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Preface

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

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

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

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

Notes on product coverage

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).

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

	Production		Employment		
	Raw steel	Capability utilization	Total	Employees receiving wages	Employees on layoff or short work week 4/
	1,000 short tons	Percent		<u>Thousands</u>	
1981--	120,828	78.3	391	286	93
1982--	72,903	47.3	289	198	178
1981:					
January-March	32,363	84.1	397	293	5/
April-June	33,068	85.0	404	298	5/
July-September	29,898	76.9	397	292	5/
October-December	24,636	63.4	369	265	93
1982:					
January-March	22,970	60.7	342	243	107
April-June	19,711	51.2	307	212	135
July-September	16,555	42.7	272	183	157
October-December	14,265	36.7	238	157	178
1982:					
January	7,737	59.3	353	252	86
February	7,178	60.9	341	242	91
March	8,049	61.7	331	234	107
April	7,006	55.2	321	224	116
May	6,678	50.9	306	210	135
June	6,050	47.7	295	201	135
July	5,719	43.8	283	192	139
August	5,538	42.4	273	185	151
September	5,299	41.9	259	173	157
October	5,262	40.2	247	164	169
November	4,546	35.9	231	151	174
December	4,456	34.0	235	156	178
1983:					
January	5,570	43.4	230	153	174
Percentage change:					
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982--	25.0	-	-2.1	-1.9	-2.2
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982--	-28.0	-	-34.8	-39.3	102.3

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

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

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

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

5/ Not available.

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

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Producers' shipments			Exports			Total	From	
	Total	From EC					Total	From	EC
1,000 short tons									
1981-----:	87,014	19,898	6,482	2,904		104,008	19.1		6.2
1982-----:	59,783	16,683	5,617	1,842		74,624	22.4		7.5
1981:									
January-March-----:	23,415	3,657	800	729		26,343	13.9		3.0
April-June-----:	24,236	5,199	1,605	830		28,605	18.2		5.6
July-September-----:	21,266	5,637	2,035	640		26,263	21.5		7.7
October-December-----:	18,097	5,405	2,042	705		22,797	23.7		9.0
1982:									
January-March-----:	17,200	4,925	1,547	524		21,601	22.8		7.2
April-June-----:	16,004	4,509	1,630	522		19,991	22.6		8.2
July-September-----:	13,962	3,754	1,145	456		17,260	21.7		6.6
October-December-----:	12,632	3,495	1,295	337		15,790	22.1		8.2
1982:									
January-----:	5,608	1,969	744	173		7,404	26.6		10.0
February-----:	5,434	1,600	411	154		6,880	23.3		6.0
March-----:	6,163	1,356	392	197		7,322	18.5		5.4
April-----:	5,488	1,029	319	148		6,369	16.2		5.0
May-----:	5,149	1,696	564	194		6,651	25.5		8.5
June-----:	5,372	1,784	747	180		6,976	25.6		10.7
July-----:	4,514	1,113	395	146		5,481	20.3		7.2
August-----:	4,724	1,451	364	152		6,023	24.1		6.0
September-----:	4,760	1,191	386	158		5,793	20.6		6.7
October-----:	4,309	1,146	346	133		5,322	21.5		6.5
November-----:	4,088	1,258	493	106		5,240	24.0		9.4
December-----:	4,234	1,091	455	97		5,228	20.9		8.7
1983:									
January-----:	4,583	1,098	382	95		5,586	19.7		6.8
Percentage change:									
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----:	8.2	0.6	-16.0	-2.1		6.8			
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----:	-18.3	-44.2	-48.7	-45.1		-24.6			

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

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

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

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change		
	1981	1982		Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	from	(6)	(6)	(7)
			Jan.							(5)	(3)	(4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
	Quantity											
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	1,109	929	109	109	72	83	83	15.3	-23.9	-23.9		
France-----	1,289	998	113	113	75	93	93	24.0	-17.7	-17.7		
Italy-----	768	644	145	145	30	27	27	-10.0	-81.4	-81.4		
Netherlands-----	463	375	49	49	65	28	28	-56.9	-42.9	-42.9		
United Kingdom-----	574	486	75	75	38	36	36	-5.3	-52.0	-52.0		
West Germany-----	2,164	2,080	237	237	174	115	115	-33.9	-51.5	-51.5		
All other-----	115	104	17	17	2/	2/	2/	-	+	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	6,482	5,617	744	744	455	382	382	-16.0	-48.7	-48.7		
Brazil-----	548	605	98	98	50	74	74	48.0	-24.5	-24.5		
Canada-----	2,899	1,844	164	164	96	121	121	26.0	-26.2	-26.2		
Japan-----	6,220	5,185	581	581	273	267	267	-2.2	-54.0	-54.0		
Republic of Korea-----	1,218	1,062	90	90	50	76	76	52.0	-15.6	-15.6		
Spain-----	730	547	89	89	19	13	13	-31.6	-85.4	-85.4		
All other-----	1,801	1,823	202	202	148	165	165	11.5	-18.3	-18.3		
Total, all sources:	19,898	16,683	1,969	1,969	1,091	1,098	1,098	0.6	-44.2	-44.2		
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	467,481	373,754	49,227	49,227	24,122	26,078	26,078	8.1	-47.0	-47.0		
France-----	598,542	532,405	64,758	64,758	33,272	37,471	37,471	12.6	-42.1	-42.1		
Italy-----	442,968	424,191	102,063	102,063	18,599	17,186	17,186	-7.6	-83.2	-83.2		
Netherlands-----	168,841	134,262	17,162	17,162	21,459	8,160	8,160	-62.0	-52.5	-52.5		
United Kingdom-----	321,132	279,582	55,833	55,833	14,710	16,927	16,927	15.1	-69.7	-69.7		
West Germany-----	1,193,251	1,127,679	148,549	148,549	63,473	46,194	46,194	-27.2	-68.9	-68.9		
All other-----	49,964	49,337	8,312	8,312	32	177	177	453.1	-97.9	-97.9		
Subtotal, EC-----	3,242,179	2,921,211	445,905	445,905	175,668	152,193	152,193	-13.4	-65.9	-65.9		
Brazil-----	235,752	233,995	41,577	41,577	14,279	22,128	22,128	55.0	-46.8	-46.8		
Canada-----	1,294,673	854,966	77,752	77,752	42,647	50,225	50,225	17.8	-35.4	-35.4		
Japan-----	3,731,750	3,448,082	387,517	387,517	136,532	128,380	128,380	-6.0	-66.9	-66.9		
Republic of Korea-----	538,939	447,813	44,053	44,053	19,297	27,030	27,030	40.1	-38.6	-38.6		
Spain-----	340,364	245,466	45,430	45,430	7,372	7,043	7,043	-4.5	-84.5	-84.5		
All other-----	864,004	806,863	106,017	106,017	48,494	55,510	55,510	14.5	-47.6	-47.6		
Total, all sources:	10,247,660	8,958,396	1,148,251	1,148,251	444,290	442,510	442,510	-0.4	-61.5	-61.5		

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
Source			1982			1983			Percentage change		
			Year to		Year to		from		from		
			Jan.		Dec.		Jan.		date		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	421.69	402.13	452.95	452.95	333.07	315.11	315.11	-5.4	-30.4	-30.4	
France-----:	464.22	533.66	574.06	574.06	442.52	403.19	403.19	-8.9	-29.8	-29.8	
Italy-----:	576.70	659.06	705.73	705.73	622.31	639.12	639.12	2.7	-9.4	-9.4	
Netherlands-----:	365.00	357.57	348.70	348.70	330.29	289.59	289.59	-12.3	-17.0	-17.0	
United Kingdom-----:	559.77	574.71	740.31	740.31	386.27	471.39	471.39	22.0	-36.3	-36.3	
West Germany-----:	551.32	542.11	626.99	626.99	364.22	401.83	401.83	10.3	-35.9	-35.9	
All other-----:	432.74	473.71	502.60	502.60	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----:	500.17	520.07	599.17	599.17	386.16	398.37	398.37	3.2	-33.5	-33.5	
Brazil-----:	430.29	386.99	424.90	424.90	283.11	297.52	297.52	5.1	-30.0	-30.0	
Canada-----:	446.62	463.59	475.26	475.26	445.87	416.46	416.46	-6.6	-12.4	-12.4	
Japan-----:	599.95	664.99	666.54	666.54	500.33	481.05	481.05	-3.9	-27.8	-27.8	
Republic of Korea-----:	442.35	421.65	487.10	487.10	384.83	355.28	355.28	-7.7	-27.1	-27.1	
Spain-----:	466.37	448.57	507.81	507.81	394.63	547.63	547.63	38.8	7.8	7.8	
All other-----:	479.66	442.69	525.48	525.48	328.06	336.74	336.74	2.6	-35.9	-35.9	
Total, all sources:	515.00	536.98	583.26	583.26	407.41	403.13	403.13	-1.1	-30.9	-30.9	

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

2/Negligible.

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

Table 4.--Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption				
	Producers' shipments		From Total EC			From Total EC	From Total EC	From Total EC		
	Total	From EC								
Short tons										
1981-----:	60,851,891	: 10,879,553	: 4,172,631	: 1,412,249	: 70,319,195	: 15.5	: 5.9			
1982-----:	43,715,615	: 9,182,789	: 3,616,353	: 707,001	: 52,191,403	: 17.6	: 6.9			
1981: : : : : : : : :										
January-March-----:	16,672,186	: 1,896,831	: 465,030	: 338,701	: 18,230,316	: 10.4	: 2.6			
April-June-----:	17,066,789	: 2,771,092	: 985,275	: 386,102	: 19,451,779	: 14.2	: 5.1			
July-September-----:	14,799,761	: 3,109,972	: 1,281,450	: 330,491	: 17,579,242	: 17.7	: 7.3			
October-December-----:	12,313,155	: 3,101,658	: 1,440,876	: 356,956	: 15,057,857	: 20.6	: 9.6			
1982: : : : : : : : :										
January-March-----:	11,973,249	: 2,481,673	: 843,499	: 199,659	: 14,255,263	: 17.4	: 5.9			
April-June-----:	11,587,556	: 2,366,535	: 957,330	: 182,115	: 13,771,976	: 17.2	: 7.0			
July-September-----:	10,548,946	: 2,039,232	: 768,152	: 177,327	: 12,410,851	: 16.4	: 6.2			
October-December-----:	9,605,864	: 2,295,349	: 1,047,373	: 147,900	: 11,753,313	: 19.5	: 8.9			
1982: : : : : : : : :										
January-----:	3,832,214	: 1,047,009	: 404,290	: 75,716	: 4,803,507	: 21.8	: 8.4			
February-----:	3,770,702	: 786,262	: 215,286	: 56,917	: 4,500,047	: 17.5	: 4.8			
March-----:	4,375,554	: 648,402	: 223,923	: 67,026	: 4,956,930	: 13.1	: 4.5			
April-----:	3,889,430	: 421,042	: 137,264	: 61,734	: 4,248,738	: 9.9	: 3.2			
May-----:	3,701,221	: 876,421	: 313,140	: 73,234	: 4,504,408	: 19.5	: 7.0			
June-----:	3,998,259	: 1,069,073	: 506,926	: 47,147	: 5,020,185	: 21.3	: 10.1			
July-----:	3,422,523	: 543,360	: 236,586	: 58,237	: 3,907,646	: 13.9	: 6.1			
August-----:	3,569,432	: 807,602	: 247,105	: 63,776	: 4,313,258	: 18.7	: 5.7			
September-----:	3,585,692	: 688,270	: 284,461	: 55,314	: 4,218,648	: 16.3	: 6.7			
October-----:	3,245,143	: 742,010	: 292,311	: 51,858	: 3,935,295	: 18.9	: 7.4			
November-----:	3,076,907	: 819,562	: 374,321	: 49,138	: 3,847,331	: 21.3	: 9.7			
December-----:	3,284,189	: 733,777	: 380,741	: 46,904	: 3,971,062	: 18.5	: 9.6			
1983: : : : : : : : :										
January-----:	3,487,617	: 769,777	: 298,364	: 45,525	: 4,211,869	: 18.3	: 7.1			
Percentage change: : : : : : : : :										
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982----:	6.2	: 4.9	: -21.6	: -2.9	: 6.1	: -	: -			
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982----:	-9.0	: -26.5	: -26.2	: -39.9	: -12.3	: -	: -			
: : : : : : : :										

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

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

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

Table 5.--Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
	1981	1982	Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	date	Year to date	from	(6)	(6)	(7)		
			Jan.						(5)	(3)	(4)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
			Quantity										
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	946,339	807,894	95,534	95,534	64,679	74,176	74,176	14.7	-22.4	-22.4			
France-----:	994,540	690,127	77,916	77,916	66,887	81,935	81,935	22.5	5.2	5.2			
Italy-----:	188,377	220,543	48,654	48,654	12,592	7,643	7,643	-39.3	-84.3	-84.3			
Netherlands-----:	425,205	319,856	47,390	47,390	62,171	20,892	20,892	-66.4	-55.9	-55.9			
United Kingdom-----:	371,024	270,384	11,223	11,223	35,444	31,233	31,233	-11.9	178.3	178.3			
West Germany-----:	1,201,272	1,287,415	123,573	123,573	138,969	82,289	82,289	-40.8	-33.4	-33.4			
All other-----:	45,874	20,134	0	0	0	196	196	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC-----:	4,172,631	3,616,353	404,290	404,290	380,741	298,364	298,364	-21.6	-26.2	-26.2			
Brazil-----:	388,044	387,746	63,574	63,574	24,630	56,371	56,371	128.9	-11.3	-11.3			
Canada-----:	1,515,710	1,113,562	92,560	92,560	58,145	72,421	72,421	24.6	-21.8	-21.8			
Japan-----:	2,896,452	2,323,987	262,248	262,248	188,919	189,361	189,361	0.2	-27.8	-27.8			
Republic of Korea-----:	344,587	372,057	24,012	24,012	13,837	36,817	36,817	166.1	53.3	53.3			
Spain-----:	464,154	365,826	62,886	62,886	7,897	8,517	8,517	7.9	-86.5	-86.5			
All other-----:	1,097,974	1,003,257	137,438	137,438	59,609	107,926	107,926	81.1	-21.5	-21.5			
Total, all sources:	10,879,553	9,182,789	1,047,009	1,047,009	733,777	769,777	769,777	4.9	-26.5	-26.5			
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	344,900	276,226	36,673	36,673	20,248	21,086	21,086	4.1	-42.5	-42.5			
France-----:	362,291	258,495	30,902	30,902	24,853	26,954	26,954	8.5	-12.8	-12.8			
Italy-----:	70,219	74,115	19,039	19,039	4,289	2,799	2,799	-34.7	-85.3	-85.3			
Netherlands-----:	146,075	108,117	15,833	15,833	19,487	6,461	6,461	-66.8	-59.2	-59.2			
United Kingdom-----:	151,730	105,676	5,312	5,312	11,341	10,942	10,942	-3.5	106.0	106.0			
West Germany-----:	469,068	478,641	51,330	51,330	46,657	28,607	28,607	-38.7	-44.3	-44.3			
All other-----:	16,986	7,451	0	0	0	63	63	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC-----:	1,561,268	1,308,720	159,088	159,088	126,875	96,912	96,912	-23.6	-39.1	-39.1			
Brazil-----:	139,975	117,626	23,148	23,148	5,606	14,746	14,746	146.0	-36.3	-36.3			
Canada-----:	561,138	420,491	34,379	34,379	21,226	27,000	27,000	27.2	-21.5	-21.5			
Japan-----:	1,223,351	997,281	110,910	110,910	76,797	78,153	78,153	1.8	-29.5	-29.5			
Republic of Korea-----:	124,144	125,173	9,552	9,552	4,489	11,098	11,098	147.2	16.2	16.2			
Spain-----:	175,070	135,502	27,117	27,117	2,252	2,773	2,773	23.1	-89.8	-89.8			
All other-----:	391,040	328,488	50,945	50,945	17,561	30,387	30,387	73.0	-40.4	-40.4			
Total, all sources:	4,175,987	3,433,281	415,139	415,139	254,806	261,069	261,069	2.5	-37.1	-37.1			

See footnote at end of table.

Table 5.--Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change		
				Year to			Year to					
				Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	from	from	
				:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	364.46	341.91	383.88	383.88	313.05	284.27	284.27	-9.2	-25.9	-25.9	-25.9	
France-----:	364.28	374.56	396.60	396.60	371.57	328.97	328.97	-11.5	-17.1	-17.1	-17.1	
Italy-----:	372.76	336.06	391.30	391.30	340.65	366.20	366.20	7.5	-6.4	-6.4	-6.4	
Netherlands-----:	343.54	338.02	334.11	334.11	313.44	309.24	309.24	-1.3	-7.4	-7.4	-7.4	
United Kingdom-----:	408.95	390.84	473.31	473.31	319.96	350.33	350.33	9.5	-26.0	-26.0	-26.0	
West Germany-----:	390.48	371.78	415.38	415.38	335.74	347.64	347.64	3.5	-16.3	-16.3	-16.3	
All other-----:	370.27	370.05	-	-	-	319.73	319.73	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----:	374.17	361.89	393.50	393.50	333.23	324.81	324.81	-2.5	-17.5	-17.5	-17.5	
Brazil-----:	360.72	303.36	364.10	364.10	227.60	261.58	261.58	14.9	-28.2	-28.2	-28.2	
Canada-----:	370.21	377.61	371.42	371.42	365.05	372.82	372.82	2.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	
Japan-----:	422.36	429.13	422.92	422.92	406.51	412.72	412.72	1.5	-2.4	-2.4	-2.4	
Republic of Korea-----:	360.27	336.43	397.81	397.81	324.44	301.44	301.44	-7.1	-24.2	-24.2	-24.2	
Spain-----:	377.18	370.40	431.20	431.20	285.18	325.61	325.61	14.2	-24.5	-24.5	-24.5	
All other-----:	356.15	327.42	370.68	370.68	294.61	281.56	281.56	-4.4	-24.0	-24.0	-24.0	
Total, all sources:	383.84	373.88	396.50	396.50	347.25	339.15	339.15	-2.3	-14.5	-14.5	-14.5	

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

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

Table 6.--Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments	From		Exports	Apparent consumption	Total	From
		Total	EC				EC
<u>Short tons</u>							
1981-----	12,621,451	: 2,150,203	: 1,207,203	: 131,252	: 14,640,402	: 14.7	: 8.2
1982-----	8,564,575	: 1,752,969	: 888,508	: 37,012	: 10,280,532	: 17.1	: 8.6
1981:							
January-March-----	3,326,119	: 259,402	: 80,110	: 10,124	: 3,575,397	: 7.3	: 2.2
April-June-----	3,609,346	: 482,064	: 236,322	: 21,906	: 4,069,504	: 11.8	: 5.8
July-September-----	3,113,255	: 639,737	: 397,357	: 31,384	: 3,721,608	: 17.2	: 10.7
October-December-----	2,572,731	: 769,000	: 493,414	: 67,837	: 3,273,894	: 23.5	: 15.1
1982:							
January-March-----	2,333,294	: 524,143	: 223,880	: 10,307	: 2,847,130	: 18.4	: 7.9
April-June-----	2,291,450	: 423,067	: 230,846	: 9,654	: 2,704,863	: 15.6	: 8.5
July-September-----	2,069,405	: 353,899	: 169,601	: 10,917	: 2,412,387	: 14.7	: 7.0
October-December-----	1,870,426	: 451,860	: 264,180	: 6,133	: 2,316,153	: 19.5	: 11.4
1982:							
January-----	738,623	: 225,888	: 104,382	: 2,775	: 961,736	: 23.5	: 10.9
February-----	720,657	: 178,753	: 61,749	: 3,420	: 895,990	: 20.0	: 6.9
March-----	886,764	: 119,502	: 57,750	: 4,113	: 1,002,153	: 11.9	: 5.8
April-----	771,148	: 73,831	: 31,189	: 2,778	: 842,201	: 8.8	: 3.7
May-----	728,135	: 156,476	: 64,117	: 4,495	: 880,116	: 17.8	: 7.3
June-----	804,895	: 192,760	: 135,540	: 2,381	: 995,274	: 19.4	: 13.6
July-----	718,204	: 107,671	: 71,271	: 3,277	: 822,598	: 13.1	: 8.7
August-----	706,677	: 146,378	: 53,547	: 2,999	: 850,056	: 17.2	: 6.3
September-----	641,989	: 99,849	: 44,783	: 4,642	: 737,196	: 13.5	: 6.1
October-----	628,408	: 137,837	: 66,540	: 2,603	: 763,642	: 18.0	: 8.7
November-----	610,556	: 160,203	: 106,818	: 1,485	: 769,274	: 20.8	: 13.9
December-----	628,197	: 153,820	: 90,823	: 2,045	: 779,972	: 19.7	: 11.6
1983:							
January-----	736,190	: 167,368	: 80,710	: 3,531	: 900,027	: 18.6	: 9.0
Percentage change:							
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982----	17.2	: 8.8	: -11.1	: 72.7	: 15.4	: -	: -
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982----	-0.3	: -25.9	: -22.7	: 27.2	: -6.4	: -	: -

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 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, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
	1981	1982	Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	from	from	(6)	(6)	(7)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
Quantity													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	107,995	89,985	10,544	10,544	4,202	18,213	18,213	333.4	72.7	72.7			
France-----:	456,741	195,636	27,604	27,604	18,254	32,986	32,986	80.7	19.5	19.5			
Italy-----:	69,534	61,060	6,405	6,405	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0			
Netherlands-----:	253,514	128,502	27,287	27,287	28,488	12,239	12,239	-57.0	-55.1	-55.1			
United Kingdom-----:	327	14,772	328	328	2,864	1,947	1,947	-32.0	493.6	493.6			
West Germany-----:	319,093	398,554	32,214	32,214	37,015	15,325	15,325	-58.6	-52.4	-52.4			
All other-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC-----:	1,207,203	888,508	104,382	104,382	90,823	80,710	80,710	-11.1	-22.7	-22.7			
Brazil-----:	3,902	62,895	991	991	6,231	11,809	11,809	89.5	1/	1/			
Canada-----:	184,862	118,307	9,276	9,276	8,070	11,149	11,149	38.2	20.2	20.2			
Japan-----:	522,603	383,073	51,940	51,940	37,825	28,723	28,723	-24.1	-44.7	-44.7			
Republic of Korea-----:	73,583	152,335	6,374	6,374	5,433	15,110	15,110	178.1	137.1	137.1			
Spain-----:	5,142	4,851	788	788	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0			
All other-----:	152,908	143,000	52,136	52,136	5,438	19,867	19,867	265.3	-61.9	-61.9			
Total, all sources:	2,150,203	1,752,969	225,888	225,888	153,820	167,368	167,368	8.8	-25.9	-25.9			
Value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	34,782	25,310	3,317	3,317	929	4,778	4,778	414.3	44.0	44.0			
France-----:	137,311	60,188	8,828	8,828	5,086	8,676	8,676	70.6	-1.7	-1.7			
Italy-----:	20,596	16,968	2,219	2,219	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0			
Netherlands-----:	79,442	37,133	8,409	8,409	7,485	3,580	3,580	-52.2	-57.4	-57.4			
United Kingdom-----:	179	3,512	141	141	580	425	425	-26.7	201.4	201.4			
West Germany-----:	99,783	117,523	10,168	10,168	10,385	4,198	4,198	-59.6	-58.7	-58.7			
All other-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC-----:	372,093	260,634	33,083	33,083	24,465	21,657	21,657	-11.5	-34.5	-34.5			
Brazil-----:	1,408	16,831	314	314	1,357	3,068	3,068	126.1	877.1	877.1			
Canada-----:	61,515	39,237	3,475	3,475	2,438	3,726	3,726	52.8	7.2	7.2			
Japan-----:	174,621	127,340	17,075	17,075	12,090	8,786	8,786	-27.3	-48.5	-48.5			
Republic of Korea-----:	22,564	44,263	2,142	2,142	1,497	3,875	3,875	158.9	80.9	80.9			
Spain-----:	1,325	1,261	202	202	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0			
All other-----:	43,645	38,706	14,708	14,708	1,272	4,711	4,711	270.4	-68.0	-68.0			
Total, all sources:	677,173	528,272	71,000	71,000	43,119	45,822	45,822	6.3	-35.5	-35.5			

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, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change	
				Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	(6)	(6)	(7)
	1981	1982		Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	from	(5)	(3)	(4)
	(1)	(2)		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	322.08	281.27	314.60	314.60	221.00	262.35	262.35	18.7	-16.6	-16.6	
France-----	300.63	307.65	319.81	319.81	278.63	263.01	263.01	-5.6	-17.8	-17.8	
Italy-----	296.20	277.89	346.47	346.47	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	313.36	288.97	308.16	308.16	262.75	292.51	292.51	11.3	-5.1	-5.1	
United Kingdom-----	548.10	237.74	431.25	431.25	202.45	218.55	218.55	8.0	-49.3	-49.3	
West Germany-----	312.71	294.87	315.65	315.65	280.57	273.93	273.93	-2.4	-13.2	-13.2	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	308.23	293.34	316.94	316.94	269.37	268.33	268.33	-0.4	-15.3	-15.3	
Brazil-----	360.86	267.61	317.31	317.31	217.80	259.79	259.79	19.3	-18.1	-18.1	
Canada-----	332.76	331.66	374.64	374.64	302.14	334.19	334.19	10.6	-10.8	-10.8	
Japan-----	334.14	332.42	328.75	328.75	319.62	305.87	305.87	-4.3	-7.0	-7.0	
Republic of Korea-----	306.65	290.56	336.03	336.03	275.46	256.43	256.43	-6.9	-23.7	-23.7	
Spain-----	257.70	260.02	255.98	255.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other-----	285.43	270.67	282.11	282.11	233.93	237.11	237.11	1.4	-16.0	-16.0	
Total, all sources:	314.93	301.36	314.31	314.31	280.32	273.78	273.78	-2.3	-12.9	-12.9	

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 8.--Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments	Total	From EC			Total	From
							EC
<u>Short tons</u>						<u>Percent</u>	
1981-----:	1,450,365	6,430	2,679	87,097	1,369,698	0.5	0.2
1982-----:	966,795	7,641	3,226	46,105	928,331	0.8	0.3
1981:-----							
January-March-----:	397,724	696	324	19,305	379,115	0.2	0.1
April-June-----:	390,771	1,895	820	27,409	365,257	0.5	0.2
July-September-----:	388,364	1,745	685	21,754	368,355	0.5	0.2
October-December-----:	273,506	2,094	849	18,630	256,970	0.8	0.3
1982:-----							
January-March-----:	292,179	1,727	491	20,900	273,006	0.6	0.2
April-June-----:	263,457	1,221	554	17,168	247,510	0.5	0.2
July-September-----:	224,958	2,688	1,385	4,776	222,870	1.2	0.6
October-December-----:	186,201	2,006	796	3,260	184,947	1.1	0.4
1982:-----							
January-----:	98,252	343	147	16,316	82,279	0.4	0.2
February-----:	82,414	728	115	2,584	80,558	0.9	0.1
March-----:	106,892	655	229	2,000	105,547	0.6	0.2
April-----:	97,464	307	141	13,671	84,100	0.4	0.2
May-----:	74,072	321	150	1,606	72,787	0.4	0.2
June-----:	91,019	593	262	1,892	89,720	0.7	0.3
July-----:	82,419	924	676	982	82,361	1.1	0.8
August-----:	76,295	827	375	2,024	75,098	1.1	0.5
September-----:	66,197	937	334	1,771	65,363	1.4	0.5
October-----:	61,977	804	341	1,080	61,701	1.3	0.6
November-----:	59,702	669	277	970	59,401	1.1	0.5
December-----:	63,808	532	178	1,210	63,130	0.8	0.3
1983:-----							
January-----:	75,072	696	212	1,157	74,611	0.9	0.3
Percentage change:-----							
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----:	17.7	30.8	19.1	-4.4	18.2	-	-
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----:	-23.6	102.9	44.2	-92.9	-9.3	-	-

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

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

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

Table 9.--Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change
			Year to date		Year to date		from		from		
			Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Quantity											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
France-----	707	1,422	34	34	157	115	115	-26.8	238.2	238.2	
Italy-----	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	0	481	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	361	216	19	19	10	64	64	540.0	236.8	236.8	
West Germany-----	1,596	1,106	94	94	11	33	33	200.0	-64.9	-64.9	
All other-----	0	2/	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	2,679	3,226	147	147	178	212	212	19.1	44.2	44.2	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Canada-----	913	1,224	80	80	58	96	96	65.5	20.0	20.0	
Japan-----	2,158	2,491	19	19	285	317	317	11.2	3/	3/	
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Spain-----	20	247	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
All other-----	660	453	97	97	12	70	70	483.3	-27.8	-27.8	
Total, all sources:	6,430	7,641	343	343	532	696	696	30.8	102.9	102.9	
Value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
France-----	4,277	8,375	254	254	909	693	693	-23.8	172.8	172.8	
Italy-----	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	0	1,167	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	786	470	49	49	26	92	92	253.8	87.8	87.8	
West Germany-----	2,110	2,320	1,662	1,662	23	71	71	208.7	-95.7	-95.7	
All other-----	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	7,183	12,334	1,965	1,965	958	856	856	-10.6	-56.4	-56.4	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Canada-----	1,171	617	43	43	21	34	34	61.9	-20.9	-20.9	
Japan-----	2,544	4,212	99	99	361	275	275	-23.8	177.8	177.8	
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Spain-----	15	118	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
All other-----	1,992	1,448	304	304	98	204	204	108.2	-32.9	-32.9	
Total, all sources:	12,906	18,730	2,410	2,410	1,438	1,369	1,369	-4.8	-43.2	-43.2	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9.--Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change		
	1981	1982		Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	from	(6)	(6)	(7)
										(5)	(3)	(4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France-----	6,053.35	5,888.38	7,519.69	7,519.69	5,789.86	6,040.65	6,040.65	4.3	-19.7	-19.7	-19.7	
Italy-----	663.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	-	2,425.33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	2,177.92	2,177.28	2,536.41	2,536.41	2,662.57	1,435.85	1,435.85	-46.1	-43.4	-43.4		
West Germany-----	1,322.24	2,097.54	17,705.71	17,705.71	2,155.15	2,135.80	2,135.80	-0.9	-87.9	-87.9		
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	2,681.35	3,823.31	13,365.08	13,365.08	5,382.81	4,038.59	4,038.59	-25.0	-69.8	-69.8	-69.8	
Brazil-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-25.0	-69.8	-69.8	
Canada-----	1,282.74	504.33	532.91	532.91	368.94	353.29	353.29	-4.2	-33.7	-33.7	-33.7	
Japan-----	1,178.76	1,690.50	5,257.95	5,257.95	1,263.69	866.94	866.94	-31.4	-83.5	-83.5	-83.5	
Republic of Korea-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	767.50	479.34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other-----	3,019.72	3,197.63	3,115.86	3,115.86	8,393.54	2,911.34	2,911.34	-65.3	-6.6	-6.6		
Total, all sources:	2,007.10	2,451.19	7,025.56	7,025.56	2,703.57	1,967.48	1,967.48	-27.2	-72.0	-72.0	-72.0	

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

2/ Negligible.

3/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 10.--Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments	Total	From EC		Total	From EC
		<u>Short tons</u>				<u>Percent</u>
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
1981:						
January-March-----	3,735,056	183,916	73,147	12,093	3,906,879	4.7 : 1.9
April-June-----	4,054,469	340,051	147,099	12,855	4,381,665	7.8 : 3.4
July-September-----	3,328,184	487,501	280,902	13,036	3,802,649	12.8 : 7.4
October-December-----	2,630,653	570,736	331,262	7,980	3,193,409	17.9 : 10.4
1982:						
January-March-----	2,581,778	419,130	225,157	5,522	2,995,386	14.0 : 7.5
April-June-----	2,856,319	400,637	183,254	5,929	3,251,027	12.3 : 5.6
July-September-----	2,584,472	327,845	189,258	6,038	2,906,279	11.3 : 6.5
October-December-----	2,542,489	473,762	326,492	3,273	3,012,978	15.7 : 10.8
1982:						
January-----	829,402	219,041	138,847	1,233	1,047,210	20.9 : 13.3
February-----	774,011	119,503	47,589	2,823	890,691	13.4 : 5.3
March-----	977,796	80,586	38,721	1,466	1,056,916	7.6 : 3.7
April-----	952,857	42,155	19,244	2,591	992,421	4.2 : 2.0
May-----	903,892	155,347	54,857	1,525	1,057,714	14.7 : 5.2
June-----	1,008,375	203,135	109,152	1,812	1,209,698	16.8 : 9.0
July-----	841,985	65,763	43,453	1,979	905,769	7.3 : 4.8
August-----	876,978	137,507	62,130	2,569	1,011,916	13.6 : 6.1
September-----	865,509	124,575	83,675	1,490	988,594	12.6 : 8.5
October-----	834,084	171,168	101,892	1,261	1,003,991	17.0 : 10.1
November-----	785,991	166,691	118,261	637	952,045	17.5 : 12.4
December-----	927,112	135,904	106,339	1,376	1,061,640	12.8 : 10.0
1983:						
January-----	894,741	156,846	79,574	1,257	1,050,330	14.9 : 7.6
Percentage change:						
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982----	-3.5	15.4	-25.2	-8.6	-1.1	- : -
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982----	7.9	-28.4	-42.7	1.9	0.3	- : -

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

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

Table 11.--Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source	1981	1982		1982		1983		Percentage change				
			Year to		Year to		(6)	(6)	(7)			
			Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	from	from		
								(5)	(3)	(4)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Quantity												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	45,772	134,271	32,637	32,637	15,696	19,028	19,028	21.2	-41.7	-41.7		
France-----	158,061	141,474	18,972	18,972	16,395	20,956	20,956	27.8	10.5	10.5		
Italy-----	55,561	46,767	24,159	24,159	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Netherlands-----	146,374	162,864	18,323	18,323	29,776	8,284	8,284	-72.2	-54.8	-54.8		
United Kingdom-----	13,552	17,278	24	24	1,564	6,733	6,733	330.5	1/	1/		
West Germany-----	390,162	401,373	44,732	44,732	42,908	24,376	24,376	-43.2	-45.5	-45.5		
All other-----	22,928	20,134	0	0	0	196	196	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	832,410	924,161	138,847	138,847	106,339	79,574	79,574	-25.2	-42.7	-42.7		
Brazil-----	18,883	45,075	416	416	37	7,584	7,584	1/	1/	1/		
Canada-----	96,559	47,449	4,803	4,803	2,512	3,955	3,955	57.4	-17.7	-17.7		
Japan-----	400,923	304,310	32,104	32,104	22,479	34,879	34,879	55.2	8.6	8.6		
Republic of Korea-----	100,839	65,631	5,266	5,266	2,058	10,868	10,868	428.1	106.4	106.4		
Spain-----	62,576	48,058	20,956	20,956	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
All other-----	70,014	186,689	16,648	16,648	2,479	19,986	19,986	706.2	20.1	20.1		
Total, all sources:	1,582,204	1,621,374	219,041	219,041	135,904	156,846	156,846	15.4	-28.4	-28.4		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	19,007	48,631	13,707	13,707	4,819	5,655	5,655	17.3	-58.7	-58.7		
France-----	56,155	51,568	7,347	7,347	5,731	6,936	6,936	21.0	-5.6	-5.6		
Italy-----	21,836	18,394	10,275	10,275	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Netherlands-----	54,369	57,965	6,645	6,645	10,474	2,650	2,650	-74.7	-60.1	-60.1		
United Kingdom-----	5,717	6,786	40	40	551	2,217	2,217	302.4	1/	1/		
West Germany-----	152,793	147,459	17,977	17,977	14,214	8,312	8,312	-41.5	-53.8	-53.8		
All other-----	8,600	7,450	0	0	0	63	63	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	318,477	338,252	55,993	55,993	35,788	25,833	25,833	-27.8	-53.9	-53.9		
Brazil-----	7,733	15,218	181	181	21	2,388	2,388	1/	1/	1/		
Canada-----	40,693	20,414	2,119	2,119	956	1,623	1,623	69.8	-23.4	-23.4		
Japan-----	160,548	126,469	13,047	13,047	8,736	13,596	13,596	55.6	4.2	4.2		
Republic of Korea-----	38,483	24,219	2,065	2,065	724	3,688	3,688	409.4	78.6	78.6		
Spain-----	25,710	18,625	8,956	8,956	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
All other-----	23,563	62,057	6,830	6,830	848	5,851	5,851	590.0	-14.3	-14.3		
Total, all sources:	615,206	605,253	89,190	89,190	47,074	52,979	52,979	12.5	-40.6	-40.6		

See footnote at end of table.

Table 11.--Cold-rolled carbon sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change	
				Year to			Year to				
				Jan. date			Jan. date			from	
										from	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	415.25	:	362.19	:	419.98	:	419.98	:	307.05	:	297.19
France-----:	355.28	:	364.50	:	387.28	:	387.28	:	349.53	:	330.98
Italy-----:	393.01	:	393.30	:	425.32	:	425.32	:	-	:	-
Netherlands-----:	371.44	:	355.91	:	362.67	:	362.67	:	351.75	:	319.92
United Kingdom-----:	421.90	:	392.74	:	1,660.77	:	1,660.77	:	352.06	:	329.30
West Germany-----:	391.61	:	367.39	:	401.90	:	401.90	:	331.26	:	340.98
All other-----:	375.09	:	370.00	:	-	:	-	:	319.73	:	319.73
Subtotal, EC-----:	382.60	:	366.01	:	403.27	:	403.27	:	336.55	:	324.64
Brazil-----:	409.51	:	337.61	:	434.04	:	434.04	:	576.32	:	314.88
Canada-----:	421.43	:	430.22	:	441.19	:	441.19	:	380.44	:	410.34
Japan-----:	400.45	:	415.59	:	406.40	:	406.40	:	388.64	:	389.80
Republic of Korea----:	381.63	:	369.01	:	392.15	:	392.15	:	351.72	:	339.34
Spain-----:	410.85	:	387.54	:	427.38	:	427.38	:	-	:	-
All other-----:	336.54	:	332.41	:	410.23	:	410.23	:	342.21	:	292.76
Total, all sources:	388.83	:	373.30	:	407.19	:	407.19	:	346.37	:	337.77

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

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments			Exports			Total	From
		Total	From				Total	From
		EC					Total	EC
<u>Short tons</u>								
1981-----:	142,332	2,083	657	12,886	131,529	1.6	0.5	
1982-----:	147,302	1,588	475	5,201	143,689	1.1	0.3	
1981:								
January-March-----:	36,674	337	5	2,398	34,613	1.0	2/	
April-June-----:	34,767	559	29	3,566	31,760	1.8	0.1	
July-September-----:	41,091	386	42	3,760	37,717	1.0	0.1	
October-December-----:	29,800	800	580	3,162	27,438	2.9	2.1	
1982:								
January-March-----:	30,738	153	38	1,351	29,540	0.5	0.1	
April-June-----:	45,984	277	45	1,687	44,574	0.6	0.1	
July-September-----:	38,296	484	226	1,247	37,533	1.3	0.6	
October-December-----:	32,284	674	165	916	32,042	2.1	0.5	
1982:								
January-----:	8,363	54	9	369	8,048	0.7	0.1	
February-----:	9,414	47	15	629	8,832	0.5	0.2	
March-----:	12,961	51	14	352	12,660	0.4	0.1	
April-----:	16,262	41	19	596	15,707	0.3	0.1	
May-----:	14,544	129	10	787	13,886	0.9	0.1	
June-----:	15,170	107	17	303	14,974	0.7	0.1	
July-----:	12,681	177	63	591	12,267	1.4	0.5	
August-----:	11,356	219	158	253	11,322	1.9	1.4	
September-----:	15,084	88	6	404	14,768	0.6	2/	
October-----:	8,961	268	70	297	8,932	3.0	0.8	
November-----:	10,492	164	38	292	10,364	1.6	0.4	
December-----:	12,654	243	57	327	12,570	1.9	0.5	
1983:								
January-----:	13,654	194	46	457	13,391	1.4	0.3	
Percentage change:								
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----:	7.9	-20.2	-19.3	39.8	6.5	-	-	
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----:	63.3	259.3	411.1	23.8	66.4	-	-	

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

2/ Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 13.--Cold-rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source	1981		1982		1982		1983		Percentage change			
	Year to	Year to	Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	(6)	(6)	(7)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(5)	(3)	(4)		
	Quantity											
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	5	1/	0	0	1/	0	0	-	-	-	-	-
France-----	53	355	9	9	57	28	28	-50.9	211.1	211.1		
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
West Germany-----	598	120	0	0	0	18	18	-	-	-		
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	657	475	9	9	57	46	46	-19.3	411.1	411.1		
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Canada-----	41	358	1	1	81	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
Japan-----	655	419	25	25	82	95	95	15.9	280.0	280.0		
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Spain-----	12	83	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other-----	718	253	19	19	23	52	52	126.1	173.7	173.7		
Total, all sources:	2,083	1,588	54	54	243	194	194	-20.2	259.3	259.3		
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	10	4	0	0	4	0	0	-100.0	-	-		
France-----	433	1,412	80	80	265	177	177	-33.2	121.3	121.3		
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
West Germany-----	633	739	0	0	0	82	82	-	-	-		
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	1,075	2,155	80	80	269	260	260	-3.3	225.0	225.0		
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Canada-----	51	204	6	6	40	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
Japan-----	1,235	927	73	73	165	97	97	-41.2	32.9	32.9		
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Spain-----	9	41	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other-----	1,642	886	68	68	82	175	175	113.4	157.4	157.4		
Total, all sources:	4,012	4,214	227	227	555	532	532	-4.1	134.4	134.4		

See footnote at end of table.

Table 13.--Cold-rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
			Year to date		Year to date								
	1981		1982		Jan.		Dec.		Jan.				
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
	Unit value												
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,962.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	8,102.56	3,982.95	8,619.88	8,619.88	4,664.09	6,377.54	6,377.54	36.7	-26.0	-26.0			
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
West Germany	1,057.98	6,147.23	-	-	-	-	4,504.80	4,504.80	-	-			
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC	1,636.81	4,537.16	8,856.44	8,856.44	4,712.42	5,642.89	5,642.89	19.7	-36.3	-36.3			
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-36.3	-36.3			
Canada	1,241.22	570.36	4,990.83	4,990.83	487.04	-	-	-	-	-			
Japan	1,885.99	2,211.82	2,898.50	2,898.50	2,018.79	1,018.60	1,018.60	-49.5	-64.9	-64.9			
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Spain	767.52	495.13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
All other	2,286.92	3,507.21	3,602.29	3,602.29	3,502.42	3,354.45	3,354.45	-4.2	-6.9	-6.9			
Total, all sources	1,926.30	2,653.65	4,198.50	4,198.50	2,282.95	2,741.87	2,741.87	20.1	-34.7	-34.7			
1/Negligible.													

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

Table 14.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments			Exports			Total	From
	Total	From	EC				Total	From
				Short tons			Percent	
1981-----:	5,772,095	1,840,626	495,841	153,392	7,459,329	24.7	6.6	
1982-----:	3,037,915	1,152,274	327,439	84,245	4,105,944	28.1	8.0	
1981:								
January-March-----:	1,646,017	412,481	53,791	22,750	2,035,748	20.3	2.6	
April-June-----:	1,538,723	482,270	143,973	46,587	1,974,406	24.4	7.3	
July-September-----:	1,392,715	543,926	170,467	49,304	1,887,337	28.8	9.0	
October-December-----:	1,194,640	401,948	127,610	34,752	1,561,836	25.7	8.2	
1982:								
January-March-----:	1,103,794	310,612	73,655	22,627	1,391,779	22.3	5.3	
April-June-----:	760,346	335,876	108,924	8,914	1,087,308	30.9	10.0	
July-September-----:	596,999	263,430	81,387	22,909	837,520	31.5	9.7	
October-December-----:	576,776	242,356	63,473	29,795	789,337	30.7	8.0	
1982:								
January-----:	346,319	132,448	25,492	6,316	472,451	28.0	5.4	
February-----:	357,524	86,256	22,692	5,170	438,610	19.7	5.2	
March-----:	400,141	91,908	25,472	11,142	480,907	19.1	5.3	
April-----:	286,730	70,528	15,181	3,511	353,747	19.9	4.3	
May-----:	240,196	117,718	37,795	2,779	355,135	33.1	10.6	
June-----:	233,355	147,630	55,949	2,624	378,361	39.0	14.8	
July-----:	195,393	80,084	19,291	3,063	272,414	29.4	7.1	
August-----:	219,117	106,614	22,818	12,506	313,225	34.0	7.3	
September-----:	195,815	76,732	39,278	7,340	265,207	28.9	14.8	
October-----:	196,092	87,203	23,170	6,028	277,267	31.5	8.4	
November-----:	197,095	76,908	17,233	12,191	261,812	29.4	6.6	
December-----:	186,701	78,245	23,071	11,576	253,370	30.9	9.1	
1983:								
January-----:	191,670	52,235	6,130	1,511	242,394	21.5	2.5	
Percentage change:								
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----:	2.7	-33.2	-73.4	-86.9	-4.3	-	-	
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----:	-44.7	-60.6	-76.0	-76.1	-48.7	-	-	

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

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

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

Table 15.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source	1981		1982		1982			1983			Percentage change		
	Year to date	Jan.	Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	Jan.	Year to date	from	(5)	(3)	(4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
Quantity													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	300,885	177,833	15,808	15,808	6,416	4,441	4,441	-30.8	-71.9	-71.9	-71.9	-71.9	
France-----	18,153	10,318	1,283	1,283	1,241	539	539	-56.6	-58.0	-58.0	-58.0	-58.0	
Italy-----	17,445	60,476	4,969	4,969	6,966	236	236	-96.6	-95.3	-95.3	-95.3	-95.3	
Netherlands-----	4,623	2,660	540	540	1,266	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	
United Kingdom-----	35,340	25,102	771	771	428	81	81	-81.1	-89.5	-89.5	-89.5	-89.5	
West Germany-----	96,448	51,050	2,121	2,121	6,754	832	832	-87.7	-60.8	-60.8	-60.8	-60.8	
All other-----	22,946	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	495,841	327,439	25,492	25,492	23,071	6,130	6,130	-73.4	-76.0	-76.0	-76.0	-76.0	
Brazil-----	309,271	149,200	41,841	41,841	11,883	20,468	20,468	72.2	-51.1	-51.1	-51.1	-51.1	
Canada-----	227,923	149,196	11,641	11,641	8,936	6,597	6,597	-26.2	-43.3	-43.3	-43.3	-43.3	
Japan-----	30,608	52,939	9,033	9,033	1,796	1,172	1,172	-34.7	-87.0	-87.0	-87.0	-87.0	
Republic of Korea-----	114,977	90,496	4,762	4,762	2,968	1,412	1,412	-52.4	-70.3	-70.3	-70.3	-70.3	
Spain-----	99,404	75,793	65	65	81	17	17	-79.0	-73.8	-73.8	-73.8	-73.8	
All other-----	562,602	307,210	39,615	39,615	29,510	16,439	16,439	-44.3	-58.5	-58.5	-58.5	-58.5	
Total, all sources:	1,840,626	1,152,274	132,448	132,448	78,245	52,235	52,235	-33.2	-60.6	-60.6	-60.6	-60.6	
Value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	110,978	62,057	6,024	6,024	1,823	1,202	1,202	-34.1	-80.0	-80.0	-80.0	-80.0	
France-----	6,545	4,068	503	503	695	157	157	-77.4	-68.8	-68.8	-68.8	-68.8	
Italy-----	5,501	16,710	1,104	1,104	2,007	63	63	-96.9	-94.3	-94.3	-94.3	-94.3	
Netherlands-----	2,537	707	152	152	357	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	
United Kingdom-----	12,836	7,373	274	274	166	29	29	-82.5	-89.4	-89.4	-89.4	-89.4	
West Germany-----	37,500	17,077	846	846	1,552	244	244	-84.3	-71.2	-71.2	-71.2	-71.2	
All other-----	8,310	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	184,206	107,992	8,903	8,903	6,601	1,694	1,694	-74.3	-81.0	-81.0	-81.0	-81.0	
Brazil-----	112,855	47,528	15,589	15,589	2,736	5,510	5,510	101.4	-64.7	-64.7	-64.7	-64.7	
Canada-----	85,851	57,466	4,438	4,438	3,136	2,565	2,565	-18.2	-42.2	-42.2	-42.2	-42.2	
Japan-----	16,004	22,199	3,595	3,595	747	435	435	-41.8	-87.9	-87.9	-87.9	-87.9	
Republic of Korea-----	41,259	31,230	1,723	1,723	917	406	406	-55.7	-76.4	-76.4	-76.4	-76.4	
Spain-----	36,989	24,212	33	33	23	4	4	-82.6	-87.9	-87.9	-87.9	-87.9	
All other-----	200,333	99,884	15,736	15,736	9,010	4,617	4,617	-48.8	-70.7	-70.7	-70.7	-70.7	
Total, all sources:	677,499	390,511	50,018	50,018	23,170	15,231	15,231	-34.3	-69.5	-69.5	-69.5	-69.5	

See footnote 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, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

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

Source	1982				1983				Percentage change			
	1981	1982	Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	from	from	(7)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	368.84	348.96	381.10	381.10	284.04	270.57	270.57	-4.7	-29.0	-29.0		
France-----	360.57	394.27	391.94	391.94	560.36	290.57	290.57	-48.1	-25.9	-25.9		
Italy-----	315.32	276.30	222.10	222.10	288.17	266.76	266.76	-7.4	20.1	20.1		
Netherlands-----	548.69	265.97	281.28	281.28	281.85	-	-	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	363.20	293.72	356.03	356.03	388.77	350.66	350.66	-9.8	-1.5	-1.5		
West Germany-----	388.81	334.51	398.71	398.71	229.85	293.77	293.77	27.8	-26.3	-26.3		
All other-----	362.13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	371.50	329.81	349.24	349.24	286.10	276.39	276.39	-3.4	-20.9	-20.9		
Brazil-----	364.91	318.55	372.59	372.59	230.24	269.21	269.21	16.9	-27.7	-27.7		
Canada-----	376.67	385.17	381.25	381.25	350.96	388.85	388.85	10.8	2.0	2.0		
Japan-----	522.87	419.33	397.99	397.99	415.86	370.66	370.66	-10.9	-6.9	-6.9		
Republic of Korea-----	358.85	345.10	361.80	361.80	308.84	287.22	287.22	-7.0	-20.6	-20.6		
Spain-----	372.11	319.45	504.38	504.38	286.39	220.02	220.02	-23.2	-56.4	-56.4		
All other-----	356.08	325.13	397.24	397.24	305.31	280.88	280.88	-8.0	-29.3	-29.3		
Total, all sources:	368.08	338.90	377.64	377.64	296.11	291.59	291.59	-1.5	-22.8	-22.8		

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

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

Table 16.--Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports			Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From	From			Total	From
			EC					EC
Short tons							Percent	
1981	1,502,645	51,609	35,198	36,439	1,517,815	3.4	2.3	
1982	1,000,395	42,005	22,485	32,979	1,009,421	4.2	2.2	
1981:								
January-March	437,849	9,385	6,454	8,989	438,245	2.1	1.5	
April-June	393,106	19,372	14,242	9,273	403,205	4.8	3.5	
July-September	367,962	12,564	8,064	7,349	373,177	3.4	2.2	
October-December	303,728	10,288	6,438	10,828	303,188	3.4	2.1	
1982:								
January-March	357,360	22,793	12,693	8,944	371,209	6.1	3.4	
April-June	250,702	10,629	5,424	8,835	252,496	4.2	2.1	
July-September	213,411	4,995	2,946	8,453	209,953	2.4	1.4	
October-December	178,922	3,588	1,422	6,747	175,763	2.0	0.8	
1982:								
January	108,370	10,459	5,633	1,378	117,451	8.9	4.8	
February	131,440	9,223	5,803	3,220	137,443	6.7	4.2	
March	116,620	3,111	1,257	4,345	115,386	2.7	1.1	
April	96,492	2,639	947	2,842	96,289	2.7	1.0	
May	80,785	4,062	2,425	3,624	81,223	5.0	3.0	
June	73,421	3,927	2,052	2,370	74,978	5.2	2.7	
July	57,361	2,159	1,016	2,616	56,904	3.8	1.8	
August	73,818	1,735	1,090	1,996	73,557	2.4	1.5	
September	65,725	1,101	840	3,841	62,985	1.8	1.3	
October	58,298	1,196	415	3,005	56,489	2.1	0.7	
November	55,492	563	234	1,422	54,633	1.0	0.4	
December	65,892	1,829	773	2,320	65,401	2.8	1.2	
1983:								
January	55,101	1,018	417	1,730	54,389	1.9	0.8	
Percentage change:								
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982	-16.4	-44.3	-46.1	-25.4	-16.8	-	-	
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982	-49.2	-90.3	-92.6	25.5	-53.7	-	-	

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 17.--Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
Source			1982			1983			Percentage change		
			Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	from	from		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
	Quantity										
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	891	1,140	14	14	110	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0
France-----	5,556	5,809	785	785	293	391	391	33.4	-50.2	-50.2	-50.2
Italy-----	13,442	11,014	4,807	4,807	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0
Netherlands-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	865	1,033	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
West Germany-----	14,445	3,489	26	26	370	26	26	-93.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	35,198	22,485	5,633	5,633	773	417	417	-46.1	-92.6	-92.6	-92.6
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Canada-----	2,236	1,978	170	170	202	50	50	-75.2	-70.6	-70.6	-70.6
Japan-----	12,716	7,421	916	916	753	102	102	-86.5	-88.9	-88.9	-88.9
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	29	0	0	0	2/	2/	-	-	-	-
All other-----	1,459	10,092	3,739	3,739	101	448	448	343.6	-88.0	-88.0	-88.0
Total, all sources:	51,609	42,005	10,459	10,459	1,829	1,018	1,018	-44.3	-90.3	-90.3	-90.3
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	534	805	13	13	84	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0
France-----	5,428	5,865	830	830	271	384	384	41.7	-53.7	-53.7	-53.7
Italy-----	3,375	3,331	1,060	1,060	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0
Netherlands-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	620	725	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
West Germany-----	10,189	2,688	7	7	233	17	17	-92.7	142.9	142.9	142.9
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	20,147	13,414	1,910	1,910	588	401	401	-31.8	-79.0	-79.0	-79.0
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Canada-----	2,002	878	85	85	88	23	23	-73.9	-72.9	-72.9	-72.9
Japan-----	9,927	6,208	703	703	477	105	105	-78.0	-85.1	-85.1	-85.1
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
Spain-----	0	19	0	0	0	2/	2/	-	-	-	-
All other-----	1,149	7,312	2,666	2,666	76	285	285	275.0	-89.3	-89.3	-89.3
Total, all sources:	33,225	27,832	5,364	5,364	1,228	815	815	-33.6	-84.8	-84.8	-84.8

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, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change		
				Year to date			Year to date			from		
				Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	from	from	from
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Unit value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	599.57	705.45	928.84	928.84	758.71	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France-----	977.00	1,009.67	1,057.62	1,057.62	925.28	981.32	981.32	6.1	-7.2	-7.2		
Italy-----	251.12	302.42	220.45	220.45	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	717.59	702.18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
West Germany-----	705.34	770.61	258.18	258.18	629.23	655.53	655.53	4.2	153.9	153.9		
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	572.38	596.59	339.05	339.05	760.16	960.47	960.47	26.4	183.3	183.3		
Brazil-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	183.3	183.3	
Canada-----	895.65	444.02	500.82	500.82	434.50	466.16	466.16	7.3	-6.9	-6.9		
Japan-----	780.66	836.62	766.95	766.95	633.17	1,027.35	1,027.35	62.3	34.0	34.0		
Republic of Korea-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Spain-----	-	664.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
All other-----	787.60	724.54	712.95	712.95	750.81	636.95	636.95	-15.2	-10.7	-10.7		
Total, all sources:	643.79	662.59	512.83	512.83	671.29	800.34	800.34	19.2	56.1	56.1		

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

2/Negligible.

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

Table 18.--Carbon steel structural shapes to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments		Exports	Total	From	Total	From
	Total	From EC					
<u>Short tons</u>							
1981-----	3,961,617	1,959,183	702,044	107,482	5,813,318	33.7	12.1
1982-----	2,740,655	1,461,795	554,292	46,350	4,156,100	35.2	13.3
1981:							
January-March-----	1,141,326	420,021	134,074	33,629	1,527,718	27.5	8.8
April-June-----	1,059,522	571,097	207,897	28,635	1,601,984	35.6	13.0
July-September-----	976,935	548,249	205,511	26,256	1,498,928	36.6	13.7
October-December-----	783,834	419,815	154,562	18,962	1,184,687	35.4	13.0
1982:							
January-March-----	826,758	390,475	116,004	10,794	1,206,439	32.4	9.6
April-June-----	699,395	428,156	170,123	14,991	1,112,560	38.5	15.3
July-September-----	658,059	364,643	143,521	11,247	1,011,455	36.1	14.2
October-December-----	556,443	278,520	124,644	9,318	825,645	33.7	15.1
1982:							
January-----	264,296	142,981	48,077	3,343	403,934	35.4	11.9
February-----	258,145	137,507	39,526	3,500	392,152	35.1	10.1
March-----	303,893	109,987	28,401	3,951	409,929	26.8	6.9
April-----	256,019	67,561	27,233	3,070	320,510	21.1	8.5
May-----	225,202	168,421	63,355	9,947	383,676	43.9	16.5
June-----	213,870	192,174	79,535	1,974	404,070	47.6	19.7
July-----	216,767	102,557	56,140	3,034	316,290	32.4	17.7
August-----	218,475	144,430	42,665	4,141	358,764	40.3	11.9
September-----	223,128	117,656	44,716	4,072	336,712	34.9	13.3
October-----	191,566	77,905	30,276	3,226	266,245	29.3	11.4
November-----	192,627	99,525	40,675	3,059	289,093	34.4	14.1
December-----	167,311	101,091	53,693	3,034	265,368	38.1	20.2
1983:							
January-----	190,776	84,126	42,169	3,958	270,944	31.0	15.6
Percentage change:							
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----	14.0	-16.8	-21.5	30.5	2.1	-	-
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----	-27.8	-41.2	-12.3	18.4	-32.9	-	-

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

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

Table 19.--Carbon steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
			Year to date		Dec.		Year to date		from		from		
			Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	(5)	(3)	(4)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
	Quantity												
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	402,934	317,057	31,081	31,081	26,010	21,274	21,274	-18.2	-31.6	-31.6	-31.6		
France-----	52,009	29,149	2,777	2,777	592	747	747	26.2	-73.1	-73.1	-73.1		
Italy-----	237	25	18	18	0	1/	1/	-	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	1,384	2,638	0	0	21	0	0	-100.0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	136,330	80,893	5,804	5,804	9,746	8,894	8,894	-8.7	53.2	53.2	53.2		
West Germany-----	109,150	124,531	8,397	8,397	17,324	11,254	11,254	-35.0	34.0	34.0	34.0		
All other-----	1/	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	702,044	554,292	48,077	48,077	53,693	42,169	42,169	-21.5	-12.3	-12.3	-12.3		
Brazil-----	15,907	3,860	5	5	2,955	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
Canada-----	224,072	149,047	15,471	15,471	8,486	8,540	8,540	0.6	-44.8	-44.8	-44.8		
Japan-----	646,124	436,117	52,086	52,086	26,308	20,874	20,874	-20.7	-59.9	-59.9	-59.9		
Republic of Korea-----	903	12,575	0	0	1,148	4,367	4,367	280.4	-	-	-		
Spain-----	238,081	173,197	14,811	14,811	6,031	132	132	-97.8	-99.1	-99.1	-99.1		
All other-----	132,051	132,707	12,531	12,531	2,470	8,045	8,045	225.7	-35.8	-35.8	-35.8		
Total, all sources:	1,959,183	1,461,795	142,981	142,981	101,091	84,126	84,126	-16.8	-41.2	-41.2	-41.2		
Value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	145,189	105,825	11,494	11,494	8,386	5,893	5,893	-29.7	-48.7	-48.7	-48.7		
France-----	18,576	9,820	1,044	1,044	204	185	185	-9.3	-82.3	-82.3	-82.3		
Italy-----	371	36	26	26	0	1	1	-	-96.2	-96.2	-96.2		
Netherlands-----	470	864	0	0	75	0	0	-100.0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	51,383	29,641	2,531	2,531	3,005	2,928	2,928	-2.6	15.7	15.7	15.7		
West Germany-----	42,734	47,126	3,479	3,479	5,330	3,264	3,264	-38.8	-6.2	-6.2	-6.2		
All other-----	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	258,723	193,312	18,575	18,575	16,999	12,271	12,271	-27.8	-33.9	-33.9	-33.9		
Brazil-----	5,153	1,005	2	2	705	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
Canada-----	81,132	53,636	5,473	5,473	2,993	2,774	2,774	-7.3	-49.3	-49.3	-49.3		
Japan-----	228,843	159,122	19,229	19,229	10,640	6,749	6,749	-36.6	-64.9	-64.9	-64.9		
Republic of Korea-----	341	3,792	0	0	406	1,124	1,124	176.8	-	-	-		
Spain-----	86,210	61,342	5,828	5,828	1,592	35	35	-97.8	-99.4	-99.4	-99.4		
All other-----	47,771	41,571	4,921	4,921	730	2,150	2,150	2,150	194.5	-56.3	-56.3		
Total, all sources:	708,172	513,781	54,029	54,029	34,065	25,103	25,103	-26.3	-53.5	-53.5	-53.5		

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, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change		
	1981	1982		Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	(6) from	(6) from	(7) from		
			Jan.	"	"	"	"	(5)	(3)	(4)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
	Unit value											
	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
EC countries:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	360.33	333.77	369.82	369.82	322.41	277.00	277.00	-14.1	-25.1	-25.1	-25.1	
France-----:	357.17	336.89	376.04	376.04	344.54	247.68	247.68	-28.1	-34.1	-34.1	-34.1	
Italy-----:	1,562.89	1,463.80	1,455.07	1,455.07	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----:	339.49	327.59	-	-	3,577.21	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----:	376.90	366.42	436.12	436.12	308.31	329.20	329.20	6.8	-24.5	-24.5	-24.5	
West Germany-----:	391.51	378.43	414.31	414.31	307.66	290.05	290.05	-5.7	-30.0	-30.0	-30.0	
All other-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----:	368.53	348.76	386.37	386.37	316.60	290.99	290.99	-8.1	-24.7	-24.7	-24.7	
Brazil-----:	323.93	260.48	446.25	446.25	238.52	-	-	22.0	-34.8	-34.8	-34.8	
Canada-----:	362.08	359.86	353.78	353.78	352.75	324.83	324.83	-7.9	-8.2	-8.2	-8.2	
Japan-----:	354.18	364.86	369.18	369.18	404.43	323.33	323.33	-20.1	-12.4	-12.4	-12.4	
Republic of Korea-----:	377.80	301.54	-	-	353.74	257.41	257.41	-27.2	-	-	-	
Spain-----:	362.10	354.18	393.52	393.52	263.97	262.37	262.37	-0.6	-33.3	-33.3	-33.3	
All other-----:	361.76	313.26	392.72	392.72	295.40	267.27	267.27	-9.5	-31.9	-31.9	-31.9	
Total, all sources:	361.46	351.47	377.88	377.88	336.97	298.39	298.39	-11.4	-21.0	-21.0	-21.0	

1/Negligible.

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

Table 20.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports			Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption		
		Total	From EC				Total	From EC	
		Short tons					Percent		
1981-----:	659,267	17,587	7,177	:	23,903	652,951	2.7	:	1.1
1982-----:	433,104	21,690	4,708	:	10,050	444,744	4.9	:	1.1
1981:				:					
January-March-----:	204,112	2,577	885	:	5,135	201,554	1.3	:	0.4
April-June-----:	175,501	2,961	1,322	:	7,534	170,928	1.7	:	0.8
July-September-----:	155,191	6,455	3,082	:	6,370	155,276	4.2	:	2.0
October-December-----:	124,463	5,594	1,887	:	4,864	125,193	4.5	:	1.5
1982:				:					
January-March-----:	126,557	5,247	429	:	3,359	128,445	4.1	:	0.3
April-June-----:	119,738	9,562	3,441	:	2,896	126,404	7.6	:	2.7
July-September-----:	103,130	3,949	308	:	1,966	105,113	3.8	:	0.3
October-December-----:	83,679	2,932	530	:	1,828	84,783	3.5	:	0.6
1982:				:					
January-----:	45,079	1,623	167	:	1,385	45,317	3.6	:	0.4
February-----:	38,819	2,166	110	:	856	40,129	5.4	:	0.3
March-----:	42,659	1,458	153	:	1,118	42,999	3.4	:	0.4
April-----:	44,266	1,367	15	:	1,079	44,554	3.1	:	2/
May-----:	35,429	4,226	2,611	:	795	38,860	10.9	:	6.7
June-----:	39,953	3,968	815	:	1,022	42,899	9.2	:	1.9
July-----:	35,300	523	110	:	343	35,480	1.5	:	0.3
August-----:	29,372	1,644	121	:	935	30,081	5.5	:	0.4
September-----:	38,393	1,781	77	:	688	39,486	4.5	:	0.2
October-----:	26,613	937	62	:	857	26,693	3.5	:	0.2
November-----:	29,520	579	35	:	473	29,626	2.0	:	0.1
December-----:	27,366	1,416	433	:	498	28,284	5.0	:	1.5
1983:				:					
January-----:	31,641	891	149	:	499	32,033	2.8	:	0.5
Percentage change:				:					
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982----:	15.6	-37.1	-65.6	:	0.2	13.3	-	:	-
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982----:	-29.8	-45.1	-10.8	:	-64.0	-29.3	-	:	-

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

2/ Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 21.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
	1982				1983				Percentage change			
	1981	1982	Year to Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	(6)	(6)	(7)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(5)	(6)	(9)	(10)	
												Quantity
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
France-----	20	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Italy-----	190	392	17	17	39	50	50	28.2	194.1	194.1	194.1	
Netherlands-----	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----	6,478	3,815	46	46	394	70	70	-82.2	52.2	52.2	52.2	
West Germany-----	489	402	104	104	1/	28	28	-	-73.1	-73.1	-73.1	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	7,177	4,708	167	167	433	149	149	-65.6	-10.8	-10.8	-10.8	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	24	24	-	-	-	-	
Canada-----	466	2,903	252	252	129	166	166	28.7	-34.1	-34.1	-34.1	
Japan-----	9,647	12,656	1,066	1,066	773	508	508	-34.3	-52.3	-52.3	-52.3	
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	
All other-----	297	1,423	138	138	82	44	44	-46.3	-68.1	-68.1	-68.1	
Total, all sources:	17,587	21,690	1,623	1,623	1,416	891	891	-37.1	-45.1	-45.1	-45.1	
												Value
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-
France-----	8	28	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-
Italy-----	288	490	24	24	54	54	54	0.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	
Netherlands-----	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	3,851	2,200	123	123	213	27	27	-87.3	-78.0	-78.0	-78.0	
West Germany-----	2,009	1,142	157	157	1	89	89	2/	-43.3	-43.3	-43.3	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	6,156	3,897	305	305	269	170	170	-36.8	-44.3	-44.3	-44.3	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	39	39	-	-	-	-	
Canada-----	462	1,727	108	108	469	81	81	-82.7	-25.0	-25.0	-25.0	
Japan-----	12,300	21,904	2,215	2,215	1,051	1,486	1,486	41.4	-32.9	-32.9	-32.9	
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	
All other-----	579	3,241	284	284	184	100	100	-45.7	-64.8	-64.8	-64.8	
Total, all sources:	19,497	30,769	2,911	2,911	1,973	1,876	1,876	-4.9	-35.6	-35.6	-35.6	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 21.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
			Year to date		Year to date		Year to date		from		from		
			Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	(5)	(3)	(4)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
	Unit value												
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	490.45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
France	408.20	1,099.52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Italy	1,513.81	1,248.15	1,411.05	1,411.05	1,400.52	1,084.24	1,084.24	-22.6	-23.2	-23.2			
Netherlands	-	1,178.12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom	594.51	576.72	2,697.15	2,697.15	540.65	385.98	385.98	-28.6	-85.7	-85.7			
West Germany	4,108.06	2,840.23	1,513.67	1,513.67	-	3,122.95	3,122.95	-	106.3	106.3			
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	857.73	827.70	1,825.35	1,825.35	620.74	1,141.42	1,141.42	83.9	-37.5	-37.5			
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	1,580.84	1,580.84	154.7	-13.4	-13.4			
Canada	991.74	595.07	428.09	428.09	3,646.05	487.94	487.94	-86.6	14.0	14.0			
Japan	1,274.99	1,730.69	2,076.50	2,076.50	1,360.14	2,923.47	2,923.47	114.9	40.8	40.8			
Republic of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
All other	1,948.61	2,276.61	2,056.07	2,056.07	2,250.45	2,305.16	2,305.16	2.4	12.1	12.1			
Total, all sources	1,108.60	1,418.60	1,793.80	1,793.80	1,393.10	2,105.58	2,105.58	51.1	17.4	17.4			

1/Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 22.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments	Total	From EC	Exports			Total	From EC
	<u>Short tons</u>						<u>Percent</u>	
1981-----	2,924,599	772,693	172,502	82,293	3,614,999		21.4	4.8
1982-----	2,305,637	875,170	192,850	8,494	3,172,313		27.6	6.1
1981:								
January-March	788,813	161,971	24,213	39,094	911,690		17.8	2.7
April-June	809,569	220,359	45,749	16,712	1,013,216		21.7	4.5
July-September	695,052	181,114	35,531	6,655	869,511		20.8	4.1
October-December	631,165	209,249	67,008	19,833	820,581		25.5	8.2
1982:								
January-March	505,190	221,195	44,866	3,594	722,791		30.6	6.2
April-June	619,883	185,329	54,189	3,665	801,547		23.1	6.8
July-September	574,863	196,612	35,718	947	770,528		25.5	4.6
October-December	605,701	272,033	58,077	289	877,445		31.0	6.6
1982:								
January	164,704	70,352	9,472	2,684	232,372		30.3	4.1
February	146,644	70,933	6,406	646	216,931		32.7	3.0
March	192,333	79,910	28,988	264	271,979		29.4	10.7
April	196,049	32,212	5,155	374	227,887		14.1	2.3
May	209,231	61,126	15,562	202	270,155		22.6	5.8
June	207,154	91,991	33,471	3,088	296,057		31.1	11.3
July	192,390	51,270	4,781	773	242,887		21.1	2.0
August	197,516	66,227	14,323	109	263,634		25.1	5.4
September	218,054	79,116	16,614	65	297,105		26.6	5.6
October	226,782	90,852	13,305	45	317,589		28.6	4.2
November	199,710	105,925	15,985	100	305,535		34.7	5.2
December	182,730	75,256	28,788	143	257,843		29.2	11.2
1983:								
January	176,298	98,747	22,825	383	274,662		36.0	8.3
Percentage change:								
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982	-3.5	31.2	-20.7	167.8	6.5	-	-	-
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982	7.0	40.4	141.0	-85.7	18.2	-	-	-

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 23.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
	1981		1982		1982		1983		Percentage change			
	Year to date	Jan.	Year to date	Dec.	Year to date	Jan.	(6) from	(6) from	(7) from			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Quantity												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	21,547	27,571	1,157	1,157	3,580	4,383	4,383	22.4	278.8	278.8		
France-----	101,921	128,699	7,388	7,388	15,512	14,317	14,317	-7.7	93.8	93.8		
Italy-----	35	517	16	16	0	1/	1/	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	4,326	10,568	579	579	1,291	54	54	-95.8	-90.7	-90.7		
United Kingdom-----	29,089	14,034	1/	1/	4,958	2,309	2,309	-53.4	-	-		
West Germany-----	15,583	11,461	332	332	3,447	1,762	1,762	-48.9	430.7	430.7		
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	172,502	192,850	9,472	9,472	28,788	22,825	22,825	-20.7	141.0	141.0		
Brazil-----	32,579	111,025	18,115	18,115	3,267	14,275	14,275	336.9	-21.2	-21.2		
Canada-----	317,369	284,292	18,741	18,741	13,558	14,100	14,100	4.0	-24.8	-24.8		
Japan-----	173,859	152,803	21,978	21,978	15,811	15,272	15,272	-3.4	-30.5	-30.5		
Republic of Korea-----	0	6,188	0	0	0	235	235	-	-	-		
Spain-----	1,657	6,818	0	0	127	4,780	4,780	2/	-	-		
All other-----	74,727	121,194	2,046	2,046	13,705	27,259	27,259	98.9	2/	2/		
Total, all sources:	772,693	875,170	70,352	70,352	75,256	98,747	98,747	31.2	40.4	40.4		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	6,749	7,492	353	353	898	1,084	1,084	20.7	207.1	207.1		
France-----	33,357	33,832	2,313	2,313	4,800	4,043	4,043	-15.8	74.8	74.8		
Italy-----	31	213	10	10	0	1/	1/	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	1,821	3,777	221	221	402	22	22	-94.5	-90.0	-90.0		
United Kingdom-----	11,875	4,833	1/	1/	1,445	867	867	-40.0	0.0	0.0		
West Germany-----	4,901	3,972	116	116	837	432	432	-48.4	272.4	272.4		
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	58,733	54,119	3,013	3,013	8,382	6,448	6,448	-23.1	114.0	114.0		
Brazil-----	10,553	32,151	6,438	6,438	691	3,095	3,095	347.9	-51.9	-51.9		
Canada-----	103,575	93,077	6,153	6,153	4,283	4,307	4,307	0.6	-30.0	-30.0		
Japan-----	70,731	60,565	8,921	8,921	6,190	5,738	5,738	-7.3	-35.7	-35.7		
Republic of Korea-----	0	2,060	0	0	0	59	59	-	-	-		
Spain-----	834	2,963	0	0	44	1,403	1,403	2/	-	-		
All other-----	24,832	31,036	692	692	2,926	6,223	6,223	112.7	799.3	799.3		
Total, all sources:	269,257	275,970	25,217	25,217	22,517	27,272	27,272	21.1	8.1	8.1		

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source				1982			1983			Percentage change		
	1981		1982	Year to date	Jan.	Dec.	Year to date	Jan.	date	(6) from	(6) from	(7) from
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
	Unit value											
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	313.20	271.74	305.40	305.40	250.79	247.41	247.41	-1.3	-19.0	-19.0	-19.0	
France-----	327.28	262.88	313.05	313.05	309.45	282.42	282.42	-8.7	-9.8	-9.8	-9.8	
Italy-----	893.22	412.69	611.12	611.12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	420.90	357.36	381.58	381.58	311.45	398.94	398.94	28.1	4.5	4.5	4.5	
United Kingdom-----	408.22	344.35	-	-	291.42	375.41	375.41	28.8	-	-	-	
West Germany-----	314.48	346.53	349.33	349.33	242.96	245.34	245.34	1.0	-29.8	-29.8	-29.8	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	340.48	280.63	318.12	318.12	291.17	282.52	282.52	-3.0	-11.2	-11.2	-11.2	
Brazil-----	323.92	289.58	355.41	355.41	211.36	216.80	216.80	2.6	-39.0	-39.0	-39.0	
Canada-----	326.36	327.40	328.32	328.32	315.89	305.43	305.43	-3.3	-7.0	-7.0	-7.0	
Japan-----	406.83	396.36	405.88	405.88	391.52	375.70	375.70	-4.0	-7.4	-7.4	-7.4	
Republic of Korea-----	-	332.93	-	-	-	250.20	250.20	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	503.22	434.53	-	-	348.50	293.50	293.50	-15.8	-	-	-	
All other-----	332.30	256.09	338.05	338.05	213.52	228.29	228.29	6.9	-32.5	-32.5	-32.5	
Total, all sources:	348.47	315.33	358.44	358.44	299.20	276.18	276.18	-7.7	-22.9	-22.9	-22.9	

1/Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 24.--Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports				Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments		Exports			Total	From
	Total	From EC				Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981-----	: 4,204,066	: 404,798	: 151,309	: 91,041	: 4,517,823	: 9.0	: 3.3
1982-----	: 2,702,938	: 289,381	: 96,452	: 31,014	: 2,961,305	: 9.8	: 3.3
1981:							
January-March	: 1,144,896	: 78,743	: 11,394	: 21,036	: 1,202,603	: 6.5	: 0.9
April-June	: 1,208,881	: 110,291	: 41,846	: 14,796	: 1,304,376	: 8.5	: 3.2
July-September	: 998,873	: 113,130	: 46,009	: 17,141	: 1,094,862	: 10.3	: 4.2
October-December	: 851,416	: 102,634	: 52,060	: 38,068	: 915,982	: 11.2	: 5.7
1982:							
January-March	: 843,317	: 84,376	: 20,212	: 8,676	: 919,017	: 9.2	: 2.2
April-June	: 734,301	: 89,202	: 37,141	: 9,956	: 813,547	: 11.0	: 4.6
July-September	: 598,340	: 63,183	: 19,603	: 6,266	: 655,257	: 9.6	: 3.0
October-December	: 526,980	: 52,620	: 19,495	: 6,115	: 573,485	: 9.2	: 3.4
1982:							
January	: 265,594	: 30,373	: 6,605	: 3,699	: 292,268	: 10.4	: 2.3
February	: 264,961	: 29,542	: 7,211	: 2,447	: 292,056	: 10.1	: 2.5
March	: 315,364	: 24,461	: 6,396	: 2,531	: 337,294	: 7.3	: 1.9
April	: 244,740	: 16,322	: 2,094	: 2,393	: 258,669	: 6.3	: 0.8
May	: 237,389	: 33,334	: 14,837	: 5,696	: 265,027	: 12.6	: 5.6
June	: 254,303	: 39,546	: 20,210	: 1,867	: 291,982	: 13.5	: 7.0
July	: 180,959	: 22,118	: 10,295	: 2,543	: 200,534	: 11.0	: 5.1
August	: 211,809	: 21,878	: 5,548	: 1,949	: 231,738	: 9.4	: 2.4
September	: 206,652	: 19,186	: 3,796	: 1,774	: 224,064	: 8.6	: 1.7
October	: 189,185	: 12,395	: 1,959	: 2,308	: 199,272	: 6.2	: 1.0
November	: 159,224	: 17,057	: 4,485	: 2,015	: 174,266	: 9.8	: 2.6
December	: 175,463	: 23,169	: 13,051	: 1,792	: 196,840	: 11.8	: 6.6
1983:							
January	: 235,263	: 25,527	: 9,949	: 3,079	: 257,711	: 9.9	: 3.9
Percentage change:							
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982	: 34.1	: 10.2	: -23.8	: 71.8	: 30.9	: -	: -
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982	: -11.4	: -16.0	: 50.6	: -16.8	: -11.8	: -	: -

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 25.--Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

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(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change		
				Year to date	Year to date	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(6) from (5)	(7) from (6)	(8) from (7)	(9) from (8)	(10) from (9)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
	Quantity											
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	14,785	10,404	1,673	1,673	1,594	1,325	1,325	-16.9	-20.8	-20.8		
France-----	5,481	1,440	32	32	0	175	175	-	446.9	446.9		
Italy-----	23	14	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	117,281	62,807	699	699	8,451	6,809	6,809	-19.4	874.1	874.1		
West Germany-----	13,713	21,786	4,201	4,201	3,007	1,640	1,640	-45.5	-61.0	-61.0		
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	151,309	96,452	6,605	6,605	13,051	9,949	9,949	-23.8	50.6	50.6		
Brazil-----	7,259	7,156	476	476	252	223	223	-11.5	-53.2	-53.2		
Canada-----	108,899	89,248	10,623	10,623	3,054	5,846	5,846	91.4	-45.0	-45.0		
Japan-----	86,480	64,418	11,532	11,532	4,214	5,177	5,177	22.9	-55.1	-55.1		
Republic of Korea-----	12,742	2,570	326	326	224	325	325	45.1	-0.3	-0.3		
Spain-----	33,707	20,709	707	707	1,622	2,784	2,784	71.6	293.8	293.8		
All other-----	4,402	8,828	104	104	751	1,223	1,223	62.8	1/	1/		
Total, all sources:	404,798	289,381	30,373	30,373	23,169	25,527	25,527	10.2	-16.0	-16.0		
							Value					
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--	4,749	3,204	510	510	363	299	299	-17.6	-41.4	-41.4		
France-----	1,952	550	18	18	0	63	63	-	250.0	250.0		
Italy-----	9	7	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	50,868	27,741	354	354	2,857	2,580	2,580	-9.7	628.8	628.8		
West Germany-----	6,518	9,684	2,019	2,019	1,669	684	684	-59.0	-66.1	-66.1		
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	64,137	41,186	2,901	2,901	4,889	3,626	3,626	-25.8	25.0	25.0		
Brazil-----	2,151	2,096	120	120	93	56	56	-39.8	-53.3	-53.3		
Canada-----	40,876	33,402	4,235	4,235	1,105	1,840	1,840	66.5	-56.6	-56.6		
Japan-----	32,772	25,333	4,223	4,223	1,579	1,803	1,803	14.2	-57.3	-57.3		
Republic of Korea-----	3,280	804	107	107	64	95	95	48.4	-11.2	-11.2		
Spain-----	12,443	8,772	320	320	585	988	988	68.9	208.8	208.8		
All other-----	1,508	2,738	33	33	195	318	318	63.1	863.6	863.6		
Total, all sources:	157,168	114,331	11,938	11,938	8,511	8,726	8,726	2.5	-26.9	-26.9		

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, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)														
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change			
			Year to date		Year to date		Year to date		from					
			Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec.	(5)	(3)	(4)			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)				
	Unit value													
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	321.22	307.94	304.49	304.49	227.84	225.75	225.75	-0.9	-25.9	-25.9	-25.9			
France-----:	356.18	381.92	578.03	578.03	-	361.87	361.87	-	-37.4	-37.4	-37.4			
Italy-----:	391.63	486.16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Netherlands----:	1,510.27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
United Kingdom----:	433.73	441.68	506.49	506.49	338.04	378.88	378.88	12.1	-25.2	-25.2	-25.2			
West Germany----:	475.32	444.51	480.69	480.69	555.17	416.89	416.89	-24.9	-13.3	-13.3	-13.3			
All other-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC----:	423.88	427.01	439.25	439.25	374.62	364.45	364.45	-2.7	-17.0	-17.0	-17.0			
Brazil-----:	296.30	292.95	251.09	251.09	368.55	249.95	249.95	-32.2	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5			
Canada-----:	375.36	374.26	398.66	398.66	361.78	314.65	314.65	-13.0	-21.1	-21.1	-21.1			
Japan-----:	378.96	393.26	366.16	366.16	374.66	348.29	348.29	-7.0	-4.9	-4.9	-4.9			
Republic of Korea----:	257.40	313.01	328.32	328.32	286.50	293.07	293.07	2.3	-10.7	-10.7	-10.7			
Spain-----:	369.16	423.56	452.96	452.96	360.86	354.97	354.97	-1.6	-21.6	-21.6	-21.6			
All other-----:	342.58	310.19	317.43	317.43	260.31	260.47	260.47	0.1	-17.9	-17.9	-17.9			
Total, all sources:	388.26	395.09	393.06	393.06	367.34	341.85	341.85	-6.9	-13.0	-13.0	-13.0			

1/ 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, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports			Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From	From EC			Total	From
		<u>Short tons</u>					<u>Percent</u>	
1981-----	2,380,922	154,114	48,943	51,224	2,483,812	6.2	2.0	
1982-----	1,403,437	140,772	20,532	42,721	1,501,488	9.4	1.4	
1981:								
January-March-----	585,667	35,515	6,778	12,155	609,027	5.8	1.1	
April-June-----	650,153	45,210	16,976	20,572	674,791	6.7	2.5	
July-September-----	604,667	40,513	14,394	8,532	636,648	6.4	2.3	
October-December-----	540,435	32,876	10,795	9,965	563,346	5.8	1.9	
1982:								
January-March-----	511,547	42,037	9,111	17,850	535,734	7.8	1.7	
April-June-----	407,827	43,046	4,491	8,904	441,969	9.7	1.0	
July-September-----	255,225	33,710	4,547	10,192	278,743	12.1	1.6	
October-December-----	228,838	21,979	2,383	5,775	245,042	9.0	1.0	
1982:								
January-----	172,743	17,447	4,724	6,890	183,300	9.5	2.6	
February-----	166,613	13,297	3,257	6,561	173,349	7.7	1.9	
March-----	172,394	11,293	1,130	4,398	179,289	6.3	0.6	
April-----	149,103	12,890	2,899	3,683	158,310	8.1	1.8	
May-----	133,258	10,917	413	3,792	140,383	7.8	0.3	
June-----	123,918	19,239	1,179	1,429	141,728	13.6	0.8	
July-----	78,783	10,736	1,884	2,420	87,099	12.3	2.2	
August-----	92,753	11,266	889	3,549	100,470	11.2	0.9	
September-----	83,156	11,709	1,775	4,224	90,641	12.9	2.0	
October-----	77,190	7,291	686	1,852	82,629	8.8	0.8	
November-----	71,900	6,255	372	1,806	76,349	8.2	0.5	
December-----	79,644	8,433	1,325	2,118	85,959	9.8	1.5	
1983:								
January-----	93,102	9,483	742	4,311	98,274	9.6	0.8	
Percentage change:								
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----	16.9	12.5	-44.0	103.5	14.3	-	-	
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----	-46.1	-45.6	-84.3	-37.4	-46.4	-	-	

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 27.--Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)																							
Source			1982			1983			Percentage change														
			Year to			Year to																	
	1981		1982		Jan. date		Dec.		Jan. date		from												
											(5)												
										(6)		(7)											
										(8)		(9)											
										(10)													
Quantity																							
EC countries:																							
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	0	:	1	:	0	:	0	:	1	:	-	:											
France-----:	40,669	:	8,676	:	3,571	:	3,571	:	20	:	-99.4	:											
Italy-----:	1,286	:	3,085	:	585	:	585	:	0	:	-100.0	:											
Netherlands-----:	69	:	133	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	-	:											
United Kingdom-----:	5,198	:	2,744	:	480	:	480	:	703	:	286.3	:											
West Germany-----:	1,721	:	5,893	:	88	:	88	:	18	:	-98.4	:											
All other-----:	0	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	-79.5	:											
Subtotal, EC-----:	48,943	:	20,532	:	4,724	:	4,724	:	742	:	-44.0	:											
Brazil-----:	52	:	8,518	:	1,730	:	1,730	:	5	:	14.9	:											
Canada-----:	59,108	:	60,776	:	3,940	:	3,940	:	5,065	:	28.6	:											
Japan-----:	36,236	:	36,829	:	6,349	:	6,349	:	574	:	-91.0	:											
Republic of Korea-----:	3	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	-	:											
Spain-----:	4,762	:	9,244	:	443	:	443	:	803	:	81.3	:											
All other-----:	5,011	:	4,873	:	261	:	261	:	310	:	18.8	:											
Total, all sources:	154,114	:	140,772	:	17,447	:	17,447	:	8,433	:	9,483	:											
Value																							
EC countries:																							
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	0	:	2	:	0	:	0	:	1	:	-	:											
France-----:	24,124	:	5,404	:	2,238	:	2,238	:	19	:	-99.2	:											
Italy-----:	903	:	1,994	:	332	:	332	:	0	:	-100.0	:											
Netherlands-----:	57	:	120	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	-	:											
United Kingdom-----:	3,137	:	2,039	:	319	:	319	:	332	:	147.8	:											
West Germany-----:	1,790	:	3,817	:	77	:	77	:	14	:	-98.4	:											
All other-----:	0	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	-	:											
Subtotal, EC-----:	30,011	:	13,374	:	2,966	:	2,966	:	366	:	-64.4	:											
Brazil-----:	42	:	2,790	:	503	:	503	:	3	:	17.5	:											
Canada-----:	26,432	:	29,456	:	1,754	:	1,754	:	2,367	:	34.9	:											
Japan-----:	19,170	:	20,478	:	3,518	:	3,518	:	2,367	:	-93.5	:											
Republic of Korea-----:	2	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	0	:	-	:											
Spain-----:	2,667	:	5,871	:	277	:	277	:	343	:	23.8	:											
All other-----:	3,486	:	3,247	:	197	:	197	:	246	:	24.9	:											
Total, all sources:	81,809	:	75,215	:	9,215	:	9,215	:	4,448	:	4,142	:											
Value																							

See footnote at end of table.

Table 27.--Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
	1981	1982		Year to date	Dec.		Jan.	Year to date	from	(6)	(6)	(7)	
			Jan.							(5)	(3)	(4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
Unit value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	-	1,361.95	-	-	-	-	1,128.17	1,128.17	-	-	-	-	
France-----	593.18	622.82	626.58	626.58	-	-	953.34	953.34	-	52.1	52.1		
Italy-----	702.01	646.34	567.30	567.30	1,234.00	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----	832.94	901.39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----	603.50	742.83	663.71	663.71	736.34	472.28	472.28	-35.9	-28.8	-28.8	-28.8		
West Germany-----	1,039.68	647.68	882.00	882.00	780.54	780.74	780.74	0.0	-11.5	-11.5	-11.5		
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----	613.18	651.39	627.75	627.75	775.59	493.34	493.34	-36.4	-21.4	-21.4	-21.4		
Brazil-----	811.44	327.56	290.86	290.86	692.14	297.07	297.07	-57.1	2.1	2.1	2.1		
Canada-----	447.18	484.66	445.17	445.17	481.82	467.28	467.28	-3.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		
Japan-----	529.04	556.02	553.99	553.99	458.09	397.93	397.93	-13.1	-28.2	-28.2	-28.2		
Republic of Korea-----	632.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Spain-----	560.13	635.08	626.19	626.19	-	427.51	427.51	-	-31.7	-31.7	-31.7		
All other-----	695.55	666.34	756.33	756.33	670.97	793.61	793.61	18.3	4.9	4.9	4.9		
Total, all sources:	530.84	534.31	528.15	528.15	527.50	436.74	436.74	-17.2	-17.3	-17.3	-17.3		

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 28.--Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC
 Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports				Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments		Exports	Apparent consumption	Total	From EC
	Total	From EC				
Short tons						Percent
1981-----	: 6,758,750	: 1,305,731	: 249,445	: 148,356	: 7,916,125	: 16.5 : 3.2
1982-----	: 6,062,681	: 1,230,020	: 260,404	: 81,051	: 7,211,650	: 17.1 : 3.6
1981:						
January-March	: 1,853,238	: 184,930	: 17,183	: 37,347	: 2,000,821	: 9.2 : 0.9
April-June	: 1,924,204	: 285,534	: 33,935	: 44,237	: 2,165,501	: 13.2 : 1.6
July-September	: 1,638,733	: 394,967	: 73,181	: 33,569	: 2,000,131	: 19.7 : 3.7
October-December	: 1,342,575	: 440,300	: 125,145	: 33,203	: 1,749,672	: 25.2 : 7.2
1982:						
January-March	: 1,332,372	: 303,960	: 39,140	: 15,720	: 1,620,612	: 18.8 : 2.4
April-June	: 1,583,619	: 247,435	: 50,909	: 13,807	: 1,817,247	: 13.6 : 2.8
July-September	: 1,630,688	: 306,720	: 60,685	: 28,414	: 1,908,994	: 16.1 : 3.2
October-December	: 1,516,002	: 371,906	: 109,670	: 23,110	: 1,864,798	: 19.9 : 5.9
1982:						
January	: 420,448	: 128,497	: 24,468	: 6,499	: 542,446	: 23.7 : 4.5
February	: 411,191	: 106,837	: 8,734	: 4,046	: 513,982	: 20.8 : 1.7
March	: 500,774	: 68,626	: 5,938	: 5,175	: 564,225	: 12.2 : 1.1
April	: 487,284	: 57,767	: 12,145	: 3,007	: 542,044	: 10.7 : 2.2
May	: 504,856	: 89,752	: 14,664	: 6,065	: 588,543	: 15.2 : 2.5
June	: 583,506	: 99,916	: 24,101	: 4,735	: 678,687	: 14.7 : 3.6
July	: 520,314	: 72,847	: 16,221	: 13,357	: 579,804	: 12.6 : 2.8
August	: 538,316	: 110,671	: 15,015	: 7,884	: 641,103	: 17.3 : 2.3
September	: 572,064	: 123,201	: 29,449	: 7,172	: 688,093	: 17.9 : 4.3
October	: 532,087	: 113,919	: 31,912	: 6,781	: 639,225	: 17.8 : 5.0
November	: 474,567	: 144,016	: 42,660	: 9,615	: 608,968	: 23.6 : 7.0
December	: 509,357	: 113,970	: 35,099	: 6,714	: 616,613	: 18.5 : 5.7
1983:						
January	: 496,160	: 132,056	: 37,349	: 7,196	: 621,020	: 21.3 : 6.0
Percentage change:						
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982	: -2.6	: 15.9	: 6.4	: 7.2	: 0.7	: - : -
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982	: 18.0	: 2.8	: 52.6	: 10.7	: 14.5	: - : -

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

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

Table 29.--Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										
	1982					1983					
	1981	1982	Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	from	(6)	(6)	(7)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(5)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
			Quantity								
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	13,905	9,608	1,424	1,424	3,215	3,149	3,149	-2.1	121.1	121.1	
France-----	63,916	44,861	5,461	5,461	5,261	4,757	4,757	-9.6	-12.9	-12.9	
Italy-----	30,606	37,192	7,677	7,677	5,584	7,357	7,357	31.8	-4.2	-4.2	
Netherlands-----	10,865	7,120	179	179	1,014	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	
United Kingdom-----	3,298	12,077	1,194	1,194	5,013	3,087	3,087	-38.4	158.5	158.5	
West Germany-----	126,854	149,547	8,532	8,532	15,012	18,998	18,998	26.6	122.7	122.7	
All other-----	1/	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	249,445	260,404	24,468	24,468	35,099	37,349	37,349	6.4	52.6	52.6	
Brazil-----	193	17	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Canada-----	148,351	125,844	8,789	8,789	6,791	12,474	12,474	83.7	41.9	41.9	
Japan-----	758,886	692,885	53,222	53,222	65,817	64,314	64,314	-2.3	20.8	20.8	
Republic of Korea-----	40,091	40,667	6,901	6,901	1,902	4,500	4,500	136.6	-34.8	-34.8	
Spain-----	18,584	26,796	25,116	25,116	35	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	
All other-----	90,181	83,406	10,001	10,001	4,326	13,420	13,420	210.2	34.2	34.2	
Total, all sources:	1,305,731	1,230,020	128,497	128,497	113,970	132,056	132,056	15.9	2.8	2.8	
			Value								
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	6,192	3,976	673	673	1,310	1,147	1,147	-12.4	70.4	70.4	
France-----	28,981	19,495	2,385	2,385	2,265	1,981	1,981	-12.5	-16.9	-16.9	
Italy-----	17,298	15,972	3,988	3,988	2,224	2,681	2,681	20.5	-32.8	-32.8	
Netherlands-----	5,286	3,324	87	87	478	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	
United Kingdom-----	1,660	6,216	662	662	1,728	1,213	1,213	-29.8	83.2	83.2	
West Germany-----	53,977	65,756	3,878	3,878	6,116	7,506	7,506	22.7	93.6	93.6	
All other-----	76	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	113,469	114,740	11,672	11,672	14,121	14,529	14,529	2.9	24.5	24.5	
Brazil-----	81	7	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Canada-----	64,339	57,096	3,737	3,737	2,846	5,254	5,254	84.6	40.6	40.6	
Japan-----	361,431	316,860	25,175	25,175	27,462	29,272	29,272	6.6	16.3	16.3	
Republic of Korea-----	17,498	18,121	3,350	3,350	820	1,852	1,852	125.9	-44.7	-44.7	
Spain-----	8,797	12,278	11,500	11,500	7	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	
All other-----	39,356	34,954	4,450	4,450	1,793	5,175	5,175	188.6	16.3	16.3	
Total, all sources:	604,971	554,056	59,885	59,885	47,049	56,080	56,080	19.2	-6.4	-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, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
			Year to		Year to		from		from		from		
			Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date		(5)	(3)	(4)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)		(8)	(9)	(10)		
	Unit value												
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	445.29	413.79	472.24	472.24	407.47	364.37	364.37	-10.6	-22.8	-22.8	-22.8		
France-----:	453.42	434.57	436.69	436.69	430.63	416.47	416.47	-3.3	-4.6	-4.6	-4.6		
Italy-----:	565.17	429.46	519.48	519.48	398.21	364.39	364.39	-8.5	-29.9	-29.9	-29.9		
Netherlands-----:	486.52	466.89	484.96	484.96	471.01	-	-	-	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----:	503.27	514.73	554.66	554.66	344.71	392.93	392.93	14.0	-29.2	-29.2	-29.2		
West Germany-----:	425.51	439.70	454.48	454.48	407.40	395.10	395.10	-3.0	-13.1	-13.1	-13.1		
All other-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----:	454.89	440.62	477.05	477.05	402.31	389.00	389.00	-3.3	-18.5	-18.5	-18.5		
Brazil-----:	421.69	395.58	-	-	-	-	-	-3.3	-18.5	-18.5	-18.5		
Canada-----:	433.69	453.70	425.15	425.15	419.07	421.19	421.19	0.5	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9		
Japan-----:	476.26	457.31	473.03	473.03	417.25	455.14	455.14	9.1	-3.8	-3.8	-3.8		
Republic of Korea-----:	436.45	445.59	485.38	485.38	431.09	411.49	411.49	-4.5	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2		
Spain-----:	473.36	458.19	457.88	457.88	200.03	-	-	-	-	-	-		
All other-----:	436.41	419.08	444.99	444.99	414.44	385.58	385.58	-7.0	-13.4	-13.4	-13.4		
Total, all sources:	463.32	450.44	466.04	466.04	412.82	424.67	424.67	2.9	-8.9	-8.9	-8.9		

1/Negligible.

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

Table 30.--Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement:^{1/} U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Producers' shipments	Total	From EC	Exports			Total	From	
									Percent
Short tons									
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
1981:									
January-March-----	: 967,416	: 80,932	: 20,368	: 98,823	: 949,525	:	8.5	:	2.1
April-June-----	: 891,915	: 84,076	: 15,887	: 109,757	: 866,234	:	9.7	:	1.8
July-September-----	: 860,200	: 63,425	: 14,660	: 81,012	: 842,613	:	7.5	:	1.7
October-December-----	: 770,237	: 57,837	: 22,840	: 74,406	: 753,668	:	7.7	:	3.0
1982:									
January-March-----	: 872,178	: 44,484	: 17,485	: 59,618	: 857,044	:	5.2	:	2.0
April-June-----	: 737,233	: 59,312	: 13,133	: 69,714	: 726,831	:	8.2	:	1.8
July-September-----	: 858,438	: 60,055	: 26,024	: 53,828	: 864,665	:	6.9	:	3.0
October-December-----	: 550,181	: 52,389	: 26,339	: 43,312	: 559,258	:	9.4	:	4.7
1982:									
January-----	: 272,918	: 15,933	: 6,258	: 14,683	: 274,168	:	5.8	:	2.3
February-----	: 317,197	: 9,349	: 3,807	: 19,682	: 306,864	:	3.0	:	1.2
March-----	: 279,555	: 19,201	: 7,421	: 25,253	: 273,503	:	7.0	:	2.7
April-----	: 222,985	: 10,867	: 767	: 20,173	: 213,679	:	5.1	:	0.4
May-----	: 237,646	: 25,633	: 6,517	: 28,939	: 234,340	:	10.9	:	2.8
June-----	: 276,631	: 22,812	: 5,848	: 20,601	: 278,842	:	8.2	:	2.1
July-----	: 236,712	: 16,245	: 6,851	: 19,247	: 233,710	:	7.0	:	2.9
August-----	: 274,547	: 31,548	: 11,106	: 18,078	: 288,017	:	11.0	:	3.9
September-----	: 347,244	: 12,262	: 8,068	: 16,503	: 343,003	:	3.6	:	2.4
October-----	: 169,815	: 18,689	: 8,491	: 18,073	: 170,431	:	11.0	:	5.0
November-----	: 179,074	: 15,716	: 8,655	: 12,330	: 182,460	:	8.6	:	4.7
December-----	: 202,099	: 17,984	: 9,193	: 12,909	: 207,174	:	8.7	:	4.4
1983:									
January-----	: 257,299	: 20,084	: 8,471	: 15,495	: 261,888	:	7.7	:	3.2
Percentage change:									
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982----	: 27.3	: 11.7	: -7.9	: 20.0	: 26.4	:	-	:	-
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982----	: -5.7	: 26.1	: 35.4	: 5.5	: -4.5	:	-	:	-

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

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

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

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)											
Source			1982			1983			Percentage change		
			Year to date		Year to date						
			Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	from	from	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Quantity											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	904	546	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
France-----	36,429	38,068	3,281	3,281	3,352	4,935	4,935	47.2	50.4	50.4	
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	3,258	4,889	483	483	315	315	315	0.0	-34.8	-34.8	
United Kingdom-----	891	556	40	40	5	535	535	1/	1/	1/	
West Germany-----	32,271	38,922	2,454	2,454	5,521	2,686	2,686	-51.3	9.5	9.5	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	73,754	82,982	6,258	6,258	9,193	8,471	8,471	-7.9	35.4	35.4	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Canada-----	37,850	19,889	636	636	1,614	3,452	3,452	113.9	442.8	442.8	
Japan-----	173,028	111,023	8,936	8,936	6,705	7,399	7,399	10.4	-17.2	-17.2	
Republic of Korea-----	598	104	0	0	104	0	0	-100.0	-	-	
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
All other-----	1,041	2,242	103	103	368	762	762	107.1	639.8	639.8	
Total, all sources:	286,270	216,240	15,933	15,933	17,984	20,084	20,084	11.7	26.1	26.1	
Value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	539	313	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
France-----	22,983	24,087	2,174	2,174	2,063	2,888	2,888	40.0	32.8	32.8	
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	1,872	3,056	320	320	217	209	209	-3.7	-34.7	-34.7	
United Kingdom-----	508	427	18	18	13	232	232	1/	1/	1/	
West Germany-----	20,772	23,269	1,457	1,457	3,179	1,667	1,667	-47.6	14.4	14.4	
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	46,676	51,152	3,969	3,969	5,473	4,995	4,995	-8.7	25.9	25.9	
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Canada-----	20,746	11,391	369	369	757	2,219	2,219	193.1	501.4	501.4	
Japan-----	111,216	70,159	5,516	5,516	4,361	4,457	4,457	2.2	-19.2	-19.2	
Republic of Korea-----	344	62	0	0	62	0	0	-100.0	-	-	
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
All other-----	483	1,007	56	56	108	326	326	201.9	482.1	482.1	
Total, all sources:	179,465	133,771	9,910	9,910	10,761	11,997	11,997	11.5	21.1	21.1	

See footnote at end of table.

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

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change		
	1981		1982		Year to date		1983				(6)	(6)	(7)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	from	(5)	(3)	(4)
Unit value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	596.45	573.06	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France--	630.91	632.73	662.45	662.45	615.64	585.19	585.19	-4.9	-11.7	-11.7	-11.7	-11.7	-11.7
Italy-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands-----	574.65	625.17	663.43	663.43	688.54	663.14	663.14	-3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
United Kingdom-----	570.63	767.23	445.24	445.24	2,687.89	433.01	433.01	-83.9	-2.7	-2.7	-2.7	-2.7	-2.7
West Germany-----	643.68	597.84	593.77	593.77	575.91	620.55	620.55	7.8	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----	632.86	616.43	634.22	634.22	595.36	589.70	589.70	-1.0	-7.0	-7.0	-7.0	-7.0	-7.0
Brazil-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.0	-7.0	-7.0	-7.0	-7.0
Canada-----	548.13	572.73	580.09	580.09	469.20	642.76	642.76	37.0	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8
Japan-----	642.76	631.93	617.32	617.32	650.36	602.36	602.36	-7.4	-2.4	-2.4	-2.4	-2.4	-2.4
Republic of Korea-----	574.97	595.64	-	-	595.64	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other-----	464.32	449.01	543.25	543.25	292.31	427.53	427.53	46.3	-21.3	-21.3	-21.3	-21.3	-21.3
Total, all sources:	626.91	618.62	622.00	622.00	598.35	597.33	597.33	-0.2	-4.0	-4.0	-4.0	-4.0	-4.0

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 32.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, and by specified periods, 1981, 1982 and 1983

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments			Exports			Total	From EC
	Total	From EC					Total	From EC
Short tons								
1981-----:	953,711	247,305	111,971	69,314	1,131,702	21.9	9.9	
1982-----:	517,073	255,008	147,888	28,924	743,157	34.3	19.9	
1981:								
January-March-----:	318,935	47,780	21,908	15,088	351,627	13.6	6.2	
April-June-----:	267,087	86,264	45,811	21,514	331,837	26.0	13.8	
July-September-----:	171,667	55,377	14,087	23,493	203,551	27.2	6.9	
October-December-----:	196,022	57,885	30,165	9,219	244,688	23.7	12.3	
1982:								
January-March-----:	192,569	93,299	46,356	9,386	276,482	33.7	16.8	
April-June-----:	136,316	96,094	64,569	4,929	227,481	42.2	28.4	
July-September-----:	87,171	26,604	12,949	9,197	104,578	25.4	12.4	
October-December-----:	101,017	39,011	24,014	5,412	134,616	29.0	17.8	
1982:								
January-----:	77,380	44,003	23,552	7,943	113,440	38.8	20.8	
February-----:	66,092	18,419	5,735	914	83,597	22.0	6.9	
March-----:	49,097	30,877	17,069	529	79,445	38.9	21.5	
April-----:	46,980	26,559	15,328	1,932	71,607	37.1	21.4	
May-----:	47,006	35,239	23,610	2,180	80,065	44.0	29.5	
June-----:	42,330	34,296	25,631	816	75,810	45.2	33.8	
July-----:	33,350	3,712	2,360	3,476	33,586	11.1	7.0	
August-----:	25,511	14,651	8,263	4,457	35,705	41.0	23.1	
September-----:	27,988	8,242	2,326	1,264	34,966	23.6	6.7	
October-----:	24,574	12,018	6,006	1,931	34,661	34.7	17.3	
November-----:	35,940	13,228	7,846	2,702	46,466	28.5	16.9	
December-----:	40,503	13,764	10,163	779	53,488	25.7	19.0	
1983:								
January-----:	25,909	16,375	5,797	696	41,588	39.4	13.9	
Percentage change:								
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----:	-36.0	19.0	-43.0	-10.7	-22.2	-	-	
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----:	-66.5	-62.8	-75.4	-91.2	-63.3	-	-	

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

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

Table 33.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)												
Source	1981		1982		1983		Percentage change					
	Year to	Year to	Year to	Year to	from	from	(6)	(6)	(7)			
	Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	(5)	(3)	(4)			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
	Quantity											
	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	11,858	9,953	638	638	134	130	130	-3.0	-79.6	-79.6		
France-----:	29,269	56,554	2,832	2,832	2,799	560	560	-80.0	-80.2	-80.2		
Italy-----:	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----:	4,566	19,000	403	403	1,112	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
West Germany-----:	66,275	62,380	19,679	19,679	6,118	5,106	5,106	-16.5	-74.1	-74.1		
All other-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----:	111,971	147,888	23,552	23,552	10,163	5,797	5,797	-43.0	-75.4	-75.4		
Brazil-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Canada-----:	90,753	39,664	7,247	7,247	438	625	625	42.7	-91.4	-91.4		
Japan-----:	41,829	65,077	12,821	12,821	3,158	9,953	9,953	215.2	-22.4	-22.4		
Republic of Korea-----:	851	1,492	382	382	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Spain-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other-----:	1,901	888	0	0	5	1/	1/	-	-	-		
Total, all sources:	247,305	255,008	44,003	44,003	13,764	16,375	16,375	19.0	-62.8	-62.8		
Value												
EC countries:												
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	5,212	4,881	296	296	71	60	60	-15.5	-79.7	-79.7		
France-----:	11,909	22,122	1,255	1,255	1,236	187	187	-84.9	-85.1	-85.1		
Italy-----:	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Netherlands-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
United Kingdom-----:	2,216	7,774	225	225	362	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0		
West Germany-----:	27,926	28,082	9,237	9,237	2,079	1,956	1,956	-5.9	-78.8	-78.8		
All other-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Subtotal, EC-----:	47,265	62,859	11,012	11,012	3,748	2,203	2,203	-41.2	-80.0	-80.0		
Brazil-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
Canada-----:	25,079	11,050	1,965	1,965	65	50	50	-23.1	-97.5	-97.5		
Japan-----:	21,698	34,835	7,414	7,414	1,606	5,127	5,127	219.2	-30.8	-30.8		
Republic of Korea-----:	373	623	165	165	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0		
Spain-----:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-		
All other-----:	701	400	0	0	12	5	5	-58.3	-	-		
Total, all sources:	95,115	109,766	20,557	20,557	5,431	7,384	7,384	36.0	-64.1	-64.1		

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

Source	(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)										Percentage change			
			1982				1983							
	1981	1982	Jan.	Year to date	Dec.	Jan.	Year to date	(6) from	(6) from	(7) from	(5)	(3)	(4)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)				
Unit value														
EC countries:														
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	439.54	490.42	463.81	463.81	526.62	462.09	462.09	-12.3	-0.4	-0.4				
France-----:	406.88	391.16	443.09	443.09	441.69	333.71	333.71	-24.4	-24.7	-24.7				
Italy-----:	598.19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Netherlands-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
United Kingdom-----:	485.38	409.15	556.73	556.73	325.35	-	-	-	-	-				
West Germany-----:	421.36	450.18	469.40	469.40	339.88	382.99	382.99	12.7	-18.4	-18.4				
All other-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Subtotal, EC-----:	422.11	425.05	467.58	467.58	368.78	379.97	379.97	3.0	-18.7	-18.7				
Brazil-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-18.7	-18.7			
Canada-----:	276.34	278.59	271.13	271.13	148.18	79.59	79.59	-46.3	-70.6	-70.6				
Japan-----:	518.74	535.29	578.28	578.28	508.37	515.12	515.12	1.3	-10.9	-10.9				
Republic of Korea-----:	437.70	417.29	432.75	432.75	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Spain-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
All other-----:	368.67	450.07	-	-	-	2,355.99	-	-	-	-				
Total, all sources:	384.61	430.44	467.17	467.17	394.55	450.93	450.93	14.3	-3.5	-3.5				

1/Negligible.

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

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

Period	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Producers' shipments			Exports			Total	From
	Total	From	EC				Total	EC
-----Short tons-----								
1981-----:	281,941	98,718	81,499	7,607	373,072	26.5	21.8	
1982-----:	249,975	114,863	89,950	5,623	359,215	32.0	25.0	
1981:-----								
January-March-----:	88,344	18,144	14,394	735	105,753	17.2	13.6	
April-June-----:	58,775	39,089	33,366	750	97,114	40.3	34.4	
July-September-----:	66,872	20,882	17,479	876	86,878	24.0	20.1	
October-December-----:	67,950	20,603	16,261	5,246	83,307	24.7	19.5	
1982:-----:								
January-March-----:	63,614	18,044	13,981	1,011	80,647	22.4	17.3	
April-June-----:	80,990	36,695	30,286	1,067	116,618	31.5	26.0	
July-September-----:	55,491	30,414	19,992	929	84,976	35.8	23.5	
October-December-----:	49,880	29,711	25,692	2,617	76,974	38.6	33.4	
1982:-----:								
January-----:	19,723	7,566	6,459	203	27,086	27.9	23.8	
February-----:	25,580	3,702	2,536	419	28,863	12.8	8.8	
March-----:	18,311	6,775	4,986	389	24,697	27.4	20.2	
April-----:	21,051	5,997	4,906	33	27,015	22.2	18.2	
May-----:	29,580	13,720	12,216	802	42,498	32.3	28.7	
June-----:	30,359	16,977	13,164	232	47,104	36.0	27.9	
July-----:	19,905	6,575	2,210	538	25,942	25.3	8.5	
August-----:	16,892	12,006	9,058	327	28,571	42.0	31.7	
September-----:	18,694	11,833	8,724	64	30,463	38.8	28.6	
October-----:	19,511	9,528	7,187	2,511	26,528	35.9	27.1	
November-----:	15,017	12,063	10,748	42	27,038	44.6	39.8	
December-----:	15,352	8,120	7,757	64	23,408	34.7	33.1	
1983:-----:								
January-----:	14,741	4,132	3,827	264	18,609	22.2	20.6	
Percentage change:-----:								
Jan. 1983/Dec. 1982-----:	-4.0	-49.1	-50.7	312.5	-20.5	-	-	
Jan. 1983/Jan. 1982-----:	-25.3	-45.4	-40.7	30.0	-31.3	-	-	

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

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

Table 35.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value per short ton)													
Source			1982				1983				Percentage change		
			Year to date		Dec.		Year to date		from		from		
	1981	1982	Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	(5)	(3)	(4)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)			
	Quantity												
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	24,857	29,453	558	558	3,723	2,231	2,231	-40.1	299.8	299.8			
France-----	25,555	27,640	3,887	3,887	2,974	1,409	1,409	-52.6	-63.8	-63.8			
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Netherlands-----	765	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
United Kingdom-----	17,450	16,057	1,415	1,415	718	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0			
West Germany-----	12,872	16,801	599	599	343	187	187	-45.5	-68.8	-68.8			
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC-----	81,499	89,950	6,459	6,459	7,757	3,827	3,827	-50.7	-40.7	-40.7			
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Canada-----	16,309	23,386	890	890	363	305	305	-16.0	-65.7	-65.7			
Japan-----	700	1,526	217	217	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0			
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Spain-----	211	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0			
Total, all sources:	98,718	114,863	7,566	7,566	8,120	4,132	4,132	-49.1	-45.4	-45.4			
Value													
EC countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg--	10,958	13,692	286	286	1,562	966	966	-38.2	237.8	237.8			
France-----	10,250	11,681	1,633	1,633	1,326	565	565	-57.4	-65.4	-65.4			
Italy-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Netherlands-----	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
United Kingdom-----	6,093	5,940	575	575	262	0	0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0			
West Germany-----	5,434	7,987	248	248	147	72	72	-51.0	-71.0	-71.0			
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC-----	32,916	39,300	2,742	2,742	3,298	1,603	1,603	-51.4	-41.5	-41.5			
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Canada-----	7,213	10,839	419	419	172	138	138	-19.8	-67.1	-67.1			
Japan-----	313	671	108	108	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0			
Republic of Korea-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Spain-----	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
All other-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-			
Total, all sources:	40,512	50,810	3,269	3,269	3,470	1,741	1,741	-49.8	-46.7	-46.7			

Table 35.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1981, 1982, and by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

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

Source	1982				1983				Percentage change		
	1981		1982		Year to	Year to	from	from	(6)	(6)	(7)
	1981	1982	Jan.	date	Dec.	Jan.	date	from	(5)	(3)	(4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Unit value											
EC countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg--	440.83	464.87	512.46	512.46	419.70	432.90	432.90	3.1	-15.5	-15.5	
France-----	401.11	422.63	420.08	420.08	446.04	401.15	401.15	-10.1	-4.5	-4.5	
Italy-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands-----	235.87	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom-----	349.17	369.94	406.42	406.42	364.60	-	-	-	-	-	
West Germany-----	422.18	475.37	414.34	414.34	429.33	385.84	385.84	-10.1	-6.9	-6.9	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC-----	403.88	436.91	424.52	424.52	425.14	418.93	418.93	-1.5	-1.3	-1.3	
Brazil-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.5	-1.3	-1.3
Canada-----	442.27	463.48	471.08	471.08	474.57	452.94	452.94	-4.6	-3.9	-3.9	
Japan-----	447.16	439.51	495.67	495.67	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Republic of Korea-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain-----	335.21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total, all sources:	410.39	442.35	432.07	432.07	427.32	421.39	421.39	+1.4	-2.5	-2.5	

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

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

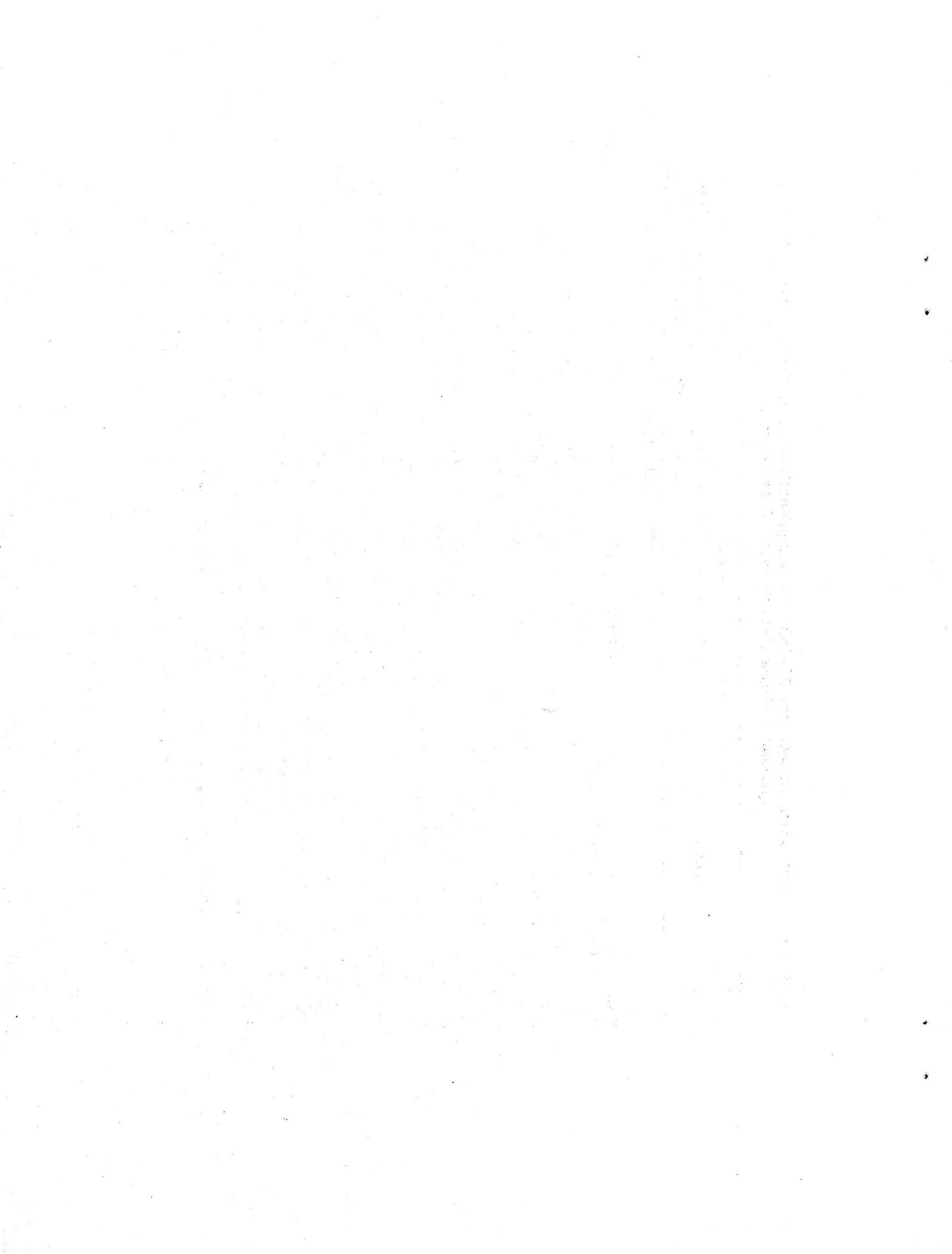
Product	1982		1983		Percentage change February from January
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	
	<u>Per short ton</u>				
Composite <u>2/</u>	\$506	\$506	\$506	\$506	\$524 : 3.6
Hot-rolled sheet, 0.075 inch	:	:	:	:	:
thick-----	416	416	416	416	441 : 6.0
Cold-rolled sheet, class 1-----	493	493	493	493	523 : 6.1
Carbon grade plate-----	485	485	485	485	515 : 6.2
Standard structurals-----	478	478	478	478	478 : -
Wire rod-----	447	447	447	447	447 : -
Hot-rolled carbon bar (special quality)-----	479	479	479	479	516 : 7.7
Galvanized, hot-dipped sheet-----	543	543	543	543	560 : 3.1
Tin plate, single reduced electro- lytic, 0.25 pound <u>3/</u> -----	797	797	797	797	797 : -
Standard rails, No. 1-----	487	487	487	487	487 : -
Sheet piling-----	529	529	529	529	529 : -

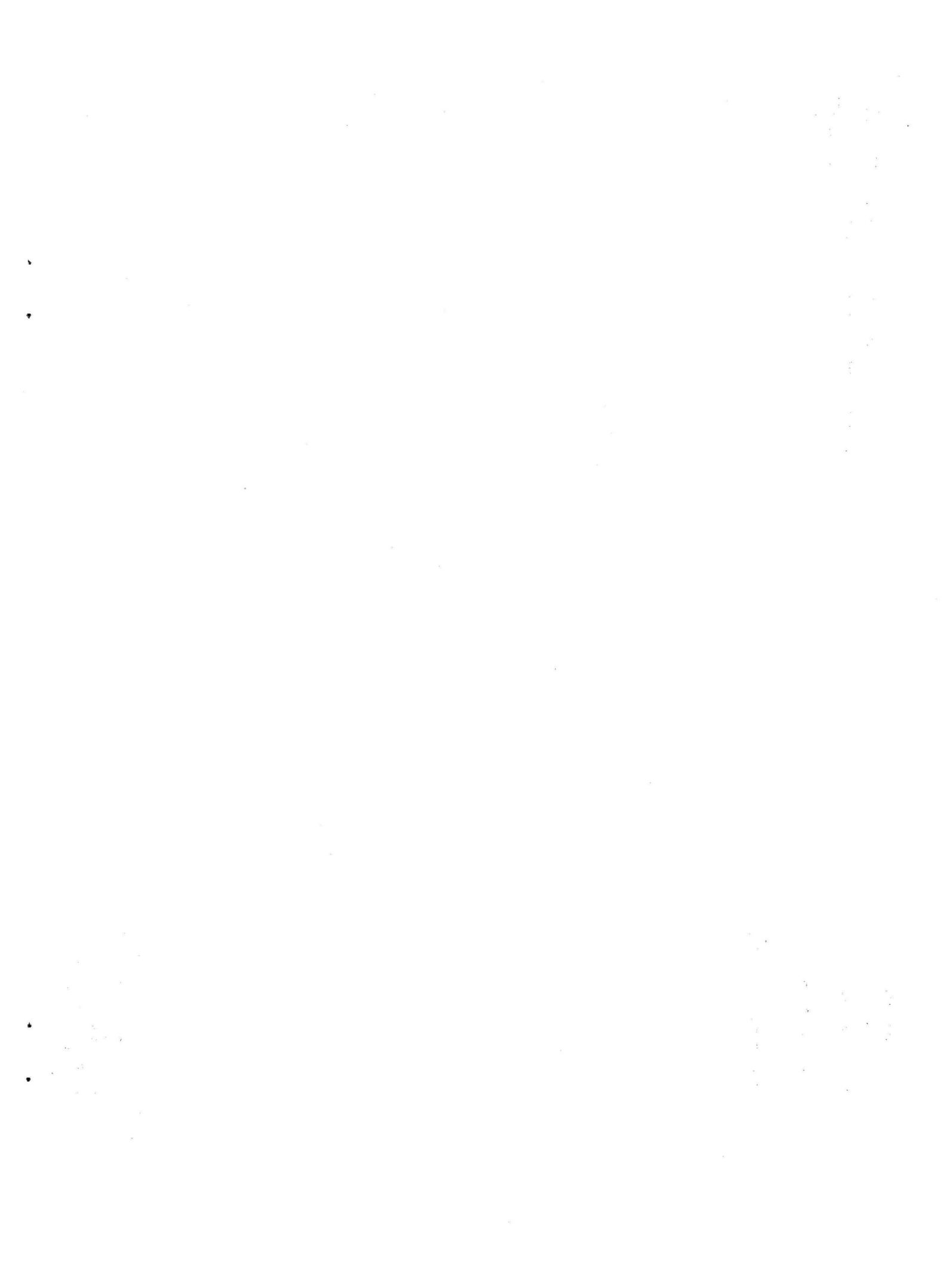
1/ Mill base list prices; transaction prices are likely to differ.

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

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

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





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