

CRUDE STEEL PRODUCTION - July 2009

Monthly crude steel production in the 66 countries included in the report, in thousands of metric tons

	July 2009	June 2009	July 2008	% change Jul-09/08	7 months		% change
					2009	2008	
Austria	540 e	525	680	-20.5	3 004	4 624	-35.0
Belgium	400 e	384	1 046	-61.8	2 807	7 134	-60.7
Bulgaria	65 e	61	102	-36.2	400	872	-54.2
Czech Republic	399	386	607	-34.3	2 444	4 205	-41.9
Finland	253	263	375	-32.4	1 508	2 770	-45.6
France	1 100 e	1 108 r	1 750	-37.2	6 955	11 752	-40.8
Germany	2 694	2 514 r	3 784	-28.8	16 528	28 198	-41.4
Greece	215 e	210 e	246	-12.6	1 285	1 622	-20.8
Hungary	123	110	202	-39.2	724	1 349	-46.3
Italy	1 520 e	1 647	2 677	-43.2	11 295	19 720	-42.7
Luxembourg	145 e	138	259	-43.9	1 138	1 839	-38.1
Netherlands	497	328	605	-18.0	2 416	4 450	-45.7
Poland	700 e	677	967	-27.6	3 873	6 399	-39.5
Romania	215 e	210 e	458	-53.0	1 386	3 351	-58.6
Slovakia	323	321	448	-27.8	2 051	3 090	-33.6
Slovenia	43	32 r	54	-20.7	225	405	-44.5
Spain	1 000 e	1 174 r	1 470	-32.0	7 701	12 070	-36.2
Sweden	11	220 r	367	-96.9	1 368	3 295	-58.5
United Kingdom	829	753 r	1 194	-30.6	5 176	8 659	-40.2
Other E.U. (27) (e)	172 e	165 e	172 e	0.0	1 211	1 211	0.0
European Union (27)	11 244	11 225	17 462	-35.6	73 495	127 014	-42.1
Bosnia-Herzegovina	39	42	54	-27.5	269	361	-25.6
Croatia	0 e	0 e	8	-100.0	8	54	-85.2
Macedonia	23	18	27	-15.8	166	140	18.3
Norway	18	53	26	-30.8	312	319	-2.2
Serbia	76	45	174	-56.5	324	1 176	-72.4
Switzerland	55	77	114	-51.6	511	853	-40.0
Turkey	2 305	2 191	2 519	-8.5	14 073	16 744	-16.0
Other Europe	2 516	2 426	2 923	-13.9	15 663	19 647	-20.3
Byelorussia	225	225	240	-6.3	1 572	1 520	3.4
Kazakhstan	322	320	385	-16.4	2 205	2 772	-20.5
Moldova	39	12	86	-54.7	161	571	-71.8
Russia	5 017	4 870	6 152	-18.4	31 801	44 491	-28.5
Ukraine	2 662	2 304	3 683	-27.7	16 277	25 931	-37.2
Uzbekistan	76	64	59	28.8	450	405	11.1
C.I.S. (6)	8 341	7 795	10 605	-21.3	52 466	75 690	-30.7
Canada	640 e	560 e	1 365	-53.1	4 677	9 854	-52.5
Cuba	20 e	20 e	21	-3.4	124	159	-22.0
El Salvador	2 e	2 e	7	-69.7	14	47	-69.5
Guatemala	0 e	0 e	34	-100.0	0	113	-100.0
Mexico	1 260 e	1 221	1 637	-23.0	7 807	11 222	-30.4
Trinidad and Tobago	35 e	33	46	-24.5	205	307	-33.4
United States	4 971	4 364 r	8 517	-41.6	29 239	59 465	-50.8
North America	6 928	6 200	11 626	-40.4	42 066	81 167	-48.2
Argentina	356	311	529	-32.7	2 015	3 391	-40.6
Brazil	2 496	1 942	3 234	-22.8	13 061	20 685	-36.9
Chile	90 e	90 e	142	-36.6	611	1 011	-39.6
Colombia	90 e	90 e	107	-16.0	627	665	-5.8
Ecuador	20 e	20 e	7	174.0	134	52	157.1
Paraguay	5 e	5 e	6	-18.0	30	50	-39.5
Peru	45 e	45 e	98	-54.2	310	665	-53.3
Uruguay	5 e	5 e	8	-34.2	33	47	-30.6
Venezuela	370 e	360 e	411	-9.9	2 552	2 469	3.3
South America	3 477	2 868	4 542	-23.5	19 373	29 035	-33.3
Algeria	30 e	30 e	54	-44.1	293	503	-41.8
Egypt	457	449 r	484	-5.6	3 134	3 791	-17.3
Libya	105 e	102	95	10.2	677	738	-8.4
Morocco	53	54	56	-6.8	295	338	-12.7
South Africa	600 e	580 e	864	-30.5	3 982	5 314	-25.1
Zimbabwe	0 e	0 e	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Africa	1 244	1 215	1 553	-19.9	8 380	10 684	-21.6
Iran	870	910	755	15.1	6 517	5 794	12.5
Qatar	85 e	80 e	138	-38.4	593	880	-32.6
Saudi Arabia	347	442	376	-8.0	2 566	2 941	-12.8
Middle East	1 301	1 432	1 270	2.5	9 676	9 615	0.6
China	50 676	49 425	45 025	12.6	317 313	308 457	2.9
India	4 730 e	4 580 e	4 537	4.3	32 285	31 734	1.7
Japan	7 660	6 883 r	10 193	-24.9	44 349	72 088	-38.5
South Korea	4 031	3 991	4 649	-13.3	26 913	32 259	-16.6
Taiwan, China	1 240 e	1 200 e	1 690	-26.6	8 141	12 513	-34.9
Asia	68 337	66 079	66 094	3.4	429 002	457 051	-6.1
Australia	410 e	361	644	-36.3	2 329	4 643	-49.8
New Zealand	63	67	51	22.7	449	461	-2.6
Oceania	473	427	696	-32.0	2 777	5 104	-45.6
Total 66 countries	103 861	99 667	116 770	-11.1	652 898	815 007	-19.9

The 66 countries included in this table accounted for more than 98% of total world crude steel production in 2009

e - estimated

* - not included in totals to avoid double-counting

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