

**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	February 2016 Year-to-Date Final		February 2015 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
<b>Total Selected Commodities</b>	<b>137,224</b>	<b>490,989</b>	<b>196,172</b>	<b>759,568</b>
Ingots And Steel For Castings	602	1,942	2,742	8,463
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	11,715	69,195	16,853	45,322
Wire Rods	4,686	12,273	5,888	19,483
Structural Shapes Heavy	444	1,613	520	2,308
Plates Cut Lengths	11,773	30,702	10,202	35,941
Plates In Coils	1,389	3,780	2,764	10,047
Bars - Hot Rolled	3,640	15,636	6,410	29,164
Bars - Light Shaped	2,110	6,574	1,847	6,755
Bars - Cold Finished	13,390	46,468	18,969	87,690
Oil Country Goods	2,833	29,735	6,367	42,722
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	67	397	94	778
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	1,056	6,061	2,736	15,556
Line Pipe - Not Specified	756	4,265	1,001	7,136
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	18,487	98,500	23,903	175,394
Structural Pipe & Tube	873	7,062	66	786
Wire Drawn	7,215	31,764	7,608	38,887
Sheets Hot Rolled	5,231	8,849	3,424	7,542
Sheets Cold Rolled	41,105	84,287	76,262	193,591
Strip - Hot Rolled	539	3,496	213	1,730
Strip - Cold Rolled	9,313	28,392	8,304	30,273

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](http://www.census.gov/foreign-trade/Press-Release/steel_index.html).