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Preliminary: U.S. Imports for Consumption of Steel Products December 2017

The U.S. Census Bureau announced today that preliminary December steel imports were \$2.1 billion (2.2 million metric tons) compared to the preliminary November totals of \$2.3 billion (2.5 million metric tons).

The December change in steel imports based on metric tonnage reflected decreases primarily in hot dipped sheets & strip. Increases occurred in cold rolled sheets and heavy structural shapes. Decreases occurred primarily with Brazil. Increases occurred primarily with Russia and Indonesia.

The year to date final statistics through November 2017 showed steel imports of 32.2 million metric tons compared with 27.5 million metric tons through November 2016. The largest commodity increases occurred primarily in oil country goods. Decreases occurred primarily in hot rolled sheets, reinforcing bars, and plates cut lengths. The largest country increases occurred primarily with Russia. Decreases occurred primarily with Japan, Turkey, and Belgium.

Notes:

The data in this report are preliminary and subject to revisions.

Analysis of recent months for steel product imports indicates the value of preliminary data should equal about 96 percent of the final value reported in the regular monthly trade statistics report. Preliminary data reported for individual steel categories and at the individual country of origin level have been less consistently predictive of the final data reported in the regular monthly trade statistics. For further details, visit our web site at www.census.gov/trade. On the website, you can access product by country and country by product tables.

The next release is February 26, 2018.

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Exhibit 1. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	2,218,702	2,136,513	2,466,579	2,284,435	2,505,479	2,317,380	2,447,814	1,912,078	2,545,348	1,890,021
Ingots And Steel For Castings	3,785	9,894	4,297	10,991	4,312	11,133	1,985	3,594	2,200	3,822
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	511,789	327,954	532,690	278,397	532,957	279,577	488,763	217,453	607,612	255,919
Wire Rods	76,138	52,293	66,979	49,106	72,784	52,038	92,816	56,451	94,042	54,174
Structural Shapes Heavy	48,684	34,965	32,821	27,005	34,784	29,430	52,474	33,270	53,490	33,830
Steel Piling	8,301	8,185	11,396	11,186	11,396	11,186	10,490	9,330	2,382	2,177
Plates Cut Lengths	47,104	47,719	60,175	54,023	60,216	54,190	43,030	42,296	63,452	50,006
Plates In Coils	92,676	64,576	122,503	90,821	122,503	90,821	111,056	66,204	135,250	74,305
Rails Standard	2,111	2,298	21,463	16,981	21,463	16,981	13,707	9,303	10,753	7,208
Rails All Other	1,140	1,167	2,526	1,929	2,526	1,929	994	867	282	286
Railroad Accessories	328	335	389	402	389	402	581	707	498	481
Bars - Hot Rolled	98,390	102,773	121,979	120,048	130,168	124,664	105,055	90,858	94,877	84,515
Bars - Light Shaped	10,065	8,514	9,677	8,695	9,679	8,698	13,011	9,560	12,576	9,194
Bars - Reinforcing	47,389	27,421	54,707	29,824	54,707	29,824	129,174	49,559	125,968	51,236
Bars - Cold Finished	26,534	63,313	28,141	64,963	28,141	64,963	20,914	44,558	23,088	45,938
Tool Steel	13,950	33,951	10,742	28,630	10,742	28,630	9,978	23,022	9,417	23,217
Standard Pipe	67,905	62,151	73,894	65,954	73,941	65,985	58,300	49,458	62,041	52,099
Oil Country Goods	188,629	233,644	232,428	265,569	250,034	282,479	150,974	139,864	97,127	89,296
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	50,700	53,769	52,621	54,931	52,660	54,967	54,352	50,065	48,704	43,506
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	30,605	36,158	40,061	44,308	40,076	44,372	30,182	27,717	17,206	19,665
Line Pipe - Not Specified	42,024	34,958	55,095	51,266	55,095	51,266	30,434	23,351	16,645	17,962
Mechanical Tubing	46,135	70,473	43,148	62,990	43,172	63,053	38,058	47,675	42,075	55,162
Pressure Tubing	4,178	14,946	6,724	16,247	6,724	16,247	3,514	6,476	2,849	4,386
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	13,186	78,152	11,207	67,616	11,288	68,207	9,711	50,828	11,205	53,070
Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified	1,230	4,262	1,252	4,611	1,252	4,611	1,164	3,744	1,968	5,009
Structural Pipe & Tube	40,616	47,378	42,989	52,572	43,278	52,978	46,438	43,347	49,133	48,704
Pipe For Piling	668	679	7,182	6,317	7,182	6,317	307	368	1,961	1,061
Wire Drawn	56,201	79,437	57,200	80,702	57,374	80,953	62,741	78,563	64,184	76,965
Black Plate	3,511	2,253	5,884	4,384	6,093	4,519	7,162	4,493	4,081	2,718
Tin Plate	71,571	68,775	78,298	75,289	78,298	75,289	85,490	75,354	68,911	61,334
Tin Free Steel	21,056	21,563	15,501	14,429	15,501	14,429	14,437	13,178	20,976	19,165
Sheets Hot Rolled	139,554	90,961	152,899	103,896	152,967	103,958	147,882	82,263	167,636	91,753
Sheets Cold Rolled	186,416	174,713	166,644	168,070	170,080	170,444	202,061	186,196	267,579	221,570
Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped	188,855	171,803	232,716	210,342	232,882	210,494	278,069	230,239	242,675	198,011
Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt	5,261	5,824	9,046	8,569	9,046	8,569	12,437	10,885	14,385	12,390
Sheets & Strip All Oth Met Coat	35,967	36,379	56,946	57,026	57,398	57,396	90,260	77,703	71,244	61,595
Sheets & Strip - Electrical	6,012	10,846	11,784	20,794	11,784	20,794	6,494	9,695	6,296	9,971
Strip - Hot Rolled	12,444	11,778	14,471	12,011	14,471	12,011	6,652	6,320	12,865	10,833
Strip - Cold Rolled	17,597	40,249	18,105	43,540	18,116	43,573	16,665	37,262	17,713	37,486

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.

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Exhibit 1a. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Alloy Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	450,762	506,274	529,821	555,020	539,588	562,209	397,352	380,417	398,689	349,428
Ingots And Steel For Castings	606	1,868	450	1,577	465	1,715	1,113	1,901	1,347	2,095
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	92,117	52,556	115,195	59,004	115,195	59,004	80,899	31,594	134,878	57,547
Wire Rods	8,133	6,900	16,020	12,334	16,020	12,334	18,448	13,794	19,264	12,005
Structural Shapes Heavy	4,705	3,610	4,383	3,984	4,383	3,984	3,502	1,997	4,805	3,222
Plates Cut Lengths	9,464	10,749	8,484	9,163	8,484	9,163	8,338	9,733	5,324	7,860
Plates In Coils	19,892	14,020	35,955	27,572	35,955	27,572	17,255	13,412	13,051	8,613
Rails Standard	1,949	1,994	744	715	744	715	308	255	1,553	1,633
Bars - Hot Rolled	52,089	52,088	61,751	60,216	69,781	64,712	52,046	46,484	46,266	42,603
Bars - Light Shaped	162	166	21	33	21	33	301	204	474	334
Bars - Reinforcing	36	31	79	72	79	72	15	12	86	87
Bars - Cold Finished	5,544	9,781	6,379	10,925	6,379	10,925	4,523	7,900	4,379	7,491
Tool Steel	13,950	33,951	10,742	28,630	10,742	28,630	9,978	23,022	9,417	23,217
Standard Pipe	2,006	3,436	1,479	2,471	1,479	2,471	1,577	2,570	1,085	1,286
Oil Country Goods	97,243	125,131	91,449	117,608	92,809	119,635	62,421	71,745	30,068	37,219
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	17,842	22,703	17,751	19,973	17,790	20,008	10,474	10,565	9,503	9,328
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	757	1,906	410	1,066	411	1,072	2,190	3,001	729	1,047
Line Pipe - Not Specified	330	361	957	1,035	957	1,035	(-)	(-)	104	100
Mechanical Tubing	18,259	33,527	13,517	24,433	13,533	24,474	7,746	13,545	10,710	18,336
Pressure Tubing	1,872	11,048	1,603	7,931	1,603	7,931	994	2,768	539	1,208
Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified	319	2,152	442	2,654	442	2,654	299	1,964	409	2,437
Structural Pipe & Tube	1,826	5,335	3,140	6,762	3,387	7,130	2,825	6,767	2,400	7,680
Pipe For Piling	5	32	102	222	102	222	175	293	48	60
Wire Drawn	8,469	14,567	8,907	15,326	8,966	15,398	9,318	14,243	9,919	13,961
Sheets Hot Rolled	18,093	14,037	25,074	22,218	25,074	22,218	15,739	11,750	14,975	9,940
Sheets Cold Rolled	27,725	26,032	35,679	35,590	35,680	35,595	40,493	39,395	25,096	22,974
Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped	35,260	35,993	48,595	50,099	48,595	50,099	32,854	31,167	36,876	34,808
Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt	2,290	2,304	3,983	3,522	3,983	3,522	2,135	1,771	5,049	4,646
Sheets & Strip - Electrical	6,012	10,846	11,784	20,794	11,784	20,794	6,494	9,695	6,296	9,971
Strip - Hot Rolled	928	2,070	1,751	1,703	1,751	1,703	1,217	1,758	333	1,040

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.

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Exhibit 1b. 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	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	114,070	366,739	86,196	296,372	86,810	298,763	87,848	269,496	85,945	269,907
Ingots And Steel For Castings	2,944	7,781	3,356	8,794	3,356	8,794	645	1,477	667	1,594
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	35,593	84,521	10,561	31,036	10,826	32,209	14,778	44,544	12,597	37,482
Wire Rods	1,200	3,955	1,100	3,823	1,100	3,823	1,080	3,211	1,454	4,331
Structural Shapes Heavy	25	149	60	283	60	283	330	837	107	363
Plates Cut Lengths	5,467	16,357	5,299	14,105	5,306	14,245	5,695	15,766	4,838	13,421
Plates In Coils	1,776	4,569	2,360	6,199	2,360	6,199	2,046	4,605	1,356	3,637
Bars - Hot Rolled	4,936	18,474	4,205	15,928	4,205	15,928	3,625	13,087	3,530	12,760
Bars - Light Shaped	533	1,810	560	2,100	560	2,100	329	1,075	531	1,595
Bars - Cold Finished	10,056	39,739	9,469	37,808	9,469	37,808	7,266	26,238	7,064	24,899
Oil Country Goods	1,455	9,660	601	5,152	709	5,302	526	3,323	238	2,223
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	153	274	48	363	48	363	76	576	101	1,095
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	1,468	4,498	1,784	4,642	1,784	4,642	486	3,845	717	4,814
Line Pipe - Not Specified	15	104	65	465	65	465	820	3,690	552	7,213
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	13,186	78,152	11,207	67,616	11,288	68,207	9,711	50,828	11,205	53,070
Structural Pipe & Tube	35	136	30	227	30	227	143	821	61	746
Wire Drawn	4,303	19,090	4,338	19,662	4,338	19,666	3,426	15,004	4,259	16,499
Sheets Hot Rolled	906	2,086	680	1,549	680	1,557	1,024	1,836	930	1,753
Sheets Cold Rolled	24,027	54,360	22,757	51,169	22,903	51,466	29,732	59,258	30,101	63,767
Strip - Hot Rolled	260	1,834	231	1,690	231	1,690	202	1,053	212	1,568
Strip - Cold Rolled	5,730	19,190	7,487	23,762	7,492	23,789	5,910	18,425	5,425	17,078

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.

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Exhibit 1c. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Carbon (Non-Alloy) Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	1,653,871	1,263,499	1,850,563	1,433,043	1,879,081	1,456,409	1,962,614	1,262,164	2,060,714	1,270,687
Ingots And Steel For Castings	235	245	491	620	491	625	228	216	186	134
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	384,079	190,877	406,934	188,356	406,936	188,364	393,086	141,315	460,137	160,889
Wire Rods	66,804	41,438	49,859	32,949	55,664	35,881	73,287	39,447	73,323	37,838
Structural Shapes Heavy	43,954	31,206	28,379	22,739	30,341	25,164	48,643	30,437	48,578	30,245
Steel Piling	8,301	8,185	11,396	11,186	11,396	11,186	10,490	9,330	2,382	2,177
Plates Cut Lengths	32,173	20,613	46,392	30,756	46,426	30,782	28,997	16,797	53,291	28,724
Plates In Coils	71,008	45,987	84,188	57,051	84,188	57,051	91,755	48,187	120,842	62,055
Rails Standard	161	304	20,719	16,266	20,719	16,266	13,399	9,048	9,200	5,575
Rails All Other	1,140	1,167	2,526	1,929	2,526	1,929	994	867	282	286
Railroad Accessories	328	335	389	402	389	402	581	707	498	481
Bars - Hot Rolled	41,365	32,211	56,023	43,905	56,182	44,023	49,384	31,287	45,082	29,153
Bars - Light Shaped	9,370	6,538	9,097	6,563	9,099	6,565	12,381	8,281	11,571	7,265
Bars - Reinforcing	47,354	27,390	54,628	29,752	54,628	29,752	129,159	49,547	125,882	51,148
Bars - Cold Finished	10,934	13,793	12,293	16,230	12,293	16,230	9,125	10,421	11,646	13,548
Standard Pipe	65,899	58,716	72,415	63,483	72,462	63,514	56,723	46,888	60,955	50,813
Oil Country Goods	89,930	98,853	140,377	142,809	156,515	157,543	88,028	64,796	66,821	49,854
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	32,705	30,792	34,822	34,595	34,822	34,595	43,803	38,924	39,100	33,083
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	28,381	29,754	37,867	38,601	37,881	38,658	27,506	20,872	15,760	13,804
Line Pipe - Not Specified	41,679	34,493	54,072	49,766	54,072	49,766	29,614	19,662	15,988	10,649
Mechanical Tubing	27,875	36,946	29,631	38,556	29,639	38,579	30,311	34,130	31,365	36,826
Pressure Tubing	2,306	3,898	5,121	8,316	5,121	8,316	2,520	3,708	2,310	3,179
Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified	910	2,109	810	1,958	810	1,958	865	1,780	1,560	2,573
Structural Pipe & Tube	38,754	41,907	39,819	45,582	39,861	45,620	43,470	35,759	46,672	40,278
Pipe For Piling	663	647	7,081	6,096	7,081	6,096	132	76	1,913	1,002
Wire Drawn	43,428	45,780	43,955	45,714	44,071	45,889	49,998	49,316	50,005	46,506
Black Plate	3,511	2,253	5,884	4,384	6,093	4,519	7,162	4,493	4,081	2,718
Tin Plate	71,571	68,775	78,298	75,289	78,298	75,289	85,490	75,354	68,911	61,334
Tin Free Steel	21,056	21,563	15,501	14,429	15,501	14,429	14,437	13,178	20,976	19,165
Sheets Hot Rolled	120,555	74,838	127,145	80,130	127,213	80,183	131,119	68,677	151,731	80,061
Sheets Cold Rolled	134,664	94,321	108,209	81,311	111,497	83,383	131,836	87,543	212,381	134,828
Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped	153,595	135,810	184,121	160,243	184,287	160,394	245,215	199,072	205,799	163,202
Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt	2,971	3,520	5,063	5,046	5,063	5,046	10,302	9,115	9,336	7,745
Sheets & Strip All Oth Met Coat	35,967	36,379	56,946	57,026	57,398	57,396	90,260	77,703	71,244	61,595
Strip - Hot Rolled	11,257	7,874	12,490	8,618	12,490	8,618	5,233	3,510	12,320	8,225
Strip - Cold Rolled	8,986	13,981	7,623	12,389	7,628	12,396	7,083	11,723	8,583	13,727

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Exhibit 2. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	32,249,642	26,985,275	27,508,802	20,341,310
Ingots And Steel For Castings	37,571	82,479	28,024	43,640
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	7,215,578	3,654,015	5,544,042	2,403,751
Wire Rods	1,358,192	857,453	1,352,887	745,116
Structural Shapes Heavy	731,321	489,219	742,007	452,530
Steel Piling	92,873	81,666	72,869	72,267
Plates Cut Lengths	704,055	634,423	1,070,966	840,973
Plates In Coils	1,145,918	824,451	1,105,014	616,971
Rails Standard	212,882	161,527	239,451	174,050
Rails All Other	15,908	13,809	61,184	36,483
Railroad Accessories	6,369	6,189	8,378	9,132
Bars - Hot Rolled	1,104,879	1,042,309	970,943	866,075
Bars - Light Shaped	143,316	112,550	154,246	118,804
Bars - Reinforcing	1,373,041	640,059	1,784,542	685,437
Bars - Cold Finished	290,144	647,051	260,364	508,908
Tool Steel	143,311	320,618	128,867	292,524
Standard Pipe	989,007	860,247	699,498	605,437
Oil Country Goods	2,909,471	2,821,600	894,553	982,289
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	852,878	790,281	575,842	553,762
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	432,803	449,145	250,197	269,934
Line Pipe - Not Specified	618,464	519,134	303,342	204,564
Mechanical Tubing	561,353	770,438	429,649	573,088
Pressure Tubing	56,041	126,647	40,586	78,329
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	123,680	718,933	108,662	567,683
Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified	14,132	49,677	19,385	51,892
Structural Pipe & Tube	533,229	580,599	434,917	457,539
Pipe For Piling	38,543	32,015	19,401	12,596
Wire Drawn	720,798	913,151	745,125	869,985
Black Plate	57,056	40,855	92,214	57,859
Tin Plate	782,453	751,402	719,142	650,136
Tin Free Steel	190,795	190,381	179,937	173,170
Sheets Hot Rolled	1,792,191	1,140,670	2,482,965	1,268,685
Sheets Cold Rolled	2,473,635	2,267,663	2,099,535	1,786,860
Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped	2,914,781	2,569,688	2,532,448	1,927,524
Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt	129,242	117,737	135,950	117,110
Sheets & Strip All Oth Met Coat	1,028,725	963,481	847,463	660,946
Sheets & Strip - Electrical	90,536	169,035	53,340	94,906
Strip - Hot Rolled	168,785	137,021	138,672	113,842
Strip - Cold Rolled	195,685	437,659	182,195	396,513

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Not Seasonally Adjusted

Exhibit 2a. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Alloy Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	5,901,279	5,741,797	4,339,264	4,067,913
Ingots And Steel For Castings	13,884	22,845	19,387	25,329
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	1,400,566	713,447	1,197,847	534,269
Wire Rods	184,229	140,365	179,835	131,447
Structural Shapes Heavy	64,561	48,320	47,946	30,844
Plates Cut Lengths	95,700	106,349	128,396	146,105
Plates In Coils	223,123	163,353	178,584	116,897
Rails Standard	20,366	18,274	47,132	36,238
Bars - Hot Rolled	581,118	530,757	493,733	454,555
Bars - Light Shaped	9,349	6,595	6,905	4,717
Bars - Reinforcing	73,738	34,640	1,050	603
Bars - Cold Finished	54,966	95,985	56,447	92,278
Tool Steel	143,311	320,618	128,867	292,524
Standard Pipe	39,761	44,631	17,269	28,036
Oil Country Goods	941,467	1,089,514	391,896	508,063
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	445,269	417,564	44,369	51,184
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	41,529	56,840	17,091	31,744
Line Pipe - Not Specified	13,207	13,934	1,435	1,989
Mechanical Tubing	184,554	305,669	101,637	185,970
Pressure Tubing	16,689	63,276	10,064	27,848
Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified	4,826	24,607	4,759	25,152
Structural Pipe & Tube	35,339	86,544	34,247	63,875
Pipe For Piling	5,895	6,408	2,273	1,954
Wire Drawn	119,647	175,933	132,154	181,191
Sheets Hot Rolled	191,683	155,127	169,002	124,063
Sheets Cold Rolled	364,976	343,842	381,048	367,220
Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped	411,298	413,730	370,019	352,721
Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt	69,808	61,218	73,129	59,340
Sheets & Strip - Electrical	90,536	169,035	53,340	94,906
Strip - Hot Rolled	18,467	22,988	11,877	18,220

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.

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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	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	995,372	3,400,340	839,399	2,823,770
Ingots And Steel For Castings	21,134	56,652	5,993	16,342
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	159,483	486,497	88,661	400,734
Wire Rods	25,079	69,423	21,437	55,460
Structural Shapes Heavy	992	4,799	1,962	6,749
Plates Cut Lengths	59,538	176,400	57,607	153,285
Plates In Coils	20,992	53,861	10,727	28,165
Bars - Hot Rolled	44,769	160,022	31,829	114,319
Bars - Light Shaped	5,264	18,274	8,976	25,730
Bars - Cold Finished	97,928	378,282	77,316	267,057
Oil Country Goods	12,076	74,253	13,561	108,660
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	387	4,246	619	4,909
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	9,701	53,334	6,561	48,063
Line Pipe - Not Specified	4,150	53,707	4,638	37,117
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	123,680	718,933	108,662	567,683
Structural Pipe & Tube	578	3,659	3,744	20,759
Wire Drawn	48,572	205,021	41,080	169,883
Sheets Hot Rolled	11,609	24,105	19,334	35,101
Sheets Cold Rolled	286,789	643,975	274,136	561,977
Strip - Hot Rolled	2,115	14,718	2,914	19,219
Strip - Cold Rolled	60,535	200,179	59,641	182,559

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.

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Exhibit 2c. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Carbon (Non-Alloy) Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	25,352,990	17,843,138	22,330,139	13,449,627
Ingots And Steel For Castings	2,552	2,983	2,643	1,969
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	5,655,528	2,454,071	4,257,534	1,468,749
Wire Rods	1,148,884	647,664	1,151,615	558,210
Structural Shapes Heavy	665,768	436,100	692,098	414,937
Steel Piling	92,873	81,666	72,869	72,267
Plates Cut Lengths	548,816	351,674	884,963	541,584
Plates In Coils	901,803	607,236	915,703	471,909
Rails Standard	192,516	143,253	192,319	137,812
Rails All Other	15,908	13,809	61,184	36,483
Railroad Accessories	6,369	6,189	8,378	9,132
Bars - Hot Rolled	478,992	351,530	445,381	297,201
Bars - Light Shaped	128,704	87,680	138,364	88,356
Bars - Reinforcing	1,299,304	605,418	1,783,492	684,834
Bars - Cold Finished	137,250	172,783	126,601	149,574
Standard Pipe	949,246	815,616	682,230	577,401
Oil Country Goods	1,955,928	1,657,834	489,096	365,566
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	407,222	368,471	530,853	497,670
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	381,573	338,972	226,545	190,126
Line Pipe - Not Specified	601,107	451,493	297,269	165,458
Mechanical Tubing	376,799	464,768	328,013	387,118
Pressure Tubing	39,352	63,370	30,521	50,481
Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified	9,306	25,070	14,626	26,740
Structural Pipe & Tube	497,311	490,397	396,926	372,905
Pipe For Piling	32,649	25,606	17,127	10,641
Wire Drawn	552,579	532,197	571,890	518,911
Black Plate	57,056	40,855	92,214	57,859
Tin Plate	782,453	751,402	719,142	650,136
Tin Free Steel	190,795	190,381	179,937	173,170
Sheets Hot Rolled	1,588,899	961,438	2,294,628	1,109,521
Sheets Cold Rolled	1,821,870	1,279,846	1,444,351	857,663
Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped	2,503,483	2,155,958	2,162,430	1,574,803
Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt	59,434	56,518	62,821	57,769
Sheets & Strip All Oth Met Coat	1,028,725	963,481	847,463	660,946
Strip - Hot Rolled	148,203	99,315	123,880	76,404
Strip - Cold Rolled	93,731	148,095	85,030	135,323

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Exhibit 3. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Countries and Areas	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	2,218,702	2,136,513	2,466,579	2,284,435	2,505,479	2,317,380	2,447,814	1,912,078	2,545,348	1,890,021
North America	668,668	587,045	735,475	665,575	735,499	665,618	619,843	479,705	721,256	541,067
Canada	448,072	395,099	496,963	454,242	496,987	454,285	393,996	315,379	449,007	358,635
Mexico	220,596	191,946	238,512	211,333	238,512	211,333	225,848	164,326	272,249	182,432
Europe	616,367	679,842	662,102	727,966	685,238	747,277	715,750	625,379	739,968	596,785
European Union	384,051	536,628	504,992	615,950	513,604	622,394	400,800	479,375	366,967	428,717
Austria	23,855	41,171	33,705	53,408	33,705	53,408	14,781	22,294	9,646	19,584
Belgium	9,327	13,896	20,135	21,509	20,135	21,509	20,689	22,678	24,802	22,955
Czech Republic	6,521	11,220	10,353	16,924	10,353	16,924	5,017	6,883	10,885	9,864
Finland	6,869	8,604	8,605	10,611	8,605	10,611	5,037	6,025	6,544	7,877
France	24,247	39,112	31,982	49,992	31,989	50,137	29,436	39,521	26,305	37,235
Germany	107,587	155,740	131,145	165,293	131,410	166,465	85,288	123,624	83,780	114,047
Italy	37,252	62,946	35,617	63,637	35,635	63,673	35,754	50,431	48,164	55,739
Netherlands	45,254	36,034	100,016	79,581	100,036	79,625	76,346	61,449	56,854	42,692
Poland	181	283	319	483	319	483	310	462	393	641
Spain	29,494	36,854	40,226	28,730	40,231	28,757	21,128	17,054	27,070	22,499
Sweden	29,871	51,269	23,256	39,730	23,271	39,867	25,634	38,822	25,674	38,607
United Kingdom	22,883	35,002	32,027	41,691	32,027	41,691	27,985	40,799	19,143	30,577
Other EU	40,711	44,498	37,607	44,361	45,887	49,243	53,395	49,334	27,707	26,400
Norway	531	945	6	280	6	280	114	404	1,327	1,795
Russia	168,301	93,617	81,096	46,669	95,326	58,973	156,321	64,095	192,066	68,048
Switzerland	797	2,707	1,081	3,168	1,228	3,433	1,553	4,371	1,449	4,216
Turkey	52,565	35,258	60,325	46,253	60,472	46,551	140,427	66,970	167,450	87,720
Ukraine	7,167	7,495	10,276	11,461	10,276	11,461	15,173	9,085	4,596	3,255
Other Europe	2,956	3,191	4,326	4,184	4,326	4,184	1,362	1,079	6,113	3,034
Euro Area	318,018	428,196	433,453	509,754	433,773	511,190	337,260	386,225	304,722	343,539
Pacific Rim Countries	431,117	487,208	459,773	482,978	466,089	489,949	602,867	519,313	538,185	454,508
Australia	22,439	14,773	17,209	13,552	19,994	15,304	19,307	12,221	26,415	17,757
China	51,056	76,957	56,309	80,511	56,527	80,705	57,991	66,917	53,080	63,148
Hong Kong	64	207	685	562	685	562	53	83	(-)	11
Indonesia	21,867	38,225	993	2,044	1,031	2,149	1,850	2,897	2,644	4,364
Japan	109,975	123,007	133,774	136,882	133,790	137,487	140,432	113,303	125,099	102,123
Korea	174,060	164,319	190,596	173,581	193,855	177,894	244,925	188,517	246,840	176,799
Singapore	40	104	56	223	56	223	312	692	117	511
Taiwan	36,969	57,998	49,900	66,142	49,900	66,142	133,381	129,102	77,946	82,993
Other Pacific Rim	14,647	11,618	10,251	9,481	10,251	9,481	4,617	5,582	6,044	6,803
South/Central America	357,851	236,697	475,706	270,755	475,925	271,004	356,525	161,589	357,684	152,595
Argentina	19,548	21,906	13,425	16,750	13,425	16,750	25,847	23,311	7,984	5,284
Brazil	321,762	200,894	454,130	245,898	454,130	245,898	324,619	133,479	342,129	141,397
Chile	(-)	(-)	18	17	18	17	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Colombia	3,646	3,633	2,107	2,752	2,121	2,810	571	561	1,797	1,203
Venezuela	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Other S/C A	12,895	10,265	6,026	5,338	6,231	5,529	5,489	4,238	5,774	4,711
Other Countries	144,699	145,721	133,523	137,161	142,728	143,532	152,828	126,092	188,256	145,067
India	23,207	28,350	16,029	28,339	16,029	28,339	27,385	27,249	24,521	30,897
South Africa	15,815	16,943	21,207	19,368	23,212	21,242	28,961	26,764	6,488	7,440
Thailand	35,750	31,188	26,592	21,518	26,701	21,676	10,116	7,198	32,306	26,062
Other	69,928	69,240	69,695	67,936	76,785	72,275	86,367	64,882	124,941	80,668

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Exhibit 3a. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Alloy Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Countries and Areas	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	450,762	506,274	529,821	555,020	539,588	562,209	397,352	380,417	398,689	349,428
North America	123,617	138,610	151,399	164,779	151,399	164,779	107,298	101,783	114,771	102,715
Canada	88,508	88,474	106,126	104,062	106,126	104,062	75,178	63,627	76,507	64,149
Mexico	35,109	50,136	45,273	60,717	45,273	60,717	32,120	38,156	38,264	38,566
Europe	136,176	172,303	162,004	187,762	170,476	193,098	124,825	143,152	110,654	124,393
European Union	128,291	164,173	147,861	175,384	156,186	180,455	105,500	128,985	102,835	118,159
Austria	8,996	15,119	12,310	19,348	12,310	19,348	3,612	7,700	3,190	7,676
Belgium	2,899	3,372	2,763	2,825	2,763	2,825	4,542	5,385	2,401	2,518
Czech Republic	4,417	4,367	3,023	3,517	3,023	3,517	304	429	7,915	6,939
Finland	3,855	5,179	4,413	5,206	4,413	5,206	2,904	3,777	3,648	5,094
France	4,361	7,176	11,617	16,371	11,617	16,371	8,201	12,831	4,813	7,673
Germany	41,742	53,370	38,301	48,428	38,301	48,428	22,942	31,382	21,247	28,808
Italy	8,792	13,473	12,468	13,105	12,486	13,141	3,374	3,741	8,537	5,810
Netherlands	7,633	5,765	26,782	20,110	26,795	20,132	17,270	13,084	11,748	8,423
Poland	26	54	52	124	52	124	103	169	58	111
Spain	8,640	10,494	1,593	2,285	1,593	2,285	4,420	3,844	8,548	7,269
Sweden	21,744	24,807	16,979	19,769	16,995	19,907	17,332	20,185	19,205	22,139
United Kingdom	9,499	11,783	13,224	17,156	13,224	17,156	17,304	21,006	8,129	11,571
Other EU	5,687	9,215	4,337	7,141	12,615	12,017	3,190	5,453	3,394	4,129
Norway	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	6	(-)	8
Russia	3,539	2,894	8,087	5,192	8,087	5,192	15,851	10,404	6,629	3,789
Switzerland	146	564	300	1,036	447	1,302	560	1,706	782	1,674
Turkey	3,170	2,849	2,213	2,009	2,213	2,009	1,652	729	88	134
Ukraine	1,030	1,824	643	1,614	643	1,614	239	471	320	621
Other Europe	(-)	(-)	2,899	2,526	2,899	2,526	1,022	850	1	8
Euro Area	90,411	118,977	113,065	132,109	113,097	132,171	69,318	84,985	66,348	76,372
Pacific Rim Countries	62,570	91,062	79,687	104,014	80,982	105,866	68,920	82,680	52,769	68,079
Australia	1,173	720	35	51	35	51	19	41	174	386
China	15,452	23,696	19,881	28,888	19,940	28,965	16,869	21,147	13,985	16,939
Hong Kong	12	51	1	5	1	5	7	44	(-)	4
Indonesia	99	376	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	113	397	1	5
Japan	36,866	52,273	45,063	55,134	45,063	55,134	34,234	40,239	26,007	35,319
Korea	7,491	9,704	13,129	15,162	14,366	16,938	15,338	15,409	9,813	10,033
Singapore	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	11	98	448
Taiwan	1,479	4,237	1,529	4,714	1,529	4,714	1,980	5,132	2,098	4,522
Other Pacific Rim	(-)	3	49	60	49	60	361	260	594	424
South/Central America	118,055	86,576	129,187	85,710	129,187	85,710	92,714	49,392	116,022	50,090
Argentina	18,017	19,922	12,338	15,471	12,338	15,471	18,555	19,019	998	1,229
Brazil	96,904	63,757	115,039	68,037	115,039	68,037	73,941	30,078	114,982	48,827
Chile	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Colombia	3,049	2,781	1,702	2,060	1,702	2,060	172	252	(-)	(-)
Venezuela	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Other S/C A	84	116	107	142	107	142	46	43	41	34
Other Countries	10,344	17,723	7,544	12,756	7,544	12,756	3,595	3,411	4,474	4,151
India	403	617	1,247	1,677	1,247	1,677	959	1,053	388	576
South Africa	61	109	3	8	3	8	39	63	20	37
Thailand	8,273	7,411	3,567	3,102	3,567	3,102	435	280	224	486
Other	1,607	9,585	2,726	7,970	2,726	7,970	2,162	2,014	3,842	3,052

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Exhibit 3b. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Stainless Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Countries and Areas	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	114,070	366,739	86,196	296,372	86,810	298,763	87,848	269,496	85,945	269,907
North America	9,549	29,266	10,876	34,529	10,876	34,537	8,681	23,854	8,987	26,060
Canada	3,288	16,916	4,062	20,787	4,062	20,795	2,136	12,825	2,727	15,292
Mexico	6,262	12,350	6,814	13,742	6,814	13,742	6,544	11,029	6,260	10,768
Europe	45,660	174,971	42,472	155,004	42,897	156,645	41,814	139,746	39,025	135,035
European Union	44,213	170,177	41,057	150,269	41,335	151,613	40,469	133,585	36,393	126,248
Austria	1,893	7,566	1,859	7,026	1,859	7,026	467	2,467	551	5,242
Belgium	1,661	5,263	2,041	6,227	2,041	6,227	2,538	7,074	1,863	5,757
Czech Republic	212	5,047	305	6,451	305	6,451	173	2,914	86	1,290
Finland	499	1,495	1,593	3,482	1,593	3,482	356	1,027	367	1,198
France	7,225	20,370	7,582	21,877	7,589	22,018	5,579	14,081	6,367	16,835
Germany	9,116	42,206	6,057	28,219	6,323	29,392	8,858	38,887	7,009	31,971
Italy	7,907	30,814	10,344	37,721	10,344	37,721	10,265	30,053	9,920	30,010
Netherlands	38	375	23	191	23	191	13	176	38	207
Poland	1	5	6	29	6	29	6	29	10	42
Spain	1,918	10,463	2,236	5,067	2,241	5,094	2,230	5,098	1,236	3,895
Sweden	6,057	23,716	4,187	17,278	4,187	17,278	3,416	13,133	3,394	13,060
United Kingdom	5,455	14,525	3,152	9,843	3,152	9,843	4,890	12,568	4,159	11,662
Other EU	2,229	8,333	1,672	6,857	1,672	6,861	1,676	6,078	1,394	5,080
Norway	531	937	6	280	6	280	90	356	1,327	1,787
Russia	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Switzerland	168	1,332	154	1,068	154	1,068	137	1,366	164	1,439
Turkey	(-)	(-)	137	445	284	742	775	3,323	881	4,578
Ukraine	552	2,237	354	1,876	354	1,876	343	1,117	260	984
Other Europe	196	288	764	1,066	764	1,066	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Euro Area	32,253	125,778	33,267	115,995	33,545	117,339	31,848	104,236	28,603	99,613
Pacific Rim Countries	45,528	128,231	20,538	75,693	20,576	75,799	25,099	79,883	27,264	80,344
Australia	6	27	23	98	23	98	2	15	18	193
China	6,031	21,335	4,682	18,412	4,682	18,412	3,018	12,173	3,405	12,121
Hong Kong	52	155	2	52	2	52	(-)	10	(-)	7
Indonesia	19,792	35,885	718	1,771	756	1,877	764	1,711	1,742	3,494
Japan	3,369	18,274	1,956	12,916	1,956	12,916	2,861	12,452	2,571	12,096
Korea	5,181	18,992	3,852	14,161	3,852	14,161	6,467	19,473	6,644	18,721
Singapore	20	88	54	214	54	214	90	415	19	63
Taiwan	10,862	32,355	8,860	26,328	8,860	26,328	10,915	31,015	11,734	30,829
Other Pacific Rim	214	1,120	392	1,743	392	1,743	982	2,619	1,130	2,820
South/Central America	1,765	4,788	1,148	2,432	1,148	2,435	1,729	3,459	1,457	2,669
Argentina	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Brazil	1,764	4,741	1,147	2,349	1,147	2,349	1,724	3,214	1,446	2,353
Chile	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Colombia	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Venezuela	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Other S/C A	1	47	1	83	1	86	6	244	10	316
Other Countries	11,567	29,484	11,162	28,714	11,313	29,346	10,526	22,554	9,213	25,798
India	5,025	13,871	5,613	17,339	5,613	17,339	4,305	10,326	4,702	12,241
South Africa	2,214	4,683	2,425	3,997	2,425	3,997	2,492	5,008	1,633	3,458
Thailand	514	947	338	797	445	947	133	275	302	4,957
Other	3,814	9,982	2,787	6,581	2,830	7,063	3,594	6,946	2,575	5,142

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.

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Exhibit 3c. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Carbon (Non-Alloy) Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Countries and Areas	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	1,653,871	1,263,499	1,850,563	1,433,043	1,879,081	1,456,409	1,962,614	1,262,164	2,060,714	1,270,687
North America	535,502	419,170	573,200	466,267	573,224	466,302	503,865	354,068	597,498	412,292
Canada	356,276	289,709	386,776	329,393	386,800	329,428	316,681	238,927	369,773	279,194
Mexico	179,225	129,460	186,424	136,874	186,424	136,874	187,183	115,141	227,725	133,097
Europe	434,531	332,567	457,625	385,201	471,865	397,534	549,112	342,481	590,289	337,357
European Union	211,548	202,279	316,074	290,297	316,083	290,326	254,831	216,805	227,740	184,310
Austria	12,966	18,486	19,536	27,034	19,536	27,034	10,701	12,128	5,905	6,666
Belgium	4,767	5,261	15,330	12,457	15,330	12,457	13,608	10,219	20,538	14,679
Czech Republic	1,891	1,805	7,025	6,956	7,025	6,956	4,540	3,540	2,883	1,634
Finland	2,514	1,930	2,599	1,922	2,599	1,922	1,776	1,221	2,528	1,585
France	12,661	11,567	12,783	11,744	12,783	11,749	15,656	12,609	15,125	12,728
Germany	56,729	60,164	86,786	88,646	86,786	88,646	53,487	53,355	55,523	53,268
Italy	20,552	18,659	12,806	12,811	12,806	12,811	22,115	16,637	29,707	19,918
Netherlands	37,584	29,895	73,210	59,280	73,217	59,302	59,063	48,188	45,068	34,063
Poland	154	224	261	330	261	330	201	263	326	489
Spain	18,935	15,897	36,398	21,378	36,398	21,378	14,477	8,112	17,287	11,336
Sweden	2,071	2,746	2,089	2,682	2,089	2,682	4,886	5,504	3,075	3,408
United Kingdom	7,928	8,694	15,651	14,693	15,651	14,693	5,791	7,225	6,855	7,344
Other EU	32,795	26,950	31,599	30,363	31,601	30,365	48,529	37,803	22,920	17,191
Norway	(-)	8	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	24	42	(-)	(-)
Russia	164,762	90,724	73,009	41,478	87,239	53,782	140,470	53,691	185,437	64,260
Switzerland	482	812	627	1,064	627	1,064	856	1,299	504	1,103
Turkey	49,394	32,409	57,975	43,800	57,975	43,800	138,001	62,918	166,481	83,008
Ukraine	5,585	3,434	9,279	7,971	9,279	7,971	14,591	7,497	4,016	1,650
Other Europe	2,760	2,903	662	592	662	592	340	229	6,112	3,026
Euro Area	195,354	183,442	287,121	261,650	287,130	261,680	236,094	197,004	209,772	167,555
Pacific Rim Countries	323,019	267,915	359,549	303,271	364,531	308,284	508,849	356,751	458,152	306,084
Australia	21,260	14,025	17,151	13,404	19,936	15,156	19,285	12,165	26,224	17,178
China	29,573	31,926	31,745	33,211	31,905	33,329	38,104	33,596	35,690	34,088
Hong Kong	(-)	(-)	683	505	683	505	45	28	(-)	(-)
Indonesia	1,976	1,964	275	272	275	272	973	790	901	865
Japan	69,740	52,459	86,755	68,832	86,771	69,437	103,338	60,611	96,520	54,708
Korea	161,388	135,624	173,615	144,259	175,637	146,796	223,120	153,635	230,383	148,044
Singapore	20	16	2	9	2	9	222	265	(-)	(-)
Taiwan	24,628	21,406	39,512	35,100	39,512	35,100	120,486	92,956	64,113	47,642
Other Pacific Rim	14,433	10,495	9,811	7,679	9,811	7,679	3,275	2,703	4,320	3,558
South/Central America	238,031	145,333	345,371	182,613	345,590	182,858	262,082	108,738	240,205	99,836
Argentina	1,530	1,983	1,087	1,278	1,087	1,278	7,292	4,292	6,986	4,054
Brazil	223,094	132,396	337,944	175,512	337,944	175,512	248,953	100,186	225,700	90,217
Chile	(-)	(-)	18	17	18	17	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Colombia	597	851	404	692	418	749	399	309	1,797	1,203
Venezuela	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Other S/C A	12,810	10,102	5,918	5,114	6,123	5,301	5,438	3,951	5,722	4,361
Other Countries	122,788	98,514	114,817	95,691	123,871	101,430	138,708	100,127	174,569	115,118
India	17,779	13,862	9,169	9,323	9,169	9,323	22,120	15,870	19,431	18,080
South Africa	13,539	12,151	18,779	15,363	20,784	17,237	26,429	21,693	4,835	3,945
Thailand	26,963	22,830	22,687	17,619	22,689	17,627	9,548	6,642	31,780	20,619
Other	64,506	49,672	64,182	53,386	71,229	57,242	80,611	55,922	118,524	72,474

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.

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Exhibit 4. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

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Countries and Areas	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	32,249,642	26,985,275	27,508,802	20,341,310
North America	8,162,265	7,034,125	7,222,599	5,534,214
Canada	5,227,743	4,724,845	4,725,214	3,736,096
Mexico	2,934,521	2,309,281	2,497,385	1,798,117
Europe	9,614,077	8,490,470	7,915,871	6,493,783
European Union	4,627,444	5,696,561	3,877,504	4,694,915
Austria	243,600	383,359	153,793	238,626
Belgium	120,701	160,944	172,389	180,384
Czech Republic	117,658	134,365	80,483	122,317
Finland	60,420	83,693	42,872	53,840
France	247,726	409,956	294,680	404,086
Germany	1,271,391	1,671,621	1,024,812	1,430,915
Italy	462,366	662,214	368,521	508,545
Netherlands	591,565	475,775	588,041	439,150
Poland	8,736	9,809	5,161	6,212
Spain	373,819	329,378	271,738	203,509
Sweden	271,756	441,895	255,340	392,623
United Kingdom	325,701	425,569	300,897	372,509
Other EU	532,003	507,984	318,776	342,197
Norway	10,801	32,470	8,964	13,155
Russia	2,698,394	1,337,656	1,714,058	607,769
Switzerland	15,738	46,625	14,167	45,908
Turkey	1,925,249	1,147,690	2,051,119	1,012,965
Ukraine	233,563	162,527	179,612	91,293
Other Europe	102,888	66,941	70,447	27,777
Euro Area	3,810,880	4,562,045	3,189,393	3,731,044
Pacific Rim Countries	7,094,717	6,636,824	6,977,421	5,549,289
Australia	253,365	183,574	275,831	132,949
China	688,793	898,685	731,142	839,340
Hong Kong	1,201	1,621	7,014	4,154
Indonesia	23,858	41,459	12,899	22,668
Japan	1,617,332	1,531,069	1,807,488	1,524,050
Korea	3,227,345	2,621,445	3,213,461	2,145,096
Singapore	432	1,485	2,659	3,789
Taiwan	1,091,387	1,203,029	849,864	821,092
Other Pacific Rim	191,005	154,457	77,062	56,152
South/Central America	4,734,162	2,585,184	3,784,158	1,640,228
Argentina	191,918	201,232	55,062	51,396
Brazil	4,343,663	2,241,569	3,634,743	1,527,614
Chile	5,094	4,847	115	144
Colombia	39,746	34,599	16,788	13,124
Venezuela	4,001	1,502	7,507	4,225
Other S/C A	149,740	101,435	69,942	43,725
Other Countries	2,644,420	2,238,672	1,608,753	1,123,796
India	719,788	703,997	291,032	326,684
South Africa	314,927	261,600	171,077	126,536
Thailand	374,525	323,747	130,225	86,399
Other	1,235,180	949,327	1,016,418	584,176

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.

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Exhibit 4a. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Alloy Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

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Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Countries and Areas	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	5,901,279	5,741,797	4,339,264	4,067,913
North America	1,580,890	1,600,754	1,181,790	1,040,889
Canada	1,046,177	998,827	807,303	653,602
Mexico	534,713	601,928	374,486	387,288
Europe	1,596,906	1,820,212	1,203,616	1,449,510
European Union	1,333,715	1,602,451	1,096,068	1,346,430
Austria	91,338	149,370	76,502	126,655
Belgium	24,027	27,059	29,708	33,671
Czech Republic	28,115	28,735	22,245	22,937
Finland	32,729	46,552	19,857	29,579
France	70,059	108,750	47,585	87,626
Germany	371,991	453,696	315,504	400,262
Italy	121,796	130,231	68,623	88,631
Netherlands	139,306	104,296	114,943	81,847
Poland	2,285	3,374	278	632
Spain	78,433	85,062	49,736	43,886
Sweden	189,436	216,093	185,131	215,926
United Kingdom	112,399	153,494	130,477	156,634
Other EU	71,802	95,738	35,480	58,144
Norway	1,259	7,657	15	1,439
Russia	117,864	95,973	69,313	47,225
Switzerland	5,689	18,033	7,974	21,968
Turkey	110,569	67,459	18,705	19,776
Ukraine	15,761	16,106	11,040	12,113
Other Europe	12,048	12,534	501	559
Euro Area	963,189	1,147,246	743,194	922,879
Pacific Rim Countries	874,002	1,090,583	859,561	1,032,072
Australia	121	275	709	1,989
China	205,345	279,950	188,024	212,443
Hong Kong	75	380	50	125
Indonesia	542	2,432	1,159	3,287
Japan	464,101	558,382	463,749	568,249
Korea	168,096	186,855	174,416	182,422
Singapore	4	36	200	847
Taiwan	26,768	55,705	28,975	61,225
Other Pacific Rim	8,950	6,568	2,279	1,486
South/Central America	1,434,681	850,260	1,049,898	498,233
Argentina	179,531	188,885	33,233	37,547
Brazil	1,243,403	650,341	1,008,968	454,288
Chile	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Colombia	10,819	10,228	7,349	5,973
Venezuela	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Other S/C A	927	805	348	425
Other Countries	414,801	379,987	44,401	47,209
India	312,941	267,993	14,430	16,706
South Africa	1,789	1,904	1,366	2,085
Thailand	47,172	37,631	5,923	6,685
Other	52,899	72,460	22,682	21,732

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.

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Exhibit 4b. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Stainless Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown.

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Countries and Areas	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	995,372	3,400,340	839,399	2,823,770
North America	114,858	350,277	99,194	321,290
Canada	40,935	209,720	29,473	172,777
Mexico	73,923	140,556	69,721	148,513
Europe	460,979	1,693,058	335,428	1,364,413
European Union	436,170	1,615,916	315,948	1,284,924
Austria	11,729	69,160	4,045	29,318
Belgium	22,778	67,261	23,282	65,857
Czech Republic	2,268	38,027	3,119	57,606
Finland	8,739	22,877	5,059	13,247
France	62,972	188,961	55,892	159,495
Germany	107,488	443,951	40,460	372,687
Italy	90,619	332,087	77,539	248,552
Netherlands	228	4,277	165	1,677
Poland	27	156	70	251
Spain	17,444	57,232	14,203	35,995
Sweden	47,454	187,734	36,588	137,932
United Kingdom	43,345	122,759	40,517	108,389
Other EU	21,081	81,434	15,010	53,919
Norway	9,503	15,888	8,944	11,450
Russia	880	593	25	124
Switzerland	1,718	15,127	1,974	14,809
Turkey	3,798	22,280	6,512	44,540
Ukraine	3,800	16,738	2,025	8,563
Other Europe	5,110	6,516	1	3
Euro Area	339,686	1,252,096	233,401	972,196
Pacific Rim Countries	277,487	978,819	273,857	853,988
Australia	182	1,745	314	3,139
China	48,557	200,848	69,477	208,031
Hong Kong	133	442	107	317
Indonesia	13,340	30,325	6,850	15,106
Japan	34,367	183,413	32,891	161,307
Korea	52,465	180,649	53,231	175,881
Singapore	284	1,171	350	1,280
Taiwan	122,945	362,795	106,351	275,596
Other Pacific Rim	5,213	17,431	4,286	13,331
South/Central America	16,934	35,093	21,888	38,702
Argentina	(-)	(-)	75	99
Brazil	16,852	33,034	21,626	36,506
Chile	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Colombia	6	209	(-)	3
Venezuela	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Other S/C A	76	1,851	187	2,094
Other Countries	125,115	343,092	109,031	245,377
India	61,267	174,112	59,524	151,026
South Africa	17,612	36,045	17,633	33,038
Thailand	9,612	54,263	6,213	13,117
Other	36,625	78,672	25,661	48,197

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Exhibit 4c. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Carbon (Non-Alloy) Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas

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Countries and Areas	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Census Basis	25,352,990	17,843,138	22,330,139	13,449,627
North America	6,466,517	5,083,094	5,941,616	4,172,034
Canada	4,140,631	3,516,298	3,888,437	2,909,718
Mexico	2,325,886	1,566,796	2,053,179	1,262,317
Europe	7,556,193	4,977,200	6,376,827	3,679,860
European Union	2,857,558	2,478,194	2,465,488	2,063,561
Austria	140,533	164,828	73,247	82,654
Belgium	73,896	66,623	119,399	80,856
Czech Republic	87,275	67,603	55,119	41,774
Finland	18,953	14,264	17,955	11,013
France	114,695	112,244	191,204	156,966
Germany	791,913	773,973	668,848	657,966
Italy	249,951	199,897	222,360	171,362
Netherlands	452,032	367,202	472,933	355,627
Poland	6,425	6,279	4,814	5,329
Spain	277,943	187,084	207,799	123,628
Sweden	34,866	38,068	33,622	38,764
United Kingdom	169,957	149,316	129,903	107,486
Other EU	439,120	330,812	268,287	230,135
Norway	39	8,925	6	267
Russia	2,579,651	1,241,091	1,644,721	560,420
Switzerland	8,330	13,465	4,220	9,132
Turkey	1,810,882	1,057,951	2,025,902	948,649
Ukraine	214,002	129,683	166,547	70,617
Other Europe	85,731	47,891	69,945	27,214
Euro Area	2,508,005	2,162,702	2,212,798	1,835,969
Pacific Rim Countries	5,943,229	4,567,421	5,844,003	3,663,229
Australia	253,062	181,554	274,808	127,822
China	434,891	417,887	473,641	418,865
Hong Kong	993	799	6,857	3,712
Indonesia	9,975	8,702	4,890	4,275
Japan	1,118,863	789,273	1,310,848	794,494
Korea	3,006,784	2,253,940	2,985,814	1,786,792
Singapore	145	278	2,110	1,662
Taiwan	941,674	784,529	714,538	484,271
Other Pacific Rim	176,842	130,458	70,497	41,336
South/Central America	3,282,547	1,699,831	2,712,372	1,103,294
Argentina	12,386	12,347	21,755	13,750
Brazil	3,083,408	1,558,194	2,604,149	1,036,820
Chile	5,094	4,847	115	144
Colombia	28,921	24,163	9,439	7,148
Venezuela	4,001	1,502	7,507	4,225
Other S/C A	148,737	98,779	69,407	41,206
Other Countries	2,104,504	1,515,592	1,455,321	831,210
India	345,579	261,892	217,078	158,952
South Africa	295,527	223,651	152,078	91,413
Thailand	317,741	231,853	118,088	66,598
Other	1,145,657	798,196	968,076	514,247

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Exhibit 5. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Monitored Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	1,637,020	1,392,722	1,845,110	1,538,650	1,859,646	1,548,707	1,960,550	1,389,563	2,134,562	1,443,047
Carbon/Alloy Products										
Flat-rolled Products	1,235,137	867,929	1,393,301	978,562	1,397,524	981,382	1,438,262	900,940	1,612,389	948,689
Flat-rolled -- Slab	449,908	228,006	494,662	229,591	494,662	229,591	464,208	166,078	565,310	205,321
Flat-rolled -- Plate	41,874	31,590	54,942	40,017	54,976	40,043	37,382	26,608	58,673	36,719
Flat-rolled -- Hot-Roll	241,495	158,598	286,536	197,193	286,604	197,246	262,271	147,216	313,194	169,799
Flat-rolled -- Cold-Roll	161,994	123,480	138,807	114,758	142,310	116,972	166,795	122,136	241,339	164,932
Flat-rolled -- Coated	247,240	235,916	324,554	307,285	325,172	307,812	407,680	350,371	343,986	291,419
Flat-rolled -- Tin Mill	92,627	90,338	93,799	89,718	93,799	89,718	99,927	88,532	89,887	80,499
Hot-rolled Bar	106,202	99,108	129,296	118,616	139,450	125,659	158,332	123,607	147,885	114,732
Cold Finished Bar	16,405	23,799	18,594	27,202	18,594	27,202	13,823	18,762	16,345	21,299
Rebar	47,389	27,421	54,707	29,824	54,707	29,824	129,174	49,559	125,968	51,236
Welded Pipe	176,698	184,396	197,934	206,488	198,073	206,631	183,277	165,624	187,971	169,422
Fittings and Flanges	33,052	103,232	29,945	92,358	29,964	92,381	20,782	68,825	26,013	73,993
Stainless Steel Products										
Bar	15,430	59,534	14,664	57,278	14,665	57,303	11,708	42,131	11,204	40,509
Rod	2,405	8,214	2,331	8,659	2,331	8,659	1,765	5,111	2,527	6,669
Wire	4,303	19,090	4,338	19,662	4,338	19,666	3,426	15,004	4,259	16,499

Commodity Grouping	November 2017 Year-to-Date Final		November 2016 Year-to-Date Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	24,425,476	18,718,053	22,379,362	15,006,779
Carbon/Alloy Products				
Flat-rolled Products	17,987,283	12,010,602	16,446,292	9,553,367
Flat-rolled -- Slab	6,817,567	3,016,622	5,261,692	1,898,943
Flat-rolled -- Plate	645,876	460,215	1,015,248	691,237
Flat-rolled -- Hot-Roll	3,070,819	2,007,265	3,691,786	1,913,465
Flat-rolled -- Cold-Roll	2,181,013	1,661,597	1,814,331	1,233,844
Flat-rolled -- Coated	4,298,760	3,923,120	3,764,156	2,992,573
Flat-rolled -- Tin Mill	973,247	941,783	899,079	823,306
Hot-rolled Bar	1,668,965	1,416,501	1,577,700	1,271,822
Cold Finished Bar	190,376	270,937	184,578	243,589
Rebar	1,373,041	640,059	1,784,542	685,437
Welded Pipe	2,663,558	2,549,700	1,971,677	1,864,551
Fittings and Flanges	309,219	957,534	241,923	763,285
Stainless Steel Products				
Bar	150,817	568,692	119,095	420,113
Rod	33,643	99,007	12,475	34,731
Wire	48,572	205,021	41,080	169,883

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Not Seasonally Adjusted

Exhibit 6. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Monitored Steel Products from Selected Countries

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Countries and Areas	2017						2016			
	December Preliminary		November Preliminary		November Final		December Final		November Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Argentina	96	363	196	808	196	808	6,708	3,818	6,992	4,184
Brazil	271,939	153,407	401,134	199,176	401,134	199,176	300,200	117,457	305,937	123,828
Bulgaria	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Canada	363,505	316,100	409,467	362,198	409,473	362,204	344,335	266,614	392,135	304,256
Columbia	2,754	3,226	1,085	1,473	1,085	1,473	334	283	1,663	1,081
Czech Republic	867	925	1,397	1,630	1,397	1,630	81	229	8,591	6,058
Egypt	7,526	5,197	10,386	7,539	10,889	7,859	255	166	2,874	1,929
Hungary	1	34	(-)	11	(-)	11	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
India	16,559	28,323	16,606	31,170	16,606	31,170	24,255	24,728	27,172	33,457
Indonesia	1,620	2,103	545	1,029	545	1,029	1,302	1,592	937	988
Latvia	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Mexico	143,345	101,709	154,100	109,814	154,100	109,814	156,905	97,683	216,468	126,800
Oman	1,598	1,120	3,203	2,174	3,250	2,204	1,678	977	646	360
Poland	124	756	93	288	93	288	108	301	137	350
Romania	108	283	155	370	8,185	4,867	97	196	87	129
South Africa	11,881	10,737	9,572	7,465	9,572	7,465	25,863	21,393	4,776	3,931
Thailand	26,143	19,080	21,316	17,002	21,316	17,002	8,913	6,717	31,269	20,946
Trinidad And Tobago	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Turkey	49,054	32,001	59,045	44,591	59,045	44,591	136,147	60,220	158,695	76,112
Venezuela	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)

Countries and Areas	November 2017 Year-to-Date		November 2016 Year-to-Date	
	Final		Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Argentina	1,838	8,485	20,300	14,659
Brazil	3,907,408	1,897,595	3,369,760	1,362,529
Bulgaria	1	43	2,600	1,420
Canada	4,414,893	3,878,180	4,095,175	3,151,147
Columbia	36,114	42,340	12,723	8,460
Czech Republic	19,034	17,921	14,999	12,554
Egypt	121,402	72,838	9,607	5,185
Hungary	31	404	22	167
India	671,237	672,661	298,505	337,378
Indonesia	11,804	14,362	6,491	8,610
Latvia	2	12	(-)	2
Mexico	2,067,437	1,398,991	1,904,480	1,185,376
Oman	42,199	28,596	23,906	12,923
Poland	4,185	6,184	1,888	4,014
Romania	12,025	9,098	1,415	4,095
South Africa	206,666	165,188	122,182	78,024
Thailand	313,592	233,186	113,872	70,989
Trinidad And Tobago	89	36	(-)	(-)
Turkey	1,749,560	1,019,499	1,922,913	884,038
Venezuela	3,981	1,493	7,507	4,225

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