

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	August 2011 Cumulative To Date - Final		August 2010 Cumulative To Date - Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	712,185	3,221,202	542,980	2,185,389
Ingots And Steel For Castings	21,894	71,613	11,684	35,639
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	73,850	299,887	56,737	197,152
Wire Rods	15,537	70,286	13,146	46,929
Structural Shapes Heavy	1,390	7,559	1,197	5,854
Plates Cut Lengths	50,954	221,009	32,197	123,755
Plates In Coils	60,035	236,611	16,921	63,146
Bars - Hot Rolled	23,512	128,512	16,547	73,100
Bars - Light Shaped	5,832	26,045	5,161	18,847
Bars - Cold Finished	67,295	360,694	47,110	212,016
Oil Country Goods	20,967	145,119	23,167	136,044
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	89	762	30	276
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	4,673	25,157	1,069	4,404
Line Pipe - Not Specified	647	2,913	109	829
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	77,017	560,515	66,112	445,104
Structural Pipe & Tube	60	518	28	179
Wire Drawn	28,681	170,844	25,958	126,467
Sheets Hot Rolled	26,857	54,161	19,954	42,753
Sheets Cold Rolled	202,547	702,043	177,965	541,787
Strip - Hot Rolled	1,091	2,182	1,133	3,399
Strip - Cold Rolled	29,256	134,772	26,757	107,711

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.