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## Preface

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

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

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

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

#### Notes on product coverage and methodology

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

Monthly and quarterly data may not add to quarterly and annual totals, respectively, owing to rounding and data revisions. The term "negligible" in this report refers to values less than \$500, quantities less than 500 short tons (table 3), or quantities less than 0.5 short ton (tables 4-35). Unit values are calculated using unrounded data. 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	Employees on layoff or short work week 4/
	1,000 short tons	Percent		Thousands	
1981-----	120,828	78.3	391	286	93
1982-----	74,577	48.4	289	198	178
1983-----	84,615	56.2	243	169	100
1984-----	92,528	68.4	236	171	5/
1983:					
July-September-----	21,076	55.7	245	172	107
October-December-----	21,946	57.9	245	174	100
1984:					
January-March-----	25,057	74.6	244	177	5/
April-June-----	26,116	77.4	248	181	5/
July-September-----	20,752	61.2	235	169	5/
October-December-----	19,137	56.2	217	154	5/
1985:					
January-March-----	22,083	66.3	214	154	5/
April-June-----	23,027	68.9	215	156	5/
1984:					
August-----	6,915	60.5	236	170	5/
September-----	6,378	57.7	226	162	5/
October-----	6,703	58.4	219	156	5/
November-----	6,422	57.8	219	156	5/
December-----	6,013	52.4	213	151	5/
1985:					
January-----	6,984	60.9	211	151	5/
February-----	6,851	66.1	215	155	5/
March-----	8,269	72.1	216	157	5/
April-----	7,872	71.6	216	157	5/
May-----	7,830	68.9	215	156	5/
June-----	7,292	66.3	213	155	5/
July-----	7,010	62.1	207	151	5/
August-----	7,130	63.2	203	148	5/
Percentage change:					
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	1.7	-	-1.9	-2.0	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	3.1	-	-14.0	-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: <sup>1/</sup> 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
						Percent	
						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-----	67,583	17,071	4,115	1,199	83,455	20.5	4.9
1984-----	73,740	26,164	6,335	981	98,923	26.4	6.4
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	17,952	6,747	1,845	216	24,483	27.6	7.5
April-June-----	19,061	6,238	1,693	239	25,060	24.9	6.8
1984:							
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
March-----	6,344	2,034	505	77	8,301	24.5	6.1
April-----	6,425	1,915	472	71	8,269	23.2	5.7
May-----	6,519	1,961	556	85	8,395	23.4	6.6
June-----	6,125	2,362	666	83	8,404	28.1	7.9
July-----	5,710	1,577	449	81	7,206	21.9	6.2
August-----	6,064	2,029	540	101	7,992	25.4	6.8
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	6.2	28.7	20.3	24.7	10.9	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	0.5	-19.4	-7.4	7.4	-5.5	-	-

<sup>1/</sup> 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Quantity											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	616	921	62	552	59	101	702	71.2	62.9	27.2	
France-----:	914	1,127	106	707	107	151	1,028	41.1	42.5	45.4	
Italy-----:	395	654	79	429	41	56	430	36.6	-29.1	0.2	
Netherlands-----:	371	447	40	271	47	28	342	-40.4	-30.0	26.2	
United Kingdom-----:	364	476	43	322	44	40	411	-9.1	-7.0	27.6	
West Germany-----:	1,387	2,543	226	1,489	143	142	1,473	-0.7	-37.2	-1.1	
All other-----:	69	167	26	107	7	22	141	214.3	-15.4	31.8	
Subtotal, EC-----:	4,115	6,335	583	3,878	449	540	4,526	20.3	-7.4	16.7	
Brazil-----:	1,257	1,461	129	975	62	134	1,045	116.1	3.9	7.2	
Canada-----:	2,379	3,167	242	2,197	234	208	1,980	-11.1	-14.0	-9.9	
Japan-----:	4,237	6,630	615	4,501	389	460	4,329	18.3	-25.2	-3.8	
Republic of Korea-----:	1,728	2,234	196	1,607	183	200	1,384	9.3	2.0	-13.9	
Spain-----:	610	1,392	160	1,039	12	35	329	191.7	-78.1	-68.3	
All other-----:	2,746	4,944	591	3,433	249	454	2,998	82.3	-23.2	-12.7	
Total, all sources:	17,071	26,164	2,516	17,630	1,577	2,029	16,591	28.7	-19.4	-5.9	
Value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	209,972	313,889	24,648	191,341	18,991	33,828	234,306	78.1	37.2	22.5	
France-----:	373,649	497,821	48,714	313,163	40,514	59,207	407,600	46.1	21.5	30.2	
Italy-----:	184,634	280,931	38,701	183,015	17,134	20,096	197,920	17.3	-48.1	8.1	
Netherlands-----:	118,200	154,354	13,847	92,703	14,875	8,939	114,797	-39.9	-35.4	23.8	
United Kingdom-----:	156,539	226,526	19,308	149,948	19,573	20,161	189,843	3.0	4.4	26.6	
West Germany-----:	549,140	991,653	88,107	580,741	49,048	55,105	586,988	12.3	-37.5	1.1	
All other-----:	23,980	60,593	9,525	38,728	2,377	7,654	51,067	222.0	-19.6	31.9	
Subtotal, EC-----:	1,616,112	2,525,767	242,851	1,549,640	162,513	204,991	1,782,520	26.1	-15.6	15.0	
Brazil-----:	337,431	417,485	35,270	274,981	14,859	33,465	262,209	125.2	-5.1	-4.6	
Canada-----:	885,085	1,300,269	102,005	889,282	93,986	85,028	805,061	-9.5	-16.6	-9.5	
Japan-----:	1,910,358	3,097,000	292,042	2,036,437	192,506	240,328	2,128,856	24.8	-17.7	4.5	
Republic of Korea-----:	563,485	817,205	74,637	572,199	68,432	68,922	504,714	0.7	-7.7	-11.8	
Spain-----:	202,626	431,315	48,509	312,999	8,998	13,683	116,341	52.1	-71.8	-62.8	
All other-----:	877,647	1,617,207	190,534	1,101,827	89,541	135,281	983,244	51.1	-29.0	-10.8	
Total, all sources:	6,392,746	10,206,247	985,847	6,737,364	630,835	781,697	6,582,945	23.9	-20.7	-2.3	

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	341	341	396	347	322	334	334	3.7	-15.7	-3.7
France-----	409	442	458	443	379	393	397	3.7	-14.2	-10.4
Italy-----	467	429	487	427	417	360	461	-13.7	-26.1	8.0
Netherlands-----	319	346	345	342	315	324	336	2.9	-6.1	-1.8
United Kingdom-----	430	476	453	465	443	500	462	12.9	10.4	-0.6
West Germany-----	396	390	389	390	344	389	398	13.1	0.0	2.1
All other-----	347	364	360	361	325	345	363	6.2	-4.2	0.6
Subtotal, EC-----	393	399	416	400	362	380	394	5.0	-8.7	-1.5
Brazil-----	268	286	273	282	240	250	251	4.2	-8.4	-11.0
Canada-----	372	411	421	405	402	409	407	1.7	-2.9	0.5
Japan-----	451	467	475	452	495	523	492	5.7	10.1	8.8
Republic of Korea-----	326	366	382	356	374	345	365	-7.8	-9.7	2.5
Spain-----	332	310	304	301	740	392	354	-47.0	28.9	17.6
All other-----	320	327	322	321	359	298	328	-17.0	-7.5	2.2
Total, all sources:	374	390	392	382	400	385	397	-3.8	-1.8	3.9

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
		Short tons				Percent	
1981-----	61,509,661	10,879,553	4,172,631	1,414,886	70,974,328	15.3	5.9
1982-----	44,546,215	9,162,530	3,596,094	707,001	53,001,744	17.3	6.8
1983-----	51,591,567	11,335,613	3,023,970	586,173	62,341,007	18.2	4.9
1984-----	55,849,198	15,954,294	3,416,268	506,392	71,297,100	22.4	4.8
1983:							
July-September-----	12,872,486	3,123,548	750,208	154,996	15,831,509	19.7	4.7
October-December-----	14,171,182	3,533,323	975,075	140,401	17,564,104	20.1	5.6
1984:							
January-March-----	14,860,928	4,228,055	840,936	125,128	18,963,855	22.3	4.4
April-June-----	15,234,819	3,574,929	676,722	125,288	18,684,460	19.1	3.6
July-September-----	12,940,559	4,308,655	874,776	130,085	17,119,129	25.2	5.1
October-December-----	12,275,199	3,842,655	1,023,834	125,891	15,991,963	24.0	6.4
1985:							
January-March-----	13,780,372	4,182,087	1,190,122	122,178	17,840,281	23.4	6.7
April-June-----	14,635,047	3,666,376	908,735	123,201	18,178,222	20.2	5.0
1984:							
August-----	4,462,184	1,441,086	282,320	43,289	5,859,981	24.6	4.8
September-----	4,099,052	1,263,904	269,093	36,697	5,326,259	23.7	5.1
October-----	4,590,109	1,224,403	276,734	41,915	5,772,597	21.2	4.8
November-----	4,027,923	1,255,924	295,793	36,444	5,247,403	23.9	5.6
December-----	3,657,167	1,362,328	451,307	47,532	4,971,963	27.4	9.1
1985:							
January-----	4,618,905	1,737,122	485,628	34,000	6,322,027	27.5	7.7
February-----	4,293,242	1,308,769	440,276	44,462	5,557,549	23.5	7.9
March-----	4,830,935	1,136,196	264,218	43,716	5,923,415	19.2	4.5
April-----	4,873,928	1,055,090	188,500	34,389	5,894,629	17.9	3.2
May-----	5,023,789	1,190,018	321,130	47,020	6,166,787	19.3	5.2
June-----	4,722,101	1,421,269	399,105	41,792	6,101,578	23.3	6.5
July-----	4,386,987	929,689	266,965	34,273	5,282,403	17.6	5.1
August-----	4,610,894	1,151,835	311,086	42,406	5,720,323	20.1	5.4
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985---	5.1	23.9	16.5	23.7	8.3	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984---	3.3	-20.1	10.2	-2.0	-2.4	-	-

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	493,501	534,180	40,750	352,927	45,074	67,862	448,647	50.6	66.5	27.1
France-----	695,606	751,397	51,544	440,204	77,019	78,448	657,188	1.9	52.2	49.3
Italy-----	201,496	212,743	16,830	131,616	10,849	14,356	148,107	32.3	-14.7	12.5
Netherlands-----	300,209	337,616	29,011	211,161	38,115	15,397	281,046	-59.6	-46.9	33.1
United Kingdom-----	280,874	294,184	28,050	207,301	28,933	25,454	264,358	-12.0	-9.3	27.5
West Germany-----	1,014,602	1,248,966	105,234	752,903	64,971	103,183	837,523	58.8	-1.9	11.2
All other-----	37,681	37,322	10,901	27,371	2,004	6,386	40,038	218.7	-41.4	46.3
Subtotal, EC-----	3,023,970	3,416,409	282,320	2,123,482	266,965	311,086	2,676,908	16.5	10.2	26.1
Brazil-----	967,033	758,317	46,558	545,080	33,019	81,413	544,071	146.6	74.9	-0.2
Canada-----	1,394,690	2,038,149	166,598	1,401,139	156,572	139,843	1,342,129	-10.7	-16.1	-4.2
Japan-----	2,902,405	4,374,866	391,077	2,963,261	244,726	289,326	2,688,535	18.2	-26.0	-9.3
Republic of Korea-----	752,823	997,260	75,936	709,256	77,816	82,668	575,279	6.2	8.9	-18.9
Spain-----	461,351	996,038	99,962	786,864	2,324	27,731	222,851	2/	-72.3	-71.7
All other-----	1,833,341	3,373,255	378,636	2,318,653	148,267	219,768	1,880,215	48.2	-42.0	-18.9
Total, all sources:	11,335,613	15,954,294	1,441,086	10,847,735	929,689	1,151,835	9,929,988	23.9	-20.1	-8.5
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	140,526	165,655	12,786	105,007	12,887	20,262	137,415	57.2	58.5	30.9
France-----	225,029	276,604	20,359	160,636	25,847	26,788	228,577	3.6	31.6	42.3
Italy-----	55,296	64,153	5,582	39,884	3,155	4,573	47,182	44.9	-18.1	18.3
Netherlands-----	95,644	114,747	9,925	70,331	12,293	5,143	94,954	-58.2	-48.2	35.0
United Kingdom-----	89,009	106,446	9,891	74,299	9,987	9,582	94,729	-4.1	-3.1	27.5
West Germany-----	350,729	460,634	37,099	268,369	21,720	36,270	305,244	67.0	-2.2	13.7
All other-----	11,762	14,242	3,869	10,687	632	2,159	13,984	241.6	-44.2	30.9
Subtotal, EC-----	967,994	1,202,479	99,512	729,211	86,521	104,778	922,086	21.1	5.3	26.4
Brazil-----	242,177	197,602	11,572	140,977	6,648	18,561	120,466	179.2	60.4	-14.5
Canada-----	480,681	739,381	61,567	501,321	53,894	48,615	472,570	-9.8	-21.0	-5.7
Japan-----	1,149,940	1,838,390	162,878	1,212,899	104,499	128,611	1,167,371	23.1	-21.0	-3.8
Republic of Korea-----	220,672	330,835	25,808	228,011	25,775	25,244	196,782	-2.1	-2.2	-13.7
Spain-----	122,922	271,983	27,532	211,034	916	7,152	58,710	680.8	-74.0	-72.2
All other-----	500,630	966,640	114,513	662,315	44,188	63,759	542,798	44.3	-44.3	-18.0
Total, all sources:	3,685,015	5,547,311	503,383	3,685,768	322,441	396,720	3,480,782	23.0	-21.2	-5.6

See footnotes 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	285	310	314	298	286	299	306	4.5	-4.8	2.7	
France-----	324	368	395	365	336	341	348	1.5	-13.7	-4.7	
Italy-----	274	302	332	303	291	319	319	9.6	-3.9	5.3	
Netherlands-----	319	340	342	333	323	334	338	3.4	-2.3	1.5	
United Kingdom-----	317	362	353	358	345	376	358	9.0	6.5	0.0	
West Germany-----	346	369	353	356	334	352	364	5.4	-0.3	2.2	
All other-----	312	382	355	390	315	338	349	7.3	-4.8	-10.5	
Subtotal, EC-----	320	352	352	343	324	337	344	4.0	-4.3	0.3	
Brazil-----	250	261	249	259	201	228	221	13.4	-8.4	-14.7	
Canada-----	345	363	370	358	344	348	352	1.2	-5.9	-1.7	
Japan-----	396	420	416	409	427	445	434	4.2	7.0	6.1	
Republic of Korea-----	293	332	340	321	331	305	342	-7.9	-10.3	6.5	
Spain-----	266	273	275	268	394	258	263	-34.5	-6.2	-1.9	
All other-----	273	287	302	286	298	290	289	-2.7	-4.0	1.0	
Total, all sources:	325	348	349	340	347	344	351	-0.9	-1.4	3.2	

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 6.- Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: <sup>1/</sup> 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-----	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:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	2,881,608	859,876	385,676	9,691	3,731,793	23.0	10.3
April-June-----	3,150,438	644,322	255,585	7,587	3,787,173	17.0	6.7
1984:							
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
March-----	1,024,192	204,108	80,516	4,745	1,223,555	16.7	6.6
April-----	1,051,089	202,224	51,683	3,258	1,250,055	16.2	4.1
May-----	1,086,673	209,817	102,864	2,692	1,293,798	16.2	8.0
June-----	1,014,153	232,280	101,039	1,637	1,244,796	18.7	8.1
July-----	981,521	177,691	95,791	1,915	1,157,297	15.4	8.3
August-----	1,006,178	208,522	81,963	7,048	1,207,652	17.3	6.8
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	2.5	17.4	-14.4	268.0	4.4	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	<sup>2/</sup>	-21.4	-4.4	124.7	-4.8	-	-

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

<sup>2/</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

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



Table 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984.

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	52,949	40,810	3,233	25,383	3,995	5,624	35,843	40.8	74.0	41.2
France-----:	300,634	321,715	16,301	180,003	37,670	31,555	299,989	-16.2	93.6	66.7
Italy-----:	84,599	83,526	6,420	43,192	6,165	6,297	60,013	2.1	-1.9	38.9
Netherlands-----:	158,282	178,134	14,187	111,545	23,241	7,480	171,833	-67.8	-47.3	54.0
United Kingdom-----:	9,545	9,586	3,336	6,583	1,003	3,036	11,465	202.7	-9.0	74.2
West Germany-----:	288,934	321,557	42,286	206,747	23,716	27,921	238,529	17.7	-34.0	15.4
All other-----:	0	62	0	0	0	50	1,343	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----:	894,942	955,390	85,763	573,454	95,791	81,963	819,015	-14.4	-4.4	42.8
Brazil-----:	281,635	262,999	816	234,476	1,126	24,626	47,416	1/	1/	-79.8
Canada-----:	192,860	431,878	42,181	303,491	35,631	30,187	298,417	-15.3	-28.4	-1.7
Japan-----:	369,727	469,044	31,814	341,386	13,330	23,684	219,571	77.7	-25.6	-35.7
Republic of Korea-----:	210,856	234,398	16,010	175,066	18,454	25,363	152,572	37.4	58.4	-12.8
Spain-----:	45,792	59,009	954	34,144	0	0	36,422	-	-100.0	6.7
All other-----:	341,554	680,508	87,925	461,026	13,360	22,698	316,997	69.9	-74.2	-31.2
Total, all sources:	2,337,367	3,093,225	265,464	2,123,042	177,691	208,522	1,890,410	17.4	-21.4	-11.0
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	13,365	10,918	869	6,431	1,019	1,548	9,730	51.9	78.1	51.3
France-----:	78,244	99,219	5,048	53,874	10,672	8,718	87,845	-18.3	72.7	63.1
Italy-----:	19,013	21,177	1,659	10,624	1,578	1,570	15,976	-0.5	-5.4	50.4
Netherlands-----:	44,736	52,355	4,196	32,102	6,654	2,088	51,117	-68.6	-50.2	59.2
United Kingdom-----:	2,125	2,871	833	2,041	228	855	3,231	275.0	2.6	58.3
West Germany-----:	77,555	92,887	12,305	57,750	6,409	7,475	67,982	16.6	-39.3	17.7
All other-----:	0	19	0	0	0	19	344	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----:	235,038	279,446	24,909	162,821	26,560	22,273	236,226	-16.1	-10.6	45.1
Brazil-----:	60,226	57,854	218	50,104	283	5,714	11,752	1/	1/	-76.5
Canada-----:	63,071	135,499	12,659	95,022	10,632	8,583	89,742	-19.3	-32.2	-5.6
Japan-----:	114,363	154,921	11,056	110,787	4,246	7,578	77,807	78.5	-31.5	-29.8
Republic of Korea-----:	51,374	66,555	4,676	48,107	5,381	6,935	45,469	28.9	48.3	-5.5
Spain-----:	10,234	15,951	1,313	9,282	0	0	10,142	-	-100.0	9.3
All other-----:	75,460	170,286	23,295	113,950	3,554	5,405	78,375	52.1	-76.8	-31.2
Total, all sources:	609,765	880,512	78,127	590,074	50,655	56,488	549,512	11.5	-27.7	-6.9

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1982		1983		1984		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
			Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	252	268	269	253	255	275	271	7.8	2.2	7.1
France-----	260	308	310	299	283	276	293	-2.5	-11.0	-2.0
Italy-----	225	254	258	246	256	249	266	-2.7	-3.5	8.1
Netherlands-----	283	294	296	288	286	279	297	-2.4	-5.7	3.1
United Kingdom-----	223	300	250	310	228	282	282	23.7	12.8	-9.0
West Germany-----	268	289	291	279	270	268	285	-0.7	-7.9	2.2
All other-----	-	309	-	-	-	372	256	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	263	292	290	284	277	272	288	-1.8	-6.2	1.4
Brazil-----	214	220	267	214	251	232	248	-7.6	-13.1	15.9
Canada-----	327	314	300	313	298	284	301	-4.7	-5.3	-3.8
Japan-----	309	330	348	325	319	320	354	0.3	-8.0	8.9
Republic of Korea-----	244	284	292	275	292	273	298	-6.5	-6.5	8.4
Spain-----	223	270	1,377	272	-	-	278	-	-	2.2
All other-----	221	250	265	247	266	238	247	-10.5	-10.2	0.0
Total, all sources:	261	285	294	278	285	271	291	-4.9	-7.8	4.7

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
						-----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:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	349,773	12,802	2,156	2,823	359,752	3.6	0.6
April-June-----	390,806	11,886	2,039	3,226	399,466	3.0	0.5
1984:							
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
March-----	123,154	3,351	649	850	125,655	2.7	0.5
April-----	127,009	4,377	721	674	130,712	3.4	0.6
May-----	143,453	3,375	525	1,182	145,646	2.3	0.4
June-----	120,308	4,135	793	1,370	123,073	3.4	0.6
July-----	122,936	2,708	496	1,034	124,610	2.2	0.4
August-----	142,197	3,877	456	1,361	144,713	2.7	0.3
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	15.7	43.2	-8.1	31.6	16.1	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	48.8	-13.7	-67.4	-5.6	46.7	-	-

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

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

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

Table 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	217	23	2	20	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0
France-----	887	1,382	109	1,062	191	289	1,634	51.3	165.1	53.9
Italy-----	0	950	945	950	0	0	175	-	-100.0	-81.6
Netherlands-----	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	164	315	4	121	218	113	1,228	-48.2	2/	914.9
West Germany-----	2,340	2,025	338	1,167	87	54	2,110	-37.9	-84.0	80.8
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	3,613	4,624	1,398	3,321	496	456	5,146	-8.1	-67.4	55.0
Brazil-----	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	-	-	-50.0
Canada-----	3,286	5,409	310	3,073	94	264	1,221	180.9	-14.8	-60.3
Japan-----	5,924	22,852	2,690	14,441	2,018	3,046	24,231	50.9	13.2	67.8
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	765	1,041	98	789	100	111	673	11.0	13.3	-14.7
Total, all sources:	13,568	33,998	4,495	21,625	2,708	3,877	31,273	63.2	-13.7	44.6
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	190	10	2	9	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0
France-----	5,089	8,244	698	6,415	687	1,507	8,501	119.4	115.9	32.5
Italy-----	0	257	253	257	0	0	179	-	-100.0	-30.4
Netherlands-----	393	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	292	594	12	281	250	155	1,354	-38.0	2/	381.9
West Germany-----	1,510	2,221	280	1,129	85	142	2,197	67.1	-49.3	94.6
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	7,474	11,326	1,245	8,091	1,022	1,804	12,230	76.5	44.9	51.2
Brazil-----	0	1	0	1	0	0	7	-	-	600.0
Canada-----	1,614	2,668	149	1,560	53	108	632	103.8	-27.5	-59.5
Japan-----	7,956	32,193	3,670	19,953	2,982	4,429	33,913	48.5	20.7	70.0
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	2,225	3,059	323	2,269	314	374	1,947	19.1	15.8	-14.2
Total, all sources:	19,269	49,246	5,387	31,874	4,372	6,714	48,729	53.6	24.6	52.9

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	875	426	1,273	449	-	-	-	-	-	-
France-----	5,736	5,966	6,428	6,041	3,603	5,218	5,203	44.8	-18.8	-13.9
Italy-----	-	271	268	271	-	-	1,022	-	-	277.1
Netherlands-----	76,936	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	1,781	1,888	3,134	2,316	1,143	1,372	1,102	20.0	-56.2	-52.4
West Germany-----	646	1,096	828	967	979	2,623	1,041	167.9	216.8	7.7
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	2,069	2,413	891	2,436	2,060	3,956	2,377	92.0	344.0	-2.4
Brazil-----	-	660	-	660	-	-	5,976	-	-	805.5
Canada-----	491	493	480	508	569	408	518	-28.3	-15.0	2.0
Japan-----	1,343	1,409	1,364	1,382	1,478	1,454	1,400	-1.6	6.6	1.3
Republic of Korea-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other-----	2,987	2,937	3,297	2,876	3,134	3,364	2,893	7.3	2.0	0.6
Total, all sources:	1,420	1,449	1,198	1,474	1,614	1,732	1,558	7.3	44.6	5.7

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
						-----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:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	3,238,665	742,423	218,842	5,344	3,975,744	18.7	5.5
April-June-----	3,330,003	571,394	176,372	4,920	3,896,477	14.7	4.5
1984:							
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
March-----	1,093,278	211,614	41,447	2,175	1,302,717	16.2	3.2
April-----	1,119,101	177,944	25,613	1,796	1,295,249	13.7	2.0
May-----	1,134,178	170,037	67,146	2,080	1,302,135	13.1	5.2
June-----	1,061,546	223,414	83,613	1,044	1,283,916	17.4	6.5
July-----	1,000,265	125,422	47,738	2,851	1,122,836	11.2	4.3
August-----	998,417	195,074	72,383	939	1,192,552	16.4	6.1
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	2/	55.5	51.6	-67.1	6.2	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	2/	-34.9	-3.5	-46.4	-7.9	-	-

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

2/ Less than 0.5 percent.

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

Table 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	58,163	72,427	10,823	39,397	1,749	3,042	44,318	73.9	-71.9	12.5
France-----	138,522	119,624	12,711	62,579	12,030	18,987	94,735	57.8	49.4	51.4
Italy-----	72,991	78,880	4,927	46,760	3,734	4,417	47,117	18.3	-10.4	0.8
Netherlands-----	117,102	136,517	13,461	83,671	12,723	6,275	89,539	-50.7	-53.4	7.0
United Kingdom-----	18,562	22,606	1,720	14,473	135	429	8,510	217.8	-75.1	-41.2
West Germany-----	321,218	400,217	21,677	220,621	16,016	33,176	197,526	107.1	53.0	-10.5
All other-----	37,681	35,938	9,696	26,165	1,350	6,058	33,590	348.7	-37.5	28.4
Subtotal, EC-----	764,238	866,209	75,014	493,665	47,738	72,383	515,334	51.6	-3.5	4.4
Brazil-----	343,931	262,730	5,597	202,371	166	8,356	82,489	1/	49.3	-59.2
Canada-----	71,453	131,623	15,233	80,146	12,029	10,848	95,133	-9.8	-28.8	18.7
Japan-----	572,000	844,601	58,233	573,318	28,127	43,618	419,572	55.1	-25.1	-26.8
Republic of Korea-----	191,450	381,908	26,146	270,454	19,853	23,754	173,477	19.6	-9.1	-35.9
Spain-----	66,529	220,429	19,997	169,792	0	0	12,118	-	-100.0	-92.9
All other-----	380,120	803,189	99,310	565,608	17,510	36,117	336,190	106.3	-63.6	-40.6
Total, all sources:	2,389,722	3,510,690	299,529	2,355,355	125,422	195,074	1,634,314	55.5	-34.9	-30.6
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	19,481	27,408	3,834	14,296	613	1,148	16,438	87.3	-70.1	15.0
France-----	46,319	46,398	4,850	23,381	4,058	6,816	34,824	68.0	40.5	48.9
Italy-----	20,618	24,715	1,559	14,162	1,147	1,370	15,642	19.4	-12.1	10.5
Netherlands-----	40,777	51,173	5,076	30,556	4,579	2,168	33,866	-52.7	-57.3	10.8
United Kingdom-----	6,583	10,082	812	6,426	42	180	4,046	328.6	-77.8	-37.0
West Germany-----	116,505	156,086	8,723	83,367	5,802	12,581	77,649	116.8	44.2	-6.9
All other-----	11,762	13,832	3,520	10,337	441	2,005	12,054	354.6	-43.0	16.6
Subtotal, EC-----	262,046	329,695	28,373	182,523	16,682	26,268	194,518	57.5	-7.4	6.6
Brazil-----	100,838	78,818	1,636	61,273	53	2,791	25,895	1/	70.6	-57.7
Canada-----	27,448	54,750	6,228	33,591	4,749	4,361	38,264	-8.2	-30.0	13.9
Japan-----	207,287	334,259	23,523	219,738	11,824	19,447	177,824	64.5	-17.3	-19.1
Republic of Korea-----	61,132	133,524	9,453	92,149	6,780	7,534	63,267	11.1	-20.3	-31.3
Spain-----	18,840	70,313	6,319	53,952	0	0	3,393	-	-100.0	-93.7
All other-----	109,288	254,564	32,600	175,871	5,522	11,708	110,840	112.0	-64.1	-37.0
Total, all sources:	786,879	1,255,923	108,132	819,097	45,610	72,109	614,001	58.1	-33.3	-25.0

See footnote at end of table.

Table 11.--Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	335	378	354	363	351	377	371	7.4	6.5	2.2
France-----	334	388	382	374	337	359	368	6.5	-6.0	-1.6
Italy-----	282	313	316	303	307	310	332	1.0	-1.9	9.6
Netherlands-----	348	375	377	365	360	345	378	-4.2	-8.5	3.6
United Kingdom-----	355	446	472	444	313	421	475	34.5	-10.8	7.0
West Germany-----	363	390	402	378	362	379	393	4.7	-5.7	4.0
All other-----	312	385	363	395	327	331	359	1.2	-8.8	-9.1
Subtotal, EC-----	343	381	378	370	349	363	377	4.0	-4.0	1.9
Brazil-----	293	300	292	303	317	334	314	5.4	14.4	3.6
Canada-----	384	416	409	419	395	402	402	1.8	-1.7	-4.1
Japan-----	362	396	404	383	420	446	424	6.2	10.4	10.7
Republic of Korea-----	319	350	362	341	342	317	365	-7.3	-12.4	7.0
Spain-----	283	319	316	318	-	-	280	-	-	-11.9
All other-----	288	317	328	311	315	324	330	2.9	-1.2	6.1
Total, all sources:	329	358	361	348	364	370	376	1.6	2.5	8.0

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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: <sup>1/</sup> 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-----	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:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	61,667	5,053	1,766	1,043	65,677	7.7	2.6
April-June-----	62,989	4,403	74	1,337	66,055	6.7	0.1
1984:							
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
March-----	20,844	634	53	220	21,258	3.0	0.2
April-----	20,946	2,301	10	348	22,899	10.0	0.2
May-----	22,062	1,281	48	473	22,870	5.6	0.2
June-----	20,070	821	17	516	20,375	4.0	0.1
July-----	21,124	1,023	54	128	22,019	4.6	0.2
August-----	20,191	437	21	239	20,389	2.1	0.1
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	-4.4	-57.3	-61.1	86.7	-7.4	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	28.2	-64.9	-85.2	85.3	20.9	-	-

<sup>1/</sup> 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 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	34	0	0	0	0	44	-	-	-
France	726	1,295	94	829	0	12	79	-	-87.2	-90.5
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	0	2	0	2	6	0	6	-100.0	-	200.0
West Germany	1,195	875	48	690	48	9	1,787	-81.3	-81.3	159.0
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	1,921	2,206	142	1,521	54	21	1,915	-61.1	-85.2	25.9
Brazil	0	0	0	0	6	0	19	-100.0	-	-
Canada	292	1,712	655	923	215	65	1,904	-69.8	-90.1	106.3
Japan	1,656	7,471	324	5,454	680	224	6,582	-67.1	-30.9	20.7
Republic of Korea	0	7	0	7	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	89	89	-	-	-
All other	585	912	123	693	68	37	406	-45.6	-69.9	-41.4
Total, all sources	4,454	12,308	1,245	8,598	1,023	437	10,916	-57.3	-64.9	27.0
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	15	0	0	0	0	15	-	-	-
France	3,480	5,828	416	3,671	0	115	436	-	-72.4	-88.1
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	0	17	0	12	4	0	6	-100.0	-	-50.0
West Germany	897	1,673	260	1,030	58	78	1,369	34.5	-70.0	32.9
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	4,377	7,533	676	4,713	63	193	1,825	206.3	-71.4	-61.3
Brazil	0	0	0	0	2	0	6	-100.0	-	-
Canada	156	868	321	477	96	29	907	-69.8	-91.0	90.1
Japan	1,917	4,751	247	3,666	381	167	3,678	-56.2	-32.4	0.3
Republic of Korea	0	10	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	73	73	-	-	-
All other	1,973	2,420	343	1,994	170	94	979	-44.7	-72.6	-50.9
Total, all sources	8,422	15,581	1,588	10,860	712	555	7,468	-22.1	-65.1	-31.2

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	Unit value									
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	-	442	-	-	-	-	351	-	-	-
France-----	4,795	4,500	4,413	4,428	-	9,411	5,533	-	113.3	25.0
Italy-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	-	8,824	-	6,294	740	-	953	-	-	-84.9
West Germany-----	750	1,912	5,403	1,493	1,213	8,608	766	609.6	59.3	-48.7
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	2,279	3,415	4,763	3,098	1,158	9,173	953	692.1	92.6	-69.2
Brazil-----	-	-	-	-	321	-	330	-	-	-
Canada-----	534	507	491	517	446	446	476	0.0	-9.2	-7.9
Japan-----	1,158	636	763	672	561	746	559	33.0	-2.2	-16.8
Republic of Korea-----	-	1,308	-	1,308	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain-----	-	-	-	-	-	820	820	-	-	-
All other-----	3,371	2,655	2,788	2,879	2,502	2,524	2,408	0.9	-9.5	-16.4
Total, all sources:	1,891	1,266	1,276	1,263	696	1,271	684	82.6	-0.4	-45.8

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	
						Percent	
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-----	3,108,867	1,405,811	243,772	62,536	4,452,142	31.6	5.5
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	750,644	557,495	85,467	8,668	1,299,471	42.9	6.6
April-June-----	853,715	420,890	85,294	13,765	1,260,840	33.4	6.8
1984:							
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
March-----	271,124	128,011	28,801	1,530	397,605	32.2	7.2
April-----	293,184	94,543	20,923	2,196	385,531	24.5	5.4
May-----	293,664	154,358	24,887	6,953	441,069	35.0	5.6
June-----	263,930	171,989	39,484	4,616	431,303	39.9	9.2
July-----	231,209	94,009	21,162	4,810	320,408	29.3	6.6
August-----	236,195	135,398	30,218	3,313	368,280	36.8	8.2
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	2.2	44.0	42.8	-31.1	14.9	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	-5.3	17.9	29.1	-63.5	3.7	-	-

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

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

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

Table 15.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	127,043	119,915	7,930	90,546	13,417	18,787	129,896	40.0	136.9	43.5
France-----	14,814	9,863	157	4,841	1,209	911	7,407	-24.6	480.3	53.0
Italy-----	14,877	21,752	1,384	17,349	582	1,212	18,194	108.2	-12.4	4.9
Netherlands-----	7,382	2,474	0	2,280	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom-----	30,202	28,664	6,363	17,201	3,954	2,433	29,994	-38.5	-61.8	74.4
West Germany-----	39,128	59,819	6,362	35,306	1,473	6,839	32,032	364.3	7.5	-9.3
All other-----	0	1,285	1,205	1,205	526	35	4,617	-93.3	-97.1	283.2
Subtotal, EC-----	233,446	243,772	23,400	168,728	21,162	30,218	222,141	42.8	29.1	31.7
Brazil-----	189,888	48,065	1	8,001	22,855	32,115	317,170	40.5	2/	2/
Canada-----	234,585	189,244	10,003	144,616	12,755	10,697	95,934	-16.1	6.9	-33.7
Japan-----	10,484	21,199	1,486	13,075	618	723	7,447	17.0	-51.3	-43.0
Republic of Korea-----	99,495	71,090	8,095	50,091	10,929	8,936	39,426	-18.2	10.4	-21.3
Spain-----	49,331	174,786	15,076	149,689	307	4,802	25,678	2/	-68.1	-82.8
All other-----	210,756	657,656	56,753	379,277	25,384	47,907	499,997	88.7	-15.6	31.8
Total, all sources:	1,027,985	1,405,811	114,815	913,476	94,009	135,398	1,207,792	44.0	17.9	32.2
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	32,945	33,268	2,473	23,930	3,878	5,033	38,075	29.8	103.5	59.1
France-----	3,965	3,402	62	1,562	552	259	2,815	-53.1	317.7	80.2
Italy-----	3,591	5,243	348	3,993	143	305	5,106	113.3	-12.4	27.9
Netherlands-----	1,806	836	0	763	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom-----	6,923	8,097	1,581	4,545	1,091	836	8,570	-23.4	-47.1	88.6
West Germany-----	10,580	17,201	1,897	10,080	454	2,100	10,989	362.6	10.7	9.0
All other-----	0	374	349	349	147	12	1,355	-91.8	-96.6	288.3
Subtotal, EC-----	59,810	68,421	6,710	45,221	6,265	8,545	66,910	36.4	27.3	48.0
Brazil-----	43,474	8,038	1	1,849	3,888	5,865	54,569	50.8	2/	2/
Canada-----	59,922	59,285	3,516	43,537	4,098	3,323	30,551	-18.9	-5.5	-29.8
Japan-----	3,980	9,384	773	5,814	368	334	4,006	-9.2	-56.8	-31.1
Republic of Korea-----	21,819	20,030	2,495	13,513	3,028	2,186	11,100	-27.8	-12.4	-17.9
Spain-----	10,161	39,317	3,422	33,497	428	1,189	7,143	177.8	-65.3	-78.7
All other-----	54,768	166,776	14,723	95,819	6,282	12,084	125,171	92.4	-17.9	30.6
Total, all sources:	253,934	371,251	31,639	239,250	24,356	33,526	299,450	37.6	6.0	25.2

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
	Unit value										
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	259	277	312	264	289	268	293	-7.3	-14.1	11.0	
France-----	268	345	393	323	457	285	380	-37.6	-27.5	17.6	
Italy-----	241	241	251	230	245	252	281	2.9	0.4	22.2	
Netherlands-----	245	338	-	334	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	229	282	248	264	276	344	286	24.6	38.7	8.3	
West Germany-----	270	288	298	285	308	307	343	-0.3	3.0	20.4	
All other-----	-	291	289	289	280	346	293	23.6	19.7	1.4	
Subtotal, EC-----	256	281	287	268	296	283	301	-4.4	-1.4	12.3	
Brazil-----	229	167	501	231	170	183	172	7.6	-63.5	-25.5	
Canada-----	255	313	352	301	321	311	318	-3.1	-11.6	5.6	
Japan-----	380	443	520	445	596	462	538	-22.5	-11.2	20.9	
Republic of Korea-----	219	282	308	270	277	245	282	-11.6	-20.5	4.4	
Spain-----	206	225	227	224	1,396	248	278	-82.2	9.3	24.1	
All other-----	260	254	259	253	247	252	250	2.0	-2.7	-1.2	
Total, all sources:	247	264	276	262	259	248	248	-4.2	-10.1	-5.3	

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
		Short tons				Percent	
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-----	1,114,261	70,527	32,118	22,277	1,162,511	6.1	2.8
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	296,223	30,888	12,988	12,369	314,742	9.8	4.1
April-June-----	320,081	24,933	6,679	5,087	339,927	7.3	2.0
1984:							
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
March-----	125,438	8,742	3,522	8,597	125,583	7.0	2.8
April-----	112,982	5,109	1,688	1,755	116,336	4.4	1.5
May-----	115,479	10,764	2,081	1,510	124,733	8.6	1.7
June-----	102,047	9,060	2,910	1,822	109,285	8.3	2.7
July-----	94,720	5,582	3,287	1,366	98,936	5.6	3.3
August-----	91,378	7,105	2,872	1,885	96,598	7.4	3.0
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	-3.5	27.3	-12.6	38.0	-2.4	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	6.6	-14.7	-2.3	-11.7	5.1	-	-

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 17.--Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	2,337	4,336	406	4,258	1,095	602	3,246	-45.0	48.3	-23.8
France-----	2,104	6,816	284	4,383	573	535	6,439	-6.6	88.4	46.9
Italy-----	310	1,640	210	1,283	204	280	3,102	37.3	33.3	141.8
Netherlands-----	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	449	235	132	224	49	212	401	332.7	60.6	79.0
West Germany-----	6,613	19,089	1,909	10,428	1,365	1,000	12,395	-26.7	-47.6	18.9
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	243	243	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	11,831	32,118	2,941	20,575	3,287	2,872	25,825	-12.6	-2.3	25.5
Brazil-----	51	1	0	0	0	0	3,646	-	-	-
Canada-----	2,035	8,812	730	4,022	682	916	11,027	34.3	25.5	174.2
Japan-----	3,394	18,742	1,728	9,956	1,322	2,147	22,550	62.4	24.2	126.5
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----	2/	45	0	0	0	0	16	-	-	-
All other-----	3,932	10,810	2,930	8,680	292	1,170	5,444	300.7	-60.1	-37.3
Total, all sources:	21,244	70,527	8,328	43,233	5,582	7,105	68,508	27.3	-14.7	58.5
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	1,150	2,387	216	2,342	601	332	1,921	-44.8	53.7	-18.0
France-----	2,040	5,708	274	3,704	457	563	5,616	23.2	105.5	51.6
Italy-----	161	938	121	737	131	175	1,807	33.6	44.6	145.2
Netherlands-----	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	276	144	83	138	18	94	198	422.2	13.3	43.5
West Germany-----	3,229	10,612	1,047	5,489	726	740	7,626	1.9	-29.3	38.9
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	124	124	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	6,868	19,791	1,741	12,410	1,934	2,028	17,292	4.9	16.5	39.3
Brazil-----	25	1	0	0	0	0	1,813	-	-	-
Canada-----	1,147	7,526	686	3,091	469	538	8,912	14.7	-21.6	188.3
Japan-----	2,499	11,424	1,003	5,729	848	1,280	13,601	50.9	27.6	137.4
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----	2/	31	0	0	0	0	11	-	-	-
All other-----	2,754	7,033	1,926	5,642	207	726	3,472	250.7	-62.3	-38.5
Total, all sources:	13,293	45,807	5,356	26,872	3,458	4,572	45,100	32.2	-14.6	67.8

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	(7)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	from (5)	from (3)	from (4)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	492	551	532	550	549	551	592	0.4	3.6	7.6	
France-----	970	837	965	845	798	1,052	872	31.8	9.0	3.2	
Italy-----	521	572	577	574	643	626	583	-2.6	8.5	1.6	
Netherlands-----	656	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	615	614	628	619	375	443	493	18.1	-29.5	-20.4	
West Germany-----	488	556	548	526	532	740	615	39.1	35.0	16.9	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	511	511	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	581	616	592	603	588	706	670	20.1	19.3	11.1	
Brazil-----	495	1,705	-	-	-	-	497	-	-	-	
Canada-----	563	854	940	769	688	587	808	-14.7	-37.6	5.1	
Japan-----	736	610	581	575	642	596	603	-7.2	2.6	4.9	
Republic of Korea-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	-	679	-	-	-	-	679	-	-	-	
All other-----	700	651	657	650	709	621	638	-12.4	-5.5	-1.8	
Total, all sources:	626	649	643	622	619	643	658	3.9	0.0	5.8	

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-----	3,370,247	2,055,134	444,850	23,852	5,401,529	38.0	8.2
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	872,794	514,593	173,122	9,532	1,377,855	37.3	12.6
April-June-----	972,080	570,022	165,743	4,859	1,537,243	37.1	10.8
1984:							
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
March-----	321,360	140,792	36,550	2,931	459,221	30.7	8.0
April-----	307,164	144,915	39,458	1,780	450,299	32.2	8.8
May-----	336,375	211,351	48,732	1,539	546,187	38.7	8.9
June-----	328,642	213,757	77,553	1,540	540,859	39.5	14.3
July-----	293,863	159,325	40,227	1,073	452,115	35.2	8.9
August-----	345,179	184,293	56,988	1,626	527,846	34.9	10.8
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	17.5	15.7	41.7	51.5	16.8	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	57.4	-20.2	101.7	-1.3	17.7	-	-

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 19.--Carbon steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	198,099	203,513	11,279	134,379	20,026	28,641	175,213	43.0	153.9	30.4
France-----	49,282	50,282	1,885	23,460	5,126	8,393	55,194	63.7	345.3	135.3
Italy-----	1/	48	0	48	0	46	97	-	-	102.1
Netherlands-----	3,861	158	0	64	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom-----	110,846	83,918	7,994	65,545	7,382	7,521	90,177	1.9	-5.9	37.6
West Germany-----	76,871	106,932	7,098	72,946	7,692	12,387	115,398	61.0	74.5	58.2
All other-----	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Subtotal, EC-----	438,959	444,850	28,255	296,443	40,227	56,988	436,079	41.7	101.7	47.1
Brazil-----	15,733	17,241	2,223	14,623	2,442	0	10,782	-100.0	-100.0	-26.3
Canada-----	184,632	239,837	17,158	160,519	21,678	18,362	176,392	-15.3	7.0	9.9
Japan-----	452,500	700,251	103,254	518,688	70,566	63,278	516,959	-10.3	-38.7	-0.3
Republic of Korea-----	78,299	100,900	9,886	69,754	10,615	11,256	82,889	6.0	13.9	18.8
Spain-----	124,624	270,385	47,779	250,411	1,982	19,436	108,556	880.6	-59.3	-56.6
All other-----	182,590	281,669	22,367	224,039	11,816	14,973	96,576	26.7	-33.1	-56.9
Total, all sources:	1,477,338	2,055,134	230,920	1,534,476	159,325	184,293	1,428,233	15.7	-20.2	-6.9
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	54,315	59,748	2,985	38,550	5,286	8,089	49,382	53.0	171.0	28.1
France-----	11,918	12,534	476	5,830	1,239	1,989	13,104	60.5	317.9	124.8
Italy-----	1	55	0	55	0	82	161	-	-	192.7
Netherlands-----	985	42	0	15	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
United Kingdom-----	32,329	29,012	3,315	22,374	2,216	2,941	30,748	32.7	-11.3	37.4
West Germany-----	22,152	31,091	1,982	20,949	2,078	3,097	33,751	49.0	56.3	61.1
All other-----	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Subtotal, EC-----	121,699	132,483	8,758	87,773	10,818	16,198	127,145	49.7	85.0	44.9
Brazil-----	3,644	3,899	524	3,337	595	0	2,520	-100.0	-100.0	-24.5
Canada-----	57,051	77,779	5,500	51,841	6,826	5,582	54,815	-18.2	1.5	5.7
Japan-----	134,240	201,183	30,505	148,601	21,263	18,778	145,546	-11.7	-38.4	-2.1
Republic of Korea-----	20,263	25,990	2,675	17,778	2,695	2,788	20,276	3.5	4.2	14.1
Spain-----	30,121	64,770	11,262	59,819	476	4,678	25,288	882.8	-58.5	-57.7
All other-----	44,886	68,658	5,496	54,843	2,912	3,620	23,884	24.3	-34.1	-56.5
Total, all sources:	411,905	574,761	64,720	423,991	45,586	51,643	399,474	13.3	-20.2	-5.8

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1982		1983		1984		Percentage change				
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	(7)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	from (5)	from (3)	from (4)	
	Unit value										
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	274	294	265	287	264	282	282	6.8	6.4	-1.7	
France-----:	242	249	253	248	242	237	237	-2.1	-6.3	-4.4	
Italy-----:	-	1,150	-	1,150	-	1,769	1,655	-	-	43.9	
Netherlands-----:	255	266	-	238	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----:	292	346	415	341	300	391	341	30.3	-5.8	0.0	
West Germany-----:	288	291	279	287	270	250	292	-7.4	-10.4	1.7	
All other-----:	-	1,824	-	1,589	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----:	277	298	310	296	269	284	292	5.6	-8.4	-1.4	
Brazil-----:	232	226	236	228	244	-	234	-	-	2.6	
Canada-----:	309	324	321	323	315	304	311	-3.5	-5.3	-3.7	
Japan-----:	297	287	295	286	301	297	282	-1.3	0.7	-1.4	
Republic of Korea-----:	259	258	271	255	254	248	245	-2.4	-8.5	-3.9	
Spain-----:	242	240	236	239	240	241	233	0.4	2.1	-2.5	
All other-----:	246	244	246	245	246	242	247	-1.6	-1.6	0.8	
Total, all sources:	279	280	280	276	286	280	280	-2.1	0.0	1.4	

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: <sup>1/</sup> 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-----	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-----	498,119	30,880	14,174	5,196	523,803	5.9	2.7
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	135,591	7,785	4,985	2,852	140,524	5.5	3.5
April-June-----	134,339	4,576	912	7,867	131,048	3.5	0.7
1984:							
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
March-----	43,154	2,449	1,730	565	45,038	5.4	3.8
April-----	45,420	1,337	30	2,376	44,381	3.0	0.1
May-----	44,913	938	225	4,477	41,374	2.3	0.5
June-----	45,243	2,301	658	1,014	46,530	4.9	0.1
July-----	37,159	874	302	1,805	36,228	2.4	0.8
August-----	45,127	2,693	1,344	635	47,185	5.7	2.8
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	21.4	208.1	345.0	-64.8	30.2	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	12.3	-37.2	-54.7	58.4	7.0	-	-

<sup>1/</sup> 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	0	0	0	0	212	550	-	-	-
France-----	293	55	0	44	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Italy-----	411	520	113	479	49	198	438	304.1	75.2	-8.6
Netherlands-----	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	2,676	13,128	2,843	9,954	214	928	6,300	333.6	-67.4	-36.7
West Germany-----	365	468	10	355	38	6	255	-84.2	-40.0	-28.2
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	3,745	14,174	2,966	10,831	302	1,344	7,543	345.0	-54.7	-30.4
Brazil-----	81	370	36	262	58	71	138	22.4	97.2	-47.3
Canada-----	2,062	3,377	419	3,087	24	197	771	720.8	-53.0	-75.0
Japan-----	4,709	11,183	699	6,969	313	890	6,034	184.3	27.3	-13.4
Republic of Korea-----	9	0	0	0	0	0	22	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	1,282	1,777	172	1,408	178	191	1,420	7.3	11.0	0.9
Total, all sources:	11,887	30,880	4,291	22,557	874	2,693	15,928	208.1	-37.2	-29.4
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	0	0	0	0	77	190	-	-	-
France-----	407	109	0	84	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Italy-----	452	900	264	845	82	285	651	247.6	8.0	-23.0
Netherlands-----	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	1,179	6,263	1,216	4,520	180	386	2,966	114.4	-68.3	-34.4
West Germany-----	958	1,168	65	874	71	37	646	-47.9	-43.1	-26.1
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	2,925	8,442	1,544	6,323	333	785	4,454	135.7	-49.2	-29.6
Brazil-----	124	570	44	402	129	150	293	16.3	240.9	-27.1
Canada-----	821	1,260	130	1,057	28	118	464	321.4	-9.2	-56.1
Japan-----	7,951	14,271	1,196	9,398	583	1,939	9,125	232.6	62.1	-2.9
Republic of Korea-----	18	0	0	0	0	0	6	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	1,744	2,854	282	2,172	326	336	2,502	3.1	19.1	15.2
Total, all sources:	13,653	27,397	3,196	19,353	1,399	3,328	16,845	137.9	4.1	-13.0

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1982		1983		1984		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	363	346	-	-	-
France	1,389	1,973	-	1,920	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	1,100	1,731	2,333	1,765	1,655	1,440	1,486	-13.0	-38.3	-15.8
Netherlands	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	440	477	428	454	843	416	471	-50.7	-2.8	3.7
West Germany	2,628	2,496	6,180	2,459	1,856	6,119	2,536	229.7	-1.0	3.1
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	800	596	521	584	1,102	584	590	-47.0	12.1	1.0
Brazil	1,535	1,542	1,211	1,536	2,220	2,127	2,118	-4.2	75.6	37.9
Canada	398	373	311	342	1,168	600	602	-48.6	92.9	76.0
Japan	1,689	1,276	1,712	1,349	1,867	2,179	1,512	16.7	27.3	12.1
Republic of Korea	1,950	-	-	-	-	-	279	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	1,361	1,606	1,644	1,543	1,834	1,754	1,762	-4.4	6.7	14.2
Total, all sources	1,149	887	745	858	1,601	1,236	1,058	-22.8	65.9	23.3

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
						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-----	3,003,160	1,439,118	178,513	3,138	4,439,140	32.4	4.0
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	698,121	341,278	77,830	365	1,039,034	32.8	7.5
April-June-----	785,601	377,817	39,709	318	1,163,100	32.5	3.4
1984:							
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
March-----	264,286	98,970	12,951	90	363,166	27.3	3.6
April-----	245,181	100,008	8,598	155	345,034	29.0	2.5
May-----	271,023	109,779	18,036	29	380,773	28.8	4.7
June-----	261,378	168,030	13,075	134	429,274	39.1	3.0
July-----	226,220	106,090	11,387	581	331,729	32.0	3.4
August-----	245,873	111,942	12,439	121	357,694	31.3	3.5
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	8.7	5.5	9.2	-79.2	7.8	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	-0.5	-2.5	10.7	-47.4	-1.1	-	-

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 23.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	8,199	16,730	1,537	12,193	1,839	1,763	11,766	-4.1	14.7	-3.5
France-----	68,908	98,434	5,977	71,947	4,772	5,962	75,784	24.9	-0.3	5.3
Italy-----	3	20	3	3	0	0	26	-	-100.0	766.7
Netherlands-----	4,280	7,637	768	5,324	352	289	3,888	-17.9	-62.4	-27.0
United Kingdom-----	20,626	37,275	2,302	24,893	1,645	3,315	28,355	101.5	44.0	13.9
West Germany-----	18,530	18,417	651	12,274	2,779	1,110	21,546	-60.1	70.5	75.5
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	120,546	178,513	11,236	126,633	11,387	12,439	141,365	9.2	10.7	11.6
Brazil-----	76,672	33,384	12,669	14,742	2,528	12,300	26,436	386.6	-2.9	79.3
Canada-----	279,058	349,609	22,461	230,967	28,782	21,205	235,954	-26.3	-5.6	2.2
Japan-----	189,625	282,183	14,328	172,868	17,604	14,320	172,997	-18.7	-0.1	0.1
Republic of Korea-----	1,614	5,198	498	3,650	0	0	1,834	-	-100.0	-49.8
Spain-----	82,944	129,997	3,045	86,855	0	1,133	10,155	-	-62.8	-88.3
All other-----	340,729	460,234	50,581	312,149	45,790	50,545	348,386	10.4	-0.1	11.6
Total, all sources:	1,091,189	1,439,118	114,819	947,864	106,090	111,942	937,127	5.5	-2.5	-1.1
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	2,034	4,313	411	3,108	501	401	3,392	-20.0	-2.4	9.1
France-----	21,085	30,748	1,898	21,258	1,414	1,720	22,593	21.6	-9.4	6.3
Italy-----	7	6	3	3	0	0	10	-	-100.0	233.3
Netherlands-----	1,471	2,716	279	1,858	121	123	1,425	1.7	-55.9	-23.3
United Kingdom-----	6,158	11,443	653	7,637	497	1,151	8,955	131.6	76.3	17.3
West Germany-----	6,050	7,355	226	5,036	914	430	7,889	-53.0	90.3	56.7
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	36,805	56,581	3,470	38,900	3,447	3,825	44,264	11.0	10.2	13.8
Brazil-----	16,359	8,683	3,300	3,814	552	2,701	6,017	389.3	-18.2	57.8
Canada-----	87,255	118,155	7,885	77,281	9,233	7,040	76,169	-23.8	-10.7	-1.4
Japan-----	68,969	107,303	5,451	64,594	5,680	5,399	60,576	-4.9	-1.0	-6.2
Republic of Korea-----	397	1,348	131	938	0	0	481	-	-100.0	-48.7
Spain-----	21,963	30,809	752	20,964	0	419	2,782	-	-44.3	-86.7
All other-----	72,697	104,701	11,321	68,885	10,728	11,688	83,407	8.9	3.2	21.1
Total, all sources:	304,445	427,580	32,310	275,375	29,640	31,073	273,625	4.8	-3.8	-0.6

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	248	258	268	255	273	228	288	-16.5	-14.9	12.9	
France-----	306	312	318	295	296	289	298	-2.4	-9.1	1.0	
Italy-----	2,576	285	1,082	1,082	-	-	384	-	-	-64.5	
Netherlands-----	344	356	363	349	343	424	366	23.6	16.8	4.9	
United Kingdom-----	299	307	284	307	302	347	316	14.9	22.2	2.9	
West Germany-----	327	399	348	410	329	388	366	17.9	11.5	-10.7	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	305	317	309	307	303	308	313	1.7	-0.3	2.0	
Brazil-----	213	260	260	259	218	220	228	0.9	-15.4	-12.0	
Canada-----	313	338	351	335	321	332	323	3.4	-5.4	-3.6	
Japan-----	364	380	380	374	323	377	350	16.7	-0.8	-6.4	
Republic of Korea-----	246	259	263	257	-	-	262	-	-	1.9	
Spain-----	265	237	247	241	-	370	274	-	49.8	13.7	
All other-----	213	227	224	221	234	231	239	-1.3	3.1	8.1	
Total, all sources:	279	297	281	291	279	278	292	-0.4	-1.1	0.3	

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
						Percent	
						Short tons	
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-----	4,260,238	530,445	118,742	32,161	4,758,522	11.1	2.5
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	1,045,698	144,331	42,141	6,821	1,183,208	12.2	3.6
April-June-----	1,013,801	109,736	20,269	7,884	1,115,653	9.8	1.8
1984:							
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
March-----	351,112	40,212	3,051	1,766	389,558	10.3	0.8
April-----	357,792	33,978	4,127	1,375	390,395	8.7	1.1
May-----	347,927	34,782	6,249	1,780	380,929	9.1	1.6
June-----	312,338	40,976	9,893	4,729	348,585	11.8	2.8
July-----	279,408	28,360	11,049	1,656	306,112	9.3	3.6
August-----	306,140	28,027	8,720	1,915	332,252	8.4	2.6
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	9.6	-1.2	-21.1	15.6	8.5	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	-8.2	-30.9	86.1	-15.4	-10.6	-	-

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Quantity											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	11,017	19,841	1,748	15,005	444	2,135	7,756	380.9	22.1	-48.3	
France-----	1,761	2,150	0	1,747	20	121	2,287	505.0	-	30.9	
Italy-----	85	185	0	67	68	191	465	180.9	-	594.0	
Netherlands-----	66	86	0	41	1	0	1	-100.0	-	-97.6	
United Kingdom-----	58,643	78,234	2,214	53,270	9,183	5,180	56,901	-43.6	134.0	6.8	
West Germany-----	11,770	18,246	723	10,567	1,333	1,094	14,768	-17.9	51.3	39.8	
All other-----	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	83,342	118,742	4,685	80,698	11,049	8,720	82,178	-21.1	86.1	1.8	
Brazil-----	30,494	94,102	10,473	41,537	2,498	1,688	38,267	-32.4	-83.9	-7.9	
Canada-----	101,795	182,483	13,355	137,753	9,103	7,705	101,336	-15.4	-42.3	-26.4	
Japan-----	53,631	75,592	4,476	50,739	3,573	4,620	42,521	29.3	3.2	-16.2	
Republic of Korea-----	4,891	15,093	661	11,915	1,054	939	9,316	-10.9	42.1	-21.8	
Spain-----	15,592	21,969	5,456	11,727	16	1,229	20,153	2	-77.5	71.9	
All other-----	22,792	22,464	1,456	14,919	1,067	3,125	16,683	192.9	114.6	11.8	
Total, all sources:	312,536	530,445	40,563	349,290	28,360	28,027	310,453	-1.2	-30.9	-11.1	
Value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	2,666	4,903	435	3,635	121	584	2,067	382.6	34.3	-43.1	
France-----	805	754	0	599	17	84	968	394.1	-	61.6	
Italy-----	112	129	0	93	35	118	285	237.1	-	206.5	
Netherlands-----	23	27	0	19	2	0	2	-100.0	-	-89.5	
United Kingdom-----	21,884	29,468	883	20,013	3,333	1,908	21,349	-42.8	116.1	6.7	
West Germany-----	4,425	5,711	214	3,307	406	376	5,438	-7.4	75.7	64.4	
All other-----	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	29,915	40,993	1,532	27,667	3,913	3,068	30,110	-21.6	100.3	8.8	
Brazil-----	7,762	27,516	2,942	12,218	682	510	11,289	-25.2	-82.7	-7.6	
Canada-----	34,925	65,806	5,018	48,559	3,337	2,747	36,217	-17.7	-45.3	-25.4	
Japan-----	19,321	27,479	1,613	18,087	1,274	1,625	14,928	27.6	0.7	-17.5	
Republic of Korea-----	1,283	4,147	181	3,275	283	239	2,490	-15.5	32.0	-24.0	
Spain-----	5,354	8,016	1,650	3,923	4	376	6,064	2	-77.2	54.6	
All other-----	6,093	6,505	626	4,366	288	865	5,146	200.3	38.2	17.9	
Total, all sources:	104,653	180,461	13,562	118,093	9,783	9,431	106,244	-3.6	-30.5	-10.0	

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

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

Source	1982		1983		1984		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	(7)
								from (5)	from (3)	from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
	Unit value:									
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	242	247	249	242	273	273	267	0.0	9.6	10.3
France-----	457	351	-	343	860	693	423	-19.4	-	23.3
Italy-----	1,314	698	-	1,392	516	618	613	19.8	-	-56.0
Netherlands-----	350	310	-	462	1,964	-	1,964	-	-	325.1
United Kingdom-----	373	377	399	376	363	368	375	1.4	-7.8	-0.3
West Germany-----	376	313	296	313	304	344	368	13.2	16.2	17.6
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	359	345	327	343	354	352	366	-0.6	7.6	6.7
Brazil-----	255	292	281	294	273	302	295	10.6	7.5	0.3
Canada-----	343	361	376	353	367	357	357	-2.7	-5.1	1.1
Japan-----	360	364	360	356	357	352	351	-1.4	-2.2	-1.4
Republic of Korea-----	262	275	274	275	268	255	267	-4.9	-6.9	-2.9
Spain-----	343	365	302	335	269	306	301	13.8	1.3	-10.1
All other-----	267	290	430	293	270	277	308	2.6	-35.6	5.1
Total, all sources:	335	340	334	338	345	336	342	-2.6	0.6	1.2

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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
		Short tons				Percent	
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-----	1,772,492	190,784	5,016	45,956	1,917,320	10.0	0.3
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	434,527	50,554	2,889	11,388	473,693	10.7	0.6
April-June-----	435,990	49,581	2,058	9,513	476,058	10.4	0.4
1984:							
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
March-----	152,214	17,387	765	3,696	165,905	10.5	0.5
April-----	151,402	14,038	1,047	3,013	162,427	8.6	0.6
May-----	148,646	17,420	469	3,354	162,712	10.7	0.3
June-----	130,909	18,123	543	3,146	145,886	12.4	0.4
July-----	105,948	12,950	349	1,826	117,072	11.1	0.3
August-----	122,081	13,386	161	2,416	133,051	10.1	0.1
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	15.2	3.4	-53.9	32.3	13.6	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	-22.6	-23.3	-43.1	1.8	-23.0	-	-

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 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1982		1983		1984		Percentage change			
	(1)	(2)	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	(8)
								from (5)	from (3)	from (4)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	26	20	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
France-----:	74	434	0	395	0	6	520	-	-	31.6
Italy-----:	111	901	0	840	46	5	267	-89.1	-	-68.2
Netherlands-----:	29	28	0	28	0	0	7	-	-	-75.0
United Kingdom-----:	2,477	1,564	79	1,119	134	61	3,246	-54.5	-22.8	190.1
West Germany-----:	2,473	2,069	204	1,209	169	89	1,418	-47.3	-56.4	17.3
All other-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----:	5,189	5,016	283	3,591	349	161	5,458	-53.9	-43.1	52.0
Brazil-----:	2,834	10,578	1,928	4,335	1,341	385	8,570	-71.3	-80.0	97.7
Canada-----:	75,804	102,006	9,473	71,893	8,578	7,362	72,983	-14.2	-22.3	1.5
Japan-----:	21,369	38,191	2,212	26,665	2,550	2,323	22,919	-8.9	5.0	-14.0
Republic of Korea-----:	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----:	7,747	26,066	2,980	12,289	19	1,035	9,008	1/	-65.3	-26.7
All other-----:	5,696	8,927	575	5,917	114	2,121	7,533	1/	268.9	27.3
Total, all sources:	118,708	190,784	17,451	124,690	12,950	13,386	126,472	3.4	-23.3	1.4
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	8	11	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
France-----:	77	129	0	110	0	83	333	-	-	202.7
Italy-----:	61	327	0	300	40	5	152	-87.5	-	-49.3
Netherlands-----:	15	15	0	15	0	0	4	-	-	-73.3
United Kingdom-----:	1,223	1,138	61	785	208	72	2,986	-65.4	18.0	280.4
West Germany-----:	1,453	1,677	136	939	135	71	921	-47.4	-47.8	-1.9
All other-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----:	2,838	3,296	197	2,150	383	231	4,396	-39.7	17.3	104.5
Brazil-----:	1,029	3,918	681	1,592	465	145	3,122	-68.8	-78.7	96.1
Canada-----:	37,923	47,251	4,271	33,473	3,345	2,900	29,946	-13.3	-32.1	-10.5
Japan-----:	9,667	16,477	966	11,332	1,317	1,227	10,922	-6.8	27.0	-3.6
Republic of Korea-----:	248	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----:	2,746	9,828	1,075	4,681	7	413	3,485	1/	-61.6	-25.6
All other-----:	3,766	4,825	350	3,207	52	865	3,693	1/	147.1	15.2
Total, all sources:	58,216	85,596	7,539	56,434	5,568	5,782	55,564	3.8	-23.3	-1.5

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
	Unit value										
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	323	540	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
France-----	1,049	298	-	279	-	13,884	641	-	-	129.7	
Italy-----	553	363	-	357	859	989	569	15.1	-	59.4	
Netherlands-----	516	532	-	532	-	-	542	-	-	1.9	
United Kingdom-----	494	727	767	702	1,550	1,185	920	-23.5	54.5	31.1	
West Germany-----	588	810	667	777	802	788	650	-1.7	18.1	-16.3	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	547	657	695	599	1,098	1,434	806	30.6	106.3	34.6	
Brazil-----	363	370	353	367	346	378	364	9.2	7.1	-0.8	
Canada-----	500	463	451	466	390	394	410	1.0	-12.6	-12.0	
Japan-----	452	431	437	425	516	528	477	2.3	20.8	12.2	
Republic of Korea-----	3,613	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	355	377	361	381	372	399	387	7.3	10.5	1.6	
All other-----	661	541	608	542	455	408	490	-10.3	-32.9	-9.6	
Total, all sources:	490	449	432	453	430	432	439	0.5	0.0	-3.1	

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
						-----Short tons-----	
						-----Percent-----	
1981-----	6,758,750	1,305,731	249,445	148,356	7,916,125	16.5	3.2
1982-----	6,062,681	1,230,020	260,404	81,051	7,211,650	17.1	3.6
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:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	2,094,697	707,210	108,012	19,836	2,782,071	25.4	3.9
April-June-----	2,231,905	677,100	102,156	20,553	2,888,452	23.4	3.5
1984:							
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-----	640,046	241,006	37,405	6,586	874,466	27.6	4.3
March-----	724,556	213,687	28,746	5,549	932,694	22.9	3.1
April-----	729,769	217,830	20,795	5,227	942,372	23.1	2.2
May-----	763,667	214,061	36,728	8,578	969,150	22.1	3.8
June-----	736,967	245,209	44,634	6,748	975,428	25.1	4.6
July-----	692,315	157,072	19,236	5,442	843,945	18.6	2.3
August-----	728,188	209,568	26,163	5,382	932,374	22.5	2.8
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	5.2	33.4	36.0	-1.1	10.5	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	10.3	-25.6	20.5	-29.2	-0.2	-	-

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 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Year to Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Quantity											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	11,687	17,005	413	11,440	144	2,989	12,546	1/	623.7	9.7	
France-----:	57,436	67,658	6,651	41,962	7,932	5,996	69,073	-24.4	-9.8	64.6	
Italy-----:	28,110	24,321	2,828	20,645	0	1,709	18,211	-	-39.6	-11.8	
Netherlands-----:	1,708	2,478	0	1,103	1,022	259	8,747	-74.7	-	693.0	
United Kingdom-----:	7,594	5,675	339	4,505	1,926	1,253	10,791	-34.9	269.6	139.5	
West Germany-----:	169,841	199,431	11,485	116,307	8,083	13,956	136,022	72.7	21.5	17.0	
All other-----:	0	36	0	0	128	0	176	-100.0	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----:	276,377	316,605	21,716	195,962	19,236	26,163	255,567	36.0	20.5	30.4	
Brazil-----:	25,695	28,840	12,809	24,726	0	1,873	8,222	-	-85.4	-66.7	
Canada-----:	187,399	291,467	28,498	193,250	20,263	22,958	190,780	13.3	-19.4	-1.3	
Japan-----:	1,008,867	1,587,438	146,476	1,041,625	72,878	108,622	957,173	49.0	-25.8	-8.1	
Republic of Korea-----:	162,422	173,008	12,631	118,311	16,235	11,275	106,086	-30.6	-10.7	-10.3	
Spain-----:	68,718	92,455	4,348	71,190	0	0	19	-	-100.0	-100.0	
All other-----:	333,081	418,382	55,080	323,268	28,460	38,676	233,103	35.9	-29.8	-27.9	
Total, all sources:	2,062,560	2,908,194	281,558	1,968,332	157,072	209,568	1,750,950	33.4	-25.6	-11.0	
Value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	4,492	6,817	174	4,644	63	1,307	5,287	1/	651.1	13.8	
France-----:	22,935	32,280	2,909	19,160	3,814	2,606	32,392	-31.7	-10.4	69.1	
Italy-----:	11,279	10,405	1,376	8,816	0	663	7,203	-	-51.8	-18.3	
Netherlands-----:	839	1,347	0	586	518	136	4,196	-73.7	-	616.0	
United Kingdom-----:	3,627	3,029	200	2,413	932	709	4,809	-23.9	254.5	99.3	
West Germany-----:	67,900	90,422	4,908	51,808	3,558	6,569	61,116	84.6	33.8	18.0	
All other-----:	0	15	0	0	43	0	62	-100.0	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----:	111,071	144,315	9,567	87,427	8,926	11,989	115,065	34.3	25.3	31.6	
Brazil-----:	8,686	8,301	2,223	6,384	0	684	2,703	-	-69.2	-57.7	
Canada-----:	83,104	135,421	13,256	89,279	8,898	10,664	85,899	19.8	-19.6	-3.8	
Japan-----:	454,637	768,315	70,409	495,083	37,524	54,950	474,378	46.4	-22.0	-4.2	
Republic of Korea-----:	63,063	72,748	5,446	48,161	7,189	5,061	48,697	-29.6	-7.1	1.1	
Spain-----:	23,470	32,536	1,592	24,563	0	0	11	-	-100.0	-100.0	
All other-----:	120,951	166,709	22,593	127,426	11,943	15,025	95,706	25.8	-33.5	-24.9	
Total, all sources:	864,982	1,328,345	125,086	878,323	74,480	98,372	822,459	32.1	-21.4	-6.4	

See footnote at end of table.

Table 29.--Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	384	401	421	406	434	437	421	0.7	3.8	3.7
France	399	477	437	457	481	435	469	-9.6	-0.5	2.6
Italy	401	428	486	427	-	388	396	-	-20.2	-7.3
Netherlands	491	544	-	531	506	524	480	3.6	-	-9.6
United Kingdom	478	534	590	536	484	566	446	16.9	-4.1	-16.8
West Germany	400	453	427	445	440	471	449	7.0	10.3	0.9
All other	-	418	-	-	334	-	352	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	402	456	441	446	464	458	450	-1.3	3.9	0.9
Brazil	338	288	174	258	-	365	329	-	109.8	27.5
Canada	443	465	465	462	439	465	450	5.9	0.0	-2.6
Japan	451	484	481	475	515	506	496	-1.7	5.2	4.4
Republic of Korea	388	420	431	407	443	449	459	1.4	4.2	12.8
Spain	342	352	366	345	-	-	584	-	-	69.3
All other	363	398	410	394	420	388	411	-7.6	-5.4	4.3
Total, all sources	419	457	444	446	474	469	470	-1.1	5.6	5.4

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:							
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
1985:							
January-March	634,261	112,193	15,514	30,483	715,971	15.7	2.2
April-June	673,483	116,361	14,671	34,429	755,415	15.4	1.9
1984:							
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
March	216,588	41,100	9,070	10,552	247,136	16.6	3.7
April	213,275	38,401	3,083	9,808	241,868	15.9	1.3
May	225,046	28,056	2,732	12,098	241,004	11.7	1.1
June	235,151	49,905	8,856	12,523	272,533	18.3	3.2
July	222,017	30,509	3,982	9,184	243,342	12.5	1.6
August	244,861	27,338	6,376	13,866	258,333	10.6	2.5
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985	10.3	-10.4	60.1	51.0	6.2	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984	-4.7	-16.5	-33.2	28.2	-7.4	-	-

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	1,979	3,942	437	3,054	0	1,518	2,267	-	247.4	-25.8
France-----	30,052	26,087	4,747	20,096	2,085	1,243	13,442	-40.4	-73.8	-33.1
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	7,476	10,102	595	7,104	775	1,094	7,031	41.2	83.9	-1.0
United Kingdom-----	2,052	702	0	702	10	0	1,618	-100.0	-	130.5
West Germany-----	38,461	31,327	3,767	21,073	1,111	2,522	16,185	127.0	-33.1	-23.2
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	80,020	72,159	9,546	52,029	3,982	6,376	40,543	60.1	-33.2	-22.1
Brazil-----	19	0	0	0	0	0	512	-	-	-
Canada-----	34,163	40,185	2,510	26,300	2,495	3,218	26,474	29.0	28.2	0.7
Japan-----	164,310	209,603	18,591	138,675	19,442	15,079	193,930	-22.4	-18.9	39.8
Republic of Korea-----	2,751	7,760	548	4,742	502	654	8,198	30.3	19.3	72.9
Spain-----	9	898	328	766	0	7	637	-	-97.9	-16.8
All other-----	9,263	25,172	1,220	20,367	4,087	2,005	16,107	-50.9	64.3	-20.9
Total, all sources:	290,535	355,777	32,743	242,879	30,509	27,338	286,401	-10.4	-16.5	17.9
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	1,018	2,072	242	1,603	0	742	1,172	-	206.6	-26.9
France-----	17,744	15,075	2,654	11,682	1,148	735	8,196	-36.0	-72.3	-29.8
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	4,588	6,231	372	4,415	420	629	4,345	49.8	69.1	-1.6
United Kingdom-----	896	300	0	300	11	0	462	-100.0	-	54.0
West Germany-----	22,489	18,213	1,993	11,960	661	1,469	9,444	122.2	-26.3	-21.0
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	46,735	41,890	5,262	29,959	2,241	3,574	23,619	59.5	-32.1	-21.2
Brazil-----	9	0	0	0	0	0	263	-	-	-
Canada-----	18,922	20,627	1,318	13,480	1,105	1,658	12,844	50.0	25.8	-4.7
Japan-----	96,615	119,811	10,490	80,000	10,624	8,159	104,740	-23.2	-22.2	30.9
Republic of Korea-----	675	3,912	285	2,370	280	329	4,390	17.5	15.4	85.2
Spain-----	4	414	148	353	0	3	319	-	-98.0	-9.6
All other-----	3,942	8,076	611	5,700	1,873	937	7,438	-50.0	53.4	30.5
Total, all sources:	166,902	194,730	18,114	131,862	16,123	14,661	153,613	-9.1	-19.1	16.5

Table 31.--Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1982		1983		1984		Percentage change				
	(1)	(2)	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	(7)	
								(5)	(3)	(4)	
											(10)
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	514	526	554	525	-	489	517	-	-11.7	-1.5	
France-----	590	578	559	581	551	591	610	7.3	5.7	5.0	
Italy-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	614	617	626	622	542	575	618	6.1	-8.1	-0.6	
United Kingdom-----	437	427	-	427	1,085	-	286	-	-	-33.0	
West Germany-----	585	581	529	568	595	583	584	-2.0	10.2	2.8	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	584	581	551	576	563	561	583	-0.4	1.8	1.2	
Brazil-----	471	-	-	-	-	-	513	-	-	-	
Canada-----	554	513	525	513	443	515	485	16.3	-1.9	-5.5	
Japan-----	588	572	564	577	546	541	540	-0.9	-4.1	-6.4	
Republic of Korea-----	245	504	519	500	558	504	536	-9.7	-2.9	7.2	
Spain-----	414	461	452	461	-	519	501	-	14.8	8.7	
All other-----	426	321	501	280	458	467	462	2.0	-6.8	65.0	
Total, all sources:	574	547	553	543	528	536	536	1.5	-3.1	-1.3	

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

Table 32.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, 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-----	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
1983:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	222,900	72,346	36,343	897	294,349	24.6	12.3
April-June-----	211,606	61,385	16,979	1,570	271,421	22.6	6.3
1984:							
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
March-----	75,560	18,924	10,561	406	94,078	20.1	11.2
April-----	77,545	14,726	7,647	349	91,922	16.0	8.3
May-----	68,686	14,567	1,337	267	82,986	17.6	1.6
June-----	65,375	32,092	7,995	954	96,513	33.3	8.3
July-----	49,795	20,472	5,453	475	69,792	29.3	7.8
August-----	44,320	18,133	5,915	1,658	60,795	29.8	9.7
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985-----	-11.0	-11.4	8.5	249.1	-12.9	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984-----	-40.9	-1.7	-33.7	552.8	-34.8	-	-

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 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	3,037	10,897	278	5,533	1,388	1,199	7,727	-13.6	331.3	39.7
France-----	13,317	27,528	513	16,356	3,004	2,661	16,912	-11.4	418.7	3.4
Italy-----	1/	0	0	0	0	0	3	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0
United Kingdom-----	3,526	3,074	0	3,074	1,027	0	5,771	-100.0	-	87.7
West Germany-----	26,661	47,271	8,131	33,635	33	2,056	34,277	2/	-74.7	1.9
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	46,541	88,770	8,922	58,597	5,453	5,915	64,690	8.5	-33.7	10.4
Brazil-----	0	6	6	6	0	0	402	-	-100.0	2/
Canada-----	15,490	53,096	3,246	36,140	3,139	4,883	29,079	55.6	50.4	-19.5
Japan-----	44,194	86,487	4,767	49,374	11,707	6,752	76,049	-42.3	41.6	54.0
Republic of Korea-----	968	7,821	1,461	5,266	174	491	1,460	182.2	-66.4	-72.3
Spain-----	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	214	515	46	515	0	91	657	-	97.8	27.6
Total, all sources:	107,471	236,694	18,448	149,898	20,472	18,133	172,336	-11.4	-1.7	15.0
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	1,353	4,416	129	2,212	491	569	3,254	15.9	341.1	47.1
France-----	4,478	9,313	224	5,437	1,010	1,026	6,283	1.6	358.0	15.6
Italy-----	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0
United Kingdom-----	1,109	941	0	941	332	0	1,918	-100.0	-	103.8
West Germany-----	11,083	16,279	2,855	11,269	14	757	13,369	2/	-73.5	18.6
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	18,024	30,952	3,210	19,861	1,847	2,352	24,835	27.3	-26.7	25.0
Brazil-----	0	3	3	3	0	0	217	-	-100.0	2/
Canada-----	2,885	8,968	468	6,858	534	527	5,183	-1.3	12.6	-24.4
Japan-----	20,530	36,612	1,976	20,111	5,583	3,299	36,326	-40.9	67.0	80.6
Republic of Korea-----	401	2,550	466	1,710	140	171	606	22.1	-63.3	-64.6
Spain-----	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	82	173	22	171	0	34	221	-	54.5	29.2
Total, all sources:	41,952	79,259	6,146	48,713	8,105	6,383	67,388	-21.2	3.9	38.3

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	446	405	465	400	353	474	421	34.3	1.9	5.3
France-----	336	338	437	332	336	386	372	14.9	-11.7	12.0
Italy-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,734	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	-	4,545	4,545	4,545	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	315	306	-	306	323	-	332	-	-	8.5
West Germany-----	416	344	351	335	435	368	390	-15.4	4.8	16.4
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	387	349	360	339	339	398	384	17.4	10.6	13.3
Brazil-----	-	562	562	562	-	-	540	-	-	-3.9
Canada-----	186	169	144	190	170	108	178	-36.5	-25.0	-6.3
Japan-----	465	423	415	407	477	489	478	2.5	17.8	17.4
Republic of Korea-----	414	326	319	325	803	349	415	-56.5	9.4	27.7
Spain-----	447	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other-----	385	337	486	331	-	371	336	-	-23.7	1.5
Total, all sources:	390	335	333	325	396	352	391	-11.1	5.7	20.3

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: <sup>1/</sup> 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-----	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:							
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
1985:							
January-March-----	63,203	23,259	22,392	64	86,398	26.9	25.9
April-June-----	68,110	21,971	20,197	284	89,797	24.5	22.5
1984:							
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
March-----	24,075	6,216	5,805	42	30,249	20.5	19.2
April-----	22,069	3,359	3,079	276	25,152	13.4	12.2
May-----	21,997	9,433	9,073	8	31,422	30.0	28.9
June-----	24,044	9,179	8,044	0	33,223	27.6	24.2
July-----	28,487	7,602	6,455	127	35,962	21.1	17.9
August-----	34,569	6,043	5,066	0	40,612	14.9	12.5
Percentage change:							
Aug. 1985/July 1985----	21.4	-20.5	-21.5	100.0	12.9	-	-
Aug. 1985/Aug. 1984----	52.4	-5.8	-16.3	100.0	39.7	-	-

<sup>1/</sup> 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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1983				1984			Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Quantity										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	18,747	24,687	2,666	11,718	976	1,350	17,477	38.3	-49.4	49.1
France-----	16,798	18,074	2,114	10,499	2,405	1,777	13,692	-26.1	-15.9	30.4
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	13,511	9,206	725	5,636	2,046	973	9,595	-52.4	34.2	70.2
West Germany-----	10,203	21,224	545	9,579	1,027	965	13,276	-6.0	77.1	38.6
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	59,259	73,192	6,051	37,432	6,455	5,066	54,109	-21.5	-16.3	44.6
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada-----	9,775	7,412	366	4,959	1,106	977	4,724	-11.7	166.9	-4.7
Japan-----	15	29	0	29	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Republic of Korea-----	0	76	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	0	0	0	0	42	0	42	-100.0	-	-
Total, all sources:	69,050	80,708	6,417	42,420	7,602	6,043	58,875	-20.5	-5.8	38.8
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--	7,508	9,370	1,016	4,247	314	433	6,492	37.9	-57.4	52.9
France-----	6,442	6,863	848	3,869	778	567	4,672	-27.1	-33.1	20.8
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	4,406	3,046	244	1,873	646	295	3,132	-54.3	20.9	67.2
West Germany-----	3,943	8,038	209	3,382	349	350	4,859	0.3	67.5	43.7
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	22,299	27,317	2,318	13,372	2,086	1,645	19,198	-21.1	-29.0	43.6
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Canada-----	4,439	3,518	163	2,218	491	437	2,024	-11.0	168.1	-8.7
Japan-----	6	7	0	7	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0
Republic of Korea-----	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
All other-----	0	0	0	0	17	0	17	-100.0	-	-
Total, all sources:	26,744	30,862	2,481	15,596	2,595	2,082	21,240	-19.8	-16.1	36.2

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, 1982, 1983, and by specified periods, 1983 and 1984--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)											
Source	1983				1984				Percentage change		
	1982	1983	Aug.	Year to date	July	Aug.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (3)	(7) from (4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	400	380	381	362	321	321	371	0.0	-15.7	2.5	
France-----	384	380	401	369	323	319	341	-1.2	-20.4	-7.6	
Italy-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	326	331	337	332	316	303	326	-4.1	-10.1	-1.8	
West Germany-----	386	379	384	353	340	363	366	6.8	-5.5	3.7	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	640	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	376	373	383	357	323	325	355	0.6	-15.1	-0.6	
Brazil-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Canada-----	454	475	445	447	444	447	428	0.7	0.4	-4.3	
Japan-----	404	242	-	242	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Republic of Korea-----	-	267	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	416	-	416	-	-	-	
Total, all sources:	387	382	387	368	341	344	361	0.9	-11.1	-1.9	

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

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

Product	September 1985	Percentage change, September from August	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	-	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	478
Wire rod-----	447	-	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	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>4/</u> -----	876	-	838	10/84	797
Standard rails, No. 1-----	<u>5/</u>	-	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	487
Sheet piling-----	<u>5/</u>	-	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	529

1/ Mill base list prices; transaction prices are likely to differ. Prices shown for September 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/ Price unchanged since October 1982.

4/ 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.

5/ Not available.

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





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