

WORLD CRUDE STEEL PRODUCTION

Monthly Crude Steel Production in Thousands Metric Ton.

July 2009

	July 2009	June 2009	July 2008	% Change July 09/08	7 Months		% Change
					2009	2008	
Austria	540 e	525	680	-20.5	3004	4624	-35.0
Belgium	400 e	384	1046	-61.6	2807	7134	-60.7
Czech Republic	399	386	607	-34.3	2444	4205	-41.9
France	1100 e	1108 r	1750	-37.2	6955	11752	-40.8
Poland	700 e	677	967	-27.6	3873	6399	-39.5
Spain	1000 e	1174 r	1470	-32.0	7701	12070	-36.2
European Union (27)	11244	11225	17462	-35.6	73495	127014	-42.1
Turkey	2305	2191	2519	-8.5	14073	16744	-16.0
Other Europe	2516	2426	2923	-13.9	15663	19647	-20.3
Russia	5017	4870	6152	-18.4	31801	44491	-28.5
C.I.S. (6)	8341	7795	10605	-21.3	52466	75690	-30.7
Canada	640 e	560 e	1365	-53.1	4677	9854	-52.5
United States	4971	4364 r	8517	-41.6	29239	59465	-50.8
North America	6928	6200	11626	-40.4	42066	81167	-48.2
Brazil	2496	1942	3234	-22.8	13061	20685	-36.9
South Africa	600 e	580 e	864	-30.5	3982	5314	-25.1
Africa	1244	1215	1553	-19.9	8380	10684	-21.6
Middle East	1301	1432	1270	2.5	9676	9615	0.6
China	50676	49425	45025	12.6	317313	308457	2.9
India	4730 e	4580 e	4537	4.3	32285	31734	1.7
Japan	7660	6883 r	10193	-24.9	44349	72088	-38.5
South Korea	4031	3991	4649	-13.3	26913	32259	-16.6
Taiwan, China	1240e	1200 e	1690	-26.6	8141	12513	-34.9
Asia	68337	66079	66094	3.4	429002	457051	-6.1
Australia	410 e	361	644	-36.3	2329	4643	-49.8
New Zealand	63	67	51	22.7	449	461	-2.6
Oceania	473	427	696	-32.0	2777	5104	-45.9
Total 66 Countries	103861	99667	116770	-11.1	652898	815007	-19.9

e - estimated r - revised

Source : World Steel Association