76,732	909,918	135,567	83,881	776,858	-38.1	9.3	-14.6
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	110,978	62,057	1,941	55,201	3,071	4,104	24,377	33.6	111.4	-55.8
France--	6,545	4,068	349	2,912	317	284	1,960	-10.4	-18.6	-32.7
Italy--	5,501	16,710	4,601	10,192	637	427	1,561	-33.0	-90.7	-84.7
Netherlands--	2,537	707	0	351	46	176	1,774	282.6	-	405.4
United Kingdom--	12,836	7,373	3,433	7,059	346	987	4,462	185.3	-71.2	-36.8
West Germany--	37,500	17,077	815	13,824	617	1,150	6,979	86.4	41.1	-49.5
All other--	8,310	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	184,206	107,992	11,140	89,538	5,035	7,129	41,114	41.6	-36.0	-54.1
Brazil--	112,855	47,528	1,779	39,856	9,406	202	41,299	-97.9	-88.6	3.6
Canada--	85,851	57,466	3,927	46,039	4,002	5,344	42,585	33.5	36.1	-7.5
Japan--	16,004	22,199	567	19,165	358	122	3,102	-65.9	-78.5	-83.8
Republic of Korea--	41,259	31,230	827	28,198	2,768	803	17,268	-71.0	-2.9	-38.8
Spain--	36,989	24,212	103	24,181	3,505	3,045	6,605	-13.1	2/	-72.7
All other--	200,333	99,884	5,924	69,119	6,606	4,319	37,702	-34.6	-27.1	-45.5
Total, all sources:	677,499	390,511	24,266	316,096	31,680	20,964	189,675	-33.8	-13.6	-40.0

See footnotes at end of table.

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
		1982			1983			Percentage change		
Source	1981	1982	Year to date	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	(8)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	369	349	313	358	239	254	253	6.3	-18.8	-29.3
France-----	361	394	378	375	254	254	282	0.0	-32.8	-24.8
Italy-----	315	276	287	268	317	241	283	-24.0	-16.0	5.6
Netherlands-----	549	266	-	252	338	352	244	4.1	-	-3.2
United Kingdom-----	363	294	244	290	265	224	229	-15.5	-8.2	-21.0
West Germany-----	389	335	398	362	284	270	261	-4.9	-32.2	-27.9
All other-----	362	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	372	330	284	339	255	253	253	-0.8	-10.9	-25.4
Brazil-----	365	319	285	332	212	246	228	16.0	-13.7	-31.3
Canada-----	377	385	415	380	280	270	255	-3.6	-34.9	-32.9
Japan-----	523	419	566	417	410	358	339	-12.7	-36.7	-18.7
Republic of Korea-----	359	345	306	347	209	216	217	3.3	-29.4	-37.5
Spain-----	372	319	274	319	201	210	205	4.5	-23.4	-35.7
All other-----	356	325	335	342	258	262	259	1.6	-21.8	-24.3
Total, all sources:	368	339	316	347	234	250	244	6.8	-20.9	-29.7

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 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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
-----Short tons-----Percent-----							
1981 3/-	1,508,115	51,609	35,198	36,439	1,523,285	3.4	2.3
1982 3/-	1,010,995	42,005	22,485	32,979	1,020,021	4.1	2.2
1981:							
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
1983:							
January-March	206,098	3,044	1,434	6,336	202,806	1.5	0.7
April-June	228,459	3,846	2,731	10,738	221,567	1.7	1.2
July-September	230,560	5,353	2,992	6,323	229,590	2.3	1.3
1982:							
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
1983:							
January	55,101	1,018	417	1,730	54,389	1.9	0.8
February	60,573	793	188	3,122	58,244	1.4	0.3
March	86,209	1,234	829	1,485	85,958	1.4	1.0
April	74,453	584	404	2,387	72,650	0.8	0.6
May	74,034	1,676	1,393	4,080	71,630	2.3	1.9
June	80,395	1,586	934	4,271	77,710	2.0	1.2
July	69,636	1,428	1,137	1,246	69,818	2.0	1.6
August	74,725	1,915	1,037	2,292	74,348	2.6	1.4
September	86,386	2,010	818	2,784	85,612	2.3	0.9
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983	15.6	5.0	-21.1	21.5	15.2	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982	31.4	82.6	-2.6	-27.5	35.9	-	-

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.

3/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)												
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	891	1,140	96	1,030	217	247	1,090	13.8	157.3	5.8		
France	5,556	5,809	471	5,047	216	72	1,695	-66.7	-84.7	-66.4		
Italy	13,442	11,014	0	11,014	0	0	310	-	-	-97.2		
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	-	-	-		
United Kingdom	865	1,033	78	1,010	46	4	449	-91.3	-94.9	-55.5		
West Germany	14,445	3,489	195	2,962	558	496	3,595	-11.1	154.4	21.4		
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	35,198	22,485	840	21,064	1,037	818	7,157	-21.1	-2.6	-66.0		
Brazil	0	0	0	0	51	0	51	-100.0	-	-		
Canada	2,236	1,978	37	1,505	121	47	875	-61.2	27.0	-41.9		
Japan	12,716	7,421	146	5,909	205	855	2,152	317.1	485.6	-63.6		
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Spain	0	29	0	29	0	0	2/	-	-	-		
All other	1,459	10,092	79	9,910	502	288	2,006	-42.6	264.6	-79.8		
Total, all sources	51,609	42,005	1,101	38,417	1,915	2,010	12,242	5.0	82.6	-68.1		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	534	805	117	721	100	192	668	92.0	64.1	-7.4		
France	5,428	5,865	524	5,085	194	76	1,590	-60.8	-85.5	-68.7		
Italy	3,375	3,331	0	3,331	0	0	161	-	-	-95.2		
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	-	-	-		
United Kingdom	620	725	59	708	30	2	276	-93.3	-96.6	-61.0		
West Germany	10,189	2,688	304	2,331	310	269	1,847	-13.2	-11.5	-20.8		
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	20,147	13,414	1,003	12,176	634	540	4,555	-14.8	-46.2	-62.6		
Brazil	0	0	0	0	25	0	25	-100.0	-	-		
Canada	2,002	878	17	693	73	27	535	-63.0	58.8	-22.8		
Japan	9,927	6,208	135	5,256	158	487	1,568	208.2	260.7	-70.2		
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Spain	0	19	0	19	0	0	2/	-	-	-100.0		
All other	1,149	7,312	59	7,167	386	220	1,473	-43.0	272.9	-79.4		
Total, all sources	33,225	27,832	1,214	25,310	1,276	1,274	8,157	-0.2	4.9	-67.8		

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18.--Carbon steel structural shapes 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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
-----Short tons-----							
1981 2/-----	4,259,917	1,959,183	702,044	107,482	6,111,618	32.1	11.5
1982 2/-----	2,876,955	1,461,795	554,292	46,350	4,292,400	34.1	12.9
1981:							
October-December-----	783,834	419,815	154,562	18,962	1,184,687	35.4	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
1983:							
January-March-----	658,863	267,142	99,961	11,330	914,675	29.2	10.9
April-June-----	662,271	337,566	126,339	9,439	990,398	34.1	12.8
July-September-----	651,474	438,897	117,202	8,996	1,081,375	40.6	10.8
1982:							
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
1983:							
January-----	190,776	84,126	42,169	3,958	270,944	31.0	15.6
February-----	199,816	89,219	23,970	3,823	285,212	31.3	8.4
March-----	246,371	93,797	33,822	3,548	336,620	27.9	10.0
April-----	192,923	87,398	29,428	2,464	277,857	31.5	10.6
May-----	223,476	146,712	52,444	3,328	366,860	40.0	14.3
June-----	242,867	103,456	44,467	3,647	342,676	30.2	13.0
July-----	197,333	139,097	37,407	2,080	334,350	41.6	11.2
August-----	189,261	132,897	39,885	3,563	318,595	41.7	12.5
September-----	256,102	166,903	39,910	3,353	419,652	39.8	9.5
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983-----	35.3	25.6	0.1	-5.9	31.7	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982-----	33.7	41.9	-10.7	-17.7	24.6	-	-

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981	1982	1983	Percentage change	1981	1982	1983	Percentage change	1981	1982
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	360	334	315	340	287	250	275	-12.9	-20.6	-19.1
France	357	337	348	337	243	256	241	5.3	-26.4	-28.5
Italy	1,583	1,464	-	1,464	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	339	328	300	300	-	-	255	-	-	-15.0
United Kingdom	377	366	342	374	265	238	288	-10.2	-30.4	-23.0
West Germany	392	378	392	392	282	280	291	-0.7	-28.6	-25.8
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	369	349	328	355	275	253	277	-8.0	-22.9	-22.0
Brazil	324	260	341	332	217	280	236	29.0	-17.9	-28.9
Canada	362	360	339	361	306	305	312	-0.3	-10.0	-13.6
Japan	354	365	355	364	279	290	303	3.9	-18.3	-16.8
Republic of Korea	378	302	299	309	257	254	260	-1.2	-15.1	-15.9
Spain	362	354	323	366	243	214	236	-11.9	-33.7	-35.5
All other	362	313	305	322	233	264	246	13.3	-13.4	-23.6
Total, all sources	361	351	333	357	272	260	279	-4.4	-21.9	-21.8
1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.										
2/ Negligible.										

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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		Short tons				Percent	
1981 2/-----	668,667	17,587	7,177	23,903	662,351	2.7	1.1
1982 2/-----	436,504	21,690	4,708	10,050	448,144	4.8	1.1
1981:-----							
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
1983:-----							
January-March-----	101,148	1,809	482	1,670	101,287	1.8	0.5
April-June-----	106,557	1,715	462	5,127	103,145	1.7	0.4
July-September-----	124,312	2,343	166	1,469	125,186	1.9	0.1
1982:-----							
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
1983:-----							
January-----	31,641	891	149	499	32,033	2.8	0.5
February-----	29,812	596	223	126	30,282	2.0	0.7
March-----	39,495	322	110	1,045	38,772	0.8	0.3
April-----	32,098	542	90	919	31,721	1.7	0.3
May-----	32,969	421	196	790	32,600	1.3	0.6
June-----	41,633	752	176	3,418	38,967	1.9	0.5
July-----	39,195	948	48	433	39,710	2.4	0.1
August-----	45,868	667	65	376	46,159	1.4	0.1
September-----	39,081	728	53	660	39,149	1.9	0.1
Percentage change:-----							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983----	-14.8	9.1	-18.5	75.5	-15.2	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982----	1.8	-59.1	-31.2	-4.1	-0.9	-	-

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

See footnotes at end of table.

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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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	-	490	-	490	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France--	408	1,100	-	1,100	1,250	-	1,346	-	-	-	22.4
Italy--	1,514	1,248	1,001	1,278	1,089	1,069	1,107	-1.8	6.8	-13.4	-
Netherlands--	-	1,178	-	1,178	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom--	595	577	-	581	-	5,750	574	-	-	-1.2	-
West Germany--	4,108	2,840	2,378	2,569	2,366	33,515	3,356	2/	2/	30.6	-
All other--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	858	828	1,790	811	1,605	1,478	1,467	-7.9	-17.4	80.9	-
Brazil--	-	-	-	-	1,495	1,344	1,535	-10.1	-24.9	89.3	-
Canada--	992	595	929	439	371	346	439	-6.7	-62.8	0.0	-
Japan--	1,275	1,731	1,449	1,712	1,697	1,698	2,057	0.1	17.2	20.2	-
Republic of Korea--	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,950	-	-	-	-
Spain--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other--	1,949	2,277	2,208	2,273	1,724	1,774	1,945	2.9	-19.7	-14.4	-
Total, all sources:	1,109	1,419	1,484	1,370	1,168	1,238	1,558	6.0	-16.6	13.7	-

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
-----Short tons-----							
-----Percent-----							
1981 2/-	2,967,599	772,693	172,502	82,293	3,657,999	21.1	4.7
1982 3/-	2,366,437	854,911	172,591	8,494	3,212,854	26.6	5.4
1981:							
October-December	631,165	209,249	67,008	19,833	820,581	25.5	8.2
1982:							
January-March	505,190	200,936	24,607	3,594	702,532	28.6	3.5
April-June	619,883	185,329	54,189	3,665	801,547	23.1	6.8
July-September	574,863	196,612	35,718	947	770,528	25.5	4.6
October-December	605,701	272,033	58,077	289	877,445	31.0	6.6
1983:							
January-March	592,904	279,976	35,329	645	872,235	32.1	4.1
April-June	727,300	267,861	25,081	126	995,035	26.9	2.5
July-September	753,815	260,638	19,607	345	1,014,108	25.7	1.9
1982:							
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
1983:							
January	176,298	98,747	22,825	383	274,662	36.0	8.3
February	201,008	96,200	9,080	89	297,119	32.4	3.1
March	211,429	85,030	3,424	172	296,287	28.7	1.2
April	219,451	70,899	3,629	40	290,310	24.4	1.3
May	239,836	118,521	10,009	18	358,339	33.1	2.8
June	266,792	78,441	11,443	68	345,165	22.7	3.3
July	230,127	79,175	5,366	145	309,157	25.6	1.7
August	228,548	84,802	8,175	118	313,232	27.1	2.6
September	280,744	96,661	6,066	82	377,323	25.6	1.6
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983	22.8	14.0	-25.8	-30.5	20.5	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982	28.7	22.2	-63.5	26.2	27.0	-	-

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

3/ Reflects adjustment of import data (total and EC) and revision in producers' shipments data.

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Quantity											
Value											
Unit value											
From											
To											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	21,547	27,571	9,912	18,782	0	0	7,185	-	-100.0	-	-61.7
France--	101,921	108,440	5,900	78,019	2,071	3,199	44,909	54.5	-45.8	-	-42.4
Italy--	35	517	497	516	1/	0	2	-	4.0	-	-99.6
Netherlands--	4,326	10,568	0	7,030	109	118	2,585	8.3	-	-	-63.2
United Kingdom--	29,089	14,034	0	5,451	4,719	1,213	10,850	-74.3	-	-	99.0
West Germany--	15,583	11,461	304	4,716	1,275	1,536	14,484	20.5	405.3	-	207.1
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	172,502	172,591	16,614	114,514	8,175	6,066	80,016	-25.8	-63.5	-	-30.1
Brazil--	32,579	111,025	0	81,323	0	0	70,073	-	-	-	-13.8
Canada--	317,369	284,292	35,195	202,001	19,913	29,071	207,945	46.0	-17.4	-	2.9
Japan--	173,859	152,803	16,102	112,898	16,294	16,086	129,890	-1.3	-0.1	-	15.1
Republic of Korea--	0	6,188	0	5,283	0	0	1,427	-	-	-	-73.0
Spain--	1,657	6,818	491	4,684	2,846	8,055	60,932	183.0	2/	-	2/
All other--	74,727	121,194	10,713	62,175	37,574	37,384	258,193	-0.5	249.0	-	315.3
Total, all sources:	772,693	854,911	79,116	582,877	84,802	96,661	808,476	14.0	22.2	-	38.7
Value											
Unit value											
From											
To											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	6,749	7,492	2,493	5,284	0	0	1,791	-	-100.0	-	-66.1
France--	33,357	33,832	1,553	24,164	707	1,069	13,653	51.2	-31.2	-	-43.5
Italy--	31	213	194	211	1	0	6	-100.0	-100.0	-	-97.2
Netherlands--	1,821	3,777	0	2,491	45	57	914	26.7	-	-	-63.3
United Kingdom--	11,875	4,833	0	2,537	1,173	455	3,517	-61.2	-	-	38.6
West Germany--	4,901	3,972	117	1,685	419	495	4,669	18.1	323.1	-	177.1
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	58,733	54,119	4,358	36,373	2,344	2,076	24,550	-11.4	-52.4	-	-32.5
Brazil--	10,553	32,151	0	25,110	0	0	14,903	-	-	-	-40.6
Canada--	103,575	93,077	11,303	66,789	6,070	9,076	65,234	49.5	-19.7	-	-2.3
Japan--	70,731	60,565	6,221	44,939	5,854	5,938	47,321	1.4	-4.5	-	5.3
Republic of Korea--	0	2,060	0	1,828	0	0	346	-	-	-	-81.1
Spain--	834	2,963	222	2,128	803	2,215	16,005	175.8	897.7	-	652.1
All other--	24,832	31,036	2,654	17,168	7,699	7,831	55,096	1.7	195.1	-	220.9
Total, all sources:	269,257	275,970	24,758	194,333	22,770	27,137	223,455	19.2	9.6	-	15.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)												
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	313	272	251	281	341	334	249	-	-	-	-	-11.4
France--	327	312	263	310	341	334	304	-2.1	27.0	-	-	-1.9
Italy--	893	413	391	410	-	-	2,254	-	-	-	-	449.8
Netherlands--	421	357	-	354	413	481	354	16.5	-	-	-	0.0
United Kingdom--	408	344	-	465	248	375	324	51.2	-	-	-	-30.3
West Germany--	314	347	384	357	328	322	322	-1.8	-16.1	-	-	-9.8
All other--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	340	314	262	318	287	342	307	19.2	30.5	-	-	-3.5
Brazil--	324	290	-	309	-	-	213	19.2	30.5	-	-	-31.1
Canada--	326	327	321	331	305	312	314	2.3	-2.8	-	-	-5.1
Japan--	407	396	386	398	359	369	364	2.8	-4.4	-	-	-8.5
Republic of Korea--	-	333	-	346	-	-	242	-	-	-	-	-30.1
Spain--	503	435	453	454	282	275	263	-2.5	-39.3	-	-	-42.1
All other--	332	256	248	276	205	209	213	2.0	-15.7	-	-	-22.8
Total, all sources:	348	323	313	333	269	281	276	4.5	-10.2	-	-	-17.1

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
-----Short tons-----							
1981 2/-----	4,402,066	404,798	151,309	91,041	4,715,823	8.6	3.2
1982 2/-----	3,250,483	289,381	96,452	31,014	3,508,850	8.2	2.7
1981:							
October-December-----	851,416	102,634	52,060	38,068	915,982	11.2	5.7
1982:							
January-March-----	843,317	84,376	20,212	8,676	919,017	9.2	2.2
April-June-----	734,301	89,202	37,141	9,956	813,547	11.0	4.6
July-September-----	598,340	63,183	19,603	6,266	655,257	9.6	3.0
October-December-----	526,980	52,620	19,495	6,115	573,485	9.2	3.4
1983:							
January-March-----	898,374	59,864	13,403	7,327	950,911	6.3	1.4
April-June-----	904,453	74,684	24,376	6,728	972,409	7.7	2.5
July-September-----	940,995	68,326	15,847	13,457	995,864	6.9	1.6
1982:							
July-----	180,959	22,118	10,295	2,543	200,534	11.0	5.1
August-----	211,809	21,878	5,548	1,949	231,738	9.4	2.4
September-----	206,652	19,186	3,796	1,774	224,064	8.6	1.7
October-----	189,185	12,395	1,959	2,308	199,272	6.2	1.0
November-----	159,224	17,057	4,485	2,015	174,266	9.8	2.6
December-----	175,463	23,169	13,051	1,792	196,840	11.8	6.6
1983:							
January-----	235,263	25,527	9,949	3,079	257,711	9.9	3.9
February-----	269,116	16,944	1,845	1,947	284,113	6.0	0.6
March-----	339,594	17,394	1,609	2,302	354,686	4.9	0.5
April-----	270,848	21,054	1,695	2,428	289,474	7.3	0.6
May-----	318,298	22,866	8,004	2,075	339,089	6.7	2.4
June-----	315,097	30,764	14,677	2,225	343,636	9.0	4.3
July-----	242,739	20,703	4,444	1,839	261,603	7.9	1.7
August-----	350,042	23,541	6,248	4,080	369,503	6.4	1.7
September-----	340,819	24,082	5,155	7,537	357,364	6.7	1.4
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983----	-2.6	2.3	-17.5	84.7	-3.3	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982----	64.9	25.5	35.8	324.9	59.5	-	-

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data

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

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

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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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
1981 2/	2,445,222	154,114	48,943	53,861	2,545,475	6.1	2.0
1982 3/	1,475,437	140,772	20,532	42,721	1,573,488	8.9	1.3
1981:							
October-December	540,435	32,876	10,795	9,965	563,346	5.8	1.9
1982:							
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
1983:							
January-March	325,661	24,418	1,238	11,541	338,538	7.2	0.4
April-June	359,331	28,438	887	11,261	376,508	7.6	0.2
July-September	374,678	34,238	936	11,427	397,489	8.6	0.2
1982:							
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
1983:							
January	93,102	9,483	742	4,311	98,274	9.6	0.8
February	95,031	7,653	313	3,327	99,357	7.7	0.3
March	123,453	7,282	183	3,904	126,831	5.7	0.1
April	108,534	9,338	218	4,730	113,142	8.3	0.2
May	120,682	9,111	319	3,172	126,621	7.2	0.3
June	130,092	9,989	350	3,359	136,722	7.3	0.3
July	104,776	11,453	414	2,308	113,921	10.1	0.4
August	133,357	10,508	246	4,858	139,007	7.6	0.2
September	131,220	12,277	276	4,260	139,237	8.8	0.2
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1982	-1.6	16.8	12.2	-12.3	0.2	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982	57.8	4.9	-84.5	0.9	53.6	-	-

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

2/ Reflects adjustment of export data and revision in producers' shipments data.

3/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	1	0	8,676	25	0	26	-100.0	-	1/
France--	40,669	8,676	0	3,081	5	0	57	0.0	-	-99.3
Italy--	1,286	3,085	0	131	0	0	24	-100.0	-	-99.2
Netherlands--	69	133	0	2,168	39	87	1,774	123.1	-5.4	-77.9
United Kingdom--	5,198	2,744	92	4,092	176	188	1,151	6.8	-88.8	-18.2
West Germany--	1,721	5,893	1,683	0	0	0	0	0	-	-71.9
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	48,943	20,532	1,775	18,150	246	276	3,061	12.2	-84.5	-83.1
Brazil--	52	8,518	2,084	8,358	96	2	2,675	-97.9	-99.9	-68.0
Canada--	59,108	60,776	5,363	48,519	6,495	8,028	55,341	23.6	49.7	14.1
Japan--	36,236	36,829	2,026	30,505	2,580	3,346	15,244	29.7	65.2	-50.0
Republic of Korea--	3	0	0	0	0	0	69	-	-	-
Spain--	4,762	9,244	318	9,244	682	238	6,816	-65.1	-25.2	-26.3
All other--	5,011	4,873	143	4,017	409	387	3,887	-5.4	170.6	-3.2
Total, all sources--	154,114	140,772	11,709	118,792	10,508	12,277	87,093	16.8	4.9	-26.7
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	2	0	5,404	8	0	8	-100.0	-	300.0
France--	24,124	5,404	0	1,990	7	6	71	-14.3	-	-98.7
Italy--	903	1,994	0	120	5	0	16	-100.0	-	-99.2
Netherlands--	57	120	0	1,674	19	90	954	373.7	25.0	-87.2
United Kingdom--	3,137	2,039	72	2,511	134	178	812	32.8	-80.2	-43.0
West Germany--	1,790	3,817	899	0	0	0	0	0	-	-67.7
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	30,011	13,374	971	11,697	172	273	1,877	58.7	-71.9	-84.0
Brazil--	42	2,790	636	2,707	64	1	970	-98.4	-99.8	-64.2
Canada--	26,432	29,456	2,621	23,590	3,191	3,785	27,071	18.6	44.4	14.8
Japan--	19,170	20,478	1,090	17,469	1,167	1,409	6,819	20.7	29.3	-61.0
Republic of Korea--	2	0	0	0	0	0	248	-	-	-
Spain--	2,667	5,871	178	5,871	207	144	2,351	-30.4	-19.1	-60.0
All other--	3,486	3,247	136	2,675	367	185	2,825	-49.6	36.0	5.6
Total, all sources--	81,809	75,215	5,633	64,008	5,168	5,798	42,160	12.2	2.9	-34.1

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	-	1,362	-	1,362	300	-	323	-	-	-76.3
France--	593	623	-	623	6,442	6,479	1,255	0.6	-	101.4
Italy--	702	646	-	646	907	-	668	-	-	3.4
Netherlands--	833	901	-	897	-	-	516	-	-	-42.5
United Kingdom--	604	743	784	772	489	1,037	538	112.1	32.3	-30.3
West Germany--	1,040	648	534	614	764	946	706	23.8	77.2	15.0
All other--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	613	651	547	644	701	991	613	41.4	81.2	-4.8
Brazil--	811	328	305	324	668	432	363	-35.3	41.6	12.0
Canada--	447	485	489	486	491	471	489	-4.1	-3.7	0.6
Japan--	529	556	538	573	452	421	447	-6.9	-21.7	-22.0
Republic of Korea--	633	-	-	-	-	-	3,613	-	-	-
Spain--	560	635	560	635	304	607	345	99.7	8.4	-45.7
All other--	696	666	948	666	897	477	727	-46.8	-49.7	9.2
Total, all sources:	531	534	481	539	492	472	484	-4.1	-1.9	-10.2
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 and 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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		Short tons				Percent	
1981-----	6,758,750	1,305,731	249,445	148,356	7,916,125	16.5	3.2
1982-----	6,062,681	1,230,020	260,404	81,051	7,211,650	17.1	3.6
1981:							
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
1983:							
January-March-----	1,624,006	418,464	72,982	21,925	2,020,545	20.7	3.6
April-June-----	1,854,330	447,358	52,435	24,170	2,277,518	19.6	2.3
July-September-----	1,890,098	595,704	63,592	26,071	2,459,731	24.2	2.6
1982:							
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
1983:							
January-----	496,160	132,056	37,349	7,196	621,020	21.3	6.0
February-----	490,898	156,922	16,935	5,707	642,113	24.4	2.6
March-----	632,639	129,486	18,699	9,022	753,103	17.2	2.5
April-----	590,818	152,667	22,836	8,497	734,988	20.8	3.1
May-----	607,765	164,415	15,042	6,953	765,227	21.5	2.0
June-----	655,645	130,276	14,557	8,720	777,201	16.8	1.9
July-----	589,415	189,961	22,708	8,879	770,497	24.7	2.9
August-----	647,613	213,185	15,507	9,741	851,057	25.0	1.8
September-----	653,404	192,558	25,377	7,451	838,511	23.0	3.0
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983----	0.9	-9.7	63.6	-23.5	-1.5	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982----	14.2	56.3	-13.8	3.9	21.9	-	-

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 terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981	1982		1983		Percentage change		Year to date	from (5)	(7)
		1981	1982	1983	1983	1982	1983			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	445	414	473	433	358	424	382	18.4	-	-11.8
France--	453	435	473	426	429	322	383	-24.9	-31.9	-10.1
Italy--	565	429	415	482	-	-	391	-	-	-18.9
Netherlands--	487	467	500	462	507	-	485	-	-	5.0
United Kingdom--	503	515	4,051	703	450	524	439	16.4	-87.1	-37.6
West Germany--	426	440	420	443	469	262	391	-44.1	-37.6	-11.7
All other--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	455	441	434	453	460	307	391	-33.3	-29.3	-13.7
Brazil--	422	396	-	396	333	370	346	11.1	-14.7	-12.6
Canada--	434	454	445	449	449	479	443	6.7	7.6	-1.3
Japan--	476	457	478	463	462	468	453	1.3	-2.1	-2.2
Republic of Korea--	436	446	430	455	382	396	380	3.7	-7.9	-16.5
Spain--	473	458	-	459	327	374	335	14.4	-	-27.0
All other--	436	419	378	424	352	374	359	6.3	-1.1	-15.3
Total, all sources:	463	450	457	457	423	420	417	-0.7	-8.1	-8.8

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		-----Short tons-----				-----Percent-----	
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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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Quantity											
Value											
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	904	546	6	546	283	324	972	14.5	1/	78.0	
France--	36,429	38,068	3,380	27,550	1,501	3,997	26,043	166.3	18.3	-5.5	
Italy--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands--	3,258	4,889	133	3,336	791	54	4,229	-93.2	-59.4	26.8	
United Kingdom--	891	556	0	551	80	0	815	-100.0	-	47.9	
West Germany--	32,271	38,922	4,548	24,659	3,091	1,735	27,796	-43.9	-61.9	12.7	
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC--	73,754	82,982	8,068	56,643	5,747	6,111	59,854	6.3	-24.3	5.7	
Brazil--	0	0	0	0	0	19	19	-	-	-	
Canada--	37,850	19,889	1,251	15,038	2,894	3,060	25,768	5.7	144.6	71.4	
Japan--	173,028	111,023	2,870	90,296	10,259	10,192	118,132	-0.7	255.1	30.8	
Republic of Korea--	598	104	0	0	66	0	227	-100.0	-	-	
Spain--	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	-	-	-	
All other--	1,041	2,242	73	1,874	492	0	6,580	-100.0	-100.0	251.1	
Total, all sources:	286,270	216,240	12,262	163,851	19,458	19,381	210,589	-0.4	58.1	28.5	
Value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	539	313	4	313	141	173	505	22.7	1/	61.3	
France--	22,983	24,087	2,173	17,691	1,121	2,200	15,405	96.3	1.2	-12.9	
Italy--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands--	1,872	3,056	96	2,039	436	30	2,741	-93.1	-68.8	34.4	
United Kingdom--	508	427	0	414	45	0	368	-100.0	-	-11.1	
West Germany--	20,772	23,269	2,658	14,980	1,798	1,059	16,406	-41.1	-60.2	9.5	
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC--	46,676	51,152	4,931	35,437	3,541	3,462	35,426	-2.2	-29.8	0.0	
Brazil--	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	-	-	-	
Canada--	20,746	11,391	782	8,871	1,536	1,821	14,604	18.6	132.9	64.6	
Japan--	111,216	70,159	1,758	57,312	6,064	6,000	72,385	-1.1	241.3	26.3	
Republic of Korea--	344	62	0	0	33	0	115	-100.0	-	-	
Spain--	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	-	-	-	
All other--	483	1,007	32	899	224	0	2,747	-100.0	-100.0	205.6	
Total, all sources:	179,465	133,771	7,504	102,519	11,399	11,292	125,289	-0.9	50.5	22.2	

See footnote at end of table.

Table 31.--Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

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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, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
-----Short tons-----							
1981 2/	954,911	247,305	111,971	69,314	1,132,902	21.8	9.9
1982	517,073	255,008	147,888	28,924	743,157	34.3	19.9
1981:							
October-December	196,022	57,885	30,165	9,219	244,688	23.7	12.3
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
1983:							
January-March 3/	125,602	39,655	21,053	3,232	162,025	24.5	13.0
April-June	144,778	20,125	6,618	3,063	161,840	12.4	4.1
July-September	182,649	11,055	5,700	1,397	192,307	5.7	3.0
1982:							
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
1983:							
January	25,909	16,375	5,797	696	41,588	39.4	13.9
February 3/	39,522	12,367	8,692	942	50,947	24.3	17.1
March	60,171	10,913	6,564	1,594	69,490	15.7	9.4
April	56,769	11,315	4,724	2,551	65,533	17.3	7.2
May	44,207	6,288	286	331	50,164	12.5	0.6
June	44,465	2,522	1,608	181	46,806	5.4	3.4
July	49,625	6,791	4,741	715	55,701	12.2	8.5
August	66,460	2,759	438	174	69,045	4.0	0.6
September	66,564	1,505	521	509	67,560	2.2	0.8
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983	0.2	-45.5	18.9	192.5	-2.2	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982	137.8	-81.7	-77.6	-59.7	93.2	-	-

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

3/ Reflects adjustments of import data (total and EC).

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

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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	11,858	9,953	502	9,143	97	295	2,345	204.1	-41.2	-74.4
France	29,269	56,554	185	43,424	341	226	8,260	-33.7	22.2	-81.0
Italy	2	0	0	0	0	0	1/	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	4,566	19,000	1,236	15,129	0	0	3,526	-	-100.0	-76.7
West Germany	66,275	62,380	403	56,178	0	1/	19,240	-	-	-65.8
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	111,971	147,888	2,326	123,874	438	521	33,371	18.9	-77.6	-73.1
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada	90,753	39,664	729	37,905	1,646	334	12,638	-79.7	-54.2	-66.7
Japan	41,829	65,077	5,018	51,914	380	650	24,159	71.1	-87.0	-53.5
Republic of Korea	851	1,492	109	1,421	208	0	393	-100.0	-100.0	-72.3
Spain	0	0	0	0	65	0	65	-100.0	-	-
All other	1,901	888	59	883	22	0	209	-100.0	-100.0	-76.3
Total, all sources	247,305	255,008	8,242	215,997	2,759	1,505	70,834	-45.5	-81.7	-67.2
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	5,212	4,881	403	4,546	43	117	1,029	172.1	-71.0	-77.4
France	11,909	22,122	82	17,185	76	75	2,868	-1.3	-8.5	-83.3
Italy	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	2,216	7,774	547	6,266	0	0	1,109	-	-100.0	-82.3
West Germany	27,926	28,082	314	25,767	0	1/	8,367	-	-100.0	-67.5
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	47,265	62,859	1,345	53,764	119	192	13,375	61.3	-85.7	-75.1
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada	25,079	11,050	145	10,751	331	92	2,040	-72.2	-36.6	-81.0
Japan	21,698	34,835	2,619	27,858	115	197	12,031	71.3	-92.5	-56.8
Republic of Korea	373	623	46	594	70	0	136	-100.0	-100.0	-77.1
Spain	0	0	0	0	29	0	29	-100.0	-	-
All other	701	400	27	387	8	0	77	-100.0	-100.0	-80.1
Total, all sources	95,115	109,766	4,183	93,354	672	482	27,687	-28.3	-68.5	-70.3

See footnote at end of table.

Table 34.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports for consumption, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
Short tons							
Percent							
1981-----	281,941	98,718	81,499	7,607	373,052	26.5	21.8
1982-----	249,975	114,863	89,950	5,623	359,215	32.0	25.0
1981:							
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
1983:							
January-March-----	43,637	18,903	16,560	642	61,898	30.5	26.8
April-June-----	52,365	16,077	13,310	239	68,203	23.6	19.5
July-September-----	82,995	15,184	12,545	838	97,341	15.6	12.9
1982:							
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
1983:							
January-----	14,741	4,132	3,827	264	18,609	22.2	20.6
February-----	9,047	5,625	4,886	114	14,558	38.6	33.6
March-----	19,849	9,147	7,846	263	28,733	31.8	27.3
April-----	15,288	3,808	2,727	48	19,048	20.0	14.3
May-----	14,212	5,627	4,859	36	19,803	28.4	24.5
June-----	22,906	6,642	5,724	155	29,393	22.6	19.5
July-----	19,112	4,488	3,371	118	23,482	19.1	14.4
August-----	33,246	3,731	3,329	26	36,951	10.1	9.0
September-----	30,637	6,965	5,845	694	36,908	18.9	15.8
Percentage change:							
Sept. 1983/Aug. 1983----	-7.8	86.7	75.6	-78.0	57.4	-	-
Sept. 1983/Sept. 1982----	63.9	-41.1	-33.0	-92.0	29.3	-	-

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 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, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Quantity											
Value											
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	24,857	29,453	5,282	15,716	579	2,887	13,810	398.6	-45.3	-12.1	
France-----	25,555	27,640	2,790	21,299	1,406	520	11,305	-63.0	-81.4	-46.9	
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Netherlands-----	765	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
United Kingdom-----	17,450	16,057	343	12,452	1,344	1,246	8,526	-7.3	263.3	-31.5	
West Germany-----	12,872	16,801	308	14,791	0	1,192	8,774	-	287.0	-40.7	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Subtotal, EC-----	81,499	89,950	8,724	64,258	3,329	5,845	42,415	75.6	-33.0	-34.0	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Canada-----	16,309	23,386	3,109	19,812	402	1,120	7,735	178.6	-64.0	-61.0	
Japan-----	700	1,526	0	1,081	0	0	15	-	-	-98.6	
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Spain-----	211	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total, all sources-----	98,718	114,863	11,833	85,152	3,731	6,965	50,165	86.7	-41.1	-41.1	
Value											
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	10,958	13,692	2,342	7,578	209	1,109	5,723	430.6	-52.6	-24.5	
France-----	10,250	11,681	1,141	8,987	495	177	4,541	-64.2	-84.5	-49.5	
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Netherlands-----	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
United Kingdom-----	6,093	5,940	126	4,618	416	397	2,819	-4.6	215.1	-39.0	
West Germany-----	5,434	7,987	134	7,020	0	465	3,334	-	247.0	-52.5	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Subtotal, EC-----	32,916	39,300	3,743	28,202	1,120	2,148	16,416	91.8	-42.6	-41.8	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Canada-----	7,213	10,839	1,465	9,470	181	509	3,501	181.2	-65.3	-63.0	
Japan-----	313	671	0	480	0	0	6	-	-	-98.8	
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Spain-----	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total, all sources-----	40,512	50,810	5,207	38,151	1,301	2,658	19,924	104.3	-49.0	-47.8	

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	1983			Percentage change, October from Sept.
	Oct.	Feb.	Sept.	Oct.	
	-----Per short ton-----				
Composite <u>2/</u> -----	\$506	\$524	\$536	\$536	-
Hot-rolled sheet, 0.075 inch thick-----	416	441	475	475	-
Cold-rolled sheet, class 1-----	493	523	563	563	-
Carbon grade plate-----	485	515	515	515	-
Standard structurals-----	478	478	478	478	-
Wire rod-----	447	447	447	447	-
Hot-rolled carbon bar (special quality)-----	479	516	516	516	-
Galvanized, hot-dipped sheet-----	543	560	606	606	-
Tin plate, single reduced electrolytic, 0.25 pound <u>3/</u> -----	797	797	797	838	+5.1
Standard rails, No. 1-----	487	487	487	487	-
Sheet piling-----	529	529	529	529	-

1/ Mill base list prices; transaction prices are likely to differ. Prices shown for October 1982, recent months, and intervening months in which price changes occurred.

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.

