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STEEL WIRE AND SPECIFIED WIRE PRODUCTS

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TABLE 1. Production and Shipments of Steel Wire and Specified Wire Products

	November			
	1963		1964	
	Tonnage made	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made	Tonnage shipped
	net tons of 2,000 pounds			
<u>Steel wire:</u>				
Uncoated, plain, round (including oiled and annealed)	32,710	11,541	41,262	14,170
Coated, round - Galvanized	5,184	3,071	6,043	3,297
Other coated	382	314	688	501
Flat, maximum .05 sq. in. cross section area and maximum .50" wide, and all other shapes, in all finishes and coatings	386	292	434	298
Barbed	498	127	288	161
<u>Welded or woven wire:</u>				
Welded or woven wire farm fencing	1,005	471	1,237	598
Welded or woven wire lawn fencing	75	80	47	11
Woven wire chain link fabric (including tonnage used in industrial fences):				
9 gauge and heavier	492	511	576	780
Lighter than 9 gauge	159	195	257	160
Welded or woven wire mesh, steel (for concrete reinforcement or purposes other than fencing):				
Bright or uncoated	4,604	4,226	7,320	7,216
Galvanized	611	525	583	522
<u>Wire rope and wire strand:</u>				
Steel wire rope	2,073 ^r	2,282 ^r	2,414	2,436
Strand (except multiple strand):				
5/32" in diameter and smaller	36	56	53	40
Larger than 5/32" in diameter (coated or uncoated)	1,089	1,204	1,681	1,757
<u>Nails, tacks and staples:</u>				
Wire nails, iron and steel	7,144	6,786	8,988	8,569
Wire staples	74	30	65	47
Tacks, all kinds	67	61

^r Revised figures. .. Figures not available.
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TABLE 2. Production and Shipments of Steel Wire and Specified Wire Products

	Eleven months ended November			
	1963		1964	
	Tonnage made	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made	Tonnage shipped
	net tons of 2,000 pounds			
<u>Steel wire:</u>				
Uncoated, plain, round (including oiled and annealed)	356,742	126,754	419,263	143,640
Coated round - Galvanized	64,103	33,325	70,764	38,527
Other coated	5,437	4,389	6,290	4,795
Flat, maximum .05 sq. in cross section area and maximum .50" wide, and all other shapes, in all finishes and coatings	4,372	3,076	4,612	3,072
Barbed	6,557	5,977	5,401	6,992
<u>Welded or woven wire:</u>				
Welded or woven wire farm fencing ..	12,909	12,838	13,534	13,497
Welded or woven wire lawn fencing ..	1,379	1,334	919	975
Woven wire chain link fabric (including tonnage used in industrial fences):				
9 gauge and heavier	5,039	4,854	5,566	5,469
Lighter than 9 gauge	4,346	4,502	5,021	5,430
Welded or woven wire mesh, steel (for concrete reinforcement or purposes other than fencing):				
Bright or uncoated	48,199	47,660	63,827	62,824
Galvanized	4,867	4,923	6,621	6,887
<u>Wire rope and wire strand:</u>				
Steel wire rope	25,259 ^r	25,240 ^r	25,670	26,499
Strand (except multiple strand):				
5/32" in diameter and smaller	469	415	540	478
Larger than 5/32" in diameter coated or uncoated)	10,322	9,852	16,433	15,187
<u>Nails, tacks and staples:</u>				
Wire nails, iron and steel	78,857	78,078	89,543	93,187
Wire staples	1,392	1,371	937	1,203
Tacks, all kinds	752	898

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TABLE 3. Exports(1) of Steel Wire and Specified Wire Products

	October 1964		Ten months ended October 1964	
	tons	\$	tons	\$
Wire galvanized	68	15,248	699	153,395
Wire of iron or steel, n.e.s.	250	61,726	3,218	865,074
Wire fencing, screening and netting, n.e.s.	-	24,663	-	392,953
Wire nails	2,162	461,056	16,425	3,427,157

(1) Customs clearance, latest available.

TABLE 4. Imports(1) of Steel Wire and Specified Wire Products

	July 1964		Seven months ended July 1964	
	tons	\$	tons	\$
Wire, steel, for wire rope	1,814	424,252	11,888	2,994,182
Wire, steel, flat or shaped	104	69,686	434	313,958
Wire, steel, spring for upholstery ...	134	22,190	1,005	168,490
Wire, iron or steel, not coated n.e.s.	2,011	455,166	8,143	2,392,732
Wire, steel, galvanized n.e.s.	620	130,087	4,048	761,930
Wire, iron or steel, coated n.e.s. ...	139	70,899	688	407,807
Wire, barbed	142	18,682	6,497	849,395
Wire strand, including twisted and braided	96	55,403	520	300,689
Wire rope for use in logging	129	39,280	1,469	419,990
Wire rope, coated or not n.e.s.	412	215,256	2,389	1,170,497
Woven or welded wire fencing	6	3,241	754	129,723
Wire mesh, including reinforcing type	82	9,785	575	93,309
Wire nails, steel 1 inch or more	1,004	176,113	5,259	982,764
Wire nails, n.e.s.	11	10,303	97	76,094
Cut nails, except rail pikes	16	11,154	100	90,933
Tacks and staples n.e.s.	84	74,030	491	391,666

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