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## Preface

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

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

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

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

Notes on product coverage and methodology

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

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

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

Period	Production			Employment		
	Raw steel	Capability utilization	Total	Employees receiving wages	Employees on layoff or short work week 4/	
	1,000 short tons	Percent				
1981:						
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	5/	93
1982:						
January-March	22,970	60.7	342	243	107	
April-June	19,711	51.2	307	212	135	
July-September	16,555	42.7	272	183	157	
October-December	14,265	36.7	238	157	178	
1983:						
January-March	18,382	49.3	235	159	145	
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	
February	5,676	49.0	234	158	152	
March	7,127	55.5	242	165	145	
Percentage change:						
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	25.6	-	3.4	4.4	-4.6	
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-11.5	-	-26.9	-29.5	35.5	

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.

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC		Total	From EC
-1,000 short tons--						
1981:						
1981	87,014	19,898	6,482	2,904	104,008	19.1
1982 2/	61,567	16,683	5,617	1,842	76,408	21.8
1981:						
April-June	24,236	5,199	1,605	830	28,605	18.2
July-September	21,266	5,637	2,035	640	26,263	21.5
October-December	18,097	5,405	2,042	705	22,797	23.7
1982:						
January-March	17,200	4,925	1,547	524	21,601	22.8
April-June	16,004	4,509	1,630	522	19,991	22.6
July-September	13,962	3,754	1,145	456	17,260	21.7
October-December	12,632	3,495	1,295	337	15,790	22.1
1983:						
January-March	15,282	3,384	856	276	18,390	18.4
1982:						
January	5,608	1,969	744	173	7,404	26.6
February	5,434	1,600	411	154	6,880	23.3
March	6,163	1,356	392	197	7,322	18.5
April	5,488	1,029	319	148	6,369	16.2
May	5,149	1,696	564	194	6,651	25.5
June	5,372	1,784	747	180	6,976	25.6
July	4,514	1,113	395	146	5,481	20.3
August	4,724	1,451	364	152	6,023	24.1
September	4,760	1,191	386	158	5,793	20.6
October	4,309	1,146	346	133	5,322	21.5
November	4,088	1,258	493	106	5,240	24.0
December	4,234	1,091	455	97	5,228	20.9
1983:						
January	4,583	1,098	382	95	5,586	19.7
February	4,588	1,173	240	92	5,669	20.7
March	5,969	1,113	233	89	6,993	15.9
Percentage change:						
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	30.1	-5.1	-2.9	-3.3	23.4	-
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-3.1	-17.9	-40.6	-54.8	-4.5	-

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/ Data on producers' shipments, apparent consumption and ratio of imports to consumption adjusted due to revision in producers' shipments.

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

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

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
Source	1981	1982	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	Mar.	Year to date	Mar.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
<b>Quantity</b>									
EC countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,109	929	57	227	38	37	159	-2.6	-35.1
France	1,289	998	89	276	57	38	187	-33.3	-57.3
Italy	768	644	67	279	17	48	93	182.4	-28.4
Netherlands	663	375	9	68	6	22	56	266.7	144.4
United Kingdom	574	486	31	135	28	18	82	-35.7	-41.9
West Germany	2,164	2,080	124	530	83	61	259	-26.5	-50.8
All other	115	104	14	31	11	8	19	-27.3	-42.9
Subtotal, EC	6,482	5,617	392	1,547	240	233	856	-2.9	-40.6
Brazil	548	605	63	231	75	113	263	50.7	79.4
Canada	2,899	1,844	186	494	130	228	479	75.4	22.6
Japan	6,220	5,185	418	1,682	336	280	883	-31.7	-33.0
Republic of Korea	1,218	1,062	110	324	111	85	272	-23.4	-22.7
Spain	730	547	64	183	33	29	75	-12.1	-54.7
All other	1,801	1,823	121	464	247	145	557	-41.3	19.8
Total, all sources	19,898	16,683	1,356	4,925	1,173	1,113	3,384	-5.1	-17.9
<b>Value</b>									
EC countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	667,481	373,754	28,852	104,614	14,391	14,209	54,679	-1.3	-50.8
France	598,542	532,405	44,634	156,988	24,733	19,629	81,833	-20.6	-56.0
Italy	442,968	424,191	35,635	179,694	8,604	31,011	56,800	260.4	-13.0
Netherlands	168,841	134,262	4,217	26,157	1,974	7,359	17,494	272.8	74.5
United Kingdom	321,132	279,582	22,605	97,291	7,092	8,347	32,367	17.7	-63.1
West Germany	1,193,251	1,127,679	77,051	345,228	34,163	26,527	106,884	-22.4	-65.6
All other	49,964	49,337	7,265	15,670	4,045	3,908	8,130	-3.4	-46.2
Subtotal, EC	3,242,179	2,921,211	220,258	925,643	95,004	110,990	358,187	-4.8	-49.6
Brazil	235,752	233,995	25,559	97,031	19,776	28,847	70,752	45.9	12.9
Canada	1,294,673	854,966	96,625	239,005	48,891	80,980	180,095	65.6	-16.2
Japan	3,731,750	3,448,082	300,633	1,116,965	154,581	131,931	414,892	-14.7	-56.1
Republic of Korea	538,939	447,813	51,677	152,366	34,787	27,670	89,487	-20.5	-46.5
Spain	340,364	245,466	32,059	96,098	12,746	9,972	29,761	-21.8	-68.9
All other	864,004	806,863	68,758	245,578	76,234	49,449	181,193	-35.1	-28.1
Total, all sources	10,247,660	8,958,396	795,570	2,872,686	442,019	439,838	1,324,367	-0.5	-53.9

See footnote at end of table.

by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
						1983			Percentage change
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6) from (5)	(7) from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9) : (10)

Unit value									
EC countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	422	402	508	460	374	379	345	1.3	-25.4 : -25.0
France	464	534	501	569	436	520	437	19.3	3.8 : -23.2
Italy	577	659	528	644	493	641	613	30.0	21.4 : -4.8
Netherlands	365	358	445	383	353	334	313	-5.4	-24.9 : -18.3
United Kingdom	560	575	727	719	255	453	394	77.6	-37.7 : -45.2
West Germany	551	542	621	651	411	432	412	5.1	-30.4 : -36.7
All other	433	474	511	507	359	504	418	40.4	-1.4 : -17.6
Subtotal, EC	500	520	561	528	395	476	419	20.5	-15.2 : -29.9
Brazil	430	387	404	421	263	255	269	-3.0	-36.9 : -36.1
Canada	447	464	519	484	375	355	376	-5.3	-31.6 : -22.3
Japan	600	665	719	664	460	471	470	2.4	-34.5 : -29.2
Republic of Korea	442	422	468	471	313	327	329	4.5	-30.1 : -30.1
Spain	466	449	499	524	382	342	395	-10.5	-31.5 : -24.6
All other	480	443	567	529	309	341	325	10.4	-39.9 : -38.6
Total, all sources	515	537	587	583	377	395	391	4.8	-32.7 : -32.9

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

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

Table 4.—Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-82, 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	Total	From EC	
Short tons								
1981	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
1982 3/	:	60,851,891	10,879,553	4,172,631	1,412,249	70,319,195	15.5	5.9
1981:	44,546,215	9,182,789	3,616,353	707,001	53,022,003	17.3	6.8	
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	
1983:								
January-March	11,656,114	2,212,856	615,974	131,428	13,737,542	16.1	4.5	
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	
February	3,529,467	749,100	159,785	38,821	4,239,746	17.7	3.8	
March	4,525,981	693,979	157,825	47,082	5,172,878	13.4	3.1	
Percentage change:								
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	28.2	-7.4	-1.2	21.3	22.0	-	-	
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	3.4	7.0	-29.5	-29.8	4.4	-	-	

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

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

3/ Data on producers' shipments, apparent consumption and ratio of imports to consumption adjusted due to revision in producers' shipments.

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

Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	from Mar.	1983	(6)	(5)	(7)	(5)	(3)	(4)	(10)	Percentage change
Quantity																	
EC countries:																	
Belgium/Luxembourg	946,339	807,894	40,670	190,864	30,363	28,640	133,179	-	-5.7	-29.6	-	-30.2	-	-	-	-	-
France	994,540	690,127	64,257	191,645	44,656	30,013	156,604	-	-32.8	-53.3	-	-18.3	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	188,377	220,543	28,897	97,576	3,789	20,822	32,255	-	-44.9	-5.5	-27.9	-	-66.9	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	425,205	319,856	8,041	60,273	54,416	13,259	39,567	-	144.8	64.9	-	-34.4	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	371,024	270,384	16,820	43,546	24,220	15,399	70,852	-	-36.4	-8.4	-	62.7	-	-	-	-	-
West Germany	1,201,272	1,287,415	65,238	259,595	44,504	49,692	176,485	-	11.7	-23.8	-	-32.0	-	-	-	-	-
All other	445,874	20,134	2/	259,595	2/	6,836	0	-	7,033	-100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	4,172,631	3,616,353	223,923	843,499	159,785	157,825	615,974	-	-1.2	-29.5	-	-27.0	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	388,044	387,746	32,262	142,621	62,709	102,399	221,480	-	63.3	217.4	-	55.3	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	1,515,710	1,113,562	100,324	274,506	66,213	120,706	259,340	-	82.3	20.3	-	-5.5	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	2,896,452	2,323,987	167,812	729,957	216,734	189,294	595,388	-	-12.7	12.8	-	-18.4	-	-	-	-	-
Republic of Korea	344,587	372,057	16,540	88,981	61,111	33,623	131,552	-	-45.0	103.3	-	47.8	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	464,154	365,826	48,230	124,323	19,381	19,148	47,045	-	-1.2	-60.3	-	-62.2	-	-	-	-	-
All other	1,097,974	1,003,257	59,312	277,786	163,167	70,984	342,077	-	-56.5	19.7	-	23.1	-	-	-	-	-
Total, all sources	10,879,553	9,182,789	648,402	2,481,673	749,100	693,979	2,212,856	-	-7.4	7.0	-	-10.8	-	-	-	-	-

EC countries:	Belgium/Luxembourg	France	Italy	Netherlands	United Kingdom	West Germany	All other	Subtotal, EC	Brazil	Canada	Japan	Republic of Korea	Spain	All other	Total, all sources	Value	
																(6)	(5)
Value																	
EC countries:																	
Belgium/Luxembourg	344,900	276,226	14,393	71,201	9,336	8,261	38,682	-	-11.5	-42.6	-	-45.7	-	-	-	-	-
France	362,291	258,495	19,203	70,419	13,798	12,131	52,884	-	-12.1	-36.8	-	-24.9	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	70,219	74,115	10,093	35,158	1,665	5,947	10,410	-	257.2	-41.1	-	-70.4	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	146,075	108,117	3,041	20,709	1,792	4,776	13,029	-	166.5	57.1	-	-37.1	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	151,730	105,676	8,283	20,167	2,728	4,961	18,611	-	81.1	-40.3	-	-7.7	-	-	-	-	-
West Germany	469,068	478,641	24,830	103,901	17,428	1,6,785	62,821	-	-3.7	-32.4	-	-39.5	-	-	-	-	-
All other	16,986	7,451	1	1	2,173	0	2,236	-	-100.0	-100.0	-	-37.3	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	1,561,268	1,308,720	79,864	321,555	48,921	52,840	198,673	-	8.0	-33.8	-	-38.2	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	139,975	117,626	9,097	47,607	15,014	25,153	54,913	-	67.5	176.5	-	15.3	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	561,138	420,491	38,955	104,209	24,254	41,467	92,721	-	71.0	6.4	-	-11.0	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	1,223,351	997,281	76,897	308,368	85,960	75,314	239,426	-	-12.4	0.6	-	-22.4	-	-	-	-	-
Republic of Korea	124,144	125,173	5,734	32,105	15,797	10,067	36,962	-	-36.3	75.6	-	15.1	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	175,070	135,502	19,617	52,394	5,575	5,505	13,853	-	-1.3	-71.9	-	-73.6	-	-	-	-	-
All other	391,040	328,488	20,165	100,213	45,126	19,730	95,243	-	-56.3	-2.2	-	-5.0	-	-	-	-	-
Total, all sources	4,175,987	3,433,281	248,310	966,450	240,646	230,076	731,790	-	-4.4	-7.3	-	-24.3	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	From Mar. to (5)	1983
									(9)
<b>Unit value</b>									
EC countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	364	342	354	373	307	288	290	-6.2	-18.6
France	364	375	299	367	309	404	338	30.7	35.1
Italy	373	336	349	360	439	286	323	-34.9	-18.1
Netherlands	344	338	378	364	331	360	329	8.8	-4.8
United Kingdom	409	391	492	463	113	321	263	184.1	-34.8
West Germany	390	372	381	400	392	338	356	-13.8	-43.2
All other	370	370	-	-	318	-	318	-	-11.0
Subtotal, EC	374	362	357	381	306	335	323	9.5	-6.2
Brazil	361	303	282	334	239	246	248	2.9	-12.8
Canada	370	378	388	380	366	344	358	-6.0	-11.3
Japan	422	429	446	422	397	398	402	0.3	-10.8
Republic of Korea	360	336	347	361	258	299	281	15.9	-13.8
Spain	377	370	407	421	288	287	294	-0.3	-29.5
All other	356	327	340	361	277	278	278	0.4	-18.2
Total, all sources	384	374	383	389	321	332	331	3.4	-13.3

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.

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC
<u>Short tons</u>								
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
1982:	12,621,451	:2,150,203	:1,207,203	:	131,252	:14,640,402	:	14.7
1982:	8,564,575	:1,752,969	:888,508	:	37,012	:10,280,532	:	17.1
April-June	3,609,346	:482,064	:236,322	:	21,906	:4,069,504	:	11.8
July-September	3,113,255	:639,737	:397,357	:	31,384	:3,721,608	:	17.2
October-December	2,572,731	:769,000	:493,414	:	67,837	:3,273,894	:	23.5
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	15.1
January-March	2,333,294	:524,143	:223,880	:	10,307	:2,847,130	:	18.4
April-June	2,291,450	:423,067	:230,846	:	9,654	:2,704,863	:	15.6
July-September	2,069,405	:353,899	:169,601	:	10,917	:2,412,387	:	14.7
October-December	1,870,426	:451,860	:264,180	:	6,133	:2,316,153	:	19.5
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	11.4
January-March	2,468,940	:427,145	:136,306	:	9,717	:2,886,368	:	14.8
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	4.7
January	738,623	:225,888	:104,382	:	2,775	:961,736	:	23.5
February	720,657	:178,753	:61,749	:	3,420	:895,990	:	20.0
March	886,764	:119,502	:57,750	:	4,113	:1,002,153	:	11.9
April	771,148	:73,831	:31,189	:	2,778	:842,201	:	8.8
May	728,135	:156,476	:64,117	:	4,495	:880,116	:	17.8
June	804,895	:192,760	:135,540	:	2,381	:995,274	:	19.4
July	718,204	:107,671	:71,271	:	3,277	:822,598	:	13.1
August	706,677	:146,378	:53,547	:	2,999	:850,056	:	17.2
September	641,989	:99,849	:44,783	:	4,642	:737,196	:	13.5
October	628,408	:137,837	:66,540	:	2,603	:763,642	:	18.0
November	610,556	:160,203	:106,818	:	1,485	:769,274	:	20.8
December	628,197	:153,820	:90,823	:	2,045	:779,972	:	19.7
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	11.6
January	736,190	:167,368	:80,710	:	3,531	:900,027	:	18.6
February	762,635	:149,877	:26,058	:	2,677	:909,835	:	16.5
March	955,930	:109,899	:29,538	:	3,509	:1,062,320	:	10.3
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	2.8
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	25.3	:-26.7	:13.4	:	31.1	:16.8	:-	9.0
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	7.8	-8.0	-48.9	:	-14.7	6.0	:-	2.9

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 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 in dollars per short ton)										Percentage change												
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	(6) from (5)	(7) from (6)											
Quantity																						
EC countries:																						
Belgium/Luxembourg	107,995	89,985	4,130	16,264	2,634	2,214	23,061	-15.9	-46.4	41.8												
France	456,741	195,636	10,423	62,283	18,674	5,005	56,665	-73.2	-52.0	-9.0												
Italy	69,534	61,060	15,716	35,646	0	7,022	7,022	-	-55.3	-80.3												
Netherlands	253,514	128,502	3,578	32,110	2,180	1,074	15,493	-50.7	-70.0	-51.8												
United Kingdom	327	14,772	0	626	0	1/	1,947	-	-	211.0												
West Germany	319,093	398,554	23,902	76,952	2,569	14,223	32,117	453.6	-40.5	-58.3												
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-												
Subtotal, EC	1,207,203	888,508	57,750	223,880	26,058	29,538	136,306	13.4	-48.9	-39.1												
Brazil	3,902	62,895	4,027	9,297	10,348	20,225	42,382	95.4	402.2	351.0												
Canada	184,862	118,307	7,377	21,914	11,173	19,556	41,878	75.0	165.1	91.1												
Japan	522,603	383,073	29,543	141,698	25,791	24,475	78,989	-5.1	-17.2	-44.3												
Republic of Korea	73,583	152,335	7,614	40,893	32,067	7,471	54,648	-76.7	-1.9	33.6												
Spain	5,142	4,851	1,030	2,300	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0												
All other	152,908	143,000	12,160	84,061	44,441	8,634	72,942	-80.6	-29.0	-13.2												
Total, all sources	2,150,203	1,752,969	119,502	524,143	149,877	109,899	427,145	-26.7	-8.0	-18.5												
Value																						
EC countries:																						
Belgium/Luxembourg	34,782	25,310	1,199	5,012	918	582	6,278	-36.6	-51.5	25.3												
France	137,311	60,188	3,239	20,526	4,872	1,402	14,949	-71.2	-56.7	-27.2												
Italy	20,596	16,968	4,891	10,899	0	1,697	1,697	-	-69.4	-86.3												
Netherlands	79,442	37,133	1,079	9,877	575	298	4,453	-48.2	-72.4	-54.9												
United Kingdom	179	3,512	0	218	0	1/	426	-	-	95.4												
West Germany	99,783	117,523	7,305	24,303	1,021	3,890	9,109	281.0	-46.7	-62.5												
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-												
Subtotal, EC	372,093	260,634	17,713	70,835	7,385	7,669	36,711	3.8	-56.7	-48.2												
Brazil	1,408	16,831	1,118	2,931	2,116	4,451	9,635	110.3	298.1	228.7												
Canada	61,515	39,237	2,823	8,214	3,739	6,325	13,790	69.2	124.1	67.9												
Japan	174,621	127,340	9,968	47,129	7,952	7,462	24,200	-6.2	-25.1	-48.7												
Republic of Korea	22,564	44,263	2,256	12,776	7,089	1,911	12,874	-73.0	-15.3	0.8												
Spain	1,325	1,261	269	599	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0												
All other	43,645	38,706	3,618	23,835	10,637	2,061	17,409	-80.6	-43.0	-27.0												
Total, all sources	677,173	528,272	37,765	166,318	38,918	29,879	114,619	-23.2	-20.9	-31.1												

See footnote at end of table.

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

Source	1982			1983			Percentage change		
	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	from (5)	(3)	(4)
1981	1982								
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

		Unit value
EC countries:		
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	322 :	281 :
France-----:	301 :	308 :
Italy-----:	296 :	278 :
Netherlands-----:	313 :	289 :
United Kingdom-----:	548 :	238 :
West Germany--:	313 :	295 :
All other-----:	- :	- :
Subtotal, EC-----:	308 :	293 :
Brazil-----:	361 :	268 :
Canada--:	333 :	332 :
Japan-----:	334 :	332 :
Republic of Korea-----:	307 :	291 :
Spain-----:	258 :	260 :
All other-----:	285 :	271 :
Total, all sources:	315 :	301 :

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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	Producers'		Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	shipments	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	Percent
Short tons										
1981:	1,450,365	: 6,430	: 2,679	: 87,097	:	1,369,698	:	0.5	:	0.2
1982:	966,795	: 7,641	: 3,226	: 46,105	:	928,331	:	0.8	:	0.3
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	:	222,810	:	1.2	:	0.6
October-December	186,201	: 2,006	: 796	: 3,260	:	184,947	:	1.1	:	0.4
1983:										
January-March	246,675	: 1,823	: 649	: 3,611	:	244,887	:	0.7	:	0.3
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
February	75,149	: 656	: 326	: 1,212	:	74,593	:	0.9	:	0.4
March	96,001	: 472	: 111	: 1,242	:	95,231	:	0.5	:	0.1
Percentage change:										
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	27.7	-28.0	-66.0	2.5		27.7		-		
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-10.2	-27.9	-51.5	-37.9		-9.8		-		

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.

		Value
Countries:		
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	0
France	4,277	8,375
Italy	10	0
Netherlands	0	1,167
United Kingdom	786	470
West Germany	2,110	2,320
All other	0	1,334
Subtotal, EC	7,183	12,334
Brazil	0	0
Canada	1,171	617
Japan	2,544	4,212
Republic of Korea	0	0
Pain	15	118
All other	1,992	1,448
Total all sources	12,906	18,730

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

			Unit value
EC countries:			
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	-	
France	6,053	5,888	5,595
Italy	663	-	5,866
Netherlands	-	2,425	-
United Kingdom	2,178	2,177	2,286
West Germany	1,322	2,098	1,016
All other	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	2,681	3,823	4,250
Brazil	-	-	-
Canada	1,283	504	437
Japan	1,179	1,690	1,492
Republic of Korea	-	-	-
Spain	768	479	440
All other	3,020	3,198	2,944

Total, all sources: 2,007 : 2,451 : 2,388 : 2,909 : 1,097 : 2,260 : 1,731 : 106.0 : -5.4 : -40.5  
 1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.  
 2/ Nonlinear.

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Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981:							
April-June	13,748,362	1,582,204	832,410	45,964	15,284,602	10.4	5.4
July-September	10,565,058	1,621,374	924,161	20,763	12,165,669	13.3	7.6
October-December	4,054,469	340,051	147,099	12,855	4,381,665	7.8	3.4
1982:							
January-March	3,328,184	487,501	280,902	13,036	3,802,649	12.8	7.4
April-June	2,630,653	570,736	331,262	7,980	3,193,409	17.9	10.4
July-September	2,581,778	419,130	225,157	5,522	2,995,386	14.0	7.5
October-December	2,856,319	400,637	183,254	5,929	3,251,027	12.3	5.6
1983:							
January-March	2,584,472	327,845	189,258	6,038	2,906,279	11.3	6.5
April-June	2,542,489	473,762	326,492	3,273	3,012,978	15.7	10.8

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

					Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)					Percentage change
					1983					
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	(8)
								(5)	(3)	(10)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	45,772	134,271	272	37,267	706	2,078	21,812	194.3	664.0	-41.5
France	158,061	141,474	7,559	36,043	7,826	5,276	34,058	-32.6	-30.2	-5.5
Italy	55,561	46,767	11,583	36,369	33	7,490	7,523	1/	-35.3	-79.3
Netherlands	146,374	162,864	3,298	23,146	2,239	10,740	21,263	379.7	225.7	-8.1
United Kingdom	13,552	17,278	704	1,133	12	336	7,082	1/	-52.3	52.5.1
West Germany	390,162	401,373	15,304	91,199	11,078	13,757	49,211	24.2	-10.1	-46.0
All other	22,928	20,134	0	0	6,836	0	7,033	-100.0	-	-
Subtotal, EC	832,410	924,161	38,721	225,157	28,731	32,678	147,983	38.1	2.5	-34.3
Brazil	18,883	45,075	2,303	3,436	7,176	31,647	46,407	341.0	1/	1/
Canada	96,559	47,449	4,076	12,495	2,849	5,285	12,089	85.5	29.7	-3.2
Japan	400,923	304,310	16,717	94,383	32,684	42,787	110,349	30.9	155.9	16.9
Republic of Korea	100,839	65,631	1,196	15,600	5,018	11,781	27,666	134.8	885.0	77.3
Spain	62,576	48,058	2,489	26,046	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0
All other	70,014	186,689	15,083	41,963	20,790	9,930	50,705	-52.2	-34.2	20.8
Total, all sources	1,582,204	1,621,374	80,586	419,130	97,246	141,107	395,199	45.1	75.1	-5.7
Value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	19,007	48,631	144	15,525	174	770	6,598	342.5	434.7	-57.5
France	56,155	51,568	2,866	13,821	2,515	1,779	11,230	-29.3	-37.9	-18.7
Italy	21,836	18,394	4,627	15,150	117	2,102	2,119	1/	-54.6	-86.0
Netherlands	54,369	57,965	1,470	8,653	720	3,518	6,888	388.6	139.3	-20.4
United Kingdom	5,717	6,786	390	600	20	78	2,315	290.0	-80.0	285.8
West Germany	152,793	147,459	6,112	36,755	3,968	4,538	16,818	14.4	-25.8	-54.2
All other	8,600	7,450	0	0	2,173	0	2,236	-100.0	-	-
Subtotal, EC	318,477	338,252	15,608	90,504	9,587	12,785	48,205	33.4	-18.1	-46.7
Brazil	7,733	15,218	740	1,209	2,159	9,315	13,863	331.4	1/	1/
Canada	40,693	20,414	1,925	5,750	1,170	2,320	5,113	98.3	20.5	-11.1
Japan	160,548	126,469	7,668	39,337	12,183	15,077	40,856	23.8	96.6	3.9
Republic of Korea	38,483	24,219	465	6,327	1,666	3,688	9,042	121.4	693.1	42.9
Spain	25,710	18,625	1,048	11,089	0	0	0	-	-100.0	-100.0
All other	23,563	62,057	4,323	15,024	5,886	2,817	14,554	-52.1	-34.8	-3.1
Total, all sources	615,206	605,253	31,778	169,240	32,651	46,003	131,633	40.9	44.8	-22.2

See footnote at end of table.

Source	1981	1982	1983		Percentage change					
			Year to date	Mar.	Year to date	Mar.	from (5)	from (3)	from (4)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
										Unit value
C countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	415	362	527	417	246	370	303	50.4	-29.8	-27.3
France	355	365	379	383	321	337	330	5.0	-11.1	-13.8
Italy	393	393	399	417	511	281	282	-45.0	-29.6	-32.4
Netherlands	371	356	446	374	322	328	324	1.9	-26.5	-13.4
United Kingdom	422	393	553	530	1,600	232	327	-85.5	-58.0	-38.3
West Germany	392	367	399	403	358	330	342	-7.8	-17.3	-15.1
All other	375	370	-	-	318	-	318	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	383	366	403	402	334	322	326	-3.6	-20.1	-18.9
Brazil	410	338	321	347	301	294	299	-2.3	-8.4	-13.8
Canada	421	430	472	460	411	439	423	6.8	-7.0	-8.0
Japan	400	416	459	417	373	352	370	-5.6	-23.3	-11.3
Republic of Korea	382	369	389	406	332	313	327	-5.7	-19.5	-19.5
Spain	411	388	421	426	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other	337	332	287	358	283	284	287	0.4	-1.0	-19.8
Total, all sources:	389	373	394	404	336	326	333	-3.0	-17.3	-17.6
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	Producers' shipments	Imports			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption		
		Total	From EC	Exports	Total	From EC	Exports	Total	From EC	Percent
Short tons										
1981	142,332	2,083	657	12,886	131,529	1,6	1.6	0.5		
1982	147,302	1,588	475	5,201	143,689	1.1	1.1	0.3		
1981:										
April-June	34,767	559	29	3,566	31,760	1.8	1.8	0.1		
July-September	41,091	386	42	3,760	37,717	1.0	1.0	0.1		
October-December	29,800	800	580	3,162	27,438	2.9	2.9	2.1		
1982:										
January-March	30,738	153	38	1,351	29,540	0.5	0.5	0.1		
April-June	45,984	277	45	1,687	44,574	0.6	0.6	0.1		
July-September	38,296	484	226	1,247	37,533	1.3	1.3	0.6		
October-December	32,284	674	165	916	32,042	2.1	2.1	0.5		
1983:										
January-March	46,912	519	159	1,583	45,848	1.1	1.1	0.3		
1982:										
January	8,363	54	9	369	8,048	0.7	0.7	0.1		
February	9,414	47	15	629	8,832	0.5	0.5	0.2		
March	12,961	51	14	352	12,660	0.4	0.4	0.1		
April	16,262	41	19	596	15,707	0.3	0.3	0.1		
May	14,544	129	10	787	13,886	0.9	0.9	0.1		
June	15,170	107	17	303	14,974	0.7	0.7	0.1		
July	12,681	177	63	591	12,267	1.4	1.4	0.5		
August	11,356	219	158	253	11,322	1.9	1.9	1.4		
September	15,084	88	6	404	14,768	0.6	0.6	2/		
October	8,961	268	70	297	8,932	3.0	3.0	0.8		
November	10,492	164	38	292	10,364	1.6	1.6	0.4		
December	12,654	243	57	327	12,570	1.9	1.9	0.5		
1983:										
January	13,654	194	46	457	13,391	1.4	1.4	0.3		
February	14,396	128	42	523	14,001	0.9	0.9	0.3		
March	18,862	198	70	604	18,456	1.1	1.1	0.4		
Percentage change:										
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	31.0	54.7	66.7	15.5	31.8	-	-	-		
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	45.5	288.2	400.0	71.6	45.8	-	-	-		

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

2/ Less than 0.05 percent.

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

Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	1983	Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)		Percentage change								
							(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
EC countries:																	
Belgium/Luxembourg	5	1		0	0												
France	53	355		11	35			0	0								
Italy	0	0		0	0			42	70								
Netherlands	0	0		0	0			0	0								
United Kingdom	0	0		0	0			0	0								
West Germany	598	120		3	3			0	0								
All other	0	0		0	0			0	1								
Subtotal, EC	657	475		14	36			42	70								
Brazil	0	0		0	0			0	0								
Canada	41	358		0	1			6	1								
Japan	655	419		4	36			44	65								
Republic of Korea	0	0		0	0			0	0								
Spain	12	83		0	0			0	0								
All other	718	253		33	78			35	61								
Total, all sources	2,083	1,588		51	153			128	198								

Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	1983	Quantity		Value									
							(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	
EC countries:																		
Belgium/Luxembourg	10	4		0	0			0	0									
France	433	1,412		70	245			182	301									
Italy	0	0		0	0			0	0									
Netherlands	0	0		0	0			0	0									
United Kingdom	0	0		0	0			0	0									
West Germany	633	739		15	15			0	0									
All other	0	0		0	0			0	0									
Subtotal, EC	1,075	2,155		85	261			182	304									
Brazil	0	0		0	0			0	0									
Canada	51	204		0	6			2	5									
Japan	1,235	927		33	120			192	143									
Republic of Korea	0	0		0	0			0	0									
Spain	9	41		0	0			0	0									
All other	1,642	886		116	278			114	209									
Total, all sources	4,012	4,214		234	665			482	660									

See footnotes at end of table.

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

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
					1982		1983		Percentage change
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(7)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9) : (10)
Unit value									
Countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	1,963	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
France	8,103	3,983	6,436	6,985	4,297	4,316	4,720	0.4	-32.9
Italy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Netherlands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
United Kingdom	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
West Germany	1,058	6,147	4,662	4,662	—	4,316	4,500	—	-7.4
All other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	-3.5
Subtotal, EC	1,637	4,537	6,102	6,864	4,334	4,338	4,687	0.1	-28.9
Russia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	-31.7
Canada	1,241	570	—	4,989	341	3,415	0.1	-28.9	-31.7
Japan	1,886	2,212	7,578	3,376	4,371	2,200	2,114	901.5	-81.8
Republic of Korea	—	—	—	—	—	—	-49.7	-71.0	-37.4
Pain	768	495	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other	2,287	3,507	3,522	3,573	3,236	3,411	3,350	5.4	-3.2
Total, all sources	1,926	2,654	4,579	4,344	3,824	3,334	3,240	-12.8	-27.2
1/ Negligible.									
2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.									

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

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Apparent consumption		Exports		Apparent consumption		Imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC
Short tons											
1981	5,772,095	1,840,626	495,841	153,392	:	7,459,329	:	24.7	:	6.6	:
1982	3,037,915	1,152,274	327,439	84,245	:	4,105,944	:	28.1	:	8.0	:
1981:											
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	:
1983:											
January-March	622,008	189,063	27,151	5,670	:	805,401	:	23.5	:	3.4	:
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	:
February	182,728	71,274	13,062	1,783	:	252,219	:	28.3	:	5.2	:
March	246,280	65,554	7,958	2,376	:	309,458	:	21.2	:	2.6	:
Percentage change:											
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	34.8	-8.0	-39.1	33.3	:	22.7	:	-	:	-	:
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-38.5	-28.7	-68.8	-78.7	:	-35.7	:	-	:	-	:

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 &amp; Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

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

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

Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	from (5)	from (4)	Percentage change	
										(1)	(2)
Quantity											
countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	300,885	177,833	20,487	53,768	6,921	4,423	15,785	-36.1	-78.4	-70.6	
France-----	18,153	10,318	796	2,881	1,108	314	1,961	-71.7	-60.6	-31.9	
Italy-----	17,445	60,476	1,513	6,698	0	846	1,082	-	-44.1	-83.8	
Netherlands-----	4,623	2,660	0	797	0	0	0	-	-	-100.0	
United Kingdom	35,340	25,102	301	1,770	348	1,833	2,262	426.7	509.0	27.8	
West Germany	96,448	51,050	2,374	7,740	4,686	543	6,061	-88.4	-77.1	-21.7	
All other-----	22,946	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	495,841	327,439	25,472	73,652	13,062	7,958	27,151	-39.1	-68.8	-63.1	
Brazil-----	309,271	149,200	11,514	69,797	14,842	25,511	60,821	71.9	121.6	-12.9	
Canada-----	227,923	149,196	18,304	44,449	5,528	19,949	32,074	260.9	9.0	-27.8	
Japan-----	30,608	52,939	4,446	21,477	2,755	999	4,927	-63.7	-77.5	-77.1	
Public of Korea-----	114,977	90,496	4,600	19,115	12,329	3,572	17,313	-71.0	-22.3	-9.4	
Spain-----	99,404	75,793	9,237	9,338	0	0	17	-	-100.0	-99.8	
1 other-----	562,602	307,210	18,335	72,783	22,758	7,566	66,761	-66.8	-58.7	-35.8	
Total, all sources	1,840,626	1,152,274	91,908	310,612	71,274	65,554	189,063	-8.0	-28.7	-39.1	

### See footnotes at end of table

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)										
Source	1981			1982			1983			Percentage change
	Year to date	Mar.	Feb.	Year to date	Mar.	Feb.	Year to date	Mar.	Feb.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	Unit value

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

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

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

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	Percent
Short tons										
1981:										
1981:	1,502,645	:	51,609	:	35,198	:	36,439	:	1,517,815	:
April-June	1,010,995	:	42,005	:	22,485	:	32,979	:	1,020,021	:
July-September	393,106	:	19,372	:	14,242	:	9,273	:	403,205	:
October-December	367,962	:	12,564	:	8,064	:	7,349	:	373,177	:
1982:	303,728	:	10,288	:	6,438	:	10,828	:	303,188	:
1983:										
January-March	357,360	:	22,793	:	12,693	:	8,944	:	371,209	:
April-June	250,702	:	10,629	:	5,424	:	8,835	:	252,496	:
July-September	213,411	:	4,995	:	2,946	:	8,453	:	209,953	:
October-December	178,922	:	3,588	:	1,422	:	6,747	:	175,763	:
1982:	206,098	:	3,044	:	1,434	:	6,336	:	202,806	:
1983:										
January	108,370	:	10,459	:	5,633	:	1,378	:	117,451	:
February	131,440	:	9,223	:	5,803	:	3,220	:	137,443	:
March	116,620	:	3,111	:	1,257	:	4,345	:	115,386	:
April	96,492	:	2,639	:	947	:	2,842	:	96,289	:
May	80,785	:	4,062	:	2,425	:	3,624	:	81,223	:
June	73,421	:	3,927	:	2,052	:	2,370	:	74,978	:
July	57,361	:	2,159	:	1,016	:	2,616	:	56,904	:
August	73,818	:	1,735	:	1,090	:	1,996	:	73,557	:
September	65,725	:	1,101	:	840	:	3,841	:	62,985	:
October	58,298	:	1,196	:	415	:	3,005	:	56,489	:
November	55,492	:	563	:	234	:	1,422	:	54,633	:
December	65,892	:	1,829	:	773	:	2,320	:	65,401	:
1983:										
January	55,101	:	1,018	:	417	:	1,730	:	54,389	:
February	60,573	:	793	:	188	:	3,122	:	58,244	:
March	86,209	:	1,234	:	829	:	1,485	:	85,958	:
Percentage change:										
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	42.3	:	55.6	:	341.0	:	-52.4	:	47.6	:
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-26.1	:	-60.3	:	-34.0	:	-65.8	:	-25.5	:

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

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

3/ Data on producers' shipments, apparent consumption and ratio of imports to consumption adjusted due to revision in producers' shipments.

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

		Value
countries:		
Belgium/Luxembourg	:	
France	:	
Italy	:	
Netherlands	:	
United Kingdom	:	
West Germany	:	
All other	:	
Subtotal, EC	:	
Izil	:	
India	:	
Iran	:	
Public of Korea	:	
U.S.	:	
Other	:	
Total, all sources	:	

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 in dollars per short ton)										
Source		1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(5)	1983
		(1)	(2)							
Unit value										
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--:	600	705	-	929	-	541	541	-	-	-41.8
France-----:	977	1,010	1,053	1,017	821	771	914	-6.1	-26.8	-10.1
Italy-----:	251	302	221	247	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands--:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----:	718	702	716	718	-	645	645	-	-9.9	-10.2
West Germany--:	705	771	-	697	674	532	545	-21.1	-	-21.8
All other-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC-----:	572	597	953	425	806	582	721	-27.8	-38.9	69.6
Brazil-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-27.8	-38.9	69.6
Canada-----:	896	444	282	394	585	625	583	6.8	121.6	48.0
Japan-----:	781	837	1,019	882	819	686	794	-16.2	-32.7	-10.0
Republic of Korea-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain-----:	-	664	-	768	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other-----:	788	725	745	720	769	1,079	670	40.3	44.8	-6.9
Total, all sources:	644	663	870	568	714	614	702	-14.0	-29.4	23.6

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.  
 2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.  
 3/ Negligible.

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

Source	1981	1982	Year to date	Year to date	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	(7)
								from	from	from	from
								(5)	(5)	(3)	(4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

## Unit value

countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	360	334	338	363	282	276	279	-1.4	-17.8	-23.1	
France	357	337	358	375	250	267	251	6.8	-25.4	-33.1	
Italy	1,563	1,464	1,823	1,484	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Netherlands	339	328	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Kingdom	377	366	398	406	284	323	321	13.7	-18.8	-20.9	
West Germany	392	378	414	403	327	304	299	-7.0	-26.6	-25.8	
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	369	349	372	378	281	297	291	5.7	-20.2	-23.0	
Azil	324	260	332	331	307	-	307	-3.3	-10.5	-7.3	
Nada	362	360	367	363	294	322	317	9.5	-12.3	-12.7	
Pan	354	365	352	366	322	315	320	-2.2	-10.5	-12.6	
Public of Korea	378	302	320	326	272	271	267	-0.4	-15.3	-18.1	
Ain	362	354	401	397	394	252	253	-36.0	-37.2	-36.3	
1 other	362	313	367	383	249	232	250	-6.8	-36.8	-34.7	
Total, all sources:	361	351	371	374	291	295	295	1.4	-20.5	-21.1	

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

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

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	Percent
Short tons										
1981:										
1982 3/	659,267	17,587	7,177		23,903		652,951		2.7	1.1
1981:	436,504	21,690	4,708		10,050		448,144		4.8	1.1
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
1983:										
January-March	101,148	1,809	482		1,670		101,287		1.8	0.5
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
February	29,812	596	223		126		30,282		2.0	0.7
March	39,495	322	110		1,045		38,772		0.8	0.3
Percentage change:										
Mar. 1983/Febr. 1983	32.5	-46.0	-50.7		729.4		28.0		-	-
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-7.4	-77.9	-28.1		-6.5		-9.8		-	-

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

2/ Less than 0.05 percent.

3/ Data on producers' shipments, apparent consumption and ratio of imports to consumption adjusted due to revision in producers' shipments.

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

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

Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	(7)	Percentage change
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
Countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
France	20	25	0	0	22	0	21	22	-100.0	-	-
Italy	190	392	0	0	24	0	0	71	-	-	195.8
Netherlands	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	6,478	3,815	111	254	149	85	304	-43.0	-23.4	19.7	
West Germany	489	402	41	151	52	4	85	-92.3	-90.2	-43.7	
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	7,177	6,708	153	429	223	110	482	-50.7	-28.1	12.4	
Iraq	0	0	0	0	5	2	32	-60.0	-	-	
Canada	466	2,903	286	743	0	21	187	-	-92.7	-74.8	
Japan	9,647	12,656	863	3,700	345	152	1,005	-55.9	-82.4	-72.8	
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Pain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
11 other	297	1,423	157	375	23	37	103	-	-76.4	-72.5	
Total, all sources	17,587	21,690	1,458	5,247	596	322	1,809	-46.0	-77.9	-65.5	

Countries:											
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
France	8	28	0	0	29	0	29	-100.0	-	-	-
Italy	288	490	0	0	36	0	21	75	-	-	108.3
Netherlands	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	3,851	2,200	58	291	82	45	154	-45.1	-22.4	-47.1	
West Germany	2,009	1,142	100	289	175	39	303	-77.7	-61.0	4.8	
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Subtotal, EC	6,156	3,897	159	616	285	105	561	-63.2	-34.0	-8.9	
Iraq	0	0	0	0	9	4	51	-55.6	-	-	
Canada	462	1,727	114	328	0	12	93	-	-89.5	-71.6	
Japan	12,300	21,904	2,628	7,468	707	354	2,547	-49.9	-86.5	-65.9	
Republic of Korea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
Pain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	
11 other	579	3,241	348	794	47	76	224	61.7	-78.2	-71.8	
Total, all sources	19,497	30,769	3,248	9,205	1,049	551	3,476	-47.5	-83.0	-62.2	

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

					1982		1983			Percentage change
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(7)	
								(5)	(3)	from (4)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
EC countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg--:										
France-----:	408	1,100	490	1,100	1,320	1,002	1,320	-	-	-
Italy-----:	1,514	1,248	-	1,468	-	1,002	1,060	-	-	-27.8
Netherlands-----:	-	1,178	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom-----:	595	577	525	1,148	547	528	505	-3.5	0.6	-56.0
West Germany-----:	4,108	2,840	2,428	1,912	3,338	9,136	3,559	173.7	276.3	86.1
All other-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	858	828	1,037	1,435	1,280	956	1,163	-25.3	-7.8	-19.0
Brazil-----:	-	-	-	-	1,747	1,729	1,617	-1.0	66.7	12.7
Canada-----:	992	595	399	442	572	497	-	43.4	12.4	
Japan-----:	1,275	1,731	3,047	2,018	2,051	2,331	2,535	13.7	-23.5	25.6
Republic of Korea-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain-----:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other-----:	1,949	2,277	2,211	2,119	2,106	2,058	2,173	-2.3	-6.9	2.5
Total, all sources:	1,109	1,419	2,228	1,754	1,760	1,712	1,921	-2.7	-23.2	9.5

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

Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
Short tons							
1981	: 2,924,599	: 772,693	: 172,502	: 82,293	: 3,614,999	: 21.4	: 4.8
1982 2/---	: 2,366,437	: 875,170	: 192,850	: 8,494	: 3,233,113	: 27.1	: 6.0
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
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
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January-March	: 592,904	: 279,976	: 35,329	: 645	: 872,235	: 32.1	: 4.1
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
February	: 201,008	: 96,200	: 9,080	: 89	: 297,119	: 32.4	: 3.1
March	: 211,429	: 85,030	: 3,424	: 172	: 296,287	: 28.7	: 1.2
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mar. 1983/Feb.	: 5.2	: -11.6	: -62.3	: 93.3	: -0.3	: -	: -
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	: 9.9	: 6.4	: -88.2	: -34.8	: 8.9	: -	: -

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

2/ Data on producers' shipments, apparent consumption and ratio of imports to consumption adjusted due to revision in producers' shipments.

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

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

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

Source	1981	1982	1983			Percentage change		
			Year to date	Mar.	Feb.	Year to date	from (5)	from (4)
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Quantity								
Countries:								
Belgium/Luxembourg--	21,547	27,571	543	4,088	1,044	213	5,640	-79.6 : -60.8 :
France-----	101,921	128,699	27,388	36,102	5,749	907	20,974	-84.2 : -96.7 : -41.9
Italy--	35	517	0	16	1/	1/	1	- : - : -
Netherlands--	4,326	10,568	963	2,488	485	482	1,021	-0.6 : -49.9 : -93.8
United Kingdom--	29,089	14,034	93	1,083	0	0	2,309	- : -100.0 : -59.0
West Germany--	15,583	11,461	1/	1,088	1,801	1,822	5,385	- : - : 113.2
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	- : - : 394.9
Subtotal, EC-----	172,502	192,850	28,988	44,865	9,080	3,424	35,329	-62.3 : -88.2 : -21.3
Russia-----	32,579	111,025	13,385	55,217	25,366	24,351	63,992	-4.0 : 81.9 : 15.9
Canada-----	317,369	284,292	20,596	51,829	13,048	23,342	50,490	78.9 : 13.3 : -2.6
Japan-----	173,859	152,803	11,687	48,706	15,948	8,146	39,366	-48.9 : -30.3 : -19.2
Republic of Korea-----	0	6,188	0	0	59	0	294	-100.0 : - : -
Pain-----	1,657	6,818	1,800	2,039	13,339	3,345	21,465	-74.9 : 85.8 : 952.7
All other--	74,727	121,194	3,455	18,538	19,361	22,421	69,042	15.8 : 548.9 : 272.4
Total, all sources:	772,693	875,170	79,910	221,195	96,200	85,030	279,976	-11.6 : 6.4 : 26.6
Value								
Countries:								
Belgium/Luxembourg--	6,749	7,492	175	1,324	288	53	1,426	-81.6 : -69.7 : 7.7
France-----	33,357	33,832	2,428	5,161	1,578	303	5,924	-80.8 : -87.5 : 14.8
Italy--	31	213	0	10	1	1	2	- : 0.0 : -
Netherlands--	1,821	3,777	362	965	161	159	341	-1.2 : -56.1 : -64.7
United Kingdom--	11,875	4,833	44	515	0	0	867	- : -100.0 : 68.3
West Germany--	4,901	3,972	1	357	668	622	1,722	-6.9 : - : 2/ : 382.4
All other--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	- : - : -
Subtotal, EC-----	58,733	56,119	3,011	8,332	2,695	1,137	10,281	-57.8 : -62.2 : 23.4
Russia-----	10,553	32,151	3,688	17,407	5,578	5,059	13,732	-9.3 : 37.2 : -21.1
Canada-----	103,575	93,077	7,288	17,767	4,298	7,479	16,084	74.0 : 2.6 : -9.5
Japan-----	70,731	60,565	4,812	19,888	5,401	3,142	14,281	-41.8 : -34.7 : -28.2
Republic of Korea-----	0	2,060	0	15	0	0	73	-100.0 : - : -
Pain-----	834	2,963	864	978	3,245	944	5,593	-70.9 : 9.3 : 471.9
All other--	24,832	31,036	930	5,106	4,456	4,893	15,573	9.8 : 426.1 : 205.0
Total, all sources:	269,257	275,970	20,594	69,477	25,689	22,655	75,617	-11.8 : 10.0 : 8.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton										Percentage change			
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	Mar.	1983	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Unit value													
countries:													
Belgium/Luxembourg	313	272	322	324	276	249	253	-9.8	-22.7	-21.9			
France	327	263	89	143	274	333	282	21.5	274.2	97.2			
Italy	893	413	-	611	-	-	2,275	-	-	272.3			
Netherlands	421	357	376	388	331	329	334	-0.6	-12.5	-13.9			
United Kingdom	408	344	475	476	-	-	375	-	-	-21.2			
West Germany	314	347	-	328	371	341	320	-8.1	-	-2.4			
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Subtotal, EC	340	281	104	186	297	332	291	11.8	219.2	56.5			
Brazil	324	290	276	315	220	208	215	-5.5	-24.6	-31.7			
Canada	326	327	354	343	329	320	319	-2.7	-9.6	-7.0			
Iran	407	396	412	408	339	386	363	13.9	-6.3	-11.0			
Republic of Korea	-	333	-	-	250	-	-	-	-	-			
China	503	435	480	480	243	282	261	16.0	-41.3	-45.6			
Other	332	256	269	275	230	218	226	-5.2	-19.0	-17.8			
Total, all sources	348	315	258	314	267	266	270	-0.4	3.1	-14.0			

/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

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	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC
Short tons										
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
April-June	4,204,066	:	404,798	:151,309	:	91,041	:	4,517,823	:	9.0
July-September	3,250,483	:	289,381	:96,452	:	31,014	:	3,508,850	:	8.2
October-December	1,208,881	:	110,291	:41,846	:	14,796	:	1,304,376	:	8.5
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	1,094,862	:	10.3
January-March	998,873	:	113,130	:46,009	:	17,141	:	915,982	:	5.7
April-June	598,340	:	63,183	:19,603	:	6,266	:	655,257	:	9.6
July-September	526,980	:	52,620	:19,495	:	6,115	:	573,485	:	9.2
October-December	851,416	:	102,634	:52,060	:	38,068	:	911,982	:	5.7
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January-March	898,374	:	59,864	:13,403	:	7,327	:	950,911	:	6.3
February	265,594	:	30,373	:6,605	:	3,699	:	292,268	:	10.4
March	264,961	:	29,542	:7,211	:	2,447	:	292,056	:	10.1
April	315,364	:	24,461	:6,396	:	2,531	:	337,294	:	7.3
May	244,740	:	16,322	:2,094	:	2,393	:	258,669	:	6.3
June	237,389	:	33,334	:14,837	:	5,696	:	265,027	:	12.6
July	254,303	:	39,546	:20,210	:	1,867	:	291,982	:	13.5
August	180,959	:	22,118	:10,295	:	2,543	:	200,534	:	11.0
September	211,809	:	21,878	:5,548	:	1,949	:	231,738	:	9.4
October	206,652	:	19,186	:3,796	:	1,774	:	224,064	:	8.6
November	189,185	:	12,395	:1,959	:	2,308	:	199,272	:	6.2
December	159,224	:	17,057	:4,485	:	2,015	:	174,266	:	9.8
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	196,840	:	11.8
January	235,263	:	25,527	:9,949	:	3,079	:	257,711	:	9.9
February	269,116	:	16,944	:1,845	:	1,947	:	284,113	:	6.0
March	339,594	:	17,394	:1,609	:	2,302	:	354,686	:	4.9
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	26.2	:	2.7	:-12.8	:	18.2	:	24.8	:	-
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	7.7	:	-28.9	:-74.8	:	-9.0	:	5.2	:	-

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

2/ Data on producers' shipments, apparent consumption and ratio of imports to consumption adjusted due to revision in producers' shipments.

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

		Value
countries:		
Belgium/Luxembourg	4,749	3,204
France	1,952	550
Italy	9	7
Netherlands	41	0
United Kingdom	50,868	27,741
West Germany	6,518	9,684
Other	0	0
Subtotal, EC	64,137	41,186
Zimbabwe	2,151	2,096
Japan	40,876	33,402
Public of Korea	32,772	25,333
China	3,280	804
Other	12,443	8,772
Total, All countries	157,168	116,331

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 in dollars per short ton)																										
Source		1981		1982		Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	1983	Percentage change																
									(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)								
Unit value										:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:								
countries:										:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:								
Belgium/Luxembourg	:	321	:	308	:	315	:	310	243	220	227	-9.5	-30.2	-26.8												
France	:	356	:	382	:	425	:	472	324	339	349	4.6	-20.2	-26.1												
Italy	:	392	:	486	:	-	:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-												
Netherlands	:	1,510	:	-	:	-	:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-												
United Kingdom	:	434	:	442	:	475	:	472	409	359	381	-12.2	-24.4	-19.3												
West Germany	:	475	:	445	:	423	:	449	345	387	398	-12.2	-8.5	-11.4												
All other	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-												
Subtotal, EC	:	424	:	427	:	443	:	431	343	281	351	-18.1	-36.6	-18.6												
Brazil	:	296	:	293	:	219	:	231	223	241	227	8.1	10.0	-1.7												
Canada	:	375	:	374	:	366	:	373	320	280	299	-12.5	-23.5	-19.8												
Japan	:	379	:	393	:	405	:	369	403	355	365	-11.9	-12.3	-1.1												
Republic of Korea	:	257	:	313	:	360	:	336	-	294	294	-	-18.3	-12.5												
Spain	:	369	:	424	:	461	:	367	315	354	354	-14.2	-23.7	-23.0												
All other	:	343	:	310	:	377	:	355	273	314	278	-15.0	-16.7	-21.7												
Total, all sources:		388	:	395	:	407	:	394	311	290	318	-6.8	-28.7	-19.3												

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

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Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	
Short tons									
1981:									Percent--
1981	2,380,922	154,114	48,943	51,224	2,483,812	6,2	6.2	2.0	
1982 2/	1,475,437	140,772	20,532	42,721	1,573,488	8.9	8.9	1.3	
1981:									
April-June	650,153	45,210	16,976	20,572	674,791	6.7	6.7	2.5	
July-September	604,667	40,513	14,394	8,532	636,648	6.4	6.4	2.3	
October-December	540,435	32,876	10,795	9,965	563,346	5.8	5.8	1.9	
1982:									
January-March	511,547	42,037	9,111	17,850	535,734	7.8	7.8	1.7	
April-June	407,827	43,046	4,491	8,904	441,969	9.7	9.7	1.0	
July-September	255,225	33,710	4,547	10,192	278,743	12.1	12.1	1.6	
October-December	228,838	21,979	2,383	5,775	245,042	9.0	9.0	1.0	
1983:									
January-March	325,661	24,418	1,238	11,541	338,538	7.2	7.2	0.4	
1982:									
January	172,743	17,447	4,724	6,890	183,300	9.5	9.5	2.6	
February	166,613	13,297	3,257	6,561	173,349	7.7	7.7	1.9	
March	172,394	11,293	1,130	4,398	179,289	6.3	6.3	0.6	
April	149,103	12,890	2,899	3,683	158,310	8.1	8.1	1.8	
May	133,258	10,917	413	3,792	140,383	7.8	7.8	0.3	
June	123,918	19,239	1,179	1,429	141,728	13.6	13.6	0.8	
July	78,783	10,736	1,884	2,420	87,099	12.3	12.3	2.2	
August	92,753	11,266	889	3,549	100,470	11.2	11.2	0.9	
September	83,156	11,709	1,775	4,224	90,641	12.9	12.9	2.0	
October	77,190	7,291	686	1,852	82,629	8.8	8.8	0.8	
November	71,900	6,255	372	1,806	76,349	8.2	8.2	0.5	
December	79,644	8,433	1,325	2,118	85,959	9.8	9.8	1.5	
1983:									
January	93,102	9,483	742	4,311	98,274	9.6	9.6	0.8	
February	95,031	7,653	313	3,327	99,357	7.7	7.7	0.3	
March	123,453	7,282	183	3,904	126,831	5.7	5.7	0.1	
Percentage change:									
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	29.9	-4.8	-41.5	17.3	27.7	-	-	-	
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-28.4	-35.5	-83.8	-11.2	-29.3	-	-	-	

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

2/ Data on producers' shipments, apparent consumption and ratio of imports to consumption adjusted due to revision in producers' shipments.

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.-EEC 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 in dollars per short ton)									
Source		1981	1982	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	1983	Year to date	1983
									(10)
Quantity									
countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	0	8,676	1	0	0	0	0	1	-
France	40,669	8,676	780	6,479	22	0	42	-100.0	-100.0
Italy	1,286	3,085	9	1,490	0	0	0	-100.0	-100.0
Netherlands	69	133	71	71	29	0	29	-100.0	-100.0
United Kingdom	5,198	2,744	98	668	126	127	957	0.8	29.6
West Germany	1,721	5,893	171	403	135	56	209	-58.5	-67.3
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Subtotal, EC	48,943	20,532	1,130	9,114	313	183	1,238	-61.5	-83.8
Brazil	52	8,518	223	2,617	69	10	2,066	-85.5	-95.5
Canada	59,108	60,776	4,507	12,654	5,352	4,926	15,344	-8.0	9.3
Spain	36,236	36,829	2,354	12,517	1,135	738	2,447	-35.0	-68.6
Republic of Korea	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Greece	4,762	9,244	2,522	3,785	526	907	2,235	72.4	-64.0
All other	5,011	4,873	556	1,353	259	519	1,088	100.4	-6.7
Total, all sources	154,114	140,772	11,293	42,037	7,653	7,282	24,418	-4.8	-35.5

countries:	
Belgium/Luxembourg	0
France	24,124
Italy	903
Netherlands	57
United Kingdom	3,137
West Germany	1,790
All other	0
Subtotal, EC	30,011
Azil	42
Canada	26,432
Japan	19,170
Public of Korea	2
Spain	2,667
Other	3,486
Total, all sources	81,809

Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton										Percentage change										
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.											
										(1)	(2)									
Unit value																				
C countries:																				
Belgium/Luxembourg	-	1,362	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,127	-									
France	593	623	614	619	932	-	942	-	-	-	52.2									
Italy	702	646	650	602	-	-	-	-	-	-	-									
Netherlands	833	901	684	684	516	-	516	-	-	-	-24.6									
United Kingdom	604	743	3,570	1,140	703	547	513	-22.2	-	-84.7	-55.0									
West Germany	1,040	648	1,712	1,226	783	789	784	0.8	-	-53.9	-36.1									
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-									
Subtotal, EC	613	651	1,042	682	736	621	574	-15.6	-	-40.4	-15.8									
Brazil	811	328	280	288	551	668	307	21.2	138.6	6.6	11.7									
Canada	447	485	436	443	489	531	495	8.6	21.8	-	-13.4									
Japan	529	556	547	568	562	458	492	-18.5	-16.3	-	-									
Republic of Korea	633	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-									
Pain	560	635	627	623	355	279	350	-21.4	-	-55.5	-44.3									
All other	696	666	641	655	802	799	798	-0.4	24.6	21.8	-11.5									
Total, all sources	531	534	569	546	512	514	483	0.4	-9.7	-	-									

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			Apparent consumption			Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Producers' shipments		Total	From EC	Exports	From EC	Total	From EC	Percent
Short tons									
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
1: 6,758,750	1: 305,731	: 249,445	:	148,356	:	7,916,125	:	16.5	: 3.2
1: 6,062,681	1: 230,020	: 260,404	:	81,051	:	7,211,650	:	17.1	: 3.6
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
1: 1,924,204	1: 534	: 33,935	:	44,237	:	2,165,501	:	13.2	: 1.6
1: 638,733	1: 967	: 73,181	:	33,569	:	2,000,131	:	19.7	: 3.7
1: 342,575	1: 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
April-June	1: 583,619	: 247,435	: 50,909	:	13,807	:	1,817,247	:	13.6
July-September	1: 630,688	: 306,720	: 60,685	:	28,414	:	1,908,994	:	16.1
October-December	1: 1,516,002	: 371,906	: 109,670	:	23,110	:	1,864,798	:	19.9
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January-March	1: 624,006	: 418,464	: 72,982	:	21,925	:	2,020,545	:	20.7
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January	1: 420,448	: 128,497	: 24,468	:	6,499	:	542,446	:	23.7
February	1: 411,191	: 106,837	: 8,734	:	4,046	:	513,982	:	20.8
March	1: 500,774	: 68,626	: 5,938	:	5,175	:	564,225	:	12.2
April	1: 487,284	: 57,767	: 12,145	:	3,007	:	542,044	:	10.7
May	1: 504,856	: 89,752	: 14,664	:	6,065	:	588,543	:	15.2
June	1: 583,506	: 99,916	: 24,101	:	4,735	:	678,687	:	14.7
July	1: 520,314	: 72,847	: 16,221	:	13,357	:	579,804	:	12.6
August	1: 538,316	: 110,671	: 15,015	:	7,884	:	641,103	:	17.3
September	1: 572,064	: 123,201	: 29,449	:	7,172	:	688,093	:	17.9
October	1: 532,087	: 113,919	: 31,912	:	6,781	:	639,225	:	17.8
November	1: 474,567	: 144,016	: 42,660	:	9,615	:	608,968	:	23.6
December	1: 509,357	: 113,970	: 35,099	:	6,714	:	616,613	:	18.5
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
January	1: 496,160	: 132,056	: 37,349	:	7,196	:	621,020	:	21.3
February	1: 490,898	: 156,922	: 16,935	:	5,707	:	642,113	:	24.4
March	1: 637,639	: 129,486	: 18,699	:	9,022	:	753,103	:	17.2
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	28.9	-17.5	10.4	:	58.1	:	17.3	:	6.0
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	26.3	88.7	214.9	:	74.3	:	33.5	:	2.6

1/ Arranging 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.

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

Source	1981	1982	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(6)	(7)
						from (5)	from (5)	from (3)	from (4)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

Quantity

countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg--	13,905	9,608	0	2,053	2,754	197	6,100	-92.8	-197.1
France-----	63,916	44,861	1,607	10,459	1,527	1,623	7,907	6.3	1.0
Italy-----	30,606	37,192	39	7,788	3,755	5,443	16,556	45.0	1/
Netherlands-----	10,865	7,120	0	1,010	0	0	0	-	-24.4
United Kingdom-----	3,298	12,077	107	1,517	287	1,62	3,535	-43.6	-100.0
West Germany-----	126,854	149,547	4,185	16,314	8,611	11,275	38,885	30.9	51.4
Other-----	2/	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	133.0
Subtotal, EC-----	249,445	260,404	5,938	39,140	16,935	18,699	72,982	10.4	138.4
Total-----	193	17	17	17	0	0	0	-	-
China-----	148,351	125,844	11,161	27,173	9,768	14,719	36,960	50.7	-100.0
Japan-----	758,886	692,885	44,968	175,867	86,308	72,521	223,143	61.3	36.0
Republic of Korea-----	40,091	40,667	2,717	11,591	7,855	5,149	17,504	-34.4	26.9
Other-----	1,8,584	26,796	0	25,116	4,982	3,784	8,766	-24.0	51.0
Total, all sources-----	90,181	83,406	3,824	25,054	31,074	14,615	59,108	-53.0	-65.0

Value

countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg--	6,192	3,976	0	954	1,140	69	2,357	-93.9	-147.1
France-----	28,981	19,495	702	4,562	606	622	3,209	2.6	-11.4
Italy-----	17,298	15,972	28	4,073	1,647	2,036	6,364	23.6	-29.3
Netherlands-----	5,286	3,324	0	515	0	0	0	-	56.2
United Kingdom-----	1,660	6,216	557	1,340	129	65	1,407	-49.6	-100.0
West Germany-----	53,977	65,756	1,844	7,275	3,259	4,119	14,884	26.4	-88.3
Other-----	76	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	5.0
Subtotal, EC-----	113,469	114,740	3,131	18,699	6,781	6,912	28,221	1.9	104.6
Total-----	81	7	7	0	0	0	0	-	50.9
China-----	64,339	57,096	5,208	12,003	4,365	6,361	15,980	45.7	-100.0
Japan-----	361,431	316,860	20,699	81,066	37,424	31,160	97,855	-16.7	33.1
Republic of Korea-----	17,498	18,121	1,228	5,501	3,061	2,021	6,934	-34.0	20.7
Other-----	8,797	12,278	0	11,500	1,945	3,440	-23.1	-	26.0
Total, all sources-----	39,356	34,954	1,693	11,164	11,399	5,526	22,100	-51.5	-70.1
	604,971	554,056	31,966	139,919	64,976	53,475	174,531	-17.7	98.3
								88.7	37.7

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

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

Source	1981	1982	1983	Unit value										Percentage change
				Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	from (5)	(6)	from (5)	(3)	from (4)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)					
<b>countries:</b>														
Belgium/Luxembourg	445	414	—	465	414	352	386	—15.0	—	—	—	—	—	—17.0
France	453	435	437	434	397	383	406	-3.5	—	-12.4	—	-6.5	—	—
Italy	565	429	732	523	439	374	384	-14.8	—	-48.9	—	-26.6	—	—
Netherlands	487	467	—	510	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
United Kingdom	503	515	5,222	884	449	405	398	-9.8	—	-92.2	—	-55.0	—	—
West Germany	426	440	441	446	378	365	383	-3.4	—	-17.2	—	-14.1	—	—
All other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Subtotal, EC	455	441	527	472	400	370	387	-7.5	—	-29.8	—	-19.0	—	—
Austria	422	396	396	396	—	—	—	-7.5	—	-6.6	—	-2.3	—	—
Canada	434	454	467	442	447	432	432	-3.4	—	-7.5	—	-5.1	—	—
Panama	476	457	460	461	434	430	439	-0.9	—	-6.5	—	-4.8	—	—
public of Korea	436	446	452	475	390	393	396	0.8	—	-13.1	—	-16.6	—	—
Spain	473	458	—	458	390	395	392	1.3	—	-14.4	—	-14.4	—	—
Other	436	419	443	445	367	378	374	3.0	—	-14.7	—	-16.0	—	—
Total, all sources	463	450	466	460	414	413	417	-0.2	—	-11.4	—	-9.3	—	—

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

Period	Producers' shipments		Imports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption		
	Total	From EC	From	To EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	
	Short tons								Percent
1981:	3,489,768	: 286,270	: 73,754	:	363,998	:	3,412,040	:	8.4 : 2.2
1982:	3,018,030	: 216,240	: 82,982	:	226,472	:	3,007,798	:	7.2 : 2.8
January-March	891,915	: 84,076	: 15,887	:	109,757	:	866,234	:	9.7 : 1.8
April-June	860,200	: 63,425	: 14,660	:	81,012	:	842,613	:	7.5 : 1.7
July-September	770,237	: 57,837	: 22,840	:	74,406	:	753,668	:	7.7 : 3.0
October-December	872,178	: 44,484	: 17,485	:	59,618	:	857,044	:	5.2 : 2.0
1982:	737,233	: 59,312	: 13,133	:	69,714	:	726,831	:	8.2 : 1.8
January-March	858,438	: 60,055	: 26,024	:	53,828	:	864,665	:	6.9 : 3.0
April-June	550,181	: 52,389	: 26,339	:	43,312	:	559,258	:	9.4 : 4.7
July-September	735,709	: 69,750	: 25,205	:	41,065	:	764,394	:	9.1 : 3.3
October-December	722,918	: 15,933	: 6,258	:	14,683	:	274,168	:	5.8 : 2.3
1983:	317,197	: 9,349	: 3,807	:	19,682	:	306,864	:	3.0 : 1.2
January	279,555	: 19,201	: 7,421	:	25,253	:	273,503	:	7.0 : 2.7
February	222,985	: 10,867	: 767	:	20,173	:	213,679	:	5.1 : 0.4
March	237,646	: 25,633	: 6,517	:	28,939	:	234,340	:	10.9 : 2.8
April	276,631	: 22,812	: 5,848	:	20,601	:	278,842	:	8.2 : 2.1
May	236,712	: 16,245	: 6,851	:	19,247	:	233,710	:	7.0 : 2.9
June	274,547	: 31,548	: 11,106	:	18,078	:	288,017	:	11.0 : 3.9
July	347,244	: 12,262	: 8,068	:	16,503	:	343,003	:	3.6 : 2.4
August	169,815	: 18,689	: 8,491	:	18,073	:	170,431	:	11.0 : 5.0
September	179,074	: 15,716	: 8,655	:	12,330	:	182,460	:	8.6 : 4.7
October	202,099	: 17,984	: 9,193	:	12,909	:	207,174	:	8.7 : 4.4
November	257,299	: 20,084	: 8,471	:	15,495	:	261,888	:	7.7 : 3.2
December	209,816	: 27,521	: 9,353	:	11,960	:	225,377	:	12.2 : 4.1
1983:	275,030	: 22,145	: 7,381	:	13,610	:	283,565	:	7.8 : 2.6
Percentage change:									
Mar. 1983/Febr. 1983	31.1	-19.5	-21.1		13.8		25.8	-	-
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	-1.6	15.3	-0.5		-46.1		3.7	-	-

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

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

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

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	1983
									(9)
Quantity									
countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	904	546	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
France	36,429	38,068	6,309	10,961	3,153	3,962	12,051	25,7	-37.2
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	9.9
Netherlands	3,258	4,889	131	652	482	961	1,758	99.4	633.6
United Kingdom	891	556	112	152	200	0	735	-100.0	169.6
West Germany	32,271	38,922	868	5,721	5,518	2,458	10,662	-55.5	383.6
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	86.4
Subtotal, EC	73,754	82,982	7,421	17,485	9,353	7,381	25,205	-21.1	-0.5
Subtotal, EFTA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	44.2
Other	37,850	19,889	1,693	3,687	2,036	2,916	8,404	43.2	127.9
Total, all sources	286,270	216,290	19,201	44,484	27,521	22,145	69,750	-19.5	56.8
Percentage change									
France	173,028	111,023	10,060	23,156	13,265	11,810	32,474	-11.0	40.2
Public of Korea	598	104	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Other	1,041	2,242	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Total, all sources	286,270	216,290	19,201	44,484	27,521	22,145	69,750	-19.5	56.8

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(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)																		
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	from (5)	1983	Percentage change								
									(6)									
										:								
										:								
countries:										:								
Belgium/Luxembourg	596	573	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	:								
France	631	633	642	655	591	596	590	0.8	-7.2	-9.9								
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Netherlands	575	625	617	652	667	678	672	1.6	9.9	3.1								
United Kingdom	571	767	1,140	958	458	-	440	-	-	-54.1								
West Germany	644	598	678	633	608	578	604	-4.9	-14.7	-4.6								
All other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Subtotal, EC	633	616	653	651	602	601	598	-0.2	-8.0	-8.1								
Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.2	-8.0	-8.1								
Canada	548	573	621	612	605	497	583	-17.9	-20.0	-4.7								
Japan	643	632	661	634	583	626	603	7.4	-5.3	-4.9								
Public of Korea	575	596	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Other	464	449	439	503	417	443	419	6.2	0.9	-16.7								
Total, all sources	627	619	654	638	574	600	589	4.5	-8.3	-7.7								

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	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports	Apparent consumption	Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC			Total	From EC
		Short tons				Percent--	
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
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
1983:							
January-March	125,602	55,735	37,133	3,232	178,105	31.3	20.8
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
February	39,522	28,447	24,772	942	67,027	42.4	37.0
March	60,171	10,913	6,564	1,594	69,490	15.7	9.4
Percentage change:							
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	52.2	-61.6	-73.5	69.2	3.7	-	-
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	22.6	-64.7	-61.5	201.3	-12.5	-	-

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.

## Percentage change

1983

1982

Source

## Quantity

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
countries:										
Belgium/Luxembourg	11,858	9,953	241	1,220	876	149	1,155	-83,0	-38,2	-5,3
France	29,269	56,554	5,090	11,699	42	5,625	6,227	1/	10,5	-46,8
Italy	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	4,566	19,000	2,603	3,799	19,606	2/	19,606	-	-	416,1
West Germany	66,275	62,380	9,135	29,638	4,248	790	10,145	-81,4	-91,4	-65,8
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	111,971	147,888	17,069	46,356	24,772	6,564	37,133	-73,5	-61,5	-19,9
Azil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
India	90,753	39,664	7,237	21,231	3,509	344	4,478	-90,2	-95,2	-78,9
Japan	41,829	65,077	6,343	24,617	0	3,950	13,903	-	-37,7	-43,5
Public of Korea	851	1,492	0	735	0	55	55	-	-	-92,5
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Other	1,901	888	227	360	166	0	166	-100,0	-100,0	-53,9
Total, all sources	247,305	255,008	30,877	93,299	28,447	10,913	55,735	-61,6	-64,7	-40,3

## Value

	countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	5,212	4,881	113	566	363	71	494	-80,4	-37,2	-12,7
France	11,909	22,122	1,974	4,791	1,965	17	2,169	1/	-0,5	-54,7
Italy	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
United Kingdom	2,216	7,774	1,104	1,605	1,109	2/	1,109	-100,0	-100,0	-30,9
West Germany	27,926	28,082	3,682	13,254	1,627	305	3,888	-81,3	-91,7	-70,7
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Subtotal, EC	47,265	62,859	6,874	20,216	3,116	2,341	7,660	-24,9	-65,9	-62,1
Azil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
India	25,079	11,050	1,932	5,459	768	70	888	-90,9	-96,4	-83,7
Japan	21,698	34,835	3,672	13,166	0	1,958	7,085	-	-46,7	-46,2
Public of Korea	373	623	0	310	0	24	24	-	-	-92,3
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Other	701	400	94	144	48	0	53	-100,0	-100,0	-63,2
Total, all sources	95,115	109,766	12,572	39,295	3,932	4,393	15,710	11,7	-65,1	-60,0

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Source	1982			1983			Percentage change		
	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	from	(7)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

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Period	Producers' shipments	Imports		Exports		Apparent consumption		Ratio of imports to consumption	
		Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC	Total	From EC
Short tons									
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
1981	:	281,941	:	98,718	:	81,499	:	7,607	:
1982	:	249,975	:	114,863	:	89,950	:	5,623	:
1981:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	373,072	:
April-June	:	58,775	:	39,089	:	33,366	:	750	:
July-September	:	66,872	:	20,882	:	17,479	:	876	:
October-December	:	67,950	:	20,603	:	16,261	:	5,246	:
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	97,114	:
January-March	:	63,614	:	18,044	:	13,981	:	1,011	:
April-June	:	80,990	:	36,695	:	30,286	:	1,067	:
July-September	:	55,491	:	30,414	:	19,992	:	929	:
October-December	:	49,880	:	29,711	:	25,692	:	2,617	:
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	86,878	:
January-March	:	43,637	:	18,903	:	16,560	:	642	:
1982:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	80,647	:
January	:	19,723	:	7,566	:	6,452	:	203	:
February	:	25,580	:	3,702	:	2,536	:	419	:
March	:	18,311	:	6,775	:	4,986	:	389	:
April	:	21,051	:	5,997	:	4,906	:	33	:
May	:	29,580	:	13,720	:	12,216	:	802	:
June	:	30,359	:	16,977	:	13,164	:	232	:
July	:	19,905	:	6,575	:	2,210	:	538	:
August	:	16,892	:	12,006	:	9,058	:	327	:
September	:	18,694	:	11,833	:	8,724	:	64	:
October	:	19,511	:	9,528	:	7,187	:	2,511	:
November	:	15,017	:	12,063	:	10,748	:	42	:
December	:	15,352	:	8,120	:	7,757	:	64	:
1983:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	24,733	:
January	:	14,741	:	4,132	:	3,827	:	264	:
February	:	9,047	:	5,625	:	4,886	:	114	:
March	:	19,849	:	9,147	:	7,846	:	263	:
Percentage change:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mar. 1983/Feb. 1983	:	119.4	:	62.6	:	60.6	:	130.7	:
Mar. 1983/Mar. 1982	:	8.4	:	35.0	:	57.4	:	-32.4	:

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

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)									
							1983		Percentage change
Source	1981	1982	Mar.	Year to date	Feb.	Mar.	Year to date	(6)	(7)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9) : (10)
C countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	24,857	29,453	500	1,177	2,214	1,140	5,585	-48.5	128.0 : 374.5
France	25,555	27,640	1,759	6,903	6,666	6,443	8,517	867.4	266.3 : 23.4
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Netherlands	765	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
United Kingdom	17,450	16,057	1,586	3,001	0	0	0	-	-
West Germany	12,872	16,801	1,140	2,899	2,006	264	2,457	-86.8	-76.8 : -15.2
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Subtotal, EC	81,499	89,950	4,986	13,981	4,886	7,846	16,560	60.6	57.4 : 18.4
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Canada	16,309	23,386	1,790	3,846	739	1,300	2,344	75.9	-27.4 : -39.1
Japan	700	1,526	0	217	0	0	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	6,775	18,044	5,625	9,147	18,903	62.6	35.0 : 4.8
C countries:									
Belgium/Luxembourg	10,958	13,692	225	582	952	533	2,451	-44.0	136.9 : 321.1
France	10,250	11,681	728	2,878	268	2,670	3,503	896.3	266.8 : 21.7
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Netherlands	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
United Kingdom	6,093	5,940	627	1,202	0	0	0	-	-100.0 : -100.0
West Germany	5,434	7,987	571	1,344	834	117	1,023	-86.0	-79.5 : -23.9
All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Subtotal, EC	32,916	39,300	2,151	6,006	2,054	3,319	6,977	61.6	54.3 : 16.2
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Canada	7,213	10,839	872	1,860	358	605	1,100	69.0	-30.6 : -40.9
Japan	313	671	0	108	0	0	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	3,022	7,973	2,412	3,924	8,077	62.7	29.8 : 1.3

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, April from March
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
	Per short ton						
Composite 2/-	\$506	\$506	\$506	\$506	\$524	\$524	-
Hot-rolled sheet, 0.075 inch thick	416	416	416	416	441	441	-
Cold-rolled sheet, class 1	493	493	493	493	523	523	-
Carbon grade plate	485	485	485	485	515	515	-
Standard structurals	478	478	478	478	478	478	-
Wire rod	447	447	447	447	447	447	-
Hot-rolled carbon bar (special quality)	479	479	479	479	516	516	-
Galvanized, hot-dipped sheet	543	543	543	543	560	560	-
Tin Plate, single reduced electrolytic, 0.25 pound 3/-----	797	797	797	797	797	797	-
Standard rails, No. 1-----	487	487	487	487	487	487	-
Sheet Piling-----	529	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.

