

TABLE XI.—WIRE PRICE COMPARISONS, DOMESTIC VERSUS IMPORTS

[Prices per net ton]

	Japan	Europe	Domestic redrawers and average negotiated prices by domestic integrated mills	Maximum difference	Percent difference
Bright wire, OH quality, C-1010, 6 ASWG, bare coils, Chicago:					
1968.....	\$140.40	\$137.20	\$150.00	\$12.80	8.5
1967.....	137.40	134.20	150.00	15.80	10.5
1966.....	136.40	131.20	150.00	18.80	12.5
1965.....	146.40	¹ 140.20 ² 131.20	150.00	18.80	12.5
1964.....	146.40	¹ 134.20 ² 144.20	150.00	15.80	10.5
Upholstery spring wire, AISI 7-48, 9 ASWG, Chicago:					
1968.....	181.40	(³)	208.00	26.60	12.8
1967.....	178.80	(³)	208.00	29.20	14.1
1966.....	180.40	(³)	208.00	27.60	13.3
1965.....	187.40	(³)	208.00	20.60	9.9
1964.....	187.40	184.20	228.00	43.80	19.2
Galvanized wire, C-1010, 6 ASWG, bare coils, Chicago:					
1968.....	164.80	153.40	184.00	37.20	20.2
1967.....	143.80	153.40	184.00	40.20	21.8
1966.....	142.80	150.40	184.00	41.20	22.4
1965.....	152.80	¹ 161.40 ² 150.40	184.00	33.60	18.3
1964.....	152.80	¹ 163.40 ² 160.40	184.00	31.20	17.0

¹ January to July.² August to December.³ Not competitive.

TABLE XII

	Domestic price per N/T	Import price Chicago per N/T	Price difference per N/T	Percent difference
(A) ¼-inch H.R. stainless wire rod as rolled, type 304:				
1965.....	\$928	\$780	\$148	16.0
1966.....	844	780	64	7.5
1967.....	844	780	64	7.5
1968.....	844	780	64	7.5
(B) ¼-inch H.R. stainless wire rod as rolled, type 316:				
1965.....	1,368	1,120	248	18.0
1966.....	1,244	1,120	124	10.0
1967.....	1,244	1,120	124	10.0
1968.....	1,244	1,120	124	10.0
(C) 0.130 copper coated stainless steel cold heading wire, type 410:				
1965.....	1,120	890	230	21.0
1966.....	1,120	890	230	21.0
1967.....	1,120	890	230	21.0
1968.....	¹ 895	890	5	.5

¹ Carpenter.

TABLE XIII.—PRESTRESSED CONCRETE STRAND ASTM A 416-64 IN REELLESS PACKS ⅞ INCH, 250,000 P.S.I.

[Price per 1,000 linear feet]

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Import delivered Chicago.....	\$50.30	\$50.75	\$51.95	\$51.95	\$51.95
Domestic delivered Chicago.....	\$58.55	\$58.55	\$60.70	\$60.70	\$60.70
Difference per 1,000 feet.....	\$8.25	\$8.80	\$8.65	\$8.65	\$8.65
Percent difference.....	14.1	13.3	14.4	14.4	14.4