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REPORT FOR MARCH 1970

IMPORTS OF LEAD PRODUCTS FOR CONSUMPTION (a)

(In Short Tons)

<u>PRODUCTS</u>	<u>TOTAL FOR 1969</u>		<u>MARCH 1970</u>		<u>TOTAL FOR 1970</u>	
	<u>AMT.</u>	<u>LEAD CONT.</u>	<u>AMT.</u>	<u>LEAD CONT.</u>	<u>3 MONTHS</u>	<u>AMT. LEAD CONT.</u>
<u>Plates, Sheet Strip</u>						
Belgium	114	114	--	--	--	--
Canada	187	187	5	5	13	13
Netherlands	49	49	--	--	--	--
West Germany	7	7	--	--	--	--
Yugoslavia	151	151	--	--	--	--
TOTAL	508	508	5	5	13	13
<u>Bars, Rods, Angles, Shapes, etc.</u>						
Canada	85	85	1	1	1	1
United Kingdom	--	--	--	--	--	--
TOTAL	85	85	1	1	1	1
<u>Lead Pipe, Tubes Blanks & Fittings</u>						
Belgium	7	7	--	--	5	5
Canada	1	1	--	--	5	5
United Kingdom	51	51	--	--	--	--
Yugoslavia	2	2	--	--	--	--
TOTAL	61	61	--	--	10	10
<u>Powder and Flakes</u>						
Canada	32	32	--	--	6	6
Mexico	1,323	1,323	--	--	180	30
TOTAL	1,355	1,355	--	--	186	186

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PRODUCTS	TOTAL FOR 1969		MARCH 1970		TOTAL FOR 1970	
	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	3 MONTHS AMT.	LEAD CONT.
<u>Foil</u>						
United Kingdom	15	15	--	--	--	--
West Germany	<u>34</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>
TOTAL	49	49	--	--	--	--
<u>Lead Products Not Coated or Plated</u>						
Finland	1	1	--	--	1	1
Canada	117	117	29	29	78	78
France	3	3	--	--	--	--
Italy	3	3	--	--	1	1
Japan	34	34	2	2	8	8
Libya	--	--	1	1	1	1
Mexico	11	11	--	--	--	--
United Kingdom	28	28	--	--	4	4
West Germany	<u>35</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
TOTAL	232	232	35	35	96	96
<u>Unwrought Lead Alloys (Lead Content)</u>						
Burma	--	--	--	--	405	405
Austria	14	14	147	147	147	147
Jamaica	112	112	--	--	--	--
Panama	6	6	8	8	8	8
Australia	150	150	--	--	--	--
Belgium	99	99	--	--	14	14
Bolivia	--	--	4	4	39	39
Canada	2,663	2,663	155	155	456	456
Denmark	107	107	--	--	59	59
France	552	552	--	--	--	--
Ireland	212	212	--	--	--	--
Mexico	895	895	--	--	--	--
Netherlands	11	11	--	--	2	2
Peru	698	698	41	41	139	139
United Kingdom	5,223	5,223	344	344	455	455
West Germany	<u>187</u>	<u>187</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>180</u>	<u>180</u>
TOTAL	10,929	10,929	762	762	1,904	1,904

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PRODUCTS	TOTAL FOR 1969		MARCH 1970		TOTAL FOR 1970 3 MONTHS	
	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	AMT.	LEAD CONT.
<u>Unwrought Tin Alloys</u>						
Bolivia	--	--	11	5	11	5
Thailand	919	152	29	2	276	22
United Kingdom	594	236	57	23	129	52
West Germany	<u>198</u>	<u>87</u>	--	--	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
TOTAL	1,711	475	97	30	417	80
<u>Lead Tin Solder</u> <u>(Flux Coated or Cored</u> <u>only)</u>						
Denmark	4	2	--	--	--	--
Canada	12	8	--	--	--	--
United Kingdom	<u>404</u>	<u>199</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>39</u>
TOTAL	420	209	17	8	83	39
<u>Litharge*</u>						
Canada	--	--	18	17	18	17
France	190	176	--	--	--	--
Mexico	23,791	22,225	1,056	982	2,480	2,306
West Germany	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>
TOTAL	23,983	22,403	1,074	999	2,498	2,323

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PRODUCTS	TOTAL FOR 1969		MARCH 1970		TOTAL FOR 1970 3 MONTHS	
	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	AMT.	LEAD CONT.
<u>Red Lead*</u>						
Canada	2	2	--	--	--	--
Italy	25	23	--	--	--	--
Belgium	60	55	--	--	--	--
France	865	787	80	73	309	281
Mexico	4,155	3,781	580	528	1,536	1,398
Netherlands	33	29	--	--	--	--
Poland	9	7	--	--	--	--
West Germany	372	337	30	27	30	27
TOTAL	5,521	5,021	690	628	1,875	1,706
<u>White Lead*</u>						
Belgium	20	15	--	--	--	--
Canada	213	160	--	--	13	10
Japan	67	51	--	--	11	8
Netherlands	640	482	70	53	156	117
United Kingdom	30	22	--	--	--	--
West Germany	626	470	--	--	50	38
TOTAL	1,596	1,200	70	53	230	173
<u>Chrome Yellow*</u>						
Canada	23	14	2	2	22	15
Japan	3,413	2,185	664	425	1,328	850
West Germany	126	80	34	22	80	51
TOTAL	3,562	2,279	700	449	1,430	916
GRAND TOTAL	50,012	44,806	3,451	2,970	8,743	7,447

(a) Source: U. S. Bureau of Census

* Actual lead content of the compounds is not by the Bureau of the Census, but for our purposes we are estimating lead content as follows:

Litharge - 93%
 Red Lead - 91%
 White Lead - 75%
 Chrome Lead - 64%

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IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTIONLEAD ACID-STORAGE BATTERIES\$ DOLLAR VALUE **

<u>Country of Origin</u>	<u>1965</u>	<u>1966</u>	<u>1967</u>	<u>1968</u>
Canada	\$ 629,866	\$ 644,108	\$ 913,621	\$ 2,043,645
Italy	196,404	190,355	170,742	101,002
Japan	813,869	940,804	1,547,896	1,528,968
Mexico	16,257	536	13,657	8,373
Sweden	91,688	182,075	95,126	68,402
United Kingdom	476,287	238,183	171,836	285,874
West Germany	492,226	580,155	323,292	467,819
Other	107,776	192,601	43,100	72,572
TOTAL	\$ 2,824,373	\$ 2,968,817	\$ 3,279,270	\$ 4,576,655

	<u>1969 TOTAL</u>	<u>MARCH 1970</u>	<u>Total for 1970 3 Months</u>
Canada	\$ 3,227,289	\$ 239,897	\$ 822,889
Italy	312,128	2,777	5,889
Japan	2,717,797	209,002	431,564
Mexico	19,636	3,675	9,960
Sweden	13,639	-----	8,888
United Kingdom	331,612	62,325	128,323
West Germany	511,973	143,211	303,965
Other	80,545	511	77,587
TOTAL	\$ 7,214,619	\$ 661,398	\$ 1,789,065

** The dollar value as given here is defined generally as the market value in the foreign country, and, therefore, excludes U. S. import duties, freight charges from the foreign country to the United States, and insurance.

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