

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	June 2005 Cumulative To Date - Final		June 2004 Cumulative To Date - Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
<b>Total Selected Commodities</b>	<b>468,029</b>	<b>1,577,644</b>	<b>412,738</b>	<b>1,090,893</b>
Ingots And Steel For Castings	9,103	22,505	963	1,802
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	78,800	219,389	77,376	161,399
Wire Rods	21,843	60,211	15,192	35,626
Structural Shapes Heavy	825	3,443	1,469	4,437
Plates Cut Lengths	19,939	77,598	15,457	36,692
Plates In Coils	14,988	45,566	19,287	52,685
Bars - Hot Rolled	11,585	45,802	10,829	30,663
Bars - Light Shaped	4,116	13,018	7,313	18,470
Bars - Cold Finished	48,759	186,978	27,592	77,005
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	61,918	318,966	53,037	214,833
Wire Drawn	20,807	91,330	18,411	66,867
Sheets Hot Rolled	4,912	10,206	3,156	6,187
Sheets Cold Rolled	150,073	402,771	144,247	323,971
Strip - Hot Rolled	904	2,508	542	1,277
Strip - Cold Rolled	19,458	77,354	17,867	58,980

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).