

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Exhibit 4a. 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 | October 2011 Cumulative To Date - Final | | October 2010 Cumulative To Date - Final | |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------------|---|------------------|
| | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value |
| Total Census Basis | 3,480,056 | 5,384,680 | 2,760,425 | 3,845,475 |
| North America | 1,229,856 | 1,533,909 | 1,162,227 | 1,324,606 |
| Canada | 1,064,771 | 1,280,594 | 997,393 | 1,105,180 |
| Mexico | 165,085 | 253,315 | 164,834 | 219,426 |
| Europe | 1,105,290 | 1,968,950 | 837,550 | 1,342,428 |
| European Union | 1,000,170 | 1,798,420 | 737,418 | 1,230,513 |
| Austria | 88,659 | 185,044 | 55,592 | 99,068 |
| Belgium | 10,066 | 17,117 | 956 | 1,443 |
| Czech Republic | 58,951 | 86,122 | 40,931 | 53,026 |
| Finland | 11,288 | 24,426 | 11,717 | 25,883 |
| France | 133,966 | 278,832 | 65,864 | 143,725 |
| Germany | 280,359 | 520,980 | 190,105 | 357,335 |
| Italy | 45,068 | 85,022 | 21,730 | 52,715 |
| Netherlands | 77,254 | 75,828 | 64,333 | 52,044 |
| Poland | 7,589 | 12,664 | 1,376 | 3,884 |
| Spain | 47,706 | 79,681 | 50,167 | 69,977 |
| Sweden | 119,764 | 225,570 | 126,783 | 201,904 |
| United Kingdom | 91,072 | 149,660 | 80,725 | 123,074 |
| Other EU | 28,429 | 57,475 | 27,139 | 46,436 |
| Norway | (-) | (-) | 3 | 11 |
| Russia | 24,957 | 36,920 | 55,730 | 53,864 |
| Switzerland | 3,332 | 11,896 | 1,541 | 4,869 |
| Turkey | 41,087 | 59,616 | 13,825 | 15,341 |
| Ukraine | 28,198 | 52,232 | 20,835 | 27,723 |
| Other Europe | 7,546 | 9,867 | 8,197 | 10,105 |
| Euro Area | 708,411 | 1,293,451 | 474,608 | 827,329 |
| Pacific Rim Countries | 795,708 | 1,304,067 | 606,979 | 915,385 |
| Australia | 570 | 1,620 | 689 | 2,249 |
| China | 206,900 | 354,784 | 78,019 | 126,017 |
| Indonesia | 7,566 | 14,782 | 716 | 2,444 |
| Japan | 453,404 | 741,968 | 455,511 | 677,491 |
| Newly Industrialized Countries(NICS) | 125,093 | 188,863 | 71,965 | 107,024 |
| Hong Kong | (-) | (-) | (-) | 2 |
| Korea | 108,663 | 143,194 | 58,301 | 74,996 |
| Singapore | (-) | (-) | 11 | 116 |
| Taiwan | 16,430 | 45,669 | 13,653 | 31,909 |
| Other Pacific Rim | 2,176 | 2,050 | 78 | 159 |
| South/Central America | 133,842 | 258,730 | 79,342 | 154,121 |
| Argentina | 62,101 | 123,987 | 31,014 | 61,411 |
| Brazil | 40,187 | 80,563 | 27,216 | 57,068 |
| Chile | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) |
| Colombia | 31,408 | 53,984 | 20,953 | 35,481 |
| Venezuela | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) |
| Other S/C America | 147 | 197 | 160 | 162 |
| Other Countries | 215,360 | 319,023 | 74,327 | 108,935 |
| India | 157,816 | 228,413 | 66,993 | 96,555 |
| South Africa | 435 | 828 | 1,016 | 1,649 |
| Thailand | 1,092 | 1,840 | 385 | 774 |
| Other | 56,017 | 87,942 | 5,934 | 9,958 |

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.