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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 | | Thousands | |
| 1981----- | 120,828 | 78.3 | 391 | 286 | 93 |
| 1982----- | 72,903 | 47.3 | 289 | 198 | 178 |
| 1982: | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 22,970 | 60.7 | 342 | 243 | 107 |
| April-June----- | 19,711 | 51.2 | 307 | 212 | 135 |
| July-September----- | 16,555 | 42.7 | 272 | 183 | 157 |
| October-December----- | 14,265 | 36.7 | 238 | 157 | 178 |
| 1983: | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 18,382 | 49.3 | 235 | 159 | 145 |
| April-June----- | 21,276 | 57.8 | 245 | 170 | 123 |
| July-September----- | 21,076 | 55.7 | 245 | 172 | 107 |
| 1982: | | | | | |
| October----- | 5,262 | 40.2 | 247 | 164 | 169 |
| November----- | 4,546 | 35.9 | 231 | 151 | 174 |
| December----- | 4,456 | 34.0 | 235 | 156 | 178 |
| 1983: | | | | | |
| January----- | 5,570 | 43.4 | 230 | 153 | 174 |
| February----- | 5,676 | 49.0 | 234 | 158 | 152 |
| March----- | 7,127 | 55.5 | 242 | 165 | 145 |
| April----- | 7,292 | 58.9 | 247 | 170 | 135 |
| May----- | 7,412 | 57.9 | 243 | 169 | 128 |
| June----- | 6,993 | 56.5 | 246 | 172 | 123 |
| July----- | 6,921 | 54.3 | 247 | 173 | 117 |
| August----- | 7,020 | 55.1 | 247 | 173 | 113 |
| September----- | 7,134 | 57.8 | 241 | 171 | 107 |
| October----- | 7,692 | 60.2 | 246 | 172 | 104 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983----- | 7.8 | - | 2.1 | 0.5 | -2.8 |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982----- | 46.2 | - | -0.4 | 4.9 | -38.5 |

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.

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

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

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | | |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|---------|---------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------|-----|
| | | Total | From EC | Exports | | Total | From EC | |
| | | -----1,000 short tons----- | | | | Percent----- | | |
| 1981 2/ | 88,450 | 19,898 | 6,482 | 2,904 | 105,444 | 18.9 | | 6.1 |
| 1982 3/ | 61,567 | 16,663 | 5,597 | 1,842 | 76,388 | 21.8 | | 7.3 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March 4/ | 17,200 | 4,905 | 1,527 | 524 | 21,581 | 22.7 | | 7.1 |
| April-June | 16,004 | 4,509 | 1,630 | 522 | 19,991 | 22.6 | | 8.2 |
| July-September | 13,962 | 3,754 | 1,145 | 456 | 17,260 | 21.7 | | 6.6 |
| October-December | 12,632 | 3,495 | 1,295 | 337 | 15,790 | 22.1 | | 8.2 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March 4/ | 15,282 | 3,368 | 840 | 276 | 18,374 | 18.3 | | 4.6 |
| April-June | 16,997 | 3,832 | 942 | 307 | 20,502 | 18.7 | | 4.6 |
| July-September 4/ | 16,803 | 4,540 | 981 | 307 | 21,036 | 21.6 | | 4.7 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October | 4,309 | 1,146 | 346 | 133 | 5,322 | 21.5 | | 6.5 |
| November | 4,088 | 1,258 | 493 | 106 | 5,240 | 24.0 | | 9.4 |
| December | 4,234 | 1,091 | 455 | 97 | 5,228 | 20.9 | | 8.7 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January | 4,583 | 1,098 | 382 | 95 | 5,586 | 19.7 | | 6.8 |
| February 4/ | 4,588 | 1,157 | 224 | 92 | 5,653 | 20.5 | | 4.0 |
| March | 5,969 | 1,113 | 233 | 89 | 6,993 | 15.9 | | 3.3 |
| April | 5,399 | 1,182 | 253 | 106 | 6,475 | 18.3 | | 3.9 |
| May | 5,612 | 1,353 | 327 | 101 | 6,864 | 19.7 | | 4.8 |
| June | 5,986 | 1,297 | 362 | 100 | 7,183 | 18.1 | | 5.0 |
| July | 5,045 | 1,411 | 297 | 108 | 6,348 | 22.2 | | 4.7 |
| August 5/ | 5,789 | 1,617 | 360 | 100 | 7,306 | 22.1 | | 4.9 |
| September 4/ | 5,893 | 1,512 | 324 | 99 | 7,306 | 20.7 | | 4.4 |
| October | 6,018 | 1,755 | 420 | 110 | 7,723 | 22.7 | | 5.4 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983-- | 1.8 | 16.1 | 29.6 | 11.1 | 5.8 | - | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982-- | 41.1 | 53.1 | 21.4 | -17.3 | 45.1 | - | - | - |

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

5/ Reflects adjustment of import data (total).

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 | | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | 1981 | | 1982 | Year to Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Year to Oct. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 1,109 | 929 | 74 | 780 | 56 | 38 | 515 | -32.1 | -48.6 | -34.0 | | |
| France----- | 1,289 | 977 | 42 | 826 | 78 | 89 | 756 | 14.1 | 111.9 | -8.5 | | |
| Italy----- | 768 | 644 | 19 | 590 | 27 | 64 | 325 | 137.0 | 236.8 | -44.9 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 463 | 375 | 12 | 251 | 24 | 23 | 260 | -4.2 | 91.7 | 3.6 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 574 | 486 | 16 | 424 | 34 | 38 | 289 | 11.8 | 137.5 | -31.8 | | |
| West Germany----- | 2,164 | 2,080 | 177 | 1,687 | 105 | 167 | 994 | 59.0 | -5.6 | -41.1 | | |
| All other----- | 115 | 104 | 6 | 90 | 2/ | 2/ | 46 | - | - | -48.9 | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 6,482 | 5,597 | 346 | 4,649 | 324 | 420 | 3,183 | 29.6 | 21.4 | -31.5 | | |
| Brazil----- | 548 | 605 | 31 | 522 | 105 | 105 | 997 | 0.0 | 238.7 | 91.0 | | |
| Canada----- | 2,899 | 1,844 | 153 | 1,598 | 213 | 244 | 1,938 | 14.6 | 59.5 | 21.3 | | |
| Japan----- | 6,220 | 5,185 | 314 | 4,639 | 321 | 450 | 3,261 | 40.2 | 43.3 | -29.7 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 1,218 | 1,062 | 109 | 948 | 157 | 188 | 1,407 | 19.7 | 72.5 | 48.4 | | |
| Spain----- | 730 | 547 | 10 | 503 | 109 | 40 | 486 | -63.3 | 300.0 | -3.4 | | |
| All other----- | 1,801 | 1,823 | 182 | 1,456 | 283 | 309 | 2,223 | 9.2 | 69.8 | 52.7 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 19,898 | 16,663 | 1,146 | 14,314 | 1,512 | 1,755 | 13,496 | 16.1 | 53.1 | -5.7 | | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 467,481 | 373,754 | 26,196 | 322,389 | 18,204 | 12,660 | 175,130 | -30.5 | -51.7 | -45.7 | | |
| France----- | 598,542 | 532,405 | 23,292 | 465,769 | 29,866 | 33,757 | 311,121 | 13.0 | 44.9 | -33.2 | | |
| Italy----- | 442,968 | 424,191 | 9,391 | 394,215 | 7,690 | 27,073 | 152,214 | 252.1 | 188.3 | -61.4 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 168,841 | 134,262 | 5,521 | 93,141 | 7,012 | 7,182 | 81,588 | 2.4 | 30.1 | -12.4 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 321,132 | 279,582 | 8,079 | 254,169 | 13,553 | 16,338 | 126,995 | 20.5 | 102.2 | -50.0 | | |
| West Germany----- | 1,193,251 | 1,127,679 | 73,702 | 981,719 | 41,327 | 60,961 | 411,398 | 47.5 | -17.3 | -58.1 | | |
| All other----- | 49,964 | 49,337 | 3,045 | 43,833 | 37 | 187 | 16,518 | 405.4 | -93.9 | -62.3 | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 3,242,179 | 2,921,211 | 149,227 | 2,555,256 | 117,690 | 158,159 | 1,274,964 | 34.4 | 6.0 | -50.1 | | |
| Brazil----- | 235,752 | 233,995 | 10,393 | 209,232 | 30,033 | 30,460 | 264,411 | 1.4 | 193.1 | 26.4 | | |
| Canada----- | 1,294,673 | 854,966 | 64,258 | 747,888 | 83,752 | 89,185 | 719,981 | 6.5 | 38.8 | -3.7 | | |
| Japan----- | 3,731,750 | 3,448,082 | 192,934 | 3,160,918 | 144,129 | 191,966 | 1,496,726 | 33.2 | -0.5 | -52.6 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 538,939 | 447,813 | 38,791 | 404,988 | 52,244 | 64,244 | 454,728 | 23.0 | 65.6 | 12.3 | | |
| Spain----- | 340,364 | 245,466 | 7,464 | 227,950 | 29,505 | 13,293 | 161,131 | -54.9 | 78.1 | -29.3 | | |
| All other----- | 864,004 | 806,863 | 64,658 | 687,261 | 88,315 | 92,873 | 712,097 | 5.2 | 43.6 | 3.6 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 10,247,660 | 8,958,396 | 527,724 | 7,993,494 | 545,668 | 640,181 | 5,084,039 | 17.3 | 21.3 | -36.4 | | |

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

| Source | (Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | Percentage change |
|--|---|------|------|------|--------------|------|------|------|--------------|-------|-------------------|
| | 1981 | | 1982 | | Year to date | | 1983 | | Year to date | | |
| | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Sep. | (6) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| : | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg--: | 422 | 402 | 354 | 413 | 325 | 330 | 340 | 1.5 | -6.8 | -17.7 | |
| France-----: | 464 | 545 | 551 | 564 | 385 | 378 | 412 | -1.8 | -31.4 | -27.0 | |
| Italy-----: | 577 | 659 | 497 | 668 | 283 | 421 | 469 | 48.8 | -15.3 | -29.8 | |
| Netherlands-----: | 365 | 358 | 448 | 370 | 292 | 313 | 314 | 7.2 | -30.1 | -15.1 | |
| United Kingdom----: | 560 | 575 | 502 | 600 | 396 | 432 | 440 | 9.1 | -13.9 | -26.7 | |
| West Germany-----: | 551 | 542 | 417 | 582 | 392 | 366 | 414 | -6.6 | -12.2 | -28.9 | |
| All other-----: | 433 | 474 | 503 | 486 | - | - | 362 | - | - | - | -25.5 |
| Subtotal, EC-----: | 500 | 522 | 431 | 550 | 363 | 377 | 401 | 3.9 | -12.5 | -27.1 | |
| Brazil-----: | 430 | 387 | 336 | 401 | 285 | 291 | 265 | 2.1 | -13.4 | -33.9 | |
| Canada-----: | 447 | 464 | 420 | 468 | 393 | 366 | 371 | -6.9 | -12.9 | -20.7 | |
| Japan-----: | 600 | 665 | 614 | 681 | 449 | 426 | 459 | -5.1 | -30.6 | -32.6 | |
| Republic of Korea----: | 442 | 422 | 356 | 427 | 334 | 342 | 323 | 2.4 | -3.9 | -24.4 | |
| Spain-----: | 466 | 449 | 752 | 453 | 271 | 333 | 331 | 22.9 | -55.7 | -26.9 | |
| All other-----: | 480 | 443 | 355 | 472 | 312 | 300 | 320 | -3.8 | -15.5 | -32.2 | |
| Total, all sources: | 515 | 538 | 461 | 558 | 361 | 365 | 377 | 1.1 | -20.8 | -32.4 | |

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 | | | Apparent consumption | | | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|------------|-----------|----------------------|------------|------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | Producers' shipments | | | Exports | | | Total | From EC |
| | Total | From EC | | | | | Total | From EC |
| -----Short tons----- | | | | | | | | |
| 1981 3/----- | 61,509,661 | 10,879,553 | 4,172,631 | 1,414,886 | 70,974,328 | 15.3 | 5.9 | |
| 1982 4/----- | 44,546,215 | 9,162,530 | 3,596,094 | 707,001 | 53,001,744 | 17.3 | 6.8 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March 5/----- | 11,973,249 | 2,461,640 | 823,240 | 199,659 | 14,235,230 | 17.3 | 5.8 | |
| April-June----- | 11,587,556 | 2,366,535 | 957,330 | 182,115 | 13,771,976 | 17.2 | 7.0 | |
| July-September----- | 10,548,946 | 2,039,232 | 768,152 | 177,327 | 12,410,851 | 16.4 | 6.2 | |
| October-December----- | 9,605,864 | 2,295,349 | 1,047,373 | 147,900 | 11,753,313 | 19.5 | 8.9 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March 5/ 6/----- | 11,656,114 | 2,196,776 | 599,894 | 131,428 | 13,721,462 | 16.0 | 4.4 | |
| April-June----- | 13,015,026 | 2,481,739 | 698,793 | 159,348 | 15,337,417 | 16.2 | 4.6 | |
| July-September----- | 12,872,486 | 3,114,019 | 750,208 | 154,996 | 15,831,509 | 19.7 | 4.7 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 3,245,143 | 742,010 | 292,311 | 51,858 | 3,935,295 | 18.9 | 7.4 | |
| November----- | 3,076,907 | 819,562 | 374,321 | 49,138 | 3,847,331 | 21.3 | 9.7 | |
| December----- | 3,284,189 | 733,777 | 380,741 | 46,904 | 3,971,062 | 18.5 | 9.6 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 3,487,617 | 769,777 | 298,364 | 45,525 | 4,211,869 | 18.3 | 7.1 | |
| February 5/ 6/----- | 3,529,467 | 733,246 | 143,705 | 38,821 | 4,223,892 | 17.4 | 3.4 | |
| March----- | 4,525,981 | 693,979 | 157,825 | 47,082 | 5,172,878 | 13.4 | 3.1 | |
| April----- | 4,129,970 | 740,897 | 175,102 | 53,101 | 4,817,766 | 15.4 | 3.6 | |
| May----- | 4,274,659 | 890,214 | 248,576 | 51,199 | 5,113,674 | 17.4 | 4.9 | |
| June----- | 4,615,685 | 850,628 | 275,115 | 55,048 | 5,411,265 | 15.7 | 5.1 | |
| July----- | 3,865,029 | 945,065 | 231,782 | 58,339 | 4,751,755 | 19.9 | 4.9 | |
| August----- | 4,444,449 | 1,133,164 | 264,093 | 47,548 | 5,530,065 | 20.5 | 4.8 | |
| September----- | 4,520,044 | 1,035,790 | 254,333 | 49,109 | 5,506,725 | 18.8 | 4.6 | |
| October----- | 4,615,002 | 1,156,625 | 325,304 | 43,352 | 5,728,275 | 20.2 | 5.7 | |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983----- | 2.1 | 11.7 | 27.9 | -11.7 | 4.0 | - | - | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982----- | 42.2 | 55.9 | 11.3 | -16.8 | 61.1 | - | - | |

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

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

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

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

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

6/ Reflects further adjustment of import data (total).

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 in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|-------------------|-------|------|--|
| Source | 1981 | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | | |
| | Year to Oct. | date | Year to Sep. | Oct. | date | (6) | (6) | (7) | from | from | from | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 946,339 | 807,894 | 68,826 | 676,364 | 48,000 | 31,606 | 413,664 | -34.2 | -54.1 | -38.8 | | |
| France----- | 994,540 | 669,868 | 31,955 | 540,466 | 60,302 | 72,207 | 581,336 | 19.7 | 126.0 | 7.6 | | |
| Italy----- | 188,377 | 220,543 | 12,154 | 190,900 | 25,290 | 36,427 | 163,309 | 44.0 | 199.7 | -14.5 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 425,205 | 319,856 | 7,764 | 209,797 | 16,404 | 22,359 | 199,243 | 36.3 | 188.0 | -5.0 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 371,024 | 270,384 | 12,716 | 213,670 | 23,180 | 28,594 | 219,784 | 23.8 | 125.7 | 2.9 | | |
| West Germany----- | 1,201,272 | 1,287,415 | 158,895 | 1,000,774 | 81,156 | 134,012 | 768,271 | 65.1 | -15.7 | -23.2 | | |
| All other----- | 45,874 | 20,134 | 0 | 9,060 | 0 | 0 | 28,592 | - | - | 215.6 | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 4,172,631 | 3,596,094 | 292,311 | 2,841,032 | 254,333 | 325,304 | 2,374,199 | 27.9 | 11.3 | -16.4 | | |
| Brazil----- | 388,044 | 387,746 | 24,628 | 336,158 | 71,004 | 71,645 | 764,222 | 0.9 | 190.9 | 127.3 | | |
| Canada----- | 1,515,710 | 1,113,562 | 91,311 | 959,938 | 144,009 | 133,910 | 1,140,741 | -7.0 | 46.7 | 18.8 | | |
| Japan----- | 2,896,452 | 2,323,987 | 156,597 | 1,965,735 | 229,471 | 308,438 | 2,215,564 | 34.4 | 97.0 | 12.7 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 344,587 | 372,057 | 61,428 | 332,831 | 57,600 | 82,364 | 617,317 | 43.0 | 34.1 | 85.5 | | |
| Spain----- | 464,154 | 365,826 | 2,293 | 339,159 | 86,503 | 30,416 | 368,726 | -64.8 | 2/ | 8.7 | | |
| All other----- | 1,097,974 | 1,003,257 | 113,443 | 834,338 | 192,872 | 204,547 | 1,468,618 | 6.1 | 80.3 | 76.0 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 10,879,553 | 9,162,530 | 742,010 | 7,609,191 | 1,035,790 | 1,156,625 | 8,949,387 | 11.7 | 55.9 | 17.6 | | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 344,900 | 276,226 | 21,965 | 234,260 | 13,574 | 8,948 | 117,013 | -34.1 | -59.3 | -50.0 | | |
| France----- | 362,291 | 258,495 | 13,354 | 211,816 | 19,598 | 22,724 | 185,876 | 16.0 | 70.2 | -12.2 | | |
| Italy----- | 70,219 | 74,115 | 3,933 | 64,037 | 6,449 | 9,871 | 44,642 | 53.1 | 151.0 | -30.3 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 146,075 | 108,117 | 2,752 | 72,928 | 5,036 | 6,818 | 63,134 | 35.4 | 147.7 | -13.4 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 151,730 | 105,676 | 4,442 | 87,641 | 6,236 | 10,396 | 70,177 | 65.7 | 134.0 | -19.9 | | |
| West Germany----- | 469,068 | 478,641 | 55,354 | 380,729 | 25,847 | 43,340 | 265,036 | 67.7 | -21.7 | -30.4 | | |
| All other----- | 16,986 | 7,451 | 0 | 3,230 | 0 | 0 | 8,834 | - | - | 173.5 | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 1,561,268 | 1,308,720 | 101,800 | 1,054,640 | 76,739 | 102,097 | 754,713 | 33.0 | 0.3 | -28.4 | | |
| Brazil----- | 139,975 | 117,626 | 7,177 | 104,565 | 18,956 | 18,163 | 188,892 | -4.2 | 153.1 | 80.6 | | |
| Canada----- | 561,138 | 420,491 | 34,188 | 363,639 | 50,428 | 46,500 | 393,320 | -7.8 | 36.0 | 8.2 | | |
| Japan----- | 1,223,351 | 997,281 | 68,389 | 849,116 | 93,601 | 117,577 | 890,772 | 25.6 | 71.9 | 4.9 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 124,144 | 125,173 | 19,292 | 112,643 | 17,629 | 25,165 | 179,252 | 42.7 | 30.4 | 59.1 | | |
| Spain----- | 175,070 | 135,502 | 790 | 127,752 | 20,501 | 7,986 | 96,158 | -61.0 | 910.9 | -24.7 | | |
| All other----- | 391,040 | 328,488 | 34,419 | 278,956 | 56,000 | 52,065 | 400,570 | -7.0 | 51.3 | 43.6 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 4,175,987 | 3,433,281 | 266,055 | 2,891,310 | 333,854 | 369,553 | 2,903,677 | 10.7 | 38.9 | 0.4 | | |

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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|-----|------|--------------|-----|------|--------------|-------|-------|-------------------|------|------|
| | 1981 | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | Year to date | | Oct. | Year to date | | Sep. | Year to date | | Oct. | from | from | from |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 364 | 342 | 319 | 346 | 283 | 283 | 283 | 0.0 | -11.3 | -18.2 | | |
| France----- | 364 | 386 | 418 | 392 | 325 | 315 | 320 | -3.1 | -24.6 | -18.4 | | |
| Italy----- | 373 | 336 | 324 | 335 | 255 | 271 | 273 | 6.3 | -16.4 | -18.5 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 344 | 338 | 354 | 348 | 307 | 305 | 317 | -0.7 | -13.8 | -8.9 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 409 | 391 | 349 | 410 | 269 | 362 | 319 | 34.6 | 3.7 | -22.2 | | |
| West Germany----- | 390 | 372 | 348 | 380 | 318 | 323 | 345 | 1.6 | -7.2 | -9.2 | | |
| All other----- | 370 | 370 | - | 356 | - | - | 309 | - | - | -13.2 | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 374 | 364 | 348 | 371 | 302 | 314 | 318 | 4.0 | -9.8 | -14.3 | | |
| Brazil----- | 361 | 303 | 291 | 311 | 267 | 254 | 247 | -4.9 | -12.7 | -20.6 | | |
| Canada----- | 370 | 378 | 374 | 379 | 350 | 347 | 345 | -0.9 | -7.2 | -9.0 | | |
| Japan----- | 422 | 429 | 437 | 432 | 408 | 381 | 402 | -6.6 | -12.8 | -6.9 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 360 | 336 | 314 | 338 | 306 | 306 | 290 | 0.0 | -2.5 | -14.2 | | |
| Spain----- | 377 | 370 | 345 | 377 | 237 | 263 | 261 | 11.0 | -23.8 | -30.8 | | |
| All other----- | 356 | 327 | 303 | 334 | 290 | 255 | 273 | -12.1 | -15.8 | -18.3 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 384 | 375 | 359 | 380 | 322 | 320 | 324 | -0.6 | -10.9 | -14.7 | | |

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

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 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 | | | Exports | | | Total | From EC |
| | Total | From 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 | |
| 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 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 2,468,940 | 427,145 | 136,306 | 9,717 | 2,886,368 | 14.8 | 4.7 | |
| April-June----- | 2,867,539 | 462,155 | 209,797 | 6,859 | 3,322,835 | 13.9 | 6.3 | |
| July-September----- | 2,739,917 | 588,890 | 208,181 | 9,075 | 3,319,732 | 17.7 | 6.3 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| 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 | |
| February----- | 762,635 | 149,877 | 26,058 | 2,677 | 909,835 | 16.5 | 2.9 | |
| March----- | 955,930 | 109,899 | 29,538 | 3,509 | 1,062,320 | 10.3 | 2.8 | |
| April----- | 909,883 | 130,741 | 34,565 | 2,275 | 1,038,349 | 12.6 | 3.3 | |
| May----- | 932,587 | 149,857 | 82,414 | 1,927 | 1,080,517 | 13.9 | 7.6 | |
| June----- | 1,033,739 | 181,557 | 92,818 | 2,657 | 1,212,639 | 15.0 | 7.7 | |
| July----- | 841,794 | 178,158 | 65,751 | 2,843 | 1,017,109 | 17.5 | 6.5 | |
| August----- | 952,877 | 224,342 | 67,414 | 2,943 | 1,174,276 | 19.1 | 5.7 | |
| September----- | 948,537 | 186,390 | 75,016 | 3,288 | 1,131,639 | 16.5 | 6.6 | |
| October----- | 993,911 | 321,855 | 126,863 | 5,149 | 1,310,617 | 24.6 | 9.7 | |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983--- | 4.8 | 72.7 | 69.1 | 56.6 | 15.8 | - | - | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982--- | 58.2 | 133.5 | 90.7 | 97.2 | 71.6 | - | - | |

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

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

Table 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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|-----------|--------------|-----------|---------|---------|--------------|-------|----------|-------------------|----------|--|
| | 1981 | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | 1981 | 1982 | Year to date | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | Oct. | (6) from | (6) from | (7) from | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 107,995 | 89,985 | 3,936 | 80,310 | 2,835 | 2,494 | 46,090 | -12.0 | -36.6 | -42.6 | | |
| France----- | 456,741 | 195,636 | 3,219 | 146,831 | 19,388 | 34,707 | 252,558 | 79.0 | 978.2 | 72.0 | | |
| Italy----- | 69,534 | 61,060 | 0 | 61,055 | 11,918 | 14,320 | 69,974 | 20.2 | - | 14.6 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 253,514 | 128,502 | 2,904 | 84,494 | 12,504 | 14,406 | 94,273 | 15.2 | 396.1 | 11.6 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 327 | 14,772 | 2,696 | 5,032 | 2,006 | 345 | 6,578 | -82.8 | -87.2 | 30.7 | | |
| West Germany----- | 319,093 | 398,554 | 53,785 | 313,146 | 26,365 | 60,592 | 211,675 | 129.8 | 12.7 | -32.4 | | |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 1,207,203 | 888,508 | 66,540 | 690,867 | 75,016 | 126,863 | 681,147 | 69.1 | 90.7 | -1.4 | | |
| Brazil----- | 3,902 | 62,895 | 1,305 | 56,663 | 23,271 | 22,829 | 201,922 | -1.9 | 1/ | 256.4 | | |
| Canada----- | 184,862 | 118,307 | 9,595 | 98,118 | 15,465 | 13,962 | 154,699 | -9.7 | 45.5 | 57.7 | | |
| Japan----- | 522,603 | 383,073 | 23,237 | 323,365 | 26,832 | 40,938 | 267,315 | 52.6 | 76.2 | -17.3 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 73,583 | 152,335 | 31,293 | 138,796 | 13,062 | 24,786 | 176,727 | 89.8 | -20.8 | 27.3 | | |
| Spain----- | 5,142 | 4,851 | 0 | 4,851 | 7,111 | 5,218 | 31,451 | -26.6 | - | 548.3 | | |
| All other----- | 152,908 | 143,000 | 5,867 | 126,285 | 25,634 | 87,258 | 286,783 | 240.4 | 1/ | 127.1 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 2,150,203 | 1,752,969 | 137,837 | 1,438,945 | 186,390 | 321,855 | 1,800,045 | 72.7 | 133.5 | 25.1 | | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 34,782 | 25,310 | 990 | 22,968 | 726 | 575 | 11,797 | -20.8 | -41.9 | -48.6 | | |
| France----- | 137,311 | 60,188 | 955 | 46,850 | 5,153 | 9,286 | 64,891 | 80.2 | 872.4 | 38.5 | | |
| Italy----- | 20,596 | 16,968 | 0 | 16,963 | 2,640 | 3,211 | 15,588 | 21.6 | - | -8.1 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 79,442 | 37,133 | 787 | 25,499 | 3,371 | 4,103 | 26,441 | 21.7 | 421.3 | 3.7 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 179 | 3,512 | 649 | 1,426 | 442 | 88 | 1,441 | -80.1 | -86.4 | 1.1 | | |
| West Germany----- | 99,783 | 117,523 | 14,561 | 94,339 | 7,574 | 15,473 | 56,971 | 104.3 | 6.3 | -39.6 | | |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 372,093 | 260,634 | 17,941 | 208,044 | 19,907 | 32,736 | 177,129 | 64.4 | 82.5 | -14.9 | | |
| Brazil----- | 1,408 | 16,831 | 323 | 15,474 | 5,070 | 4,641 | 42,607 | -8.5 | 1/ | 175.3 | | |
| Canada----- | 61,515 | 39,237 | 3,026 | 32,824 | 5,229 | 4,611 | 50,637 | -11.8 | 52.4 | 54.3 | | |
| Japan----- | 174,621 | 127,340 | 7,707 | 108,180 | 8,491 | 12,508 | 82,944 | 47.3 | 62.3 | -23.3 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 22,564 | 44,263 | 8,410 | 40,687 | 3,260 | 6,224 | 42,599 | 90.9 | -26.0 | 4.7 | | |
| Spain----- | 1,325 | 1,261 | 0 | 1,261 | 1,522 | 1,123 | 6,639 | -26.2 | - | 426.5 | | |
| All other----- | 43,645 | 38,706 | 1,411 | 34,654 | 5,611 | 18,402 | 62,990 | 228.0 | 1/ | 81.8 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 677,173 | 528,272 | 38,818 | 441,125 | 49,091 | 80,245 | 465,544 | 63.5 | 106.7 | 5.5 | | |

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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|-----|------|-----------------|-----|------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|
| | 1981 | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | Year to Oct. | | date | Year to Sep. | | date | Year to Oct. | | date | (6) from | (6) from | (7) from |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 322 | 281 | 251 | 286 | 256 | 230 | 256 | -10.2 | -8.4 | -10.5 | | |
| France----- | 301 | 308 | 297 | 319 | 266 | 268 | 257 | 0.8 | -9.8 | -19.4 | | |
| Italy----- | 296 | 278 | - | 278 | 222 | 224 | 223 | 0.9 | - | -19.8 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 313 | 289 | 271 | 302 | 270 | 285 | 280 | 5.6 | 5.2 | -7.3 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 548 | 238 | 241 | 283 | 220 | 255 | 219 | 15.9 | 5.8 | -22.6 | | |
| West Germany----- | 313 | 295 | 271 | 301 | 287 | 255 | 269 | -11.1 | -5.9 | -10.6 | | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 308 | 293 | 270 | 301 | 265 | 258 | 260 | -2.6 | -4.4 | -13.6 | | |
| Brazil----- | 361 | 268 | 248 | 273 | 218 | 203 | 211 | -6.9 | -18.1 | -22.7 | | |
| Canada----- | 333 | 332 | 315 | 335 | 338 | 330 | 327 | -2.4 | 4.8 | -2.4 | | |
| Japan----- | 334 | 332 | 332 | 335 | 316 | 306 | 310 | -3.2 | -7.8 | -7.5 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 307 | 291 | 269 | 293 | 250 | 251 | 241 | 0.4 | -6.7 | -17.7 | | |
| Spain----- | 258 | 260 | - | 260 | 214 | 215 | 211 | 0.5 | - | -18.8 | | |
| All other----- | 285 | 271 | 240 | 274 | 219 | 211 | 220 | -3.7 | -12.1 | -19.7 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 315 | 301 | 282 | 307 | 263 | 249 | 259 | -5.3 | -11.7 | -15.6 | | |

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 | Producers' shipments | Imports | | | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|----------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
| | | Total | From EC | Exports | | 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 |
| 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 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 246,675 | 1,823 | 649 | 3,611 | 244,887 | 0.7 | 0.3 |
| April-June----- | 306,086 | 4,465 | 1,153 | 4,345 | 306,206 | 1.5 | 0.4 |
| July-September----- | 277,317 | 2,965 | 832 | 3,922 | 276,360 | 1.1 | 0.3 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| 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 |
| April----- | 99,174 | 2,466 | 189 | 1,211 | 100,429 | 2.5 | 0.2 |
| May----- | 99,466 | 1,133 | 655 | 1,533 | 99,066 | 1.1 | 0.7 |
| June----- | 107,867 | 866 | 309 | 1,601 | 107,132 | 0.8 | 0.3 |
| July----- | 85,658 | 537 | 133 | 955 | 85,240 | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| August----- | 98,314 | 1,371 | 442 | 1,540 | 98,145 | 1.4 | 0.4 |
| September----- | 93,363 | 1,057 | 257 | 1,427 | 92,993 | 1.1 | 0.3 |
| October----- | 107,462 | 1,465 | 452 | 1,132 | 107,792 | 1.4 | 0.4 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983--- | 15.1 | 38.6 | 75.9 | -20.7 | 15.9 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982--- | 73.4 | 82.2 | 32.6 | 4.8 | 74.7 | - | - |

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

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

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

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

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 in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------|-------|--------------|-------|--------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Source | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | | | |
| | 1981 | 1982 | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) | (8) from (9) | (10) from (1) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 875 | - | - | - |
| France----- | 6,053 | 5,888 | 6,826 | 5,932 | 6,641 | 5,564 | 5,810 | -16.2 | -18.5 | -2.1 | |
| Italy----- | 663 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Netherlands---- | - | 2,425 | - | 2,425 | 76,297 | - | 76,936 | - | - | 3% | |
| United Kingdom-- | 2,178 | 2,177 | 1,930 | 2,143 | 1,808 | 2,068 | 1,812 | 14.4 | 7.2 | -15.4 | |
| West Germany---- | 1,322 | 2,098 | 567 | 2,390 | 566 | 557 | 641 | -1.6 | -1.8 | -73.2 | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC-- | 2,681 | 3,823 | 1,506 | 3,879 | 2,347 | 2,123 | 1,971 | -9.5 | 41.0 | -49.2 | |
| Brazil----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Canada----- | 1,283 | 504 | 557 | 521 | 494 | 545 | 497 | 10.3 | -2.2 | -4.6 | |
| Japan----- | 1,179 | 1,690 | 1,638 | 1,699 | 1,518 | 1,557 | 1,374 | 2.6 | -4.9 | -19.1 | |
| Republic of Korea---- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Spain----- | 768 | 479 | - | 479 | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| All other----- | 3,020 | 3,198 | 3,517 | 3,112 | 2,736 | 3,819 | 2,866 | 39.6 | 8.6 | -7.9 | |
| Total, all sources: | 2,007 | 2,451 | 1,386 | 2,505 | 1,627 | 1,768 | 1,403 | 8.7 | 27.6 | -44.0 | |

^{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 | Producers' shipments | Imports | | | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | | Total | From EC | Exports | | 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 |
| 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 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 2,959,577 | 395,199 | 147,983 | 5,134 | 3,349,642 | 11.8 | 4.4 |
| April-June----- | 3,295,980 | 488,327 | 152,798 | 5,375 | 3,778,932 | 12.9 | 4.0 |
| July-September----- | 3,157,156 | 688,442 | 214,281 | 7,037 | 3,838,561 | 17.9 | 5.6 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| 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 |
| February----- | 889,920 | 97,246 | 28,731 | 1,471 | 985,695 | 9.9 | 2.9 |
| March----- | 1,174,668 | 141,107 | 39,678 | 2,405 | 1,313,370 | 10.7 | 3.0 |
| April----- | 1,061,577 | 155,817 | 51,900 | 1,837 | 1,215,557 | 12.8 | 4.3 |
| May----- | 1,077,334 | 150,552 | 40,227 | 1,623 | 1,226,263 | 12.3 | 3.3 |
| June----- | 1,153,775 | 181,958 | 60,671 | 1,915 | 1,333,818 | 13.6 | 4.5 |
| July----- | 948,028 | 169,640 | 58,289 | 2,655 | 1,115,013 | 15.2 | 5.2 |
| August----- | 1,111,160 | 277,648 | 95,287 | 1,973 | 1,386,835 | 20.0 | 6.9 |
| September----- | 1,086,582 | 241,154 | 60,705 | 2,410 | 1,325,326 | 18.2 | 4.6 |
| October----- | 1,123,063 | 236,038 | 70,590 | 1,595 | 1,357,506 | 17.4 | 5.2 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983--- | 3.4 | -2.1 | 16.3 | -33.8 | 2.4 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982--- | 34.6 | 37.9 | -30.7 | 26.5 | 35.2 | - | - |

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 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) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Source | 1981 | 1982 | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | | | | | | | | |
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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--Continued

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

| Source | | | 1982 | | 1983 | | Percentage change | | | |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-----------------|-------|------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | | Year to Oct. | date | Sep. | Year to Oct. | date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 415 | | 362 | 346 | 378 | 367 | 339 | 332 | -7.6 | -2.0 |
| France----- | 355 | | 365 | 405 | 367 | 338 | 359 | 331 | 6.2 | -11.4 |
| Italy----- | 393 | | 393 | - | 393 | 288 | 300 | 282 | 4.2 | - |
| Netherlands----- | 371 | | 356 | 355 | 360 | 359 | 328 | 340 | -8.6 | -7.6 |
| United Kingdom----- | 422 | | 393 | 324 | 407 | 1,795 | 361 | 353 | -79.9 | 11.4 |
| West Germany----- | 392 | | 367 | 351 | 378 | 351 | 374 | 357 | 6.6 | 6.6 |
| All other----- | 375 | | 370 | - | 356 | - | - | 309 | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 383 | | 366 | 354 | 375 | 338 | 358 | 338 | 5.9 | 1.1 |
| Brazil----- | 410 | | 338 | 1,079 | 341 | 286 | 291 | 291 | 1.7 | -73.0 |
| Canada----- | 421 | | 430 | 421 | 434 | 340 | 355 | 384 | 4.4 | -15.7 |
| Japan----- | 400 | | 416 | 416 | 419 | 379 | 366 | 370 | -3.4 | -12.0 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 382 | | 369 | 348 | 374 | 341 | 316 | 315 | -7.3 | -9.2 |
| Spain----- | 411 | | 388 | 200 | 388 | 264 | 292 | 267 | 10.6 | 46.0 |
| All other----- | 337 | | 332 | 311 | 327 | 338 | 295 | 297 | -12.7 | -5.1 |
| Total, all sources: | 389 | | 373 | 361 | 378 | 332 | 337 | 330 | 1.5 | -6.6 |

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 | | From Total | From EC |
| | | <u>short tons</u> | | | | | <u>Percent</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 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 30,738 | 153 | 38 | 1,351 | 29,540 | 0.5 | 0.1 |
| April-June----- | 45,984 | 277 | 45 | 1,687 | 44,574 | 0.6 | 0.1 |
| July-September----- | 38,296 | 484 | 226 | 1,247 | 37,533 | 1.3 | 0.6 |
| October-December----- | 32,284 | 674 | 165 | 916 | 32,042 | 2.1 | 0.5 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 46,912 | 519 | 159 | 1,583 | 45,848 | 1.1 | 0.3 |
| April-June----- | 57,142 | 1,047 | 652 | 1,182 | 57,007 | 1.8 | 1.1 |
| July-September----- | 55,410 | 1,423 | 755 | 1,453 | 55,380 | 2.6 | 1.4 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 8,961 | 268 | 70 | 297 | 8,932 | 3.0 | 0.8 |
| November----- | 10,492 | 164 | 38 | 292 | 10,364 | 1.6 | 0.4 |
| December----- | 12,654 | 243 | 57 | 327 | 12,570 | 1.9 | 0.5 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 13,654 | 194 | 46 | 457 | 13,391 | 1.4 | 0.3 |
| February----- | 14,396 | 128 | 42 | 523 | 14,001 | 0.9 | 0.3 |
| March----- | 18,862 | 198 | 70 | 604 | 18,456 | 1.1 | 0.4 |
| April----- | 20,865 | 498 | 469 | 518 | 20,845 | 2.4 | 2.2 |
| May----- | 19,457 | 257 | 135 | 399 | 19,315 | 1.3 | 0.7 |
| June----- | 19,660 | 291 | 48 | 265 | 19,686 | 1.5 | 0.2 |
| July----- | 14,023 | 414 | 176 | 464 | 13,973 | 3.0 | 1.3 |
| August----- | 18,750 | 772 | 556 | 357 | 19,165 | 4.0 | 2.9 |
| September----- | 22,669 | 237 | 23 | 633 | 22,273 | 1.1 | 0.1 |
| October----- | 19,867 | 597 | 168 | 331 | 20,133 | 3.0 | 0.8 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983----- | -12.4 | 151.9 | 630.4 | -47.7 | -9.6 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982----- | 121.7 | 122.8 | 140.0 | 11.4 | 125.4 | - | - |

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 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 in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1981 | | 1982 | | 1983 | | Percentage change | | | |
|------------------------|-------|----------------|------|--------------|------|------|-------------------|----------|----------|--------|
| | | | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | from (5) | from (3) | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 5 | 1 ¹ | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| France----- | 53 | 355 | 70 | 289 | 8 | 72 | 553 | 800.0 | 2.9 | 91.3 |
| Italy----- | 8 | 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 | 92 | 15 | 95 | 1,181 | 533.3 | - | 24 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 657 | 475 | 70 | 381 | 23 | 168 | 1,733 | 630.4 | 140.0 | 354.9 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Canada----- | 41 | 358 | 117 | 176 | 39 | 1 | 292 | -97.4 | -99.1 | 65.9 |
| Japan----- | 655 | 419 | 59 | 328 | 156 | 379 | 1,101 | 142.9 | 542.4 | 235.7 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 12 | 83 | 0 | 83 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| All other----- | 718 | 253 | 21 | 215 | 19 | 50 | 460 | 163.2 | 138.1 | 114.0 |
| Total, all sources | 2,083 | 1,588 | 268 | 1,181 | 237 | 597 | 3,586 | 151.9 | 122.8 | 203.6 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 10 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| France----- | 433 | 1,412 | 326 | 1,079 | 97 | 367 | 2,652 | 278.4 | 12.6 | 145.8 |
| 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 | 527 | 70 | 46 | 792 | -34.3 | - | 50.3 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 1,075 | 2,155 | 326 | 1,606 | 167 | 413 | 3,443 | 147.3 | 26.7 | 114.6 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Canada----- | 51 | 204 | 76 | 115 | 29 | 4 | 156 | -86.2 | -94.7 | 35.7 |
| Japan----- | 1,235 | 927 | 42 | 696 | 143 | 313 | 1,456 | 118.9 | 645.2 | 109.2 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 9 | 41 | 0 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| All other----- | 1,652 | 886 | 75 | 769 | 59 | 160 | 1,579 | 171.2 | 113.3 | 106.7 |
| Total, all sources | 4,012 | 4,214 | 519 | 3,223 | 398 | 890 | 6,634 | 123.6 | 71.5 | 105.8 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13.--Cold-rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangements: 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 | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | | | Year to Oct. date | | Sep. | Year to Oct. date | | from (5) | from (3) | from (4) | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 1,963 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| France | 8,103 | 3,983 | 4,628 | 3,735 | 12,348 | 5,085 | 4,797 | -58.8 | 9.9 | 28.4 | |
| Italy | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Netherlands | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| United Kingdom | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| West Germany | 1,058 | 6,147 | - | 5,755 | 4,535 | 485 | 671 | -89.3 | - | -88.3 | |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC | 1,637 | 4,537 | 4,656 | 4,216 | 7,252 | 2,457 | 1,987 | -66.1 | -47.2 | -52.9 | |
| Brazil | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Canada | 1,241 | 570 | 647 | 657 | 751 | 3,570 | 534 | 375.4 | 451.8 | -18.7 | |
| Japan | 1,886 | 2,212 | 717 | 2,125 | 914 | 827 | 1,323 | -9.5 | 15.3 | -37.7 | |
| Republic of Korea | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Spain | 768 | 495 | - | 495 | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| All other | 2,287 | 3,507 | 3,616 | 3,559 | 3,124 | 3,219 | 3,432 | 3.0 | -11.0 | -3.6 | |
| Total, all sources | 1,926 | 2,654 | 1,938 | 2,729 | 1,679 | 1,491 | 1,850 | -11.2 | -23.1 | -32.2 | |

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

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

| Period | Imports | | | Apparent consumption | | | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------|---------|----------------------|-----------|------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| | Producers' shipments | Total | From EC | Exports | | | Total | From EC |
| | | | | | | | | Short tons |
| | | | | | | | | --Percent-- |
| 1981 <u>3/</u> ----- | 5,810,195 | 1,840,626 | 495,841 | 153,392 | 7,497,429 | 24.6 | 6.6 | |
| 1982----- | 3,037,915 | 1,152,274 | 327,439 | 84,245 | 4,105,944 | 28.1 | 8.0 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 1,103,794 | 310,612 | 73,655 | 22,627 | 1,391,779 | 22.3 | 5.3 | |
| April-June----- | 760,346 | 335,876 | 108,924 | 8,914 | 1,087,308 | 30.9 | 10.0 | |
| July-September----- | 596,999 | 263,430 | 81,387 | 22,909 | 837,520 | 31.5 | 9.7 | |
| October-December----- | 576,776 | 242,356 | 63,473 | 29,795 | 789,337 | 30.7 | 8.0 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 622,008 | 189,063 | 27,151 | 5,670 | 805,401 | 23.5 | 3.4 | |
| April-June----- | 679,712 | 249,427 | 63,973 | 23,306 | 905,833 | 27.5 | 7.1 | |
| July-September----- | 682,411 | 338,368 | 71,108 | 21,184 | 999,595 | 33.9 | 7.1 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 196,092 | 87,203 | 23,170 | 6,028 | 277,267 | 31.5 | 8.4 | |
| November----- | 197,095 | 76,908 | 17,233 | 12,191 | 261,812 | 29.4 | 6.6 | |
| December----- | 186,701 | 78,245 | 23,071 | 11,576 | 253,370 | 30.9 | 9.1 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 191,670 | 52,235 | 6,130 | 1,511 | 242,394 | 21.5 | 2.5 | |
| February----- | 182,728 | 71,274 | 13,062 | 1,783 | 252,219 | 28.3 | 5.2 | |
| March----- | 246,280 | 65,554 | 7,958 | 2,376 | 309,458 | 21.2 | 2.6 | |
| April----- | 222,126 | 66,888 | 15,556 | 7,858 | 281,156 | 23.8 | 5.5 | |
| May----- | 221,292 | 82,144 | 27,084 | 7,684 | 295,752 | 27.8 | 9.2 | |
| June----- | 236,236 | 100,395 | 21,333 | 7,764 | 328,867 | 30.5 | 6.5 | |
| July----- | 203,652 | 118,920 | 23,190 | 17,413 | 305,159 | 39.0 | 7.6 | |
| August----- | 237,593 | 135,567 | 19,718 | 1,680 | 371,480 | 36.5 | 5.3 | |
| September----- | 241,788 | 83,881 | 28,200 | 2,091 | 323,578 | 25.9 | 8.7 | |
| October----- | 266,014 | 79,607 | 25,473 | 2,302 | 343,319 | 23.2 | 7.4 | |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983----- | 10.0 | -5.1 | -9.7 | 10.1 | 6.1 | - | - | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982----- | 35.7 | -8.7 | 9.9 | -61.8 | 23.8 | - | - | |

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.

3/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | Percentage change |
|------------------------|--|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|--------|---------|--------|-------|-------|-------------------|
| | 1981 | | 1982 | | Year to date | | 1983 | | | | |
| | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | date | Sep. | Oct. | from | from | (5) | (3) | (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 300,885 | 177,833 | 9,863 | -164,071 | 16,146 | 9,961 | 106,247 | -38.3 | 1.0 | -35.2 | |
| France----- | 18,153 | 10,318 | 470 | 8,232 | 1,120 | 4,285 | 11,229 | 282.6 | 811.7 | 36.4 | |
| Italy----- | 17,445 | 60,476 | 8,587 | 46,679 | 1,770 | 7,423 | 12,931 | 319.4 | -13.6 | -72.3 | |
| Netherlands----- | 4,623 | 2,660 | 0 | 1,394 | 502 | 0 | 7,282 | -100.0 | - | 422.4 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 35,340 | 25,102 | 366 | 24,674 | 4,404 | 614 | 20,127 | -86.1 | 67.8 | -18.4 | |
| West Germany----- | 96,448 | 51,050 | 3,883 | 42,085 | 4,258 | 3,189 | 29,887 | -25.1 | -17.9 | -29.0 | |
| All other----- | 22,946 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 495,841 | 327,439 | 23,170 | 287,136 | 28,200 | 25,473 | 187,703 | -9.7 | 9.9 | -34.6 | |
| Brazil----- | 309,271 | 149,200 | 4,583 | 124,547 | 819 | 316 | 181,378 | -61.4 | -93.1 | 45.6 | |
| Canada----- | 227,923 | 149,196 | 8,692 | 129,945 | 19,756 | 25,316 | 192,588 | 28.1 | 191.3 | 48.2 | |
| Japan----- | 30,608 | 52,939 | 3,231 | 49,186 | 342 | 117 | 9,264 | -65.8 | -96.4 | -81.2 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 414,977 | 90,496 | 5,360 | 86,581 | 3,724 | 6,917 | 86,574 | 85.7 | 29.0 | 0.0 | |
| Spain----- | 99,404 | 75,793 | 19 | 75,709 | 14,535 | 258 | 32,428 | -98.2 | 2 | -57.2 | |
| All other----- | 562,602 | 307,210 | 42,148 | 244,017 | 16,505 | 21,210 | 166,530 | 28.5 | -49.7 | -31.8 | |
| Total, all sources: | 1,840,626 | 1,152,274 | 87,203 | 997,121 | 83,881 | 79,607 | 856,465 | -5.1 | -8.7 | -14.1 | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 110,978 | 62,057 | 2,716 | 57,918 | 4,104 | 3,039 | 27,416 | -26.0 | 11.9 | -52.7 | |
| France----- | 6,545 | 4,068 | 165 | 3,077 | 284 | 1,081 | 3,041 | 280.6 | 555.2 | -1.2 | |
| Italy----- | 5,501 | 16,710 | 2,673 | 12,865 | 427 | 1,608 | 3,169 | 276.6 | -39.8 | -75.4 | |
| Netherlands----- | 2,537 | 707 | 0 | 351 | 176 | 0 | 1,774 | -100.0 | - | 405.4 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 12,836 | 7,373 | 148 | 7,207 | 987 | 143 | 4,606 | -85.5 | -3.4 | -36.1 | |
| West Germany----- | 37,500 | 17,077 | 1,017 | 14,841 | 1,150 | 1,017 | 7,996 | -11.6 | 0.0 | -46.1 | |
| All other----- | 8,310 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 184,206 | 107,992 | 6,720 | 96,258 | 7,129 | 6,887 | 48,002 | -3.4 | 2.5 | -50.1 | |
| Brazil----- | 112,855 | 47,528 | 1,302 | 41,158 | 202 | 68 | 41,367 | -66.3 | -94.8 | 0.5 | |
| Canada----- | 85,851 | 57,466 | 6,227 | 50,266 | 5,344 | 6,448 | 49,033 | 20.7 | 52.5 | -2.5 | |
| Japan----- | 16,004 | 22,199 | 1,607 | 20,771 | 122 | 46 | 3,148 | -62.3 | -97.1 | -84.8 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 41,259 | 31,230 | 1,756 | 29,954 | 803 | 1,493 | 18,761 | 85.9 | -15.0 | -37.4 | |
| Spain----- | 36,989 | 24,212 | 7 | 24,188 | 3,045 | 56 | 6,661 | -98.2 | 700.0 | -72.5 | |
| All other----- | 200,333 | 99,884 | 12,589 | 81,709 | 6,319 | 4,995 | 42,698 | 15.7 | -60.3 | -47.7 | |
| Total, all sources: | 677,499 | 390,511 | 28,208 | 344,306 | 20,964 | 19,993 | 209,668 | -4.6 | -29.1 | -39.1 | |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 15.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 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 | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | | | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | from | (6) | (6) | (7) |
| | | | | | | | | | (5) | (3) | (4) |
| | | | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 369 | 349 | 275 | 353 | 254 | 305 | 258 | 20.1 | 10.9 | -26.9 | |
| France----- | 361 | 394 | 352 | 374 | 254 | 252 | 271 | -0.8 | -28.4 | -27.5 | |
| Italy----- | 315 | 276 | 311 | 276 | 241 | 217 | 245 | -10.0 | -30.2 | -11.2 | |
| Netherlands----- | 549 | 266 | - | 252 | 352 | - | 244 | - | - | -3.2 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 363 | 294 | 404 | 292 | 224 | 233 | 229 | 4.0 | -42.3 | -21.6 | |
| West Germany----- | 389 | 335 | 262 | 353 | 270 | 319 | 268 | 18.1 | 21.8 | -24.1 | |
| All other----- | 362 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 372 | 330 | 290 | 335 | 253 | 270 | 256 | 6.7 | -6.9 | -23.6 | |
| Brazil----- | 365 | 319 | 284 | 330 | 246 | 215 | 228 | -12.6 | -24.3 | -30.9 | |
| Canada----- | 377 | 385 | 486 | 387 | 270 | 255 | 255 | -5.6 | -47.5 | -34.1 | |
| Japan----- | 523 | 419 | 497 | 422 | 358 | 389 | 340 | 8.7 | -21.7 | -19.4 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 359 | 345 | 328 | 346 | 216 | 216 | 217 | 0.0 | -34.1 | -37.3 | |
| Spain----- | 372 | 319 | 383 | 319 | 210 | 218 | 205 | 3.8 | -43.1 | -35.7 | |
| All other----- | 356 | 325 | 299 | 335 | 262 | 236 | 256 | -9.9 | -21.1 | -23.6 | |
| Total, all sources: | 368 | 339 | 323 | 345 | 250 | 251 | 245 | 0.4 | -22.3 | -29.0 | |

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

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

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

| Period | Imports | | | | Apparent consumption | | | Ratio of imports to consumption | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|----------------------|-------|---------|---------------------------------|------|--|
| | Producers' shipments | Total | From EC | Exports | Apparent consumption | Total | From EC | Total | From | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | <u>Short tons</u> | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | <u>Percent</u> | | |
| 1981 3/----- | 1,508,115 | 51,609 | 35,198 | 36,439 | 1,523,285 | 3.4 | 2.3 | | | |
| 1982 3/----- | 1,010,995 | 42,005 | 22,485 | 32,979 | 1,020,021 | 4.1 | 2.2 | | | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 357,360 | 22,793 | 12,693 | 8,944 | 371,209 | 6.1 | 3.4 | | | |
| April-June----- | 250,702 | 10,629 | 5,424 | 8,835 | 252,496 | 4.2 | 2.1 | | | |
| July-September----- | 213,411 | 4,995 | 2,946 | 8,453 | 209,953 | 2.4 | 1.4 | | | |
| October-December----- | 178,922 | 3,588 | 1,422 | 6,747 | 175,763 | 2.0 | 0.8 | | | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | | | |
| January-March 4/----- | 206,098 | 3,270 | 1,434 | 6,336 | 203,032 | 1.6 | 0.7 | | | |
| April-June----- | 228,459 | 3,846 | 2,731 | 10,738 | 221,567 | 1.7 | 1.2 | | | |
| July-September----- | 230,560 | 5,353 | 2,992 | 6,323 | 229,590 | 2.3 | 1.3 | | | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 58,298 | 1,196 | 415 | 3,005 | 56,489 | 2.1 | 0.7 | | | |
| November----- | 55,492 | 563 | 234 | 1,422 | 54,633 | 1.0 | 0.4 | | | |
| December----- | 65,892 | 1,829 | 773 | 2,320 | 65,401 | 2.8 | 1.2 | | | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 55,101 | 1,018 | 417 | 1,730 | 54,389 | 1.9 | 0.8 | | | |
| February 4/----- | 60,573 | 1,019 | 188 | 3,122 | 58,470 | 1.7 | 0.3 | | | |
| March----- | 86,209 | 1,234 | 829 | 1,485 | 85,958 | 1.4 | 1.0 | | | |
| April----- | 74,453 | 584 | 404 | 2,387 | 72,650 | 0.8 | 0.6 | | | |
| May----- | 74,034 | 1,676 | 1,393 | 4,080 | 71,630 | 2.3 | 1.9 | | | |
| June----- | 80,395 | 1,586 | 934 | 4,271 | 77,710 | 2.0 | 1.2 | | | |
| July----- | 69,636 | 1,428 | 1,137 | 1,246 | 69,818 | 2.0 | 1.6 | | | |
| August----- | 74,725 | 1,915 | 1,037 | 2,292 | 74,348 | 2.6 | 1.4 | | | |
| September----- | 86,386 | 2,010 | 818 | 2,784 | 85,612 | 2.3 | 0.9 | | | |
| October----- | 87,902 | 1,717 | 706 | 2,646 | 86,973 | 2.0 | 0.8 | | | |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983----- | 1.8 | -14.6 | -13.7 | -5.0 | 1.6 | - | - | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982----- | 50.8 | 43.6 | 70.1 | -11.9 | 54.0 | - | - | | | |

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

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

3/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

4/ Reflects adjustment in imports (total).

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

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

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

| Source | 1981 | 1982 | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
|------------------------|--------|--------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|--------------|----------|-------------------|----------|----------|
| | | | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | (6) from | (6) from | (7) from | (8) from |
| | | | | | (5) | | | | (3) | (4) | (9) |
| | | | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (10) |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 891 | 1,140 | 0 | 1,030 | 247 | 0 | 1,090 | -100.0 | - | - | 5.8 |
| France----- | 5,556 | 5,809 | 401 | 5,448 | 72 | 26 | 1,721 | -63.9 | -93.5 | - | -68.4 |
| Italy----- | 13,442 | 11,014 | 0 | 11,014 | 0 | 0 | 310 | - | - | - | -97.2 |
| Netherlands----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom----- | 865 | 1,033 | 0 | 1,010 | 4 | 0 | 449 | -100.0 | - | - | -55.5 |
| West Germany----- | 14,445 | 3,489 | 14 | 2,976 | 496 | 680 | 4,275 | 37.1 | 2/ | - | 43.6 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 35,198 | 22,485 | 415 | 21,478 | 818 | 706 | 7,863 | -13.7 | 70.1 | - | -63.4 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 51 | - | - | - | - |
| Canada----- | 2,236 | 1,978 | 78 | 1,583 | 47 | 46 | 921 | -2.1 | -41.0 | - | -41.8 |
| Japan----- | 12,716 | 7,421 | 629 | 6,539 | 855 | 674 | 2,827 | -21.2 | 7.2 | - | -56.8 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 0 | 29 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 3/ | - | - | - | - |
| All other----- | 1,459 | 10,092 | 74 | 9,984 | 288 | 291 | 2,524 | 1.0 | 293.2 | - | -74.7 |
| Total, all sources: | 51,609 | 42,005 | 1,196 | 39,613 | 2,010 | 1,717 | 14,186 | -14.6 | 43.6 | - | -64.2 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 534 | 805 | 0 | 721 | 192 | 0 | 668 | -100.0 | - | - | -7.4 |
| France----- | 5,428 | 5,865 | 440 | 5,524 | 76 | 24 | 1,614 | -68.4 | -94.5 | - | -70.8 |
| Italy----- | 3,375 | 3,331 | 0 | 3,331 | 0 | 0 | 161 | - | - | - | -95.2 |
| Netherlands----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom----- | 620 | 725 | 0 | 708 | 2 | 0 | 276 | -100.0 | - | - | -61.0 |
| West Germany----- | 10,189 | 2,688 | 21 | 2,352 | 269 | 364 | 2,211 | 35.3 | 2/ | - | -6.0 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 20,147 | 13,414 | 460 | 12,636 | 540 | 388 | 4,943 | -28.1 | -15.7 | - | -60.9 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25 | - | - | - | - |
| Canada----- | 2,002 | 878 | 39 | 731 | 27 | 25 | 560 | -7.4 | -35.9 | - | -23.4 |
| Japan----- | 9,927 | 6,208 | 384 | 5,640 | 487 | 603 | 2,170 | 23.8 | 57.0 | - | -61.5 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 0 | 19 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 3/ | - | - | - | -100.0 |
| All other----- | 1,149 | 7,312 | 63 | 7,230 | 220 | 267 | 1,915 | 21.4 | 323.8 | - | -73.5 |
| Total, all sources: | 33,225 | 27,832 | 946 | 26,257 | 1,274 | 1,283 | 9,614 | 0.7 | 35.6 | - | -63.4 |

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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|-------|-------|-------|--------------|------|------|--------------|-------|-------------------|-------|-----|
| | 1981 | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | 1981 | 1982 | 1982 | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | from | (6) | (6) | (7) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 600 | 705 | - | 700 | 780 | - | 613 | - | - | - | -12.4 | |
| France-- | 977 | 1,010 | 1,097 | 1,014 | 1,058 | 924 | 938 | -12.7 | -15.8 | - | -7.5 | |
| Italy----- | 251 | 302 | - | 302 | - | - | 521 | - | - | - | 72.5 | |
| Netherlands----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | 656 | - | - | - | - | |
| United Kingdom----- | 718 | 702 | - | 701 | 586 | - | 615 | - | - | - | -12.3 | |
| West Germany----- | 705 | 771 | 1,456 | 790 | 542 | 535 | 517 | -1.3 | -63.3 | - | -34.6 | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 572 | 597 | 1,109 | 588 | 660 | 550 | 629 | -16.7 | -50.4 | 7.0 | | |
| Brazil----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | 495 | - | - | - | - | |
| Canada----- | 896 | 444 | 495 | 462 | 579 | 539 | 608 | -6.9 | 8.9 | 31.6 | | |
| Japan----- | 781 | 837 | 610 | 863 | 569 | 894 | 768 | 57.1 | 46.6 | - | -11.0 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Spain----- | - | 664 | - | 664 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| All other----- | 788 | 725 | 855 | 724 | 762 | 918 | 759 | 20.5 | 7.4 | 4.8 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 644 | 663 | 791 | 663 | 634 | 747 | 678 | 17.8 | -5.6 | 2.3 | | |

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

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

3/ 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 | Producers' shipments | Imports | | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | | Total | From EC | | | | Total | From EC |
| | | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1981 2/ | 4,259,917 | 1,959,183 | 702,044 | 107,482 | | 6,111,618 | 32.1 | 11.5 |
| 1982 2/ | 2,876,955 | 1,461,795 | 554,292 | 46,350 | | 4,292,400 | 34.1 | 12.9 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 826,758 | 390,475 | 116,004 | 10,794 | | 1,206,439 | 32.4 | 9.6 |
| April-June | 699,395 | 428,156 | 170,123 | 14,991 | | 1,112,560 | 38.5 | 15.3 |
| July-September | 658,059 | 364,643 | 143,521 | 11,247 | | 1,011,455 | 36.1 | 14.2 |
| October-December | 556,443 | 278,520 | 124,644 | 9,318 | | 825,645 | 33.7 | 15.1 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 658,863 | 267,142 | 99,961 | 11,330 | | 914,675 | 29.2 | 10.9 |
| April-June | 662,271 | 337,566 | 126,339 | 9,439 | | 990,398 | 34.1 | 12.8 |
| July-September | 651,474 | 438,897 | 117,202 | 8,996 | | 1,081,375 | 40.6 | 10.8 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October | 191,566 | 77,905 | 30,276 | 3,226 | | 266,245 | 29.3 | 11.4 |
| November | 192,627 | 99,525 | 40,675 | 3,059 | | 289,093 | 34.4 | 14.1 |
| December | 167,311 | 101,091 | 53,693 | 3,034 | | 265,368 | 38.1 | 20.2 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January | 190,776 | 84,126 | 42,169 | 3,958 | | 270,944 | 31.0 | 15.6 |
| February | 199,816 | 89,219 | 23,970 | 3,823 | | 285,212 | 31.3 | 8.4 |
| March | 246,371 | 93,797 | 33,822 | 3,548 | | 336,620 | 27.9 | 10.0 |
| April | 192,923 | 87,398 | 29,428 | 2,464 | | 277,857 | 31.5 | 10.6 |
| May | 223,476 | 146,712 | 52,444 | 3,328 | | 366,860 | 40.0 | 14.3 |
| June | 242,867 | 103,456 | 44,467 | 3,647 | | 342,676 | 30.2 | 13.0 |
| July | 197,333 | 139,097 | 37,407 | 2,080 | | 334,350 | 41.6 | 11.2 |
| August | 189,261 | 132,897 | 39,885 | 3,563 | | 318,595 | 41.7 | 12.5 |
| September | 256,102 | 166,903 | 39,910 | 3,353 | | 419,652 | 39.8 | 9.5 |
| October | 242,304 | 128,437 | 32,313 | 2,562 | | 368,179 | 34.9 | 8.8 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983 | -5.4 | -23.0 | -19.0 | -23.6 | | -12.3 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982 | 26.5 | 64.9 | 6.7 | -20.6 | | 38.3 | - | - |

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

Table 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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | Percentage change |
|------------------------|--|-----------|--------|-----------|---------|---------|--------------|-------|--------------|-------|-------------------|
| | 1981 | | 1982 | | 1983 | | Year to date | | Year to date | | |
| | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Sep. | from | from | (6) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 402,934 | 317,057 | 21,037 | 266,183 | 18,038 | 13,194 | 173,028 | -26.9 | -37.3 | -35.0 | |
| France----- | 52,009 | 29,149 | 98 | 28,395 | 3,686 | 5,745 | 44,924 | 55.9 | 1/ | 58.2 | |
| Italy----- | 237 | 25 | .0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 2/ | - | - | - | |
| Netherlands----- | 1,384 | 2,638 | 0 | 2,496 | 0 | 0 | 3,861 | - | - | 54.7 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 136,330 | 80,893 | 1,818 | 67,544 | 11,080 | 6,344 | 94,640 | -42.7 | 249.0 | 40.1 | |
| West Germany----- | 109,150 | 124,531 | 7,324 | 95,280 | 7,106 | 7,030 | 59,361 | -1.1 | -4.0 | -37.7 | |
| All other----- | 2/ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 702,044 | 554,292 | 30,276 | 459,924 | 39,910 | 32,313 | 375,814 | -19.0 | 6.7 | -18.3 | |
| Brazil----- | 15,907 | 3,860 | 0 | 905 | 182 | 188 | 10,978 | 3.3 | - | 1/ | |
| Canada----- | 224,072 | 149,047 | 10,929 | 131,229 | 20,448 | 19,940 | 139,595 | -2.5 | 82.5 | 6.4 | |
| Japan----- | 646,124 | 436,117 | 23,267 | 391,291 | 33,929 | 46,314 | 327,403 | 36.5 | 99.1 | -16.3 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 903 | 12,575 | 771 | 7,566 | 11,621 | 7,008 | 60,128 | -39.7 | 808.9 | 694.7 | |
| Spain----- | 238,081 | 173,197 | 1,049 | 150,323 | 36,383 | 5,430 | 106,352 | -85.1 | 417.6 | -29.3 | |
| All other----- | 132,051 | 132,707 | 11,612 | 119,940 | 24,430 | 17,244 | 151,775 | -29.4 | 48.5 | 26.5 | |
| Total, all sources: | 1,959,183 | 1,461,795 | 77,905 | 1,261,179 | 166,903 | 128,437 | 1,172,044 | -23.0 | 64.9 | -7.1 | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 145,189 | 105,825 | 6,563 | 89,801 | 4,517 | 3,339 | 47,369 | -26.1 | -49.1 | -47.3 | |
| France----- | 18,576 | 9,820 | 31 | 9,564 | 943 | 1,411 | 10,840 | 49.6 | 1/ | 13.3 | |
| Italy----- | 371 | 36 | 0 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 1 | - | - | -97.2 | |
| Netherlands----- | 470 | 864 | 0 | 750 | 0 | 0 | 985 | - | - | 31.3 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 51,383 | 29,641 | 714 | 25,312 | 2,635 | 2,098 | 27,510 | -20.4 | 193.8 | 8.7 | |
| West Germany----- | 42,734 | 47,126 | 3,158 | 37,673 | 1,988 | 2,059 | 17,299 | 3.6 | -34.8 | -54.1 | |
| All other----- | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 258,723 | 193,312 | 10,466 | 163,136 | 10,083 | 8,907 | 104,003 | -11.7 | -14.9 | -36.2 | |
| Brazil----- | 5,153 | 1,005 | 0 | 301 | 51 | 43 | 2,584 | -15.7 | - | 758.5 | |
| Canada----- | 81,132 | 53,636 | 3,700 | 47,087 | 6,230 | 5,871 | 43,180 | -5.8 | 58.7 | -8.3 | |
| Japan----- | 228,843 | 159,122 | 8,035 | 142,113 | 9,845 | 13,256 | 98,378 | 34.6 | 65.0 | -30.8 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 341 | 3,792 | 227 | 2,325 | 2,955 | 1,781 | 15,581 | -39.7 | 684.6 | 570.2 | |
| Spain----- | 86,210 | 61,342 | 306 | 54,993 | 7,782 | 1,223 | 25,031 | -84.3 | 299.7 | -54.5 | |
| All other----- | 47,771 | 41,571 | 3,391 | 38,312 | 6,458 | 4,315 | 37,466 | -33.2 | 27.2 | -2.2 | |
| Total, all sources: | 708,172 | 513,781 | 26,125 | 448,265 | 43,405 | 35,397 | 326,223 | -18.4 | 35.5 | -27.2 | |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

| (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|-------|----------------------|-------|------|----------------------|-----|-------|-------------------|-------|------|
| Source | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | | | Year to Oct. date | | Sep. | Year to Oct. date | | from | from | from | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (5) | (3) | (4) | (10) |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 360 | 334 | 312 | 337 | 250 | 253 | 274 | 1.2 | -18.9 | -18.7 | |
| France----- | 357 | 337 | 311 | 337 | 256 | 246 | 241 | -3.9 | -20.9 | -28.5 | |
| Italy----- | 1,563 | 1,464 | - | 1,464 | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Netherlands----- | 339 | 328 | - | 300 | - | - | 255 | - | - | -15.0 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 377 | 366 | 393 | 375 | 238 | 331 | 291 | -39.1 | -15.8 | -22.4 | |
| West Germany----- | 392 | 378 | 431 | 395 | 280 | 293 | 291 | 4.6 | -32.0 | -26.3 | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 369 | 349 | 346 | 355 | 253 | 276 | 277 | 9.1 | -20.2 | -22.0 | |
| Brazil----- | 324 | 260 | - | 332 | 280 | 227 | 235 | -18.9 | - | -29.2 | |
| Canada----- | 362 | 360 | 339 | 359 | 305 | 294 | 309 | -3.6 | -13.3 | -13.9 | |
| Japan----- | 354 | 365 | 345 | 363 | 290 | 286 | 300 | -1.4 | -17.1 | -17.4 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 378 | 302 | 295 | 307 | 254 | 254 | 259 | 0.0 | -13.9 | -15.6 | |
| Spain----- | 362 | 354 | 292 | 366 | 214 | 225 | 235 | 5.1 | -22.9 | -35.8 | |
| All other----- | 362 | 313 | 292 | 319 | 264 | 250 | 247 | -5.3 | -14.4 | -22.6 | |
| Total, all sources: | 361 | 351 | 335 | 355 | 260 | 276 | 278 | 6.2 | -17.6 | -21.7 | |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

2/ Negligible.

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

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

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|------------|---------|---------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | | Short tons | | | | Percent | |
| 1981 2/----- | 668,667 | 17,587 | 7,177 | 23,903 | 662,351 | 2.7 | 1.1 |
| 1982 2/----- | 436,504 | 21,690 | 4,708 | 10,050 | 448,144 | 4.8 | 1.1 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 126,557 | 5,247 | 429 | 3,359 | 128,445 | 4.1 | 0.3 |
| April-June----- | 119,738 | 9,562 | 3,441 | 2,896 | 126,404 | 7.6 | 2.7 |
| July-September----- | 103,130 | 3,949 | 308 | 1,966 | 105,113 | 3.8 | 0.3 |
| October-December----- | 83,679 | 2,932 | 530 | 1,828 | 84,783 | 3.5 | 0.6 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 101,148 | 1,809 | 482 | 1,670 | 101,287 | 1.8 | 0.5 |
| April-June----- | 106,557 | 1,715 | 462 | 5,127 | 103,145 | 1.7 | 0.4 |
| July-September----- | 124,312 | 2,343 | 166 | 1,469 | 125,186 | 1.9 | 0.1 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 26,613 | 937 | 62 | 857 | 26,693 | 3.5 | 0.2 |
| November----- | 29,520 | 579 | 35 | 473 | 29,626 | 2.0 | 0.1 |
| December----- | 27,366 | 1,416 | 433 | 498 | 28,284 | 5.0 | 1.5 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 31,641 | 891 | 149 | 499 | 32,033 | 2.8 | 0.5 |
| February----- | 29,812 | 596 | 223 | 126 | 30,282 | 2.0 | 0.7 |
| March----- | 39,495 | 322 | 110 | 1,045 | 38,772 | 0.8 | 0.3 |
| April----- | 32,098 | 542 | 90 | 919 | 31,721 | 1.7 | 0.3 |
| May----- | 32,969 | 421 | 196 | 790 | 32,600 | 1.3 | 0.6 |
| June----- | 41,633 | 752 | 176 | 3,418 | 38,967 | 1.9 | 0.5 |
| July----- | 39,195 | 948 | 48 | 433 | 39,710 | 2.4 | 0.1 |
| August----- | 45,868 | 667 | 65 | 376 | 46,159 | 1.4 | 0.1 |
| September----- | 39,081 | 728 | 53 | 660 | 39,149 | 1.9 | 0.1 |
| October----- | 40,792 | 1,100 | 136 | 1,038 | 40,854 | 2.7 | 0.3 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983--: | 4.4 | 51.1 | 156.6 | 57.3 | 4.4 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982--: | 53.3 | 17.4 | 119.4 | 21.1 | 53.1 | - | - |

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

| (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------------|--------|------|--------------|--------|--------|-------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Source | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | | |
| | | | Year to Oct. | | date | Year to Sep. | | Oct. | date | from (6) | from (7) | from (8) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | | (5) | (6) | | (7) | (5), (6) | (3) | (4) |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 0 | 71 | 0 | 71 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| France----- | 20 | 25 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 1 | 253 | - | - | - | - | 912.0 |
| Italy----- | 190 | 392 | 47 | 322 | 52 | 48 | 317 | -7.7 | 2.1 | - | - | -1.6 |
| Netherlands----- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom----- | 6,478 | 3,815 | 0 | 3,421 | 1 | 0 | 354 | -100.0 | - | - | - | -89.7 |
| West Germany----- | 489 | 402 | 15 | 398 | 1 | 87 | 322 | 2/ | 480.0 | - | - | -19.1 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 7,177 | 4,708 | 62 | 4,239 | 53 | 136 | 1,246 | 156.6 | 119.4 | - | - | -70.6 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 81 | -100.0 | - | - | - | - |
| Canada----- | 466 | 2,903 | 130 | 2,730 | 237 | 252 | 1,590 | 6.3 | 93.8 | - | - | -41.8 |
| Japan----- | 9,647 | 12,656 | 666 | 11,470 | 347 | 589 | 3,358 | 69.7 | -11.6 | - | - | -70.7 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - |
| All other----- | 297 | 1,423 | 80 | 1,257 | 68 | 124 | 685 | 82.4 | 55.0 | - | - | -45.5 |
| Total, all sources: | 17,587 | 21,690 | 937 | 19,695 | 728 | 1,100 | 6,968 | 51.1 | 17.4 | - | - | -64.6 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 0 | 35 | 0 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | -100.0 |
| France----- | 8 | 28 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 7 | 347 | - | - | - | - | 2/ |
| Italy----- | 288 | 490 | 48 | 400 | 55 | 51 | 349 | -7.3 | 6.3 | - | - | -12.8 |
| Netherlands----- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom----- | 3,851 | 2,200 | 0 | 1,987 | 6 | 0 | 203 | -100.0 | - | - | - | -89.8 |
| West Germany----- | 2,009 | 1,142 | 81 | 1,065 | 17 | 90 | 878 | 429.4 | 11.1 | - | - | -17.6 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 6,156 | 3,897 | 129 | 3,517 | 78 | 148 | 1,776 | 89.7 | 14.7 | - | - | -49.5 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 0 | 124 | -100.0 | - | - | - | - |
| Canada----- | 462 | 1,727 | 63 | 1,205 | 82 | 86 | 673 | 4.9 | 36.5 | - | - | -44.1 |
| Japan----- | 12,300 | 21,904 | 1,409 | 19,905 | 589 | 1,002 | 6,698 | 70.1 | -28.9 | - | - | -66.4 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - |
| All other----- | 579 | 3,241 | 187 | 2,862 | 121 | 215 | 1,306 | 77.7 | 15.0 | - | - | -54.4 |
| Total, all sources: | 19,497 | 30,769 | 1,788 | 27,489 | 901 | 1,451 | 10,595 | 61.0 | -18.8 | - | - | -61.5 |

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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|-------|-------|-----------------|--------|-------|-----------------|-------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
| | | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | 1981 | | 1982 | Year to Oct. | date | Sep. | Year to Oct. | date | from (5) | from (3) | from (4) | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | - | 490 | | - | 490 | | - | - | - | - | - | |
| France----- | 408 | 1,100 | | - | 1,100 | | - | 1,374 | - | - | 24.9 | |
| Italy----- | 1,514 | 1,248 | 1,035 | 1,243 | 1,069 | 1,061 | 1,100 | -0.7 | 2.5 | - | -11.5 | |
| Netherlands----- | - | 1,178 | | - | 1,178 | | - | - | - | - | - | |
| United Kingdom----- | 595 | 577 | | - | 581 | 5,750 | - | 574 | - | - | -1.2 | |
| West Germany----- | 4,108 | 2,840 | 5,331 | 2,675 | 33,515 | 1,030 | 2,726 | -96.9 | -80.7 | - | 1.9 | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 858 | 828 | 2,088 | 830 | 1,478 | 1,090 | 1,426 | -26.3 | -47.8 | - | 71.8 | |
| Brazil----- | - | - | - | - | 1,344 | - | 1,535 | - | - | - | - | |
| Canada----- | 992 | 595 | 485 | 441 | 346 | 341 | 424 | -1.4 | -29.7 | - | -3.9 | |
| Japan----- | 1,275 | 1,731 | 2,115 | 1,735 | 1,698 | 1,701 | 1,995 | 0.2 | -19.6 | - | 15.0 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,950 | - | - | - | - | |
| Spain----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| All other----- | 1,949 | 2,277 | 2,343 | 2,277 | 1,774 | 1,734 | 1,907 | -2.3 | -26.0 | - | -16.2 | |
| Total, all sources: | 1,109 | 1,419 | 1,908 | 1,396 | 1,238 | 1,319 | 1,521 | 6.5 | -30.9 | - | 9.0 | |

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 | | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | Producers' shipments | | | | | Total | From EC |
| | Total | From | EC | | | | |
| Short tons | | | | | | | |
| 1981 2/----- | 2,967,599 | 772,693 | 172,502 | 82,293 | 3,657,999 | 21.1 | 4.7 |
| 1982 3/----- | 2,366,437 | 854,911 | 172,591 | 8,494 | 3,212,854 | 26.6 | 5.4 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 505,190 | 200,936 | 24,607 | 3,594 | 702,532 | 28.6 | 3.5 |
| April-June----- | 619,883 | 185,329 | 54,189 | 3,665 | 801,547 | 23.1 | 6.8 |
| July-September----- | 574,863 | 196,612 | 35,718 | 947 | 770,528 | 25.5 | 4.6 |
| October-December----- | 605,701 | 272,033 | 58,077 | 289 | 877,445 | 31.0 | 6.6 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 592,904 | 279,976 | 35,329 | 645 | 872,235 | 32.1 | 4.1 |
| April-June----- | 727,300 | 267,861 | 25,081 | 126 | 995,035 | 26.9 | 2.5 |
| July-September----- | 753,815 | 260,638 | 19,607 | 345 | 1,014,108 | 25.7 | 1.9 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 226,782 | 90,852 | 13,305 | 45 | 317,589 | 28.6 | 4.2 |
| November----- | 199,710 | 105,925 | 15,985 | 100 | 305,535 | 34.7 | 5.2 |
| December----- | 182,730 | 75,256 | 28,788 | 143 | 257,843 | 29.2 | 11.2 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 176,298 | 98,747 | 22,825 | 383 | 274,662 | 36.0 | 8.3 |
| February----- | 201,008 | 96,200 | 9,080 | 89 | 297,119 | 32.4 | 3.1 |
| March----- | 211,429 | 85,030 | 3,424 | 172 | 296,287 | 28.7 | 1.2 |
| April----- | 219,451 | 70,899 | 3,629 | 40 | 290,310 | 24.4 | 1.3 |
| May----- | 239,836 | 118,521 | 10,009 | 18 | 358,339 | 33.1 | 2.8 |
| June----- | 266,792 | 78,441 | 11,443 | 68 | 345,165 | 22.7 | 3.3 |
| July----- | 230,127 | 79,175 | 5,366 | 145 | 309,157 | 25.6 | 1.7 |
| August----- | 228,548 | 84,802 | 8,175 | 118 | 313,232 | 27.1 | 2.6 |
| September----- | 280,744 | 96,661 | 6,066 | 82 | 377,323 | 25.6 | 1.6 |
| October----- | 263,062 | 88,068 | 7,888 | 60 | 351,070 | 25.1 | 2.2 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983---- | -6.3 | -8.9 | 30.0 | -26.8 | -6.9 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982---- | 16.0 | -3.1 | -40.7 | 33.3 | 10.5 | - | - |

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

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

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

| Source | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------|-------|-------------------|-------|--|
| | | | Year to | | Year to | | from | | from | | |
| | 1981 | 1982 | Oct. | date | Sep. | Oct. | date | (6) | (6) | (7) | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 21,547 | 27,571 | 3,157 | 21,938 | 0 | 164 | 7,349 | - | -94.8 | -66.5 | |
| France----- | 101,921 | 108,440 | 7,664 | 85,683 | 3,199 | 5,334 | 50,243 | 66.7 | -30.4 | -41.4 | |
| Italy----- | 35 | 517 | 1 | 517 | 0 | 1/ | 3 | - | - | -99.4 | |
| Netherlands----- | 4,326 | 10,568 | 1,441 | 8,472 | 118 | 124 | 2,708 | 5.1 | -91.4 | -68.0 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 29,089 | 14,034 | 148 | 5,599 | 1,213 | 1,817 | 12,667 | 49.8 | 2/ | 126.2 | |
| West Germany----- | 15,583 | 11,461 | 894 | 5,610 | 1,536 | 449 | 14,934 | -70.8 | -49.8 | 166.2 | |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 172,502 | 172,591 | 13,305 | 127,819 | 6,066 | 7,888 | 87,904 | 30.0 | -40.7 | -31.2 | |
| Brazil----- | 32,579 | 111,025 | 16,860 | 98,183 | 0 | 4,402 | 74,475 | - | -73.9 | -24.1 | |
| Canada----- | 317,369 | 284,292 | 33,167 | 235,168 | 29,071 | 25,395 | 233,340 | -12.6 | -23.4 | -0.8 | |
| Japan----- | 173,859 | 152,803 | 7,809 | 120,707 | 16,086 | 14,690 | 144,579 | -8.7 | 88.1 | 19.8 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 6,188 | 571 | 5,854 | 0 | 1/ | 1,427 | - | - | -75.6 | |
| Spain----- | 1,657 | 6,818 | 1,043 | 5,727 | 8,055 | 10,826 | 71,758 | 34.4 | 938.0 | 2/ | |
| All other----- | 74,727 | 121,194 | 18,098 | 80,272 | 37,384 | 24,866 | 283,060 | -33.5 | 37.4 | 252.6 | |
| Total, all sources: | 772,693 | 854,911 | 90,852 | 673,729 | 96,661 | 88,068 | 896,544 | -8.9 | -3.1 | 33.1 | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 6,749 | 7,492 | 798 | 6,082 | 0 | 44 | 1,835 | - | -94.5 | -69.8 | |
| France----- | 33,357 | 33,832 | 2,487 | 26,651 | 1,069 | 1,525 | 15,178 | 42.7 | -38.7 | -43.0 | |
| Italy----- | 31 | 213 | 2 | 213 | 0 | 1 | 6 | - | -50.0 | -97.2 | |
| Netherlands----- | 1,821 | 3,777 | 605 | 3,096 | 57 | 37 | 951 | -35.1 | -93.9 | -69.3 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 11,875 | 4,833 | 51 | 2,588 | 455 | 692 | 4,209 | 52.1 | 2/ | 62.6 | |
| West Germany----- | 4,901 | 3,972 | 347 | 2,032 | 495 | 170 | 4,840 | -65.7 | -51.0 | 138.2 | |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 58,733 | 54,119 | 4,289 | 40,662 | 2,076 | 2,469 | 27,019 | 18.9 | -42.4 | -33.6 | |
| Brazil----- | 10,553 | 32,151 | 4,214 | 29,324 | 0 | 979 | 15,881 | - | -76.8 | -45.8 | |
| Canada----- | 103,575 | 93,077 | 10,565 | 77,354 | 9,076 | 7,621 | 72,856 | -16.0 | -27.9 | -5.8 | |
| Japan----- | 70,731 | 60,565 | 3,234 | 48,173 | 5,938 | 5,352 | 52,673 | -9.9 | 65.5 | 9.3 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 0 | 2,060 | 149 | 1,976 | 0 | 1 | 346 | - | -99.3 | -82.5 | |
| Spain----- | 834 | 2,963 | 409 | 2,537 | 2,215 | 2,768 | 18,773 | 25.0 | 576.8 | 640.0 | |
| All other----- | 24,832 | 31,036 | 4,273 | 21,441 | 7,831 | 5,454 | 60,550 | -30.4 | 27.6 | 182.4 | |
| Total, all sources: | 269,257 | 275,970 | 27,133 | 221,467 | 27,137 | 24,644 | 248,098 | -9.2 | -9.2 | 12.0 | |

See footnotes at end of table.

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

| (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|-----|-----------|-----|-----|----------------|-------|-------|-------------------|------|-------|
| Source | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Year to | | | Year to | | | | | |
| | | | Oct. date | | | Sep. Oct. date | | | from from from | | |
| | | | | | | | | | (5) (3) (4) | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 313 | 272 | 253 | 277 | - | 268 | 250 | - | 5.9 | - | -9.7 |
| France----- | 327 | 312 | 325 | 311 | 334 | 286 | 302 | -14.4 | -12.0 | - | -2.9 |
| Italy----- | 893 | 413 | 2,148 | 412 | - | - | 2,299 | - | - | - | 458.0 |
| Netherlands----- | 421 | 357 | 420 | 365 | 481 | 295 | 351 | -38.7 | -29.8 | - | -3.8 |
| United Kingdom----- | 408 | 344 | 342 | 462 | 375 | 381 | 332 | 1.6 | 11.4 | - | -28.1 |
| West Germany----- | 314 | 347 | 388 | 362 | 322 | 379 | 324 | 17.7 | -2.3 | - | -10.5 |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 340 | 314 | 322 | 318 | 342 | 313 | 307 | -8.5 | -2.8 | - | -3.5 |
| Brazil----- | 324 | 290 | 250 | 299 | - | 222 | 213 | - | -11.2 | - | -28.8 |
| Canada----- | 326 | 327 | 319 | 329 | 312 | 300 | 312 | -3.8 | -6.0 | - | -5.2 |
| Japan----- | 407 | 396 | 414 | 399 | 369 | 364 | 364 | -1.4 | -12.1 | - | -8.8 |
| Republic of Korea----- | - | 333 | 261 | 338 | - | - | 243 | - | - | - | -28.1 |
| Spain----- | 503 | 435 | 392 | 443 | 275 | 256 | 262 | -6.9 | -34.7 | - | -40.9 |
| All other----- | 332 | 256 | 236 | 267 | 209 | 219 | 214 | 4.8 | -7.2 | - | -19.9 |
| Total, all sources: | 348 | 323 | 299 | 329 | 281 | 280 | 277 | -0.4 | -6.4 | - | -15.8 |

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

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

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | | |
|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------|--|---------|----------------------|---------------------------------|------|-----|
| | | Total | From EC | | | | Total | From | |
| | | <u>Short tons</u> | | | | | <u>Percent</u> | | |
| 1981 2/----- | 4,402,066 | 404,798 | 151,309 | | 91,041 | 4,715,823 | 8.6 | | 3.2 |
| 1982 2/----- | 3,250,483 | 289,381 | 96,452 | | 31,014 | 3,508,850 | 8.2 | | 2.7 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 843,317 | 84,376 | 20,212 | | 8,676 | 919,017 | 9.2 | | 2.2 |
| April-June | 734,301 | 89,202 | 37,141 | | 9,956 | 813,547 | 11.0 | | 4.6 |
| July-September | 598,340 | 63,183 | 19,603 | | 6,266 | 655,257 | 9.6 | | 3.0 |
| October-December | 526,980 | 52,620 | 19,495 | | 6,115 | 573,485 | 9.2 | | 3.4 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 898,374 | 59,864 | 13,403 | | 7,327 | 950,911 | 6.3 | | 1.4 |
| April-June | 904,453 | 74,684 | 24,376 | | 6,728 | 972,409 | 7.7 | | 2.5 |
| July-September | 940,995 | 68,326 | 15,847 | | 13,457 | 995,864 | 6.9 | | 1.6 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | | |
| October | 189,185 | 12,395 | 1,959 | | 2,308 | 199,272 | 6.2 | | 1.0 |
| November | 159,224 | 17,057 | 4,485 | | 2,015 | 174,266 | 9.8 | | 2.6 |
| December | 175,463 | 23,169 | 13,051 | | 1,792 | 196,840 | 11.8 | | 6.6 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 235,263 | 25,527 | 9,949 | | 3,079 | 257,711 | 9.9 | | 3.9 |
| February | 269,116 | 16,944 | 1,845 | | 1,947 | 284,113 | 6.0 | | 0.6 |
| March | 339,594 | 17,394 | 1,609 | | 2,302 | 354,686 | 4.9 | | 0.5 |
| April | 270,848 | 21,054 | 1,695 | | 2,428 | 289,474 | 7.3 | | 0.6 |
| May | 318,298 | 22,866 | 8,004 | | 2,075 | 339,089 | 6.7 | | 2.4 |
| June | 315,097 | 30,764 | 14,677 | | 2,225 | 343,636 | 9.0 | | 4.3 |
| July | 242,739 | 20,703 | 4,444 | | 1,839 | 261,603 | 7.9 | | 1.7 |
| August | 350,042 | 23,541 | 6,248 | | 4,080 | 369,503 | 6.4 | | 1.7 |
| September | 340,819 | 24,082 | 5,155 | | 7,537 | 357,364 | 6.7 | | 1.4 |
| October | 369,365 | 41,198 | 14,401 | | 3,630 | 406,933 | 10.1 | | 3.5 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983-- | 8.4 | 71.1 | 179.4 | | -51.8 | 13.9 | - | | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982-- | 95.3 | 232.4 | 635.1 | | 57.3 | 104.2 | - | | |

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data

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

Table 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

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

| Source | 1981 | | 1982 | | 1983 | | Percentage change | | | |
|------------------------|---------|--------------|--------|---------|--------------|----------|-------------------|----------|-------|-------|
| | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | (6) from | (6) from | (7) from | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 14,785 | 10,404 | 293 | 8,503 | 975 | 913 | 9,278 | -6.4 | 211.6 | 9.1 |
| France----- | 5,481 | 1,440 | 111 | 1,315 | 53 | 208 | 1,410 | 292.5 | 87.4 | 7.2 |
| Italy----- | 23 | 14 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 27 | 27 | - | - | 92.9 |
| Netherlands----- | .27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 41 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom----- | 117,281 | 62,807 | 1,109 | 53,579 | 2,889 | 12,155 | 47,326 | 320.7 | 996.0 | -11.7 |
| West Germany----- | 13,713 | 21,786 | 446 | 15,504 | 1,238 | 1,098 | 9,945 | -11.3 | 146.2 | -35.9 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 151,309 | 96,452 | 1,959 | 78,915 | 5,155 | 14,401 | 68,026 | 179.4 | 635.1 | -13.8 |
| Brazil----- | 7,259 | 7,156 | 829 | 6,549 | 2,755 | 6,012 | 17,989 | 118.2 | 625.2 | 174.7 |
| Canada----- | 108,899 | 89,248 | 4,773 | 80,917 | 9,916 | 9,461 | 84,850 | -4.6 | 98.2 | 4.9 |
| Japan----- | 86,480 | 64,418 | 3,753 | 56,529 | 3,610 | 5,205 | 39,253 | 44.2 | 38.7 | -30.6 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 12,742 | 2,570 | 233 | 1,913 | 527 | 593 | 3,553 | 12.5 | 154.5 | 85.7 |
| Spain----- | 33,707 | 20,709 | 163 | 18,199 | 0 | 3,390 | 11,882 | - | 1/ | -34.7 |
| All other----- | 4,402 | 8,828 | 685 | 6,133 | 2,119 | 2,137 | 18,519 | 0.8 | 212.0 | 202.0 |
| Total, all sources: | 404,798 | 289,381 | 12,395 | 249,155 | 24,082 | 41,198 | 244,073 | 71.1 | 232.4 | -2.0 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 4,749 | 3,204 | 89 | 2,740 | 245 | 222 | 2,213 | -9.4 | 149.4 | -19.2 |
| France----- | 1,952 | 550 | 38 | 505 | 26 | 68 | 687 | 161.5 | 78.9 | 36.0 |
| Italy----- | 9 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 17 | 18 | - | - | 157.1 |
| Netherlands----- | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom----- | 50,868 | 27,741 | 455 | 24,553 | 1,071 | 4,478 | 17,705 | 318.1 | 884.2 | -27.9 |
| West Germany----- | 6,518 | 9,684 | 197 | 6,618 | 456 | 334 | 3,792 | -26.8 | 69.5 | -42.7 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 64,137 | 41,186 | 779 | 34,423 | 1,798 | 5,119 | 24,427 | 184.7 | 557.1 | -29.0 |
| Brazil----- | 2,151 | 2,096 | 207 | 1,632 | 690 | 1,489 | 4,340 | 115.8 | 619.3 | 165.9 |
| Canada----- | 40,876 | 33,402 | 1,728 | 30,400 | 3,316 | 3,671 | 28,749 | 10.7 | 112.4 | -5.4 |
| Japan----- | 32,772 | 25,333 | 1,490 | 22,371 | 1,344 | 1,945 | 14,299 | 44.7 | 30.5 | -36.1 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 3,280 | 804 | 72 | 612 | 134 | 148 | 944 | 10.4 | 105.6 | 54.2 |
| Spain----- | 12,443 | 8,772 | 64 | 7,846 | 0 | 1,069 | 4,029 | - | 1/ | -48.6 |
| All other----- | 1,508 | 2,738 | 260 | 1,968 | 521 | 561 | 5,055 | 7.7 | 115.8 | 156.9 |
| Total, all sources: | 157,168 | 114,331 | 4,600 | 99,253 | 7,304 | 14,003 | 81,844 | 79.4 | 204.4 | -17.5 |

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 in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|-----|------|-----|----------------------|------|-----------------|-------|-------------------|-------|--|
| Source | 1981 | | 1982 | | Year to Oct. date | | 1983 | | Percentage change | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | (6) | (6) | (7) | |
| | | | | | | | | (5) | (3) | (4) | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 321 | 308 | 304 | 322 | 251 | 243 | 239 | -3.2 | -20.1 | -25.8 | |
| France----- | 356 | 382 | 338 | 384 | 501 | 325 | 488 | -35.1 | -3.8 | 27.1 | |
| Italy----- | 392 | 486 | - | 486 | - | 647 | 654 | - | - | 34.6 | |
| Netherlands----- | 1,510 | - | - | - | - | - | 298 | - | - | - | |
| United Kingdom----- | 434 | 442 | 411 | 458 | 371 | 368 | 374 | -0.8 | -10.5 | -18.3 | |
| West Germany----- | 475 | 445 | 442 | 427 | 368 | 304 | 381 | -17.4 | -31.2 | -10.8 | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 424 | 427 | 398 | 436 | 349 | 355 | 359 | 1.7 | -10.8 | -17.7 | |
| Brazil----- | 296 | 293 | 250 | 249 | 251 | 248 | 241 | -1.2 | -0.8 | -3.2 | |
| Canada----- | 375 | 374 | 362 | 376 | 334 | 388 | 339 | 16.2 | 7.2 | -9.8 | |
| Japan----- | 379 | 393 | 397 | 396 | 372 | 374 | 364 | 0.5 | -5.8 | -8.1 | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 257 | 313 | 307 | 320 | 254 | 250 | 266 | -1.6 | -18.6 | -16.9 | |
| Spain----- | 369 | 424 | 393 | 431 | - | 315 | 339 | - | -19.8 | -21.3 | |
| All other----- | 343 | 310 | 380 | 321 | 246 | 262 | 273 | 6.5 | -31.1 | -15.0 | |
| Total, all sources: | 388 | 395 | 371 | 398 | 324 | 340 | 335 | 4.9 | -8.4 | -15.8 | |

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 | Imports | | | Apparent consumption | | | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|---------|---------|----------------------|-----------|---------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | Producers' shipments | Exports | | Apparent consumption | Exports | | Total | From EC |
| | | Total | From EC | | Total | From EC | | |
| Short tons | | | | | | | | |
| 1981 2/----- | 2,445,222 | 154,114 | 48,943 | 53,861 | 2,545,475 | 6.1 | 2.0 | |
| 1982 3/----- | 1,475,437 | 140,772 | 20,532 | 42,721 | 1,573,488 | 8.9 | 1.3 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 511,547 | 42,037 | 9,111 | 17,850 | 535,734 | 7.8 | 1.7 | |
| April-June----- | 407,827 | 43,046 | 4,491 | 8,904 | 441,969 | 9.7 | 1.0 | |
| July-September----- | 255,225 | 33,710 | 4,547 | 10,192 | 278,743 | 12.1 | 1.6 | |
| October-December----- | 228,838 | 21,979 | 2,383 | 5,775 | 245,042 | 9.0 | 1.0 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 325,661 | 24,418 | 1,238 | 11,541 | 338,538 | 7.2 | 0.4 | |
| April-June----- | 359,331 | 28,438 | 887 | 11,261 | 376,508 | 7.6 | 0.2 | |
| July-September----- | 374,678 | 34,238 | 936 | 11,427 | 397,489 | 8.6 | 0.2 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 77,190 | 7,291 | 686 | 1,852 | 82,629 | 8.8 | 0.8 | |
| November----- | 71,900 | 6,255 | 372 | 1,806 | 76,349 | 8.2 | 0.5 | |
| December----- | 79,644 | 8,433 | 1,325 | 2,118 | 85,959 | 9.8 | 1.5 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 93,102 | 9,483 | 742 | 4,311 | 98,274 | 9.6 | 0.8 | |
| February----- | 95,031 | 7,653 | 313 | 3,327 | 99,357 | 7.7 | 0.3 | |
| March----- | 123,453 | 7,282 | 183 | 3,904 | 126,831 | 5.7 | 0.1 | |
| April----- | 108,534 | 9,338 | 218 | 4,730 | 113,142 | 8.3 | 0.2 | |
| May----- | 120,682 | 9,111 | 319 | 3,172 | 126,621 | 7.2 | 0.3 | |
| June----- | 130,092 | 9,989 | 350 | 3,359 | 136,722 | 7.3 | 0.3 | |
| July----- | 104,776 | 11,453 | 414 | 2,308 | 113,921 | 10.1 | 0.4 | |
| August----- | 133,357 | 10,508 | 246 | 4,858 | 139,007 | 7.6 | 0.2 | |
| September----- | 131,220 | 12,277 | 276 | 4,260 | 139,237 | 8.8 | 0.2 | |
| October----- | 149,800 | 11,298 | 712 | 4,130 | 156,968 | 7.2 | 0.5 | |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983----- | 14.2 | -8.0 | 158.0 | -3.1 | 12.7 | - | - | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982----- | 94.1 | 55.0 | 3.8 | 123.0 | 90.0 | - | - | |

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

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

3/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|---------|-------|---------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------------|------|-----|-------|
| | 1981 | | 1982 | | Year to date | | 1983 | | Percentage change | | | |
| | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | date | Oct. | date | from | from | from | (5) | (3) | (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 26 | - | - | - | - | 1% |
| France----- | 40,669 | 8,676 | 0 | 8,676 | '1 | 0 | 57 | -100.0 | - | - | - | -99.3 |
| Italy----- | 1,286 | 3,085 | 0 | 3,081 | 0 | 23 | 48 | - | - | - | - | -98.4 |
| Netherlands----- | 69 | 133 | 0 | 131 | 0 | 0 | 29 | - | - | - | - | -77.9 |
| United Kingdom----- | 5,198 | 2,744 | 114 | 2,282 | 87 | 0 | 1,774 | -100.0 | -100.0 | - | - | -22.3 |
| West Germany----- | 1,721 | 5,893 | 572 | 4,664 | 188 | 688 | 1,840 | 266.0 | 20.3 | - | - | -60.5 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 48,943 | 20,532 | 686 | 18,835 | 276 | 712 | 3,773 | 158.0 | 3.8 | - | - | -80.0 |
| Brazil----- | 52 | 8,518 | 7 | 8,365 | 2 | 48 | 2,723 | 1/ | 585.7 | - | - | -67.4 |
| Canada----- | 59,108 | 60,776 | 3,621 | 52,140 | 8,028 | 7,092 | 62,433 | -11.7 | 95.9 | - | - | 19.7 |
| Japan----- | 36,236 | 36,829 | 2,653 | 33,158 | 3,346 | 2,944 | 18,188 | -12.0 | 11.0 | - | - | -45.1 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 4,762 | 9,244 | 0 | 9,244 | 238 | 138 | 6,953 | -42.0 | - | - | - | -24.8 |
| All other----- | 5,011 | 4,873 | 325 | 4,362 | 387 | 365 | 4,252 | -5.7 | 12.3 | - | - | -2.1 |
| Total, all sources: | 154,114 | 140,772 | 7,291 | 126,083 | 12,277 | 11,298 | 98,392 | -8.0 | 55.0 | - | - | -22.0 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 0 | 2 | 0 | -2 | 0 | 0 | 8 | - | - | - | - | 300.0 |
| France----- | 24,124 | 5,404 | 0 | 5,404 | 6 | 0 | 71 | -100.0 | - | - | - | -98.7 |
| Italy----- | 903 | 1,994 | 0 | 1,990 | 0 | 12 | 28 | - | - | - | - | -98.6 |
| Netherlands----- | 57 | 120 | 0 | 117 | 0 | 0 | 15 | - | - | - | - | -87.2 |
| United Kingdom----- | 3,137 | 2,039 | 77 | 1,751 | 90 | 0 | 954 | -100.0 | -100.0 | - | - | -45.5 |
| West Germany----- | 1,790 | 3,817 | 347 | 2,858 | 178 | 338 | 1,150 | 89.9 | -2.6 | - | - | -59.8 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 30,011 | 13,374 | 424 | 12,121 | 273 | 350 | 2,227 | 28.2 | -17.5 | - | - | -81.6 |
| Brazil----- | 42 | 2,790 | 4 | 2,711 | 1 | 14 | 984 | 1/ | 250.0 | - | - | -63.7 |
| Canada----- | 26,432 | 29,456 | 1,792 | 25,382 | 3,785 | 4,227 | 31,298 | 11.7 | 135.9 | - | - | 23.3 |
| Japan----- | 19,170 | 20,478 | 1,274 | 18,743 | 1,409 | 1,292 | 8,111 | -8.3 | 1.4 | - | - | -56.7 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 248 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 2,667 | 5,871 | 0 | 5,871 | 144 | 69 | 2,420 | -52.1 | - | - | - | -58.8 |
| All other----- | 3,486 | 3,247 | 206 | 2,881 | 185 | 230 | 3,055 | 24.3 | 11.7 | - | - | 6.0 |
| Total, all sources: | 81,809 | 75,215 | 3,701 | 67,709 | 5,798 | 6,182 | 48,342 | 6.6 | 67.0 | - | - | -28.6 |

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

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | Percentage change | |
|------------------------|--|-------|------|-------|--------------|-----|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------------------|--|
| | 1981 | | 1982 | | Year to Oct. | | 1983 | | Year to date | | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | - | 1,362 | - | 1,362 | - | - | 323 | - | - | - | -76.3 | |
| France----- | 593 | 623 | - | 623 | 6,479 | - | 1,255 | - | - | - | 101.4 | |
| Italy----- | 702 | 646 | - | 646 | - | 513 | 592 | - | - | - | -8.4 | |
| Netherlands----- | 833 | 901 | - | 897 | - | - | 516 | - | - | - | -42.5 | |
| United Kingdom----- | 604 | 743 | 674 | 767 | 1,037 | - | 538 | - | - | - | -29.9 | |
| West Germany----- | 1,040 | 648 | 607 | 613 | 946 | 491 | 625 | -48.1 | -19.1 | 2.0 | | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 613 | 651 | 618 | 644 | 991 | 492 | 590 | -50.4 | -20.4 | -8.4 | | |
| Brazil----- | 811 | 328 | 577 | 324 | 432 | 296 | 361 | -31.5 | -48.7 | 11.4 | | |
| Canada----- | 447 | 485 | 495 | 487 | 471 | 596 | 501 | 26.5 | 20.4 | 2.9 | | |
| Japan----- | 529 | 556 | 480 | 565 | 421 | 439 | 446 | 4.3 | -8.5 | -21.1 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 633 | - | - | - | - | - | 3,613 | - | - | - | | |
| Spain----- | 560 | 635 | - | 635 | 607 | 499 | 348 | -17.8 | - | -45.2 | | |
| All other----- | 696 | 666 | 635 | 664 | 477 | 631 | 718 | 32.3 | -0.6 | 1.8 | | |
| Total, all sources | 531 | 534 | 508 | 537 | 472 | 547 | 491 | 15.9 | 7.7 | -8.6 | | |

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 | | | | Apparent consumption | | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|---------|---------------------------------|--|
| | Producers' shipments | Total | From EC | Exports | Apparent consumption | 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 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | : 1,332,372 | : 303,960 | : 39,140 | : 15,720 | : 1,620,612 | : 18.8 | : 2.4 | |
| April-June | : 1,583,619 | : 247,435 | : 50,909 | : 13,807 | : 1,817,247 | : 13.6 | : 2.8 | |
| July-September | : 1,630,688 | : 306,720 | : 60,685 | : 28,414 | : 1,908,994 | : 16.1 | : 3.2 | |
| October-December | : 1,516,002 | : 371,906 | : 109,670 | : 23,110 | : 1,864,798 | : 19.9 | : 5.9 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March | : 1,624,006 | : 418,464 | : 72,982 | : 21,925 | : 2,020,545 | : 20.7 | : 3.6 | |
| April-June | : 1,854,330 | : 447,358 | : 52,435 | : 24,170 | : 2,277,518 | : 19.6 | : 2.3 | |
| July-September | : 1,890,098 | : 595,704 | : 63,592 | : 26,071 | : 2,459,731 | : 24.2 | : 2.6 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October | : 532,087 | : 113,919 | : 31,912 | : 6,781 | : 639,225 | : 17.8 | : 5.0 | |
| November | : 474,567 | : 144,016 | : 42,660 | : 9,615 | : 608,968 | : 23.6 | : 7.0 | |
| December | : 509,357 | : 113,970 | : 35,099 | : 6,714 | : 616,613 | : 18.5 | : 5.7 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January | : 496,160 | : 132,056 | : 37,349 | : 7,196 | : 621,020 | : 21.3 | : 6.0 | |
| February | : 490,898 | : 156,922 | : 16,935 | : 5,707 | : 642,113 | : 24.4 | : 2.6 | |
| March | : 632,639 | : 129,486 | : 18,699 | : 9,022 | : 753,103 | : 17.2 | : 2.5 | |
| April | : 590,818 | : 152,667 | : 22,836 | : 8,497 | : 734,988 | : 20.8 | : 3.1 | |
| May | : 607,765 | : 164,415 | : 15,042 | : 6,953 | : 765,227 | : 21.5 | : 2.0 | |
| June | : 655,645 | : 130,276 | : 14,557 | : 8,720 | : 777,201 | : 16.8 | : 1.9 | |
| July | : 589,415 | : 189,961 | : 22,708 | : 8,879 | : 770,497 | : 24.7 | : 2.9 | |
| August | : 647,613 | : 213,185 | : 15,507 | : 9,741 | : 851,057 | : 25.0 | : 1.8 | |
| September | : 653,404 | : 192,558 | : 25,377 | : 7,451 | : 838,511 | : 23.0 | : 3.0 | |
| October | : 653,974 | : 202,180 | : 31,250 | : 6,683 | : 849,471 | : 23.8 | : 3.7 | |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983--- | 2/ | 5.0 | 23.1 | -10.3 | 1.3 | - | - | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982--- | 22.9 | 77.5 | -2.1 | -1.4 | 32.9 | - | - | |

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

2/ Less than 0.5 percent.

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

Table 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

| (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|---------|--------------|---------|---------|--------------|-------|-------------------|-------|-----|-----|
| Source | 1981 | 1982 | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | | |
| | | | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | from | from | (6) | (6) | (7) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (5) | (3) | (6) | (6) | (4) |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 13,905 | 9,608 | 1,310 | 5,929 | 1,709 | 170 | 10,136 | -90.1 | -87.0 | 71.0 | | |
| France----- | 63,916 | 44,861 | 2,903 | 34,667 | 13,118 | 4,799 | 47,561 | -63.4 | 65.3 | 37.2 | | |
| Italy----- | 30,606 | 37,192 | 3,520 | 21,425 | 0 | 7,514 | 27,001 | - | 113.5 | 26.0 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 10,865 | 7,120 | 112 | 4,958 | 0 | 0 | 1,198 | - | -100.0 | -75.8 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 3,298 | 12,077 | 145 | 5,082 | 236 | 1,375 | 6,252 | 482.6 | 848.3 | 23.0 | | |
| West Germany----- | 126,854 | 149,547 | 23,922 | 110,585 | 10,315 | 17,392 | 128,111 | 68.6 | -27.3 | 15.8 | | |
| All other----- | 1/ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 249,445 | 260,404 | 31,912 | 182,646 | 25,377 | 31,250 | 220,260 | 23.1 | -2.1 | 20.6 | | |
| Brazil----- | 193 | 17 | 0 | 17 | 3,873 | 2,299 | 21,603 | -40.6 | - | 2/ | | |
| Canada----- | 148,351 | 125,844 | 10,508 | 108,369 | 17,599 | 17,237 | 151,756 | -2.1 | 64.0 | 40.0 | | |
| Japan----- | 758,886 | 692,885 | 54,911 | 553,672 | 89,423 | 108,438 | 814,024 | 21.3 | 97.5 | 47.0 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 40,091 | 40,667 | 8,453 | 35,457 | 12,949 | 19,123 | 139,149 | 47.7 | 126.2 | 292.4 | | |
| Spain----- | 18,584 | 26,796 | 0 | 26,715 | 4,211 | 2,604 | 54,489 | -38.2 | - | 104.0 | | |
| All other----- | 90,181 | 83,406 | 8,136 | 65,157 | 39,126 | 21,228 | 262,426 | -45.7 | 160.9 | 302.8 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 1,305,731 | 1,230,020 | 113,919 | 972,034 | 192,558 | 202,180 | 1,663,707 | 5.0 | 77.5 | 71.2 | | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 6,192 | 3,976 | 467 | 2,468 | 724 | 69 | 3,878 | -90.5 | -85.2 | 57.1 | | |
| France----- | 28,981 | 19,495 | 1,334 | 14,859 | 4,227 | 2,156 | 18,532 | -49.0 | 61.6 | 24.7 | | |
| Italy----- | 17,298 | 15,972 | 1,210 | 9,838 | 0 | 2,852 | 10,467 | - | 135.7 | 6.4 | | |
| Netherlands----- | 5,286 | 3,324 | 52 | 2,290 | 0 | 0 | 581 | - | -100.0 | -74.6 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 1,660 | 6,216 | 56 | 3,527 | 124 | 765 | 2,908 | 516.9 | 2/ | -17.6 | | |
| West Germany----- | 53,977 | 65,756 | 10,435 | 48,809 | 2,705 | 6,640 | 49,942 | 145.5 | -36.4 | 2.3 | | |
| All other----- | 76 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 113,469 | 114,740 | 13,553 | 81,791 | 7,780 | 12,483 | 86,308 | 60.4 | -7.9 | 5.5 | | |
| Brazil----- | 81 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 1,431 | 600 | 7,274 | -58.1 | - | 2/ | | |
| Canada----- | 64,339 | 57,096 | 5,149 | 49,129 | 8,439 | 7,857 | 67,390 | -6.9 | 52.6 | 37.2 | | |
| Japan----- | 361,431 | 316,860 | 25,436 | 256,307 | 41,861 | 47,241 | 366,701 | 12.9 | 85.7 | 43.1 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 17,498 | 18,121 | 3,540 | 15,835 | 5,125 | 7,952 | 53,618 | 55.2 | 124.6 | 238.6 | | |
| Spain----- | 8,797 | 12,278 | 0 | 12,261 | 1,575 | 932 | 18,322 | -40.8 | - | 49.4 | | |
| All other----- | 39,356 | 34,954 | 3,706 | 27,901 | 14,624 | 8,464 | 94,937 | -42.1 | 128.4 | 240.3 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 604,971 | 554,056 | 51,384 | 443,231 | 80,835 | 85,528 | 694,549 | 5.8 | 66.4 | 56.7 | | |

See footnotes 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 in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|-------------------|-----|-----|
| Source | | | | | 1982 | | | | 1983 | | Percentage change | | |
| | | | | | Year to Oct. | date | Year to Sep. | | Year to Oct. | date | (6) | (6) | (7) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (5) | (3) | (4) |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 445 | 414 | 356 | 416 | 424 | 407 | 383 | -4.0 | 14.3 | -7.9 | | | |
| France----- | 453 | 435 | 460 | 429 | 322 | 449 | 390 | 39.4 | -2.4 | -9.1 | | | |
| Italy----- | 565 | 429 | 344 | 459 | - | 380 | 388 | - | 10.5 | -15.5 | | | |
| Netherlands----- | 487 | 467 | 460 | 462 | - | - | 485 | - | - | 5.0 | | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 503 | 515 | 383 | 694 | 524 | 556 | 465 | 6.1 | 45.2 | -33.0 | | | |
| West Germany----- | 426 | 440 | 436 | 441 | 262 | 382 | 390 | 45.8 | -12.4 | -11.6 | | | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 455 | 441 | 425 | 448 | 307 | 399 | 392 | 30.0 | -6.1 | -12.5 | | | |
| Brazil----- | 422 | 396 | - | 396 | 370 | 261 | 337 | -29.5 | - | -14.9 | | | |
| Canada----- | 434 | 454 | 490 | 453 | 479 | 456 | 444 | -4.8 | -6.9 | -2.0 | | | |
| Japan----- | 476 | 457 | 463 | 463 | 468 | 436 | 450 | -6.8 | -5.8 | -2.8 | | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 436 | 446 | 419 | 447 | 396 | 416 | 385 | 5.1 | -0.7 | -13.9 | | | |
| Spain----- | 473 | 458 | - | 459 | 374 | 358 | 336 | -4.3 | - | -26.8 | | | |
| All other----- | 436 | 419 | 456 | 428 | 374 | 399 | 362 | 6.7 | -12.5 | -15.4 | | | |
| Total, all sources: | 463 | 450 | 451 | 456 | 420 | 423 | 417 | 0.7 | -6.2 | -8.6 | | | |

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

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

| Period | Imports | | | | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------|------------|---------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|------------|
| | Producers' shipments | Total | From EC | Exports | | 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 |
| 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 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 735,709 | 69,750 | 25,205 | 41,065 | 764,394 | 9.1 | 3.3 |
| April-June----- | 768,723 | 78,646 | 18,185 | 47,390 | 799,979 | 9.8 | 2.3 |
| July-September----- | 728,699 | 62,192 | 16,463 | 42,004 | 748,887 | 8.3 | 2.2 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | |
| 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 |
| February----- | 209,816 | 27,521 | 9,353 | 11,960 | 225,377 | 12.2 | 4.1 |
| March----- | 275,030 | 22,145 | 7,381 | 13,610 | 283,565 | 7.8 | 2.6 |
| April----- | 255,163 | 26,880 | 6,672 | 15,339 | 266,704 | 10.1 | 2.5 |
| May----- | 249,044 | 30,633 | 5,512 | 17,248 | 262,429 | 11.7 | 2.1 |
| June----- | 264,516 | 21,133 | 6,001 | 14,803 | 270,846 | 7.8 | 2.2 |
| July----- | 229,916 | 23,353 | 4,605 | 16,247 | 237,022 | 9.9 | 1.9 |
| August----- | 256,635 | 19,458 | 5,747 | 13,829 | 262,264 | 7.4 | 2.2 |
| September----- | 242,148 | 19,381 | 6,111 | 11,928 | 249,601 | 7.8 | 2.4 |
| October----- | 217,670 | 26,121 | 4,658 | 11,560 | 232,231 | 11.2 | 2.0 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983--- | -10.1 | 34.8 | -23.8 | -3.1 | -7.0 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982---- | 28.2 | 39.8 | -45.1 | -36.0 | 36.3 | - | - |

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 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 | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | | | Year to date | | Oct. | Year to date | | Sep. | Year to date | | Oct. |
| | | | (3) | (4) | | (5) | (6) | (7) | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | | | | | | | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 904 | 546 | 0 | 546 | | 324 | 0 | 972 | -100.0 | | 78.0 |
| France----- | 36,429 | 38,068 | 3,230 | 30,780 | | 3,997 | 506 | 26,549 | -87.3 | -84.3 | -13.7 |
| Italy----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands----- | 3,258 | 4,889 | 508 | 3,844 | | 54 | 621 | 4,850 | 1 | 22.2 | 26.2 |
| United Kingdom----- | 891 | 556 | 0 | 551 | | 0 | 0 | 815 | - | - | 47.9 |
| West Germany----- | 32,271 | 38,922 | 4,754 | 29,412 | | 1,735 | 3,530 | 31,326 | 103.5 | -25.7 | 6.5 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 73,754 | 82,982 | 8,491 | 65,134 | | 6,111 | 4,658 | 64,511 | -23.8 | -45.1 | -1.0 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 19 | 0 | 19 | -100.0 | - | - |
| Canada----- | 37,850 | 19,889 | 1,890 | 16,928 | | 3,060 | 4,300 | 30,068 | 40.5 | 127.5 | 77.6 |
| Japan----- | 173,028 | 111,023 | 8,308 | 98,604 | | 10,192 | 17,091 | 135,223 | 67.7 | 105.7 | 37.1 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 598 | 104 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 227 | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 9 | - | - | - |
| All other----- | 1,041 | 2,242 | 0 | 1,874 | | 0 | 73 | 6,653 | - | - | 255.0 |
| Total, all sources: | 286,270 | 216,240 | 18,689 | 182,541 | | 19,381 | 26,121 | 236,710 | 34.8 | 39.8 | 29.7 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 539 | 313 | 0 | 313 | | 173 | 0 | 505 | -100.0 | - | 61.3 |
| France----- | 22,983 | 24,087 | 1,866 | 19,556 | | 2,200 | 270 | 15,675 | -87.7 | -85.5 | -19.8 |
| Italy----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands----- | 1,872 | 3,056 | 313 | 2,352 | | 30 | 314 | 3,055 | 946.7 | 0.3 | 29.9 |
| United Kingdom----- | 508 | 427 | 0 | 414 | | 0 | 0 | 368 | - | - | -11.1 |
| West Germany----- | 20,772 | 23,269 | 2,720 | 17,701 | | 1,059 | 2,066 | 18,472 | 95.1 | -24.0 | 4.4 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 46,676 | 51,152 | 4,899 | 40,336 | | 3,462 | 2,651 | 38,076 | -23.4 | -45.9 | -5.6 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 9 | 0 | 9 | -100.0 | - | - |
| Canada----- | 20,746 | 11,391 | 1,006 | 9,876 | | 1,821 | 2,178 | 16,781 | 19.6 | 116.5 | 69.9 |
| Japan----- | 411,216 | 70,159 | 5,124 | 62,437 | | 6,000 | 6,743 | 79,128 | 42.4 | 31.6 | 26.7 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 344 | 62 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 115 | - | - | - |
| Spain----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 4 | - | - | - |
| All other----- | 483 | 1,007 | 0 | 899 | | 0 | 35 | 2,783 | - | - | 209.6 |
| Total, all sources: | 179,965 | 133,771 | 11,029 | 113,548 | | 11,292 | 11,607 | 136,895 | 2.8 | 5.2 | 20.6 |

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 in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | Percentage change | |
|------------------------|--|------|------|------|--------------|------|------|-------|--------------|-------|-------------------|--|
| | 1981 | | 1982 | | Year to date | | 1983 | | Year to date | | | |
| | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Sep. | Oct. | Sep. | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 596 | 573 | - | 573 | 534 | - | 520 | - | - | - | -9.2 | |
| France----- | 631 | 633 | 578 | 635 | 550 | 534 | 590 | -2.9 | -7.6 | -7.1 | | |
| Italy----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Netherlands----- | 575 | 625 | 617 | 612 | 553 | 506 | 630 | -8.5 | -18.0 | 2.9 | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 571 | 767 | - | 750 | - | - | 452 | - | - | -39.7 | | |
| West Germany----- | 644 | 598 | 572 | 602 | 610 | 585 | 590 | -4.1 | 2.3 | -2.0 | | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 633 | 616 | 577 | 619 | 567 | 569 | 590 | 0.4 | -1.4 | -4.7 | | |
| Brazil----- | - | - | - | - | 471 | - | 471 | - | - | - | | |
| Canada----- | 548 | 573 | 532 | 583 | 595 | 506 | 558 | -15.0 | -4.9 | -4.3 | | |
| Japan----- | 643 | 632 | 617 | 633 | 589 | 395 | 585 | -32.9 | -36.0 | -7.6 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 575 | 596 | - | - | - | - | 505 | - | - | - | | |
| Spain----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | 614 | - | - | - | | |
| All other----- | 464 | 449 | - | 480 | - | 486 | 418 | - | - | -12.9 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 627 | 619 | 590 | 622 | 583 | 444 | 578 | -23.8 | -24.7 | -7.1 | | |

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 |
| | Total | From EC | | | | | Total | From EC |
| Short tons | | | | | | | | |
| 1981 2/-----: | 954,911 | 247,305 | 111,971 | 69,314 | 1,132,902 | 21.8 | 9.9 | |
| 1982-----: | 517,073 | 255,008 | 147,888 | 28,924 | 743,157 | 34.3 | 19.9 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March-----: | 192,569 | 93,299 | 46,356 | 9,386 | 276,482 | 33.7 | 16.8 | |
| April-June-----: | 136,316 | 96,094 | 64,569 | 4,929 | 227,481 | 42.2 | 28.4 | |
| July-September-----: | 87,171 | 26,604 | 12,949 | 9,197 | 104,578 | 25.4 | 12.4 | |
| October-December-----: | 101,017 | 39,011 | 24,014 | 5,412 | 134,616 | 29.0 | 17.8 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March 3/-----: | 125,602 | 39,655 | 21,053 | 3,232 | 162,025 | 24.5 | 13.0 | |
| April-June-----: | 144,778 | 20,125 | 6,618 | 3,063 | 161,840 | 12.4 | 4.1 | |
| July-September-----: | 182,649 | 11,055 | 5,700 | 1,397 | 192,307 | 5.7 | 3.0 | |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October-----: | 24,574 | 12,018 | 6,006 | 1,931 | 34,661 | 34.7 | 17.3 | |
| November-----: | 35,940 | 13,228 | 7,846 | 2,702 | 46,466 | 28.5 | 16.9 | |
| December-----: | 40,503 | 13,764 | 10,163 | 779 | 53,488 | 25.7 | 19.0 | |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-----: | 25,909 | 16,375 | 5,797 | 696 | 41,588 | 39.4 | 13.9 | |
| February 3/-----: | 39,522 | 12,367 | 8,692 | 942 | 50,947 | 24.3 | 17.1 | |
| March-----: | 60,171 | 10,913 | 6,564 | 1,594 | 69,490 | 15.7 | 9.4 | |
| April-----: | 56,769 | 11,315 | 4,724 | 2,551 | 65,533 | 17.3 | 7.2 | |
| May-----: | 44,207 | 6,288 | 286 | 331 | 50,164 | 12.5 | 0.6 | |
| June-----: | 44,465 | 2,522 | 1,608 | 181 | 46,806 | 5.4 | 3.4 | |
| July-----: | 49,623 | 6,791 | 4,741 | 715 | 55,701 | 12.2 | 8.5 | |
| August-----: | 66,460 | 2,759 | 438 | 174 | 69,045 | 4.0 | 0.6 | |
| September-----: | 66,564 | 1,505 | 521 | 509 | 67,560 | 2.2 | 0.8 | |
| October-----: | 56,723 | 7,952 | 1,628 | 194 | 64,481 | 12.3 | 2.5 | |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983-----: | -14.8 | 428.4 | 212.5 | -61.9 | -4.6 | - | - | |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982-----: | 130.8 | -33.8 | -72.9 | -90.0 | 86.0 | - | - | |

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

2/ Reflects revision in producers' shipments data.

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

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

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

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

| Source | 1981 | | 1982 | | 1983 | | Percentage change | | |
|------------------------|---------|---------|--------|--------------|-------|-------|-------------------|----------|----------|
| | | | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | (6) from | (6) from |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (5) | (3) |
| | | | | | | | | (4) | |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 11,858 | 9,953 | 97 | 9,240 | 295 | 287 | 2,631 | -2.7 | 195.9 |
| France----- | 29,269 | 56,554 | 4,138 | 47,562 | 226 | 1,321 | 9,580 | 484.5 | -68.1 |
| Italy----- | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1/ | - | - |
| Netherlands----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - |
| United Kingdom----- | 4,566 | 19,000 | 1,750 | 16,879 | 0 | 0 | 3,526 | - | -100.0 |
| West Germany----- | 66,275 | 62,380 | 21 | 56,198 | 1/ | 20 | 19,260 | - | 2/ |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 111,971 | 147,888 | 6,006 | 129,880 | 521 | 1,628 | 34,998 | 212.5 | -72.9 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - |
| Canada----- | 90,753 | 39,664 | 1,007 | 38,912 | 334 | 1,173 | 13,811 | 251.2 | 16.5 |
| Japan----- | 41,829 | 65,077 | 4,934 | 56,848 | 650 | 4,943 | 29,103 | 660.5 | 0.2 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 851 | 1,492 | 70 | 1,492 | 0 | 206 | 599 | - | 194.3 |
| Spain----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 65 | - | - |
| All other----- | 1,901 | 888 | 0 | 883 | 0 | 2 | 212 | - | -76.0 |
| Total, all sources: | 247,305 | 255,008 | 12,018 | 228,015 | 1,505 | 7,952 | 78,787 | 428.4 | -33.8 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 5,212 | 4,881 | 40 | 4,586 | 117 | 137 | 4,166 | 17.1 | 242.5 |
| France----- | 11,909 | 22,122 | 1,495 | 18,680 | 75 | 425 | 3,294 | 466.7 | -71.6 |
| Italy----- | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | - | - |
| Netherlands----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - |
| United Kingdom----- | 2,216 | 7,774 | 698 | 6,964 | 0 | 0 | 1,109 | - | -100.0 |
| West Germany----- | 27,926 | 28,082 | 25 | 25,792 | 1/ | 9 | 8,376 | - | -64.0 |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 47,265 | 62,859 | 2,258 | 56,022 | 192 | 571 | 13,946 | 197.4 | -74.7 |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - |
| Canada----- | 25,079 | 11,050 | 146 | 10,897 | 92 | 336 | 2,376 | 265.2 | 130.1 |
| Japan----- | 21,698 | 34,835 | 2,698 | 30,556 | 197 | 2,075 | 14,107 | 953.3 | -23.1 |
| Republic of Korea----- | 373 | 623 | 29 | 623 | 0 | 72 | 208 | - | 148.3 |
| Spain----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 29 | - | - |
| All other----- | 701 | 400 | 0 | 387 | 0 | 2 | 79 | - | -79.6 |
| Total, all sources: | 95,115 | 109,766 | 5,130 | 98,484 | 482 | 3,057 | 30,745 | 534.2 | -40.4 |
| Value | | | | | | | | | |

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 by specified periods, 1982 and 1983--Continued

| Source | (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | Percentage change | |
|------------------------|--|-----|-------|-----|--------------|-----|--------------|------|-------|-------|-------------------|--|
| | 1981 | | 1982 | | Year to Oct. | | Year to Sep. | | 1983 | | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 440 | 490 | 410 | 496 | 396 | 479 | 443 | 21.0 | 16.8 | -10.7 | | |
| France----- | 407 | 391 | 361 | 393 | 332 | 322 | 344 | -3.0 | -10.8 | -12.5 | | |
| Italy----- | 598 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Netherlands----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 485 | 409 | 399 | 413 | - | - | 315 | - | - | -23.7 | | |
| West Germany----- | 421 | 450 | 1,201 | 459 | - | 419 | 435 | - | -65.1 | -5.2 | | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 422 | 425 | 376 | 431 | 369 | 351 | 398 | -4.9 | -6.6 | -7.7 | | |
| Brazil----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Canada----- | 276 | 279 | 145 | 280 | 276 | 287 | 172 | 4.0 | 97.9 | -38.6 | | |
| Japan----- | 519 | 535 | 547 | 537 | 303 | 420 | 485 | 38.6 | -23.2 | -9.7 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | 438 | 417 | 410 | 417 | - | 351 | 348 | - | -14.4 | -16.5 | | |
| Spain----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | 447 | - | - | - | | |
| All other----- | 369 | 450 | - | 439 | - | 904 | 372 | - | - | -15.3 | | |
| Total, all sources: | 385 | 430 | 427 | 432 | 320 | 384 | 390 | 20.0 | -10.1 | -9.7 | | |

1/ Negligible.

2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

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

Table 34.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports 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 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Short tons | | | | | | | | |
| 1981----- | 281,941 | 98,718 | 81,499 | | 7,607 | 373,052 | 26.5 | 21.8 |
| 1982----- | 249,975 | 114,863 | 89,950 | | 5,623 | 359,215 | 32.0 | 25.0 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 63,614 | 18,044 | 13,981 | | 1,011 | 80,647 | 22.4 | 17.3 |
| April-June----- | 80,990 | 36,695 | 30,286 | | 1,067 | 116,618 | 31.5 | 26.0 |
| July-September----- | 55,491 | 30,414 | 19,992 | | 929 | 84,976 | 35.8 | 23.5 |
| October-December----- | 49,880 | 29,711 | 25,692 | | 2,617 | 76,974 | 38.6 | 33.4 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January-March----- | 43,637 | 18,903 | 16,560 | | 642 | 61,898 | 30.5 | 26.8 |
| April-June----- | 52,365 | 16,077 | 13,310 | | 239 | 68,203 | 23.6 | 19.5 |
| July-September----- | 82,995 | 15,184 | 12,545 | | 838 | 97,341 | 15.6 | 12.9 |
| 1982: | | | | | | | | |
| October----- | 19,511 | 9,528 | 7,187 | | 2,511 | 26,528 | 35.9 | 27.1 |
| November----- | 15,017 | 12,063 | 10,748 | | 42 | 27,038 | 44.6 | 39.8 |
| December----- | 15,352 | 8,120 | 7,757 | | 64 | 23,408 | 34.7 | 33.1 |
| 1983: | | | | | | | | |
| January----- | 14,741 | 4,132 | 3,827 | | 264 | 18,609 | 22.2 | 20.6 |
| February----- | 9,047 | 5,625 | 4,886 | | 114 | 14,558 | 38.6 | 33.6 |
| March----- | 19,849 | 9,147 | 7,846 | | 263 | 28,733 | 31.8 | 27.3 |
| April----- | 15,288 | 3,808 | 2,727 | | 48 | 19,048 | 20.0 | 14.3 |
| May----- | 14,212 | 5,627 | 4,859 | | 36 | 19,803 | 28.4 | 24.5 |
| June----- | 22,906 | 6,642 | 5,724 | | 155 | 29,393 | 22.6 | 19.5 |
| July----- | 19,112 | 4,488 | 3,371 | | 118 | 23,482 | 19.1 | 14.4 |
| August----- | 33,246 | 3,731 | 3,329 | | 26 | 36,951 | 10.1 | 9.0 |
| September----- | 30,637 | 6,965 | 5,845 | | 694 | 36,908 | 18.9 | 15.8 |
| October----- | 23,093 | 8,990 | 8,067 | | 340 | 31,743 | 28.3 | 25.4 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 1983/Sept. 1983--- | -24.6 | 29.1 | 38.0 | | -51.0 | 14.0 | - | - |
| Oct. 1983/Oct. 1982---- | 18.4 | -5.6 | 12.2 | | -86.5 | 19.7 | - | - |

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

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

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

| (Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------|---------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------------------|-------|-----|-------|
| Source | 1981 | 1982 | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | | |
| | | | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | from | (6) | (6) | (7) | |
| | | | | | | | | | (5) | (3) | (4) | |
| | | | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Quantity | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 24,857 | 29,453 | 2,905 | 18,621 | 2,887 | 2,392 | 16,201 | -17.1 | -17.7 | -13.0 | | |
| France----- | 25,555 | 27,640 | 1,127 | 22,426 | 520 | 3,382 | 14,687 | 550.4 | .200.1 | -34.5 | | |
| Italy----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Netherlands----- | 765 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 17,450 | 16,057 | 2,099 | 14,551 | 1,246 | 1,587 | 10,113 | 27.4 | -24.4 | +30.5 | | |
| West Germany----- | 12,872 | 16,801 | 1,056 | 15,847 | 1,192 | 706 | 9,480 | -40.8 | -33.1 | -40.2 | | |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 81,499 | 89,950 | 7,187 | 71,445 | 5,845 | 8,067 | 50,482 | 38.0 | 12.2 | -29.3 | | |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Canada----- | 16,309 | 23,386 | 2,341 | 22,154 | 1,120 | 923 | 8,657 | -17.6 | -60.6 | -60.9 | | |
| Japan----- | 700 | 1,526 | 0 | 1,081 | 0 | 0 | 15 | - | - | - | 15 | -98.6 |
| 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 | 9,528 | 94,680 | 6,965 | 8,990 | 59,154 | 29.1 | -5.6 | -37.5 | | |
| Value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 10,958 | 13,692 | 1,235 | 8,813 | 1,109 | 833 | 6,556 | -24.9 | -32.6 | -25.6 | | |
| France----- | 10,250 | 11,681 | 458 | 9,445 | 177 | 1,142 | 5,683 | 545.2 | 149.3 | -39.8 | | |
| Italy----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Netherlands----- | 180 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 6,093 | 5,940 | 773 | 5,391 | 397 | 501 | 3,319 | 26.2 | -35.2 | -38.4 | | |
| West Germany----- | 5,434 | 7,987 | 534 | 7,554 | 465 | 292 | 3,626 | -37.2 | -45.3 | -52.0 | | |
| All other----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 32,916 | 39,300 | 3,002 | 31,203 | 2,148 | 2,768 | 19,185 | 28.9 | -7.8 | -38.5 | | |
| Brazil----- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | | |
| Canada----- | 7,213 | 10,839 | 771 | 10,241 | 509 | 419 | 3,920 | -17.7 | -45.7 | -61.7 | | |
| Japan----- | 313 | 671 | 0 | 480 | 0 | 0 | 6 | - | - | - | 15 | -98.8 |
| 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 | 3,773 | 41,924 | 2,658 | 3,187 | 23,111 | 19.9 | -15.5 | -44.9 | | |

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 in dollars per short ton) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------|-----|-----|------|--------------|------|------|--------------|-------|-------------------|------|--|
| Source | 1981 | | | 1982 | | | 1983 | | | Percentage change | | |
| | | | | Oct. | Year to date | Sep. | Oct. | Year to date | from | from | from | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | | |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg-- | 441 | 465 | 425 | 473 | 384 | 348 | 405 | -9.4 | -18.1 | -14.4 | | |
| France----- | 401 | 423 | 407 | 421 | 341 | 338 | 387 | -0.9 | -17.0 | -8.1 | | |
| Italy----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Netherlands----- | 236 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| United Kingdom----- | 349 | 370 | 368 | 370 | 319 | 315 | 328 | -1.3 | -14.4 | -11.4 | | |
| West Germany----- | 422 | 475 | 506 | 477 | 390 | 414 | 382 | 6.2 | -18.2 | -19.9 | | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Subtotal, EC----- | 404 | 437 | 418 | 437 | 367 | 343 | 380 | -6.5 | -17.9 | -13.0 | | |
| Brazil----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Canada----- | 442 | 463 | 329 | 462 | 455 | 454 | 453 | -0.2 | 38.0 | -1.9 | | |
| Japan----- | 447 | 440 | - | 444 | - | - | 404 | - | - | -9.0 | | |
| Republic of Korea----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Spain----- | 335 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| All other----- | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Total, all sources: | 410 | 442 | 396 | 443 | 382 | 355 | 391 | -7.1 | -10.4 | -11.7 | | |

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

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

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

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

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

