

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 2008 Cumulative To Date - Final		June 2007 Cumulative To Date - Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	527,331	2,624,704	607,993	2,916,729
Ingots And Steel For Castings	8,813	31,776	8,860	36,249
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	54,946	253,625	59,398	298,502
Wire Rods	12,313	55,894	13,863	65,379
Structural Shapes Heavy	1,067	5,730	1,779	10,221
Plates Cut Lengths	32,810	165,170	44,522	246,768
Plates In Coils	12,711	60,593	27,628	152,878
Bars - Hot Rolled	16,744	95,855	16,696	86,868
Bars - Light Shaped	4,057	21,718	2,950	14,878
Bars - Cold Finished	42,413	248,589	43,688	234,523
Oil Country Goods	20,324	78,739	40,932	116,314
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	32	192	27	146
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	2,283	16,010	19,124	19,897
Line Pipe - Not Specified	109	700	16,790	15,725
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	64,208	541,005	83,384	576,885
Wire Drawn	20,285	128,292	21,929	136,846
Sheets Hot Rolled	16,594	35,184	7,414	18,805
Sheets Cold Rolled	195,213	769,322	179,115	772,566
Strip - Hot Rolled	1,262	5,999	2,008	8,705
Strip - Cold Rolled	21,147	110,313	17,887	104,575

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.