

**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 2010 Cumulative To Date - Final		February 2009 Cumulative To Date - Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
<b>Total Selected Commodities</b>	<b>111,134</b>	<b>433,633</b>	<b>105,813</b>	<b>461,175</b>
Ingots And Steel For Castings	918	3,036	437	1,297
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	10,217	34,687	13,600	42,824
Wire Rods	3,013	9,307	1,582	5,355
Structural Shapes Heavy	144	618	237	1,464
Plates Cut Lengths	5,875	19,440	6,364	20,653
Plates In Coils	3,603	12,587	1,575	4,360
Bars - Hot Rolled	2,887	12,266	3,069	15,208
Bars - Light Shaped	1,251	4,350	697	3,139
Bars - Cold Finished	8,318	35,670	10,223	50,014
Oil Country Goods	7,857	43,554	15,161	53,913
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	(-)	(-)	1	7
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	825	2,828	369	1,630
Line Pipe - Not Specified	43	327	462	7,419
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	13,630	102,274	16,531	144,420
Structural Pipe & Tube	9	71	(-)	(-)
Wire Drawn	6,061	26,832	4,556	22,519
Sheets Hot Rolled	3,997	8,211	3,451	6,214
Sheets Cold Rolled	36,315	93,901	23,490	61,963
Strip - Hot Rolled	629	1,567	21	71
Strip - Cold Rolled	5,543	22,107	3,986	18,703

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).