

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Exhibit 2b. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Stainless Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	January 2010 Cumulative To Date - Final		January 2009 Cumulative To Date - Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	56,609	214,381	62,401	283,110
Ingots And Steel For Castings	410	1,391	390	1,097
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	4,141	16,360	6,543	22,402
Wire Rods	1,623	4,848	998	3,501
Structural Shapes Heavy	42	172	165	1,056
Plates Cut Lengths	3,684	11,520	4,428	13,529
Plates In Coils	2,141	7,224	809	2,343
Bars - Hot Rolled	1,609	6,837	1,919	9,524
Bars - Light Shaped	524	1,845	493	2,426
Bars - Cold Finished	3,873	16,869	5,389	27,023
Oil Country Goods	3,729	10,139	9,821	40,150
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	793	2,587	86	536
Line Pipe - Not Specified	33	231	462	7,419
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	7,450	55,931	9,989	86,965
Structural Pipe & Tube	(-)	14	(-)	(-)
Wire Drawn	3,222	13,977	2,613	12,729
Sheets Hot Rolled	2,082	4,447	2,115	3,874
Sheets Cold Rolled	17,682	46,590	13,995	38,265
Strip - Hot Rolled	414	1,058	14	55
Strip - Cold Rolled	3,154	12,342	2,175	10,216

NOTE: See the cover report specifically explaining the current month's preliminary steel imports trade data or www.census.gov/foreign-trade/Press-Release/steel_index.html.