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	PIG IRON STATISTICS									
	Primary				Apparent	Unit value	Unit value	World		
Year	production	Shipments	Imports	Exports	consumption	( <b>\$/t</b> )	(98\$/t)	production		
1900	13,200,000	NA	52,000	287,000	13,000,000	20.80	410	NA		
1901	15,900,000	NA	62,000	81,200	15,900,000	16.80	330	NA		
1902	17,800,000	NA	619,000	27,500	18,400,000	23.10	440	NA		
1903	18,000,000	NA	599,000	20,400	18,600,000	21.10	380	NA		
1904	16,500,000	NA	NA	NA	16,500,000	15.60	280	NA		
1905	23,000,000	NA	NA	NA	23,000,000	18.30	330	NA		
1906	25,300,000	NA	NA	NA	25,300,000	22.00	400	NA		
1907	25,200,000	NA	NA	NA	25,200,000	22.70	400	NA		
1908	15,900,000	NA	NA	NA	15,900,000	17.60	320	NA		
1909	25,800,000	NA	160,000	56,200	23,500,000	17.90	330	NA		
1910	27,100,000	NA	215,000	116,000	24,300,000	17.00	300	66,500,000		
1911	21,500,000	NA	135,000	110,000	21,100,000	15.50	270	64,400,000		
1912	27,000,000	27,400,000	117,000	247,000	27,300,000	15.40	260	73,700,000		
1913	28,100,000	27,600,000	142,000	252,000	27,500,000	16.60	274	79,000,000		
1914	21,200,000	20,200,000	153,000	104,000	20,200,000	14.80	241	56,300,000		
1915	27,100,000	27,600,000	81,500	204,000	27,500,000	14.60	235	50,500,000		
1916	35,800,000	35,500,000	123,000	551,000	35,100,000	18.70	280	74,300,000		
1917	35,000,000	35,000,000	69,700	595,000	34,500,000	30.10	383	71,900,000		
1918	35,400,000	34,700,000	31,500	245,000	34,500,000	34.10	368	65,200,000		
1919	28,100,000	27,300,000	92,200	291,000	27,100,000	28.40	268	50,900,000		
1920	33,500,000	32,400,000	169,000	197,000	32,400,000	35.20	286	61,300,000		
1921	15,100,000	14,500,000	39,900	25,700	14,500,000	26.80	243	36,700,000		
1922	24,700,000	25,100,000	348,000	28,100	25,400,000	24.20	235	70,000,000		
1923	36,600,000	34,800,000	334,000	29,300	35,100,000	27.20	259	68,500,000		
1924	28,500,000	28,200,000	190,000	37,600	28,400,000	23.60	225	76,900,000		
1925	33,300,000	33,400,000	400,000	29,600	33,800,000	22.10	207	76,900,000		
1926	35,700,000	34,600,000	404,000	22,900	35,000,000	21.60	199	78,900,000		
1927	33,200,000	31,600,000	120,000	46,300	31,700,000	20.40	191	86,800,000		
1928	34,600,000	34,700,000	128,000	76,800	34,800,000	19.00	181	88,900,000		
1929	38,700,000	37,700,000	134,000	42,100	37,800,000	19.40	185	98,500,000		
1930	27,700,000	27,100,000	124,000	12,400	27,200,000	18.90	185	80,200,000		
1931	16,300,000	16,200,000	76,600	6,100	16,300,000	17.70	189	55,700,000		
1932	7,760,000	7,730,000	119,000	2,110	7,950,000		194	39,800,000		
1933	11,800,000	13,000,000	122,000	2,490	13,100,000	16.40	205	49,400,000		
1934	14,200,000	14,200,000	104,000	3,720	14,300,000	18.40	224	63,000,000		
1935	18,900,000	19,200,000	119,000	3,730	19,300,000	18.60	222	74,400,000		
1936	27,400,000	27,900,000	150,000	4,820	28,000,000	17.30	203	91,600,000		
1937	32,800,000	32,000,000	101,000	710,000	31,400,000	20.40	231	104,000,000		
1938	16,900,000	16,500,000	27,600	392,000	16,100,000	19.30	223	82,900,000		
1939	28,200,000	29,100,000	35,000	161,000	29,000,000	19.20	225	102,000,000		
1940	37,400,000	38,000,000	9,290	502,000	37,500,000	19.70	230	110,000,000		
1941	50,000,000	50,100,000	3,330	525,000	49,600,000	22.20	246	110,000,000		
1942	53,600,000	53,600,000		100,000	53,500,000	22.90	229	103,000,000		
1943	55,100,000	55,100,000	1,310	131,000	55,000,000	23.10	218	105,000,000		
1944	55,300,000	55,300,000	5,240	147,000	55,200,000	23.10		98,000,000		
1945	48,300,000	48,300,000	19,400	82,400	48,200,000	24.30	221	71,700,000		
1946	40,700,000	40,900,000	12,800	86,800	40,800,000	27.00	225	71,700,000		
1947	52,900,000	53,000,000	29,600	9,920	53,000,000	33.40	244	90,700,000		
1948	54,500,000	54,500,000	199,000	6,380	54,700,000	41.00	277	103,000,000		
1949	48,400,000	48,000,000	90,500	73,800	48,000,000	46.40	317	105,000,000		

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Year         production         Shipments         Imports         Exports         consumption         (\$/t)         (98%/t)         pr           1950         58,500,000         58,600,000         730,000         6,180         59,300,000         47.20         319           1951         63,800,000         63,700,000         968,000         5,950         64,700,000         51.50         322           1952         55,600,000         55,600,000         345,000         12,800         55,900,000         53.40         327           1953         67,900,000         67,300,000         535,000         17,100         67,800,000         54.90         335           1954         52,600,000         52,400,000         264,000         9,300         52,700,000         55.90         341           1955         69,700,000         70,100,000         257,000         31,700         70,300,000         55.90         341           1956         68,100,000         68,100,000         297,000         244,000         68,200,000         59.10         354           1957         71,100,000         69,800,000         204,000         800,000         69,200,000         64.40         374           1958         51,900,000	World roduction 134,000,000 151,000,000 153,000,000 159,000,000 193,000,000 201,000,000 212,000,000 224,000,000 259,000,000 256,000,000 266,000,000 281,000,000 317,000,000 347,000,000
Year         production         Shipments         Imports         Exports         consumption         (\$/t)         (988/t)         pr           1950         58,500,000         58,600,000         730,000         6,180         59,300,000         47.20         319           1951         63,800,000         56,700,000         5950         64,700,000         51.50         322           1952         55,600,000         55,600,000         345,000         12,800         55,900,000         53.40         327           1953         67,900,000         67,300,000         535,000         17,100         67,800,000         54.90         335           1954         52,600,000         52,400,000         264,000         9,300         52,700,000         55.00         334           1955         69,700,000         70,100,000         227,000         31,700         70,300,000         55.90         341           1956         68,100,000         68,100,000         297,000         244,000         68,200,000         59.10         354           1957         71,100,000         69,800,000         204,000         800,000         69,200,000         64,40         374           1958         51,900,000         51,600,000 <th>134,000,000 151,000,000 153,000,000 169,000,000 159,000,000 201,000,000 212,000,000 224,000,000 259,000,000 256,000,000 266,000,000 281,000,000 317,000,000 335,000,000</th>	134,000,000 151,000,000 153,000,000 169,000,000 159,000,000 201,000,000 212,000,000 224,000,000 259,000,000 256,000,000 266,000,000 281,000,000 317,000,000 335,000,000
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1960         60,300,000         59,500,000         325,000         102,000         59,700,000         65.60         361           1961         58,800,000         59,200,000         342,000         342,000         59,200,000         64.50         352           1962         59,500,000         59,600,000         454,000         140,000         59,900,000         64.10         346           1963         65,200,000         65,500,000         585,000         63,500         66,000,000         64.50         343           1964         77,500,000         77,700,000         668,000         160,000         78,200,000         64.20         338           1965         80,000,000         80,200,000         80,000         25,400         81,000,000         62.80         326           1966         82,800,000         82,400,000         1,080,000         10,900         83,500,000         62.10         312           1967         78,700,000         78,800,000         549,000         6,350         79,300,000         62.20         303           1968         80,500,000         80,800,000         367,000         39,900         86,900,000         71.60         318           1970         82,800,000         82,800,	259,000,000 256,000,000 266,000,000 281,000,000 317,000,000 335,000,000
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1974     86,600,000     87,000,000     310,000     91,600     87,200,000     143     471       1975     72,300,000     71,900,000     434,000     54,400     72,300,000     189     574       1976     78,800,000     78,600,000     376,000     52,600     78,900,000     198     566	501,000,000
1975     72,300,000     71,900,000     434,000     54,400     72,300,000     189     574       1976     78,800,000     78,600,000     376,000     52,600     78,900,000     198     566	512,000,000
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			PI	G IRON ST	TATISTICS			
	Primary				Apparent	Unit value	Unit value	World
Year	production	Shipments	<b>Imports</b>	Exports	consumption	( <b>\$/t</b> )	(98\$/t)	production
2000	47,900,000	NA	4,970,000	72,000	52,800,000	NA	NA	573,000,000
2001	42,100,000	NA	4,370,000	44,000	46,400,000	NA	NA	585,000,000
2002	40,200,000	NA	4,620,000	34,000	44,800,000	NA	NA	608,000,000
2003	40,600,000	NA	3,890,000	86,000	44,400,000	NA	NA	673,000,000
2004	42,300,000	NA	6,400,000	48,000	48,700,000	NA	NA	720,000,000
2005	37,200,000	NA	6,030,000	51,000	43,200,000	NA	NA	802,000,000
2006	37,900,000	NA	6,730,000	813,000	43,800,000	NA	NA	881,000,000
2007	36,300,000	NA	5,220,000	71,000	41,400,000	NA	NA	956,000,000
2008	33,700,000	NA	4,980,000	51,000	38,600,000	NA	NA	931,000,000
2009	19,000,000	NA	2,420,000	10,000	21,400,000	NA	NA	921,000,000
2010	26,800,000	NA	3,780,000	2,220,000	28,400,000	NA	NA	1,040,000,000
2011	30,200,000	NA	4,190,000	51,000	34,300,000	NA	NA	1,090,000,000

NA Not available.

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DIRECT REDUCED IRON STATISTICS											
				Apparent	World						
Year	Production	Imports	Exports	consumption	production						
1984	NA	NA	NA	NA	9,240,000						
1985	140,000	NA	NA	140,000	11,000,000						
1986	160,000	NA	NA	160,000	12,400,000						
1987	210,000	56,000	15,000	251,000	13,800,000						
1988	290,000	176,000	17,000	449,000	14,400,000						
1989	290,000	226,000	23,000	493,000	16,600,000						
1990	390,000	333,000	4,000	719,000	18,200,000						
1991	410,000	365,000	4,000	771,000	19,100,000						
1992	390,000	542,000	9,000	923,000	20,500,000						
1993	440,000	1,090,000	17,000	1,510,000	23,500,000						
1994	480,000	1,170,000	18,000	1,630,000	27,700,000						
1995	460,000	1,190,000	5,000	1,650,000	31,100,000						
1996	450,000	1,050,000	3,000	1,500,000	33,000,000						
1997	510,000	987,000	8,000	1,490,000	34,700,000						
1998	1,600,000	939,000	5,000	2,530,000	37,800,000						
1999	1,670,000	950,000	3,000	2,620,000	38,200,000						
2000	1,560,000	988,000	2,000	2,550,000	42,400,000						
2001	120,000	1,650,000	1,000	1,769,000	39,300,000						
2002	470,000	2,010,000	1,000	2,479,000	44,600,000						
2003	210,000	1,940,000	5,000	2,145,000	47,200,000						
2004	180,000	2,450,000	12,800	2,617,000	53,000,000						
2005	220,000	2,170,000	155	2,390,000	56,300,000						
2006	240,000	2,610,000	102	2,850,000	58,700,000						
2007	250,000	2,330,000	219	2,580,000	65,000,000						
2008	260,000	2,340,000	804	2,600,000	66,900,000						
2009	0	1,020,000	271	1,020,000	65,400,000						
2010	0	1,640,000	974	1,640,000	71,000,000						
2011	0	1,800,000	3,910	1,800,000	76,300,000						

NA Not available.

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# IRON AND STEEL STATISTICS<sup>1</sup> U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

[All values in metric tons (t) unless otherwise noted]

	STEEL STATISTICS										
	Steel product	Raw steel		~	Semifinished	Stock	Apparent	Unit value	Unit value	World	
Year	shipments	production	Imports	Exports	imports	changes	consumption	( <b>\$</b> / <b>t</b> )	(98\$/t)	production	
1900	9,490,000	9,240,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	9,500,000	NA	NA	NA	
1901	12,300,000	12,200,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	12,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1902	13,900,000	13,600,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	14,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1903	13,200,000	13,200,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	13,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1904	12,000,000	12,600,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	12,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1905	16,800,000	18,200,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	17,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1906	19,600,000	21,200,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	20,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1907	19,900,000	21,200,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	20,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1908	11,800,000	12,700,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	12,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1909	19,600,000	21,700,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	20,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1910	21,600,000	23,700,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	22,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1911	19,000,000	21,500,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	19,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1912	24,700,000	28,300,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	25,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1913	24,800,000	28,400,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	25,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1914	18,400,000	21,300,000	127,000	1,210,000	NA	NA	17,300,000	NA	NA	NA	
1915	24,400,000	29,100,000	174,000	3,010,000	NA	NA	21,600,000	NA	NA	NA	
1916	32,400,000	38,700,000	170,000	5,000,000	NA	NA	27,600,000	NA	NA	NA	
1917	33,100,000	40,600,000	216,000	5,240,000	NA	NA	28,100,000	NA	NA	NA	
1918	31,200,000	39,900,000	113,000	4,600,000	NA	NA	26,700,000	NA	NA	NA	
1919	25,100,000	31,100,000	195,000	3,700,000	NA	NA	21,600,000	NA	NA	NA	
1920	32,300,000	37,800,000	203,000	4,250,000	NA	NA	28,300,000	NA	NA	NA	
1921	14,800,000	17,800,000	71,700	1,980,000	NA	NA	12,900,000	NA	NA	NA	
1922	26,500,000	32,000,000	193,000	1,730,000	NA	NA	25,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1923	33,300,000	40,300,000	219,000	1,520,000	NA	NA	32,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1924	28,100,000	34,000,000	152,000	1,560,000	NA	NA	26,700,000	NA	NA	NA	
1925	33,400,000	40,600,000	171,000	1,510,000	NA	NA	32,100,000	NA	NA	NA	
1926	35,500,000	43,200,000	188,000	1,850,000	NA	NA	33,800,000	NA	NA	NA	
1927	32,900,000	40,200,000	121,000	1,720,000	NA	NA	31,300,000	NA	NA	NA	
1928	37,700,000	46,000,000	139,000	2,060,000	NA	NA	35,800,000	NA	NA	NA	
1929	41,100,000	50,300,000	155,000	2,210,000	NA	NA	39,000,000	NA	NA	NA	
1930	29,500,000	36,400,000	293,000	1,440,000	NA	NA	28,400,000	NA	NA	NA	
1931	19,200,000	23,500,000	278,000	740,000	NA	NA	18,700,000	NA	NA	NA	
1932	10,500,000	12,400,000	202,000	328,000	NA	NA	10,400,000	NA	NA	NA	
1933	16,700,000	21,100,000	176,000	510,000	NA	NA	16,400,000	NA	NA	NA	
1934	19,000,000	23,600,000	144,000	871,000	NA	NA	18,300,000	NA	NA	NA	
1935	24,000,000	27,700,000	255,000	868,000	NA	NA	23,400,000	NA	NA	NA	

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# IRON AND STEEL STATISTICS<sup>1</sup> U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

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	STEEL STATISTICS										
	Steel product	Raw steel			Semifinished	Stock	Apparent	Unit value	Unit value	World	
Year	shipments	production	Imports	Exports	imports	changes	consumption	( <b>\$/t</b> )	(98\$/t)	production	
1936	33,800,000	43,300,000	374,000	1,100,000	NA	NA	33,100,000	NA	NA	NA	
1937	36,800,000	45,900,000	266,000	512,000	NA	NA	36,600,000	NA	NA	NA	
1938	23,500,000	25,700,000	151,000	375,000	NA	NA	23,300,000	NA	NA	NA	
1939	39,000,000	60,800,000	174,000	2,360,000	NA	NA	36,800,000	NA	NA	NA	
1940	48,700,000	78,000,000	19,700	7,340,000	NA	NA	41,400,000	9.90	115	NA	
1941	62,300,000	75,200,000	16,200	5,930,000	NA	NA	56,400,000	10.00	111	NA	
1942	60,900,000	78,000,000	22,500	6,470,000	NA	NA	54,500,000	10.00	100	NA	
1943	60,600,000	80,600,000	16,000	6,370,000	NA	NA	54,200,000	10.00	94.30	172,000,000	
1944	59,600,000	81,300,000	51,000	5,350,000	NA	NA	54,300,000	10.00	92.60	164,000,000	
1945	53,800,000	72,300,000	69,000	1,940,000	NA	NA	51,900,000	10.20	92.70	101,000,000	
1946	46,400,000	60,400,000	23,200	1,770,000	NA	NA	44,700,000	11.10	92.50	123,000,000	
1947	59,100,000	77,000,000	31,000	2,680,000	NA	NA	56,500,000	13.00	94.90	123,000,000	
1948	66,000,000	80,400,000	142,000	1,920,000	NA	NA	64,200,000	14.90	101	141,000,000	
1949	58,100,000	70,700,000	277,000	2,060,000	NA	NA	56,300,000	16.10	110	145,000,000	
1950	72,200,000	87,800,000	1,000,000	1,260,000	NA	NA	71,900,000	17.00	115	189,000,000	
1951	78,900,000	95,400,000	2,080,000	1,410,000	NA	NA	79,600,000	18.30	114	211,000,000	
1952	68,000,000	84,500,000	1,130,000	4,040,000	NA	NA	65,100,000	18.70	115	211,000,000	
1953	80,200,000	101,000,000	1,590,000	3,050,000	NA	NA	78,700,000	20.20	123	235,000,000	
1954	63,200,000	80,100,000	811,000	2,810,000	NA	NA	61,200,000	21.10	128	224,000,000	
1955	84,700,000	106,000,000	995,000	4,060,000	NA	NA	81,600,000	22.10	135	269,000,000	
1956	83,300,000	105,000,000	1,370,000	4,310,000	NA	NA	80,400,000	24.00	144	284,000,000	
1957	79,900,000	102,000,000	1,170,000	5,370,000	NA	NA	75,700,000	26.30	153	293,000,000	
1958	59,900,000	77,300,000	1,650,000	2,930,000	NA	NA	58,600,000	27.20	154	271,000,000	
1959	69,400,000	84,800,000	4,190,000	1,790,000	NA	NA	71,800,000	27.60	154	305,000,000	
1960	71,100,000	90,100,000	3,240,000	2,950,000	NA	NA	71,400,000	27.60	152	346,000,000	
1961	66,100,000	88,900,000	3,000,000	2,010,000	NA	NA	67,100,000	27.50	150	352,000,000	
1962	70,600,000	89,200,000	3,900,000	2,060,000	NA	NA	72,400,000	27.40	148	361,000,000	
1963	75,600,000	99,100,000	5,110,000	2,420,000	NA	NA	78,300,000	27.60	147	387,000,000	
1964	85,000,000	115,000,000	6,010,000	3,690,000	NA	NA	87,300,000	27.80	146	437,000,000	
1965	92,700,000	119,000,000	9,650,000	2,620,000	NA	NA	99,700,000	27.90	145	459,000,000	
1966	90,000,000	122,000,000	10,000,000	1,950,000	NA	NA	98,100,000	28.30	142	475,000,000	
1967	83,900,000	115,000,000	10,700,000	1,910,000	NA	NA	92,700,000	28.60	140	494,000,000	
1968	91,900,000	119,000,000	16,700,000	2,420,000	NA	NA	106,000,000	29.30	137	530,000,000	
1969	85,100,000	128,000,000	13,200,000	5,788,000	177,000	170,000	92,700,000	30.70	136	574,000,000	
1970	82,400,000	119,000,000	12,600,000	6,950,000	155,000	NA	87,700,000	32.70	137	594,000,000	
1971	78,900,000	109,000,000	17,000,000	3,200,000	249,000	NA	92,300,000	35.20	141	581,000,000	

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	STEEL STATISTICS										
	Steel product	Raw steel			Semifinished	Stock	Apparent	Unit value	Unit value	World	
Year	shipments	production	Imports	<b>Exports</b>	imports	changes	consumption	( <b>\$/t</b> )	(98\$/t)	production	
1972	83,300,000	121,000,000	16,500,000	3,220,000	238,000	NA	96,200,000	37.30	146	629,000,000	
1973	101,000,000	137,000,000	14,200,000	4,500,000	156,000	-454,000	111,000,000	38.40	141	698,000,000	
1974	99,300,000	132,000,000	14,900,000	6,340,000	165,000	-454,000	108,000,000	48.60	160	708,000,000	
1975	72,600,000	106,000,000	11,300,000	3,610,000	219,000	2,270,000	77,800,000	56.40	171	644,000,000	
1976	81,100,000	116,000,000	13,600,000	3,330,000	218,000	-2,090,000	93,200,000	60.00	172	674,000,000	
1977	82,700,000	114,000,000	18,100,000	2,810,000	270,000	2,810,000	94,900,000	65.80	177	673,000,000	
1978	88,800,000	124,000,000	20,000,000	2,970,000	375,000	-544,000	106,000,000	72.80	182	715,000,000	
1979	60,900,000	124,000,000	16,700,000	3,080,000	313,000	-1,450,000	75,700,000	80.20	180	745,000,000	
1980	76,100,000	101,000,000	14,800,000	4,290,000	141,000	-18,000	86,500,000	86.60	171	716,000,000	
1981	80,200,000	110,000,000	18,900,000	3,230,000	717,000	NA	95,000,000	96.60	173	707,000,000	
1982	65,800,000	67,700,000	15,800,000	2,150,000	649,000	NA	78,600,000	100	169	644,000,000	
1983	61,300,000	76,800,000	16,300,000	1,440,000	748,000	NA	75,200,000	101	165	663,000,000	
1984	66,700,000	83,900,000	24,900,000	1,280,000	1,380,000	NA	88,800,000	105	164	711,000,000	
1985	66,300,000	80,100,000	23,300,000	1,150,000	1,700,000	NA	86,600,000	105	159	718,000,000	
1986	63,700,000	74,000,000	20,100,000	1,090,000	1,730,000	NA	80,800,000	99.80	149	713,000,000	
1987	69,500,000	80,900,000	18,500,000	1,020,000	1,910,000	NA	84,900,000	102	147	734,000,000	
1988	76,200,000	90,700,000	19,000,000	1,880,000	23,400,000	NA	69,800,000	111	152	780,000,000	
1989	76,300,000	88,900,000	15,700,000	4,150,000	1,990,000	NA	85,700,000	115	150	784,000,000	
1990	77,100,000	89,700,000	15,600,000	3,900,000	2,110,000	NA	86,500,000	112	140	771,000,000	
1991	71,500,000	79,700,000	14,400,000	5,760,000	2,050,000	NA	77,900,000	110	131	737,000,000	
1992	74,800,000	84,300,000	15,500,000	3,890,000	2,170,000	NA	84,100,000	106	124	724,000,000	
1993	60,800,000	88,800,000	17,700,000	3,600,000	4,530,000	NA	70,200,000	108	122	730,000,000	
1994	80,300,000	91,200,000	27,300,000	3,470,000	7,200,000	NA	96,800,000	113	125	730,000,000	
1995	88,400,000	95,200,000	22,100,000	6,420,000	2,500,000	-1,630,000	103,000,000	120	128	752,000,000	
1996	91,500,000	95,500,000	26,500,000	4,560,000	6,000,000	403,000	108,000,000	116	120	751,000,000	
1997	96,000,000	98,500,000	28,300,000	5,470,000	5,000,000	282,000	114,000,000	116	118	797,000,000	
1998	92,900,000	98,600,000	37,700,000	5,010,000	6,100,000	1,000	118,000,000	114	114	770,000,000	
1999	96,300,000	97,400,000	32,400,000	4,920,000	7,780,000	-92,000	116,000,000	105	103	784,000,000	
2000	98,900,000	102,000,000	34,400,000	5,920,000	7,760,000	103,000	120,000,000	108	103	850,000,000	
2001	89,700,000	90,100,000	27,300,000	5,570,000	5,840,000	-908,000	107,000,000	101	93.00	852,000,000	
2002	90,700,000	91,600,000	29,600,000	5,450,000	8,020,000	6,880,000	100,000,000	105	94.90	907,000,000	
2003	96,100,000	93,700,000	21,000,000	7,460,000	4,370,000	-1,410,000	107,000,000	110	97.00	974,000,000	
2004	101,000,000	99,700,000	32,500,000	7,200,000	6,730,000	2,100,000	117,000,000	147	127	1,060,000,000	
2005	95,200,000	94,900,000	29,100,000	8,520,000	6,270,000	-3,010,000	113,000,000	160	133	1,140,000,000	
2006	99,300,000	98,200,000	41,100,000	8,830,000	8,460,000	3,300,000	120,000,000	174	141	1,250,000,000	
2007	96,500,000	98,100,000	30,200,000	10,100,000	6,040,000	-5,640,000	116,000,000	183	144	1,350,000,000	

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	STEEL STATISTICS												
	Steel product	Raw steel			Semifinished	Stock	Apparent	Unit value	Unit value	World			
Year	shipments	production	<b>Imports</b>	<b>Exports</b>	imports	changes	consumption	( <b>\$/t</b> )	(98\$/t)	production			
2008	89,400,000	91,900,000	29,000,000	12,200,000	5,420,000	-1,500,000	102,000,000	221	167	1,330,000,000			
2009	56,400,000	59,400,000	14,700,000	8,420,000	1,850,000	-2,270,000	63,100,000	165	125	1,240,000,000			
2010	75,700,000	80,500,000	21,700,000	11,000,000	4,600,000	1,430,000	80,400,000	192	144	1,440,000,000			
2011	83,300,000	86,400,000	25,900,000	12,200,000	6,100,000	600,000	90,300,000	216	157	1,520,000,000			

NA Not available.

Data are calculated, estimated, or reported. See notes for more information.

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## **Iron and Steel Worksheet Notes**

### **Data Sources**

The sources of data for the iron and steel worksheet are the mineral statistics provided by the International Iron and Steel Institute in Brussels, Belgium, and publications of the U.S. Bureau of Mines and the U.S. Geological Survey—Minerals Yearbook (MYB) and its predecessor, Mineral Resources of the United States (MR); Mineral Commodity Summaries (MCS) and its predecessor, Commodity Data Summaries (CDS); and Metal Prices in the United States through 1998 (MP98). The March 2000 issue of "New Steel" provides a composite price series for finished steel. The years of publication and corresponding years of data coverage are listed in the References section below.

## **Pig Iron**

#### **Primary Production**

Production data for 1900–10 were provided by International Iron and Steel Institute in Brussels, Belgium. U.S. production of pig iron is from the MYB and the MR for 1911 to the most recent year.

#### **Shipments**

Shipments of pig iron from U.S. producers are from the MYB and the MR for 1909–90. Shipment data were not available for 1900–08 and 1991 to the most recent year.

#### **Imports**

Imports of pig iron into the United States are from the MYB and the MR for 1900–03 and 1908 to the most recent year. Import data were not available for 1904–08.

## **Exports**

Exports of pig iron from the United States are from the MYB and MR for 1900–03 and 1909 to the most recent year. Export data were not available for 1904–08 and 1942. The drop in exports for at least the first 3 years following 1900 results from a significant drop in European demand.

## **Apparent Consumption**

Apparent consumption of pig iron was from the Scrap Iron and Steel chapter of the MYB from 1935 to the most recent year. From 1900–34, apparent consumption was calculated. For 1900–34, the following formula was used to calculate apparent consumption:

## APPARENT CONSUMPTION = SHIPMENTS + IMPORTS - EXPORTS.

Production was substituted for shipments in the formula above when shipments were not reported.

## Unit Value (\$/t)

Unit value is defined as the value in dollars of 1 metric ton (t) of pig iron apparent consumption. Unit value for pig iron is estimated from the reported average annual value of shipments from the MYB and the MR. Data were not available for 1989 to the most recent year.

#### Unit Value (98\$/t)

The Consumer Price Index conversion factor, with 1998 as the base year, is used to adjust unit value in current U.S. dollars to the unit value in constant 1998 U.S. dollars.

#### **World Production**

World production of pig iron was from the MYB and the MR for 1910 to the most recent year. World production tables changed to production by principal countries tables for 1910–22 for pig iron. A graph of world production shows no sudden jump in quantity moving from 1922 to the 5 following years, 1923–28. This indicates that most major producers were probably included in the "principal countries" category. World production data were not available for 1900–09.

## **Direct Reduced Iron**

#### **Production**

U.S. production of direct reduced iron is from the MYB for 1985 to the most recent year.

#### **Imports**

Imports of direct reduced iron into the United States are from the MYB for 1987 to the most recent year.

#### **Exports**

Exports of direct reduced iron from the United States are from the MYB for 1987 to the most recent year.

## **Apparent Consumption**

Apparent consumption for direct reduced iron was calculated for 1987 to the most recent year with the following formula:

### APPARENT CONSUMPTION = SHIPMENTS + IMPORTS - EXPORTS.

For 1984 –85, apparent consumption was assumed to be equal to production because imports and exports were not available.

#### **World Production**

World production of direct reduced iron was from the MYB for 1984 to the most recent year.

### **Steel**

## **Steel Product Shipments**

U.S. steel product shipments are used as a proxy for the purpose of estimating domestic production in order to estimate apparent consumption of steel mill products. Data for 1900–68 were from the AISI (Robert MacDonald, Director of Statistics, American Iron and Steel Institute, written commun., November 3, 2005), as data from other sources were not available and from the MYB for 1969 to the most recent year.

### **Raw Steel Production**

U.S. production of raw steel (steel in the first solid state) is from the MYB and the MR. Production of raw steel is the total of carbon steel, stainless steel, and alloy steel for 1942 to the most recent year. Stainless steel is not reported for 1900–41. In 1932, the category alloy steel is no longer reported, and electric steel (steel produced in an electric furnace) is reported. The total steel production for 1900–32 is estimated by summing production of carbon steel and electric steel.

### **Imports and Exports**

Imports for steel in the MYB are reported as steel mill products for 1956 to the most recent year, while exports are reported as steel mill products for 1942 to the most recent year. Prior to 1956 for imports and for 1942 for exports, iron and steel products are given in two different tables (sometimes summed and sometimes not) in the MYB. For 1956–68, the iron and steel exports table in the MYB is simultaneously reported with an exported steel mill products table. Comparing the iron and steel products exported table, with the steel mill products exported table in the MYB, demonstrates that iron products account for about 9 percent of the amount of exports reported in the iron and steel products exported table. Using this 9 percent deduction, the import and export tables of iron and steel products were used to estimate steel mill products exported and imported for those years in which these categories were not directly reported. Semimanufactures and manufactures were accounted for in summing these tables. Advanced manufactures were not included in the summation.

#### **Semifinished Imports**

The amount of semifinished steel consumed by companies that also produced raw steel was subtracted from domestic consumption. This was done to avoid double counting the imported semifinished steel and the products produced from it. For 1969 to the most recent year, semifinished import data were from the MYB. For 1900–68, data were not available.

## **Stock Changes**

Changes in stocks were calculated for 1973–80 and 1995 to the most recent year. Changes in stocks for 1900–72 and 1981–94 could not be calculated because data were incomplete.

## **Apparent Consumption**

For 1969 to the most recent year, apparent consumption for steel mill goods was calculated with the formula:

APPARENT CONSUMPTION = SHIPMENTS + IMPORTS - EXPORTS - SEMIFINISHED IMPORTS (±) STOCK CHANGES.

For 1900–68, apparent consumption was calculated without semifinished imports and stock changes, as these values were not available. For 1900–13, imports and exports were not reported, so apparent consumption was estimated as equal to production. For these years, two significant figures are reported.

#### Unit Value (\$/t)

Unit value is defined as value in dollars for 1 metric ton (t) of steel apparent consumption. Unit value for steel was estimated by combining hot rolled steel bar price from 1900–36 as published in MP98 with the "Iron Age" (now called "New Steel") annual average composite steel price from 1936 to the present as published in the MYB and MR from 1936–89, and in "New Steel" from 1990–98 (New Steel Online).

Because the "Iron Age" composite price was reported from 1936–89 in the MYB, this price series was continued from 1990–98. Since 1990, the producer price index has been reported in the MYB. The fact that the composite price exceeds the hot rolled steel bar price

in current years is explained by the increases in alloy steel and stainless steel since the 1970s. Because unit value is an estimate of the value of apparent consumption; this conjoined price series better estimates the value of steel consumed in the United States than the hot rolled steel bar price series. For 1999 to the most recent year, the producer price index for steel mill products was used to continue the unit value price series because "New Steel" ceased publication in September 2001.

### Unit Value (98\$/t)

The Consumer Price Index conversion factor, with 1998 as the base year, is used to adjust unit value in current U.S. dollars to the unit value in constant 1998 U.S. dollars.

#### World Production

World production for steel is from the MYB for 1943–2003, and the MCS for 2004 to the most recent year. World production statistics were not available for 1900–42. The 7 percent increase in world crude steel production from 1999–2000 reflects the increase in crude steel production, mainly from Germany (10 percent), Japan (13 percent), the five steel-producing countries (Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, and Moldova) in the Commonwealth of Independent States (18 percent), Russia (15 percent), and Ukraine (16 percent). This increase in production was due to the rebound caused by resurging Asian economies and increasing steel demand in Asia and the United States through 1999 from the 1997 Asian financial crisis.

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