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STEEL WIRE AND SPECIFIED WIRE PRODUCTS

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1963 1964 Tonnage Tonnage Tonnage Tonnage shipped made shipped net tons of 2,000 pounds Steel wire: Uncoated, plain, round (including oiled and annealed) 32,941 10,622 37,839 12,267 Coated, round - Galvanized 5,182 2,927 5,787 3,216 Other coated 441 344 484 Flat, maximum .05 sq. in. cross section area and maximum .50" wide, and all other shapes, in all finishes and coatings 246 276 360 251 Barbed 468 358 368 341 Welded or woven wire: Welded or woven wire farm fencing 633 723 1,014 878 Welded or woven wire lawn fencing 31 39 17 Woven wire chain link fabric (including tonnage used in industrial fences): 9 gauge and heavier 581 548 595 638 Lighter than 9 gauge 282 308 367 436 Welded or woven wire mesh, steel (for concrete reinforcement or purposes other than fencing): Bright or uncoated 5,551 5,621 6,213 6,283 Galvanized 436 432 607 739 Wire rope and wire strand: 2.360^T 2,305^r Steel wire rope 2,078 2,487 Strand (except multiple strand): 5/32" in diameter and smaller 41 29 29 48 Larger than 5/32" in diameter (coated or uncoated) 1,024 988 1,593 1,353 Nails, tacks and staples: 8,066 Wire nails, iron and steel 7,591 7,711 8,938 Wire staples 127 76 65 103 Tacks, all kinds 57 116 . .

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Revised figures.

October 1964

TABLE 2. Production and Shipments of Steel Wire and Specified Wire Products

	Eight months ended August			
	1963		1964	
	Tonnage	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made	Tonnage shipped
			2,000 pounds	The state of the s
Steel wire:				
Uncoated, plain, round (including				
oiled and annealed)	255,351	90,927	296,741	
Coated round - Galvanized	48,142	23,838	52,453	27,395
Other coated	4,193	3,442	4,303	3,275
Flat, maximum .05 sq. in cross				
section area and maximum .50"				
wide, and all other shapes, in all				
finishes and coatings	3,126	2,076	3,280	2,152
Barbed	5,086	5,488	4,712	6,500
Welded or woven wire:				
Welded or woven wire farm fencing	10,217	10,677	10,303	11,348
Welded or woven wire lawn fencing	1,248	1,199	850	935
Woven wire chain link fabric				
(including tonnage used in				
industrial fences):				
9 gauge and heavier	3,306	2,927	3,764	3,388
Lighter than 9 gauge	3,776	3,844	4,161	4,797
Welded or woven wire mesh, steel	,	,	,	,
(for concrete reinforcement or				
purposes other than fencing):				
Bright or uncoated	33,799	33,196	43,447(1)	42,668(1)
Galvanized	3,096	3,218		4,839(1)
Wire rope and wire strand:		•		
Steel wire rope	18,544 ^r	18,228 ^r	18,149	19,024
Strand (except multiple strand):				
5/32" in diameter and smaller	3 20	271	422	391
Larger than 5/32" in diameter				
coated or uncoated)	7,147	6,633	11.652(1)	10,494(1)
Nails, tacks and staples:	. ,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	,	,
Wire nails, iron and steel	56,932	56,320	62,855	66,450
Wire staples	1,061	1,250	746	1,022
Tacks, all kinds	560	658		
Inches all telino	- 50			

⁽¹⁾ Includes revisions from January to June 1964. r Revised figures.

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

July 1964		Seven months ended July 1964	
tons	\$	tons	\$
14	2,796	535	116,380
272	126,669	2,460	663,636
-	21,608	-	169,491
1,752	369,001		2,149,963
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⁽¹⁾ Customs clearance, latest available.

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

	April 1964		Four months ended April 1964	
	tons	\$	tons	\$
Wire, steel, for wire rope	1,467	386,390	5,231	1,369,744
Wire, steel, flat or shaped	45	46,558	151	139,599
Wire, steel, spring for upholstery	88	14,793	587(2)	102,748
Wire, iron or steel, not coated n.e.s.	1,199	344,825	2,771	997,435
Wire, steel, galvanized n.e.s	1,091	187,804	2,440	447,682
Vire, iron or steel, coated n.e.s	99	58,787	317	196,339
Vire, barbed	1,874	250,769	4,813	628,090
Vire strand, including twisted and braided	114	51,221	308	172,458
Wire rope for use in logging	210	47,597	784	208,822
Vire rope, coated or not n.e.s	380	181,852	898	433,827
Noven or welded wire fencing	108	22,521	404	74,009
Wire mesh, including reinforcing type	134	26,467	196	43,395
Vire nails, steel l inch or more	1,075	172,853	2,726	525,973
ire nails, n.e.s	23	15,483	57	42,413
ut nails, except rail pikes	22	21,377	<mark>6</mark> 5	63,427
acks and staples n.e.s.	57	61,472	297	212,144

Customs clearance, latest available.
 Includes revision for March cumulative, which should have read 499.

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