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REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 1969

IMPORTS OF LEAD PRODUCTS FOR CONSUMPTION (a)

(In Short Tons)

<u>PRODUCTS</u>	<u>TOTAL FOR 1968</u>		<u>NOVEMBER 1969</u>		<u>TOTAL FOR 1969</u>	
	<u>AMT.</u>	<u>LEAD CONT.</u>	<u>AMT.</u>	<u>LEAD CONT.</u>	<u>11 MONTHS</u>	<u>AMT. LEAD CONT.</u>
<u>Plates, Sheet Strip</u>						
Belgium	332	332	--	--	94	94
Canada	185	185	38	38	186	186
Netherlands	254	254	6	6	49	49
West Germany	13	13	--	--	7	7
Yugoslavia	--	--	--	--	151	151
TOTAL	784	784	44	44	487	487
<u>Bars, Rods, Angles, Shapes, etc.</u>						
Canada	44	44	--	--	85	85
United Kingdom	1	1	--	--	--	--
TOTAL	45	45	--	--	85	85
<u>Lead Pipe, Tubes Blanks & Fittings</u>						
Belgium	16	16	--	--	6	6
Canada	9	9	--	--	1	1
United Kingdom	113	113	--	--	51	51
Yugoslavia	--	--	--	--	2	2
TOTAL	138	138	--	--	60	60
<u>Powder and Flakes</u>						
Canada	26	26	2	2	32	32
Mexico	1,150	1,150	120	120	1,203	1,203
TOTAL	1,176	1,176	122	122	1,235	1,235

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<u>PRODUCTS</u>	<u>TOTAL FOR 1968</u>		<u>NOVEMBER 1969</u>		<u>TOTAL FOR 1969</u>	
	<u>AMT.</u>	<u>LEAD CONT.</u>	<u>AMT.</u>	<u>LEAD CONT.</u>	<u>11 MONTHS</u>	<u>AMT. LEAD CONT.</u>
<u>Feil</u>						
United Kingdom	45	45	--	--	15	15
West Germany	<u>78</u>	<u>78</u>	--	--	<u>34</u>	<u>34</u>
TOTAL	123	123	--	--	49	49
<u>Lead Products Not Coated or Plated</u>						
Finland	--	--	--	--	1	1
Sweden	1	1	--	--	--	--
Belgium	1	1	--	--	--	--
Canada	73	73	1	1	114	114
France	2	2	1	1	2	2
Italy	8	8	--	--	3	3
Japan	27	27	3	3	31	31
Netherlands	3	3	--	--	--	--
Mexico	--	--	--	--	11	11
United Kingdom	32	32	1	1	27	27
West Germany	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>33</u>
TOTAL	154	154	10	10	222	222
<u>Unwrought Lead Alloys (Lead Content)</u>						
Jamaica	--	--	--	--	112	112
Panama	--	--	--	--	6	6
Australia	61	61	--	--	150	150
Belgium	800	800	41	41	85	85
Bolivia	75	75	--	--	--	--
Canada	2,476	2,476	222	222	2,442	2,442
Denmark	44	44	--	--	58	58
France	--	--	--	--	552	552
Ireland	--	--	20	20	212	212
Mexico	1,629	1,629	--	--	845	845
Netherlands	5	5	--	--	11	11
Peru	--	--	21	21	698	698
United Kingdom	3,195	3,195	412	412	4,881	4,881
West Germany	<u>1,619</u>	<u>1,619</u>	--	--	<u>162</u>	<u>162</u>
TOTAL	9,904	9,904	716	716	10,214	10,214

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PRODUCTS	TOTAL FOR 1968		NOVEMBER 1969		TOTAL FOR 1969	
	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	11 MONTHS	AMT. LEAD CONT.
<u>Unwrought Tin Alloys</u>						
Belgium	70	34	--	--	--	--
Bolivia	40	40	--	--	--	--
Canada	7	3	--	--	--	--
Netherlands	12	6	--	--	--	--
Thailand	--	--	--	--	887	148
United Kingdom	485	232	51	21	564	224
West Germany	138	71	--	--	198	87
TOTAL	752	386	51	21	1,649	459
<u>Lead Tin Solder</u> <u>(Flux Coated or Cored</u> <u>Only)</u>						
Denmark	3	1	--	--	4	2
Canada	116	79	2	1	12	8
Netherlands	3	1	--	--	--	--
United Kingdom	380	187	3	1	382	190
West Germany	1	1	--	--	--	--
TOTAL	503	269	5	2	398	200
<u>Litharge*</u>						
Belgium	89	82	--	--	--	--
Canada	1	1	--	--	--	--
France	541	502	--	--	190	176
Mexico	24,053	22,371	2,632	2,448	21,862	20,431
Netherlands	20	19	--	--	--	--
United Kingdom	17	16	--	--	--	--
West Germany	7	7	--	--	2	2
TOTAL	24,728	22,998	2,632	2,448	22,054	20,609

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PRODUCTS	TOTAL FOR 1968		NOVEMBER 1969		TOTAL FOR 1969	
	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	AMT.	LEAD CONT.	11 MONTHS AMT.	LEAD CONT.
<u>Red Lead*</u>						
Italy	--	--	--	--	25	23
Belgium	113	103	--	--	60	55
Ceylon	15	13	--	--	--	--
France	1,120	1,020	80	73	765	696
Mexico	2,524	2,295	480	437	3,862	3,515
Netherlands	23	20	--	--	33	29
Poland	28	25	--	--	9	7
West Germany	<u>593</u>	<u>538</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>372</u>	<u>337</u>
TOTAL	4,416	4,014	565	514	5,126	4,662
<u>White Lead*</u>						
Belgium	20	15	--	--	20	15
Canada	500	375	1	1	213	160
Japan	33	25	6	5	59	45
Netherlands	886	667	40	30	610	459
United Kingdom	154	116	--	--	30	22
West Germany	<u>566</u>	<u>426</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>606</u>	<u>455</u>
TOTAL	2,159	1,624	97	73	1,538	1,156
<u>Chrome Yellow*</u>						
Canada	15	10	--	--	13	8
Japan	3,134	2,005	290	186	3,180	2,036
Norway	33	21	--	--	--	--
West Germany	<u>133</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>79</u>
TOTAL	3,315	2,121	293	188	3,318	2,123
Grand Total	48,197	43,736	4,535	4,138	46,435	41,561

(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>1964</u>	<u>1965</u>	<u>1966</u>	<u>1967</u>
Canada	\$281,718	\$629,866	\$644,108	\$ 913,621
Italy	219,301	196,404	190,355	170,742
Japan	354,914	813,869	940,804	1,547,896
Mexico	37,666	16,257	536	13,657
Sweden	93,628	91,688	182,075	95,126
United Kingdom	297,549	476,287	238,183	171,836
West Germany	156,001	492,226	580,155	323,292
Other	12,328	107,776	192,601	43,100
TOTAL	\$1,453,105	\$2,824,373	\$2,968,817	\$3,279,270

	<u>1968 Total</u>	<u>November 1969</u>	<u>Total for 1969 11 Months</u>
Canada	\$2,043,645	\$388,144	\$2,767,640
Italy	101,002	35,207	308,939
Japan	1,528,968	387,175	2,525,541
Mexico	8,373	2,381	15,111
Sweden	68,402	---	13,639
United Kingdom	285,874	23,800	302,940
West Germany	467,819	76,906	435,332
Other	72,572	44,273	78,395
TOTAL	\$4,576,655	\$957,886	\$6,447,537

**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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