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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. Structurals (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. Imports of steel mill products in tables 2 and 3 are based on a 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), 1,162 tons in 1982 (\$360,000), 620 tons in 1983 (\$426,000), and 734 tons in 1984 (\$511,000).

Import values are customs value.

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Table 1.--Steel: 1/ U.S. production, capability utilization, 2/ and employment, 3/ 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Production		Employment	
	Raw steel	Capability utilization	Total	Employees receiving wages
	1,000 short tons	Percent	Thousands	Employees on layoff or short work week 4/
1981	120,828	78.3	391	286
1982	74,577	48.4	289	198
1983	84,615	56.2	243	169
1984	91,532	67.6	236	171
1985:				5/
January-March	18,382	49.3	235	159
April-June	21,726	57.8	245	170
July-September	21,076	55.7	245	172
October-December	22,195	57.9	245	174
1984:				
January-March	25,057	74.6	244	177
April-June	26,116	77.4	248	181
July-September	20,753	61.2	235	169
October-December	19,138	56.2	217	154
1984:				5/
January	7,970	69.6	241	174
February	8,142	76.0	245	178
March	9,056	79.1	247	180
April	8,997	80.8	248	181
May	9,174	79.8	248	181
June	7,945	71.4	248	181
July	7,460	65.3	242	176
August	6,915	60.5	236	170
September	6,378	57.7	226	162
October	6,703	58.4	219	156
November	6,422	57.8	219	156
December	6,013	52.4	213	151
1985:				5/
January	6,984	60.9	211	151
February	6,851	66.1	215	155
Percentage change:				
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-1.9	-	1.9	2.6
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1984	-15.9	-	-12.2	-12.9

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.

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/ Data no longer available

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

Table 2.--Steel mill products: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports for domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		1,000 short tons					
1981	88,450	19,898	6,482	2,904	105,444	18.9	6.1
1982	61,567	16,663	5,597	1,842	76,388	21.8	7.3
1983	67,584	17,071	4,115	1,198	83,457	20.5	4.9
1984	73,012	26,164	6,335	981	98,195	26.6	6.5
1983:							
January-March	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	4,550	981	307	21,036	21.6	4.7
October-December	18,372	5,320	1,351	308	23,384	22.7	5.8
1984:							
January-March	19,414	6,468	1,388	239	25,643	25.2	5.4
April-June	20,106	5,990	1,282	249	25,847	23.2	5.0
July-September	17,307	7,353	1,769	260	24,400	30.1	7.3
October-December	16,271	6,352	1,896	233	22,390	28.4	8.5
1984:							
January	5,980	2,082	447	86	7,976	26.1	5.6
February	6,150	2,161	495	73	8,238	26.2	6.0
March	7,240	2,225	446	80	9,385	23.7	4.8
April	6,472	2,216	489	73	8,615	25.7	5.7
May	6,948	1,998	450	90	8,856	22.6	5.1
June	6,686	1,776	342	86	8,376	21.2	4.1
July	5,820	2,656	625	90	8,386	31.7	7.5
August	6,033	2,516	583	94	8,455	29.8	6.9
September	5,454	2,182	561	76	7,559	28.9	7.4
October	6,087	1,986	514	89	7,984	24.9	6.4
November	5,317	2,209	659	61	7,465	30.0	8.8
December	4,867	2,157	723	83	6,941	31.1	10.4
1985:							
January	6,017	2,663	753	66	8,614	30.9	8.7
February	5,598	2,050	586	73	7,721	26.6	7.6
Percentage change:							
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-7.0	-23.0	-22.2	10.6	-10.4	-	-
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-9.0	-5.1	18.4	0.0	-6.3	-	-

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.--Total steel mill products: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	1983		1984		1985		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	616	921	71	154	139	90	230	-35.3	26.8	49.4
France	914	1,127	69	160	136	165	300	21.3	139.1	87.5
Italy	395	654	57	97	34	36	70	5.9	-36.8	-27.8
Netherlands	371	447	47	98	63	79	142	25.4	68.1	44.9
United Kingdom	364	476	38	67	70	63	133	-10.0	65.8	98.5
West Germany	1,387	2,543	186	334	301	143	444	-23.1	-32.9	32.9
All other	69	167	28	31	10	10	20	0.0	-64.3	-35.5
Subtotal, EC	4,115	6,335	495	942	753	586	1,340	-22.2	18.4	42.3
Brazil	1,257	1,461	152	277	262	126	388	-51.9	-17.1	40.1
Canada	2,379	3,167	254	550	164	298	461	81.7	17.3	-16.2
Japan	4,237	6,630	622	1,153	635	507	1,143	-20.2	-18.5	-0.9
Republic of Korea	1,728	2,234	142	210	169	135	304	-20.1	-4.9	-1.9
Spain	610	1,392	122	231	78	29	107	-62.8	-76.2	-53.7
All other	2,746	4,944	373	780	603	368	971	-39.0	-1.3	24.5
Total, all sources:	17,071	26,164	2,161	4,243	2,663	2,050	4,713	-23.0	-5.1	11.1
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	209,972	313,889	24,954	49,033	45,707	27,710	73,418	-39.4	11.0	49.7
France	373,649	497,821	27,308	63,952	56,418	58,393	114,811	3.5	113.8	79.5
Italy	184,634	280,931	24,648	38,562	16,075	13,447	29,522	-16.3	-45.4	-23.4
Netherlands	118,200	154,354	15,061	32,031	22,535	26,899	49,434	19.4	78.6	54.3
United Kingdom	156,539	226,526	16,822	31,002	31,374	27,662	59,036	-11.8	64.4	90.4
West Germany	549,140	991,653	70,978	127,477	113,808	55,639	169,446	-51.1	-21.6	32.9
All other	23,980	60,593	10,138	11,165	3,875	3,987	7,863	2.9	-60.7	-29.6
Subtotal, EC	1,616,112	2,525,767	189,909	353,223	289,792	213,737	503,529	-26.2	12.5	42.6
Brazil	337,431	417,485	39,543	74,426	70,470	31,826	102,295	-54.8	-19.5	37.4
Canada	885,085	1,300,269	97,054	208,258	66,914	127,146	194,060	90.0	31.0	-6.8
Japan	1,910,358	3,097,000	268,453	496,873	310,819	258,781	569,600	-16.7	-3.6	14.6
Republic of Korea	563,485	817,205	50,573	108,974	65,632	50,779	116,411	-22.6	0.4	6.8
Spain	202,626	431,315	33,666	66,265	27,998	9,927	37,925	-64.5	-70.5	-42.8
All other	877,647	1,617,207	116,287	242,760	186,281	120,416	306,697	-35.4	3.6	26.3
Total, all sources:	6,392,746	10,206,247	795,484	1,550,779	1,017,906	812,611	1,830,517	-20.2	2.2	18.0

See footnote at end of table.

Table 3.--Total steel mill products: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)				
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	341	341	350	318	329	306	320	320	-7.0	-12.6
France	409	442	397	399	415	355	382	382	-14.5	-10.6
Italy	467	429	435	398	475	370	421	421	-22.1	-14.9
Netherlands	319	346	322	326	355	341	347	347	-3.9	5.9
United Kingdom	430	476	447	464	446	441	444	444	-1.1	-1.3
West Germany	396	390	383	382	378	388	382	382	2.6	0.0
All other	347	364	360	355	385	403	394	394	4.7	11.9
Subtotal, EC	323	329	384	375	385	365	376	376	-5.2	-4.9
Brazil	268	286	261	269	269	253	264	264	-5.9	-3.1
Canada	372	411	382	379	409	427	421	421	4.4	11.8
Japan	451	467	431	431	489	510	499	499	4.3	18.3
Republic of Korea	326	366	356	351	388	375	382	382	-3.4	5.3
Spain	332	310	276	286	361	342	356	356	-5.3	23.9
All other	320	327	311	311	309	327	316	316	5.8	5.1
Total, all sources:	374	390	368	365	382	396	388	388	3.7	7.6

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

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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC
	Short tons							
1981	61,509,661	4,172,631	10,879,553	4,172,631	1,414,886	70,974,328	15.3	5.9
1982	44,546,215	3,596,094	9,162,530	3,596,094	707,001	53,001,744	17.3	6.8
1983	51,591,567	3,023,970	11,335,613	3,023,970	586,173	62,341,007	18.2	4.9
1984	55,341,491	3,416,268	15,954,294	3,416,268	506,392	70,789,393	22.5	4.8
1983:								
January-March	11,656,114	615,974	2,212,856	615,974	131,428	13,737,542	16.1	4.5
April-June	13,015,026	698,793	2,481,739	698,793	159,348	15,337,417	16.2	4.6
July-September	12,872,486	750,208	3,123,548	750,208	154,996	15,831,509	19.7	4.7
October-December	14,171,182	975,075	3,533,323	975,075	140,401	17,564,104	20.1	5.6
1984:								
January-March	14,860,928	840,936	4,228,055	840,936	125,128	18,963,855	22.3	4.4
April-June	15,234,819	676,722	3,574,929	676,722	125,288	18,684,460	19.1	3.6
July-September	12,940,559	874,776	4,308,655	874,776	130,085	17,119,129	25.2	5.1
October-December	12,275,199	1,023,834	3,842,655	1,023,834	125,891	15,991,963	24.0	6.4
1984:								
January	4,631,809	303,460	1,392,313	303,460	36,752	5,987,378	23.3	5.1
February	4,725,790	275,700	1,372,124	275,700	41,686	6,056,228	22.7	4.6
March	5,506,971	261,776	1,463,618	261,776	46,690	6,923,899	21.1	3.8
April	4,951,393	301,657	1,385,676	301,657	36,804	6,300,265	22.0	4.8
May	5,222,783	208,391	1,132,752	208,391	50,355	6,305,180	18.0	3.3
June	5,060,643	166,690	1,056,501	166,690	38,129	6,079,015	17.4	2.7
July	4,382,106	323,488	1,603,665	323,488	50,099	5,935,672	27.0	5.4
August	4,462,184	282,320	1,441,086	282,320	43,289	5,859,981	24.6	4.8
September	4,099,052	269,093	1,263,904	269,093	36,697	5,326,259	23.7	5.1
October	4,590,109	276,734	1,224,403	276,734	41,915	5,772,597	21.2	4.8
November	4,027,923	295,793	1,255,924	295,793	36,444	5,247,403	23.9	5.6
December	3,657,167	451,307	1,362,328	451,307	47,532	4,971,963	27.4	9.1
1985:								
January	4,618,905	485,628	1,737,122	485,628	34,000	6,322,027	27.5	7.7
February	4,296,242	440,276	1,308,769	440,276	44,462	5,560,549	23.5	7.9
Percentage change:								
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-7.0	-9.3	-24.7	-9.3	30.8	-12.0	-	-
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1984	-9.1	59.7	-4.6	59.7	6.7	-8.2	-	-

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 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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	1983		1984		1985		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton									
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	493,501	534,180	56,150	116,126	81,887	54,065	135,952	44,275	-34.0	-3.7
France	695,606	751,397	39,477	111,782	109,206	117,058	226,264	78,956	7.2	196.5
Italy	201,496	212,743	17,117	29,017	16,495	27,586	44,082	13,843	67.2	61.2
Netherlands	300,209	337,616	36,343	84,933	54,073	77,393	131,466	45,580	43.1	113.0
United Kingdom	280,874	294,184	26,864	44,341	46,822	53,050	99,872	37,299	13.3	97.5
West Germany	1,014,602	1,248,966	92,380	182,606	172,182	105,952	278,135	104,044	-38.5	14.7
All other	37,681	37,322	7,369	10,353	4,962	5,172	10,133	3,923	4.2	-29.8
Subtotal, EC	3,023,970	3,416,409	275,700	579,160	485,628	440,276	925,904	327,920	-9.3	59.7
Brazil	967,033	758,317	110,927	187,291	154,313	39,127	193,440	44,578	-74.6	-64.7
Canada	1,394,690	2,038,149	158,725	337,568	111,293	196,196	307,488	78,956	76.3	23.6
Japan	2,902,405	4,374,866	419,415	780,669	419,339	302,027	721,365	241,110	-28.0	-7.6
Republic of Korea	752,823	997,260	50,339	135,669	88,471	53,759	142,230	53,072	-39.2	6.8
Spain	461,351	996,038	99,408	193,659	42,215	16,488	58,703	12,117	-69.7	-83.4
All other	1,833,341	3,373,255	257,609	550,421	435,864	260,896	696,760	69,016	-40.1	1.3
Total, all sources	11,335,613	15,954,294	1,372,124	2,764,437	1,737,122	1,308,769	3,045,891	1,073,297	-24.7	-4.6
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	140,526	165,655	17,151	33,224	27,116	17,159	44,275	44,275	-36.7	0.0
France	225,029	276,604	13,865	38,255	40,913	38,043	78,956	78,956	-7.0	174.4
Italy	55,296	64,153	4,724	8,041	5,332	8,511	13,843	13,843	59.6	80.2
Netherlands	95,644	114,747	11,756	27,384	19,522	26,058	45,580	45,580	33.5	121.7
United Kingdom	89,009	106,446	9,855	16,044	17,587	19,713	37,299	37,299	12.1	100.0
West Germany	350,729	460,634	32,375	63,533	65,533	39,016	104,044	104,044	-40.0	20.5
All other	11,762	14,242	3,028	3,941	1,766	2,157	3,923	3,923	22.1	-28.8
Subtotal, EC	967,994	1,202,479	92,754	190,421	177,265	150,656	327,920	327,920	-15.0	62.4
Brazil	242,177	197,602	26,977	47,244	34,408	10,170	44,578	44,578	-70.4	-62.3
Canada	480,681	739,301	54,639	118,527	40,789	72,321	113,110	113,110	77.3	32.4
Japan	1,149,940	1,838,390	167,013	308,821	181,383	137,679	319,062	319,062	-24.1	-17.6
Republic of Korea	220,672	330,835	15,348	42,647	33,327	19,745	53,072	53,072	-40.8	28.6
Spain	122,922	271,983	25,192	50,932	11,718	4,065	15,783	15,783	-65.3	-83.9
All other	500,630	966,640	71,293	151,106	125,819	73,954	199,772	199,772	-41.2	3.7
Total, all sources	3,685,015	5,547,311	453,217	909,699	604,708	468,589	1,073,297	1,073,297	-22.5	3.4

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	1983		1984		1985		Percentage change				
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	Quantity in short tons	Value in thousands of dollars	Unit value in dollars per short ton	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Year to date	from (5)	from (3)	from (4)
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	285	310	305	286	331	317	326	326	-4.2	3.9	14.0
France	324	368	351	342	375	325	349	349	-13.3	-7.4	2.0
Italy	274	302	276	277	323	309	314	314	-4.3	12.0	13.4
Netherlands	319	340	323	322	361	337	347	347	-6.6	4.3	7.8
United Kingdom	317	362	367	362	376	372	373	373	-1.1	1.4	3.0
West Germany	346	369	350	348	378	368	374	374	-2.6	5.1	7.5
All other	312	382	411	381	356	417	387	387	17.1	1.5	1.6
Subtotal, EC	320	352	336	329	365	342	354	354	-6.3	1.8	7.6
Brazil	250	261	243	252	223	260	230	230	16.6	7.0	-8.7
Canada	345	363	344	351	367	369	368	368	0.5	7.3	4.8
Japan	396	420	398	396	433	456	442	442	5.3	14.6	11.6
Republic of Korea	293	332	305	314	377	367	373	373	-2.7	20.3	18.8
Spain	266	273	253	263	278	247	269	269	-11.2	-2.4	2.3
All other	273	287	277	275	289	283	287	287	-2.1	2.2	4.4
Total, all sources	325	348	330	329	348	358	352	352	2.9	8.5	7.0

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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC
					Short tons			
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	
1983	11,083,855	2,337,367	894,942	37,253	13,383,969	17.5	6.7	
1984	12,421,013	3,093,225	955,390	6,155	15,508,083	19.9	6.2	
1983:								
January-March	2,468,940	427,145	136,306	9,717	2,886,368	14.8	4.7	
April-June	2,867,539	462,155	209,797	6,859	3,322,835	13.9	6.3	
July-September	2,739,917	588,890	208,181	9,075	3,319,732	17.7	6.3	
October-December	3,007,459	859,177	340,658	11,602	3,855,034	22.3	8.8	
1984:								
January-March	3,320,995	875,600	229,692	12,166	4,184,429	20.9	5.5	
April-June	3,572,029	693,250	190,595	13,594	4,251,685	16.3	4.4	
July-September	2,900,733	776,305	242,529	8,596	3,668,442	21.2	6.6	
October-December	2,638,221	748,071	292,575	6,055	3,380,237	22.1	8.7	
1984:								
January	1,008,549	314,666	103,759	2,682	1,320,533	23.8	7.9	
February	1,062,865	275,234	58,920	4,945	1,333,154	20.6	4.4	
March	1,250,550	285,700	67,013	4,539	1,531,711	18.7	4.4	
April	1,139,856	271,731	83,451	3,194	1,408,393	19.3	5.9	
May	1,220,435	221,924	59,920	3,654	1,438,705	15.4	4.2	
June	1,211,738	199,595	47,224	6,746	1,404,587	14.2	3.3	
July	1,016,703	288,729	67,405	3,343	1,302,089	22.2	5.2	
August	1,006,230	265,464	85,763	3,137	1,268,557	20.9	6.8	
September	877,800	222,112	89,361	2,116	1,097,796	20.2	8.1	
October	986,774	248,262	89,041	2,534	1,232,502	20.1	7.2	
November	846,704	245,978	71,623	2,106	1,090,576	22.6	6.6	
December	804,743	253,831	131,911	1,415	1,057,159	24.0	12.5	
1985:								
January	964,063	354,440	147,715	2,117	1,316,386	26.9	11.2	
February	900,270	301,328	157,445	2,829	1,198,769	25.1	13.1	
Percentage change:								
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-6.6	-15.0	6.6	33.6	-8.9	-	-	
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-15.3	9.5	167.2	-42.8	-10.1	-	-	

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 7.--Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)														
	1983					1984					1985				
	(1)	(2)	(3)	Year to date	Jan.	(4)	(5)	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	52,949	40,810	2,397	5,446	6,149	5,766	11,914	5,766	5,766	5,766	11,914	-6.2	140.6	118.8	
France	300,634	321,715	5,032	47,474	50,155	53,708	103,863	53,708	53,708	53,708	103,863	7.1	967.3	118.8	
Italy	84,599	83,526	5,849	8,747	5,579	15,316	20,896	15,316	15,316	15,316	20,896	174.5	161.9	138.9	
Netherlands	158,282	178,134	22,558	52,993	32,289	52,149	84,438	52,149	52,149	52,149	84,438	61.5	131.2	59.3	
United Kingdom	9,545	9,586	105	116	1,651	2,027	3,678	2,027	2,027	2,027	3,678	22.8	1/	1/	
West Germany	288,934	321,557	22,979	47,902	51,893	28,479	80,372	28,479	28,479	28,479	80,372	-45.1	23.9	67.8	
All other	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	894,942	955,390	58,920	162,678	147,715	157,445	305,160	157,445	157,445	157,445	305,160	6.6	167.2	87.6	
Brazil	281,635	262,999	65,545	101,013	14,214	3,574	17,788	3,574	3,574	3,574	17,788	-74.9	-94.5	-82.4	
Canada	192,860	431,878	31,578	71,247	20,995	50,126	71,121	50,126	50,126	50,126	71,121	138.8	58.7	-0.2	
Japan	369,727	469,044	45,727	89,878	38,269	14,992	53,261	14,992	14,992	14,992	53,261	-60.8	-67.2	-40.7	
Republic of Korea	210,856	234,398	18,019	39,637	23,155	13,477	26,633	13,477	13,477	13,477	26,633	-41.8	-25.2	-7.6	
Spain	45,792	59,009	2,842	14,813	21,549	1,747	33,296	1,747	1,747	1,747	33,296	-91.9	-38.5	57.3	
All other	341,554	680,508	52,604	110,634	88,543	59,967	148,510	59,967	59,967	59,967	148,510	-32.3	14.0	34.2	
Total, all sources:	2,337,367	3,093,225	275,234	589,200	354,440	301,328	655,769	301,328	301,328	301,328	655,769	-15.0	9.5	11.2	
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	13,365	10,918	643	1,404	1,801	1,552	3,352	1,552	1,552	1,552	3,352	-13.8	141.4	138.7	
France	78,244	99,219	1,403	13,149	16,073	16,058	32,132	16,058	16,058	16,058	32,132	-0.1	1/	144.4	
Italy	19,013	21,177	1,334	1,992	1,424	4,453	5,878	4,453	4,453	4,453	5,878	212.7	233.8	195.1	
Netherlands	44,736	52,355	6,289	15,140	10,611	15,748	26,358	15,748	15,748	15,748	26,358	48.4	150.4	74.1	
United Kingdom	2,125	2,871	39	42	444	565	1,009	444	444	444	1,009	27.3	1/	1/	
West Germany	77,555	92,887	6,518	13,072	15,396	8,510	23,906	8,510	8,510	8,510	23,906	-44.7	30.6	82.9	
All other	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	235,038	279,446	16,225	44,800	45,749	46,886	92,635	46,886	46,886	46,886	92,635	2.5	189.0	106.8	
Brazil	60,226	57,854	13,673	21,016	3,857	939	4,796	3,857	3,857	3,857	4,796	-75.7	-93.1	-77.2	
Canada	63,071	135,499	9,896	22,191	6,698	15,458	22,155	15,458	15,458	15,458	22,155	130.8	56.2	-0.2	
Japan	114,363	154,921	14,553	28,149	16,128	5,530	21,658	16,128	16,128	16,128	21,658	-65.7	-62.0	-23.1	
Republic of Korea	51,374	66,555	4,771	10,629	7,206	4,260	11,466	7,206	7,206	7,206	11,466	-40.9	-10.7	7.9	
Spain	10,234	15,951	615	3,903	5,976	496	6,472	5,976	5,976	5,976	6,472	-91.7	-19.3	65.8	
All other	75,460	170,286	12,040	25,393	22,773	14,281	37,054	22,773	22,773	22,773	37,054	-37.3	18.6	45.9	
Total, all sources:	609,765	880,512	71,773	156,080	108,387	87,850	196,237	108,387	108,387	108,387	196,237	-18.9	22.4	25.7	

See footnote at end of table.

Table 7.--Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)					(7)
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	252	268	268	258	293	269	281	-8.2	0.4	8.9	
France	260	308	279	277	320	299	309	-6.6	7.2	11.6	
Italy	225	254	228	228	255	291	281	14.1	27.6	23.2	
Netherlands	283	294	279	286	329	302	312	-8.2	8.2	9.1	
United Kingdom	223	300	369	361	269	279	274	3.7	-24.4	-24.1	
West Germany	268	289	284	273	297	299	297	0.7	5.3	8.8	
All other	-	309	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	263	292	275	275	310	298	304	-3.9	8.4	10.5	
Brazil	214	220	209	208	271	263	270	-3.0	25.8	29.8	
Canada	327	314	313	311	319	308	312	-3.4	-1.6	0.3	
Japan	309	330	318	313	421	369	407	-12.4	16.0	30.0	
Republic of Korea	244	284	265	268	311	316	313	1.6	19.2	16.8	
Spain	223	270	216	263	277	284	278	2.5	31.5	5.7	
All other	221	250	229	230	257	238	250	-7.4	3.9	8.7	
Total, all sources	261	285	261	265	306	292	299	-4.6	11.9	12.8	
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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC	
	Short tons								Percent
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		
1983	1,142,478	13,568	3,613	15,596	1,140,450	1.2	0.3		
1984	1,321,738	33,998	4,694	16,447	1,339,289	2.5	0.4		
1983:									
January-March	246,675	1,823	649	3,611	244,887	0.7	0.3		
April-June	306,086	4,465	1,153	4,345	306,206	1.5	0.4		
July-September	277,317	2,965	832	3,922	276,360	1.1	0.3		
October-December	312,400	4,313	978	3,718	312,995	1.4	0.3		
1984:									
January-March	358,379	6,869	681	3,840	361,408	1.9	0.2		
April-June	363,088	7,665	757	4,566	366,187	2.0	0.2		
July-September	294,600	9,664	2,112	3,441	300,823	3.2	0.7		
October-December	305,671	9,799	1,144	4,600	310,870	3.2	0.4		
1984:									
January	115,785	2,370	191	1,413	116,742	2.0	0.2		
February	118,774	2,354	218	937	120,191	1.9	0.2		
March	123,820	2,145	272	1,490	124,475	1.7	0.2		
April	124,243	3,813	368	1,972	126,084	3.0	0.3		
May	120,559	1,563	225	1,408	120,714	1.3	0.2		
June	118,286	2,289	164	1,186	119,389	1.9	0.1		
July	106,606	2,595	485	938	108,263	2.4	0.4		
August	95,567	4,495	1,398	1,441	98,621	4.6	1.4		
September	92,427	2,574	229	1,062	93,939	2.7	0.2		
October	119,704	2,796	243	1,615	120,885	2.3	0.2		
November	100,538	2,941	318	1,033	102,446	2.9	0.3		
December	85,429	4,062	583	1,952	87,539	4.6	0.7		
1985:									
January	119,409	5,446	577	1,085	123,770	4.4	0.5		
February	108,096	4,005	930	888	111,213	3.6	0.8		
Percentage change:									
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-9.5	-26.5	61.2	-18.2	-10.1	-	-		
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1984	-9.0	70.1	326.6	-5.2	-7.5	-	-		

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.

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)												
	1984					1985					Percentage change		
	1983	1984	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	from (5)		from (6)	from (7)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	217	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	887	1,382	123	241	265	56	320	56	320	-78.9	-54.5	32.8	-
Italy	0	950	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	164	315	2	11	121	17	138	17	138	-86.0	750.0	2/	-
West Germany	2,340	2,025	92	157	191	858	1,049	858	1,049	349.2	832.6	568.2	-
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	3,613	4,694	218	409	577	930	1,507	930	1,507	61.2	326.6	2,68.5	-
Brazil	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0	-
Canada	3,286	5,409	302	953	11	52	63	52	63	372.7	-82.8	-93.4	-
Japan	5,924	22,852	1,769	3,191	4,822	2,957	7,779	2,957	7,779	-38.7	67.2	143.8	-
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
All other	745	1,041	66	170	37	65	102	65	102	75.7	-1.5	-40.0	-
Total, all sources	13,568	33,998	2,354	4,724	5,446	4,005	9,451	4,005	9,451	-26.5	70.1	100.1	-
Value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	190	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
France	5,089	8,244	713	1,441	1,503	281	1,783	281	1,783	-81.3	-60.6	23.7	-
Italy	0	257	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	393	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	292	594	11	31	122	72	194	72	194	-41.0	554.5	525.8	-
West Germany	1,510	2,221	110	203	313	629	942	629	942	101.0	471.8	364.0	-
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	7,474	11,326	834	1,675	1,937	982	2,919	982	2,919	-49.3	17.7	74.3	-
Brazil	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0	-
Canada	1,614	2,668	156	481	5	52	56	52	56	940.0	-66.7	-88.4	-
Japan	7,956	32,193	2,010	3,955	6,215	4,101	10,316	4,101	10,316	-34.0	104.0	160.8	-
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
All other	2,225	3,059	207	493	98	162	260	162	260	65.3	-21.7	-47.3	-
Total, all sources	19,269	49,246	3,206	6,605	8,254	5,297	13,551	5,297	13,551	-35.8	65.2	105.2	-

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)													
Source	1983			1984			1985			Percentage change			
	875	5,736	426	5,787	5,992	5,678	5,053	5,570	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	1,781	1,096	1,888	1,197	2,683	1,003	4,356	1,407	334.3	898	55.3	38.8	30.7
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)
Unit value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	875	426											
France	5,736	5,966	5,787	5,992	5,678	5,053	5,570	5,570	11.0	12.7	7.0		
Italy		271											
Netherlands	76,936												
United Kingdom	1,781	1,888	1,888	2,683	1,003	4,356	1,407	334.3	5.1	47.6			
West Germany	646	1,096	1,197	1,296	1,639	733	898	55.3	38.8	30.7			
All other													
Subtotal, EC	2,069	2,413	3,827	4,095	3,357	1,056	1,937	68.5	72.4	52.7			
Brazil		660		660									
Canada	491	493	516	505	424	988	890	133.0	91.5	76.2			
Japan	1,343	1,409	1,136	1,239	1,289	1,387	1,326	7.6	22.1	7.0			
Republic of Korea													
Spain													
All other	2,987	2,937	3,152	2,906	2,663	2,485	2,549	6.7	21.2	12.3			
Total, all sources	1,420	1,449	1,362	1,398	1,516	1,322	1,434	12.8	2.9	2.6			

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 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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC	
	Short tons								Percent
1981	13,748,362	1,582,204	832,410	45,964	15,284,602	10.4	5.4		
1982	10,565,058	1,621,374	924,161	20,763	12,165,669	13.3	7.6		
1983	12,994,603	2,389,722	764,238	22,732	15,352,063	15.5	5.0		
1984	12,867,555	3,520,219	866,209	23,410	16,364,364	21.5	5.3		
1983:									
January-March	2,959,577	395,199	147,983	5,134	3,349,642	11.8	4.4		
April-June	3,295,980	488,327	152,798	5,375	3,778,932	12.9	4.0		
July-September	3,157,156	688,442	214,281	7,037	3,838,561	17.9	5.6		
October-December	3,581,890	808,225	249,176	5,186	4,384,929	18.4	5.7		
1984:									
January-March	3,537,306	900,271	166,905	8,296	4,429,281	20.3	3.8		
April-June	3,602,179	785,078	166,384	5,562	4,381,695	17.9	3.8		
July-September	2,882,656	956,282	219,558	5,077	3,833,861	24.9	5.7		
October-December	2,845,273	878,588	313,363	4,475	3,719,386	23.6	8.4		
1984:									
January	1,077,945	260,229	60,649	2,185	1,335,989	19.5	4.5		
February	1,147,239	289,378	56,986	2,745	1,433,872	20.2	4.0		
March	1,310,972	350,663	49,271	3,366	1,658,269	21.1	3.0		
April	1,200,157	342,912	77,367	1,943	1,541,126	22.2	5.0		
May	1,222,169	202,285	48,574	2,231	1,422,223	14.2	3.4		
June	1,179,853	239,881	40,443	1,388	1,418,346	16.9	2.8		
July	951,864	370,476	85,363	1,774	1,320,566	28.1	6.5		
August	997,005	299,529	75,014	1,753	1,294,781	23.1	5.8		
September	933,787	286,277	59,181	1,550	1,218,514	23.5	4.9		
October	1,060,794	234,577	75,743	1,414	1,293,957	18.1	5.9		
November	944,870	288,735	110,381	1,288	1,232,317	23.4	9.0		
December	839,609	355,276	127,239	1,773	1,193,112	29.8	10.7		
1985:									
January	1,117,703	321,025	118,378	2,069	1,436,659	22.3	8.2		
February	1,023,500	209,784	59,018	1,100	1,232,184	17.0	4.8		
Percentage change:									
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-8.4	-34.7	-50.1	-46.8	-14.2	-	-		
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1984	-10.8	-27.5	3.6	-59.9	-14.1	-	-		

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	from (5)	from (6)	from (7)	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)							
(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	58,163	72,427	3,694	9,511	19,984	1,752	21,736	-91.2	-52.6	-52.6	128.5		
France	138,522	119,624	4,918	10,586	20,123	8,869	28,992	-55.9	80.3	80.3	173.9		
Italy	72,991	78,880	4,667	11,568	7,343	7,525	14,868	2.5	61.2	61.2	28.5		
Netherlands	117,102	136,517	10,179	27,475	19,413	21,147	40,560	8.9	107.8	107.8	47.6		
United Kingdom	18,562	22,606	1,241	2,936	3,321	619	3,941	-81.4	-50.1	-50.1	34.2		
West Germany	321,218	400,217	24,918	45,207	43,232	14,122	57,354	-67.3	-43.3	-43.3	26.9		
All other	37,681	35,938	7,369	10,353	4,962	4,983	9,945	0.4	-32.4	-32.4	-3.9		
Subtotal, EC	764,238	866,209	56,986	117,635	118,378	59,018	177,396	-50.1	3.6	3.6	50.8		
Brazil	343,931	262,730	37,922	69,692	21,828	19,241	41,068	-11.9	-49.3	-49.3	-41.1		
Canada	71,453	131,623	8,225	15,050	10,600	14,148	24,748	33.5	72.0	72.0	64.4		
Japan	572,000	844,601	89,669	161,869	60,936	39,608	100,544	35.0	-55.8	-55.8	-37.9		
Republic of Korea	191,450	381,908	17,017	45,992	35,536	19,225	54,762	-45.9	13.0	13.0	19.1		
Spain	66,529	220,429	13,161	23,932	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
All other	380,120	803,189	66,399	115,437	73,747	58,544	132,291	-20.6	-11.8	-11.8	14.6		
Total, all sources	2,389,722	3,510,620	289,378	549,607	321,025	209,784	530,809	-34.7	-27.5	-27.5	-3.4		
Value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	19,481	27,408	1,420	3,470	7,449	742	8,191	-90.0	-47.7	-47.7	136.1		
France	46,319	46,398	1,773	3,933	7,794	3,467	11,261	-55.5	95.5	95.5	186.3		
Italy	20,618	24,715	1,372	3,251	2,422	2,527	4,950	4.3	84.2	84.2	52.3		
Netherlands	40,777	51,173	3,734	10,111	7,762	8,338	16,100	7.4	123.3	123.3	59.2		
United Kingdom	6,583	10,082	599	1,273	2,024	425	2,448	-79.0	-29.0	-29.0	92.3		
West Germany	116,505	156,086	9,568	17,033	17,673	5,849	23,522	-66.9	-38.9	-38.9	38.1		
All other	11,762	13,832	3,028	3,941	1,766	2,104	3,870	19.1	-30.5	-30.5	-1.8		
Subtotal, EC	262,046	329,695	21,494	43,012	46,890	23,452	70,342	-50.0	9.1	9.1	63.5		
Brazil	100,838	78,818	11,279	21,350	6,702	5,796	12,498	-13.5	-48.6	-48.6	-41.5		
Canada	27,448	54,750	3,437	6,546	4,365	5,772	10,137	32.2	67.9	67.9	54.9		
Japan	207,287	334,259	32,957	59,489	26,387	17,072	43,459	-35.3	-48.2	-48.2	-26.9		
Republic of Korea	61,132	133,524	5,734	15,899	14,609	7,335	21,943	-49.8	27.9	27.9	38.0		
Spain	18,840	70,313	3,918	8,700	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
All other	109,288	254,564	18,085	33,161	25,207	19,600	44,807	-22.2	8.4	8.4	35.1		
Total, all sources	786,879	1,255,923	96,903	188,155	124,160	79,026	203,187	-36.4	-18.4	-18.4	8.0		

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
	1983		1984		1984		1985		Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	335	378	384	365	373	423	377	13.4	10.2	3.3
France-----	334	388	360	372	387	391	388	1.0	8.6	4.3
Italy-----	282	313	294	281	330	336	333	1.8	14.3	18.5
Netherlands-----	348	375	367	368	400	394	397	-1.5	7.4	7.9
United Kingdom-----	355	446	483	434	609	685	621	12.5	41.8	43.1
West Germany-----	363	390	384	377	409	414	410	1.2	7.8	8.8
All other-----	312	385	411	381	356	422	389	18.5	2.7	2.1
Subtotal, EC-----	343	381	377	366	396	397	397	0.3	5.3	8.5
Brazil-----	293	300	297	306	307	301	304	-2.0	1.3	-0.7
Canada-----	384	416	418	435	412	408	410	-1.0	-2.4	-5.7
Japan-----	362	396	368	368	433	431	432	-0.5	17.1	17.4
Republic of Korea-----	319	350	337	346	411	382	401	-7.1	13.4	15.9
Spain-----	283	319	298	364	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other-----	288	317	272	287	342	335	339	-2.0	23.2	18.1
Total, all sources:	329	358	335	342	387	377	383	-2.6	12.5	12.0

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department 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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	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
1983	221,178	4,454	1,921	5,127	220,505	2.0	0.9
1984	227,161	12,308	2,206	6,250	233,219	5.3	0.9
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
October-December	61,714	1,466	356	909	62,271	2.4	0.6
1984:							
January-March	60,734	1,555	233	2,134	60,155	2.5	0.4
April-June	61,052	4,537	891	1,802	63,787	7.1	1.4
July-September	50,901	3,146	570	1,162	52,885	5.9	1.1
October-December	54,474	3,071	509	1,152	56,393	5.4	0.9
1984:							
January	18,679	319	134	605	18,393	1.7	0.7
February	17,797	404	36	528	17,673	2.3	0.2
March	24,258	832	63	1,001	24,089	3.5	0.3
April	19,235	1,774	564	517	20,492	8.7	2.8
May	21,646	1,385	128	632	22,399	6.2	0.6
June	20,171	1,378	202	653	20,896	6.6	1.0
July	19,183	1,262	252	607	19,838	6.4	1.3
August	15,747	1,245	142	129	16,863	7.4	0.8
September	15,971	639	176	426	16,184	3.9	1.1
October	19,465	1,094	100	385	20,174	5.4	0.5
November	19,536	743	204	396	19,883	3.7	1.0
December	15,473	1,234	205	371	16,336	7.6	1.3
1985:							
January	19,989	2,415	1,126	564	21,840	11.1	5.2
February	19,360	2,003	587	259	21,104	9.5	2.8
Percentage change:							
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-3.1	-17.1	-47.9	-54.1	-3.4	-	-
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	8.8	395.8	2/	-50.9	19.4	-	-

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

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	1983	1984	1985	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	from (5)	from (6)	from (7)
										Percentage change
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	34	0	0	0	32	32	-	-	-
France	726	1,295	25	154	32	27	59	-15.6	8.0	-61.7
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	-	-	-
West Germany	1,195	875	10	15	1,093	528	1,621	-51.7	1/	1/
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	1,921	2,206	36	170	1,126	587	1,713	-47.9	1/	907.6
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada	292	1,712	2	2	29	560	589	1/	1/	1/
Japan	1,656	7,471	303	434	1,228	812	2,040	-33.9	168.0	370.0
Republic of Korea	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other	585	912	63	117	33	64	77	33.3	-30.2	-34.2
Total, all sources	4,454	12,308	404	723	2,415	2,003	4,419	-17.1	395.8	511.2
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	15	0	0	0	11	11	-	-	-
France	3,480	5,828	119	665	153	122	274	-20.3	2.5	-58.8
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	0	17	3	3	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0
West Germany	897	1,673	43	50	437	265	702	-39.4	516.3	1/
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	4,377	7,533	165	718	590	398	988	-32.5	141.2	37.6
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada	156	868	2	2	15	268	283	1/	1/	1/
Japan	1,917	4,751	263	473	677	394	1,072	-41.8	49.8	126.6
Republic of Korea	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other	1,973	2,420	189	361	91	124	215	36.3	-34.4	-40.4
Total, all sources	8,422	15,581	619	1,554	1,373	1,184	2,557	-13.8	91.3	64.5

See footnote at end of table.

Table 13.--Cold-rolled alloy steel subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)													
	1984					1985					Percentage change			
	1983	1984	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)		(7) from (4)	(8) from (9)	(10)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)					
Unit value														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg		442			354	354								
France	4,795	4,500	4,708	4,325	4,732	4,484	4,619	4,619		-5.2	-4.8	6.8		
Italy														
Netherlands														
United Kingdom		8,824	3,021	3,021										
West Germany	750	1,912	4,339	3,337	400	502	433	433		25.5	-88.4	-87.0		
All other														
Subtotal, EC	2,279	3,415	4,586	4,226	524	678	577	577		29.4	-85.2	-86.3		
Brazil														
Canada	534	507	755	755	522	478	481	481		-8.4	-36.7	-36.3		
Japan	1,158	636	869	1,089	551	485	525	525		-12.0	-44.2	-51.8		
Republic of Korea		1,308												
Spain														
All other	3,371	2,655	2,998	3,087	2,778	2,822	2,803	2,803		1.6	-5.9	-9.2		
Total, all sources	1,891	1,266	1,532	2,149	569	591	579	579		3.9	-61.4	-73.1		
1/ 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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981	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
1983	2,802,104	1,027,985	233,446	63,409	3,766,680	27.3	6.2
1984	3,110,100	1,405,811	243,772	62,536	4,453,375	31.6	5.5
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
October-December	819,573	251,127	71,216	13,249	1,057,451	23.7	6.7
1984:							
January-March	844,141	366,045	79,280	5,828	1,204,358	30.4	6.6
April-June	902,153	295,219	45,573	15,129	1,182,243	25.0	3.9
July-September	686,110	375,212	60,201	23,481	1,037,841	36.2	5.8
October-December	676,000	369,336	58,717	18,098	1,027,238	40.0	5.7
1984:							
January	255,210	122,793	28,374	1,823	376,180	32.6	7.5
February	280,486	110,100	27,031	2,151	388,435	28.3	7.0
March	308,331	133,152	23,874	1,854	439,629	30.3	5.4
April	284,896	112,043	19,926	1,132	395,807	28.3	5.0
May	314,308	103,907	14,622	10,912	407,303	25.5	3.6
June	302,949	79,269	11,025	3,085	379,133	20.9	2.9
July	224,257	137,397	20,475	12,007	349,647	39.3	5.9
August	249,318	114,815	23,400	9,082	355,051	32.3	6.6
September	212,535	123,000	16,326	2,392	333,143	36.9	4.9
October	239,130	112,227	18,091	2,011	349,346	32.1	5.2
November	228,705	104,210	13,357	5,985	326,930	31.9	4.1
December	208,165	152,899	27,269	10,102	350,962	43.6	7.8
1985:							
January	242,418	303,363	31,347	3,599	542,182	56.0	5.8
February	236,203	126,122	25,318	3,539	358,786	35.2	7.1
Percentage change:							
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-2.5	-58.4	-19.2	-1.7	-33.8	-	-
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1984	-15.8	14.6	-6.3	64.5	-7.6	-	-

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	from (5)	from (6)	from (7)	from (8)	from (9)	from (10)	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)										
(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	127,043	119,915	15,488	37,675	20,651	16,495	37,146	20.1	6.5	-1.4						
France	14,814	9,863	250	810	1,152	151	1,303	-86.9	-39.6	60.9						
Italy	14,877	21,752	3,816	4,622	1,062	109	1,171	-89.7	-97.1	-74.7						
Netherlands	7,382	2,474	185	185	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0						
United Kingdom	30,202	28,664	2,633	4,002	2,727	4,804	7,531	76.2	82.5	88.2						
West Germany	39,128	59,819	4,659	8,111	5,755	3,571	9,327	-37.9	-23.4	15.0						
All other	0	1,285	0	0	0	188	188	-	-	-						
Subtotal, EC	233,446	243,772	27,031	55,406	31,347	25,318	56,666	-19.2	-6.3	2.3						
Brazil	189,888	48,065	1,440	2,769	94,318	5,630	99,948	-94.0	291.0	2/						
Canada	234,585	189,244	23,262	47,677	7,741	14,328	22,069	85.1	-38.4	-53.7						
Japan	10,484	21,199	1,133	1,764	1,345	1,051	2,396	-21.9	-7.2	35.8						
Republic of Korea	99,495	71,090	2,410	4,847	3,468	2,703	6,171	-22.1	12.2	27.3						
Spain	49,331	174,786	5,333	24,545	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0						
All other	210,756	657,656	49,492	95,887	165,144	77,092	242,236	-53.3	55.8	152.6						
Total, all sources	1,027,985	1,405,811	110,100	232,893	303,363	126,122	429,485	-58.4	14.6	84.4						
Value																
EC countries:																
Belgium/Luxembourg	32,945	33,268	4,179	8,545	6,786	5,254	12,040	-22.6	25.7	40.9						
France	3,965	3,402	92	300	626	121	747	-80.7	31.5	149.0						
Italy	3,591	5,243	830	1,009	293	28	321	-90.4	-96.6	-68.2						
Netherlands	1,806	836	47	47	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0						
United Kingdom	6,923	8,097	804	1,164	784	1,439	2,222	83.5	79.0	90.9						
West Germany	10,580	17,201	1,288	2,204	2,038	1,214	3,251	-40.4	-5.7	47.5						
All other	0	374	0	0	0	53	53	-	-	-						
Subtotal, EC	59,810	68,421	7,241	13,269	10,526	8,108	18,634	-23.0	12.0	40.4						
Brazil	43,474	8,038	359	681	16,525	684	17,209	-95.9	90.5	2/						
Canada	59,922	59,285	6,326	13,188	2,152	5,063	7,215	135.3	-20.0	-45.3						
Japan	3,980	9,384	450	764	785	458	1,243	-41.7	1.8	62.7						
Republic of Korea	21,819	20,030	725	1,338	1,099	892	1,991	-18.8	23.0	48.8						
Spain	10,161	39,317	1,164	5,301	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0						
All other	54,768	166,776	12,451	23,688	41,796	19,919	61,715	-52.3	60.0	160.5						
Total, all sources	253,934	371,251	28,716	58,230	72,883	35,124	108,007	-51.8	22.3	85.5						

See footnotes at end of table.

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	from (6)	from (7)	from (5)	from (3)	from (4)	from (8)	from (9)	from (10)	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)												
EC countries:																		
Belgium/Luxembourg	259	277	270	227	329	319	324	324	-3.0	18.1	42.7							
France	268	345	369	370	543	800	573	573	47.3	116.8	54.9							
Italy	241	241	218	218	276	256	274	274	-7.2	17.4	25.7							
Netherlands	245	338	255	255	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							
United Kingdom	229	282	305	291	287	300	295	295	4.5	-1.6	1.4							
West Germany	270	288	276	272	354	340	349	349	-4.0	23.2	28.3							
All other	-	291	-	-	-	281	281	281	-	-	-							
Subtotal, EC	256	281	268	239	336	320	329	329	-4.8	19.4	37.7							
Brazil	229	167	250	246	175	122	172	172	-30.3	-51.2	-30.1							
Canada	255	313	272	277	278	353	327	327	27.0	29.8	18.1							
Japan	380	443	397	433	583	436	519	519	-25.2	9.8	19.9							
Republic of Korea	219	282	301	276	317	330	323	323	4.1	9.6	17.0							
Spain	206	225	218	216	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							
All other	260	254	252	247	253	258	255	255	2.0	2.4	3.2							
Total, all sources	247	264	261	250	240	278	251	251	15.8	6.5	0.4							

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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
1981	1,508,115	51,609	35,198	36,439	1,523,285	3.4	2.3
1982	1,010,995	42,005	22,485	32,979	1,020,021	4.1	2.2
1983	913,124	21,244	11,831	30,479	903,889	2.4	1.3
1984	1,116,161	70,527	32,118	22,277	1,164,411	6.1	2.8
1983:							
January-March	206,098	3,270	1,434	6,336	203,032	1.6	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
October-December	262,407	8,774	4,674	7,082	264,099	3.3	1.8
1984:							
January-March	275,707	14,753	7,654	3,605	286,855	5.1	2.7
April-June	318,131	14,720	6,709	4,940	327,911	4.5	2.0
July-September	265,007	21,211	9,644	6,284	279,934	7.6	3.4
October-December	257,639	19,843	8,110	7,448	270,034	7.3	3.0
1984:							
January	87,867	5,502	3,159	1,065	92,304	6.0	3.4
February	87,481	2,378	1,505	913	88,946	2.7	1.7
March	101,373	6,874	2,990	1,627	106,620	6.4	2.8
April	106,949	4,169	2,967	2,146	108,972	3.8	2.7
May	105,305	3,842	1,628	1,553	107,594	3.6	1.5
June	105,877	6,709	2,114	1,241	111,345	6.0	1.9
July	97,201	5,431	3,272	2,269	100,363	5.4	3.3
August	85,752	8,328	2,941	2,135	91,945	9.1	3.2
September	82,054	7,452	3,431	1,880	87,626	8.5	3.9
October	93,467	4,016	1,474	2,498	94,985	4.2	1.6
November	84,942	7,966	3,699	2,262	90,646	8.8	4.1
December	79,230	7,861	2,937	2,688	84,403	9.3	3.5
1985:							
January	85,891	15,681	6,689	1,668	99,904	15.7	6.7
February	81,357	6,466	2,776	2,104	85,719	7.5	3.2
Percentage change:							
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-5.3	-58.8	-58.5	26.1	-14.2	-	-
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-7.0	171.9	84.5	130.4	-3.6	-	-

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	Quantity in short tons: value in thousands of dollars: unit value in dollars per short ton		1984		1985		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	1983	1984	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	2,337	4,336	266	620	883	0	883	-100.0	-100.0	42.4
France	2,104	6,816	249	1,096	1,808	551	2,360	-69.5	121.3	115.3
Italy	310	1,640	0	0	1,159	201	1,360	-82.7	-	-
Netherlands	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	449	235	0	0	97	0	97	-100.0	-	-
West Germany	6,613	19,089	989	2,947	2,742	2,024	4,766	-26.2	104.7	61.7
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	11,831	32,118	1,505	4,664	6,689	2,776	9,466	-58.5	84.5	103.0
Brazil	51	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada	2,035	8,812	261	507	3,038	687	3,726	-77.4	163.2	634.9
Japan	3,394	18,742	232	1,436	4,686	1,971	6,657	-57.9	749.6	363.6
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain	2/	45	0	0	16	0	16	-100.0	-	-
All other	3,932	10,810	381	1,272	1,250	1,032	2,282	-17.4	170.9	79.4
Total, all sources:	21,244	70,527	2,378	7,879	15,681	6,466	22,147	-58.8	171.9	181.1
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,150	2,387	143	258	599	0	599	-100.0	-100.0	132.2
France	2,040	5,708	193	670	1,599	529	2,129	-66.9	174.1	217.8
Italy	161	938	0	0	654	121	775	-81.5	-	-
Netherlands	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	276	144	0	0	59	0	59	-100.0	-	-
West Germany	3,229	10,612	476	1,433	1,747	1,237	2,984	-29.2	159.9	108.2
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	6,868	19,791	812	2,360	4,658	1,888	6,546	-59.5	132.5	177.4
Brazil	25	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada	1,147	7,526	158	558	2,724	590	3,314	-78.3	273.4	493.9
Japan	2,499	11,424	168	907	2,734	1,315	4,048	-51.9	682.7	346.3
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain	2/	31	0	0	11	0	11	-100.0	-	-
All other	2,754	7,033	240	788	794	648	1,442	-18.4	170.0	83.0
Total, all sources:	13,293	45,807	1,377	4,613	10,921	4,441	15,361	-59.3	222.5	233.0

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)														
	1983					1984					1985				
	(1)	(2)	(3)	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:															
Belgium/Luxembourg	492			536	678										
France	970			776	885	960									63.0
Italy	521				564	604									47.6
Netherlands	656														
United Kingdom	615														
West Germany	488			481	606										
All other					637	611									28.8
Subtotal, EC	581	616	539	506	696	680	692	680	692	680	680	692	680	692	36.8
Brazil	495	1,705													
Canada	563			605	897	859	890	859	890	859	859	890	859	890	
Japan	736	610		725	583	667	608	667	608	667	667	608	667	608	
Republic of Korea															
Spain															
All other	700	651	629	619	679	628	679	628	679	628	628	679	628	679	
Total, all sources	626	649	579	586	696	687	696	687	696	687	687	696	687	696	2.1
1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.															
2/ Negligible.															

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/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		Short tons				Percent	
1981	4,259,917	1,959,183	702,044	107,482	6,111,618	32.1	11.5
1982	2,876,955	1,461,795	554,292	46,350	4,292,400	34.1	12.9
1983	2,902,353	1,477,338	438,959	36,873	4,342,818	34.0	10.1
1984	3,194,579	2,055,134	444,850	23,852	5,225,861	39.3	8.5
1985:							
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
October-December	755,745	433,730	95,459	7,108	1,182,367	36.7	8.1
1984:							
January-March	880,958	563,572	127,807	5,606	1,438,924	39.2	8.9
April-June	811,293	489,920	93,795	4,072	1,297,141	37.8	7.2
July-September	728,439	631,971	116,774	7,298	1,353,112	46.7	8.6
October-December	755,506	369,668	106,473	6,876	1,118,298	33.1	9.5
1984:							
January	283,460	179,727	38,624	1,069	462,118	38.9	8.4
February	264,223	193,728	39,362	2,289	455,662	42.5	8.6
March	333,349	190,116	49,820	2,248	521,217	36.5	9.6
April	248,386	178,800	41,908	1,398	425,788	42.0	9.8
May	292,204	163,761	26,254	1,006	454,959	36.0	5.8
June	270,703	147,359	25,633	1,668	416,394	35.4	6.2
July	258,817	250,063	46,586	1,745	507,135	49.3	9.2
August	219,337	230,920	28,255	1,647	448,610	51.5	6.3
September	250,285	150,988	41,933	3,906	397,367	38.0	10.6
October	287,119	136,838	31,041	2,934	421,023	32.5	7.4
November	249,520	117,504	22,242	1,691	365,333	32.2	6.1
December	218,867	115,326	53,190	2,251	331,942	34.7	16.0
1985:							
January	309,778	214,984	77,498	1,990	522,772	41.1	14.8
February	236,580	158,817	59,074	4,611	390,786	40.6	15.1
Percentage change:							
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-23.6	-26.1	-23.8	131.7	-25.2	-	-
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-10.5	-18.0	50.1	101.4	-14.2	-	-

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)				Year to date	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)									
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	198,099	203,513	19,606	41,594	21,092	24,136	45,228	14.4	23.1	8.7			
France	49,282	50,282	4,824	6,511	10,135	5,321	15,456	-47.5	10.3	137.4			
Italy	1/	48	20	20	0	16	16	-	-20.0	-20.0			
Netherlands	3,861	158	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
United Kingdom	110,846	83,918	6,367	9,299	18,291	8,266	26,557	-54.8	29.8	185.6			
West Germany	76,871	106,932	8,546	20,562	27,981	21,334	49,315	-23.8	149.6	139.8			
All other	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC	438,959	444,850	39,362	77,987	77,498	59,074	136,572	-23.8	50.1	75.1			
Brazil	15,733	17,241	1,604	2,115	3,842	2,351	6,193	-38.8	46.6	192.8			
Canada	184,632	239,837	22,852	45,339	19,931	25,488	45,419	27.9	11.5	0.2			
Japan	452,500	700,251	70,197	121,504	80,709	43,871	124,581	-45.6	-37.5	2.5			
Republic of Korea	78,299	100,900	6,000	16,872	8,527	5,758	14,285	-32.5	-4.0	-15.3			
Spain	124,624	270,385	37,081	64,120	13,985	7,852	21,837	-43.9	-78.8	-65.9			
All other	182,590	281,669	16,633	45,519	10,491	14,424	24,915	37.5	-13.3	-45.3			
Total, all sources	1,477,338	2,055,134	193,728	373,456	214,984	158,817	373,801	-26.1	-18.0	0.1			
Value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	54,315	59,748	5,587	12,346	5,970	7,193	13,163	20.5	28.7	6.6			
France	11,918	12,534	1,181	1,582	2,428	1,331	3,759	-45.2	12.7	137.6			
Italy	1	55	14	14	0	22	22	-	57.1	57.1			
Netherlands	985	42	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
United Kingdom	32,329	29,012	2,234	3,321	6,258	3,053	9,311	-51.2	36.7	180.4			
West Germany	22,152	31,091	2,362	6,157	9,879	6,609	16,488	-33.1	179.8	167.8			
All other	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC	121,699	132,483	11,378	23,420	24,535	18,209	42,743	-25.8	60.0	82.5			
Brazil	3,644	3,899	450	552	852	505	1,357	-40.7	12.2	145.8			
Canada	57,051	77,779	6,758	14,104	5,879	8,109	13,988	37.9	20.0	-0.8			
Japan	134,240	201,183	19,668	34,070	21,970	11,955	33,926	-45.6	-39.2	-0.4			
Republic of Korea	20,263	25,990	1,475	4,221	2,119	1,350	3,469	-36.3	-8.5	-17.8			
Spain	30,121	64,770	8,643	15,106	3,120	1,753	4,873	-43.8	-79.7	-67.7			
All other	44,886	68,658	3,931	10,964	2,853	3,355	6,209	17.6	-14.7	-43.4			
Total, all sources	411,905	574,761	52,303	102,437	61,328	45,237	106,565	-26.2	-13.5	4.0			

See footnote 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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)												
Source	1983			1984			1985			Percentage change		
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1985	1985	1985	1985				
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)		(10)	
			Year to date	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Year to date	from (5)	from (3)	from (6)	from (7)
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	274	294	285	297	283	298	291	291	5.3	4.6	4.6	-2.0
France	242	249	245	243	240	250	243	243	4.2	2.0	2.0	0.0
Italy	-	1,150	729	729	-	1,371	1,371	1,371	-	88.1	88.1	88.1
Netherlands	255	266	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	292	346	351	357	342	369	351	351	7.9	5.1	5.1	-1.7
West Germany	288	291	276	299	353	310	334	334	-12.2	12.3	12.3	11.7
All other	-	1,824	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	277	298	289	300	317	308	313	313	-2.8	6.6	6.6	4.3
Brazil	232	226	281	261	222	215	219	219	-3.2	-23.5	-23.5	-16.1
Canada	309	324	296	311	295	318	308	308	7.8	7.4	7.4	-1.0
Japan	297	287	280	280	272	273	272	272	0.4	-2.5	-2.5	-2.9
Republic of Korea	259	258	246	250	249	235	243	243	-5.6	-4.5	-4.5	-2.8
Spain	242	240	233	236	223	223	223	223	0.0	-4.3	-4.3	-5.5
All other	246	244	236	241	272	233	242	242	-14.3	-1.3	-1.3	3.3
Total, all sources:	279	280	270	274	285	285	285	285	0.0	5.6	5.6	4.0

1/ 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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC
					Short tons			
1981	668,667	17,587	7,177	23,903	662,351	2.7	1.1	
1982	436,504	21,690	4,708	10,050	448,144	4.8	1.1	
1983	461,726	11,887	3,745	10,151	463,462	2.6	0.8	
1984	500,319	30,880	14,174	5,196	526,003	5.9	2.7	
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	
October-December	129,709	6,020	2,635	1,885	133,844	4.5	2.0	
1984:								
January-March	132,574	9,142	4,371	1,403	140,313	6.5	3.1	
April-June	141,262	5,766	2,926	1,463	145,565	4.0	2.0	
July-September	120,669	8,583	3,667	997	128,255	7.0	2.9	
October-December	105,339	7,390	3,209	1,333	111,396	6.6	2.9	
1984:								
January	38,346	1,912	109	458	39,800	4.8	0.3	
February	46,645	2,223	825	394	48,474	4.6	1.7	
March	47,662	5,007	3,437	551	52,118	9.6	6.6	
April	42,343	1,778	819	510	43,611	4.1	1.9	
May	47,495	2,463	1,490	551	49,407	5.0	3.0	
June	51,424	1,525	617	402	52,547	2.9	1.2	
July	41,706	3,359	568	387	44,678	7.5	1.3	
August	40,198	4,291	2,966	401	44,088	9.7	6.7	
September	38,765	933	133	209	39,489	2.4	0.3	
October	36,372	2,714	2,104	497	38,589	7.0	5.5	
November	30,750	2,149	472	459	32,440	6.6	1.5	
December	38,217	2,527	633	377	40,367	6.3	1.6	
1985:								
January	49,145	4,349	2,768	362	53,132	8.2	5.2	
February	44,705	987	487	1,925	43,767	2.3	1.1	
Percentage change:								
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-9.0	-77.3	-82.4	431.8	-17.6	-	-	
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-4.2	-55.6	-41.0	388.6	-9.7	-	-	

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 21.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Quantity in short tons: value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton												
Source	1983			1984			1985			Percentage change		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
	1983	1984	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	from (5)	from (6)	from (7)		
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
France	293	55	20	44	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Italy	411	520	58	83	13	17	30	30.8	-70.7	-63.9		
Netherlands	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom	2,676	13,128	660	660	2,711	416	3,127	-84.7	-37.0	373.8		
West Germany	365	468	87	147	44	55	98	25.0	-36.8	-33.3		
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	3,745	14,174	825	934	2,768	487	3,255	-82.4	-41.0	248.5		
Brazil	81	370	0	0	3	0	3	-100.0	-	-		
Canada	2,062	3,377	448	739	68	36	104	-47.1	-92.0	-85.9		
Japan	4,709	11,183	731	2,055	1,371	370	1,741	-73.0	-49.4	-15.3		
Republic of Korea	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other	1,282	1,777	219	406	139	94	233	-32.4	-57.1	-42.6		
Total, all sources	11,887	30,880	2,223	4,134	4,349	987	5,336	-77.3	-55.6	29.1		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
France	407	109	41	81	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Italy	452	900	80	121	22	24	46	9.1	-70.0	-62.0		
Netherlands	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom	1,179	6,263	285	285	1,125	267	1,393	-76.3	-6.3	388.8		
West Germany	958	1,168	142	335	71	122	193	71.8	-14.1	-42.4		
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	2,995	8,442	547	822	1,219	413	1,632	-66.1	-24.5	98.5		
Brazil	124	570	0	0	4	0	4	-100.0	-	-		
Canada	821	1,260	121	217	39	50	90	28.2	-58.7	-58.5		
Japan	7,951	14,271	1,187	2,771	1,445	680	2,125	-52.9	-42.7	-23.3		
Republic of Korea	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other	1,744	2,854	213	471	228	187	415	-18.0	-12.2	-11.9		
Total, all sources	13,653	27,397	2,069	4,281	2,936	1,330	4,266	-54.7	-35.7	-0.4		

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
	1983		1984		1985		1984		1985		Percentage change	
	Feb.	Year to date	Feb.	Year to date	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Year to date		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)		
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	1,389	1,973	2,061	1,853	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	1,100	1,731	1,380	1,454	1,681	1,439	1,546	-14.4	4.3	6.3		
Netherlands	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	440	477	431	431	415	643	445	54.9	49.2	3.2		
West Germany	2,628	2,496	1,633	2,275	1,633	2,227	1,963	36.4	36.4	-13.7		
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	800	596	664	880	440	848	501	92.7	27.7	-43.1		
Brazil	1,535	1,542	-	-	1,345	-	1,345	-	-	-		
Canada	398	373	270	293	578	1,410	865	143.9	422.2	195.2		
Japan	1,689	1,276	1,623	1,348	1,054	1,837	1,220	74.3	13.2	-9.5		
Republic of Korea	1,950	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
All other	1,361	1,606	975	1,162	1,643	1,983	1,780	20.7	103.4	53.2		
Total, all sources	1,149	887	931	1,035	675	1,348	799	99.7	44.8	-22.8		

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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC	
	Short tons								Percent
1981	2,967,599	772,693	172,502	82,293	3,657,999	21.1	4.7		
1982	2,366,437	854,911	172,591	8,494	3,212,854	26.6	5.4		
1983	2,795,340	1,091,189	120,546	1,304	3,885,225	28.1	3.1		
1984	2,945,420	1,439,118	178,513	3,138	4,381,400	32.8	4.1		
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		
October-December	749,621	282,713	40,531	188	1,032,146	27.4	3.9		
1984:									
January-March	867,978	399,475	55,163	569	1,266,884	31.5	4.4		
April-June	729,755	316,880	43,322	1,729	1,044,906	30.3	4.1		
July-September	715,971	358,928	41,696	563	1,074,336	33.4	3.9		
October-December	625,569	363,837	38,332	277	989,129	36.8	3.9		
1984:									
January	253,325	152,107	22,248	275	405,157	37.5	5.5		
February	285,974	118,646	19,173	198	404,422	29.3	4.7		
March	315,572	128,722	13,742	96	444,198	29.0	3.1		
April	249,288	82,633	17,345	1,567	330,354	25.0	5.3		
May	255,947	123,254	12,286	74	379,127	32.5	3.2		
June	224,520	110,993	13,691	88	335,425	33.0	4.0		
July	233,923	116,691	16,913	79	350,535	33.3	4.8		
August	247,170	114,819	11,236	230	361,759	31.7	3.1		
September	234,878	127,418	13,547	254	362,042	35.2	3.7		
October	232,992	114,623	6,338	96	347,519	33.0	1.8		
November	220,875	114,317	8,279	153	335,039	34.1	2.5		
December	171,702	134,897	23,715	28	306,571	44.0	7.7		
1985:									
January	174,689	121,742	20,411	42	296,389	41.1	6.9		
February	229,524	120,566	44,467	233	349,857	34.5	12.7		
Percentage change:									
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	31.4	-1.0	117.9	454.8	18.0	-	-		
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-19.7	1.6	131.9	17.7	-13.5	-	-		

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 23.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	from (6)	from (7)	from (8)	from (9)	from (10)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)								
Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg	8,199	16,730	1,769	4,967	5,234	995	6,230	6,230	-81.0	-43.8	25.4			
France	68,908	98,434	10,131	22,430	5,918	29,551	35,468	35,468	399.3	191.7	58.1			
Italy	3	20	0	0	26	0	26	26	-100.0	-	-			
Netherlands	4,280	7,637	989	1,158	569	312	880	880	-45.2	-68.5	-24.0			
United Kingdom	20,626	37,275	4,020	6,998	2,364	8,831	11,195	11,195	273.6	119.7	60.0			
West Germany	18,530	18,417	2,264	5,868	6,300	4,779	11,079	11,079	-24.1	111.1	88.8			
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC	120,546	178,513	19,173	41,421	20,411	44,467	64,879	64,879	117.9	131.9	56.6			
Brazil	76,672	33,384	0	0	546	1,983	2,529	2,529	263.2	-	-			
Canada	279,058	349,609	23,379	50,261	18,125	24,777	42,902	42,902	36.7	6.0	-14.6			
Japan	189,625	282,183	22,386	49,105	21,483	22,247	43,730	43,730	3.6	-0.6	-10.9			
Republic of Korea	1,614	5,198	0	0	958	158	1,117	1,117	-83.5	-	-			
Spain	82,944	129,997	31,497	47,236	211	5,366	5,576	5,576	1/	-83.0	-88.2			
All other	340,729	460,234	22,211	82,729	60,007	21,568	81,576	81,576	-64.1	-2.9	-1.4			
Total, all sources	1,021,189	1,439,118	118,646	270,753	121,742	120,566	242,308	242,308	-1.0	1.6	-10.5			
Value														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg	2,034	4,313	445	1,362	1,500	490	1,990	1,990	-67.3	10.1	46.1			
France	21,085	30,748	2,822	6,595	1,858	7,830	9,688	9,688	321.4	177.5	46.9			
Italy	7	6	0	0	10	0	10	10	-100.0	-	-			
Netherlands	1,471	2,716	305	369	218	105	323	323	-51.8	-65.6	-12.5			
United Kingdom	6,158	11,443	1,260	2,232	728	3,024	3,751	3,751	315.4	140.0	68.1			
West Germany	6,050	7,355	839	2,290	2,492	1,668	4,161	4,161	-33.1	98.8	81.7			
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC	36,805	56,581	5,669	12,848	6,805	13,117	19,922	19,922	92.8	131.4	55.1			
Brazil	16,359	8,683	0	0	196	533	728	728	171.9	-	-			
Canada	87,255	118,155	7,569	16,330	6,077	8,675	14,751	14,751	42.8	14.6	-9.7			
Japan	68,969	107,303	8,022	17,865	8,052	8,105	16,157	16,157	0.7	1.0	-9.6			
Republic of Korea	397	1,348	0	0	253	42	295	295	-83.4	-	-			
Spain	21,963	30,809	7,555	11,210	81	1,205	1,286	1,286	1/	-84.1	-88.5			
All other	72,697	104,701	4,576	17,511	15,603	5,320	20,923	20,923	-65.9	16.3	19.5			
Total, all sources	304,445	427,580	33,391	75,763	37,067	36,996	74,063	74,063	-0.2	10.8	-2.2			

See footnote 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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	1983		1984		1985		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Year to date	Year to date	from (5)	from (3)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	248	258	251	274	287	492	319	71.4	96.0	16.4
France	306	312	279	294	314	265	273	-15.6	-5.0	-7.1
Italy	2,576	285	-	-	384	-	384	-	-	-
Netherlands	344	356	308	319	383	337	366	-12.0	9.4	14.7
United Kingdom	299	307	313	319	308	342	335	11.0	9.3	5.0
West Germany	327	399	371	390	396	349	376	-11.9	-5.9	-3.6
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	305	317	296	310	333	295	307	-11.4	-0.3	-1.0
Brazil	213	260	-	-	358	269	288	-24.9	-	-
Canada	313	338	324	325	335	350	344	4.5	8.0	5.8
Japan	364	380	358	364	375	364	369	-2.9	1.7	1.4
Republic of Korea	246	259	-	-	264	265	264	0.4	-	-
Spain	265	237	240	237	386	225	231	-41.7	-6.3	-2.5
All other	213	227	206	212	260	247	256	-5.0	12.9	20.8
Total, all sources	279	297	281	280	304	307	306	1.0	9.3	9.3
1/ 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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC	
	Short tons								Percent
1981	4,402,066		404,798	151,309	91,041	4,715,823		8.6	3.2
1982	3,250,483		289,381	96,452	31,014	3,508,850		8.2	2.7
1983	3,655,584		312,536	83,342	36,591	3,931,529		7.9	2.1
1984	3,967,506		530,445	118,742	32,161	4,465,790		11.9	2.7
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
October-December	1,079,462		109,661	29,717	9,079	1,180,044		9.3	2.5
1984:									
January-March	1,098,352		134,185	31,302	8,376	1,224,161		11.0	2.6
April-June	1,086,921		129,943	28,490	10,101	1,206,763		10.7	2.3
July-September	935,752		117,242	27,563	6,804	1,046,190		11.2	2.6
October-December	874,834		149,075	31,386	6,880	1,017,029		14.7	3.1
1984:									
January	366,989		41,820	10,009	2,540	406,269		10.3	2.5
February	336,376		46,669	16,841	3,803	379,242		12.3	4.4
March	411,421		45,696	4,453	2,033	455,084		10.0	1.0
April	364,403		65,991	14,965	2,523	427,871		15.4	3.5
May	373,532		34,213	7,726	5,559	402,186		8.5	1.9
June	348,986		29,739	5,799	2,019	376,706		7.8	1.5
July	310,078		44,598	16,220	2,327	352,349		12.7	4.6
August	333,354		40,563	4,685	2,263	371,654		10.9	1.3
September	292,320		32,081	6,658	2,214	322,187		10.0	2.1
October	359,893		54,230	15,474	2,609	411,514		13.2	3.8
November	269,673		50,012	2,350	1,458	318,227		15.7	0.7
December	245,268		44,833	13,562	2,813	287,288		15.6	4.7
1985:									
January	331,794		49,918	13,699	2,599	379,113		13.2	3.6
February	352,494		54,201	25,391	2,456	404,239		13.4	6.3
Percentage change:									
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	6.2		8.6	85.3	-5.5	6.6		-	-
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	4.8		16.1	50.8	-35.4	6.6		-	-

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 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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
	1983		1984		1985		Year to date		Year to date		Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	11,017	19,841	3,368	4,549	1,134	549	1,682	-51.6	-83.7	-63.0	
France	1,761	2,150	637	694	38	313	351	723.7	-50.9	-49.4	
Italy	85	185	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands	66	86	0	13	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0	
United Kingdom	58,643	78,234	9,637	17,745	6,426	23,090	29,515	259.3	139.6	66.3	
West Germany	11,770	18,246	3,198	3,849	6,101	1,440	7,541	-76.4	-55.0	95.9	
All other	0	1/	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	83,342	118,742	16,841	26,849	13,699	25,391	39,090	85.3	50.8	45.6	
Brazil	30,494	94,102	3,852	6,094	14,150	6,118	20,268	-56.8	58.8	232.6	
Canada	101,795	182,483	12,212	27,820	8,896	15,244	24,140	71.4	24.8	-13.2	
Japan	53,631	75,592	8,839	17,925	7,459	5,342	12,801	-28.4	-39.6	-28.6	
Republic of Korea	4,891	15,093	710	1,777	740	597	1,337	-19.3	-15.9	-24.8	
Spain	15,592	21,969	1,709	2,882	3,843	97	3,940	-97.5	-94.3	36.7	
All other	22,792	22,464	2,505	5,142	1,131	1,413	2,544	24.9	-43.6	-50.5	
Total, all sources	312,536	530,445	46,669	88,489	49,218	54,201	104,119	8.6	16.1	17.7	
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	2,666	4,903	758	1,045	300	143	443	-52.3	-81.1	-57.6	
France	805	754	214	232	26	129	155	396.2	-39.7	-33.2	
Italy	112	129	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands	23	27	0	7	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0	
United Kingdom	21,884	29,468	3,702	6,586	2,367	8,851	11,219	273.9	139.1	70.3	
West Germany	4,425	5,711	937	1,231	2,623	520	3,143	-80.2	-44.5	155.3	
All other	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	29,915	40,993	5,611	9,102	5,316	9,653	14,960	81.4	71.9	64.4	
Brazil	7,762	27,516	1,021	1,617	4,227	1,617	5,844	-61.7	58.4	261.4	
Canada	34,925	65,806	4,522	10,194	3,509	5,526	9,035	57.5	22.2	-11.4	
Japan	19,321	27,479	2,943	6,312	2,570	2,030	4,599	-21.0	-31.0	-27.1	
Republic of Korea	1,283	4,147	185	465	210	136	346	-35.2	-26.5	-25.6	
Spain	5,354	8,016	649	1,104	1,581	27	1,608	-98.3	-95.8	45.7	
All other	6,093	6,505	607	1,419	544	462	1,006	-15.1	-23.9	-29.1	
Total, all sources	104,653	180,461	15,539	30,213	17,958	19,441	37,398	8.3	25.1	23.8	

See footnote at end of table.

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
	1983		1984		1985		1985		Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	1984	1984	1985	1985	1985	1985	1985	1985	1985	1985
	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	Year to date
	from (3)	from (4)	from (5)	from (6)	from (7)	from (8)	from (9)	from (10)	from (11)	from (12)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	242	247	225	230	265	261	263	-1.5	16.0	14.3
France	457	351	336	335	672	414	442	-38.4	23.2	31.9
Italy	1,314	698	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	350	310	-	571	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	373	377	384	371	368	383	380	4.1	-0.3	2.4
West Germany	376	313	293	320	430	361	417	-16.0	23.2	30.3
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	359	345	333	339	388	380	383	-2.1	14.1	13.0
Brazil	255	292	265	265	299	264	288	-11.7	-0.4	8.7
Canada	343	361	370	366	394	363	374	-7.9	-1.9	2.2
Japan	360	364	333	352	345	380	359	10.1	14.1	2.0
Republic of Korea	262	275	261	262	284	228	259	-19.7	-12.6	-1.1
Spain	343	365	380	383	411	281	408	-31.6	-26.1	6.5
All other	267	290	242	276	481	327	395	-32.0	35.1	43.1
Total, all sources:	335	340	333	341	360	359	359	-0.3	7.8	5.3
1/ Negligible.										

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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
1981	2,445,222	154,114	48,943	53,861	2,545,475	6.1	2.0
1982	1,475,437	140,772	20,532	42,721	1,573,488	8.9	1.3
1983	1,445,550	118,708	5,189	48,576	1,515,682	7.8	0.3
1984	1,785,592	190,784	5,016	45,956	1,930,420	9.9	0.3
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
October-December	448,980	31,614	2,128	14,347	466,247	6.8	0.5
1984:							
January-March	461,377	48,737	911	14,223	495,891	9.8	0.2
April-June	491,720	42,784	1,945	7,753	526,751	8.1	0.3
July-September	441,393	47,659	1,036	11,394	477,658	10.0	0.2
October-December	392,778	51,604	1,124	12,586	431,796	12.0	0.3
1984:							
January	144,831	18,543	347	6,095	157,279	11.8	0.2
February	146,982	13,598	227	3,550	157,030	8.7	0.1
March	169,227	16,596	337	4,578	181,245	9.2	0.2
April	166,681	16,645	418	2,630	180,696	9.2	0.2
May	164,685	13,351	431	2,767	175,269	7.6	0.2
June	160,354	12,788	1,096	2,356	170,786	7.4	0.6
July	147,745	15,718	452	5,130	158,333	9.9	0.3
August	157,715	17,451	283	2,373	172,793	10.1	0.2
September	135,933	14,490	301	3,891	146,532	9.9	0.2
October	157,662	14,996	346	6,133	166,525	9.0	0.2
November	128,656	19,703	437	3,850	144,509	13.6	0.3
December	106,460	16,905	341	2,603	120,762	14.0	0.3
1985:							
January	153,557	12,941	781	4,192	162,306	8.0	0.5
February	129,563	20,226	1,343	3,500	146,289	13.8	0.9
Percentage change:							
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-15.6	56.3	72.0	-16.5	-9.9	-	-
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1984	-11.9	48.7	491.6	-1.4	-6.8	-	-

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 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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)																				
	1983					1984					1985										
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	
EC countries:																					
Belgium/Luxembourg	26	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	74	434	0	70	66	405	472	513.6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	111	901	0	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	29	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	2,477	1,564	138	138	502	645	1,147	28.5	367.4	731.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Germany	2,473	2,069	89	308	212	292	505	37.7	228.1	64.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal, EC	5,189	5,016	227	574	781	1,343	2,124	72.0	491.6	270.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brazil	2,834	10,578	281	281	2,928	232	3,160	-92.1	-17.4	1/	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Canada	75,804	102,006	8,666	18,397	3,740	12,599	16,339	236.9	45.4	-11.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Japan	21,369	38,191	2,920	8,276	2,015	4,271	6,286	112.0	46.3	-24.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Republic of Korea	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	7,747	26,066	1,214	3,636	2,600	1,290	3,890	-50.4	6.3	7.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All other	5,696	8,927	290	977	876	492	1,368	-43.8	69.7	40.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total, all sources	118,708	190,784	13,598	32,141	12,941	20,226	33,167	56.3	48.7	3.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EC countries:																					
Belgium/Luxembourg	8	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	77	129	0	21	28	166	194	492.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	61	327	0	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	15	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	1,223	1,138	70	70	342	653	995	90.9	832.9	1/	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Germany	1,453	1,677	61	204	142	211	353	48.6	245.9	73.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal, EC	2,838	3,296	131	325	513	1,030	1,543	100.8	686.3	374.8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brazil	1,029	3,918	101	101	1,103	96	1,199	-91.3	-5.0	1/	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Canada	37,923	47,251	4,071	8,667	1,722	5,910	7,631	243.2	45.2	-12.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Japan	9,667	16,477	1,273	3,450	994	1,988	2,983	100.0	56.2	-13.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Republic of Korea	248	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	2,746	9,828	350	1,182	942	514	1,455	-45.4	46.9	23.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All other	3,766	4,825	224	799	571	319	890	-44.1	42.4	11.4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total, all sources	58,216	85,596	6,150	14,525	5,843	9,857	15,700	68.7	60.3	8.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)																				
	1983					1984					1985										
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	
	Quantity	Value	Unit value	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Percentage change	
EC countries:																					
Belgium/Luxembourg	323	540	1,672	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	1,049	298	284	304	423	409	411	409	409	411	409	411	409	411	409	411	409	411	409	-3.3	35.2
Italy	553	363	656	510	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	516	532	1,030	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	494	727	1,471	511	681	1,012	868	681	1,012	868	1,012	868	1,012	868	1,012	868	1,012	868	1,012	100.4	69.9
West Germany	588	810	1,378	662	670	722	700	662	722	700	722	700	722	700	722	700	722	700	722	7.8	5.7
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	547	657	1,204	575	657	767	726	575	767	726	767	726	767	726	767	726	767	726	767	16.7	33.4
Brazil	363	370	1,019	361	377	414	379	361	414	379	414	379	414	379	414	379	414	379	414	9.8	14.7
Canada	500	463	926	470	460	469	467	470	469	467	469	467	469	467	469	467	469	467	469	-0.2	-0.8
Japan	452	431	963	436	493	466	474	436	466	474	466	474	466	474	466	474	466	474	466	-5.5	6.9
Republic of Korea	3,613	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	355	377	1,062	325	362	398	374	325	398	374	398	374	398	374	398	374	398	374	398	9.9	38.2
All other	661	541	812	771	652	649	650	661	649	650	649	650	649	650	649	650	649	650	649	-0.5	-15.8
Total, all sources:	490	449	1,039	452	452	487	473	452	487	473	487	473	487	473	487	473	487	473	487	7.7	7.7
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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC
					Short tons			
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	
1983	7,379,785	2,062,560	276,377	96,715	9,345,630	22.1	3.0	
1984	7,866,914	2,908,194	316,605	88,794	10,686,314	27.2	3.0	
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	
October-December	2,011,351	601,033	87,368	24,549	2,587,835	23.2	3.4	
1984:								
January-March	2,039,173	746,556	76,775	22,347	2,763,382	27.0	2.8	
April-June	2,119,111	631,695	53,031	21,216	2,729,590	23.1	1.9	
July-September	1,890,943	836,736	83,201	22,890	2,704,789	31.0	3.1	
October-December	1,819,949	693,206	103,598	22,341	2,490,814	27.8	4.2	
1984:								
January	654,706	242,751	23,624	6,360	891,097	27.2	2.7	
February	616,783	262,733	28,593	6,489	873,027	30.1	3.3	
March	767,464	241,072	24,558	9,498	999,038	24.1	2.5	
April	684,398	247,748	28,653	7,141	925,005	26.8	3.1	
May	718,162	201,049	16,081	7,403	911,808	22.0	1.8	
June	716,551	182,898	8,297	6,672	892,777	20.5	0.9	
July	634,638	308,523	44,439	8,370	934,791	33.0	4.8	
August	660,109	281,558	21,716	7,601	934,066	30.1	2.3	
September	596,196	246,655	17,046	6,919	835,932	29.5	2.0	
October	681,824	243,327	19,319	6,697	918,454	26.5	2.1	
November	610,794	242,489	43,548	6,754	846,529	28.6	5.1	
December	527,331	207,390	40,731	8,890	725,831	28.6	5.6	
1985:								
January	737,872	252,517	41,861	7,701	982,688	25.7	4.3	
February	643,046	241,006	37,405	6,586	877,466	27.5	4.3	
Percentage change:								
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-14.1	-4.6	-10.6	-14.5	-10.7	-	-	
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	4.3	-8.3	30.8	1.5	0.5	-	-	

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 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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton		1984		1985		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
			Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	from (5)	from (3)	from (4)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	11,687	17,005	6,024	7,319	2,927	1,182	4,110	-59.6	-80.4	-43.8
France	57,436	67,658	5,245	10,522	14,774	11,735	26,509	-20.6	123.7	151.9
Italy	28,110	24,321	2,708	3,920	1,311	4,402	5,712	235.8	62.6	45.7
Netherlands	1,708	2,478	0	337	1,522	2,738	4,260	79.9	-	1
United Kingdom	7,594	5,675	631	958	3,641	1,995	5,635	-45.2	216.2	488.2
West Germany	169,841	199,431	13,986	29,161	17,686	15,353	33,039	-13.2	9.8	13.3
All other	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	276,377	316,605	28,523	52,217	41,861	37,405	79,265	-10.6	30.8	51.8
Brazil	25,695	28,840	284	5,326	2,001	0	2,001	-100.0	-100.0	-62.4
Canada	187,399	291,467	21,060	47,151	14,340	30,571	44,911	113.2	45.2	-4.8
Japan	1,008,867	1,587,438	154,193	271,780	149,018	137,939	286,957	-7.4	-10.5	5.6
Republic of Korea	162,422	173,008	5,519	25,498	13,544	10,355	23,899	-23.5	87.6	-6.3
Spain	68,718	68,455	6,571	92,495	11	0	11	-100.0	-100.0	-99.9
All other	333,081	418,382	46,512	91,017	31,743	24,735	56,478	-22.1	-46.8	-37.2
Total, all sources	2,062,560	2,908,194	262,733	505,484	252,517	241,006	493,523	-4.6	-8.3	-2.4
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	4,492	6,817	2,552	3,066	1,164	560	1,724	-51.9	-78.1	-43.8
France	22,935	32,280	2,277	4,699	7,011	5,430	12,441	-22.6	138.5	164.8
Italy	11,279	10,405	1,092	1,625	501	1,329	1,830	165.3	21.7	12.6
Netherlands	839	1,347	0	137	758	1,220	1,978	60.9	-	1
United Kingdom	3,627	3,029	382	543	1,657	511	2,168	-69.2	33.8	299.3
West Germany	67,900	90,422	5,761	12,243	8,256	7,133	15,390	-13.6	23.8	25.7
All other	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	111,071	144,315	12,065	22,311	19,347	16,183	35,530	-16.4	34.1	59.2
Brazil	8,686	8,301	93	1,926	681	0	681	-100.0	-100.0	-64.6
Canada	83,104	135,421	9,661	21,843	6,278	14,024	20,301	123.4	45.2	-7.1
Japan	454,637	768,315	71,805	124,051	71,093	69,800	140,893	-1.8	-2.8	13.6
Republic of Korea	63,063	72,748	2,211	9,648	6,546	4,997	11,543	-23.7	126.0	19.6
Spain	23,470	32,536	2,298	4,428	7	0	7	-100.0	-100.0	-99.8
All other	120,951	166,709	18,451	35,522	13,295	8,931	22,926	-36.2	-51.6	-35.6
Total, all sources	864,982	1,328,345	116,584	219,799	117,947	113,934	231,882	-3.4	-2.3	5.5

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)												
	1984					1985					Percentage change		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
	1983	1984	Feb.	Year to date	Jan.	Feb.	Year to date	Year to date	from (5)	from (3)	from (6)	from (7)	
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	384	401	424	419	398	474	420	19.1	11.8	0.2			
France-----	399	477	434	447	475	463	469	-2.5	6.7	4.9			
Italy-----	401	428	403	414	382	302	320	-20.9	-25.1	-22.7			
Netherlands-----	491	544	-	406	498	445	464	-10.6	-	14.3			
United Kingdom-----	478	534	606	567	455	256	385	-43.7	-57.8	-32.1			
West Germany-----	400	453	412	420	467	465	466	-0.4	12.9	11.0			
All other-----	-	418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC-----	402	456	422	427	462	433	448	-6.3	2.6	4.9			
Brazil-----	338	288	329	362	341	-	341	-	-	-5.8			
Canada-----	443	465	459	463	438	459	452	4.8	0.0	-2.4			
Japan-----	451	484	466	456	477	506	491	6.1	8.6	7.7			
Republic of Korea-----	388	420	401	378	483	483	483	0.0	20.4	27.8			
Spain-----	342	352	350	354	660	-	660	-	-	86.4			
All other-----	363	398	397	391	441	361	406	-18.1	-9.1	3.8			
Total, all sources:	419	457	444	435	467	473	470	1.3	6.5	8.0			
1/ 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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		Short tons				Percent	
1981	3,489,768	286,270	73,754	363,998	3,412,040	8.4	2.2
1982	3,018,030	216,240	82,982	226,472	3,007,798	7.2	2.8
1983	2,924,846	290,535	80,020	170,057	3,045,324	9.5	2.6
1984	2,765,060	355,777	72,159	121,471	2,999,366	11.9	2.4
1983:							
January-March	735,709	69,750	25,205	41,065	764,394	9.1	3.3
April-June	768,723	78,646	18,185	47,390	799,979	9.8	2.3
July-September	728,699	62,192	16,463	42,004	748,887	8.3	2.2
October-December	691,715	79,946	20,167	39,598	732,063	10.9	2.8
1984:							
January-March	647,907	84,439	18,973	32,242	700,104	12.1	2.7
April-June	709,748	90,808	15,822	31,528	769,028	11.8	2.0
July-September	732,731	89,443	21,533	29,623	792,551	11.3	2.7
October-December	633,236	91,086	15,832	28,078	696,244	12.9	2.3
1984:							
January	224,104	24,238	4,007	9,963	238,379	10.2	1.7
February	197,551	30,700	9,097	12,066	216,185	14.2	4.2
March	226,252	29,502	5,869	10,213	245,541	12.0	2.4
April	207,816	32,271	6,800	9,542	230,545	14.0	2.9
May	246,578	32,472	3,496	12,079	266,971	12.2	1.3
June	255,354	26,065	5,526	9,907	271,512	9.5	2.0
July	244,407	34,889	7,689	10,393	268,903	13.0	2.9
August	256,969	32,743	9,546	10,817	278,895	11.7	3.4
September	231,355	21,811	4,298	8,413	244,753	8.9	1.8
October	204,774	31,206	4,417	8,576	227,404	13.7	1.9
November	195,106	27,671	4,157	7,919	214,858	12.9	1.9
December	233,356	32,209	7,258	11,583	253,982	12.7	2.9
1985:							
January	215,678	44,692	2,993	5,842	254,528	17.6	1.2
February	201,995	26,401	3,451	14,089	214,307	12.3	1.6
Percentage change:							
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-6.3	-40.9	15.3	141.2	-15.8	-	-
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	2.2	-14.0	-62.1	16.8	-0.9	-	-

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 31.--Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	1983		1984		1985		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,979	3,942	1,179	1,179	26	0	26	-100.0	-100.0	-97.8
France	30,052	26,087	1,348	3,835	149	1,189	1,338	698.0	-11.8	-65.1
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	7,476	10,102	2,431	2,771	281	1,046	1,328	272.2	-57.0	-52.1
United Kingdom	2,052	702	423	469	0	253	253	-	-40.2	-46.1
West Germany	38,461	31,327	3,715	4,850	2,536	962	3,499	-62.1	-74.1	-27.9
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	80,020	72,159	9,097	13,104	2,993	3,451	6,444	15.3	-62.1	-50.8
Brazil	19	0	0	0	226	0	226	-100.0	-	-
Canada	34,163	40,185	2,538	5,883	2,149	4,082	6,231	89.9	60.8	5.9
Japan	164,310	209,603	18,723	34,555	34,251	16,421	50,672	-52.1	-12.3	46.6
Republic of Korea	2,751	7,760	233	616	2,351	1,108	3,459	-52.9	375.5	461.5
Spain	9	898	0	0	0	136	136	-	-	-
All other	9,263	25,172	109	780	2,721	1,202	3,923	-55.8	1/	402.9
Total, all sources	290,535	355,777	30,700	54,937	44,692	26,401	71,092	-40.9	-14.0	29.4
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,018	2,072	591	591	13	0	13	-100.0	-100.0	-97.8
France	17,744	15,075	754	2,360	89	750	839	742.7	-0.5	-64.4
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	4,588	6,231	1,381	1,572	174	648	822	272.4	-53.1	-47.7
United Kingdom	896	300	145	164	0	155	155	-	6.9	-5.5
West Germany	22,489	18,213	1,953	2,613	1,486	651	2,137	-56.2	-66.7	-18.2
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	46,735	41,890	4,824	7,300	1,762	2,205	3,967	25.1	-54.3	-45.7
Brazil	9	0	0	0	122	0	122	-100.0	-	-
Canada	18,922	20,627	1,244	2,889	1,041	2,078	3,119	99.6	67.0	8.0
Japan	96,615	119,811	10,707	19,734	16,806	9,404	26,209	-44.0	-12.2	32.8
Republic of Korea	675	3,912	109	308	1,221	602	1,823	-50.7	452.3	491.9
Spain	4	414	0	0	0	69	69	-	-	-
All other	3,942	8,076	45	371	1,263	600	1,863	-52.5	1/	402.2
Total, all sources	166,902	194,730	16,929	30,601	22,216	14,957	37,173	-32.7	-11.6	21.5

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)				
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	514	526	501	501	511	511	511	511	-	-
France	590	578	559	615	596	631	627	627	5.9	12.9
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	614	617	568	567	619	619	619	619	0.0	9.0
United Kingdom	437	427	342	349	-	612	612	612	-	78.9
West Germany	585	581	526	539	586	677	611	611	15.5	28.7
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	584	581	530	557	589	639	616	616	8.5	20.6
Brazil	471	-	-	540	540	-	540	540	-	-
Canada	554	513	490	491	484	509	501	501	5.2	3.9
Japan	588	572	572	571	491	573	517	517	16.7	0.2
Republic of Korea	245	504	466	500	520	543	527	527	4.4	16.5
Spain	414	461	-	-	-	508	508	508	-	-
All other	426	321	415	476	464	499	475	475	7.5	20.2
Total, all sources	574	547	551	557	497	567	523	523	14.1	2.9
1/ Percentage change exceeds	+999.9									-6.1

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, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC
	-----Short tons-----							
1981	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	
1983	611,070	107,471	46,541	9,216	709,325	15.2	6.6	
1984	964,506	236,694	88,770	11,141	1,190,059	19.9	7.5	
1985:								
January-March	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	
October-December	180,182	36,636	13,170	1,524	215,294	17.0	6.1	
1984:								
January-March	262,886	61,592	27,377	1,622	322,856	19.1	8.5	
April-June	240,745	53,997	16,648	1,439	293,303	18.4	5.6	
July-September	230,683	58,053	18,544	2,435	286,301	20.3	6.5	
October-December	227,690	63,052	26,201	5,645	285,097	22.1	9.2	
1984:								
January	80,742	23,447	6,810	195	103,994	22.5	6.5	
February	92,562	16,730	10,117	375	108,917	15.4	9.3	
March	89,582	21,415	10,450	1,052	109,945	19.5	9.5	
April	84,707	20,829	3,849	549	104,987	19.8	3.7	
May	87,306	22,355	11,941	527	109,134	20.5	10.9	
June	68,732	10,813	858	363	79,182	13.6	1.0	
July	75,800	15,861	5,651	716	90,945	17.4	6.2	
August	75,025	18,448	8,922	254	93,219	19.8	9.6	
September	79,858	23,744	3,971	1,465	102,137	23.2	3.9	
October	84,364	13,922	3,854	3,868	94,418	14.7	4.1	
November	76,619	24,946	8,899	1,090	100,475	24.8	8.9	
December	66,707	24,184	13,448	687	90,204	26.8	14.9	
1985:								
January	76,814	24,470	10,830	169	101,115	24.2	10.7	
February	70,526	28,952	14,952	322	99,156	29.2	15.1	
Percentage change:								
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-8.2	18.3	38.1	90.5	-1.9	-	-	
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-23.8	73.1	47.8	-14.1	-9.0	-	-	

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 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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	Quantity in short tons: value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton											
	1983		1984		1985		1984		1985		Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	3,037	10,897	775	1,003	999	1,707	2,706	70.9	120.3	169.8		
France	13,317	27,528	5,194	5,270	1,579	3,316	4,895	110.0	-36.2	-7.1		
Italy	1	0	0	0	2	1	3	-50.0	-	-		
Netherlands	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom	3,526	3,074	1	2	3,432	0	3,432	-100.0	-	2		
West Germany	26,661	47,271	4,148	10,652	4,818	9,928	14,746	106.1	139.3	38.4		
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	46,541	88,770	10,117	16,927	10,830	14,952	25,782	38.1	47.8	52.3		
Brazil	0	6	0	0	257	0	257	-100.0	-	-		
Canada	15,490	53,096	3,491	5,617	1,444	3,226	4,670	123.4	-7.6	-16.9		
Japan	44,194	86,487	2,565	16,868	11,747	10,174	21,921	-13.4	296.6	30.0		
Republic of Korea	968	7,821	430	430	191	378	569	97.9	-12.1	32.3		
Spain	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other	214	515	127	334	1	223	224	2	75.6	-32.9		
Total, all sources:	107,471	236,694	16,730	40,177	24,470	28,952	53,423	18.3	73.1	33.0		
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,353	4,416	318	415	459	657	1,117	43.1	106.6	169.2		
France	4,478	9,313	1,735	1,761	611	1,222	1,834	100.0	-29.6	4.1		
Italy	1	0	0	0	5	6	10	20.0	-	-		
Netherlands	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom	1,109	941	2	10	1,141	0	1,141	-100.0	-100.0	2		
West Germany	11,083	16,279	1,434	3,490	1,806	3,548	5,354	96.5	147.4	53.4		
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC	18,024	30,952	3,489	5,677	4,022	5,434	9,456	35.1	55.7	66.6		
Brazil	0	3	0	0	138	0	138	-100.0	-	-		
Canada	2,885	8,968	528	908	208	635	843	205.3	20.3	-7.2		
Japan	20,530	36,612	1,001	6,823	5,527	4,846	10,374	-12.3	384.1	52.0		
Republic of Korea	401	2,550	139	139	64	132	195	106.3	-5.0	40.3		
Spain	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other	82	173	34	96	3	48	51	2	41.2	-46.9		
Total, all sources:	41,952	79,259	5,191	13,643	9,962	11,095	21,057	11.4	113.7	54.3		

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983			1984			1985			Percentage change	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
	Value	Quantity	Unit value	Value	Quantity	Unit value	Value	Quantity	Unit value	1985 over 1984	1985 over 1984
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	446	405	410	414	460	385	413	16.3	-6.1	-0.2	
France	336	338	334	334	387	369	375	-4.7	10.5	12.3	
Italy	-	-	-	-	2,309	7,440	3,734	222.2	-	-	
Netherlands	-	4,545	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom	315	306	-	4,551	332	-	332	-	-	-92.7	
West Germany	416	344	346	328	375	357	363	-4.8	3.2	10.7	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	387	349	345	335	371	363	367	-2.2	5.2	9.6	
Brazil	-	562	-	-	538	-	538	-	-	-	
Canada	186	169	151	162	144	197	180	36.8	30.5	11.1	
Japan	465	423	390	405	471	476	473	1.1	22.1	16.8	
Republic of Korea	414	326	323	323	332	349	343	5.1	8.0	6.2	
Spain	447	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other	385	337	272	288	2,685	214	227	-92.0	-21.3	-21.2	
Total, all sources	390	335	310	340	407	383	394	-5.9	23.5	15.9	

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 for domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC			Total	From EC
					Short tons			
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	
1983	257,971	69,050	59,259	2,097	324,924	21.3	18.2	
1984	287,867	80,708	73,192	3,354	365,221	22.1	20.0	
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	
October-December	78,974	18,886	16,844	378	97,482	19.4	17.3	
1984:								
January-March	72,461	15,264	13,814	2,872	84,853	18.0	16.3	
April-June	85,632	12,667	9,849	397	97,902	12.9	10.0	
July-September	63,971	27,747	26,272	37	91,681	30.3	28.7	
October-December	63,020	25,030	23,258	48	88,002	28.4	26.4	
1984:								
January	21,271	1,889	1,415	25	23,135	8.2	6.1	
February	24,052	7,249	6,770	303	30,998	23.4	21.8	
March	27,138	6,126	5,629	2,544	30,720	19.9	18.3	
April	28,035	2,540	2,258	39	30,536	8.3	7.4	
May	32,452	4,928	3,591	1	37,379	13.2	9.6	
June	25,145	5,199	4,000	357	29,987	17.3	13.3	
July	19,178	8,072	7,719	12	27,238	29.6	28.3	
August	22,688	6,417	6,051	25	29,080	22.1	20.8	
September	24,888	13,258	12,502	0	38,146	34.8	32.8	
October	25,775	9,575	9,147	48	35,302	27.1	25.9	
November	20,635	6,560	5,826	0	27,195	24.1	21.4	
December	16,610	8,895	8,285	0	25,505	34.9	32.5	
1985:								
January	20,105	9,139	8,955	0	29,244	31.3	30.6	
February	19,023	7,905	7,632	22	26,906	29.4	28.4	
Percentage change:								
Feb. 1985/Jan. 1985	-5.4	-13.5	14.8	100.0	-8.0	-	-	
Feb. 1985/Feb. 1984	-20.9	9.0	12.7	-92.7	-13.2	-	-	

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

Source	1983		1984		1985		Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	from (5)	from (6)	from (7)	from (4)	from (3)	from (8)	from (9)	from (10)	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)												
Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton																		
Quantity																		
EC countries:																		
Belgium/Luxembourg	18,747	24,687	1,584	2,264	2,808	1,451	4,259	4,259	-48.3	-8.4	88.1							
France	16,798	18,074	1,479	2,046	3,013	1,866	4,879	4,879	-38.1	26.2	138.5							
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
United Kingdom	13,511	9,206	1,006	1,006	1,537	2,088	3,625	3,625	35.8	107.6	260.3							
West Germany	10,203	21,224	2,700	2,869	1,597	2,227	3,825	3,825	39.4	-17.5	33.3							
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Subtotal, EC	59,259	73,192	6,770	8,185	8,955	7,632	16,587	16,587	-14.8	12.7	102.7							
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Canada	9,775	7,412	450	924	183	273	456	456	49.2	-39.3	-50.6							
Japan	15	29	29	29	0	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0							
Republic of Korea	0	76	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0							
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0							
Total, all sources:	69,050	80,708	7,249	9,138	9,139	7,905	17,043	17,043	-13.5	9.0	86.5							
Value																		
EC countries:																		
Belgium/Luxembourg	7,508	9,370	517	722	1,075	556	1,632	1,632	-48.3	7.5	126.0							
France	6,442	6,863	548	765	1,115	606	1,721	1,721	-45.7	10.6	125.0							
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
United Kingdom	4,406	3,046	320	320	537	697	1,234	1,234	29.8	117.8	285.6							
West Germany	3,943	8,038	883	975	668	848	1,516	1,516	26.9	-4.0	55.5							
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Subtotal, EC	22,299	27,317	2,269	2,782	3,395	2,708	6,103	6,103	-20.2	19.3	119.4							
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Canada	4,439	3,518	192	410	77	113	191	191	46.8	-41.1	-53.4							
Japan	6	7	7	7	0	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0							
Republic of Korea	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-							
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0							
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0							
Total, all sources:	26,744	30,862	2,467	3,199	3,472	2,821	6,293	6,293	-18.8	14.3	96.7							

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, 1983, 1984, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
	1983		1984		1985		Percentage change		Year to date	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	400	380	327	319	383	384	383	0.3	17.4	20.1
France--	384	380	370	374	370	325	353	-12.2	-12.2	-5.6
Italy--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom--	326	331	318	318	349	334	340	-4.3	5.0	6.9
West Germany--	386	379	327	340	418	381	396	-8.9	16.5	16.5
All other--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC--	376	373	335	340	379	355	368	-6.3	6.0	8.2
Brazil--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada--	454	475	426	444	422	415	418	-1.7	-2.6	-5.9
Japan--	404	242	242	242	-	-	-	-	-	-
Republic of Korea--	-	267	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total, all sources:	387	382	340	350	380	357	369	-6.1	5.0	5.4

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	March 1985	Percentage change, March from February	Previous price	Date of change	October 1982
Composite <u>2/</u>	\$552	-	\$548	8/84	\$506
Hot-rolled sheet, 0.075 inch thick	475	-	441	8/83	416
Cold-rolled sheet, class 1	563	-	523	8/83	493
Carbon grade plate	515	-	485	8/83	485
Standard structurals	478	-	4/	4/	478
Wire rod	447	-	4/	4/	447
Hot-rolled carbon bar (special quality)	516	-	479	2/83	479
Galvanized, hot-dipped sheet	606	-	560	2/83	543
Tin plate, single reduced electrolytic, 0.25 pound <u>3/</u>	876	-	838	10/84	797
Standard rails, No. 1	487	-	4/	4/	487
Sheet piling	529	-	4/	4/	529

1/ Mill base list prices; transaction prices are likely to differ. Prices shown for January 1985, most recent month in which price changes occurred, and October 1982.

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.

4/ Price unchanged since October 1982.

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



