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Preface

This study was carried out by Regional and Country Studies of UNIDO's Department for Programme and Project Development within the framework of the Industrial Development Decade for Africa. It forms part of UNIDO's ongoing activities to support industrial development in the African region.

Extensive work both in the field and at headquarters was undertaken to collect and analyse a large amount of data. UNIDO staff was greatly assisted in this task both by three consultants; B.U.N. Igwe (Nigeria), K.-H. Plaetzer (West Germany) and A. Trickett (U.K.), by the PTA and SADCC Secretariats and by numerous officials in the countries of the sub-region who took time to discuss with study missions and to supply information.

It is hoped that the findings will serve industrial policy-makers as well as organizations involved in financial and technical assistance to countries of the sub-region.

Chapter 1

INTRODUCTION

1. This study deals with the production and consumption of basic steel products in 20 East and Southern African countries: Its major objective is to compile information for the establishment of a factual and analytical framework to be used as a basis for making decisions on sub-regional collaboration and co-ordination in the iron and steel sector.
2. The study was requested by two (overlapping) sub-regional groups of countries, the Preferential Trade Area for Eastern and Southern African States (PTA)^{1/} and the Southern African Development Co-ordination Conference (SADCC)^{2/} which are both active in a broad range of development activities in the area.
3. The study seeks to complement and quantify main aspects of the self-reliance strategies of the PTA and SADCC by projecting possible future trends and exploring options. In the case of PTA, the sectoral strategy contains three main stages:
 - (i) Backward integration, initially making use of billets and blooms from Zimbabwe in the national rolling mills for the manufacture of bars, rods, beams, channels, sections, etc.;
 - ii) The production of sponge iron (DRI) to feed electric arc-furnaces to produce billets for the rolling mills;
 - iii) Integrating rolling/electric arc-furnaces to iron making where demand justifies.
4. Several steps have already been taken in the implementation of the strategy. The latest breakthrough has been the conclusion of supply/purchase agreements between Zimbabwe and Kenya/Ethiopia. Examination of concrete technical options for upgrading, rehabilitation and harmonization of rolling mills have been made for some countries and will be continued. Important preparatory work is underway or planned in the fields of manpower development, metallurgical technology, and the production of sponge iron.

1/ Members are Burundi, Comoros, Djibouti, Ethiopia, Kenya, Lesotho, Malawi, Mauritius, Rwanda, Somalia, Swaziland, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Angola, Botswana, Madagascar, Mozambique and Seychelles are potential members with status as observers.

2/ Members are Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Swaziland, Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

5. UNIDO has taken a keen interest in supporting the implementation of the sub-regional strategies and have been or will be involved in most of the activities mentioned above. This will take place within the framework of the Industrial Development Decade for Africa (IDDA). The present study should also be seen in that context and takes into account the resolution adopted by the Seventh Conference of African Ministers of Industry on the implementation of IDDA. The resolution inter alia called for the preparation of a survey of African demand/supply requirements, especially in the strategic core industries and support areas as an input for the preparation of an Industrial Map of Africa.

6. The report is in two volumes. Volume I contains the main report and six annexes which give details and background information in the following fields; a general outline of the iron and steel sector (I); the present status of the industry in the sub-region (II); transport infrastructure and costs (III); iron and steelmaking resources of the sub-region (IV); indirect steel consumption (V) and methodology and assumptions (VI).

7. The main report is built up from these annexes and Volume II which contains all the detailed data material by country and a "users guide" to the tables. Chapter 2 of the main report contains a summary and conclusions of the study and Chapter 3 a general description of the sector with special emphasis on its relation to the engineering sector. Chapters 4 and 5 are the main chapters; the former gives a description of the current status of the industry in the sub-region and the latter an analysis of projections made for 1990 and 1995, focussing on the balance between demand and supply, requirements for additional production capacity and intertrade prospects. The analysis covers the basic iron and steel products as well as billets, crude steel and steelmaking metallics. Particular attention is given to the possibility of the production of Direct Reduced Iron (DRI) in one or more locations of the sub-region.

Chapter 2

SUMMARY AND MAIN CONCLUSIONS

2.1 Objectives

1. The main objective of this study is a systematic compilation of existing information on the supply and demand for basic steel products in PTA and SADCC in order to establish a factual and analytical framework that may be used as a basis for making decisions on sub-regional collaboration and co-ordination in the iron and steel sector. Recommendations were guided by the sectoral strategies outlined in the Introduction (Chapter 1), involving prominently an emphasis on sub-regional self-sufficiency.

2.2 Definitions, methodology and data

2. The study focuses on demand and supply for a range of basic (rolled) steel products (bars, rods, angles, shapes, various types of plate, hoop, strip, rails and rail track material, wire and tubes). For these products, individual demand projections by country were developed for 1990 and 1995 using a linear regression method based on cross section data for the base period 1981-1983. The model assumes that differences between countries and changes over time in the consumption of basic steel products depend on variations in the explanatory variables; GDP, GDP per capita and a third variable^{1/} depending on the type of product under analysis.
3. As there is considerable uncertainty regarding future (1990 and 1995) levels of the explanatory variables, three alternative projections ("high growth case", "base case" and "low growth case") were developed for each country. For each of these, two different assumptions were made about the degree of domestic replacement of imported goods with a steel content (and thus increased domestic demand for basic steel products) through an expansion of the domestic engineering industries ("main projection" and "projection with accelerated absorption"). As it would be impracticable to consider the resulting six alternatives throughout, the analysis is mainly built on the main projection base case. It is not implied however, that this alternative a priori is a much more likely one than the others.

^{1/} Gross investment, manufacturing value added or value added in building and construction.

4. The reliability of the projections depend on the macro-economic assumptions made as well as the statistical quality of the coefficients estimated. Although indications are that the estimates are statistically acceptable, the large range of equally probable macro assumptions imply a large spread of projections. Technological innovations that are known to cause decreasing steel intensities in developed countries have not explicitly been taken into account.
5. An illustrative assumption was made about the structure and level of sub-regional production of basic steel items; It was assumed that the overall capacity utilization of existing rolling plant, being less than 25 per cent in the base period, would increase to 70 per cent in 1990 and 80-90 per cent in 1995. Firmly planned new capacity was assumed to operate at similar rates of utilization. On the basis of the demand/supply balance as arrived at above it was possible to consider the need for additional capacities both at the level of basic steel products and at the various upstream levels (billet making, crude steel, and metallic inputs for steelmaking, e.g. scrap and direct reduced iron (DRI)).
6. Data had to be compiled from various sources, the main one being national data obtained through study missions to 17 of the 20 countries in the sub-region. These data were complemented with trade and industry data derived from the UN statistical office and the UNIDO data bank.
7. Data storage, preparation of projections and printing of the country tables contained in Volume II have been done through an integrated system of computer data files and programmes. Assuming compatibility with regard to hardware and software, the system could be transferred to the PTA/SADCC secretariats. It would then constitute a framework for continuous monitoring and ad hoc analyses of the state of the iron and steel sector in the sub-region. Particularly, it would lend itself to the analysis of various national plans and policies in a sub-regional perspective.

2.3 Present production and consumption

8. In terms of crude steel equivalents, the 1981-83 sub-regional consumption was 1.2 million tpy of which 0.8 tpy had to be imported because of low capacity utilization of existing plant and a production profile ill-

matched to the profile of consumption. Per capita steel consumption, 7.8 kg per annum is exceedingly low, e.g. only 10 per cent of Latin American and 20 per cent of Asian consumption. There are however great differences in national per capita consumption levels; Zimbabwe's consumption is presently at the same level as some Latin American countries. On the other hand, Ethiopia, Somalia, Mozambique and Uganda have very low per capita consumption.

9. The basic steelmaking materials are all found in the region. Iron ore reserves of which Zimbabwe and Angola have the major share (59 per cent of total) amounts to at least 6,344 million tonnes for the region as a whole. Coal resources amount to 54,600 million tonnes (51 per cent in Zimbabwe). Commercial exploitation is at an infant stage. Only Zimbabwe produces coke but cokable coal occurs also in Mozambique and Swaziland. Careful evaluation would be needed to determine whether and how any particular source would be useable for DRI processes. Alloying minerals are also found in large quantities; Zimbabwe has 86 per cent of the world's reserves of high chrome ore. Refractory materials of high quality are found in the sub-region. Fluxing minerals are also found in abundant quantities.

10. Both production and consumption of steel is unevenly spread throughout the region; Kenya and Zimbabwe in 1981-83 stood for 68 per cent of sub-regional steel consumption but only 17 per cent of population. Zimbabwe has 81 per cent of the region's crude steelmaking capacity. The SADCC countries as a whole with some 40 per cent of population and 50 per cent of total GDP has 60 per cent of total steel consumption and nearly 90 per cent of steel production capacity.

2.4 Conclusions for future sub-regional development

Projected consumption for basic steel products

11. Consumption projections showed wide variations between the different alternatives. For the sub-region as a whole, the 1.2 million tpy consumption in 1981-83 would increase to 3.13 million tpy in the highest alternative and 1.71 million tpy in the lowest. The base case indicates a consumption of 1.7 million tpy in 1990 and 2.2 million tpy in 1995 meaning a growth rate per annum of 4.3 per cent from 1981-83 to 1990 and 5.8 per cent from 1990 to 1995 which is considerably above the forecast

growth of population and GDP. The projections also strongly indicate a change in the structure of consumption with the emphasis shifting away from bars, rods and angles towards plate and sheet items.

Rolling capacity

12. Rolling capacity (existing and planned) for the basic, non flat steel products (bars, rods, light and medium angles and shapes) appear on main base case demand projections to be sufficient up to 1995, even when assuming the same level of extra regional exports as in the base period. The main challenge in this product range is to increase capacity utilization from the current 25 per cent to the region of 70 per cent by 1990 and beyond by 1995. If this is done, current national plans for capacity expansion appear very sensible giving a good market balance for the above mentioned products with some sub-regional export to non producers from Zimbabwe, Kenya and Mauritius. The study thus re-confirms the appropriateness of the urgent attention of both individual countries and the sub-regional organizations to capacity utilization and rehabilitation.

13. A major reason for low capacity utilization is the generally rundown condition of most steel plant equipment. Studies of mill deficiencies completed indicate a whole range of improvements needed. (Introduction of continuous casting, better process monitoring, reduction of heat losses, improvements in powering of roughing stands, roll calibration and roll cooling). In general, the major process units now in operation are at least ten years old, having been installed in the 1960s or early 1970s. For some mills the cost of rehabilitation to reach a high fraction of design capacity could come close to the price of a new mill. Most of the steel plants in the region are government owned or controlled. Only in Kenya, Mauritius and Madagascar are plants generally privately owned.

14. Improvement in capacity utilization may bring net import requirement down from the present two-thirds to around 40 per cent in 1995 but for further increase of sub-regional self-sufficiency in basic steel, the production of plate and sheet in the region is imperative. All these products are presently imported, whereas aggregate demand appears sufficient to justify low capacity techniques for plate production. By 1990, if base case projections hold and it is feasible to produce all plate and sheet

items consumed, demand in both Kenya and Zimbabwe would be sufficient for production units based on local plate demand. If in addition sufficient relatively small amounts of heavy angles and rails, wire and tube and special steels could be produced, full sub-regional self-sufficiency could be achieved before 1995.

Billet making

15. The need for new billet making capacity would depend on the capacity utilization of existing and planned rolling mills and billet producing plant. A major factor would also be whether or not the substantial amount of billets presently exported from Zimbabwe would be available for covering sub-regional demand. The recently concluded (PTA promoted) supply/purchase agreements between Zimbabwe and Kenya and Ethiopia indicate that present market conditions are in favour of Zimbabwe increasing its deliveries to the region. Future changes in market prices and profitability for billet production, Zimbabwe's own use of billets for special steel products and its need for foreign exchange earning exports will determine the continuation of the export in the longer run. Base case projections indicate a sub-regional billet deficit at some 100,000 tonnes by 1995 which if 250,000 tpy of billets were exported overseas from Zimbabwe would increase to 360,000 tpy. Even though the low growth projections indicate no need for extra capacity, the probability of higher than base case growth makes it difficult not to conclude that substantial additional billet capacity may be needed between 1990 and 1995.

Crude steel

16. Given the forecast substantial increase in demand for basic steel products, it will be the sub-regional bottlenecks in steel rolling and semis (billets, slabs) production which will determine the demand for crude steel. Two major factors in this regard are the possibility of plate and sheet production and the possibility of overseas exports from the region (most likely from Zimbabwe). If no extra capacity other than what is planned at present is assumed and Zimbabwe does not export billets overseas, there would be no need for extra production capacity in crude steel. If plate production and/or Zimbabwean billet export is assumed the need for additional crude steel capacity would be upwards of 250,000 tpy. If all upstream capacity bottlenecks were removed, the crude steel output needed could by 1995 increase to over 3 million tpy, more than three times the capacity envisaged in that year.

Demand for steelmaking metallics

17. The metallics demand can be derived from the required crude steel production. Since Zimbabwe would most likely remain self-sufficient in steelmaking metallics only the metallics demand of the sub-region ex-Zimbabwe was considered. Even when using the lowest demand alternative implying that the crude steel capacity presently planned for 1995 would be underused by more than 30 per cent, an additional requirement for 200,000 tpy of steelmaking metallics would arise.

DRI production

18. Coverage of such a deficit by production of DRI in the region is considered feasible. Considering the rather low demand indicated by the lowest growth alternative, the SL/RN production process would appear the most suitable although the method does suffer from technical and operational handicaps that deserve fuller analysis before a decision is taken.
19. A consideration of the most suitable location alternatives for DRI plants gave no firm conclusions and further technical investigation is needed. Possible locations in Mozambique and Tanzania were highlighted, both based on a revival of projects formerly considered.

Scrap availability

20. All steel producing units in the sub-region except ZISCO in Zimbabwe use ferrous scrap as their main input. Even if DRI in adequate quantities can be supplied in future, present electric arc furnaces in the region does not allow more than approximately 65 per cent DRI metallic feedstock. The additional 35 per cent would most likely have to be scrap. Even if scrap availability is assumed to increase by 5 per cent per annum, this could only satisfy the lowest forecast for total metallics demand on a 35/65 basis. Estimates of scrap availability compared to present and potentially required use strongly confirms the popular opinion that the sub-region is running out of scrap. Therefore the likelihood is that improvements in gathering and processing practices as well as utilization of new sources would be necessary if increased scrap imports was to be avoided. Such improvements could consist in:

- a) Setting up collection and processing systems
- b) Giving various incentives for scrap utilization to local melt shops
- c) Promote inter-regional trade in scrap
- d) Expand the shipbreaking operations now taking place in Mauritius and Kenya.

Availability of other raw materials

21. Several intermediate products of critical importance are imported. As capacity underutilization were found in part to be due to the lack of such materials it would be important in the short-term to devise strategies for ensuring a reliable supply of imported intermediates and in the longer term to produce them in the sub-region.
22. Refractory materials of high quality are also available in the region. The production of refractories is hampered by small national markets but would represent a good opportunity for production if seen in a sub-regional context.

Sub-regional trade in steel

23. The scope for sub-regional trade in steel will depend much on whether plate production will take place and the extent to which billets are supplied from Zimbabwe to the rest of the sub-region. If production for sub-regional consumption remain limited to present products, trade patterns will largely be as at present. If plate production covering only half of sub regional demand is started by 1995, intertrade flows in basic steel products would at least increase by a factor of 5. If projected regional demand for billets in 1995 was covered as far as possible by Zimbabwean exports it would mean a 6-7 fold increase in the volume of billet trade.
24. Production costs and prices (using official exchange rates for conversion of local currency amounts) for the scrap based mills appear to vary considerably between the countries of the sub region and is indicative of the prevalence of captive (non competitive) markets. Production costs calculated in a realistic (illustrative) example appear to imply that several producers might be able to cut costs substantially. Also, if domestic production costs are compared with import prices for European/US steel it is indicated that the rationale for local production may be not so much total cost saving but rather the saving of foreign exchange. This is so even though the foreign exchange cost component may be as high as 50 per cent

25. Zimbabwe steel seems however to be price competitive for most destinations in the region, given that ZISCO can produce at ex-factory costs comparable to those of overseas producers.
26. Apart from cutting production costs, the sub-region's competitiveness vis a vis external steel producers can be increased by reducing the price of local (sub-regional) steel delivered to the consumer and exploiting the particular advantages to consumers of having a sub-regional supplier:
- a) Lead times in delivery can be reduced, also reducing the financial burdens of the credit pipeline;
 - b) Increasing accuracy of deliveries according to specification;
 - c) Reducing transport costs by looking into new transport routes, the scope for intermediate warehousing, and negotiation of global transport agreements with overland transporters and maritime shipping companies;
 - d) Building of long term business connections and rendering technical support services;
 - e) Improve product quality.

The role of Zimbabwe

27. Zimbabwe's advanced position in the sub-region, both in steel production and in engineering, should be consciously used for the advancement of the region. Zimbabwe would in turn benefit from growth and development in the surrounding economies. Whereas Zimbabwe's decisions in substantial part must be based on its self-interest, it is of paramount importance that the country plans sectoral investment and production in conjunction with the other countries in the sub-region. In a sub-regional context Zimbabwe would seem the natural potential supplier of special steels, high alloy products and new products like plate and sheet where a relatively high technological level is required.

Planning and co-operation

28. Even when combined, the 20 national markets constitute, in terms of GDP, a market only the size of a small European country like Denmark. It is therefore urgently necessary for a start in developing a regional steel industry that all 20 countries co-operate. This study consequently does not aim to present separate conclusions for SADCC and PTA, although the analysis gives separate figures for the two groupings. The good working relations between the two overlapping sub-regional groupings PTA and SADCC in the iron and steel sector must be further strengthened as well

as consultation and co-ordination mechanisms for sectoral development between all 20 countries. For the purpose of transport and trading systems it may however prove appropriate to divide the region operationally into sub-entities, e.g. a northern and a southern area.

29. Demand projections are sensitive to assumptions made about macro economic development and the progress of the engineering sector. The considerable spread between likely alternatives as to future steel consumption leads to a problem of uncertainty. The degree of uncertainty is however affected by the development approach chosen:

Firstly, the production of basic steel is one element in a series of linked industries. Upstream industries deal with the production of billets and crude steel, ironmaking and mining processes. Downstream industries are those which further process the basic products and incorporate basic steel into final goods. In the study, considerable emphasis is placed on the fact that the growth of the engineering sector is most important for basic steel demand. It is argued that the pull effect of the engineering industry is required to create demand for rolled products, and that the often assumed push effect on engineering by local steel production has played a minor role. The lower investment cost, higher employment potential and the crucial role of local engineering capacity in the development of the whole manufacturing sector are other reasons why the development of engineering should be seen as a precedent for the development of an iron and steel industry rooted in sub-regional demand. Also, the proven existence of such demand would play a decisive role for international and bilateral financing institutions whose support would most probably be required for establishing new upstream production facilities. Both sub-regional groupings at present have launched studies in this field which should form the basis for an added emphasis on the promotion of engineering in a sub-regional framework.

Secondly, in the steel sector proper an integrated planning approach should be used, taking fully into consideration the interplay between the various links in the production chain (rolling, billet making, crude steel, steelmaking inputs). Most importantly, the planning and development of upstream capacity would seem to be crucially dependent on whether or not plate and sheet capacity is installed, and clarification on this level should be sought at an early stage.

Thirdly, by building up the production system, to the extent technically possible, in smaller rather than larger steps, the probability of waste implied in over-planning can be reduced. Should, on the other hand unexpected sub-regional steel deficits appear over the next decade, the likelihood is that they can be easily made up for by cheap imports from overseas.

30. In seeking external finance for sectoral development both nationally and sub-regionally arguments will be strengthened by considering projects in a sub-regional framework and as part of a well conceived sub-regional investment programme based on the sub-regional strategies. The present study could be considered as an input to such a programme in confirming the correctness of prevailing strategies and pointing out some directions for further investigations.

Chapter 3

THE IRON AND STEEL SECTOR, DEFINITION AND CHARACTERISTICS

1. The iron and steel production sector can most appropriately be defined by referring to the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC) which classifies the sector under the Major Division No.3, Manufacturing, in Division 37, Basic Metal Industries, as major Group 371, Iron and Steel Basic Industries. This sector is defined as follows:

2. "The manufacture of primary iron and steel products, consists of all processes from smelting in blast furnaces to the semi-finished stage in rolling mills and foundries, that is, the production of billets, blooms, slabs or bars; hot and cold rolling and drawing into basic forms such as sheets, tin-plate, terne plate and black-plate, strips, tubes and pipes, rails, rods, and wire rods and heavy gauze wires, castings and forgings. Establishments primarily engaged in manufacturing of ferrous wire and wire products from purchased rods are classified in group 3819 (Manufacture of fabricated metal products except machinery and equipment n.e.c.). The foundries included here are part of establishments primarily engaged in producing and rolling of iron and steel or are primarily engaged in manufacturing castings and forgings for sale to others. Foundries in establishments primarily engaged in the manufacture, e.g., stamping, pressing, machining, assembling of a given class of goods, are included in the group to which the parent establishment is classified. Also included are coke ovens, which are associated with blast furnaces and which can be separately reported coke ovens which can be separately reported are classified in group 3540 (Manufacture of miscellaneous products of petroleum and coal)."

3. This study covers the iron and steel basic industries by concentrating on the supply and demand for basic rolled products and then considering the derived implications for prior stages of the production chain. The foundry sub sector which has different economic and technological characteristics is not included in this study. The forging industry hardly exists in the sub region and should, owing to its scope of production, be treated in an analysis of downstream industries.

4. Being one stage of the production chain, the rolling of basic products is linked to other industries. Upstream industries are iron and steel production, production of 'semis', billets, slabs, mining and preparation of raw materials, additives to iron production such as limestone or, in the case of production of special steels, other metals like vanadium, chromium, nickel, titanium or aluminium, and energy carriers and reducing agents. The production of refractories used in iron and steel making should likewise be mentioned in this context. Downstream industries are the construction and engineering industries. Construction normally uses the steel products as supplied by the steel producer after cutting to appropriate sizes, sometimes bending and joining them adequately. Engineering industries transform the steel products purchased from steel producers into new and mostly complex products such as fabricated metal products, machinery, electrical and transport equipment as well as scientific, measuring and controlling instruments. Steel usually represents the most important raw material for the engineering industries. Exceptions from this are the production of electrical equipment (e.g. electronics, telecommunications equipment) and scientific measuring and controlling instruments.

5. Engineering industries produce both capital goods (i.e. machinery and equipment to produce other goods or services) and consumer durables (e.g. motorcars, refrigerators, radios and television sets).

6. They are classified under ISIC 38 and are sub-divided into five major groups:^{1/}
 - Manufacture of cutlery, hand tools and general hardware (ISIC 381)
 - Manufacture of engines and turbines (ISIC 382)
 - Manufacture of electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances and supplies (ISIC 383)
 - Manufacture of transport equipment (ISIC 384)
 - Manufacture of professional and scientific, measuring and controlling equipment not elsewhere classified, and of photographic and optical goods (ISIC 385).

^{1/} Each of these major groups is sub-divided into several sub-groups which are described in Annex I. For more details reference is made to the UN publication, "International Standard Industrial Classification", New York, 1968.

7. Engineering industries have played an important role in the economic advancement of all industrialized countries and also of newly industrialized countries such as the Republic of Korea, Singapore and Brazil. The sector's share in manufacturing value added is around 40 to 50 per cent in industrialized countries (on the average) and around 28 to 35 per cent in newly industrialized countries (Singapore: 50 per cent). Engineering industries have played and play a catalytic role in technological innovation. In the past these technological innovations have stimulated the steel sector, both in expansion of its volume and in development of new steel products such as alloy steels for special applications.
8. The present wave of technological innovations is, however, combined with a reduction in steel consumption of the engineering industries. This process is quite complex, but in general terms it can be said that present technological innovation within the engineering industries takes place in areas with low links to the steel industry, like micro-electronics. Also, innovations appear to promote a process where steel is substituted by new materials glass and carbon fibres and high durable plastics, which for example partially have replaced steel in the production of pumps. Technological innovation has also led to a reduction of specific steel requirements per unit output. Hence, the iron and steel industry gradually loses its predominant supply position for the engineering industries and, overall, new steel products are of less vital importance to technological innovation in the engineering industry. This does not mean, however, that technological innovation in steel production and application as well as development of new steel products will not be of importance in the future. At present, technological innovation in the iron and steel sector is however, economically less important than the one of non-steel related areas of the engineering industries.
9. The technological innovation referred to will, however, over the next decade have a less pronounced effect on the sub-region where engineering is generally not highly developed. Looking at the history of more developed countries one main driving force for steel demand have been the engineering industries. The demand of increasingly diversified

engineering industries allowed the production of a great variety of steel products. It was mainly the "pull-effect" of this sector which led to the importance of the steel industry. The "push-effect", i.e. the expansion of engineering because of an expanding steel production has played a minor role. Even though both sectors depend heavily on each other it can be said generally that steel consumption is boosted by an active and growing engineering industry. Engineering development, on the other hand, does not necessarily require a national basic iron and steel industry. There are examples of industrialized or newly industrialized countries (e.g. Switzerland, Denmark, Singapore) which have little or no basic iron and steel industry but a highly diversified engineering sector which obtains its steel supplies from other countries.

10. Other factors also explain why a strategy of early concentration on the development of a strong engineering sector more and more is being recommended; The iron and steel sector requires high investments both in absolute terms and per employee. In most engineering industries investments are considerably lower, especially in ISIC major group 381, fabricated metal products. Therefore, development planning in many developing countries puts strong emphasis on the development of the engineering industries and similar industries with relatively low investment and a high potential of employment creation and entrepreneurship development, especially by promoting small scale industries. Decisive factors for entering into high investment areas are normally import substitution combined with foreign exchange generation through exports. Local supply aspects alone are considered insufficient by development planners. The massive requirement of skilled manpower at a fixed date, i.e. the start up of major investment project like an iron and steel plant, which hardly can be made available in many developing countries also represents an obstacle to successful implementation of such ventures.

11. The sub-regional groupings, PTA and SADCC have recognized the importance of the engineering sector. Studies of the sector are now underway or completed. These should form the basis for an added emphasis on the promotion of this sector in a sub-regional framework and with appropriate links to the plans for the iron and steel industry.

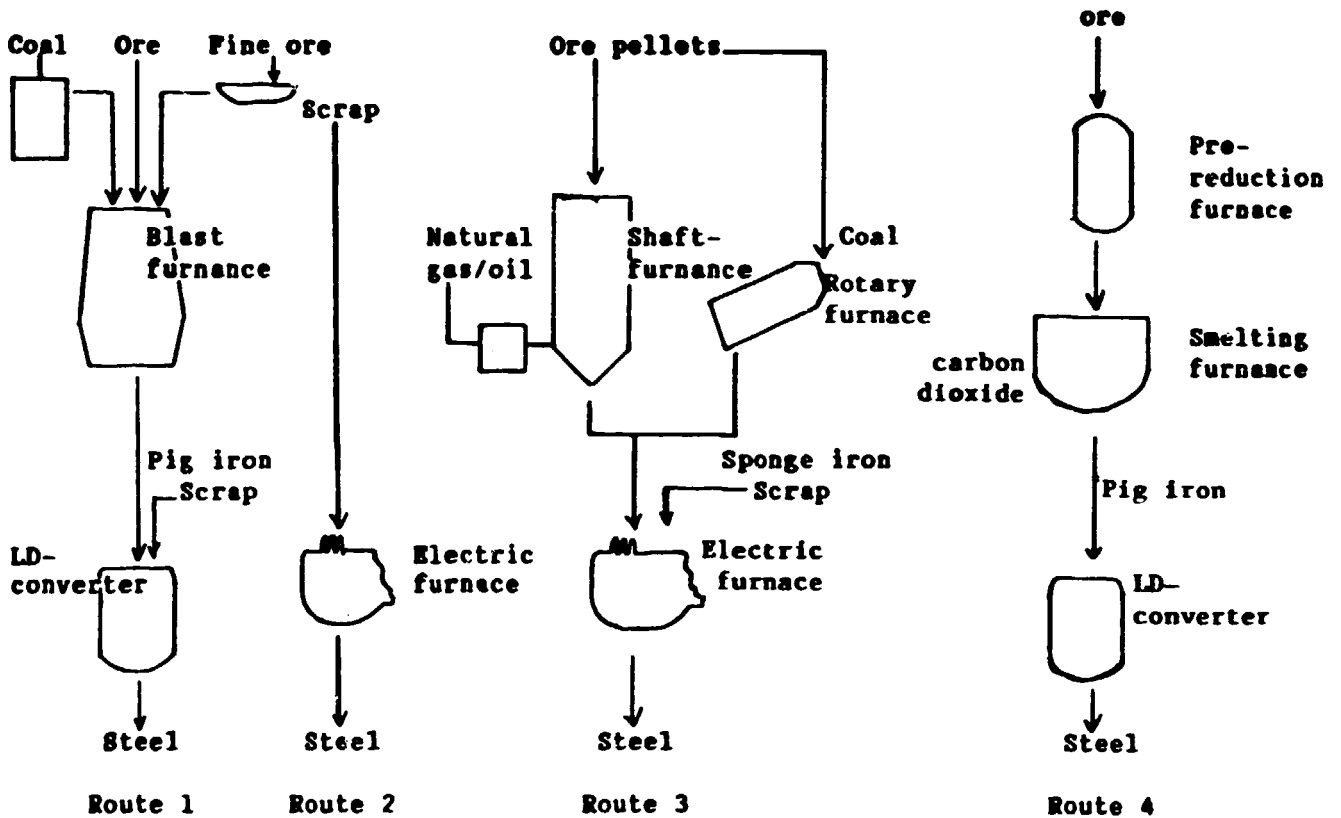
12. In the iron and steel production itself, distinction is made between different steps of production (for details see Annex I). The steps are:
 - mining and preparation of raw materials
 - iron production
 - steel production (semis)
 - rolling of products
 - coating of rolled products

13. There are at present four routes for steelmaking (see figure 3.1). Route 1 is the traditional blast furnace oxygen converter (BF-BOF) also known as an integrated steel plant; route 2 is based on scrap and/or direct reduced iron (DRI) for steelmaking in an electric arc furnace (EAF), route 3 is the DRI and electric arc furnace (EAF) process; and route 4, at present at the development stage, the smelting reduction process. Of economic interest are at present routes 1, 2 and 3 of which 1 and 3 are iron and steelmaking processes and 2 is only a steelmaking process. Route 1 requires relatively high investments and has a considerably higher minimum capacity than route 2 or 3. In each case, rolling of steel is the subsequent production step.

14. In rolling operations, distinction is made between rolling of flat products and rolling of shapes (cf. figures A.I.6 and A.I.7 of Annex I). Material input for the rolling of flat products are slabs and blooms. Rolling of shapes is subdivided into heavy sections for which the material inputs are blooms, and light shapes which are rolled from billets. Flat products consist of plates for example in ship-building and construction of containers and storage tanks, hot rolled sheets as used for lighter engineering works, and cold rolled sheet.

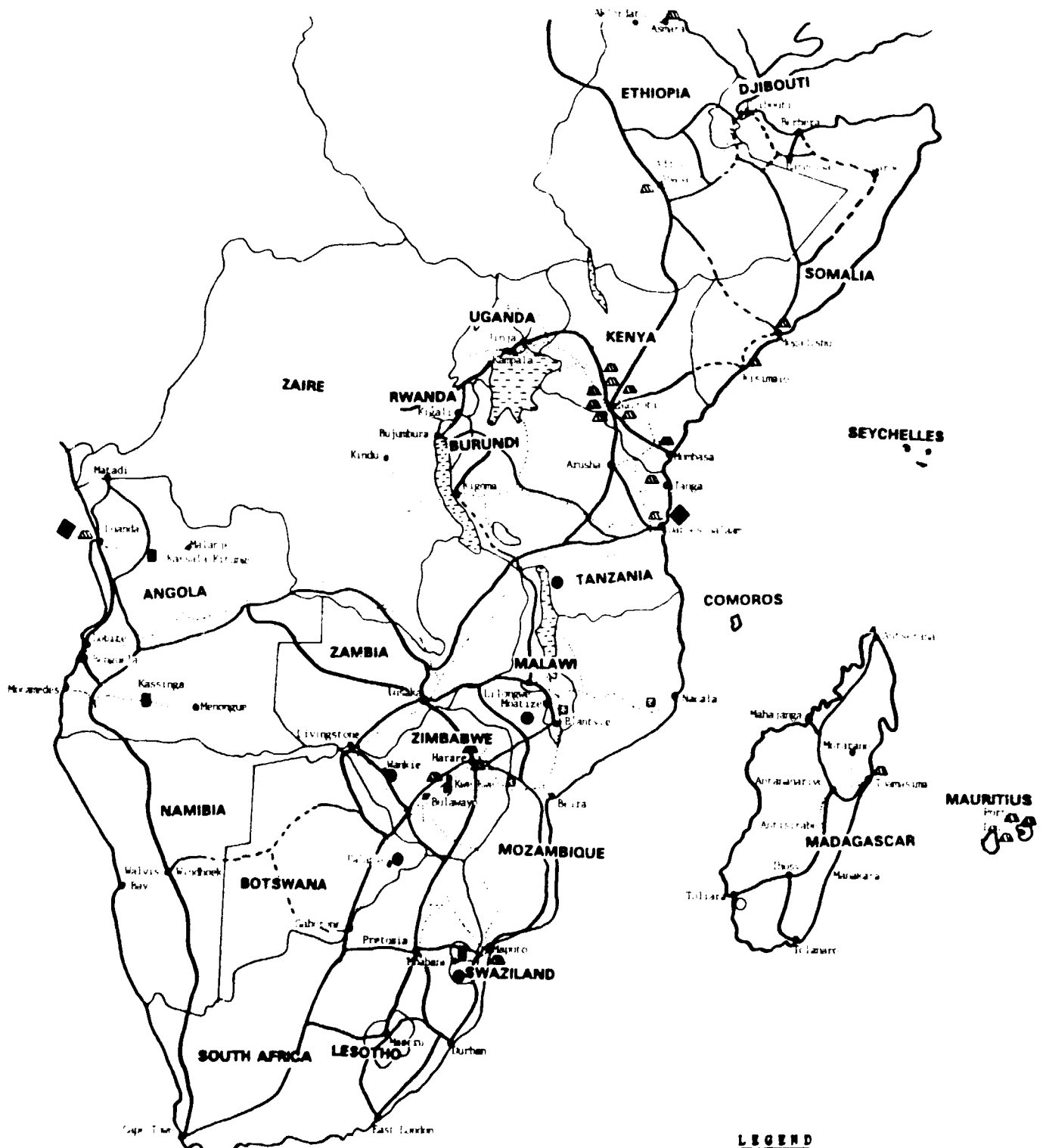
15. The future growth in the iron and steel industry in the sub-region will much depend on the growth of the construction sector and the development of the engineering industries. While the construction sector growth will mainly influence the development prospects of the products already rolled in the region, the engineering industry development will be essential for a diversification of the rolling mills into new products such as rolling of forged shapes and of flat products. The "pull-effect" to steel

Figure 3.1: Possible routes for steel production



consumption of the engineering industries is required to create the demand for new rolled products. The proven existence of such demand plays a decisive role for international and bilateral financing institutions whose support would most probably be required for establishing new facilities. Hence, future growth of the iron and steel industry, especially as to diversification into new rolled products, will above all depend on the development of the engineering industries.

Map of the subregion^{1/}



1/ Detailed country maps in Volume II.

Chapter 4

THE IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRY IN THE PTA/SADCC SUB-REGION

4.1 Geographical distribution, production capacity and ownership pattern

1. As of the fourth quarter of 1985, there were 23 steel plants in nine countries in the Eastern and Southern African sub-region.^{1/} In numerical terms, Kenya had the highest concentration of steel mills (8, of which 7 were in and around Nairobi), with Mauritius accounting for 4, three in Zimbabwe, and two each in Tanzania and Ethiopia (although the latter's Ethiosider Iron and Steel Foundry in Asmara has been inoperative for the past few years). The remaining steel mills were in Angola, Madagascar, Mozambique and Uganda. (See Annex II, Table A.II.1).
2. The sub-region's largest and only integrated steelworks is that of the Zimbabwe Iron and Steel Company, Ltd., (ZISCO), at Redcliff, which is equipped with blast furnaces and oxygen converters, and has a realistic steel production capacity of 850,000 tonnes per year (tpy). Eight other plants in the sub-region would fit the definition of "mini-mills" in the sense that they operate scrap-based meltshops for producing billets and/or ingots as well as rolling mills for producing simple bars, shapes, and sections. The balance of the sub-region's mills are either meltshops producing billets or ingots for their sister-companies or other rolling mills, or pure rolling mills based on local and/or imported billets.
3. The sub-region's aggregate (liquid) steelmaking design capacity was in the base period (1981-83) 1.0191 million tpy,^{2/} 850,000 tonnes (81 per cent) of which was contributed by ZISCO. Kenya, the second ranking steel producer, was responsible for 85,100 tpy.
4. Because 12 steel plants in the sub-region are only re-rollers and because of the general tendency on the part of mini mills to build rolling capability in excess of what can be fed from their own billet/ingot

^{1/} By definition, a steel plant or mill refers to a facility that performs one or both of the following operations: - (a) melts ferrous metallic raw materials in a furnace for casting into billets, blooms, slabs, or ingots (the so called "semis") for subsequent processing by a rolling mill. Foundries are thus not included; (b) rolls "semis" into finished mill products such as bars, sections, sheets, etc.

^{2/} Refer to table A.II.1. Rolmil Kenya and Ethiopia's Asmara plant capacities not included.

capacity, the aggregate sub-regional steel rolling capacity of 1.61 million tonnes exceeds the steelmaking capacity by 57 per cent. In other words, if steel mills and rollers operated at maximum capacities, the sub-region would stand in need of billet/ingot importation to the tune of about 50 per cent of its local production capacity.

5. The ownership of the sub-regional steel industry reflects the ideological outlook and philosophies of the various governments in the sub-region regarding how best to harness the claimed catalytic effect of the industry in economic and industrial development. In those countries where the steel industry is perceived to be so critical that it must be under the direct control of the governments, all steel plants are government-owned, operating as parastatals under a supervising ministry. Such is the case in Angola, Ethiopia, Mozambique, Uganda, Tanzania, and Zimbabwe, although in the last two countries, there is minority private participation.

6. In contrast, all steel plants in Kenya, Mauritius, and Madagascar are privately-owned. A feature of these privately-held enterprises is that their owners and the top echelons of their management are generally expatriates. Whereas expatriate ownership may not necessarily be incompatible with the policies of the governments to attract foreign investment into the industry, expatriate dominance over technical and managerial issues may not augur well for the indigenization and long-term self-reliance of the industry. What is called for is a sustained effort at attracting indigenous investment and qualified high-level manpower (especially technical) coupled with skills up-grading programmes at all levels.

- 4.2 Sub-regional production and capacity utilization
7. Data gathered in the course of country missions show a downward trend in the subregional production of the basic (rolled) steel products included in the study. This is the case for both PTA and SADCC. Non-availability of raw and input materials, political conflicts in the sub-region, and poor equipment rehabilitation and maintenance have contributed towards this decline. For the PTA as a whole, aggregate production of basic products was about 401,000 tonnes in 1981, 372,000 tonnes in 1982, and 361,000 tonnes in 1983. The distribution by country is shown in Table 4.1.

Table 4.1: Sub-regional production of basic (rolled) steel^{1/}
(metric tonnes)

<u>Country</u>	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>	<u>1983</u>
Angola	2,670	1,670	2,330
Ethiopia	14,540	16,109	17,668
Kenya	54,670	62,100	53,495
Mauritius	8,949	8,899	9,000
Mozambique	12,700	8,500	8,000
Tanzania	16,273	13,352	12,424
Uganda	5,000	10,000	15,000
Zimbabwe	<u>286,004</u>	<u>251,293</u>	<u>243,360</u>
Total PTA	400,806	371,923	361,277
Total SADCC	317,647	274,815	266,114

^{1/} Note that Zimbabwe's production of billets is not included

8. Given the sub-regional aggregate rolling mill design capacity of 1.61 million tpy, these figures represent an overall sub-regional capacity utilization of 25 per cent in 1982, which declined to 23 per cent in 1983, and to 22 per cent in 1983. Circumstantial information indicate a similar development for following years.

9. Zimbabwe's predominance is highlighted by the fact that its shares of the sub-regional output were 71.4 per cent in 1981, 67.5 per cent in 1982, and 67.3 per cent in 1983. The decline in Zimbabwe's production, mostly due to shutdown because of blast furnace relining was the major cause of decline.

4.3 Sub-regional trade in steel

10. The steel industry's product mix consists of blooms and billets (for further rolling) as well as "long" products for the construction and engineering industries, in the form of bars (round, square, and flat, plain and twisted), rods (for wire production), and light and medium sections (angles, channels, beams, and light rails). There is no facility for production of "flat" sheets, strips and plates, and the sub-region's demand for this category of steel mill products is supplied through imports.

11. With the exception of Zimbabwe and to some extent Kenya, none of the countries of the sub-region participate regularly in the steel export trade, whether within or outside the PTA. Table 4.2 shows intra PTA steel trade flows of some regularity as an average for 1981-83. Zimbabwe's export to both SADCC and non-SADCC countries is bigger than that of Kenya. The greater part of Zimbabwe's inter region exports goes

to SADCC members whereas Kenya's export is largely concentrated on non-SADCC members of the sub-region. The absolute quantity of steel traded within PTA is small both in the context of Zimbabwe's total exports and the sub-region's total imports of steel from all sources. The prospects clearly exist for an exploitation of the sub-regional market by producers in the region, in the near term, particularly Zimbabwe. Zimbabwe exported in addition to the quantities shown in Table 4.2 as an average for 1981-83 about 90,000 tonnes of basic steel products outside the sub-region. The larger part of its steel exports are, however, in the form of low-margin (semi processed) blooms and billets of which 208,000 tonnes were exported, in 1981. Only 10 per cent of this went to countries in the sub-region. High transportation cost for delivering steel to the overseas customers tends to make Zimbabwean product less competitive on the world market, a situation that cuts into potential profit margins. In the medium and long-term, and in the interest of maximizing profits from the export trade, it would be in Zimbabwe's interest (as the leading steel producer in the sub-region) to re-orient its product mix in favour of more sophisticated and higher-margin flat and high-alloy products, for which there are currently no producers in the sub-region.

Table 4.2: Regular trade in steel products within PTA and SADCC, 1981-1983 (tonnes)

Product name	SITC	Exports from Kenya to			Exports from Zimbabwe to			Total intra PTA exports to		
		SADCC	Non SADCC	All PTA	SADCC	Non SADCC	All PTA	SADCC	Non SADCC	All PTA
Bars and rods	6732	249	1887	2136	4486	7388	11874	4735	9275	14010
Angles shp, hm	6734				1815	398	2212	1815	398	2212
Angles shp, l	6735	87	865	952	346	76	422	434	941	1375
Plates, heavy	6741									
Plates, medium	6742									
Plates, light	6743									
Tinplate	6747									
Other coat, p	6748	79	867	947				79	867	947
Hoop and strip	6750									
Rails	6761				614		614	614		614
Other rl track	6762				111		111	111		111
Wire	6770	9	780	789	757	0	757	766	780	1546
Seamless tubes	6782		0	0	655		655	655		655
Welded tubes	6783	8	453	461				8	453	461
Total		433	4852	5285	8785	7862	16646	9217	12714	21931

4.4 Condition of capital equipment

12. The under utilization of installed steelmaking and rolling equipment in the sub-region is due, in part to such factors as non availability of raw and input materials, poor maintenance and obsolescence of plant and equipment, and inadequacy of skilled manpower. The high incidence of equipment down-time is also attributable to the fact that virtually all plant equipment, as well as spare parts are imported.
13. The generally run-down condition of most steel plant equipment has prompted studies of possible rehabilitation programmes on a sub-regional basis. Several regional and international organizations such as ECA, the Commonwealth Secretariat and UNIDO have been involved, technical expertise having been provided in part by ZISCOSTEEL. Among the more specific technical deficiencies identified so far and which require rectification are the following:
- the continued production in many plants of largely out-moded "pencil ingots" as opposed to the more modern continuous casting of billets which, in addition to enhancing productivity and metal yield, after results in improved product quality;
 - the general inadequacy of instrumentation for process monitoring and control, particularly in relation to reheating furnace temperature profiles and liquid steel chemical analysis and temperature;
 - thermal inefficiencies and substantial heat losses in the oil-fired reheat furnaces; furnace performances could be significantly improved in most cases by heat recuperation and installation of more efficient burners;
 - under-powered roughing stands which severely limit the size of billets that can be handled;
 - improper roll calibration resulting in poor dimensional control of the finished product;
 - inadequate roll cooling facilities. Implementation of these and other corrective measures could result in increased productivity and less equipment down-time. As at present, the labour productivity in the sub-region, measured in terms of steel tonnage output per man year, is only a small percentage of the internationally accepted norms, and it is important to significantly improve the situation if products from the sub-region are to be cost-competitive.
14. Following this diagnosis, remedial measures would be taken in the general interest of the sub-region's steel industry. With general improvements in the national economies and therefore in the demand for steel mill products, avenues would be created for export of Zimbabwean billets, pig iron, and wire rods to foundries, re rollers and wire products manufacturers in the sub region, which would, in turn assist ZISCO to reduce the degree of its dependence on the extra regional export market.

4.5 Production cost and product prices

15. The production cost of rolled steel products varies between countries in the sub-region, and even between steel plants in the same country, depending on the relative accessibility to and delivered prices of raw materials, the specific unit operations employed, labour productivity, and the level of capacity utilization, among other factors. Accordingly, generalizations must be made with great caution.

16. Notwithstanding these variabilities, it is instructive to synthesize an indicative production cost for rolled products of the types manufactured by the mini-mills in the sub-region. It is assumed that the scrap-based EAF process is employed and that crude steel is continuously cast into billets and rolled into bars and simple shapes. The total project capital cost is taken as \$875 per ton of installed capacity, based on a recent quotation for a 25,000 tonnes/year (crude steel) capacity mini-mill in the sub-region.

17. Table 4.3 shows an itemization of the various cost elements incurred to produce a tonne of product. This amounts to \$393.50, of which one-third is accounted for by capital-related charges. Other major cost contributors are scrap (20 per cent), electricity (9.5 per cent), electrodes and ferro-alloys (9 per cent), and salaries and wages (8.4 per cent). Estimates have also been made of the foreign exchange proportions of the various cost elements. This shows that up to 46 per cent of the effective production cost could be incurred in foreign currency. This observation is important in that it points out the inadequacy of the popular simplistic assumption that the foreign exchange saving achieved by local manufacturing is merely the foreign exchange equivalent of the same units of imports.

18. As with production costs, the prices for rolled products vary widely within the sub-region and often reflect the short-term supply/demand balance of the steel market. Also, because of the large number of small-lot sales, there is an important role for "middle men" retailers who often exploit temporary shortages by escalating prices. For instance, whereas a major importer in Lusaka could offer reinforcing bars at 1,600 Kwacha (\$760) per tonne, it is not unusual to find the same product offered in the local market at a 50 per cent mark up. Outside Lusaka, private retailers often add mark ups well in excess of 100 per cent.

Table 4.3: Indicative bar/shape production cost for an EAF-based scrap consuming mini-steel mill in the ESA sub-region (mid-1985)

Assumption: Mini-steel mill rated at 25,000 tpy of bars/angles/ channels, employing continuous casting of billets.

Project (capital) cost = \$875 per ton of installed capacity, amortized over 10 years.

<u>Cost item</u>	<u>Unit consumption per ton of rolled product</u>	<u>Unit price (US \$)</u>	<u>Cost per ton of bar/shape (US \$)</u>	<u>Percentage Forex (%)</u>
Scrap	1.2 tonnes	65.00/tonne	78.00	0
Fluxes	10.0 kg	0.20/kg	2.00	0
Refractories (melting and casting)	15.0 kg	0.75/kg	11.25	80
Refractories (reheating furnaces)	5.0 kg	0.75/kg	3.75	75
Rolling mill consumables			5.50	100
Electricity	750.0 kwh	0.05/kwh	37.50	0
Electrodes and ferro-alloys	7.5 kg	4.70/kg	35.25	100
Repair and maintenance			23.30	25
General administration and miscellaneous			32.70	25
Salaries and wages	11.0 man-hrs	3.00/man-hr	33.00	25
Amortization (15 per cent of fixed charges)			131.25	80
			<u>\$393.50</u>	
			= \$179.72	= 45.7%
			= \$213.78	= 54.3%

19. As of mid-1985, a Kenyan mini-mill's ex-factory (Nairobi) price (exclusive of 17 per cent sales tax) for hot-rolled round bars (5.5mm-32mm), for minimum orders of one tonne, ranged from Kshs. 5,890-6,810 (i.e. \$368-\$425) per tonne. The same product (10-25mm) in Tanzania was available, ex-factory to major customers, at Tsh. 14,269-15,089 (\$790-\$838) per tonne. This indicates a prevalence of captive (non-competitive) markets and it is not possible to draw any categorical conclusions concerning the level of profitability or

otherwise of bar production in the sub-region merely on the basis of comparing these sales prices with the production cost synthesized in Table 4.3. Steel production may or may not be profitable depending on the specific cost structure experienced by a given plant. Comparing however, the market price range of US\$400 to US\$800 per tonne indicated above for bars produced by local small scrap based mills with a landed import price from Europe for bar of US\$360 US\$520^{1/} indicates that the rationale for steel production is not the price calculation per se (at current foreign exchange rates) but possibly rather the saving of foreign exchange.

^{1/} Based on a fob price from European harbour of US\$240 per tonne and transport handling and duty charges of US\$120-US\$280 per tonne depending on where in the sub-region the purchaser is located.

Table 4.4: 1981-83 Steel industry direct employment in the Eastern and Southern Africa Preferential Trade Area

Country	Total steel plant capacity		Total industry employment			
	Crude steel	Rolled products	High level management and technical	Middle level (technician etc.)	Low level	Total
Angola	30,000 tonnes/yr	50,000 tonnes/yr	2	70	348	450
Ethiopia	24,000 tonnes/yr	64,000 tonnes/yr	10	29	515	554
Kenya	85,100 tonnes/yr	277,500 tonnes/yr	50	140	1,310	1,500
Madagascar		6,000 tonnes/yr	6	10	64	80
Mauritius		80,000 tonnes/yr	35	75	390	500
Mozambique		50,000 tonnes/yr	45	100	505	650
Tanzania	18,000 tonnes/yr	30,000 tonnes/yr	27	40	536	603
Uganda	24,000 tonnes/yr	30,000 tonnes/yr	10	20	270	300
Zimbabwe	850,000 tonnes/yr	1,072,000 tonnes/yr	385	975	5,140	6,500
Total	1,031,100 tonnes/yr	1,609,500 tonnes/yr	600	1,459	9,078	11,137

4.6 Employment, manpower and training

20. As of mid 1985, the 23 steel plants in the Eastern and Southern African sub-region (consisting of one blast furnace based integrated steelworks in Zimbabwe, ZISCO Ltd., ten (10) electric furnace based meltshops, and twenty (20) rolling mills, furnished direct employment to about 11,100 persons.

The distribution by country is shown in Table 4.4. Because of the very low capacity utilization, most steel plants have had to operate on (at best) a two-shift-per-day basis.

21. The national totals shown in Table 4.4 represent actual figures from UNIDO missions. The break-down into the three job categories (high, middle and low-levels) represent, in a few cases where actual figures were not available, estimates based on steel industry experiences (i.e. about 7 per cent for high-level, 15 per cent for middle, and the balance low-level). "High-level" would apply to the managerial and engineering cadre in both production and administration, while "middle-level" applies to the supervisory, foreman, and skilled technician categories.
22. Because of the current under-utilization of installed capacity, the aggregate employment of 11,137 is considered short of the industry's employment potential. If the steel market were such as to permit normal full capacity (three-shift) operation, employment would be around 15,000, consisting of about 625 high-level, 2,250 medium-level, and 12,125 low-level personnel.
23. Currently on-going capacity expansions and committed new projects which are planned to be in operation by 1990 are expected to increase the sub-region's crude steel production capacity to 1.17 million tpy, and the rolling capacity to 1.77 million tpy by 1990. In national terms, 31,000 tonnes of the additional crude steel capacity would come from Kenya, 50,000 tonnes from Mauritius, 25,000 tonnes from Tanzania, 2,500 tonnes from Uganda, and 27,000 tonnes from Zambia. The incremental rolling capacity would be from Ethiopia (30,000 tonnes), Kenya (12,000 tonnes), Madagascar (24,000 tonnes), Tanzania (48,000 tonnes), and Zambia (43,000 tonnes).
24. The projected 1990 sub-regional steel industry direct employment would be distributed as shown in Table 4.5, assuming that the various national economies will have recovered sufficiently by then to permit three shift utilization of installed capacities. The total is 16,210, with 46 per cent based in Zimbabwe and 18 per cent in Kenya.

25. It is pertinent to observe that in virtually all countries of the sub-region, the high-level technical category is dominated by expatriates, accounting for about 75 per cent of the numerical totals in many steel plants. There is clearly a need to intensify efforts to train nationals of the sub-region in the engineering disciplines at the university level to eventually replace expatriates. But this objective should not be pursued to the detriment of the middle level skilled cadre which is in short supply in most sub-Saharan African countries. Unfortunately, most government manpower development policies have tended to glamorize tertiary (university) education to such a degree as to discourage intermediate institutions such as polytechnics and technical institutes. As a result, the desirable ratios between engineers and technologists/technicians have been distorted in favour of engineers, leaving a manpower gap that is often filled only by expatriates.

Table 4.5: Projected 1990 sub-regional steel industry direct employment (three shift operation)

Country	Total steel plant capacity, tonnes/year		Total direct industry employment			
	Crude steel	Rolled products	High-level	Middle-level	Low-level	Total
Angola	30,000	50,000	70	120	510	700
Ethiopia	12,000	94,000	25	100	825	950
Kenya	131,000	289,000	100	250	2,500	2,850
Madagascar	-	30,000	5	40	120	175
Mauritius	50,000	80,000	5	130	700	885
Mozambique	-	50,000	60	175	850	1,085
Tanzania	43,000	78,000	55	100	1,000	1,155
Uganda	26,500	30,000	25	65	400	490
Zambia	27,000	43,000	15	80	300	395
Zimbabwe	850,000	1,022,000	90	1,025	6,000	7,425
Total	1,169,500	1,766,500	82	2,185	13,205	16,210

4.7 Raw materials for steelmaking

26. Depending on the production practices and process units at a specific steel plant, the raw materials consumed during iron and steel production include iron ore (as lump ore, pellets, and sinter feed), metallurgical coal (which is first converted to coke), the alloying elements, scrap, sponge iron (which is currently neither produced nor consumed in the sub-region), fluxes (limestone, dolomite, and fluorspar), refractories, and such other operating materials as graphite electrodes, water, and electricity.

- a) Iron ore: Large resources of iron ore are known to occur in several countries of the sub-region as shown in Table 4.6. For the 13 countries listed, the geological (i.e. proven, probable, and inferred) reserves amount to at least 6,344 million tonnes. Obviously only a fraction of these reserves would be technically extractable and economically beneficiable for purposes of iron and steel production; nevertheless, their occurrence holds out the promise of becoming the basis of domestic iron and steel industries in the sub-region. By far the largest reserves are in Zimbabwe (with about 59 per cent of the total) and in Angola (which accounts for 19 per cent).

Only the integrated blast furnace based steelworks of Zimbabwe Iron and Steel Company, (ZISCO) currently operates on the basis of iron ore from the sub-region. Its sinter plant at the Redcliff works is fed with a blend consisting of 58-61 per cent Fe ore from the Buchwa mine (200 km south of Redcliff) and friable limonitic ore from Ripple Creek (17 km south-east of Redcliff). Plans have been formulated to extend the remaining life of the Buchwa mine (now estimated to be 8 to 12 years) by reclaiming up to 3.5 million tonnes of fine ores that had been hitherto discarded and stockpiled. By so doing, it is hoped that through programmed exploitation of all Buchwa and Ripple Creek resources, ZISCO's iron ore requirements would be assured for the next 30 to 40 years.

- b) Coal: The coal resources of the sub-region are also shown in Table 4.6. The aggregate resources amount to about 54,604 million tonnes, of which Zimbabwe accounts for 51 per cent. Other major reserves occur in Botswana (with 15,200 million tonnes), Mozambique (8,000 million tonnes), Tanzania (1,500 million tonnes), and Swaziland (967 million tonnes).

In spite of the vast reserves, commercial exploitation of coal is still at a relatively infant stage. Only Botswana, Mozambique, Zambia, Zimbabwe, and (to a small extent) Tanzania now operate coal mines. In all cases except Zimbabwe, coal is produced for power generation and export. Whereas cokable coal occurs also in Mozambique and Swaziland, only that of Zimbabwe is employed for iron and steelmaking. ZISCO's metallurgical coal is supplied from the Hwange Colliery, supplemented also by coke deliveries from the same source.

Table 4.6: Iron and steel resources in the Eastern and Southern African sub-region

Country	Iron ore reserves		Coal reserves		Hydro-electric resources (in MW)
	Size, 10 ⁶ tons	Ore type	Size, 10 ⁶ tons	Type	
Angola	1,220	Haematite and quartzitic haematite/magnetite	-	-	11,000
Botswana	-	-	15,200	High-ash, medium-volatile bituminous	-
Ethiopia	12.5	Low-grade	-	-	-
Kenya	42.0	Low-grade	-	-	-
Madagascar	405	Quartzitic haematite/magnetite	84	High-ash, medium-volatile bituminous	73,000
Malawi	-	-	810	Bituminous and sub-bituminous	91
Mozambique	250	Banded iron-stones	8,000	Bituminous plus up to 3 billion tons cokeable	12,000
Somalia	180	Low-grade haematite/magnetite, and titaniferrous magnetite	-	-	-
Swaziland	-	-	967	Cokeable anthracite, low-volatile	-
Tanzania	118	Titaniferrous magnetite with Cr and V impurities	1,500	Medium-ash, high-volatile	18,995
Uganda	71	Haematite, magnetite, and pyrite	-	-	16,439
Zambia	301	Haematite and magnetite	90	Low-ash, high sulphur bituminous	4,600
Zimbabwe	3,738	Haematite and limonite	27,953	Bituminous and up to 2,535 million tons coking	4,566

The sub-region's coal resources could be potentially useful as a reductant in coal-based iron ore direct reduction processes for the production of sponge iron, - a metallic alternative to ferrous scrap. However, the technical compatibility of a particular coal reserve and direct reduction process, as well as the economic viability of a given project, would need to be carefully evaluated prior to embarking on any investment exercise.

- c) Minor steel industry minerals: The exploitable alloying minerals that occur in the sub-region are shown in Table 4.8. Zimbabwe has reserves of high chrome ore (for which it accounts for over 86 per cent of the world's known resources), cobalt, and nickel ore. Madagascar's resources are chrome and nickel ores, while Burundi has the largest nickel ore reserves in the sub-region. Other potential sources of alloying minerals are Zambia (for cobalt), Botswana (for nickel ore), and Mozambique and Tanzania (for titanium).

Refractory materials serve multiple chemical, structural/mechanical, and thermal functions in iron and steel production. They usually contain one or more of the following minerals: - silica, aluminosilicate, magnesite, graphite, chromite, dolomite, and zirconia, and the wide range of uses includes fireclay and high-alumina for direct reduction furnaces, tar-bonded basic refractories for oxygen steelmaking converters, magnesite and magnesite-chromite for electric arc furnace walls, and zirconium material for nozzles of continuous casting ladles.

Although several countries in the sub-region are endowed with commercial reserves of some of the refractory minerals, only a narrow range of refractories, - the simple fireclays, - are now manufactured in Zimbabwe and Kenya for local consumption. The balance is imported from South Africa, Europe and North America. With the possible exception of Zimbabwe, no individual country's refractories demand is sufficient to justify establishment of a viable plant to manufacture a wide range of refractories for its internal consumption. Accordingly, the refractories area presents an opportunity for sub regional industrial co-operation aimed at supplying the needs of countries in the entire sub-region.

Table 4.7: Resources of the minor steel industry minerals in the Eastern and Southern African sub-region

Mineral	Significant source countries	Resource size	State of exploitation
High-chrome ore	Zimbabwe	1.12 billion tonnes	Significant production with 1982 mining output of over 396,000 tonnes.
	Madagascar	7.3 million tonnes	Commercial production with 1978 output of 92,000 tonnes
Cobalt	Zambia	0.35 million tonnes	By-product of copper industry; 1983 mine production of 2,407 tonnes.
	Zimbabwe	Not available	1982 production of about 100 tonnes.
Nickel ore	Zimbabwe	6.1 million tonnes	Produced 12,000 tonnes of contained Ni in 1982.
	Burundi	12.84 million tonnes	Unexploited but being developed under World Bank auspices.
	Madagascar	1.75 million tonnes	Undeveloped.
	Botswana	0.66 million tonnes	By-product of copper extraction.
Titanium	Mozambique	12.6 million tonnes	Ilmenite bearing beach sands of Maganja-Moma have not been exploited.
	Tanzania	3.5 million tonnes	Occurs in association with Fe and V at Liganga.
Fluorspar	Kenya	1.77 million tonnes	Commercially exploited.
	Zimbabwe	0.204 million tonnes	Commercially exploited.

Sources: UNIDO/IO.391/Rev.1, 1981 and various geological surveys departments.

The fluxing minerals in steelmaking are limestone, dolomite, fluorspar and silica. Limestone, dolomite, and silica reserves of suitable metallurgical quality occur widely across the sub-region. Even where a particular country has no local resources, it should be possible to supply its requirements from other sub-regional sources. As for

fluorspar, Table 4.7 indicates that significant exploitation is currently going on in both Kenya and Zimbabwe. Other fluorspar resources may be located in other countries as the need for it in metallurgical applications develops.

- d) Ferrous scrap: Ferrous scrap for the sub-region's eleven electric arc furnaces is supplied in part from local sources, and in part through imports. The local availability (estimated in to be at most 127,950 tpy) is constrained by the under-developed and currently depressed status of the economies of the sub-region. This, among other things leads to an enforced longevity of automobiles and other household appliances as consumers conserve and rehabilitate rather than dispose of servicable assets. Furthermore, bottlenecks exist in inefficiencies of scrap collection, processing and delivery to steel plants. For these reasons, the differential between the prices of local and imported scrap has been narrowing, making the latter increasingly attractive, although its accessibility is now restricted by the prevailing foreign currency scarcity in the sub-region. In the face of escalating scrap prices, as well as the obvious demand for it in the sub-region, there is a need for establishment of enterprises devoted to the collection and processing of all available scrap resources. Included among these sources are ships and carriers that could be the basis of ship-breaking enterprises at such ports as Mombasa, Dar-es-Salaam, Maputo, Luanda, Toamasina, Djibouti, Mogadishu, and Port Louis. In fact, such enterprises already exist in Mombasa and Port Louis and should serve as models for similar establishments in the other parts of the sub-region.
- e) Electricity: The electricity resources (particularly hydro) of the sub-region have hardly been exploited. As shown in Table 4.6, virtually all the countries listed have ample potentials that, if properly exploited, would guarantee ample supplies at reasonable costs for the foreseeable future. In the context of sub-regional co-operation, the collaborative development of hydro-electric resources would undoubtedly be in the interest of the industrial sector in the area.
- f) Imported inputs: Certain input materials which, in terms of quantities consumed and value, may be regarded as secondary are often of critical importance in steel production. Among such inputs are ferroalloys, graphite elect, lubricating oils, water treatment chemicals, certain

refractories, thermocouples, roll grinding wheels, etc. In most cases, these items are imported and instances abound of operations having been halted due to non-availability of ore or more of these materials. It is therefore important for steel producers to devise short-term strategies for ensuring a reliable supply of these critical materials, as well as long-term efforts to produce them (or their acceptable substitutes) locally.

4.8 The world market and the scope for increased sub-regional competitiveness

27. The region's geography hardly provides any price advantage to local steel producers. Centres of steel consumption are widely dispersed. Intra regional transport links tend to have high operating costs, not least because of low capacity utilization. For many market areas, steel imported from overseas may have lower landed prices than steel produced elsewhere in the region (see Annex III). If all costs were calculated in terms of e.g. US dollars, using official exchange rates, it would be entirely possible that one may show that the region could cut its total outlay on steel products by importing more steel products from third countries. As illustrated above (para 19), however, a foreign-exchange cost calculation would be likely to come out in support for local production of basic steel products.
28. There are many differing price levels for steel on the international market. Domestic producers' list prices in the United States, the European Community and Japan, supported by formal market regulation or informal agreement, are usually higher than quoted export prices. For example at mid 1985 the United States producers' list price for plate was around \$530 per metric ton, but the U.S. spot, or free market price was only \$375. European and Japanese list prices for plate were around \$375, but with free market prices around \$300, and the European export quote at \$260.
29. It would be prudent to take free market, rather than export price levels for comparative purposes. The export quotations are sensitive to the supply/demand balance, and if the current overhang of excess capacity in the industrialized countries disappears, the export price discount which

has been characteristic of the past decade could also shrink. Free market f.o.b. prices are currently around the following levels: billets \$180 per metric ton, re-inforcing bars \$240, structurals, plate and hot-rolled wide coil \$300, cold-rolled coil \$370, and galvanized sheet \$450.

30. In the stagnant steel market conditions of the past decade, real steel prices have developed a downward trend, but this is not likely to be prolonged: the closure of high-cost capacity, and other cost-cutting measures by the industry, are reaching levels at which further gains will be relatively small. The industrializing countries including the People's Republic of China will be raising their steel consumption, probably by about 65 million tonnes or almost 40 per cent of their current consumption over the next ten years, but most of this will be met by increased domestic production so that the effect on demand and prices for internationally traded steel will be slight. In the main industrial steel market countries of the United States, Europe and Japan, consumption levels are widely expected to stagnate.

31. There is perhaps one area where some degree of caution is necessary. If a bottleneck were to arise, it would probably be at the coke-making stage in the United States, leading to a shortage of pig iron. Even without such a bottleneck, the U.S. is currently importing growing quantities of semi-finished steel rather than undertaking the prohibitively large investments which would be required to renew its aged and inefficient coke, pig iron and crude steel production facilities. For the present, Brazil with a recently opened semis plant at Tubarao, and several other countries with excess crude steel production facilities, are able to supply semis in adequate quantities, but there is just a possibility that, if the demand continued to grow over the next decade, this currently rather over-supplied area of the market could become one of scarcity, leading to upward pressure on semis prices. However total steel demand in the U.S. is likely to stagnate or decline, and if the share of the U.S. market taken by imported basic steel products continues to increase, there will be relatively little growth in the U.S. steel industry's imports of semi-finished steel products.

32. With this area as a possible exception, it is unlikely that there will be pressures on the international steel market sufficient to alter real prices much from current levels over the next decade, although of course any changes in the U.S. dollar parity would be mirrored in the quoted prices. Steel-making raw materials are in abundant supply, and although new integrated capacity can be expensive the stagnant market outlook in the major industrial countries, together with the current surplus of steel-making capacity, suggests that higher prices will not result from the need to finance the building of new capacity. The f.o.b. prices quoted above can therefore be retained as the probable constant-price cost of imports over the next decade. At these prices, and the foreign exchange freight and insurance costs connected with imports there is a chance that new production capacity for crude steel in the region would benefit its overall balance of payments. However, as shown in Table 4.3, a high proportion of the capital cost would be foreign exchange spending, and spare parts, technical assistance, and some raw materials would have to be imported.
33. Assuming that the foreign exchange cost comparison for new capacity come out favourable, there is still the issue of total local currency cost. Locally-produced steel must compare favourably if steel-consuming industries are not to be penalised for the sake of the steel producer.
34. Sub-regional steel producers have not yet taken full advantage of their competitive position in the PTA member countries. The field work gave the impressions that most producers attach less importance to marketing of their products than to other areas of their operations. This is quite understandable due to the lack of a price advantage vis-a-vis outside producers and to problems encountered in technical areas, maintenance and replacement of equipment, production planning, lack of qualified manpower and training of staff.
35. There are, however, areas where sub-regional producers have or more easily could develop a competitive edge. The ex-factory per tonne price of steel is only one (but important) element in competition. A fresh drive for increased competitiveness should concentrate on all areas which are important to steel purchasers of the region for their decision making on order placements:

- terms of delivery
- deliveries according to order specification
- price (including transport costs)
- past business experience and technical support services
- quality products
- terms of payment

Terms of delivery

36. Orders from abroad (Europe or Japan) normally have high lead times. For normal orders these lead times are about 3 months or more for coastal countries and up to 9 months for landlocked countries (e.g. Rwanda, Burundi). These high lead times are a heavy burden on steel purchasers, mainly for two reasons: firstly, order planning is extremely difficult, especially for engineering industries and, as regards steel for construction purposes, for special dimensions or types of steel. Secondly, the financial burden is considerable. In some cases the whole order volume has to be paid at the moment of the order, but in any case the letter of credit has to be financed which can cause additional purchasing costs of up to 9 per cent of the fob order value.
37. Rwandan steel importers, e.g., tried to avoid these unfavourable conditions by switching to Kenyan suppliers for construction steel. Their experience, however, was unsatisfactory to them as agreed delivery times of one month were not complied with by the supplier (supplies arrived 6 months later) so that they switched again to European suppliers. A Burundese steel importer has recently made his first trial order for shipment from ZISCO Steel via Zambia by truck and from Mpulugu by lake shipping. He expects a reduction of his lead time by 7 months. Mauritian importers prefer purchases from South Africa via Port Elizabeth with lead times of one to two months.

Deliveries according to order specifications

38. Some steel purchasers have had negative experiences with regional steel suppliers in terms of deliveries according to their order specifications. Dimensions (e.g. diameter of bars) were other than ordered or partial shipments were made by the steel producers resulting in increased transport cost for the purchases, delay in execution of works until final shipment was received and additional financing costs.

As European companies generally supply from stocks, at least in the case of relatively small order sizes as customary in the region, partial shipments are not experienced. It is proposed that steel producers in the region improve their stocking systems and constantly compare expected market demand, goods in stock and production planning.

Price

39. The price of steel products is an important criterion for the purchaser in the region. He is, however, less interested in ex-works or fob prices, but rather in the total price of goods received in his warehouses. Therefore steel producers should rather look at total costs for the purchaser than their ex-factory prices.

40. Total costs for the purchases include the ex-works or fob price of the product, transport costs, duties and levies and financing costs of the order. The two cost components, transport costs and order financing costs can be directly influenced by the steel producers of the region and should in the future be of more concern to them.

41. Transport costs are extensively referred to in Annex III. It is recommended that the major steel producers, above all ZISCO Steel, increase their efforts in the areas of transport logistics and negotiation of global transport contracts of annual or biannual duration allowing for partial shipments. Transport logistics activities should concentrate in the beginning on planning of rapid delivery systems, opening of new transport routes and analysis of intermediate warehousing of steel products at key trans-shipment points, e.g. in a Mozambican port and, for servicing Zambia, Burundi, Rwanda, west of Tanzania and south and east of Zaire, in a location to be selected in Zambia. The Lake Tanganyika shipping route apparently offers a competitive transport connection for steel supplies to Burundi, Rwanda, west of Tanzania and east of Zaire. It should also be determined in detail whether the railroad connection to Dar-es-Salaam can be a cost and time-saving transport route. Above all, a major transport cost reduction can be expected by negotiating global transport agreements with land and maritime shipping companies. So far, the small order volumes have, besides political factors affecting the Mozambiquean railroads and ports,

caused high shipping rates from Mozambiquean ports to East African and Indian Ocean islands ports. These rates can be considerably reduced by negotiating with selected shipping lines on annual or biannual lump transport volumes to be effected in partial shipments. Frequencies of calls at the ports can likewise be stipulated in the contracts.

42. Improved transport operations will contribute to speed up deliveries to customers and hence reduce their delivery lead times to an extent that it could become a major factor in their order placement decisions. An additional benefit would be the fact that financing of their letters of credit will no longer be required. This could lead to reductions of their landed costs of steel products of up to 9 per cent as an example from Burundi shows (see Annex III).

Past business experience and technical support services

43. An important factor in decision making on order placements by the steel users is reliability of supplies. In periods of worldwide excess steel capacity even the relatively small quantities ordered by the importers of the region are honoured without delay. Furthermore, the importers can rely on the technical support services of, e.g. European steel producers provided on many occasions without additional charges. Technical support services are of considerable importance in the building, construction and engineering industries when new products are designed. Past business experience has shown the value of reliability and technical support services to the steel purchasers of the region who will also have a demand in this respect in the future, especially for high-priced steel, types or dimensions. It is therefore recommended that the steel producers of the region who intend to diversify into high-priced steel products (as in the case for ZISCO Steel) establish a technical support service system and pay special attention to the reliability requirements of the customers.

Quality of products

44. Quality of steel products is not a major factor in purchases of steel for general construction purposes (e.g. reinforcing bars, light sections). Correct dimensions of the products can, however, be an important competition factor. Quality plays a more and more decisive role for higher grade steels, either for special applications (e.g. rails) or for special steels as used in advanced engineering industries. Quality

aspects will therefore have to be monitored more carefully when entering into the production of high grade and high priced steel products. In the past there have been a few cases of off-specification carbon contents in billets from ZISCO Steel but these problems have apparently been overcome by the company through improved quality control.

Terms of payment

45. Payment is generally made through letters of credit (60 or 90 days) for all imports of steel regardless of the source of supply. These terms are widely accepted by the steel importers and can therefore be considered of less importance for the improvement of competitiveness of the regional steel producers.

4.9 Indirect steel imports and the engineering industry

Indirect imports

46. Indirect steel imports refers to the steel contained in imported manufactured goods. The steel demand for those basic steel products which are manufactured in the region is part of the direct demand. The determination of indirect steel imports is difficult due to the scarcity of data on imports from the countries of the sub-region.

47. Table 4.8 summarizes an estimate made of the more important indirect steel imports^{1/} by country for 1981 to 1983. Total indirect steel imports amounted to an average of 490,000 tpy and an import cost of US \$1.74 billion per year. The decline from approximately 540,000 tonnes in 1981 to approximately 450,000 tonnes in 1983 indicates the continued economic and foreign exchange difficulties of the countries. The decline is very pronounced in Angola, Kenya, Tanzania and Zambia. The countries with the highest share in indirect steel imports are Angola (12 per cent), Ethiopia (11 per cent), Kenya (10 per cent), Somalia (10 per cent), and Mozambique (8 per cent), Zimbabwe (7 per cent), Tanzania (6 per cent) and Zambia (6 per cent).

48. Table 4.9 shows the indirect steel imports of the three digit SITC-product groups included. For the region as a whole, road vehicles are by far the most important single product group with 52 per cent of indirect steel imports (approximately 260,000 tpy for the three year

^{1/} For estimation method, see Annex VI, paras 25-27.

average), metal structures are in second place with 18 per cent (approximately 86,000 tpy), followed by agricultural machinery with 6 per cent (approximately 28,000 tpy) and wire products, tanks and vessels as well as bicycles with 4 per cent.

49. The present indirect steel imports represent a major potential for import substitution as is demonstrated in Chapter 5 below. It is therefore important to consider the main factors behind the demand for such products and how it may be satisfied from local sources.

50. As the main producer of products containing steel, the engineering sector transforms demand for downstream products into a demand for basic steel (direct demand). However, if engineering industries have only a small share in manufacturing value added other users of steel products, like repair shops of mining companies or sugar factories, might have high share in indirect steel consumption.

51. Although one may, with limited confidence make estimates of indirect steel imports, the determination of input demands by the engineering industries on a statistical basis is hardly possible. First, production and trade statistics are incomplete, for some countries figures are not available, particularly for recent years. Likewise, production figures of the engineering industries in the PTA member countries are only available for six countries. Furthermore, their sources of supply (domestic, regional and international) are not known. Without detailed data on their sources of supply a double counting of their steel demand under direct and indirect supply cannot be avoided. More extensive field work than permitted by the present study would be required to overcome the data shortage. Because of the importance of the engineering industry as a driving force in the replacement of indirect imports, its structure and possible expansion is considered below in some detail.

The engineering industry

52. Even though statistical data for the engineering industry are insufficient it is quite clear that in general terms, the sub-regional engineering sector is as yet poorly developed compared to industrialized or even other developing countries.

Table 4.8: Estimated indirect steel imports, 1981-1983 and averages
(values in thousand US\$, quantities in tonnes)

COUNTRY	YEAR						AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	1981		1982		1983				
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
ANGOLA	319311	92668	164275	48047	110963	36617	198183	59111	12
BOTSWANA	108712	20546	119760	28293	120000	22680	116157	23840	5
BURUNDI	24064	6046	34949	12916	26351	9749	28455	9570	2
COMOROS	12167	3605	5940	2508	8380	4240	8829	3451	1
ETHIOPIA	145146	46208	131201	46806	169434	66292	148594	53102	11
DJIBOUTI	30797	8981	31943	10556	34833	13220	32524	10919	2
KENYA	207134	64187	152554	45344	109664	29036	156451	46189	9
LESOTHO	89534	21151	106845	20193	110000	20671	102126	20672	4
MADAGASCAR	64957	22307	43451	11024	58348	14131	55585	15821	3
MALAWI	38396	10841	32883	9807	27908	6435	33062	9026	2
MAURITIUS	37765	10892	19768	6319	24001	9457	27178	8889	2
MOZAMBIQUE	122064	43741	119945	38947	105310	33634	115773	38774	8
RWANDA	27852	8361	39490	12891	41517	13422	36286	11558	2
SEYCHELLES	10203	3155	9538	3074	6666	2089	8802	2773	1
SOMALIA	132467	31426	164372	45596	191187	63841	162675	46954	10
ZIMBABWE	137882	35041	145762	32850	135833	31181	139826	33024	7
SWAZILAND	69836	20531	67693	19671	66430	15072	67986	18425	4
UGANDA	80419	16495	49279	11759	47000	13974	58899	14076	3
TANZANIA	144799	35923	113839	32148	88489	25388	115709	31153	6
ZAMBIA	128171	36227	149188	35540	93061	22352	123473	31373	6
TOTAL	1931676	538332	1702675	474284	1575375	453481	1736575	488699	100

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 (values in thousand US\$, quantities in tonnes)

	YEAR						AVERAGE		IN PCT OF TOTAL
	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	105160	94234	113190	86601	91727	76428	103359	85754	18
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	31898	23377	27898	15145	31338	26866	30378	21796	4
WIRE PRODUCTS	52307	29644	23052	15516	16287	13472	30549	19544	4
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	17940	9829	13790	8687	9002	6534	13577	8350	2
HAND TOOLS	64847	13294	51815	13056	43051	11667	53238	12672	3
CUTLERY	7402	690	4318	309	4447	635	5389	545	0
DOM. UTENSILS	15989	3355	11124	2563	10782	2747	12632	2888	1
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	126037	30891	116484	30138	92431	22543	111651	27857	6
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	24879	4967	18716	3444	15816	3173	19804	3861	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	97990	14976	78888	11158	80989	15426	85956	13853	3
ROAD VEHICLES	1280689	276330	1160578	256134	1092835	236720	1178034	256395	52
BICYCLES ETC.	47324	18740	39636	14436	40511	19254	42490	17477	4
HEATING, SANITARY	25096	8224	16853	7167	17357	7182	19769	7524	2
FURNITURE	34118	9781	26333	9930	28802	10834	29751	10182	2
TOTAL	1931676	538332	1702675	474284	1575375	453481	1736575	488699	100

53. Some of the countries however already have an engineering industry of relatively considerable size namely Kenya, Zambia and Zimbabwe. In Zambia and Zimbabwe, engineering industries contribute respectively 20.2 (1981) and 19.1 (1980) per cent to manufacturing value added (MVA). This is almost at the same level as for the Latin American countries. Kenya's engineering industries also have a relatively strong position contributing a share of 18.8 per cent to MVA. In Mauritius and Tanzania, the sector has shares of respectively 12.4 and 11.5 per cent. Although smaller than for the three other countries it compares favourably with Central American countries (less than 10 per cent) which are about the same size. Madagascar (7.5 per cent) and Malawi (8 per cent) lie in the same range of importance, while in other countries for which data are available the engineering industries contribute 5 per cent (Swaziland) or less (Angola, Ethiopia, Lesotho) to manufacturing value added.
54. Data on other countries were not available. Field work showed that Angola and Mozambique had considerable potential in the engineering industries which in 1975 contributed 32.5 per cent to the manufacturing value added, the highest share reported in the region. The production units are, however, partly out of operation mainly due to lack of skilled personnel and lack of foreign exchange for the purchase of raw materials and spare parts. Zambia's engineering industry is especially strong in the fields of production and repair of mining equipment and their components. The downward development of mineral prices has affected Zambia's engineering industries whose share in manufacturing value added dropped from 30.8 per cent in 1973 to 20.2 per cent in 1981. Zimbabwe's engineering industries are relatively diversified. The engineering industries in Tanzania suffer from the shortage of foreign exchange for the purchase of production inputs and spare parts leading to under-utilization of capacities. Even small countries like Burundi and Rwanda, where the growth rate of metalworking industries in the last ten years was in the order of 9 per cent and is expected to continue growing at a rate of 7 per cent until 1990, are establishing engineering industries. It is estimated that for all PTA countries, the share of engineering industries in manufacturing value added is in the order of 12.5 per cent.
55. A fundamental characteristic of the engineering industry of the region is that it mainly service domestic markets and that exports are relatively scarce. This is in contrast to this sector in industrialized countries

or Asian developing countries where in specific cases engineering industries export 50 per cent or more of their production. It is also a fact that participation in foreign markets increases the competitiveness of the engineering industries and leads to a stronger specialization of particular enterprises. Banning competition, e.g. through import prohibition, has had by and large negative effects on the growth and technological advancement of the engineering industries. Measures of this type have only proven appropriate for a determined length of time to allow for initial growth and strengthening of the industries.

56. Experience in industrialized and developing countries show that the growth of the engineering industries does not require a basic iron and steel industry (e.g. Switzerland, Denmark and Singapore). The linkage between these two sectors is rather the other way around: basic iron and steel industry needs for its growth and expansion in product ranges a strong and growing engineering industry to cause a "pull-effect" as far as steel consumption is concerned. This effect can also be expected in the region once economic recovery allows high growth rates of the engineering industries.
57. The overall growth rate of engineering industries in the region is, due to incompleteness of statistical data, hard to determine. Macro economic constraints have caused a reduction of the share of engineering industries in the manufacturing value added in some countries (e.g. Kenya, Mozambique, Zambia and Zimbabwe) in the past years. Judging by the imports of relatively simple products however, (see Table 4.9) the sector has a considerable growth potential. For its development, national industrial policy measures and human resource development efforts are required. Within the framework of PTA and SADCC, measures should be geared towards regional co-operation to increase market sizes and specialization of the industry. In this context, the promotion of inter-industrial linkages, such as subcontracting and product complementation, are of fundamental importance. Linkage support measures will be a prime mover to penetrate new technological areas.
58. It is also characteristic of engineering industries that minimum capacities vary from small production units to large installations (e.g. motor or vehicle production). In general, engineering industries are more labour intensive than capital intensive, even though new production methods (e.g. computer aided manufacturing) make the sector more capital

intensive than before, but these do not necessarily have a negative effect on minimum capacities. On the contrary, these new production technologies may increase the flexibility of the industry and reduce the minimum capacity per single product.

59. In most countries, of the sub-region, fabricated metal products (ISIC group No. 381) have the highest share of production (see Table 4.10). Exceptions are Angola, Kenya and Tanzania where transport equipment (ISIC No. 384) has a higher share and Mauritius which only gives data for ISIC No. 382 to 384. The production of non-electrical machinery (ISIC No. 382) is only significant in Mauritius, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Electrical

Table 4.10: Share of the engineering industry in manufacturing value added in selected countries and for selected years
(in per cent)

Country	Years	ISIC group number					
		Total ISIC 38	381	382	383	384	385
Angola	1970	3.5	1.7	0.3	0.5	1.0	-
Botswana	1975	2.7	1.9	-	0.1	-	-
Ethiopia	1973	2.0	1.9	-	0.1	-	-
	1979	2.6	2.5	-	0.1	-	-
Kenya	1973	22.5	7.3	0.5	5.8	8.9	-
	1980	18.8	7.2	0.7	5.2	5.7	-
Lesotho	1975	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	1973	9.8	6.2	-	2.2	1.4	-
	1979	7.5	5.0	-	1.5	1.0	-
Malawi	1980	8.0	6.2	0.7	0.7	0.4	-
Mauritius	1981	12.4	-	5.1	4.1	3.2	-
Mozambique	1975	32.5	13.7	3.3	5.4	10.1	-
Swaziland	1980	5.2	4.5	0.2	0.5	-	-
Tanzania	1973	11.1	2.9	0.7	2.4	5.1	-
	1979	11.5	2.8	1.0	3.1	4.6	-
Zambia	1973	30.8	14.2	5.0	6.2	5.3	0.1
	1981	20.2	9.2	3.3	4.1	3.5	0.1
Zimbabwe	1973	22.5	11.3	3.3	3.5	3.9	0.1
	1980	19.1	10.5	3.1	3.6	2.9	0.1

machinery (ISIC No. 383) already have significance in several countries, namely, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Transport equipment is of importance in all countries except Lesotho, Mauritius, Malawi and Swaziland.

60. Fabricated metal products represent in general the technologically less complex products compared to machinery and transport equipment. Hence the high share of ISIC 381 in most countries and the comparatively lower share of the other product groups indicate that the engineering industries in these countries are still an early stage of development. It can be assumed that future increase in the contribution of engineering industries will mainly come from strengthening the production capacities of ISIC groups No. 382 to 384, even though ISIC group 381 will also grow albeit at a lower rate (compare figures for Latin America as a whole, 1950 to 1977, Table A.I.4).
61. The future development of the engineering industry can be expected to be a main engine for growth and diversification of the iron and steel industry in the region. Its growth will, above all, increase the regional demand of plate and sheet, pig iron for foundry products, and hot and cold rolled bars. To which extent this "pull-effect" on iron and steel consumption will take place, will heavily depend on industrial policy measures to foster growth of the engineering industries.
62. Brazil gives an example of the influence of development policies on the growth of the engineering industries. Due to incentives especially for the promotion of joint ventures and tax rebates, the country was able to double the share of engineering industries to manufacturing value added in approximately 15 years (from 1950 to 1965), Latin America as a whole in approximately 20 years (from 1950 to 1979). Indonesia, whose engineering industry was relatively insignificant until 1972, was able to triple its importance in only 8 years (from 1972 to 1980), mainly due to the establishment of a local automotive industry and a general local content regulation to all important products of the engineering industry sector. Here incentives combined with regulatory measures were even more strongly pronounced and more strictly applied than in Latin America. It is noteworthy that both in Brazil and Indonesia, the basic iron and steel

industry was in infant stages when the rapid growth of the engineering industries started. Their additional demand for steel products contributed to the strengthening of the steel industry which found developed markets to absorb their additional output. Some other countries which first developed their basic iron and steel industry and then the user industries have experienced sales difficulties in their early years of operation which negatively affected cash flow and profitability of the steel mills.

63. If PTA member countries decide to give high priority to the development of the engineering industries and to introduce additional incentives and promotional efforts it can be assumed that the share of engineering industries in MVA could be raised considerably in the next 10 to 15 years. However, a thorough analysis of the present stage of development of the engineering industry sector, its constraints and potential and, in relation to the present study, its present and future steel demand seems of great importance as a basis for an industrial development strategy for this sector. Priority should also be given to this sector due to its relatively labour-intensive (yet skill-intensive) production operations (annual production output per employee is in the order of US\$15,000 to US\$20,000 in the engineering industries in East African countries).

64. The share of engineering industries in manufacturing value added generally grows with the degree of industrialization of a country. Hence, the growth rate of the engineering industries in industrializing countries normally is higher than the manufacturing growth rate as a whole. For example, the share of engineering industries in 19 Latin American countries which in 1955 had a share in manufacturing value added (12.2 per cent) similar to the one for the sub-region grew in 10 years to 19.9 per cent. Other countries (e.g. Egypt, Thailand), achieved an even higher growth rate in only 7 years (see Table 4.11). The growth of the engineering industries in countries with high growth rates are the result of active promotion and support measures by the governments directed towards foreign and domestic potential investors as well as to training of skilled personnel on all levels. It can also be seen that some

countries were able to increase their engineering industry share in manufacturing value added in spite of adverse external factors (e.g. oil price increases) while in the sub-region only Ethiopia and Tanzania were able to increase this share slightly. The absence of promotional measures has certainly contributed to the sluggish development of the engineering industries.

Table 4.11: Growth of share of engineering industries in manufacturing value added for selected countries
(in per cent)

	<u>Share in 1973</u>	<u>Most recent year</u>
Ecuador	10.8	17.5 (1979)
Egypt	13.2	21.7 (1980)
Republic of Korea	20.3	25.3 (1980)
Singapore	50.2	62.6 (1981)
Hong Kong	23.4	33.8 (1980)
Thailand	10.9	19.9 (1980)
Ethiopia	2.0	2.6 (1979)
Kenya	22.5	18.8 (1980)
Madagascar	9.8	7.5 (1979)
Tanzania	11.1	11.5 (1979)
Zambia	30.8	20.2 (1981)
Zimbabwe	22.5	19.1 (1980)

65. As the MVA has been used as a proxy for engineering value added in the projections dealt with in Chapter 5, it is important to consider what might happen to engineering's share of MVA in the future. The two most likely developments are:

- a) Continuation of the engineering industries' share in manufacturing value added at roughly the present level: in this case the growth rates of the manufacturing sector and the engineering industries will nearly be the same. This type of development is illustrated by the so-called main projection.

- b) Rise of the share of the engineering industries in manufacturing value added from the present 12.5 per cent to, say, 20 per cent in 1995: experience of other countries in Asia and Latin America show that such an increase is quite possible, especially at the present stage of engineering industries where a sound basis for stronger growth has been established, where external factors are favourable and policies and support measures properly implemented (promotion, regional co-operation, specialization leading to sub-contracting arrangements, technological innovation, entrepreneurship and labour skill development). The strong past growth of the metalworking industries in small countries like Rwanda and Burundi (approximately 9 and 7 per cent per annum, respectively) and the fact that in 1975 the engineering industries in Mozambique contributed 32.5 per cent to manufacturing value also indicate that the likelihood for such a scenario is substantial. This case is illustrated by the projections with "accelerated absorption of indirect imports" (for assumptions under this alternative see Annex VI).

Chapter 5

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS IN STEEL CONSUMPTION PRODUCTION AND IMPORTS

1. This chapter outlines projections made for sub-regional demand and supply of steel over the next decade, and draws conclusions on the background of strategies for the iron and steel sector adopted by the sub-regional groupings, PTA and SADCC. After an overview of structures and trends (5.1) the market situation for basic steel products is assessed, indicating structural change and sub-regional trade opportunities (5.2). The conclusions from this assessment forms the basis for analysis and recommendations in the fields of billet production and trade (5.3), steelmaking capacity (5.4), and the demand/supply balance for steelmaking metallics (5.5). The final section 5.6 discusses the magnitude of a foreseen sub-regional metallics deficit and considers ways of closing it. The focus is particularly on the possibility of producing Direct Reduced Iron (DRI). Process options and project locations are considered. Main data and projections are given separately for SADCC and PTA.

2. The two overlapping sub-regional organisations covered by this study are different in structure and levels of steel consumption. The obvious explanation for this is that Zimbabwe, which belongs to both groupings and is the major steel producer and consumer weighs more heavily in relation to the smaller sub-group of SADCC. SADCC has at present some 40 per cent of the population of the whole PTA area, but over 50 per cent of total GDP, 60 per cent of total steel consumption and nearly 90 per cent of steel production capacity. Steel consumption per head, low by international standards, differs considerably between the two sub-regional groupings and will not (according to the base case projections) be evened out over the coming decade. The future of the steel sector in PTA and SADCC does however, hold problems which are both similar and require co-operation between a broad group of countries.

5.1 Overview, structures and trends

3. Tables 5.2 and 5.3 and figures 5.1 and 5.2 show summary results of the projection exercise, country projections are given in Volume II of this study. The reliability of forecast levels of steel consumption are dependent on several factors; firstly, the choice of projection model, secondly, the reliability of the method used for estimating the coefficients of the model and thirdly, on the alternative growth

assumptions made with respect to the explanatory variables. These variables are: Gross Domestic Product (GDP), GDP per capita, and depending on the steel item analysed, either gross investment value added in manufacturing or value added in building and construction.^{1/} (On methodology, see Annex VI). Overall, the multiple correlation rates (R^2 s) for the linear regression analysis applied to estimate coefficients were very high, indicating that a large part of the variation in steel consumption is explained by the model chosen. Exceptions were the projected consumption of rails (SITC 6760) and tubes (SITC 6780) which tend to be highly dependent on major investment projects. Because of the depressed state of most of the economies in the base period leading to a low level of investment, the consumption of these products may well be under-estimated. The considerable variation between the countries of the sub-region with respect to steel consumption and explanatory variables, made a cross sectional analysis possible. A certain degree of multi-collinearity has however made it difficult to judge the reliability of projection with standard statistical methods (see Annex VI).

4. Three alternative sets of assumptions were made with respect to GDP, gross investment and sectoral value added, each connected with different scenarios for the countries' external environment. The base case was built on World Bank projections of commodity prices and international economic growth; the low growth case, based on the same external environment is meant to illustrate the effect of adverse developments with regard to South Africa's destabilization and rainfall in the region. The high growth case assumes favourable external circumstances and a relatively favourable scenario with regard to weather and political/military turbulence. An additional three scenarios was created by the overall assumption that an extra 60 per cent of selected items of present indirect steel imports was replaced by local production by 1995 through an accelerated growth of the engineering sector (30 per cent by 1990) thus creating a greater consumption of the basic steel products included in the survey. The latter alternatives are referred to as the accelerated import replacement projection, whereas the former is called the main projection.

^{1/} The latter is generally referred to below as the "special explanatory variable".

5. Generally, the growth rates forecast for steel consumption are well over the projected rates of growth in population and GDP. For some items, consumption growth however lie below or only slightly above the growth rate of the special explanatory variable, (see Annex VI) indicating a decline or slow increase in the steel intensity of the sector. The alternatives show that there is a wide range of possibilities with regard to total consumption in 1990 and 1995. For PTA as a whole with a consumption of about 1.19 million tpy in 1981-83 the highest projection points at over 3 million tpy in 1995 and the lowest case gives 1.71 million tpy. In the case of SADCC with an initial consumption of 0.72 million tpy the outer points for the projections in 1995 lie at 1.71 and 0.97 million tpy.

Table 5.1: Apparent steel consumption in PTA and SADCC 1981-83 - 1995; Summary of Projections

		Million tonnes crude steel equivalent per annum			Annual compound growth rates	
		1981-83	1990	1995	1981-83 to 1990	1990 to 1995
Base case	PTA	1.19	1.67	2.21	4.3	5.8
	SADCC	0.72	0.98	1.30	4.0	5.7
High growth	PTA	1.19	1.92	2.74	6.2	7.4
	SADCC	0.72	1.10	1.58	5.5	7.6
Low growth	PTA	1.19	1.44	1.71	2.4	3.5
	SADCC	0.72	0.84	0.97	2.0	2.9
Accelerated import replacement						
Base case	PTA	1.19	1.86	2.59	5.8	6.9
	SADCC	0.72	1.09	1.51	5.3	6.8
High growth	PTA	1.19	2.11	3.13	7.5	8.2
	SADCC	0.72	1.20	1.79	6.7	8.3
Low growth	PTA	1.19	1.64	2.10	4.1	5.1
	SADCC	0.72	0.95	1.18	3.5	4.5

6. Tables 5.2 and 5.3 presents an overview of the main projections: In the base period, (1981-83) total sub regional consumption of basic steel products stood at a total (crude equivalent)^{1/} of 1.2 million tpy. This was covered by local production of around 0.5 million tpy and import of 0.8 million tpy leaving some 0.1 million tpy for exports out of the

1/ For method of calculation refer to Annex VI.

Table 5.2: PTA total, main projection

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP/POP			
MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995
34895	153	228	43765	199	220	53470	235	228	2.9	4.1	3.3	3.4	-0.5	0.7

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	RATES TO 1990	PA. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	245977	239057	99803	92883	319340	405000	-85660	398094	526000	-127906	3.3	4.5	2.8	3.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	79728	68667	20219	10158	83531	77500	6031	88294	83500	4794	0.7	1.1	3.1	3.8
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	86529	56932	32498	2901	127668	123000	4668	176238	222500	-46262	5.0	6.7	3.8	5.4
PLATES, H. + M	6740	70881	0	70881	0	106933	0	106933	134847	0	134847	5.3	4.7	3.1	3.8
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	127517	0	127517	0	215523	0	215523	325738	0	325738	6.8	8.6	3.8	5.4
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	129152	6000	123564	1411	204466	40000	164466	297460	60000	237460	6.0	7.8	3.8	5.4
HOOP AND STRP	6750	19039	0	19039	0	20800	0	20800	22946	0	22946	1.1	2.0	3.8	5.4
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	26196	3882	24123	1809	28229	9500	18729	31518	11500	20018	0.9	2.2	3.1	3.8
WIRE	6770	59794	35949	27156	3311	89033	72000	17033	121755	100000	21755	5.1	6.5	3.8	5.4
TUBES	6780	55449	4465	52222	1238	61157	10400	50757	67017	14500	52517	1.2	1.8	3.8	5.4
TOTALS		898263	414951	597023	113710	1256681	737400	519281	1663908	1018000	645908	4.3	5.8	3.5	4.8
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		1189597	530659	803048	145109	1666500	946556	719944	2208867	1307177	901690	4.3	5.8		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		1014158	452779	685193	123812	1421925	807640	614285	1884694	1115336	769358	4.3	5.8		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	1188597	530659	803048	145109	1920173	946556	973616	2742822	1307177	1435645	6.2	7.4
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					4.3			3.3			0.9	
1990 TO 1995					5.5			3.4			2.1	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIVIV. TONNE	1188597	530659	803048	145109	1441242	946556	494685	1712931	1307177	405754	2.4	3.5
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.3			3.3			-2.0	
1990 TO 1995					2.3			3.4			-1.0	

Table 5.3: SADCC total, main projection

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POP	GDP/POP	TO 1990-1995		
MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995
17926	61.5	291	21690	79.3	274	26410	92.8	285	2.4	4.0	3.2	3.2	-0.8	0.8

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	134206	174633	49910	90337	178988	264000	-85012	220650	323000	-102350	3.7	4.3	2.6	3.7
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	73751	68667	15242	10158	74841	75000	-159	76829	80000	-3171	0.2	0.5	3.1	3.5
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	55699	35545	22090	1937	77638	75500	2138	105896	107000	-1104	4.2	6.4	3.4	5.5
PLATES, H. + M	6740	46556	0	46556	0	65858	0	65858	81320	0	81320	4.4	4.3	3.1	3.5
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	66611	0	66611	0	119433	0	119433	188554	0	188554	7.6	9.6	3.4	5.5
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	53389	0	53389	0	96889	0	96889	152827	0	152827	7.7	9.5	3.4	5.5
HOOP AND STRP	6750	15088	0	15088	0	15456	0	15456	16459	0	16459	0.3	1.3	3.4	5.5
RAILS + MATER.	6760	19400	3882	17327	1809	20145	7000	13145	21805	8000	13805	0.5	1.6	3.1	3.5
WIRE	6770	37390	28667	11194	2471	55544	36500	19044	74916	50000	24916	5.1	6.2	3.4	5.5
TUBES	6780	40401	3465	37601	665	37032	8400	28632	38909	12000	26909	-1.1	1.0	3.4	5.5
TOTALS		542491	314859	335009	107376	741824	466400	275424	978166	580000	398166	4.0	5.7	3.2	4.7
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		716751	402364	451166	136780	981663	596421	385242	1296669	742200	554469	4.0	5.7		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		611561	343313	384953	116706	837594	508890	328704	1106370	633275	473095	4.0	5.7		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

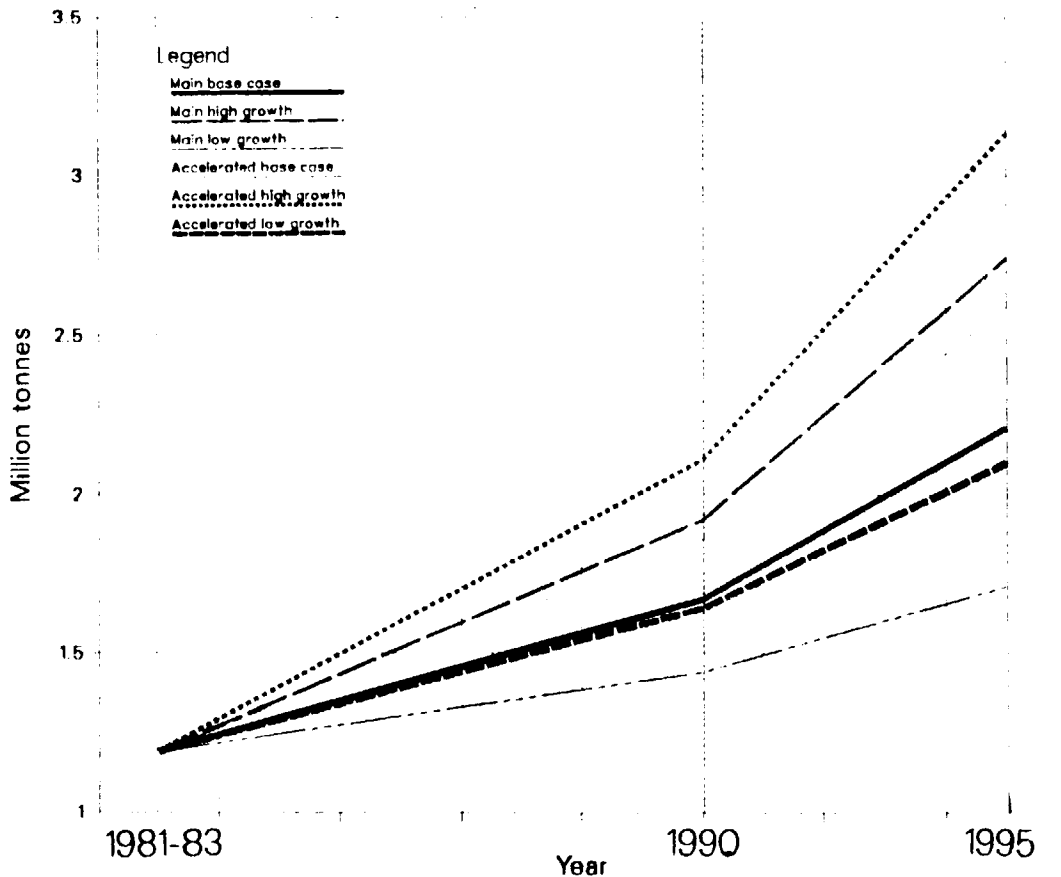
	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD	GROWTH RATE -1990	RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	716751	402364	451166	136780	1098890	596421	502469	1583351	742200	841151		5.5	7.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.7			3.2			0.5		
1990 TO 1995					5.4			3.2			2.2		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD	GROWTH RATE -1990	RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	716751	402364	451166	136780	841904	596421	245483	969161	742200	226961		2.0	2.9
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					0.8			3.2			-2.4		
1990 TO 1995					2.1			3.2			-1.1		

Figure 5.1.

PTA crude steel consumption projections, 1990 and 1995 (million tonnes)



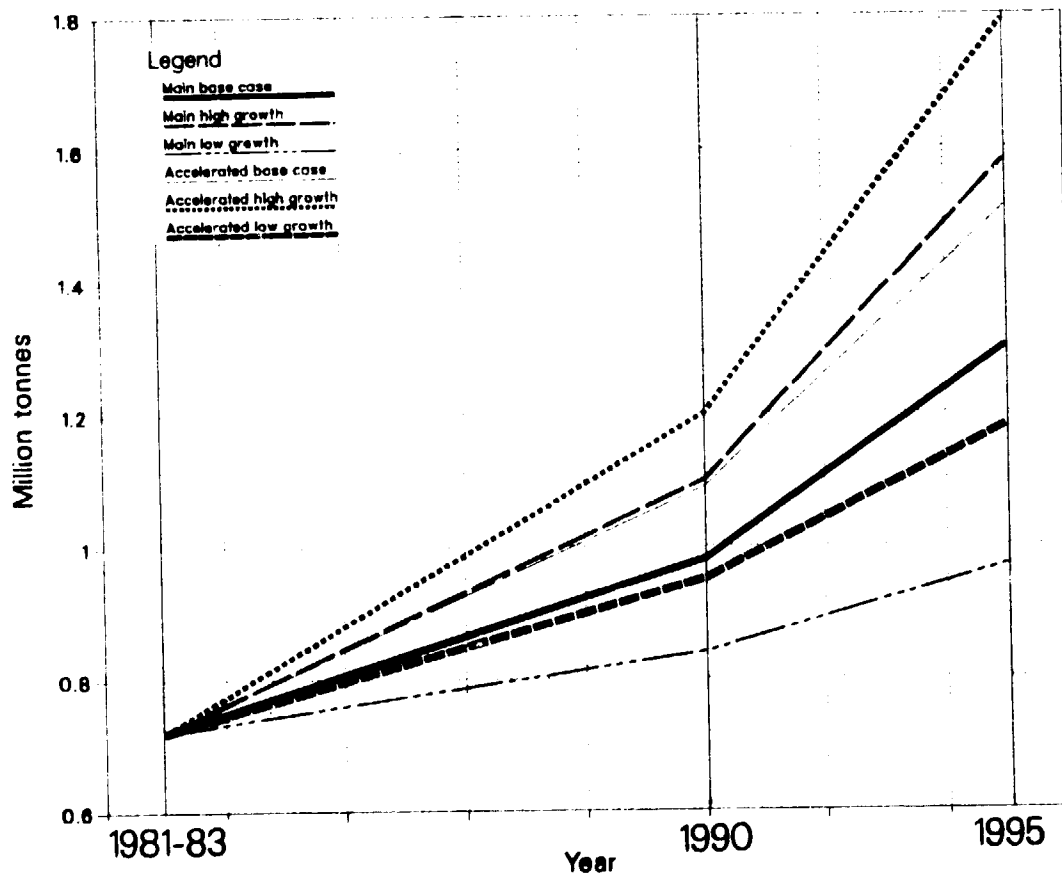
region. This gives a net import requirement of about 55 per cent. Average consumption per capita was 7.8 kg per year which is very low by international standards, see Table 5.4

7. The sub-region has possibly the lowest per capita consumption of steel in the world, SADCC average consumption being higher than the overall average mainly because of the stronger influence in this sub-group of the higher per capita consumption of Zimbabwe. For the PTA as a whole, consumption per capita is 5 per cent of the world average and only 2 per cent of the average for developed countries. Latin America uses nearly 10 times as much steel per capita and Asia uses nearly five times as much. Also compared to the average for Africa, the PTA per head consumption is low, about one third (SADCC one half) of the average. The main reasons for this are the higher incomes and higher per capita consumption of some populous African countries outside the sub region,

particularly Algeria (approximately 100 kg per capita) and Egypt (approximately 45 kg per capita). The low consumption rates are not entirely surprising on the background of income data; GDP per capita in 1981 was US \$317 in PTA (US \$420 in SADCC) compared to an overall African average of US \$694.

Figure 5.2.

SADCC crude steel consumption projections, 1990 and 1995 (million tonnes)



There is, however, a great deal of variation between countries of the sub-region as shown in Table 5.5. Zimbabwe has reached higher levels than e.g. Egypt, Colombia and China. Some of the small, relatively rich economies; Botswana, Seychelles and Mauritius are approaching Asian levels. On the other hand, consumption per head in countries like Ethiopia, Madagascar, Mozambique, Somalia and Uganda are exceedingly low.

8. By 1995, the end year of the projection, it is estimated that (in the main projection base case) consumption will have roughly doubled (up from 1.2 million tpy to 2.2 million tpy), giving a per capita consumption of 9.4 kg and a drop in net import requirement from 55 per cent to 41 per cent.^{1/} A further downward climb of import dependence is prevented by the regional supply/demand imbalance in rolled products, which based on present firm plans will remain to the mid 1990s.
9. For the SADCC group of countries, SADCC (see Table 5.3) consumption (in the main base case) would increase from 0.7 million tpy in 1981-83 to 1.3 million tpy in 1995, implying a rise in per head consumption from 11.7 kg to 14.0 kg and a drop in net import requirement from 44 per cent to 42 per cent. The reason for the latter nearly insignificant drop is that consumption of the types of rolled steel products that the SADCC countries can produce today is well covered by local production and the scope for improvement, therefore, limited without expansion of production into other types of products.
10. The range of projection alternatives may also be illustrated in terms of per capita consumption. For PTA the upper and lower bounds (respectively accelerated replacement high growth and main projection low growth) in 1995 would be 13.3, and 7.2 kg/capita, the former representing a 70 per cent increase from 1981-83 and the latter a decline from 1981-83. The range for SADCC would be 19.3 kg/capita to 10.4 kg/capita, the former representing a 65 per cent increase and the latter a fall from the 1981-83 level of 11.7 kg/capita.
11. In terms of net import requirement the difference between upper and lower projections are influenced by the mentioned structural imbalance. In the high alternatives, import requirements in 1995 would increase to 58.2 per cent and 58.6 per cent for PTA and SADCC respectively. Only in the undesirable case of the low scenario would the import dependency decline to 23.7 per cent and 23.4 per cent respectively. It should be stressed that the assumption leading to this is an illustration rather than a forecast. Indeed, a main recommendation from this study is that the structural imbalance, which mainly is due to the fact that plate and

^{1/} The latter assuming no other expansion in production capacity than those already firmly planned, Table A.II.3.

sheet is not produced in the sub-region should be corrected. This aspect is dealt with in 5.2 below. The foreign exchange leakage as a result of underused capacity and structural imbalance could be considerable. It is estimated that the aggregate sub-regional import cost of basic steel products in 1981-83 amounted to about US\$270 million, of which the SADCC countries accounted for US\$150 million. (See Table A.II.2).

Table 5.4: Apparent crude steel consumption in selected countries and regions, average 1981-83

	Population million	Total thousand tpy	Kg per capita/ year
World	4,586	719,665	156.9
Total industrialized countries ^{1/}	795	317,823	399.8
Total developing countries ^{1/}	2,358	103,393	43.8
Total Latin America	382	28,079	73.5
Total Asia	1,624	64,739	39.8
Total Africa	499	10,575	21.2
Total PTA	1.53	1,189	7.8
Total SADCC	61.5	717	11.6
India	768.7	13,836	18
China	1,041.0	44,754	43
Brazil	117.2	10,200	87
Colombia	33.7	1,146	34
Egypt	43.8	1,970	45

Source: Steel Statistical Yearbook 1985. International Iron and Steel Institute, Brussels 1985. Exclusive of indirect consumption. Population figures from UN Statistical yearbook and UNCTAD Handbook of International Trade.

^{1/} Excluding centrally planned economies.

12. It is hard, with any degree of confidence, to select one most likely projection alternative or discard upper or lower limits: If the low growth scenario materializes, which does not seem wholly unlikely on the basis of developments over the latest years, there will be less of a chance that the countries can mobilize the resources necessary to accelerate the replacement of indirect imports by developing their engineering industries. On the other hand, if the (relatively modest) high growth scenario is realised, the probability of additional development resources and hence the probability for the highest alternative will increase.

13. Two sets of external factors are crucially important for development in the medium term and will also influence what happens in the longer term; world market prices and the degree of economic disruption in the region generated by South Africa. Whereas developments in South Africa are still very unclear, the world market situation, particularly the decline of oil prices, gives reason for believing in an alternative higher than the base case. With the oil price trend continuing and an early end to unrest in the sub-region, steel consumption may turn out to equal high case levels.

Table 5.5: Projected development of apparent steel consumption by country^{1/}

Country	1981 - 83			1995			Annual per cent increase of consumption 1981-83 to 1995
	Population million	Steel consumption thousand tpy	Steel consumption per capita kg/year	Population million	Steel consumption thousand tpy	Steel consumption per capita kg/year	
Angola	7.5	56.9	8	10.6	80.8	8	2.7
Botswana	0.8	25.3	32	1.4	38.9	28	3.4
Burundi	4.5	12.4	3	6.6	37.0	6	8.7
Comoros	0.4	3.3	8	0.5	5.7	11	4.3
Ethiopia	33.3	70.7	2	51.2	152.9	3	6.6
Djibouti	0.3	5	17	0.4	7.5	18	2.9
Kenya	17.9	258.	14	31.3	369.8	12	2.8
Lesotho	1.4	13.0	9	2.1	21.9	10	4.1
Madagascar	9.3	32.4	3	13.4	79.3	6	7.1
Malawi	6.6	25.1	4	10.2	51.1	5	5.6
Mauritius	1.0	34.8	35	1.2	71.6	60	5.7
Mozambique	11.1	26.9	2	15.9	100.2	6	10.6
Rwanda	5.2	24.7	5	8.3	43.4	5	4.4
Seychelles	0.1	2.5	25	0.1	3.5	29	2.6
Somalia	5.0	7.9	2	6.5	15.8	2	5.5
Swaziland	0.6	9.7	16	0.9	18.3	20	5.0
Tanzania	19.2	84.1	4	29.1	122.9	4	3.0
Uganda	14.1	19.7	1	22.4	115.6	5	14.5
Zambia	6.2	96.4	15	9.8	156.9	16	3.8
Zimbabwe	8.0	379.3	47	12.8	705.6	55	4.9
Total PTA	152.5	1,188.5	7.8	234.7	2,208.7	9.4	4.8
Total SADCC	61.5	716.8	11.7	92.8	1,296.7	14.0	4.7

^{1/} Main projection, base case, totals do not always coincide with those of tables 5.2 and 5.3 because of rounding.

14. Table 5.5 shows a summary of country data and projections. In general, it illustrates the great variation in the sub-region with respect to population and steel consumption. Kenya and Zimbabwe, the major centres of steel consumption in 1981-83 stood for 68 per cent of total sub-regional consumption but only 17 per cent of the population. This is a reflection of the variation in present development levels and economic structures among the countries of the sub-region. Foreseen variations in development prospects lead to differing projections of future consumption.
15. There appears to be a tendency for convergence over time of per capita consumption levels. One notable feature however is the relatively high per capita consumption in some very small countries: Botswana (32), Djibouti (17), Mauritius (35), Seychelles (25), Swaziland (16). This may partly be a problem of statistical sources, partly a coincidence caused by heavily steel consuming projects in these small economies in the base period. For example, the generally high degree of industrialization in Mauritius and mining sector development in Botswana explain the high consumption levels in those two countries. Because, in the regression analysis, a low population becomes positively associated with a high per capita consumption, projections for these countries may tend to overestimate consumption. For Mauritius, where economic prospects are considered good and the population growth rate is low, a very steep increase in per capita consumption from high initial levels result.
16. Six countries have very low per capita consumption (under 4 kgs per year). Four of them: Burundi, Madagascar, Mozambique and Uganda are projected to reach more "normal" consumption levels by 1995. In the case of Burundi, this is based on the expectation of a quite rapid development with emphasis on the manufacturing sector. For the three others the rapid growth represents more predominantly a return to normal from the depressed consumption levels of the base period.
17. Kenya and Zimbabwe seem to have somewhat different developments in per capita steel consumption. For Kenya, a tendency for declining steel intensity is forecast. Together with rather low growth up to 1990 and a very high increase in population this results in a slight decline in steel consumption per head up to 1995. In Zimbabwe, high forecast growth rates, particularly for manufacturing value added in the period 1990-1995 balances off a tendency for declining steel intensity.

18. The remaining seven countries show more "normal" per capita consumption levels, growth of total consumption in the 3-6 per cent range and therefore levelling or slightly increasing per capita consumption levels.

5.2 Structural change and opportunities for trade and specialization

19. Projections indicate that considerable structural change will take place as steel consumption grows over the next decade. Tables 5.6 and 5.7 show projected changes in consumption patterns for PTA and SADCC. Several tendencies are involved. Firstly, consumption patterns of the countries included have a tendency to converge. This may be seen from a comparison of the tables (1) in Volume II of the study and is largely due to the underlying assumption that industrially less developed countries become more diversified during a growth and development process (see Annex VI). Secondly, there is a general tendency for a change in consumption profiles away from bars and rods, angles and shapes, towards other items, particularly light plate. This is connected to the assumption of a strong growth of the manufacturing sector relative to building and construction. The more sophisticated products produced by the manufacturing sector tend to require more plate. For PTA as a whole, it is estimated that bars, rods and angles which constituted 45.8 per cent of total consumption in 1981-83 will decline to 37.8 per cent in 1995, whereas light, tinned and coated plate will increase from 28.5 per cent of the total to 37.0 per cent over the same period. Thirdly, items like heavy plate, rail track and line material as well as tube, show a receding trend. These items are notoriously difficult to forecast because of the large fluctuations in their consumption which are often experienced in connection with the beginning or phasing out of large investment projects. In view of the depressed economic situation in the base period permitting few large projects, the growth potential for these items may well be underestimated.
20. The extent to which demand for the various steel products can be satisfied by sub-regional producers depends on overall capacities for steelmaking and rolling, and on how well the product range is matched with the structure of demand. It was not possible to deal with all types of steel qualities and shapes needed by, e.g. the engineering sector, but the demand projections give a basis for judging where bottlenecks in the supply of the main rolled products may occur. Tables 5.2 and 5.3 indicates problems and opportunities.

Table 5.6: Projected structural change in consumption of rolled steel, PTA base case

	<u>Per cent of total</u>		
	1981-83	1990	1995
Bars and rods	27.4	25.4	23.9
Angles and shapes, heavy and medium	8.8	6.6	5.3
Angles and shapes, light	9.6	10.2	10.6
Plates, heavy and medium	7.9	8.5	8.1
Plates, light	14.2	17.1	19.5
Tinned and coate plate	14.3	16.2	17.8
Hoop and strip	2.1	1.7	1.4
Rails and railtrack materials	2.9	2.2	1.9
Wire	6.7	7.1	7.3
Tubes	6.2	4.9	4.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 5.7: Projected structural change in consumption of rolled steel, SADCC base case

	<u>Per cent of total</u>		
	1981-83	1990	1995
Bars and rods	24.7	24.1	22.6
Angles and shapes, heavy and medium	13.6	10.1	7.9
Angles and shapes, light	10.2	10.4	10.8
Plates, heavy and medium	8.6	8.9	8.3
Plates, light	12.3	16.1	19.3
Tinned and coate plate	9.8	13.1	15.6
Hoop and strip	2.8	2.1	1.7
Rails and railtrack materials	3.6	2.7	2.2
Wire	6.9	7.5	7.7
Tubes	7.4	5.0	3.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

Percentages may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

21. In the base period, virtually all producers in the region had installed capacities for production of bars and rods, light angles and shapes. Zimbabwe in addition produced heavy angles, light rails and tubes. Wire was produced in Ethiopia, Kenya and Zimbabwe. There was no production of plate, sheet or strip in the sub-region. (Data from Kenya shows that some coating or tinning of plate took place there in 1981-83).

22. Looking at PTA net imports by basic product (Table 5.2) in 1981-83 it appears clear that there is scope for import substitution for all items. Given the present poor capacity utilization, the first step to be considered should be a better match of production to current and prospective demand by better utilization of the already installed capacity. The scope for this is illustrated by assuming an increase from the low levels of 1981-83 to a utilization of 70 per cent in 1990 and in the region of 90 per cent in 1995. In addition, firmly planned new capacities as at mid-1985 have been included in the production forecast. In the base case, this would, as mentioned above, bring the net import requirement of the region down from 55 per cent in 1981-83 to 42 per cent in 1995.
23. Table 5.8 illustrates the sub-regional market balance and the scope for trade in basic steel products under the above assumptions. Trade appears in future as at present, mainly to be centred on rods, bars and light angles and on exportable surpluses in Kenya, Zimbabwe and in future, Mauritius. In most other countries that plan to roll steel by 1995 there would appear to be a quite well balanced market situation for rods, bars and light angles. Assuming that surpluses and deficits (e.g., positive and negative projections of net imports in 1995) below 2,000 tpy are well within margins of error, five of the ten expected steel producers will have a need for international trade in bars, rods and light sections; Kenya, Zimbabwe, Mauritius and to some extent Mozambique would have exportable surpluses of these products and Uganda would need to import a significant amount of rods and bars. The total exportable quantities of the four would be 173,500 tpy of bars and rods and 73.7 tpy of light angles. The consumption in Uganda and the non-producers would be 34.2 tpy and 24.7 tpy respectively, indicating some capacity for exports outside the PTA. As existing and planned capacities for bars, rods and light angles appears to be sufficient up to 1995, it may be concluded that it is indeed appropriate to attach the highest priority to improving capacity utilization. The sum total of present individual national plans for additional capacities in these products appear appropriate when seen in a sub-regional context.

Table 5.8: Trade opportunities in steel products

Country	Net import 1995, thousand tonnes	
	Bars, rods	Light, angles and shapes
Angola	-0.8	-0.4
Botswana	9.9	4.3
Burundi	1.9	3.4
Comoros	1.3	0.3
Ethiopia	1.1	1.7
Djibouti	2.8	0.1
Kenya	-35.3	-40.1
Lesotho	1.8	1.2
Madagascar	0.2	0.0
Malawi	7.6	4.2
Mauritius	-16.5	-17.2
Mozambique	-9.0	-2.7
Rwanda	5.2	3.6
Seychelles	1.0	0.3
Somalia	1.7	0.8
Swaziland	1.2	4.7
Tanzania	0.0	1.2
Uganda	11.0	1.8
Zambia	-0.3	0.2
Zimbabwe	-112.8	-13.7
Total PTA ^{1/}	-127.9	-46.3
Total SADCC ^{1/}	-102.4	-1.1

^{1/} Totals do not always coincide with those of tables 5.2 and 5.3 because of rounding.

24. The main bottleneck appears in plate and sheet, where the sub-region for the time being has no producer. Furthermore, as shown above, the plate products will increase their share of total consumption quite rapidly over the next decade. The PTA sub-region consumed nearly 350,000 tpy of the different items of plate in 1981-83 (including hoop and strip). This is, in the base case, projected to increase to nearly 550,000 tpy in 1990 and 780,000 tpy in 1995. These projections may be an overestimate because of the strong influence on the regression analysis by heavier users of plate like Kenya. However, even if one accounts for this and for the special qualities which cannot readily be produced within the sub-region, total demand would be high enough to support sub-regional production of plate. This runs contrary to opinions heard during mission. It was often stated that the higher economic minimum capacities and the higher investment costs were main obstacles to starting plate production in the region. There are, however, traditional technical solutions (e.g. steckel rolling mill) which will reduce minimum capacity for flat rolled products to the region of 100,000-200,000 tpy.

25. At such a level of production even the 1981-83 demand could have justified at least one plate producer in the sub-region. If base case projections hold, it appears a realistic proposition to have two plate mills in the region by 1990. Demand oriented locations would be Kenya (plate demand of 120,000 tonnes in 1990) and Zimbabwe (140,000 tpy). Choosing these locations would enable investors to start from a national demand base. Zimbabwe would be near the centre of a "southern" group of countries (Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Swaziland, Zimbabwe) representing about 60 per cent of total sub-regional plate demand. Kenya would be the centre of the "northern" group (Burundi, Comoros, Ehtiopia, Djibouti, Rwanda, Seychelles, Somalia, Uganda, Tanzania) with about 40 per cent of the demand.
26. A substantial coverage of plate demand by sub-regional producers nearly eliminate sub-regional import requirements for basic steel products. If three-quarters of plate and sheet demand in 1995 was satisfied sub-regionally, it would bring total net import requirements (crude equivalents) down from the 41 per cent mentioned in para 7 above to 8 per cent. The implications for crude steel demand of various alternatives for production of basic products are discussed under 5.4 below.

5.3 Billet production and trade

27. As plate is not produced in the sub-region, inputs for rolling are mainly billets (pencil ingots are treated as billets for current purposes). The billet equivalent of consumption, production and imports in the base case has been calculated for all countries by assuming a fixed relation between crude steel and billets (see Annex VI) the results are shown by country in Volume II and summarized in Table 5.2. and 5.3 above. The actual demand for billets from existing sub-regional rolling mills would be smaller than indicated by such a calculation since plate items, heavy angles, heavy rails, hoop, strip and tubes are generally not produced from billets. The derived billet demand is given in Table 5.9.
28. For the PTA as a whole, billet producing capacity stood at some 770,000 tpy in 1981-83, 600,000 tonnes^{1/} of which was located in Zimbabwe, 85,000 tonnes in Kenya and smaller amounts in Angola, Ethiopia, Uganda and Tanzania. No other country in the region produced billets but there was a demand for billets also from re rollers in Mauritius and

Table 5.9: Derived demand for billets by country^{1/}
(thousand tonnes)

Country	1981 - 83				Projection 1995			
	Capacity	Demand	Production	Net import	Capacity	Demand	Production	Net import
Angola	30.0	2.4	2.2	0.2	30.0	29.8	27.0	2.8
Ethiopia	12.0	17.8	10.1	7.7	12.0	58.7	10.8	47.9
Kenya	85.1	62.9	51.4	11.5	131.1	211.2	118.0	93.2
Madagascar	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	27.8
Mauritius	-	9.5	-	9.5	50.0	78.6	45.0	33.6
Mozambique	-	10.5	-	10.5	-	47.7	-	47.7
Tanzania	18.0	15.2	12.0	3.2	43.0	46.6	38.7	7.9
Uganda ^{2/}	24.0	10.8	10.8	-	26.5	29.3	23.9	5.4
Zambia	-	-	-	-	27.0	38.5	24.3	14.2
Zimbabwe	600.0	236.3	480.5	-244.2	600.0	368.8	540.0	-171.2
Total PTA	769.1	365.4	567.0	-201.6	919.6	937.0	827.7	109.3
Total SADCC	648.0	264.4	494.7	-203.3	700.0	531.4	630.0	-98.6

^{1/} Assuming billet demand for all items except plate, tubes and heavy angles. Assuming a capacity utilization in the region of 90 per cent in 1995 and demand as in the main projection base case.

^{2/} Import of billets may have taken place into Uganda. Trade statistics for the country for the relevant period are deficient or non-existent.

Mozambique. Overall capacity utilization was as high as 73 per cent, heavily influenced by the capacity utilization of 80 per cent for Zimbabwe, which exported over half of the billets produced. Capacity utilization for other billet producers were lower, averaging about 50 per cent. The substantial billet export from Zimbabwe led to a net export for the region as a whole. The region excluding Zimbabwe, however, imported one-third of its billet requirement of some 42,600 tonnes.^{1/} Zimbabwe's export in 1981 (see Table 5.10) indicate that nearly half of this would have been supplied by Zimbabwe, the rest from overseas. About 10 per cent of Zimbabwe's billet export for that year went to the three PTA countries which had the greatest import requirement; Zimbabwe's steel covered some 40 per cent of Kenya's requirements, all of Mauritius' and 60 per cent of Mozambique's.

^{1/} The quoted capacity, strictly speaking, also include heavy sections.

Table 5.10: Zimbabwe's exports of blooms, billets, slabs, sheets, bars in 1981

	<u>thousand tonnes</u>	<u>per cent of total</u>
Kenya	4.8	2.3
Mauritius	9.9	4.7
Mozambique	6.0	2.9
Republic of South Africa	10.5	5.1
Other Africa	17.5	8.4
Other developing countries	150.9	72.6
Industrialized countries	<u>8.4</u>	<u>4.0</u>
Total	208.0	100.0

29. In line with its sectoral strategy, PTA has actively promoted supply/purchase agreements between Zimbabwe and billet deficit countries of the sub-region. ZISCO teams have examined the technical state of rolling mills in Ethiopia and Mozambique and their billet requirements. The Commonwealth Secretariat has completed a similar exercise for Kenya, and it is hoped, with assistance from ZISCOSTEEL to do the same for Tanzania and Madagascar. A first breakthrough was achieved in March 1986 when MMCZ/ZISCO agreed on a supply contract with Ethiopian authorities involving an annual 4,000 tpy billet and 2,000 tpy wire rod. Later, in May 1986, MMCZ/ZISCO and various Kenyan rollers confirmed orders for a total of 45,000 tonnes of steel, mostly billets.
30. Projections show considerable scope for expansion of the trade in billets: On present plans, billet making capacity would expand from the 1981-83 levels of 769,100 tpy to 919,600 tpy in 1990 and remain at this level up to 1995. Assuming a 90 per cent capacity utilization and derived demand as in the base case, this would give a surplus at some 160,000 tpy for the sub-region in 1990.
31. By 1995 the demand/supply balance assuming base case demand would have changed into one of sub-regional billet deficit in the region of 110,000 tonnes (see Table 5.9). Zimbabwe would still be able to produce a considerable surplus of 170,000 tpy but the combined demand from other countries of the sub-region would be about 280,000 tpy. Ethiopia, Kenya, Mauritius and Mozambique would stand for roughly 80 per cent of the total. This would mean a potential 6-7 fold increase in the volume of sub-regional billet trade (from 42,400 tpy in 1981-83 to 280,000 tpy in 1995). To release this potential and maintain overall self-sufficiency, there would be a need for expansion in sub-regional billet producing

capacity between 1990 and 1995. Several factors would have to be taken into account to determine the best location. Using concentration of demand as the only factor, would make a northern location, e.g. Kenya appear advantageous.

32. Whether such capacity expansion and trade will actually take place are dependent on numerous factors, the most important of which are the price competitiveness and profitability for Zimbabwean billets, general demand assumptions and the possibility of a demand for other primary steel products than billets. These points are considered briefly below.
33. The following list of comparative transport costs in US\$ gives some indication of ZISCO's transport advantage for sub-regional supply of billets to major importers.

<u>To</u>	<u>From ZISCO (Redcliff)</u>	<u>From Europe (Anvers)</u>
Ethiopia Landed Djibouti ^{1/}	105	60
Kenya Landed Mombasa ^{1/}	76	78
Madagascar Cif Antananarivo	150	196
Mauritius Landed Port Louis	92	89
Mozambique Landed Maputo	30	70 ^{1/}

^{1/} Does not include port charges in respectively Djibouti, Mombasa and Maputo.

Data is drawn from Annex III and must be regarded as approximate only (sea freights Maputo-Djibouti, Anvers-Maputo and Maputo-Port Louis are informed guesses).

34. The transport cost differences between supplies from ZISCO and from Europe vary considerably. Only in one case, Ethiopia do European producers seem to have a transport cost advantage. The US\$60 quoted as sea freight costs from Europe relates to earlier billet supplies from Poland. The billet supply/purchase agreement between Zimbabwe and Ethiopia is said to be based on prices somewhat above those of deliveries from the most competitive European producers.

35. Apart from the case of Ethiopia it seems clear that ZISCO supply will have a transport cost advantage for all the main points of supply listed. For Kenya and Mauritius however, margins appear to be small, meaning that ZISCO only by charging an ex-works price of around US\$180 (the approximate free market fob Europe cost for billets) can compete effectively at all locations. The several ways of reducing transport costs as suggested in Chapter 4 and Annex III could further improve ZISCO's competitive position.

36. A further argument favouring ZISCO supplies is the fact that a proportion of the various countries' billet imports could be paid for in the currencies of the sub-region through the the PTA clearing arrangement. This is a strong argument in favour of ZISCO at a time of severe hard currency shortages in virtually all the countries of the sub-region. If the billet deficiency of 110,000 tonnes projected for 1995 is to be supplied from outside the sub-region, the foreign exchange (C & F) outlay would be about US \$35 million based on the Lusaka C & F price stipulated above. The extent to which the potential of the clearing arrangement can be used is however dependent on the size and inter country balance of sub-regional trade.

37. While recognising the advantages, in terms of sub-regional integration and self-sufficiency, of obtaining "semi" steel products from Zimbabwe in preference to external sources, it is worth observing that this strategy must be seen as a short-term expedient. In the long term, the sub-region would have to install additional steelmaking capacity to satisfy its future needs. What is more, in the interest of effective decentralization of the industry, future steel capacity increases should be implemented outside Zimbabwe which, as previously stated, in the base period accounted for 83 per cent of the sub-region's crude steel capacity. In fact, it is in Zimbabwe's long-term interest not to be saddled with the obligation of being the billet supplier to the sub-region. It is a well-known fact that billet production for sale as such is, at best, a low-margin venture. In fact, given its present profit squeeze, engendered in part by Zimbabwe's high dependence on the highly competitive export market for a large fraction of its output, ZISCO's medium and long term strategy should involve progressive diversification into higher-valued products such as flat steel, high alloy and stainless steels, and forging billets.

38. The above calculation of the demand for billets is based on the input needs for the rolling of a certain range of basic steel products. As the forecast for level and structure of basic steel production is given in one variant only (based on 70 per cent capacity utilization in 1990 and 90 per cent in 1995, and in addition, new capacity) the various alternatives for consumption of basic steel products will have only an indirect effect on billet demand.
- 3 The conclusion that considerable new billet making capacity would be needed between 1990 and 1995 would depend on the market balance in basic steel products for this period. In the base case, our production assumptions result in a certain net export of bars, rods and light angles in 1995. If such exports could not be realized and production had to be tailored to PTA demand only, billet demand would be reduced by some 196,000 tonnes, swinging the overall 1995 balance from a sub-regional deficit of 110,000 tpy to a surplus of 80,000 tonnes, meaning that new capacity would not be needed. The low growth cases (both main projection and accelerated replacement) would also tend to support such a conclusion, while the high growth case and accelerated base case would point to a definite need for capacity extension.
40. The assumptions made about Zimbabwe's propensity to export outside the PTA and the possibility of sub-regional plate production would strongly effect the conclusions made about the need for additional billet making capacity. Zimbabwe has traditionally exported between 200,000 tpy and 300,000 tpy of billets, only a minor part to PTA markets. If this is assumed to continue and ZISCO's billet making capacity is not expanded, Zimbabwe would have a net import requirement of some 80,000 tpy (250,000 - 170,000) by 1995, meaning that the sub-region would have a billet deficit of 360,000 tpy (110,000 + 250,000). Alternatively, assuming that Zimbabwe would balance its market and export residual amounts of billet the deficit would amount to 280,000 tpy. Both alternatives would indicate a need for an additional substantial billet producer in the region between 1990 and 1995. To what degree Zimbabwe would prefer to export to world markets or not would depend inter alia on world market prices and arrangements within PTA to secure the foreign exchange on which Zimbabwe depends for certain industrial inputs.

41. Above, it is pointed out that a main constraint to the increase of steel self-sufficiency in the sub-region is the absence of sub-regional plate and sheet production. It is also illustrated, using base case projections that a market sufficient to warrant economic production already exists. Installation of plate production facilities in the region would require input of slabs, the quantities depending on what portion of present and projected imports of plate and sheet products could be replaced by local production. Requirements could be substantial; if only 50 per cent of projected base case demand in 1990 was to be covered by sub-regional producers, additional input needs in terms of crude steel would be in the region of 350,000 tonnes. If Zimbabwe was supposed to supply this, on top of local sub-regional requirements for the product ranges presently produced, it would lead to a deficit in the production of crude steel (billets, slabs). In 1995, the combined consumption of plate items having grown to 750,000 tonnes, the demand/supply gap would have widened considerably. Given sub-regional production of plate and sheet and given substantial exports of billets from ZISCO outside the sub-region a sizeable under-capacity in crude steel could develop. This is dealt with in more detail below.

5.4 Steelmaking capacity

42. Crude steel makers in the sub-region except Zimbabwe cast the whole of their production into billets.^{1/} Crude steel capacities for these producers are therefore roughly equal to their billet producing capacities listed in Table 5.9 above. For Zimbabwe, total steelmaking capacity is 850,000 tpy^{2/} giving a total sub-regional capacity of 1.0191 million tpy in 1981-83.^{3/} By 1990 capacity expansions in Kenya (46,000 tpy), Uganda (2,500 tpy) and Tanzania (25,000 tpy) together with the establishment of new furnaces in Mauritius (50,000 tpy) and Zambia (27,000 tpy) would overall increase capacity by slightly over 150,000 tpy to 1.1696 million tpy (see Table A.II.3). Based on current plans, capacity would remain at this level up to 1995.

^{1/} In Kenya, mostly pencil ingots which for current purposes are considered as billets.

^{2/} Based on assessment as at mid 1985. A capacity of 1 million tpy may be achieved by removing certain bottlenecks in oxygen and hot metal supplies.

^{3/} Figures refer to Annex Table AII.1. The Asmara EAF is not included. The Rolmil Kenya 7 ton EAF is not included in 1981-83.

43. The demand for steelmaking or crude steel capacity originates in the demand for basic steel products. However, supply bottlenecks in processing (rolling) of basic steel products as well as in billet/bloom/slab making may pose limitations on the crude steel requirement. The demand projection alternatives worked out and the various possible assumptions on bottleneck removal could produce a large number of alternatives. Below, a selection of them have been examined and crude steel requirement derived. Table 5.11 gives the results.

Table 5.11: Sub-regional crude steel requirements

Demand	Assumptions on		Crude steel production thousand tonnes			
	External exports	Removal of bottlenecks	Total output required		Additional production required	
			1990	1995	1990	1995
1. High accelerated	250	All	2,230	3,190	+1,180	+2,140
2. Base accelerated	None	Plate production	1,450	1,650	+400	+600
3. Base main	250	Plate production	1,660	1,820	+610	+770
4. Base main	250	None	1,300	1,300	+250	+250
5. Base main	None	None	1,050	1,050	-	-
6. Low main	None	None	800	800	-250	-250

44. The table is based on the following assumptions: Total capacity in 1990 and 1995 is 1,169,600 tpy, equivalent to Zimbabwe's capacity of 850,000 tpy + billet making capacity of 319,600 tpy for the other countries. Capacity utilization of 90 per cent gives a forecast output of 1,050,000 tpy. The demand side alternatives (not included in Table 5.11) are based on "crude equivalents" of summary tables 5.2 and 5.3, adjusted to account for the fact that crude and billet weight would coincide for certain products and producers. The demand originating from projected consumption of basic products will however only have an indirect effect on total crude output, namely by indicating the need for an expansion of capacity. The capacities of billet/slab making facilities would be the actual capacity constraint for crude (liquid) steel. If no expansion took place at the former level, no additional production of crude steel would be needed. This is exemplified in alternative 5 where no bottlenecks are removed. Therefore, no additional production is needed and the output required stays the same in 1990 and 1995, since all planned capacity expansions are assumed to take place before 1990.

45. In terms of supply demand balance for basic products alternative 5 relates to the main projection base case. Note that this case involves a small amount of outside sub-region net exports of steel products in 1990 and 1995. This illustrates a situation with a balanced sub-regional market and exports outside the region roughly at the levels of 1981-83, an assumption which is also contained in all other alternatives except No.1.
46. Alternatives 1 and 6 represent extremes.
Alternative 1 assumes that all demand for basic products are reflected in the demand for crude steel. In other words, all bottlenecks in rolling and billet/slab making are assumed to be removed to make a complete matching of sub-regional production with sub-regional demand for basic steel products and to provide for 250,000 tpy billet exports for Zimbabwe.
47. Alternative 6 is based on such a low demand for basic products in the region that in order to prevent excessive stockpiling in a situation where exports out of the sub-region cannot be stepped up above its 1981-83 level, production has to be cut by approximately 250,000 tpy from its level of 1,050,000 tpy.
48. Alternative 2 conservatively assumes that 50 per cent of sub-regional demand for plate and sheet can be produced in the region and the required slab input produced. It also assumes that Zimbabwe's present export of billets outside PTA will be made available for purchase by the countries in the sub-region as and when needed. The basic steel demand projection for this alternative includes the assumption that considerable replacement of indirect imports by local production will take place.
49. In alternative 3, the assumption demand for basic steel products is that of the main base case projection. The assumption on production of plate and slabs are the same as in alternative 2. In addition, this alternative however assumes that Zimbabwe will continue its exports of billets at a level of some 250,000 tpy thus excluding these tonnage from the PTA market and increasing the need for additional production to achieve balance within the PTA.
50. Alternative 4, also built on the main base case demand assumption, does not assume plate production, but includes Zimbabwean extra PTA exports of 250,000 tpy.

51. The alternatives considered largely support the view that substantial additional crude steelmaking capacity could be required even by 1990. In the case that all bottlenecks could be removed, requiring substantial investment in both rolling, billet and slab making, plate and sheet production a tripling of present production and capacity would be needed by 1995.

52. Conclusions as to new capacity requirements are very sensitive to the assumption made regarding the production of plate. Deficit tonnages in alternatives 2 and 3 may be doubled if a 100 per cent coverage of plate demand is assumed instead of 50 per cent. On the other hand, if production of plate was not started in the sub-region there would hardly be a need for extra crude steel capacity. There is in other words little need for contemplating expansion of crude capacity before plans for slab/plate/sheet production are firmly in place. Zimbabwe's interest in exporting billets is also a crucial factor. If market conditions are so that an export above 250,000 tpy becomes attractive, the projected needs for additional production may be increased by the additional tonnages.

53. The chance that demand may be satisfied by making existing plant more efficient and utilize capacities better is slight. Even if overall crude steel capacity utilization could be increased to 95 per cent and Zimbabwean capacity increased to 1 million tpy, this would mean an increase of approximately 200,000 tpy. Substantial new capacity would still be needed under alternatives 2 and 3. Again, for a decision about the location of such capacity, several factors would be weighed. From the demand point of view, assuming as indicated above major expansion of billet production and perhaps slabs in a northern location, this would naturally have to be linked with additional crude steel capacity.

54. Two major points emerge from the above discussion:
 - a) Steelmaking capacity in the PTA sub-region estimated at 1.019 million tpy in 1985 and 1.1696 million tpy in 1990 would most probably need an extension by 1990 if sub-regional self-sufficiency was to be achieved;
 - b) The size of new capacity needed is, however, highly uncertain. Assuming 90 per cent capacity utilization, the highest projected addition to the 1.1696 million tpy assumed in 1990 would be 1.3 million tpy. In 1995 the maximum projected need for additional capacity would be nearly 2.4 million tpy, the minimum no extension at all.

55. At the present time, none of the alternatives examined above may be said to be much more likely than the others. Since feasibility studies, design and construction of steel plants require considerable time, the commissioning of new plant in 1990 would require decisions at an early stage. The uncertainty involved leads to a planning problem which may be ameliorated in two ways:

- a) Since the demand for crude steel is highly dependent on what happens to rolling capacity and billet/slab making capacity, a considerable part of the uncertainty can be eliminated by integrated planning of all three production stages. Decision on crude steel capacity should only be taken on the basis of firm plans on the rolling and billet/slab making stages.
- b) There is some degree of choice between different size of plant and technologies. The basic choice seems to be between a large plant which, in case the higher consumption alternatives fail to materialize, would be such a cheap producer that profitable extra PTA exports would be assured, and several smaller plants which could be built in step with increasing consumption. Such plants would be likely to have higher capacity production costs but there would be advantages in reducing the chance of excess capacity, minimizing transport costs and an opportunity for a degree of specialization. Given the advantages of the small-plants option in terms of a regionally balanced development of the steel industry, smaller scale production units should be given particular attention.

5.5 Demand/supply balance for steelmaking metallics

56. The demand for metallic inputs for the steelmaking process is derived from the demand for crude steel. This means that the uncertainty with regard to crude steel demand apply to the steelmaking inputs and that integrated planning is necessary.
57. ZISCOSTEEL in Zimbabwe is the only integrated steel mill in the region, producing basic steel products from local ore and coal. Although purchased scrap does not constitute a major input to ZISCO, the majority of scrap used being clean mill scrap, the mill is still the country's major scrap consumer. The estimated 50,000 tpy of scrap generated appears to be fully utilized by ZISCO and the local foundry industry

which is well developed. Since Zimbabwe is thus self-sufficient in metallic input for steelmaking, is likely to remain so and since exports of steelmaking inputs is not very likely, the country has not been included in the analysis below.

58. Table 5.12 shows the situation in 1981-83. The five countries shown were the only PTA countries which demanded metallics import for their scrap based steelmaking. The column "scrap from local sources" is calculated as the difference between the "required metallics input" and imported scrap. Although imports may possibly be underestimated, and thus result in an overestimation of local scrap consumed in mills, and the estimates of scrap generation are somewhat tentative, the regions annual use of scrap was certainly well above the amounts generated annually. This conclusion is strengthened by the fact that part of the scrap also would be used by foundries in the sub-region. The study mission which took place in mid-1985 clearly confirmed that scrap generated did not level with demand and that any stocks of scrap which had existed now were about to be depleted in the countries where smelting takes place.

Table 5.12: Supply and demand for steelmaking metallics 1981-83
(thousand tpy)

	Billet production	Required ^{1/} metallics input	Imported scrap	Scrap from local sources	Estimated ^{2/} scrap generation
Angola	2.2	2.4	1.3	1.1	6.0
Ethiopia	10.1	11.1	1.1	10.0	5.0
Kenya	51.3	56.5	2.0	54.5	25.0
Uganda	10.8	11.9	-	11.9	3.5
Tanzania	12.0	13.2	1.1	12.1	10.0
Other countries	-	-	-	-	28.0
Total	86.4	95.1	5.5	89.6	77.5

1/ Conversion factor of 1.1 from billets.

2/ Does not include mill scrap.

59. This general impression does not mean that scrap utilization will be unimportant for the sub-region as a whole. Improvements in gathering and processing practises as well as utilization of new sources of scrap may well give substantial economic gains;

- Angola, which is the one country where annual utilization seems to be lower than generation has taken steps, supported by UNIDO, to improve collection procedures with good results.

- According to information obtained in Tanzania, the operation of the system for allocation of foreign exchange had represented an incentive for scrap imports rather than collection of local scrap; It had been possible to obtain foreign exchange for importation of scrap but not for spares for vehicles which would have enabled the mill to collect local scrap.

- In Kenya (Mombasa) and Mauritius, shipbreaking activities supply considerable scrap: Mauritius has plans for an extension of the present operation which would provide suitable furnace inputs and also produce material which could be used directly as an input in cold rolling of plate.

- Countries in the sub-region which do not have smelting capacities in total probably generate 30,000 tonnes scrap annually. Although part of this would be used by foundries, there are indications, for example in Malawi, of considerable accumulated stocks of scrap and even exports out of the sub-region. An opportunity thus exists for some intratrade in scrap at least for a medium term period.

- Scrap generation in 1981-83 was depressed by the economic contraction in most of the economies in the sub-region. If a substantial economic upturn occurs, availability will again increase and make a concerted effort on scrap utilization increasingly interesting.

- The existing electric arc furnances in the sub-region require a certain minimum input of scrap in addition to possible future input of DRI. Generally a scrap percentage much below 35 per cent could cause technical difficulties with smelters (for the very smallest capacities an even higher scrap fraction would be required).

60. The various alternatives for additional crude steel demand shown in Table 5.11 may be converted into demand for metallics by assuming that 1.1 tpy input is required to make 1 tonne of steel. Using alternative 6 which is

the lowest alternative with only firm plans for expansion built in, projected demand for metallics (ex-Zimbabwe) would still increase from 95,000 tpy in 1981-83 to 315,000 tpy in 1990. Assuming that the availability of scrap increases by 5 per cent annually (roughly the growth of overall consumption of basic steel products) to 115,000 tonnes in 1990 and no opportunity for the use of accumulated stocks exist the metallics deficit in that year would be 200,000 tpy. Main ways of covering this deficit is discussed below. Coverage of the entire deficit with DRI would give no difficulty with respect to the scrap/DRI mix which would be very near the 35/65 distribution referred to in para 51 above. If however tonnages exceeding 200,000 per year was needed, for which there is a considerable chance, the production of DRI could only cover 65 per cent of this and one would have to acquire 35 per cent as scrap if technologies employing larger fractions of DRI could not be used.

5.6 Meeting the metallics deficit

61. If the projected 1990 metallics deficit is made up with imported scrap delivered to a port location (e.g. Mombasa, Dar-es-Salaam, Beira or Maputo), the foreign exchange outlay for 200,000 tonnes, at a CIF price of US \$110 per tonne, would amount to \$22 million in constant 1985 dollars. On the other hand, if sponge iron were to be imported, the corresponding foreign exchange outlay, assuming a DRI price (CIF) of \$135 per tonne, would be \$27 million. These figures must be taken with some caution. In the first place, imported scrap prices generally fluctuate widely depending on the supply-demand balance at source. Secondly, although the per tonne cost of DRI has traditionally been higher than that of scrap, this differential could conceivably be erased in future as more DRI enters into international trade, and as DRI production and handling costs decline with process improvements and maturity.
62. It is useful to compare these estimates with the foreign exchange implications of locally producing DRI. If a DRI project is to be commissioned by 1990, iron ore importation would have to be adopted as a short-term expedient, pending the development and/or rehabilitation of local iron ore mines. Sub-bituminous coal is considered to be readily available from active mines within the sub-region.
63. For purposes of this illustration, a project employing the coal-based SL/RN 2-kiln process is envisaged, with a production capacity of 220,000 tpy of sponge iron per year. For a similarly-sized plant on a US

East-Coast location, a battery-limits budget estimate of US \$154 per tonne of installed capacity had been made in 1981. In recognition of probable capital cost escalations since then, as well as the cost differentials due to locational factors, an upward adjustment of 25 per cent may be applied for a location on the East coast of Africa (e.g. Dar-es-Salaam Beira, Nacala, Maputo), resulting in a mid-1985 budget cost estimate of about US \$192.50 per tonne of annual installed capacity.

64. Table 5.13 summarises the various production cost elements, along with an indication of their respective foreign exchange components.^{1/} The estimated production cost of DRI is US\$163 per ton, of which US\$111 (68 per cent) is in the form of foreign exchange.

65. Table 5.13 illustrates certain general peculiarities of local manufacturing in the developing countries of Africa in particular:

- (i) The production cost of DRI (US\$163 per tonne) is apparently higher than the CIF cost of imported material (US\$135), tending to support the view in some quarters that it might be better to import DRI than to produce it locally;
- (ii) Each of the cost elements is shown to contain a foreign exchange component. In other words, there is no cost item that is totally defrayed in local currency. This reflects the fact that even though at the enterprise level, a specific cost may be incurred in local currency, from the national viewpoint, there are foreign exchange components in the form of imported equipment, know-how, and expertise. For instance, the 10 per cent foreign exchange content of locally-produced coal represents the proportion ascribable to imported mining, beneficiation and transportation machinery, expatriate personnel costs, spare parts and consumables, etc.

66. The foreign exchange costs of importing or locally producing 200,000 tpy of metallic inputs in 1990 are projected from the above analysis to be as follows:

Imported scrap	@ \$110/tonne	= \$22 million
Imported DRI	@ \$135/tonne	= \$27 million
Locally produced DRI	@ \$111/tonne	= \$22.2 million

^{1/} It should be emphasized that data for forex components are very weak and may largely be described as a guesstimate.

Table 5.13: Estimated DRI production costs^{a/}

Cost - Item	Unit consumption per tonne DRI	Unit price (US dollars)	Cost per ton DRI, dollars	Currency
Raw materials:				
Iron ore pellets	1.43 tonnes	42.00	59.64	Forex
Coal	0.94 tonnes	30.00	28.20	10% Forex
Dolomite	0.07 tonnes	8.00	0.56	10% Forex
Electricity	100 Kwh	0.06	6.00	20% Forex
Water	1.5 cubic metres	1.00	1.50	10% Forex
Consumables + utilities			1.00	50% Forex
Spares, incl. refractories			12.00	Forex
Labour and supervision	2.6 man-hrs.	3.00	7.80	10% Forex
Overheads @ 100% of labour and super- vision			7.80	20% Forex
Fixed charges (20% of investment)			<u>38.50</u>	85% Forex
Total production cost			163.00	

a/ Basis: East African coastal location, employing the SL/RN coal-based process; plant capacity of 220,000 tpy.

The choice in terms of minimizing foreign exchange expenditure would appear to lie between scrap importation and local DRI production. In the long-term interest of the sub-region, however, the local production option would be preferred since, notwithstanding the apparent lack of any obvious foreign exchange advantage in local production, other accrued socio-economic benefits whose values cannot be so readily quantifiable nor casually dismissed (such as local employment creation, technology acquisition, manpower training, possible linkage effects, etc.) must be factored into the decision.

67. A note of caution needs to be sounded, however, concerning the fragility of the so-called "foreign exchange savings". For instance, in the analysis above, it would appear that there is little to choose, in terms of foreign exchange outlays, between scrap importation and local DRI production. However, the market for scrap (which is controlled in large measure by the developed countries) could move in such a manner as to severely depress its CIF price, to such an extent that substantial savings in foreign exchange could be realized by scrap importation vis-à-vis local production of DRI. If decisions are to be made only on the basis of foreign exchange savings it is therefore subject to considerable uncertainty.

5.6.1 Optimal DRI process option

68. It is recognized that in terms of both age and proven commercial success, the SL/RN process lags behind the gas-based HyL-process (which has been in commercial operation since 1957) and the Midrex-process. In fact, as of the end of 1984, HyL-based installations in operation world-wide represented a cumulative production capacity of about 6.9 million tpy of DRI, with another 3 million tpy of capacity under construction. For the Midrex-process, the total operating capacity amounted to 6.7 million tons, with additional 7.6 million tpy reportedly under construction. The SL/RN (Stelco-Lurgi-Republic Steel - National Lead) process, on the other hand, had a global installed operating capacity of only about 1.5 million tonnes, with another 800,000 tpy under construction.

69. Nevertheless, the following factors argue in favour of the SL/RN process for the PTA sub-region:

- there is the overriding objective of making the sub-regional DRI project as intensively resource based as possible, even in the short term. Given the apparent short-term inevitability of importing iron ore pellets (if a project is to be implemented by 1990), it would be desirable to tie this to a process based on locally available coal;
- the gas based processes would entail the consumption of a hydrocarbon resource that should best be applied to the production of other higher-valued commodities such as fertilizers and petrochemicals;
- several of the countries in the sub-region have in the recent past, articulated plans for DRI production based on coal. There are advantages, in terms of faster project mobilization and perhaps lower costs, in associating and aligning any proposed sub regional DRI project plans with one or more of these already identified and defined national projects or modified variants of them;
- there is a certain flexibility in the SL/RN process in terms of project sizing. For instance, whereas the HyL and Midrex process modules range from 250,000 to 1 million tpy per year and 400,000 to 800,000 tpy per year respectively, the SL/RN process can operate

- economically in modules as low as 50,000 tpy per year. With the projected minimum potential DRI consumption in the sub-region at about 200,000 tpy in 1990, the more modest SL/RN process would appear to be more compatible with the needs of the sub-region;
- although the specific economics of a particular DRI project must be determined in detail as part of the project planning phase, indications are that the cost of production of DRI via the SL/RN process is, on a per tonne basis, generally lower than those of the HyL and Midrex processes.

70. On the negative side, the SL/RN and other coal-based processes suffer from a number of technical and operational handicaps that deserve fuller analysis prior to any decision as to an optimal process for sub-regional DRI projects. The various process vendors are well aware of these and are working to resolve them. In the first place, they are characterized by relatively high levels of energy consumption and low energy efficiencies. Secondly, there is a great propensity for the pellet burden to stick to the furnace walls during the reduction process. Thirdly, the pellet reduction is highly variable and sensitive to the specific chemical composition of the reductant coal. And finally, heat transfer limitations are encountered during scale-up to higher capacities.

5.6.2 Optimal project location option

71. Following are preliminary appraisals of the primary candidate-locations for coal-based DRI projects in the sub-region:

Angola: In spite of plans to reactivate the Kassinga iron ore mine by the end of 1985, it is reasoned that the non-availability of coal from local sources weighs against Angola as a preferred location for a DRI project at this time. A gas-based project could ostensibly be sited in the Luanda area, but this would depend on the country's priorities for using its gas resources and, as suggested above, those priorities should preferably go to fertilizers and petrochemicals. Furthermore, Angola is located at a considerable distance from the potential sponge iron consumers of the sub-region. Given the present poorly-developed transportation and communications infrastructures, delivery of DRI to these steelworks from Angola is likely to introduce a high transportation penalty.

72. Madagascar: Neither Madagascar's iron ore nor its coal resources are developed, although there are plans to do so in the medium-term. Even such medium-term plans are focused on the production of sinter feed in the first instance, with DRI production to follow. Accordingly, it is unlikely that the latter project would materialize by 1990.
73. Uganda: Uganda would have to depend on imported coal and iron ore in the short term, as there are no known local coal resources and the high-quality Muku iron ore reserves are undeveloped. Delivery of both coal and ore from the world or other sub-regional market could be logistically difficult and expensive, since it would have to depend so heavily on a rather under-developed, unintegrated, and expensive transportation network.
74. Mozambique: The areas around the port cities of Beira and Nacala appear to offer good prospects for siting DRI projects in the near term. Both prospective locations could readily receive iron ore from international commerce. What is more, Mozambique has sizable coal resources and, in fact, currently produces coal from the Moatize coal field in Tete Province. From here, coal could be conveniently transported by road and rail to both Beira and Nacala. Additionally, the local existence of an alternative reductant, - natural gas, - offers a measure of flexibility in process selection. As for transportation connections, both Beira and Nacala are well placed for shipping DRI to Dar-es-Salaam, Tanga, and Mombasa by sea, and onwards by rail to Nairobi and Jinja in Uganda. Similarly, DRI could readily be shipped to Ethiopia's steelworks near Addis Ababa (via Djibouti and onwards by rail) and at Asmara (by sea and rail).
75. Tanzania: The Dar-es-Salaam area presents another good locational prospect. As a port city, it is accessible to ocean-going carriers for the purpose of iron ore delivery from sources in Europe, North America, and Australia. Tanzania also has large coal reserves and there is active production from the Songwe colliery, although it may require rehabilitation and expansion in order to supply the requirements of a commercial-scale DRI plant.
76. Tanzania also has large proven reserves of natural gas in Sango-Sango island and, in the event that a gas-based DRI process is found to be preferable, the gas offers an alternative process route. Dar-es-Salaam is

an acknowledged transportation hub, with relatively good access by sea and/or rail to the major steelmaking centres of the sub-region in Kenya, Uganda, and Ethiopia.

77. Although a detailed feasibility study may show the Dar-es-Salam (or some other area in Tanzania) geographically suitable for locating a DRI project in the short term on the basis of imported pellets, there are serious technical questions regarding long-term supplies of iron ore from Tanzanian sources. Admittedly, the Liganga ore deposit could be large enough to supply the requirements of a moderately-sized plant; however, several beneficiation tests have shown that the best concentrate obtained from Liganga would still contain up to 4% TiO_2 and 0.4% Vanadium. Because of the non-metallization of TiO_2 during direct reduction, the resulting DRI contains only about 82% Fe, which is considered unsuitable due to large slag volumes generated in electric arc furnace smelting. Moreover, TiO_2 -bearing slags are highly corrosive to furnace refractories. Also, the vanadium and chromium in the metallized pellets wind up in the liquid metal, necessitating an additional steel-making step (preferably in a converter-type vessel) to produce steel conforming to international specifications. These technical problems must be satisfactorily resolved as a part of the long-term viability analysis for a resource based DRI project in Tanzania.
78. As indicated in Annex II, both Mozambique and Tanzania have recently considered the implementation of DRI projects. The Mozambican project, under joint sponsorship with Angola, would be rated at 150,000 tpy DRI, while the idea had been recently floated for a Tanzanian project rated at 60,000 tpy.
79. It is suggested that both these projects be now re-evaluated, with a view towards sizing one or both to supply the 1990 DRI consumption of the entire sub-region. An aggregate production capacity of 220,000 tpy has been suggested above. This could be achieved by scaling-up either the above mentioned Dar-es-Salaam project or the Mozambican project by retaining both at their originally planned capacities, giving an aggregate sub-regional DRI capacity of 210,000 tonnes.

80. In either case, the technology adopted should be that of the SL/RN process. In addition to the reasons adduced previously in favour of this process, UNIDO/UNDP had assisted in setting up an SL/RN demonstration plant (in collaboration with Sponge Iron India Ltd.) at Paloncha, near Kothagudem in Khammam District of Andhra Pradesh in India. The plant offers pilot-scale facilities (30,000 tpy per year) for testing various iron ores and coals to establish their techno-economic feasibility for producing sponge iron. Thus, as a first step in project implementation and in line with TCDC objectives, the iron ore and coal resources of Mozambique and Tanzania could be tested at this plant to provide design and operating data for commercial-scale sub-regional DRI projects.

A N N E X I

Processes and products of iron and steel making and their relation to Engineering Industries - with special reference to Africa

Introduction

1. The technology of steel production can be subdivided into the following steps:
 - mining and preparation of raw material
 - iron production
 - steel production
 - rolling of products
 - coating of products

2. Iron ore is mined and concentrated to an Fe-content of 64 to 68 per cent (some ores with such a high Fe-content do not require concentration) in the form of fines, pellets or sinter feed.

3. There are at present four routes to liquid steelmaking (see Figure A.I.1): Route 1 is the traditional blast furnace - Oxygen converter (BF-BOF); route 2 is based on scrap and/or direct reduced iron for steel making in an electric arc furnace (EAF), route 3 is the direct reduced iron (DRI) and EAF process; and route 4, at present at the development stage, the smelting reduction process. Of economic interest at present are routes 1, 2 and 3. Route 2 is only a steelmaking process and also forms part of route 3. In each case, rolling of steel is the final process operation.

4. The entities involved in iron and steel making and shaping can be divided into three groups: commodities which are transformed from inputs to outputs; this is done in the productive units which operate by distinctive processes requiring specific commodities inputs. Table A.I.1 gives an overview on commodities, productive units and processes in iron and steelmaking and shaping.

Figure A.I.1. Possible routes for steel production

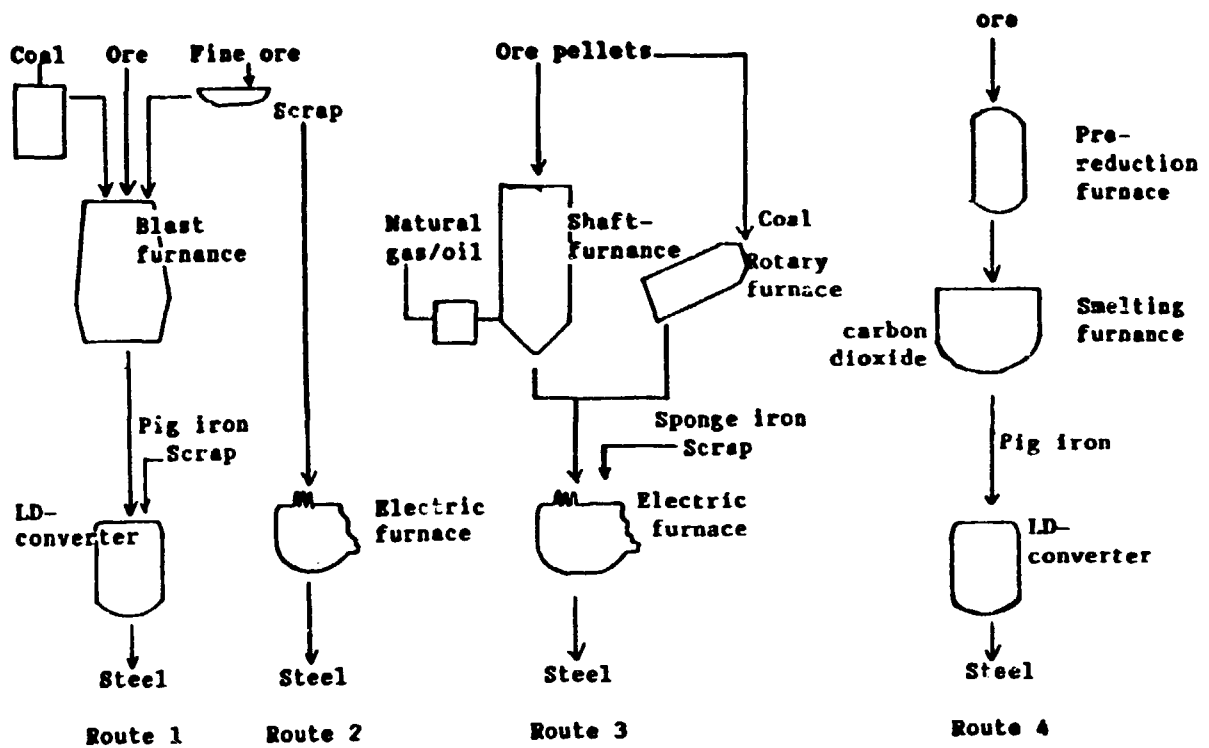


Table A.I.1: Process units in steel production

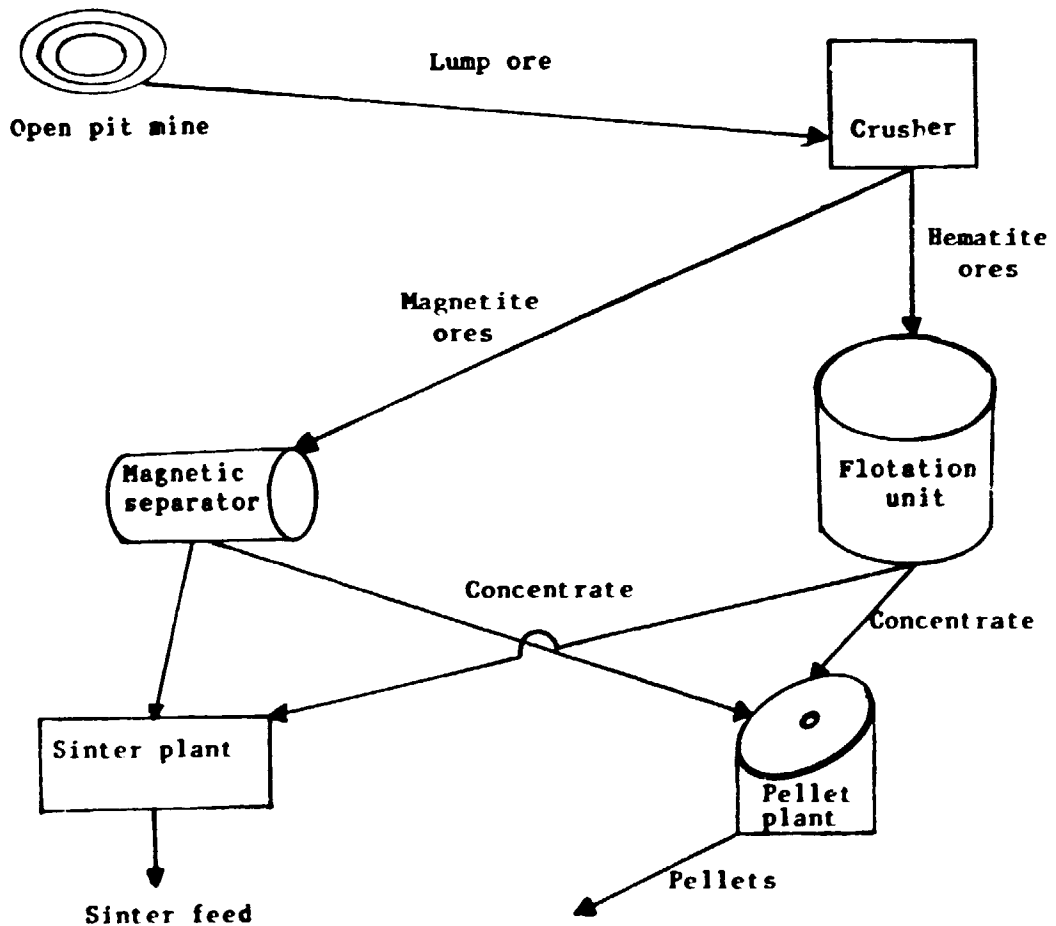
Commodities	Productive units	Processes
Iron ore	Sinter plant	Sinter production
Coal	Pellet plant	Pellet production
Pellets	Coking plant	Coke production
Coke	Blast furnace	Molten pig iron production
Mineral additives	Electric arc furnace	
Molten pig iron	Basic oxygen furnace	Steel production
Sponge iron	Direct reduction unit	Continuous casting
Water	Continuous casting unit	Rolling of shapes
Oxygen	Rolling mills for shapes	Rolling of flat products
Electricity	Rolling mills for flat products	
Fuel oil		
Natural gas		
Steel		
Billets		
Slabs		
Shapes		
Flat products		

Source: World Bank, The Planning of Investment Programmes in the Steel Industry.

Mining and preparation of raw material

5. For economic reasons, only iron ore of at least 45 per cent Fe-content is mined. The ore is crushed and sized and then treated in a concentrator (see Figure A.I.2). Magnetite ores can be concentrated by magnetic means. The ore is passed near large magnetic drums where the ore is separated from impurities. Hematite ores cannot be separated magnetically, they require a more expensive flotation process. Both concentration processes deliver a slurry of rich ores suspended in water which is piped either to a sinter feed plant for the production of sinter feed or to a pellet plant where, after removal of water, the ore is agglomerated into small balls of approximately 7 to 15 mm diameter. These pellets are baked and can be charged to blast furnaces and DRI processes using natural gas or coal as reductant.

Figure A.1.2. Mining and pellet or sinter feed production



Source: World Bank, op.cit.

Blast furnace- Oxygen converter process

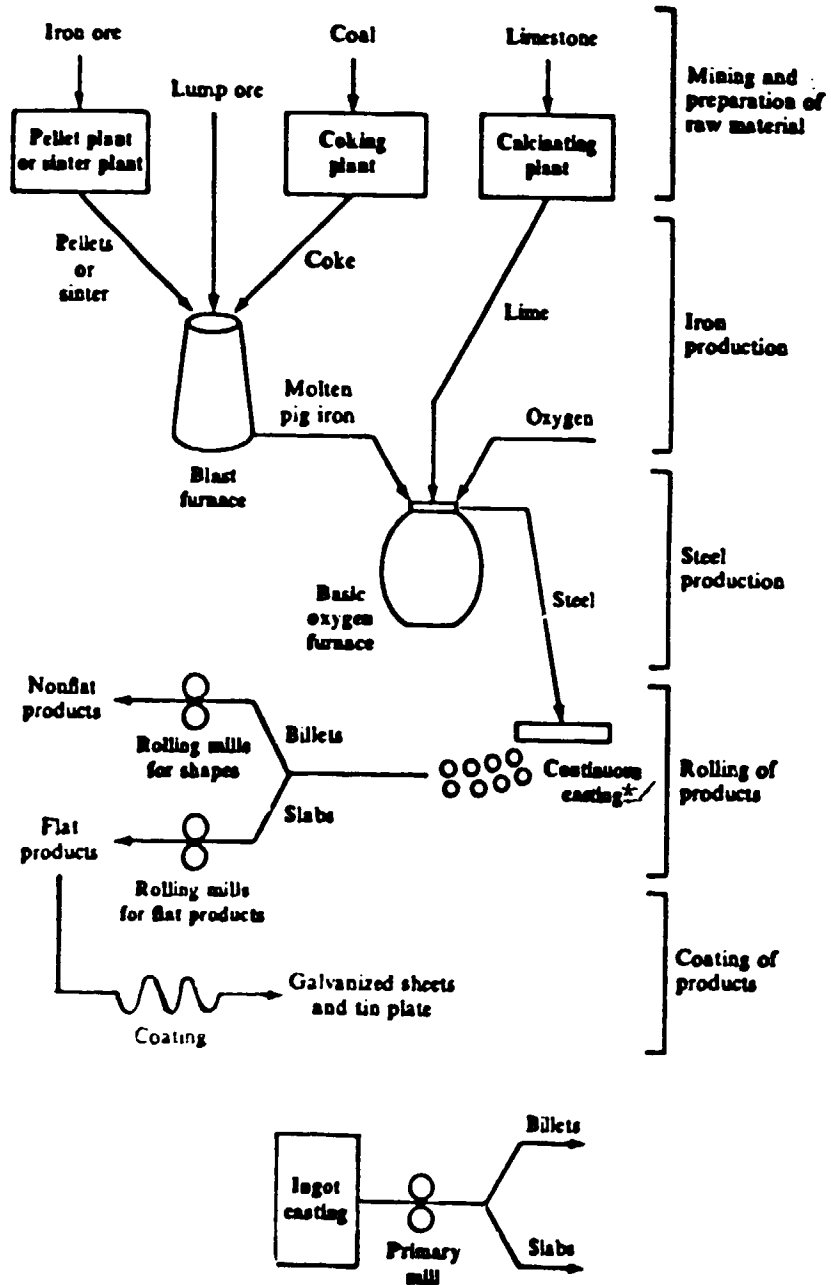
6. The BF-BOF option (see Figure A.I.3) involves the reduction of iron ore in the form of lump ore, sinter or pellets in a shaft furnace, with coke (produced from metallurgical coal) as the conventional reductant. In the process, solid ore is converted into liquid pig iron which is subsequently transformed into steel by oxygen injection in a converter. In place of coke, charcoal can be employed as a reductant, and several furnaces based on charcoal are currently in operation in a number of developing countries including Brazil, Argentina, and Malaysia. In fact, some countries in the Eastern and Southern African sub-region (Kenya and Uganda) had recently considered integrated steel projects based on charcoal blast furnaces as a way of overcoming the non-availability of coking coal and utilizing locally available steelmaking resources.

7. In general, however, it is not likely that the BF-BOF option will prove viable for the sub-region. Among the reasons are:
 - the economics of modern blast furnace iron-making dictate units of large working hearth volumes, with hot metal production capacities often in excess of 10,000 tonnes per day. In fact, only when a proposed integrated steel project has an annual capacity of at least 2 million tonnes would the BF-BOF option be seriously considered. Thus, given the rather modest steel production potential in the sub-region over the next decade, this approach would hardly appear feasible even in the highest steel consumption alternatives (see Chapter 5).

 - the BF-BOF route requires high capital investments and long gestation periods. Because of the extensive ancillary facilities associated with it (e.g. coke ovens, sinter plant, gas recovery and processing, ore blending, and extensive materials handling facilities), initial investment would generally range from \$2,000 to \$3,000 per tonne of installed annual capacity. The figures for the developing countries would be expected to be even higher, given the necessity of absorbing a disproportionate amount of infrastructural and peripheral amenities burdens.

Figure A.I.3. The making and shaping of steel

Conventional technology: Blast furnace-Oxygen converter process



* / Process alternative for casting.

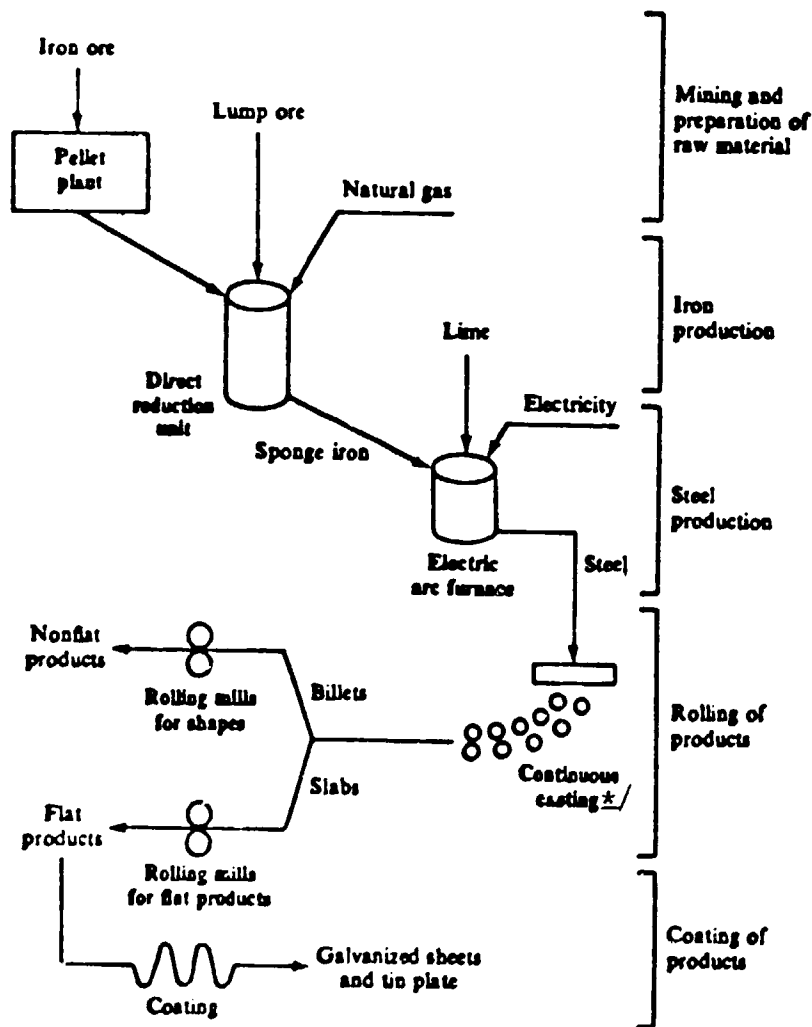
Source: World Bank, op.cit.

- The relative non-availability of metallurgical coal restricts the BF-BOF approach to only those countries with local resources of or ready access to coking coal. In the context of the sub-region, only Zimbabwe, Mozambique and Swaziland can boast of substantial reserves of cokeable coal. All other coal reserves are either bituminous, sub-bituminous, or lignite.

Direct reduced iron - electric arc furnace (DRI-EAF) route

8. In contrast to the BF-BOF approach, the DR-EAF route (see Figure A.I.4) is generally more modest in scale and better suited to the production capacities of the developing countries. Direct reduction units are usually designed and installed in modules (of up to one million tonnes

Figure A.I.4. Direct reduction technology



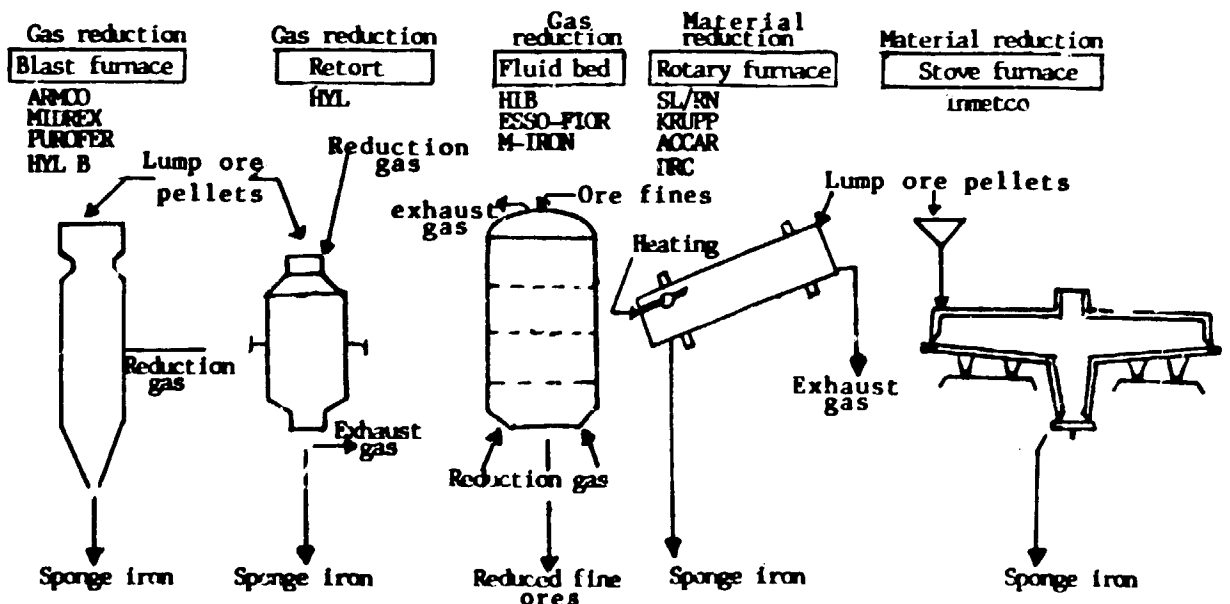
* / Process alternative for casting: see Figure 3.

per annum capacity). Their capital costs are relatively low and they afford a certain flexibility of operation as well as ready adaptability to local raw materials endowments. Since the commissioning of the first commercial DRI unit in 1957, the world wide installed capacity has grown steadily to a level of about 19 million tonnes per annum in 1984, with the developing countries (particularly oil producers) accounting for a substantial fraction of this capacity, - Venezuela (4.5 million tonnes), Indonesia (2.3 million tonnes), Mexico (2 million tonnes), Nigeria (1.2 million tonnes), and Argentina (0.9 million tonnes).

9. The DRI-EAF option offers a wide choice of sponge iron production processes, with local resource endowments often determining the technology selected in a given situation. For instance, those oil producers that have traditionally flared their associated gas have tended to promote gas-based direct reduction as a means of recovering a wasted asset and exporting energy. And where coal is abundant, it could serve as a suitable reductant in processes that are solid-fuel-based.

10. Several DRI processes have been developed, with differences in reactor design (fixed-bed, shaft, fluid bed, or rotary kiln), reductant (reformed natural gas, oil, coal, coal gas), feed form (lump ore, pellets, fine ore), and process scheme (continuous versus batch) (see Figure A.1.5). Although new process schemes are being continuously devised, only a few have been commercialized and established any performance credibility. As of the end of 1984, about 90 per cent of all installed DRI capacity was gas-based; in fact,

Figure A.1.5. Process options for the production of DRI



two particular processes - the HYL and Midrex - alone accounted for 81 per cent of the total capacity. Their dominance has been accounted for by their superior energy efficiencies and the availability of cheap natural gas in those countries where they have been installed.

11. Among the solid reductant-based schemes the SL/RN process has proved most popular and several facilities are in commercial production around the world. A facility based on the KRUPP-CODIR process is also in industrial operation.
12. For the Eastern and Southern African sub-region, either a gas-based or coal-based process would be conceptually suitable, depending on the relative accessibility to either of these energy resources. However, since most of the iron ore and coal resources of the area have not been evaluated for their compatibility with any of the commercialized DRI processes, a detailed physico-chemical assessment, coupled with pilot scale trials and detailed techno-economic feasibility studies, must precede any decision to implement a project based on indigenous natural resources.

Rolling of products

13. In rolling operations distinction is normally made between rolling of flat products (see Figure A.1.6) and rolling of shapes (see Figure A.1.7). Slabs, blooms or billets are produced before the rolling operations. Material inputs for the rolling of flat products are slabs (usually 20 to 120 cm in cross section and up to 10 meter long) which are either rolled into plates (usually approximately 3 to 20 mm thick and 3 or 6 meter long and wide) as used in ship building or storage tank construction, or into hot rolled sheet. Hot strip mills have usually four or five stands and can be approximately 500 meter long. The sheet, usually less than 3 mm thick, 1 to 1.5 meter wide and 100 meter or more long, is rolled in coils. They can be either used as steel sheet, mainly in the engineering industries, or rolled to cold rolled sheet which after annealing and passing through a temper mill, can be either tinned or galvanized to give tinned or galvanized sheet.
14. Shapes, heavy shapes (e.g. rails) and seamless pipes are rolled from blooms, while light shapes, reinforcing bars and wire rods are made from billets. Blooms are either round or square with a diameter of

Figure A.I.5. Rolling of flat products

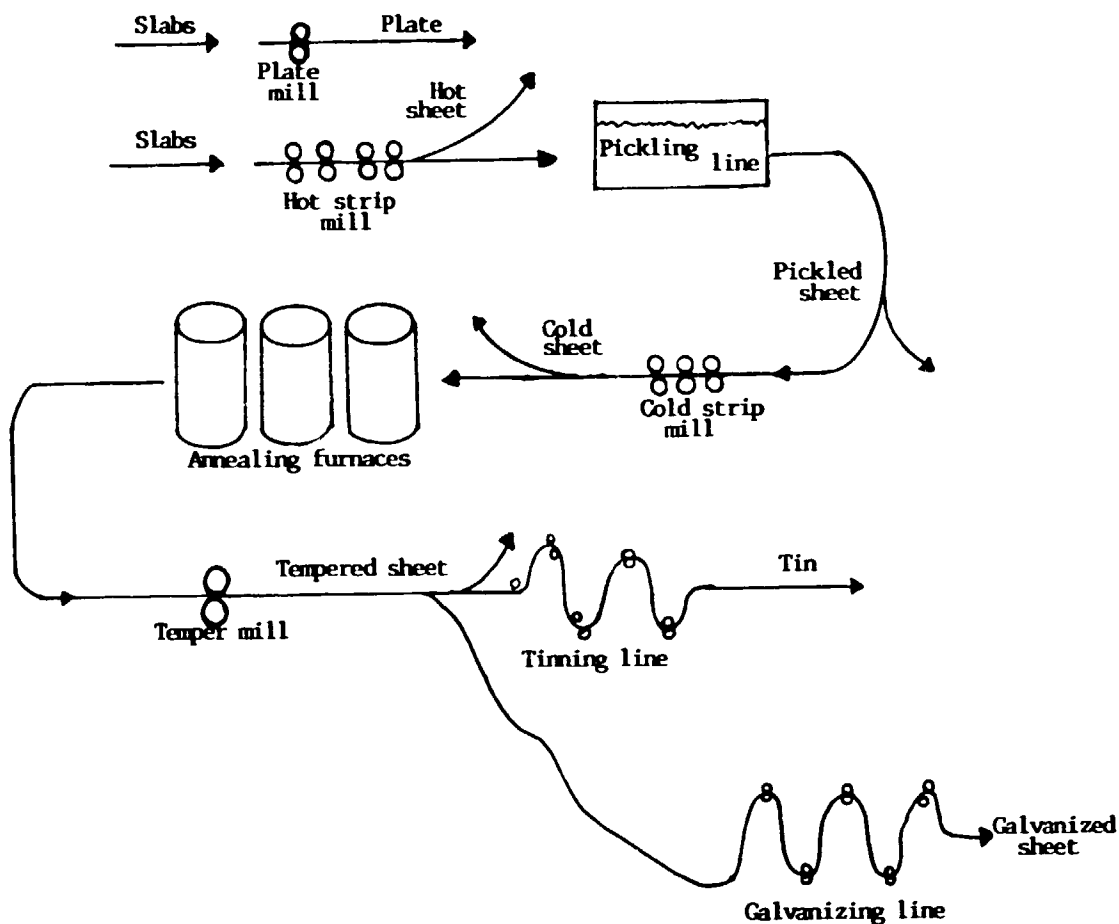
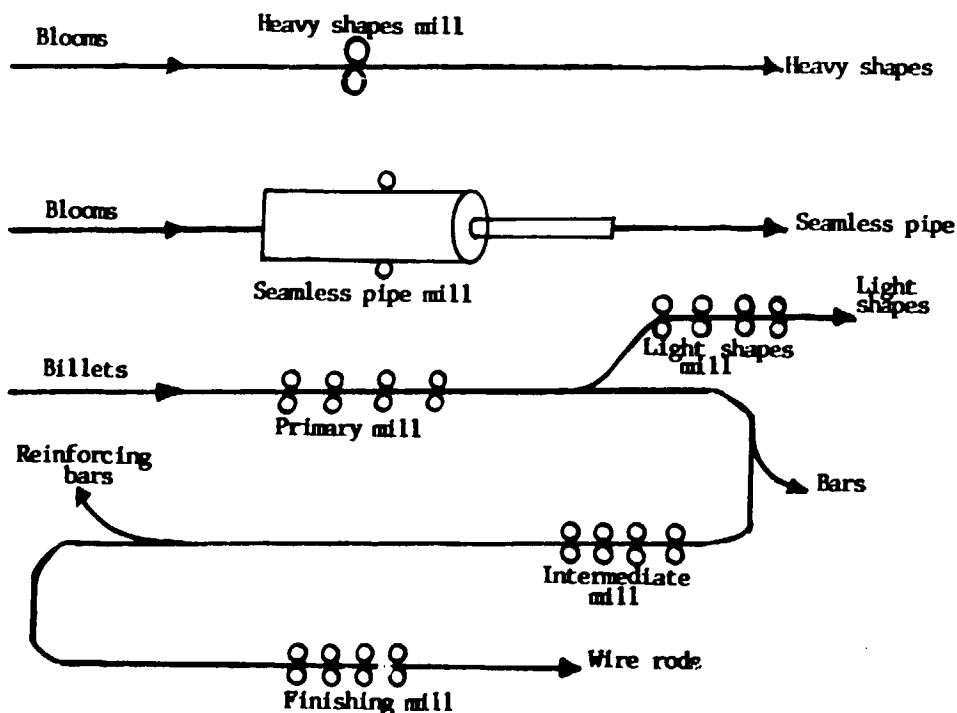


Figure A.I.7. Rolling of shapes



approximately 30 to 60 cm; billets are square in cross section and usually range from 5 to 16 cm on a side. Light section mills are normally quite versatile and allow, through changing of rolls, production of a great variety of products (e.g. strips).

15. The minimum capacity of sheet mills is generally very high. The production process in modern mills is continuous and minimum capacity ranges around one million tonnes of sheet per annum. The highly automated production process is extremely capital-intensive.

Technical and process options for the region as regards mini steel plants and rolling mills

(a) Mini steel plants

16. Eight plants in the sub-region fall within the conventional definition of mini steel plants incorporating scrap-based electric arc furnace steelmaking coupled to a rolling mill for converting billets or ingots into long products for the construction and engineering industries.
17. When based on local scrap, the mini steel plant represents a higher local resource content than the mere re-rolling of imported billets. The practice in the sub-region has been to employ local scrap to the extent possible (in terms of both quantity and quality) and to make up any deficiencies with imported scrap. Typical of countries with low levels of industrialization, the local scrap supply in virtually all countries in the sub-region is considered insufficient to meet the full-capacity demand of the steel industry, and there are indications that the shortages can only worsen in the future. As such, unless alternative sources of iron input become available, the level of dependence on imported scrap (characterized by wide price fluctuations in response to home demand in the developed countries from which it is imported) is apt to increase.
18. A potentially viable alternative source of iron input is direct reduced (or sponge) iron (DRI). With no current local production of DRI, any demand would have to be met in the short-term through imports. DRI is now commercially marketed in international commerce and has been found to possess certain advantages vis-à-vis scrap, such as:

- ease of transport and handling, as well as its amenability to continuous furnace charging
- a uniform chemical composition and low levels of tramp elements, resulting in higher steel product qualities, and
- a more stable price structure.

19. On the other hand, the open market price per tonne of DRI has traditionally been significantly higher than that of a tonne of good quality scrap. It is expected, however, that as the projected global scrap deficiency materializes in the future, the price gap would narrow substantially, offering an incentive for the increased usage of DRI in electric furnace steelmaking.
20. Even with such a development, there are practical limits to the proportion of DRI that could be charged into an electric furnace. Technically, it is possible to produce heats on the basis of 100 per cent DRI and meltshop practices involving 80 per cent DRI have been developed and commercialized. But operational and furnace productivity considerations may impose a 65 per cent DRI/35 per cent scrap limit in most practices.

(b) Rolling mills

21. As detailed in Annex II, 12 of the 23 basic iron and steel plants in the sub-region are pure rolling mills, with no captive crude steel production capability, although Steel Rolling Mills Ltd, Kikuyu (Kenya), Steel Rolling Mills, Tanga (Tanzania), Lancashire Steel Ltd and TOR Steel Ltd (both in Zimbabwe) are affiliated to companies that supply them with locally produced billets. The other rolling mills traditionally import billets from the most economical sources, usually from outside the sub-region. These re rollers have a combined capacity of 328,000 tons per annum of rolled products.
22. Given the prevailing economic depression affecting the sub-region, with the resultant restrictions in foreign exchange availability for billet importation, most of these re rollers have been forced to operate at levels well below their capacities.
23. To expedite the rehabilitation of these plants while fostering intra regional trade, the Preferential Trade Area (PTA) has devised a three pronged strategy, involving as the first phase, the importation of billets and blooms from ZISCO (Zimbabwe).

24. There are also plants in the sub region that produce flat cold-rolled products on the basis of imported hot-rolled sheets or strips. Such cold-rolled products find applications in the construction (e.g. window sections, door frames), food packaging, and engineering industries. In spite of the relatively low level of industrial and engineering development of the sub-region, such flat products could constitute a substantial portion of total steel demand in the future.
25. As there is currently no producer of primary hot rolled sheet in the sub-region, its importation represents a sizable drainage of foreign exchange and underlines the need to diversify the sub region's steel product mix to include some flat steel production. Any thought of such a project in the past had been thwarted by the large investments required to implement a large economically viable flat products plant. Recent developments, however, have led to the commercialization of mini-mills for flat products (plate and sheet) at annual capacity levels as low as 50,000 tons, and including direct reduction, electric arc furnace melting, continuous slab casting, and reversing plate and hot-strip mills. The promotion of such a project would assist in enhancing sub-regional steel self-sufficiency.
26. Similar gaps in product mix exist with respect to alloy and stainless steels, as well as heavy sections for which there are presently no local producers. Given the sub-region's abundant supply of the alloying minerals, - chrome, nickel, and cobalt ores, there are good prospects for alloy steel plants based on these. And in view of the obvious need to develop the sub-region's transportation and other infrastructures, local sources of heavy structural steels, rails, and beams would be very desirable.

The engineering industry sector

27. Engineering industry is the common expression for all industries belonging within the manufacturing division of ISIC^{1/} major division No.3, to the division No. 38, called "Manufacture of Fabricated Metal Products, Machinery and Equipment". This division consists of five major

^{1/} International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities, established by U.N. in 1958 and revised in 1968.

groups which are again subdivided into groups (4 digits) as represented in Table A.I.2. Engineering industries produce capital goods (i.e. goods used to produce other goods or services) and consumer goods. Their main production inputs are steel products which are transformed by machining operations and by assembling into engineering industry products. Important characteristics of the engineering industries are the high level specialization of single companies, the high degree of inter-industry co-operation in the form of sub-contracting or complementation which is a sign of advanced production, the important role of small and medium sized companies and, in many cases, the low minimum capacity (exceptions are, for example, motor vehicle engines or television sets).

28. The fact that steel products represent the most important production input for engineering industries does, however, not mean that an engineering industry requires a national iron and steel making facility for its growth. There are many examples of countries (e.g. Singapore, Denmark, Swizerland) with a strong and growing engineering industrial sector which have little or no basic iron and steel industry. In fact, experience in industrial development shows that the existence of an iron and steel industry in a developing country can negatively influence the growth of the engineering industry. This is the case when imports of steel products are prohibited yet the local engineering industry needs, for a specific application special types of steel not produced locally. The linkage between iron and steel and engineering industries works rather in reverse: the iron and steel industry needs a strong engineering industry demanding steel products and permitting the increase in volume and product range of steel production. Whenever growth of iron and steel production is envisaged, major attention should be given to promotion and strengthening of the engineering industry, both through incentive schemes (e.g. technical assistance, finance schemes, government purchases geared towards the domestic industry, regional co-operation and complementation) and through marketing efforts of the iron and steel industry (e.g. technical advice to steel users, short delivery lead times, quality control of steel). Customer services play an important role in the iron and steel industry in industrialized countries and extend to holding workshops and to giving construction advice to steel user industries, besides the publication of steel user manuals.

Table A.1.2: ISIC classification of the engineering industry

Major group number	Group number	Description
381		Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment.
	3811	Manufacture of cutlery, hand tools and general hardware.
	3812	Manufacture of furniture and fixtures primarily of metal.
	3813	Manufacture of structural metal products.
	3819	Manufacture of fabricated metal products except machinery and equipment not elsewhere classified.
382		Manufacture of machinery except electrical.
	3821	Manufacture of engines and turbines.
	3822	Manufacture of agricultural machinery and equipment.
	3823	Manufacture of metal and wood working machinery.
	3824	Manufacture of special industrial machinery and equipment except metal and wood working machinery.
	3825	Manufacture of office, computing and accounting machinery.
	3829	Machinery and equipment except electrical not elsewhere classified.
383		Manufacture of electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances and supplies.
	3831	Manufacture of electrical industrial machinery and apparatus.
	3832	Manufacture of radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus.
	3833	Manufacture of electrical appliances and housewares.
	3839	Manufacture of electrical apparatus and supplies not elsewhere classified.

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Table A.I.2: ISIC classification of the engineering industry
(continued)

Major group number	Group number	Description
384		Manufacture of transport equipment.
	3841	Ship building and repairing.
	3842	Manufacture of railroad equipment.
	3843	Manufacture of motor vehicles.
	3844	Manufacture of motorcycles and bicycles.
	3845	Manufacture of aircraft.
	3849	Manufacture of transport equipment not elsewhere classified.
385		Manufacture of professional and scientific, and measuring and controlling equipment, not elsewhere classified, and of photographic and optical goods.
	3851	Manufacture of professional and scientific, and measuring and controlling equipment, not elsewhere classified.
	3852	Manufacture of photographic and optical goods.
	3853	Manufacture of watches and clocks.

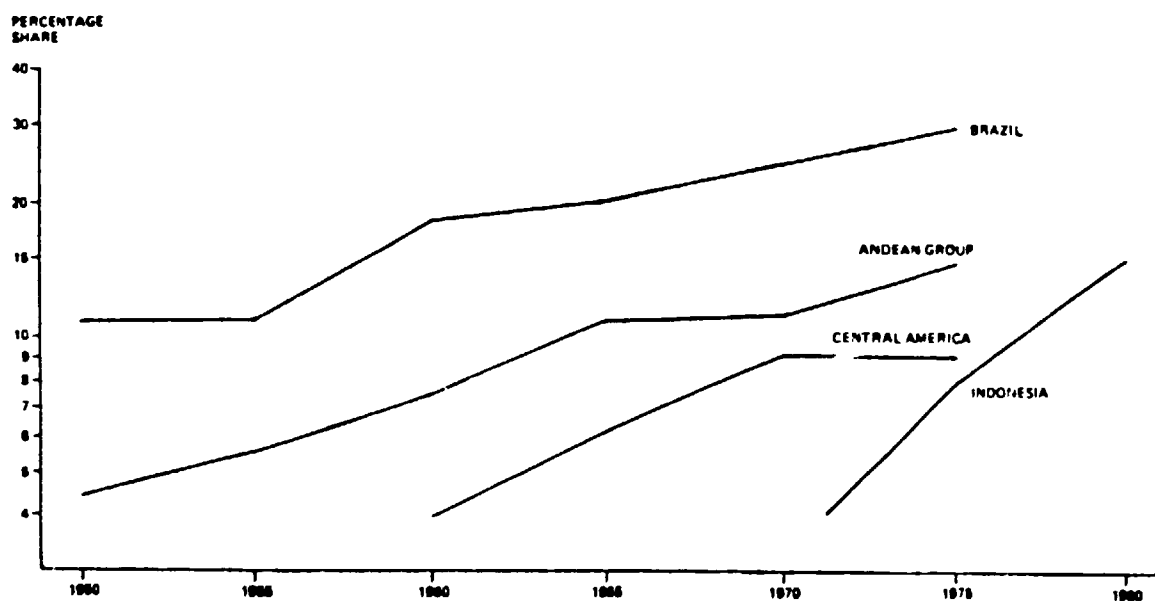
29. In the course of industrial development all countries experience a shift in the structure of their manufacturing sector. In the early development stages, the production of non-durable consumer goods is predominant but will lose importance in subsequent stages of industrial development. Table A.I.3 gives an illustrative example of the structural changes of the manufacturing sector of Latin American countries between 1950 and 1977. During this period growth of total industrial production averaged 6.3 per cent per year. Table A.I.3 shows that, while in 1950, production of non-durable consumer goods accounted for almost two-thirds of industrial value added (food and beverages alone accounting for one-third), by 1977 their share had fallen to little more than one-third. The share of engineering industry (ISIC branch 38) had risen from 11 to 25 per cent, the value added of the chemical (other than

petrochemical industry) from 5 to 15 per cent, and basic metals (iron and steel and non-ferrous) from 4 to 9 per cent. Within the engineering branch, the largest increases in relative shares were recorded by the electrical machinery (from 1 to 6 per cent) and transport equipment (2 to 8 per cent) sub sectors. Data are not available to indicate what proportions of output consisted of consumer durables and capital goods.

30. Table A.I.4 and Figures A.I.8 and A.I.9 give a further breakdown of the engineering industries of three sub-regions, Brazil, the Andean Group countries and Central America. All three groups show a gradual increase in the relative importance of the engineering industry, with Brazil being the most and Central America the least advanced. Whereas in Brazil the share of the engineering industry had already passed 15 per cent by 1960, it did not reach this figure in the Andean Group until 1977; similarly, the share in the Andean Group had passed 10 per cent by 1965, a figure not yet reached in Central America in 1975. Among sub sectors, transport equipment moved ahead of others in Brazil in the 1970s, followed by non electrical machinery (the sub sector containing most capital goods). In the other two sub regions, fabricated metal products still recorded the largest share in 1977.
31. These figures reflect the fact that Brazil's dynamic growth in the engineering industry has relied heavily on development of its automotive sub sector. The Andean Group has also sought to develop automotive production beyond mere assembly of passenger cars but as yet with indifferent results.
32. Latin American governments have all given a high priority to industrial development of one kind or another and have sought to pursue this objective with a variety of industrial policies, including various forms of promotion such as, protection and support activities, including investment in infrastructure, technical education, development finance and, to varying degrees in different countries, also more direct intervention by the state acting as entrepreneur or as buyer of industrial products. Direct state ownership has been important in steel production (accounting for 60-100 per cent in Argentina, Mexico, Brazil, Chile, Venezuela and Peru) and in petroleum refining and petrochemicals in most of these countries. But governments have generally refrained

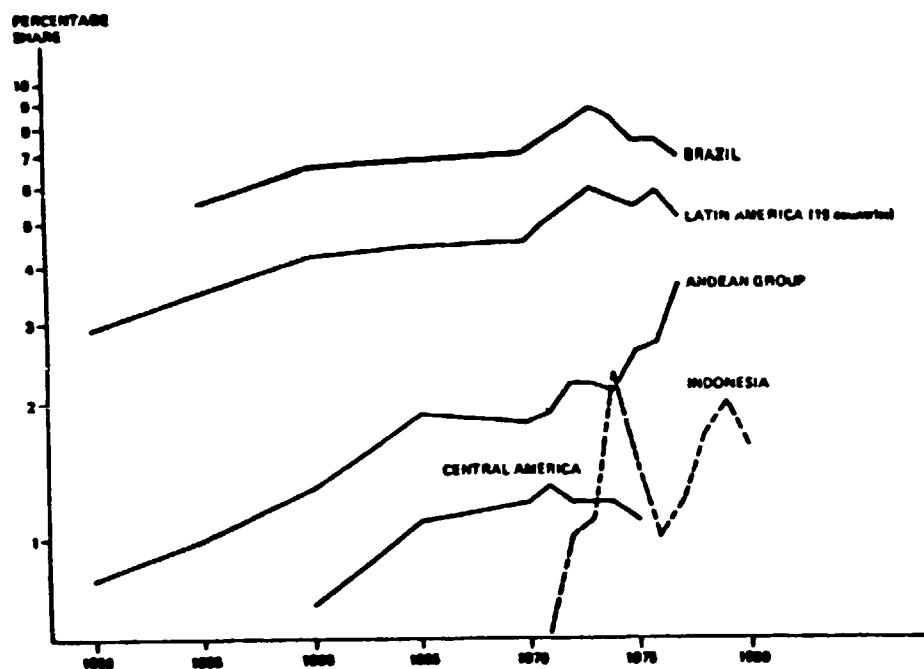
from competing with the private sector in most other branches of manufacturing, except in instances where governments have taken over weak companies to maintain employment. The role of foreign investment by multinationals has been contentious, but most countries have seen the need for their participation in industrial development requiring high technology, large investment and efficient management.

Figure A.I.8: Share of engineering industry (ISIC 38)
in total manufacturing, value added, 1950-1980



Source: UNIDO/IS/479/Add.2 (based on Table 2).

Figure A.I.9: Share of non-electrical machinery (ISIC 382) in total manufacturing, value added 1950-1980



Source: UNIDO/IS/479/Add.2 (based on Table 2).

Table A.I.3: Latin America (15 countries):^{a/} Structure of the manufacturing industries 1950-1977 (percentage of value added)

ISIC	Industry	1950 ^{b/}	1955 ^{b/}	1960 ^{c/}	1965	1970	1975	1976 ^{d/}	1977 ^{d/e/}
311-312 } 313-314 }	Food, beverage and Tobacco	31.0	28.6	26.7	24.4	23.0	20.7	19.8	18.9
321	Textiles	15.9	14.7	11.9	10.2	8.6	8.2	7.9	7.8
322-324	Wearing apparel and footwear	8.1	7.1	5.5	4.5	3.6	3.5	3.2	3.0
323	Leather	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.3
332	Furniture	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5
342	Printing and publishing	4.2	4.0	3.5	3.3	3.2	2.6	2.7	2.8
390	Other manufactures	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.9
	<u>Subtotal Group A</u>	<u>63.4</u>	<u>58.1</u>	<u>50.9</u>	<u>45.5</u>	<u>41.8</u>	<u>37.6</u>	<u>36.2</u>	<u>35.1</u>
331	Wood and cork products	2.9	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.1
341	Paper and paper products	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.4
351-352 } 356 }	Industrial chemicals, other chemicals and plastic products	5.4	7.3	8.8	10.0	11.3	12.6	13.5	14.7
353-354	Petroleum refineries and misc. products of petroleum and coal	4.8	5.6	6.0	6.6	6.3	5.6	5.8	4.3
355	Rubber products	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.3
361-362 } 369 }	Manufacture of non-metallic mineral products	5.3	5.6	4.9	4.6	5.1	5.4	5.4	6.1
371-372	Iron and steel and non-ferrous metals	3.6	4.6	5.7	7.0	7.3	7.6	7.4	8.
	<u>Subtotal Group B</u>	<u>25.7</u>	<u>29.7</u>	<u>31.7</u>	<u>34.6</u>	<u>36.4</u>	<u>37.4</u>	<u>38.6</u>	<u>40.4</u>
381	Metal products	4.3	4.6	4.6	5.6	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.0
382	Non-electrical machinery	2.9	3.5	4.2	4.4	4.5	5.4	5.8	5.1
383	Electrical machinery	0.9	1.1	3.0	3.8	4.3	4.7	5.0	5.7
384	Transport equipment	2.4	2.6	5.1	5.5	6.7	8.7	8.3	7.9
385	Professional equipment	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.8
	<u>Subtotal Group C</u>	<u>10.9</u>	<u>12.2</u>	<u>17.4</u>	<u>19.2</u>	<u>21.8</u>	<u>25.0</u>	<u>25.3</u>	<u>24.5</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>100.0</u>

Source: ECLA, based on official statistics.

a/ Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Chile, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru and Venezuela.

b/ Excluding Bolivia, Chile, Paraguay and member countries of the Central American Common Market (Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua).

c/ Excluding Paraguay.

d/ Excluding member countries of the Central American Common Market.

e/ Excluding Argentina.

**Table A.I.4: Share of metal working industry in the manufacturing industry in
Latin America and selected sub-regions 1950-1977**
(percentage of value added)

ISIC	Product Group	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Latin America													
381	Fabricated metal products	4.3	4.6	4.6	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.4	5.6	5.4	5.0
382	Non-electrical machinery	2.9	3.5	4.2	4.4	4.5	5.0	5.4	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.8	5.1
383	Electrical machinery	0.9	1.1	3.0	3.8	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.9	4.5	4.7	5.0	5.7
384	Transport machinery	2.4	2.6	5.1	5.5	6.7	7.2	7.5	8.2	8.9	8.7	8.3	7.9
385	Professional equipment	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8
	<u>Subtotal</u>	<u>10.9</u>	<u>12.2</u>	<u>17.4</u>	<u>19.9</u>	<u>21.8</u>	<u>23.0</u>	<u>24.0</u>	<u>25.4</u>	<u>25.0</u>	<u>25.0</u>	<u>25.2</u>	<u>24.5</u>
Brazil													
381	Fabricated metal products	-	2.9	3.4	3.9	4.3	4.7	5.0	5.4	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.0
382	Machinery except electrical		5.5	6.4	6.8	7.0	7.6	8.1	8.8	8.4	7.4	7.5	6.9
383	Electrical machinery	10.9	1.2	3.2	4.3	5.3	5.7	6.0	6.5	5.4	5.6	5.9	5.9
384	Transport equipment		1.2	5.2	5.1	8.0	8.9	9.6	10.3	11.7	11.5	10.9	10.4
385	Professional equipment		0.2	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
	<u>Subtotal Group C</u>	<u>10.9</u>	<u>11.1</u>	<u>18.6</u>	<u>20.6</u>	<u>25.2</u>	<u>27.6</u>	<u>29.4</u>	<u>31.7</u>	<u>31.3</u>	<u>30.5</u>	<u>30.2</u>	<u>28.9</u>
Andean Group^{a/}													
381	Fabricated metal products	1.2	1.6	2.8	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.6	4.4	4.1	4.8
382	Machinery except electrical	0.8	0.9	1.3	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.6	2.7	3.6
383	Electrical machinery	1.0	1.0	1.3	2.1	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.7	3.7	4.1
384	Transport equipment	1.4	2.0	2.0	3.3	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.9	3.6	2.8
385	Professional equipment		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3
	<u>Subtotal</u>	<u>4.4</u>	<u>5.6</u>	<u>7.5</u>	<u>10.9</u>	<u>11.3</u>	<u>11.7</u>	<u>12.4</u>	<u>12.6</u>	<u>12.2</u>	<u>15.0</u>	<u>14.3</u>	<u>15.7</u>
Central America^{b/}													
381	Fabricated metal products			1.2	3.1	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.6		
382	Non-electrical machinery			0.7	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1		
383	Electrical machinery			0.3	0.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.8		
384	Transport equipment			1.8	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.7		
	<u>Subtotal</u>			<u>4.0</u>	<u>6.3</u>	<u>9.3</u>	<u>9.5</u>	<u>9.4</u>	<u>9.5</u>	<u>9.7</u>	<u>9.2</u>		

Source: UNIDO: The Capital Goods Industry in Latin America: present situation and prospects (draft dated 15 November 1983 UNIDO/IS)

a/ Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela.

b/ Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua.

The situation of the engineering industry sector in the PTA member countries

33. A statistical analysis of the engineering industry sector of the PTA member countries is hampered by the incomplete data base. Hopefully studies presently being carried out will correct this. Table A.I.5 summarizes the available data on the share of the engineering industries in the manufacturing value added (MVA). The highest share of engineering industries in MVA is registered for Mozambique in 1975 which gives an indication of this country's potential in this sector. The three countries with a relatively high share, Kenya, Zambia and Zimbabwe, all experienced a decline in the contribution of engineering industries to MVA from 1973 to 1980 or 1981, respectively. This decline can be explained by reduced investments in the overall economy and additionally, in the case of Zambia, by reduced prices for its mineral exports which limited investments in the mining sector, including replacement of equipment. In a second group of countries the share of engineering industries in MVA is around the 10 per cent range, with Mauritius (12.4 per cent in 1980) and Tanzania (11.5 per cent in 1979) lying above, Malawi (8 per cent in 1980) and Madagascar (7.5 per cent in 1979) lying below this mark. In the third group of countries, the engineering industries are by far less important.
34. If countries for which statistical data are not available (most probably be in the range of of the third group of countries) are included with a share of 5 per cent, the calculation of the combined PTA engineering industry share in total MVA results in approximately 12.5 per cent for all PTA member countries. Even though this general conclusion is affected by the availability and accuracy of data it gives at least an indication of the order of magnitude of the engineering industry sector in the region. This figure furthermore compares well with the data on Latin America (Table A.I.4) placing the PTA region between the Andean group and Central American countries.
35. In most countries, fabricated metal products (ISIC group No. 381) have the highest share. Exceptions are Angola, Kenya and Tanzania where transport equipment (ISIC No. 384) has a higher share and Mauritius which only gives data for ISIC No. 382 to 384. The production of non-electrical machinery (ISIC No. 382) is only significant in Mauritius, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Electrical machinery (ISIC No. 383) already have

significance in several countries, namely, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Transport equipment is of importance in all countries except Lesotho, Mauritius, Malawi and Swaziland.

Table A.I.5: Share of the engineering industry sector in manufacturing value added in selected countries and for selected years
(in per cent)

Country	Years	Total ISIC 38	381	ISIC group number			
				382	383	384	385
Angola	1970	3.5	1.7	0.3	0.5	1.0	-
Botswana	1975	2.7	1.9	-	0.1	-	-
Ethiopia	1973	2.0	1.9	-	0.1	-	-
	1979	2.6	2.5	-	0.1	-	-
Kenya	1973	22.5	7.3	0.5	5.8	8.9	-
	1980	18.8	7.2	0.7	5.2	5.7	-
Lesotho	1975	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	1973	9.8	6.2	-	2.2	1.4	-
	1979	7.5	5.0	-	1.5	1.0	-
Malawi	1980	8.0	6.2	0.7	0.7	0.4	-
Mauritius	1981	12.4	-	5.1	4.1	3.2	-
Mozambique	1975	32.5	13.7	3.3	5.4	10.1	-
Swaziland	1980	5.2	4.5	0.2	0.5	-	-
Tanzania	1973	11.1	2.9	0.7	2.4	5.1	-
	1979	11.5	2.8	1.0	3.1	4.6	-
Zambia	1973	30.8	14.2	5.0	6.2	5.3	0.1
	1981	20.2	9.2	3.3	4.1	3.5	0.1
Zimbabwe	1973	22.5	11.3	3.3	3.5	3.9	0.1
	1980	19.1	10.5	3.1	3.6	2.9	0.1

36. Fabricated metal products represent in general the technologically less complex products compared to machinery and transport equipment. Hence the high share of ISIC 381 in most countries and the comparatively lower share of the other product groups indicate that the engineering industries in these countries are still an early stage of development. It can be assumed that future increase in the contribution of engineering

industries will mainly come from strengthening the production capacities of ISIC groups No. 382 to 384, even though ISIC group 381 will also grow albeit at a lower rate (compare figures for Latin America as a whole, 1950 to 1977, Table A.1.4).

37. The future development of the engineering industry sector in the PTA member countries will heavily depend upon whether strategic priority is given to it by both regional and national authorities. Figure A.1.8 gives an example of the influence of development policies on the growth of the engineering industries: Brazil, with incentives especially for the promotion of joint ventures and tax rebates, was able to double the share of engineering industries to manufacturing value added in approximately 15 years (from 1950 to 1965), Latin America as a whole in approximately 20 years (from 1950 to 1979). Indonesia, whose engineering industry was relatively insignificant until 1972, was able to triple its importance in only 8 years (from 1972 to 1980), mainly due to the establishment of a local automotive industry and a general local content regulation to all important products of the engineering industry sector. Here incentives combined with regulatory measures were even more strongly pronounced and more strictly applied than in Latin America. It is noteworthy that both in Brazil and Indonesia, the basic iron and steel industry was in infant stages when the rapid growth of the engineering industries started. Their additional demand for steel products contributed to the strengthening of the steel industry which found developed markets to absorb their additional output. (Some other countries which first developed their basic iron and steel industry and then the user industries have experienced sales difficulties in their early years of operation which negatively affected cash flow and profitability of the steel mills).

38. If PTA member countries decide to give high priority to the development of the engineering industries and to introduce additional incentives and promotional efforts it can be assumed that the share of engineering industries in MVA could be raised considerably in the next 10 to 15 years. However, a thorough analysis of the present stage of development of the engineering industry sector, its constraints and potential and, in relation to the present study, its present and future steel demand seems of urgent importance as a basis for an industrial development strategy

for this sector. Priority should also be given to this sector due to its relatively labour intensive (yet skill-intensive) production operations (annual production output per employee is in the order of US\$15,000 to US\$20,000 in the engineering industries in East African countries).

Constraints to the development of the engineering industry sector

39. A constraint to the development of appropriate promotional policies for the engineering industry sector lies in the weakness of statistical information. Uncertainty as to the industry's present stage of development makes it difficult to acknowledge its importance for the economy by government planning institutions. Only a few countries (e.g. Mauritius, Tanzania and Kenya) pay special attention to the engineering industries in their development plans.

40. The small size of the market in African countries has frequently been quoted as a major constraint to the development of engineering industries. The relatively low level of national income in some countries also contributes to reduce market perspectives. On the other hand, development assistance granted to African countries is often coupled with the obligation to purchase supplies from the donor country which, once again, reduces the market perspectives for local producers. A coherent strategy to increase the participation of local manufacturers in development projects and in government purchases should be developed to overcome these shortcomings.

41. Economies of scale are less important in the engineering industries than in other manufacturing sub-sectors. This is evidenced by the large proportion of small and medium engineering enterprises in industrialized countries co-operating under linkage schemes (sub-contracting, product complementation). These linkage schemes have contributed to high degrees of specialization and productivity in the engineering industries of industrialized countries. However, linkages of this nature are hardly developed in African countries and often encounter fiscal barriers to their strengthening (e.g. ex-factory sales tax instead of value added tax). The virtual non-existence of sub-contractors and component suppliers in African countries forces the industry into vertical integration. Hence the economies of scale and specialization that would be derived by component producers supplying a number of different firms are negatively affected.

42. The engineering industries are relatively labour-intensive, yet extremely skill-intensive. Most African countries have an abundant labour force but it lacks the qualification required in the engineering industries. While in Africa the ratio of technicians per 10,000 population is only 8.3, it is 23.4 in Asia, 72.2 in Latin America and 142.3 in developed market economies. A priority requirement is therefore the implementation and/or strengthening of manpower development schemes, especially for the engineering industries.

A N N E X I I

Status of the steel industry of Eastern and Southern Africa

1. This annex presents an up-to-date (as of July 1985) characterization of the steel industry of the Eastern and Southern African sub-region.
2. Only those plants that are equipped with steel making facilities (i.e. furnaces) and/or are rollers of cast primary products (billets, ingots, slabs, and blooms) are included in the roster of steel plants. Foundries devoted to production of iron and/or steel castings, cold-rolling mills that rely on imported hot-rolled coils, galvanising and/or corrugating plants, and fabricators of wire products (rails, etc.) are excluded.
3. Table A.II.1 lists the 23 steel plants in the sub-region as of the last quarter of 1985, showing their steelmaking units, crude steel production and rolling capacities, product mix, and ownership. In quantitative terms, Kenya has the largest concentration of steelworks (8), seven of which are in the Nairobi area.
4. The sub-region's aggregate (liquid) steelmaking capacity was 1.0191 million tonnes per annum in 1981-83,^{1/} of which 83 per cent (or 850,000 tonnes) comes from Zimbabwe Iron and Steel Company's (ZISCO) steelworks at Redcliff. ZISCO is the only integrated steelworks in the sub-region, producing pig iron from two blast furnaces with a combined capacity of 3,000 tonnes per day, and steel from two 55-ton basic oxygen furnaces (BOFs). ZISCO is also the only producer of blooms in the sub-region.
5. All other crude steel producers, except City Engineering Works in Kenya which uses in a 1-ton induction furnace, employ the electric arc furnace route to steelmaking on the basis of scrap, i.e. these are the classical mini-steel mills. The furnace sizes range from 4 tonnes of liquid steel per heat to 20 tonnes per heat. In all but three cases, the molten steel is cast into "pencil ingots" for rolling. The other plants employ the continuous casting technique to generate billets which are particularly desired by producers of wire rod. In fact, Steel Billet Castings Ltd. (in

^{1/} Rolmil Kenya and Ethiopia's Asmara plant not included.

Table A.II.1: Steel plants in Eastern and Southern African sub-region

Country	Plant and location	Steelmaking units	Crude steel production capacity tonnes/year ^{a/}	Rolling capacity tonnes/year ^{a/}		Product mix
Angola	Siderurgia Nacional Steelworks, Luanda	One 20-ton EAF	30,000	50,000		6-25 mm reinforcing bars and rods; merchant profiles Government enterprise
Ethiopia	i) Ethiopian Iron and Steel Foundry, Akaki	One 5-ton EAF	12,000	30,000		Reinforcing bars and wire products Government enterprise
	ii) Ethiosider Iron and Steel Foundry, Asmara ^{b/}	One (uninstalled) 5-ton EAF	12,000 (potential)	34,000		Reinforcing bars and wire products Government enterprise
Kenya	i) EMCO Steel Works, Dandora	One 12-ton EAF	25,000	60,000		8-40 mm plain rounds, squares, and twisted squares Private
	ii) Kenya United Steel Company, (KUSCO), Mombasa	Two 4-ton EAFs (one operational) plus (uninstalled) single-strand continuous caster	26,500	30,000		Reinforcing bars; rounds; squares; twisted squares; and wire products Private
	iii) Steel Billet Castings Ltd., Dandora	One 12-ton EAF plus 2-strand continuous caster	25,000	-		Billets for rerolling Private
	iv) City Engineering Works Ltd., Dandora	One 1-ton medium frequency induction furnace	8,600	12,000		Round and flat bars; angles Private
	v) Scimil Kenya Ltd., Nairobi	One 7-ton EAF	15,000	13,500		Reinforcing bars; flats, angles; squares Private

^{a/} Based on 3-shift operation per day

^{b/} Not in operation as of mid-1985

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Table A.II.1: Steel plants in Eastern and Southern African sub-region
(continued)

Country	Plant and location	Steelmaking units	Crude steel production capacity tonnes/year	Rolling capacity tonnes/year	Product mix	Ownership
Kenya (cont.)	vi) Morris and Co. Ltd., Nairobi	-	-	30,000	Reinforcing bars; angles, channels; squares; flats	Private
	vii) Special Steel Mills Ltd., Ruiru	-	-	60,000	5.5-11.5 mm wire rods; bars; squares; structurals	Private
	viii) Steel Rolling Mills Ltd., Kikuyu	-	-	72,000	Flats; angles; squares; reinforcing bars; channels	Private
Madagascar	At Toamasina ^{c/}	-	-	6,000	Reinforcing bars; rods; light sections	Private
Mauritius	i) Debro International Ltd.	-	-	40,000	Rebars; light sections	Private
	ii) Iron and Steel Industries Ltd. ^{d/}	-	-	15,000	Round and twisted square bars	Private
	iii) Shipbreaking and Industries Ltd.	-	-	21,000	Rebars and flat bars	Private
	iv) R.M. Industries Ltd.	-	-	4,000	Rebars	Private

^{c/} Scheduled for start-up end-1985.

^{d/} Closed in 1983 but due for resuscitation August 1985

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Table A.II.1: Steel plants in Eastern and Southern African sub-region
(continued)

Country	Plant and location	Steelmaking units	Crude steel production capacity tonnes/year	Rolling capacity tonnes/year	Product mix	Ownership
Mozambique	Cia Industrial de Fundicao e Laminagem (CIFEL), Maputo	-	-	50,000	6-50mm reinforcing bars and rods; flats; angles	Government enterprise
	i) Aluminium Africa (Ltd.), Steelcast Division, Dar-es-Salaam	One 11-ton EAF plus continuous caster	18,000	-	Billets for rerolling	60 per cent Government 40 per cent Private
Tanzania	ii) Steel Rolling Mills Ltd., Tanga	-	-	30,000	Plain and deformed bars (10-25 mm); light sections	Government majority (with 4 per cent Danielli)
Uganda	East African Steel Company, Jinja	One 10-ton EAF	24,000	30,000	Reinforcing bar; wire rod; light sections	Government enterprise
Zimbabwe	i) ZISCO Ltd., Redcliff	Two blast furnaces; Two 55-ton BOFs; continuous caster for blooms	850,000	600,000 tonnes heavy sections and billets 70-110,000 medium sections	Billets; blooms; slabs Rounds; flats; angles; beams; rails; channels	86.8 per cent Government Balance - others

Table A.II.1: Steel plants in Eastern and Southern African sub-region
(continued)

Country	Plant and location	Steelmaking units	Crude steel production capacity tonnes/year	Rolling capacity tonnes/year	Product mix	Ownership
				24-48,000 light sections	Flats and angles	
Zimbabwe (cont.)				100-200,000 bar and wire	Rebar and rods (plain and deformed); squares	
	ii) Lancashire Steel Ltd., Kwe-Kwe	-	-	52,000	Wire rod (5.5-12 mm); 5-8 mm squares	Wholly-owned subsidiary of ZISCO
	iii) Tor Steel, Ltd.	-	-	12,000	15-65 mm seamless tubes	Wholly-owned subsidiary of ZISCO

Kenya) and Aluminium Africa Ltd. (in Tanzania) do not have in-house rolling capability, but rather produce billets for their sister-companies, - Steel Rolling Mills, Ltd., Kikuyu, and Steel Rolling Mills, Ltd., Tanga, respectively.

6. It is to be noted paranthetically that the meltshop of Ethiosider Iron and Steel Foundry, Asmara (Ethiopia) is not presently functioning due to several operational and technical problems. Furthermore, the new 7 ton arc furnace of Kolmil Kenya Ltd. was scheduled to be commissioned in August 1985. The capacity of these two plants are not included in capacity figures for 1981-83 which forms the base period for projections made and which is referred to for the calculation of growth rates up to 1990.
7. The mini mills generally obtain their scrap from local sources. However, progressive depletion of the easily retrievable local scrap sources has forced some steelmakers to import scrap when the necessary import licences could be secured. Other avenues for obtaining scrap are also being investigated. For instance, Angola (with UNIDO assistance) has set up a scrap collection/processing enterprise to ensure a steady supply to Siderurgia Nacional Steelworks, with prospects for eventually exporting the surplus to other countries in the sub-region. Ship-breaking is another attractive supply option which is currently being exploited by Mauritius and (to a lesser extent) Kenya, and which holds promise for such other maritime countries as Mozambique, Tanzania, Madagascar, Somalia, and Djibouti.
8. ZISCO's raw materials (iron ore concentrate and metallurgical coal) come from its captive mines in Zimbabwe. They are converted at the Redcliff steelworks into sinter and coke (capacity of 600,000 tonnes per year) respectively for use in the blast furnaces.
9. The rolling mills that do not have in-house steel melting facilities have generally depended on imported billets from South Africa, India, South Korea, Japan, and the EEC, although recent foreign exchange limitations have compelled most rerollers to increasingly seek local billet suppliers, as well as other sources within the sub-region, e.g. ZISCO. In fact, ZISCO's billet production capacity (in excess of its internal requirements) is more than adequate to supply the present demand of the re-rollers in the sub-region.

10. The rolling capacity, of the sub-region is up to 1,609,500 tonnes per year, although 1,022,000 tonnes of this capacity (63 per cent) is attributable to ZISCO Ltd. and its subsidiaries.
11. Partly due to the present depression of the economies of the various countries of the sub-region, which has been in effect since about 1981/82, all the steel plants are grossly under-utilized. In fact, as of mid-1985, most of the plants were operating at capacity utilization levels of under 30 per cent.
12. The product mix of all the steel mills in the sub-region consists only of "long" finished products - reinforcing bars, (plain, deformed, ribbed, and twisted), rods (for wire and wire products), and light and medium sections (angles, shapes, and channels). There is no local production of hot-rolled "flat" mill products (sheets and strips). Accordingly, producers of cold-rolled products, corrugated and galvanized sheets, and the engineering industries must depend on imported flat products.
13. A little over half of the sub-region's steelworks are totally or majority- government-owned and controlled. These are in Angola, Ethiopia, Mozambique, Tanzania, Uganda and Zimbabwe (where the Government owns 86.8 per cent of the shares in ZISCO). In contrast, all steel enterprises in Kenya, Madagascar and Mauritius are privately-owned and controlled.
14. There are prospects for increased trade in primary and finished steel mill products within the sub-region. In this regard, Zimbabwe's domestic consumption of finished steel products of the types produced locally was in 1981-83 around 200,000 tpy, whereas its production capacity for the same products is 750,000 tpy, creating an export potential of about 550,000 tpy. Thusfar, the export targets for Zimbabwe have been the Far and Middle East. Kenya, the region's other steel exporter markets its products in Uganda, Tanzania, Rwanda and Burundi.
15. A major constraint militating against increased sub-regional trade in steel products are the poor logistics and high costs of transportation between states. The following are illustrative of the specific problems of transportation:

- nine of the countries in the sub-region are land-locked, - Botswana, Burundi, Lesotho, Malawi, Rwanda, Swaziland, Uganda, Zambia, and Zimbabwe, - and must therefore depend on other countries for sea port facilities;
 - exclusive of the island states, - Madagascar, Mauritius, Seychelles and Comoros, - there are only eleven commercial seaports to serve the entire sub-region; these are Luanda, Benguela and Mocamedes in Angola, Nacala, Beira and Maputo in Mozambique, Dar-es-Salaam and Tanga in Tanzania, Mombasa in Kenya, Mogadishu in Somalia, and Djibouti. Furthermore, virtually all these ports have limited cargo handling capacities coupled with inadequate inland evacuation outlets;
 - the railway system in the sub-region is largely unintegrated, with non-uniform gauges, and deteriorating tracks. For instance, (i) there was at the time of the missions no direct cross-border rail traffic between Kenya and Uganda (each of which operates its railway system), necessitating trans shipment of goods moving from Mombasa Nairobi to Kampala; (ii) the Tanzara railway from Dar-es-Salaam to Kapiri Mposhi in Zambia is of a different gauge from the Zambian national rail system, leading to unavoidable trans shipment at the junction of the two lines; and (iii) the Benguela railway in Angola has been disrupted by the civil war, and rail access from Angola to the other countries in the sub-region is not now possible. Another complication arises from the severe congestion at the port of Luanda as a result of its large general cargo throughput.
16. These constraints result in relatively high inter-state transportation costs. For instance, the cost of transportation of steel from Redcliff to Mombasa (by rail and sea) is about US \$45 per tonne, about the same as (or even higher than) the ocean freight from Antwerp to Mombasa. What is more, because of terminal handling and transportation scheduling delays, it is not unusual for shipments from Antwerp to be faster and more reliable.
17. In general, the major process units now in operation in the steelworks are at least ten years old, having been installed in the 1960s and early 1970s. The following is indicative of the ages (and therefore mechanical conditions and relative degrees of obsolescence) of the meltshop and rolling mill equipment in some of the sub region's steelworks:

		<u>Year of Installation</u>	
		<u>Electric Arc Furnace</u>	<u>Rolling Mill</u>
Angola	Siderurgia Nacional	1969	1969
Ethiopia	Ethiopian Iron and Steel Foundry	1951	1951
	Ethiosider Iron and Steel Foundry	-	1961
Kenya	Emco Steel Works Ltd.	1972	1972/73
	KUSCO Ltd.	1974 & 1980	1968
	Steel Billet Castings Ltd.	1974	1974/75
	Rolmil Kenya Ltd.	1985	1979
	Morris & Co. Ltd.	-	1983
	Special Steel Mills Ltd.	-	1983
	Steel Rolling Mills Ltd.	-	1976/1980
Mozambique	CIFEL	-	1967
Tanzania	Aluminium Africa Ltd.	1976	-
	Steel Rolling Mills Ltd.	-	1968/1972
Zimbabwe	ZISCO Ltd.	1975 and 1961-Blast furnances 1970 - Steel plant	1960-Med. Sec. mill 1969-Billet mill 1977-Heavy Sec. mill

18. Total direct employment in the sub-region's steel industry is about 11,100. Senior management and technical personnel would generally constitute 5-8 per cent of the total, and of these, well over half would be expatriates. This underlines the importance of indigenous manpower training and development (particularly in the technical areas) if the long-term self-reliance of the industry is to be guaranteed.

19. The production cost for a tonne of a specific steel product is variable depending on, among other factors, the specific production processes employed, the efficiency (and age) of the process equipment, the capacity utilization, and the costs of such items as raw and consumable materials, energy and labour. These factors vary from one country to the other within the sub-region, and also between plants in the same country. Accordingly, very few generalizations can be made and any figures cited must be regarded as merely indicative.

With these qualifications in mind, it is instructive to compare the delivered price of locally-produced mild steel continuous-cast billets to a steelworks in Nairobi with the costs of similar billets imported from outside the PTA sub-region, and from within the PTA (Zimbabwe). The

generally prevailing ex-meltshop (Nairobi) price for locally produced billets as of July 1985 was KSh. 5,300 per tonne (i.e. US \$327). On the other hand, imported billets from Zimbabwe could arrive C & F Mombasa at about \$229 per tonne. Inclusive of customs tariff (25 per cent) and clearing/inland transport charges (KSh. 500 per tonne), the delivered price (Nairobi) would be about \$317 per tonne, - a figure that is roughly identical to the delivered price of billets imported from outside the sub-region.

There are indications that the local production costs of billets in the other countries in the sub-region (except Zimbabwe), are even higher than those for Kenya, making it very tempting for non-PTA countries to "dump" steel at prices that are well below their economic costs, especially during periods of slack demand on their home markets.

Given the plan of the sub-region to become more self-sufficient in steel products, and to preferentially purchase (where necessary) from other member-states within the sub-region, there arises the need for evolving a modality for encouraging such intra-regional trade in preference to extra regional importation. Among the steps that are being taken is the removal of internal tariff barriers on steel products within the framework of PTA which has now put steel products e.g. billets on their 'common list'. Also, preferential issuance of import licences to imports from the sub-region is a possibility. The most important breakthrough so far has been the conclusion of contracts between Zimbabwe, Kenya and Ethiopia regarding purchase of billets by the two latter from ZISCOSTEEL. Improvements in transportation and communications would also go a long way towards stimulating intra regional trade. At the same time, steps must be taken to minimize injury to exporting countries by permitting them to charge equitable prices for their products, even when these are apparently higher than extra regional import prices. In the long run, it is the sub-region's steel industry that would benefit. Furthermore, with these transactions in currencies of the sub-region, the problems now associated with a general scarcity of hard currency would be significantly ameliorated.

20. A number of economic, technical, manpower, infrastructural, and bureaucratic constraints are currently inhibiting the steel industry's full utilization of its installed capacity. Among the most important of these are:

- the depressed world-wide economy which has, in turn, adversely affected the highly dependent economies of the developing countries in general, resulting in enforced idling of capacities and associated production diseconomies;
- a worsening shortage of scrap as a consequence of depressed industrial activities and the absence of well organized systems of scrap collection, processing, and delivery;
- a high dependence on imports for such essential inputs as electrodes, ferroalloys, some refractories, as well as spare parts. This problem has been exacerbated by the foreign exchange squeeze which is affecting all countries in the sub-region;
- technical and operational problems arising from obsolete equipment, poor plant layout, and inadequate maintenance;
- Unpredictable product quality, often resulting from poor quality control and non-compliance with international product specifications;
- a general shortage of skilled manpower. This is most apparent in respect of technical manpower which is in such short supply that, in most steelworks, well over 75 per cent of the high-level technical experts are expatriates;
- transportation and communication bottlenecks inhibiting intra-country and international trade relations;
- lacklustre product marketing strategies, including the non-availability of strategic warehousing facilities;
- the administrative bureaucracy in the government establishment which can cause unnecessary delays in obtaining necessary approvals and licences;
- retrogressive tariff structures which inadvertently discourage local industry to the advantage of imports. For instance, the customs duty on steel billets could be such as to encourage local re-rolling mills to by-pass local meltshops in favour of billet imports; and

- the imposition of price controls on steel products, thus restricting profit margins and, in the long run, preventing new investments in the industry.

Table A.II.2: Estimated foreign exchange outlay for imports of basic steel products - average 1981-83, million US dollars

	<u>US\$ million</u>
Angola	17.6
Botswana	7.5
Burundi	5.7
Comoros	1.1
Ethiopia	17.1
Djibouti	1.6
Kenya	63.5
Lesotho	3.6
Madagascar	11.3
Malawi	8.4
Mauritius	8.0
Mozambique	5.1
Rwanda	7.6
Seychelles	0.8
Somalia	2.7
Swaziland	3.1
Tanzania	22.4
Uganda	2.5
Zambia	33.4
Zimbabwe	<u>51.5</u>
Total PTA	274.5
Total SADCC	152.6

Undersupply from national sources has been covered by imports with a resultant of flow of foreign exchange. Table A.II.2 shows an estimate of average annual foreign exchange costs (not total costs) of the supply of basic steel products to the sub-region. The estimate is based on import quantities as shown in country tables, Volume II and fob prices Europe of US\$270 for bars and rods and US\$410 as an average for other items. Only the cost of overseas freight is included (for Botswana, Lesotho, Swaziland a small amount of freight through South Africa paid for in foreign exchange). This estimate therefore represents the very minimum foreign exchange requirement for basic steel.

Table A.II.3: Additional steelmaking and rolling capacities, 1985-1990

Country	Plant and location	Project description	Additional crude steel capacity, tonnes per year	Additional rolling capacity, tonnes/year	Probable commissioning
Ethiopia	Ethiopian Iron and Steel Foundry, Akaki	Rolling mill modernization and up-grading of capacity to 60,000 tonnes per year	-	30,000	1990
	i) Eldoret Rolling Mill, Eldoret	Installation of a (previously purchased) rolling mill	-	12,000	1986
Kenya	ii) Steel Billet Castings Ltd., Dandora	Installation of a ladle refining unit or a second electric arc furnace	At least 11,000	-	1988-90
	iii) Morris and Co. Ltd., Nairobi	Backward integration to produce liquid steel for own consumption	20,000	-	1988-90
Madagascar	Madagascar Rolling Mill, Toamasina	Expansion of rolling capacity to 30,000 tonnes per year	-	24,000	Post-1988
Mauritius	Desbro International Ltd.	Installation of arc furnaces plus continuous casters	50,000	-	1988-90
	i) Aluminium Africa Ltd., Dar-es-Salaam	Installation of a 15-17 tonne arc furnace and a light sections rolling mill	25,000	At least 30,000	1986
Tanzania	ii) Steel Rolling Mills Ltd., Tanga	Reactivation of wire rod mill	..	18,000	1989

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Table A.II.3: Additional steelmaking and rolling capacities, 1985-1990
(continued)

Country	Plant and location	Project description	Additional crude steel capacity, tonnes per year	Additional rolling capacity, tonnes/year	Probable commissioning
Uganda	East African Steel Co. Ltd., Jinja	Rehabilitation of arc furnace and installation of 2-strand continuous caster	2,500	-	1988
Zambia	Zambia Steel and Building Supplies Ltd., Lusaka	Installation of a 15-20 tonne electric arc furnace, single-strand continuous caster, and rolling mill for bars and light sections	27,000	43,000	1988

The total requirement of US\$270 million may be compared to total sub-regional import of US\$7.7 billion in 1982 or an estimated foreign exchange cost of US\$1.7 billion for products representing indirect steel imports - major importers are Kenya, Zimbabwe, Tanzania and Zambia representing over 60 per cent of the total.

1990 Steel supply prospects

21. Table A.II.3 shows the new projects that are expected to contribute to the 1990 steelmaking and rolling capacities. Of particular significance is the entry of Zambia into the roster of steelmakers with the planned implementation of a mini-mill under the auspices of Zambia Steel and Building Supplies Ltd. The plant, which would be located in Lusaka, would be equipped with a 15 to 20-ton electric arc furnace, a single strand continuous caster, and rolling mills for reinforcing bars and light sections. It is planned for commissioning in 1988/89.
22. With these projects on-stream, the additional crude steel production and rolling capacities would be 135,000 tonnes per year and 57,000 tonnes per year respectively, bringing the sub-region's aggregate capacities to 1,166,100 tonnes of crude steel and 1,766,500 tonnes of rolled products per year. Zimbabwe's shares of the totals would decline to 73 per cent and 58 per cent respectively.
23. The additional capacities would not qualitatively alter the aggregate product mix which would still consist primarily of "long" products. At the time of the mission there was no definite plan to produce flat products in the sub-region.

Long-term (post-1990) proposed projects

24. The long-term development of the sub-region's steel industry has the twin objectives of maximum utilization of indigenous mineral and energy resources, coupled with essential sub-regional self-sufficiency in most steel products. In pursuit of these objectives, six countries have evolved project plans that are currently under consideration for purposes of possible implementation during the decade of the 1990s.
25. Angola: In a 1981 feasibility report, Austromineral had recommended a project that was then thought to have a marginal economic advantage over other options considered, and which, in its first phase, would involve

the development of the Kassala/Kitungo iron ore deposits to provide 2.1 million tonnes per year of super-pellets, initially for the export market. In the second phase, two direct reduced (sponge) iron production modules, with a total capacity of 1.3 million tonnes per year, would be installed at Luanda, based on natural gas. The estimate (1981) of the required capital investment was put at US \$567 million.

In view of the high investment requirements and the current economic and political problems in Angola, it is doubtful whether this project can be realistically considered for implementation earlier than 1995.

26. Burundi: A prefeasibility study funded by the African Development Bank has been conducted on the commercial exploitation, for steel production, of the Mukanda vanadium ore deposit which contains a proven reserve of 6.5 million tonnes (0.65 per cent V, 16.3 per cent Fe), with additional probable and possible reserves of 7.3 million and 5 million tonnes respectively. The minerals, which are of the titanomagnetite and ilmenite types, have been beneficiated on a laboratory scale to yield a concentrate with 48-49 per cent Fe and 2-2.5 per cent V.

The proposed steel production scheme involves smelting the concentrate to yield vanadium containing pig iron which would be converted to steel by oxygen blowing, with the vanadium bearing slag subsequently processed to yield ferro-vanadium for export. A steel production capacity of 51,500 tpy is proposed, along with 3,500 tpy ferro-vanadium. The initial investment estimate is \$153 million.

A number of issues in respect of the project need, however, to be resolved before it can receive a formal go-ahead:

- a detailed geological mapping of the deposit is necessary in order to establish its possible life span;
- hydrocarbon for smelting is proposed to be in the form of charcoal from a planned eucalyptus plantation, rather than peat coke from peat deposits in Northern Burundi. The merits of such a scheme in the face of land scarcities, especially for agriculture, need to be carefully evaluated;
- the smelting practice for the relatively low-Fe concentrate has yet to be worked out;

- the financial returns of the project as determined by the pre-feasibility study (IRR = 8.8 per cent; pay-back period = 8 years) are thought to be only marginal at best.

For these reasons, if this project is implemented, it is not expected to be earlier than about 1995.

27. Kenya: Austroplan had, in a 1982 study, proposed the stage-wise implementation of a charcoal blast furnace based steel project, with the final phase to be commissioned in 2000. With an ultimate crude steel capacity of 896,000 tonnes per year, the plant would then consume 550,000 tonnes of charcoal and would require the afforestation of 257,000 hectares in the Lamu District. The steelworks would be located at Mihongani, south of Port Reitz in the Mombasa area. The total investment was projected in 1982 to be US \$887 million (excluding \$231 million investment in afforestation, charcoal production and storage, shipping, and forest roads).

Although the project is still under active government review, there are several major problems that must be resolved before it could be embarked upon:

- the very high capital investment, particularly the foreign exchange component, at a time of a severe foreign earnings squeeze;
 - the production and silvicultural management problems associated with a gigantic afforestation project, as well as the agricultural, environmental, and human settlement implications;
 - the project's high dependence on imported inputs, especially iron ore;
 - issues of manpower availability in the quantities and qualities demanded by such a large project;
 - the opportunity costs of implementing this project in preference to other industrial, social and infrastructural projects calling for the government's lean financial resources.
28. Madagascar: There is currently a feasibility study in progress (by Italsider) for the development of a steel project based on the Soalala iron ore deposit and the Sakoa coal deposit. The latter is being investigated by BP Coal Ltd. Although the short-term objective is to develop the iron ore mine for the production of concentrates for the export market, it is hoped that in the medium term, a steelmaking project

would follow. At that stage, the iron ore operations would produce 1.7 million tonnes of pellets or sinter feed for export and 300,000 tonnes for a direct reduced iron-based steelworks. A rotary-kiln reduction process is envisaged. The steelworks, rated at 210,000 tonnes of billets and blooms per year would produce rods, bars, light sections, and flat products (sheets, strips and plates) partly for export.

29. Mozambique: In the spirit of sub-regional industrial co-operation, UNIDO had, in 1983, commissioned a preliminary techno-economic assessment of a sponge iron project based on Angolan iron ore and Mozambican coal. With a capacity of 150,000 tonnes per year, the sponge plant would export a portion of its output (50,000 tonnes) while the balance would be jointly consumed by steel plants in the two co-operating countries. Among the project location options considered were Mocamedes (in Angola) using Kassinga iron ore and Moatize (Mozambique) coal, and the Tete area of Mozambique on the basis of Moatize coal and Muande iron ore.

In either case, the heavy burden of infrastructural investments and the high land and sea transportation costs associated with the project are likely to pose problems in its eventual implementation.

30. Tanzania: The centre piece of Tanzania's steel development plans is the Liganga-Mchuchuma project which was recommended by LURGI in a 1984 study sponsored by UNIDO. The project would involve the development of the Liganga iron ore deposit and the production of pellets which would be employed in an SL/RN direct reduction unit to produce 663,000 tonnes per year of sponge iron, using coal from the Mchuchuma coal fields. A steel plant located at Mahanje would convert the sponge iron into steel by means of the submerged electric arc smelting process (necessitated by the TiO_2 , V_2O_5 and Cr_2O_3 contaminants). The steel plant's product mix would be 400,000 tonnes per year of hot rolled strip and 100,000 tonnes per year of heavy plate. The estimated total investment in this phase of the project was US \$716 million. In addition, a further investment of US \$1,102 million would be required for infrastructures and amenities, including a road from Madaba to Manda, via Ruhuhu, Liganga and Mchuchuma; a rail line from Mlimba through Madaba, Ruhuhu, Liganga, and Mchuchuma to Manda; a coal-fired power plant (300 Mw); and townships at Liganga, Mchuchuma and Ruhuhu.

In the face of the high investments entailed in the Liganga project, the idea had been recently floated for a scaled-down alternative which would serve as a lead-in to the larger project. This would be located at Dar-es Salaam, at the site of the works of the Steelcast Division of Aluminium Africa Ltd., primarily to take advantage of the existing infrastructural facilities. In addition to the on-going expansion (involving the installation of an electric arc furnace), a 60,000 tonne per year sponge iron project would be implemented, based on imported pellets and coal from Songwe colliery, and employing the SL/RN process. The sponge iron excess to the internal requirements (i.e. 19,500 tonnes per year) would be exported. The total investment in the project was preliminarily put at US \$26 million.

The project is under detailed review, particularly its foreign exchange savings implications, depending so heavily as it does on imported iron ore.

31. Uganda: An integrated project idea had been formulated, involving the development of the high-quality Muku iron ore deposit in Kigezi district which contains at least 30 million tonnes of proven reserve. A direct reduction project utilising charcoal, - the only reductant potentially available in Uganda, - was formulated, to be coupled with an electric arc furnace steel plant, taking advantage of Uganda's abundant power resources.

It is thought that the project would call for large infrastructural investments since the iron ore is located in a very remote area without adequate rail and road access.

A N N E X I I I

Transport infrastructure and supply costs of steel products

Transport infrastructure

1. Transport infrastructure deficiencies and their repercussions on timely and cost efficient delivery of goods have been analyzed for several major industrial projects (e.g. fertilizer production). The constraints of the transport sector in the PTA and SADCC member countries can be summarized as follows:
 - inadequate and low standard infrastructure and facilities;
 - inadequate and obsolete equipment;
 - poor, inadequate and occasionally neglected maintenance;
 - lack of standardization;
 - unharmonized and unco-ordinated infrastructure and services;
 - scarcity or lack of spare parts;
 - scarcity of trained and experienced personnel at all levels of construction, management and operations;
 - inadequacy of training institutions;
 - lack of transport planning;
 - absence of harmonized transport/communications policies and legislation at the subregional/regional levels;
 - absence of transport/communications industries in Africa;
 - scarcity of foreign exchange due to low export earnings and tight international lending;
 - inadequate budgetary allocations for maintenance and rehabilitation;
 - general inefficiency in infrastructure/facilities construction and in the management/operations of services; and
 - low transport volume per shipment.

2. These constraints have been identified by governmental and regional institutions, e.g. in the Lagos Plan of Action in 1980, by the PTA Secretariat, by the ECA Conferences of Ministers responsible for transport and communication, and by the Southern Africa Transport and Communications Commission (SATCC). Major programmes are at present planned or being implemented by the institutions involved, and special mention should be made of the programmes under the UN Transport and Communication Decade for Africa and the SATCC programmes, as well as PTA

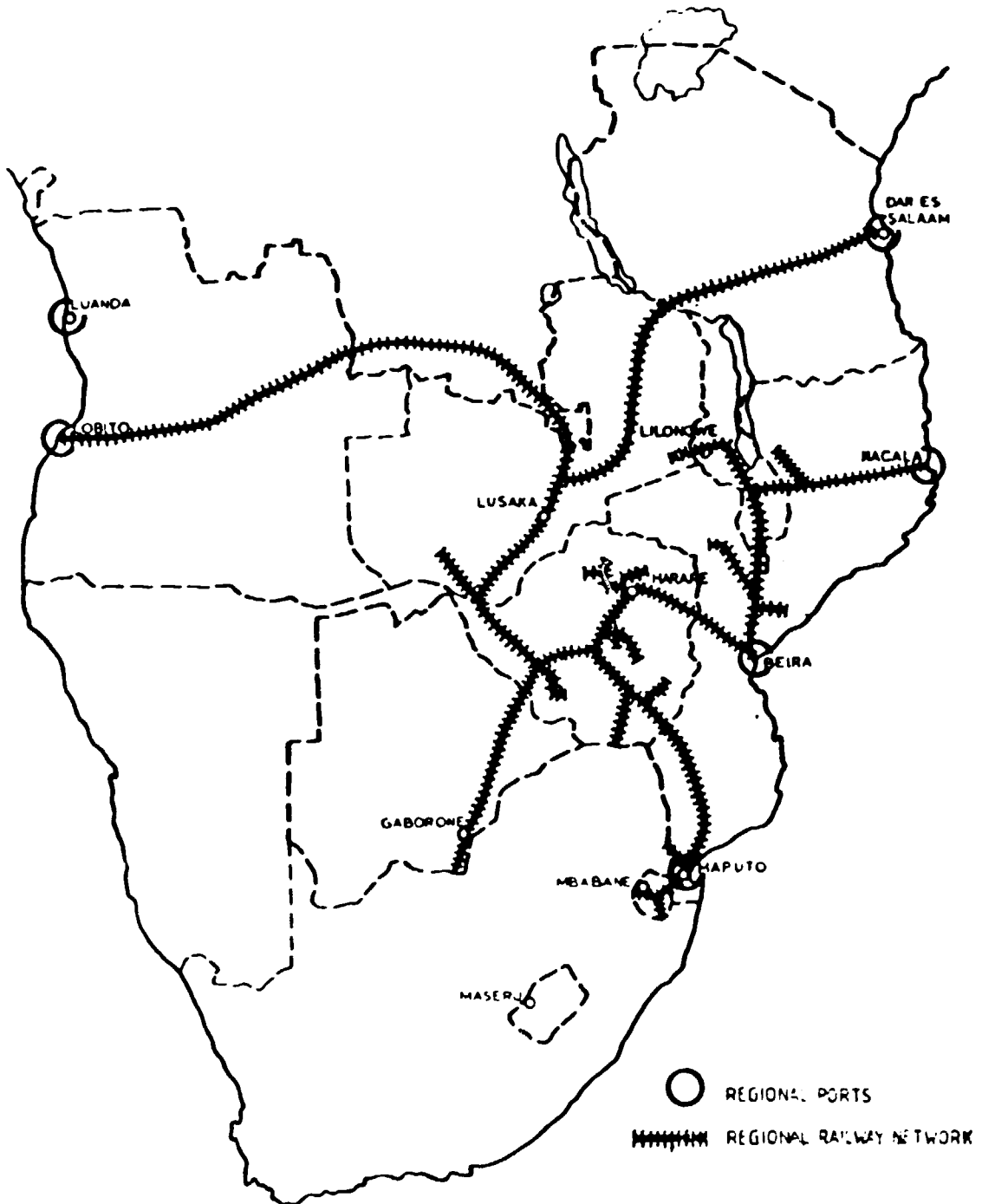
3. activities whose main objectives are to enable the physical integration of the continent through a collective regional effort, with emphasis on improving, harmonizing, co-ordinating and integrating existing and future transport infrastructures and services. According to SATCC planning, this will contribute, by 1990, to solving the numerous problems listed above and will facilitate economic and social co-operation, intra-African trade and internal collective self-reliance.

4. There might remain, however, constraints resulting from political conflicts and internal disorder which at present negatively influence intra-regional trade or make it even impossible. This is at present the case for rail and/or road connections in Mozambique and Angola. The Benguela rail road system connecting the Angolan port of Lobito, via southern Zaire, with Lusaka and the southeast African railway system (see Figure A.III.1) has not been operational since 1975, but is expected to reopen, political conditions permitting, by 1987. The disruption of rail connections in Mozambique has negatively influenced steel exports by ZISCO Steel, especially through the port of Maputo. Additional to the transport security problem, the congestion at the port of Maputo delayed loading of waiting ships, causing unnecessary increases in transport costs.

5. According to SATCC, measures are under way to improve port handling procedures in all major ports of its member countries.^{1/} SATCC assumes that present bottlenecks at ports would be overcome shortly so that no transport constraints would arise in this area. If also solutions to the rail security problems could be found, one can assume that the steel transport problems can be treated on merely economic grounds. Ethiopia encounters similar problems with its port, Massawa on the Red Sea, and the connection to Addis Ababa. The port of Djibouti and the railway connection to the Ethiopian capital, however, have traditionally been the most frequented transport route and is even cheaper than any other connection.

^{1/} Member countries of SATCC are the SADCC countries Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Swaziland, Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Figure A.III.1. SADCC regional ports and railway network



Source: SATCC, Document for the southern African Development Co-ordination Conference in Mbabane, 31 January - 31 February 1985.

6. Infrastructure and cost-wise the countries of the sub-region may be divided into three main groups; island countries, coastal countries and landlocked countries. In the following a brief overview will be given of the transport situation of the various groups. The situation of Zimbabwe as the main steel producer and exporter will finally be dealt with in some detail.

Island countries

7. Island countries of the PTA region are Comoros, Madagascar, Mauritius and Seychelles. Their port facilities are in general adequate for handling their imports and exports. Their major constraint are generally the low frequency of ship calls and the low freight volumes per shipment which raises transport costs. Madagascar and Mauritius have their own shipping lines. The Mauritian shipping line has actively contributed to reducing freight rates, e.g. for the import of corn from US \$70 to US \$45 per tonne, and for imports of steel billets from Port Elizabeth from US \$45 to US \$36, that is a reduction of 20 per cent. The shipping line, however, is not inclined at present to call at Mozambiquean ports due to delays experienced at the port.
8. Madagascar traditionally imports steel from France. The major importers are affiliated to French companies, and Madagascar has a special financing scheme for imports from France. The maritime transport costs are 850 FF, which is equivalent to US\$91 per tonne. Port charges in Toamasina amount to approximately US\$40 per tonne of steel. They are composed as follows:
- | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| - Handling charges at port: | \$ 4.40 per tonne |
| - Equipment utilization at port: | \$17.50 per tonne |
| - Port charges: | \$18.00 per tonne |
| - Total: | \$39.90 per tonne |
9. Rail transport to Antananarivo amounts to \$65.50 per tonne, hence giving a total transport cost from France to Antananarivo of \$196.40 per tonne of steel. Furthermore, due to lack of foreign exchange, maintenance of the railway had been neglected in recent years. The government currently puts considerable emphasis on the rehabilitation of the railways.

Table A.III.1: Main inter-regional/sub-regional transportation links

Port	Areas served	Mode of transportation involved
Massawa	Ethiopia	Rail
Mogadishu	Djibouti Ethiopia	Local transport Rail
Mombasa	Kenya Uganda (Rwanda) (Burundi)	Rail/road Rail/road (involves transshipment) Road via Uganda Road via Uganda and Rwanda
Tanga	N. Tanzania	Rail/road
Dar-es-Salaam	Tanzania N. Malawi Zambia Rwanda Burundi	Rail/road Rail and road Rail and rail/road (involves transshipment) Rail/road (involves transshipment) Rail/ship (involves transshipment)
Nacala	N. Mozambique Malawi Zambia	Rail/road Rail Rail
Beira	Central Mozambique Malawi N. Zimbabwe	Rail/road Rail Rail
Maputo	S. Mozambique Swaziland S. Zimbabwe	Rail/road Rail Rail
Luanda	N. Angola	Rail/road
Benguela	Central Angola	Rail/road
Mocamedes	S. Angola	Rail/road

10. Total landing costs in Mauritius are approximately \$11.20 per tonne of steel, consisting of:

- landing charges:	\$8.80 per tonne
- marine services:	\$9.90 per tonne
- handling, carriages, weighing and bill formalities	\$1.50 per tonne.

Coastal countries

11. Seven countries in the sub-region have ocean port facilities, one on the Atlantic Ocean, the others on the Indian Ocean or Red Sea. There is a total of twelve major ports in these countries, of which six are also of importance for transshipments to and from landlocked countries in the sub region. Table A.III.1 summarizes the main links of the ports with the landlocked PTA member countries.

12. The port of Mombasa has traditionally served as a transshipment point for Uganda, Rwanda and Burundi. Congestion at the port and difficulties experienced in land transport through Uganda, as well as improvements in port operations in Dar es Salaam, are at present leading to a shift in routing steel imports to Rwanda and Burundi through Tanzania.

13. Port charges at Mombasa, according to information obtained from a steel importer in Rwanda, amount to the following:

- terminal charges:	\$ 0.70 per tonne
- wharfage and surveillance at dock:	\$13.70 per tonne
- freight forwarders:	\$ 9.00 per tonne
- Mombasa transit costs:	\$ 6.40 per tonne
- Handling and truck loading charges:	\$10.10 per tonne
- Total:	\$39.90 per tonne

Together with \$77.50 per tonne maritime transport costs from Europe (Auvers, Belgium) this gives a total landing cost (including loading of truck for dispatching) of \$117.40 per tonne.

14. A similar cost breakdown for Dar-es-Salaam is not available. The total landing cost at this port amounts to \$114.80 per tonne of steel imported from Europe. In both cases the costs at the port of unloading appear very high.

15. Beira and Maputo are more important as export harbours than as import harbours as far as steel is concerned. The port charges for steel exports are \$15.60 per tonne of steel compared to \$9.00 per tonne at Port Elizabeth. It is expected that planned handling capacities of the ports (see Table A.III.2) would eliminate unfair competition situations at ports.

Landlocked countries

16. The steel transport problems of the northern landlocked countries: Uganda, Rwanda and Burundi, differ from those of the southern ones: Swaziland, Lesotho, Botswana, Zambia and Zimbabwe insofar as the former group are very distant from basic iron and steel production. The southern landlocked countries are in the neighbourhood of ZISCO or, in the case of Lesotho and Swaziland, even closer to South African steel producers. The fact that Botswana, Lesotho and Swaziland form part of the Southern African Customs Union represents a sales barrier to steel products from Zimbabwe.

Table A.III.2: Traffic demand and port capacity in 1981, 1985, 1990 and 2000

(million port tonnes)

	1981		1985		1990		2000	
	Present demand	Present capacity	Estimated demand	Planned capacity	Estimated demand	Planned capacity	Estimated demand	Planned capacity
Maputo/Matola								
Container (TEU)	6,100	15,000	30,000	42,000	90,000	120,000	170,000	170,000
General cargo ^{a/}	2.6	4.6	3.0	5.6	4.0	6.6	4.8	7.2
Dry bulk	2.0	3.1	2.5	4.5	6.2	8.5	16.9	
Liquid bulk	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.5	3.6	2.5	3.6
Beira								
Containers (TEU)	4,450	8,000	13,600	15,000	48,000	50,000	100,000	120,000
General cargo								
RO/RO	1.1	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.6	3.0	2.9	3.5
Dry bulk	0.2	0.4	0.7	1.2	3.2	3.5	10.5	14.0
Liquid bulk	0.4	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.6	4.5	1.7	4.5
Nacala								
Containers (TEU)	14,300	18,000	20,000	36,000	36,000	50,000	60,000	67,500
General cargo ^{b/}	0.7	1.3	0.8	1.9	1.1	2.3	1.6	2.8
Dry bulk					0.2		0.2	
Liquid bulk	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.5
Dar-es-Salaam								
Containers (TEU)	19,780		23,000	33,000	60,000	90,000	120,000	
General cargo ^{b/}	1.1	1.3	2.1	3.3	2.6	8.7	3.6	
Dry bulk	2.1		0.6		0.5		0.5	
Liquid bulk	n.a.		0.8		0.9		1.3	
Lobito								
Container (TEU)			2,600		19,200		60,000	
General cargo	0.4	1.5	0.3		0.4		0.8	
Dry bulk		0.4			0.4		0.5	
Liquid bulk	0.2	0.4	0.2		0.3		0.4	

^{a/} General cargo includes the tonnage over container and steel wharfs.

^{b/} General cargo includes the tonnage in containers.

Source: SATCC, op.cit.

17. Transport of steel products to the southern landlocked countries from Redcliff are, compared to the transport costs to the island and coastal (other than Mozambique) countries acceptable. Table A.III.3 gives transport costs per tonne of steel from Redcliff to various destinations.
18. For Rwanda, road transport costs from Mombasa to Kigali amount to a total of \$185.70 per tonne of steel, and combined rail and road transport from Dar-es-Salaam amounts to \$122.50. This brings total landing costs of steel for imports from Europe through Mombasa to \$302.50 per tonne (\$117.40 and \$185.70) and for imports from Europe through Dar-es-Salaam to \$237.30.

Table A.III.3: Transport costs from Redcliff (ZISCO steel works)
to various destinations
(in US \$)

From Redcliff to	Transport costs	
	by rails (US \$)	by road (US \$)
Lusaka/Zambia	31.40	48.10
Kabwe/Zambia	51.80	
Ndola/Zambia	57.70	
Mpulugu/Zambia		106.40
Francistown/Botswana	9.80	38.50
Matsapa/Swaziland	57.80	
Maseru/Lesotho	53.50	
Tanzanian railway start/Zambia	38.90	43.60
Malawi Border	28.90	
Blantyre/Malawi		54.50
Lilongwe/Malawi		83.30

Source: UNIDO team field work.

19. Table A.III.4 gives a cost comparison of steel imports to Bujumbura between imports from Europe (via Dar-es-Salaam, by train to Kigoma and from Kigoma to Bujumbura by lake shipping) and imports from ZISCO steel (by truck to Mpulugu and by ship to Bujumbura). In both cases, the f.o.b. price of steel is \$255 per tonne. In the case of purchase from Belgium, the order size was around 300 tonnes of steel; in the case of purchase from ZISCO, it was a trial order of 1 truck load (31.4 tonnes).

Table A.III.4: Comparison of total landing costs for steel supply from Belgium and Zimbabwe to Bujumbura (in US \$ per tonne)

Cost item	Supply from ZISCO	Anvers (Belgium)
Road transport Harare - Mpulugu (including all charges)	132.80	
Lake shipment Mpulugu - Bujumbura	37.30	
Maritime transport Anvers - Dar-es-Salaam (including port charges)		114.80
Loading/unloading of rail wagon and rail transport, Dar-es-Salaam - Kigoma		62.30
Lake shipment Kigoma - Bujumbura		10.70
Import licence, opening and financing of L/C	10.20 ^{1/}	33.20 ^{2/}
Insurance (4.5 per cent)	11.50	11.50
Port charges in Bujumbura	8.20	8.20
Customs clearance	4.90	4.90
Customs duty	35.70	35.70
Transport from port to warehouse	8.20	8.20
Total landing costs	248.80	279.50

^{1/} 4 per cent of f.o.b. value

^{2/} 13 per cent of f.o.b. value due to long lead times

20. The comparison shows that even for only a small order and not including any duty reduction within the framework of PTA, the combined road and Lake Tanganyika ship transport is approximately \$31 cheaper than imports from Europe via Dar-es-Salaam, that is approximately 11 per cent.

Additional reductions on transport costs should be achievable through:

- economies of scale for bigger orders from ZISCO steel, both on road and on lake transport
- combined rail/road transport from Redcliff to Mpulugu
- general contractual agreement with freight companies covering annual shipments.
- rapid deliveries of steel supplies so that customers have no need of financing their L/C (potential value: approximately 9 per cent of f.o.b. price).

21. It can be expected that the Lake Tanganyika route will, under these conditions, be increasingly used for shipments to Burundi, northeastern Zaire, and possibly Rwanda and Kigoma. The planned extensions of the rail road system leads to the expectation that there will be no transport limitations caused by lack of transport capacity (see Figure A.III.2).

Zimbabwe

22. The transport costs and port charges for steel from the ZISCO steelworks in Redcliff are shown in Table A.III.5 for Beira, Maputo and Port Elizabeth. As can be seen, total f.o.b. costs are lowest for shipments through Beira but can, for certain types of steel be lower in Port Elizabeth than in Maputo. The insecurity at present existing with shipments through Mozambique unfortunately add another factor militating against the selection of a Mozambican port.

Table A.III.5: Transport and port charges for Zimbabwe steel exports through Southern African ports
(US \$ per tonne of steel)

Transport from Redcliff to:	Transport costs	Port charges	Total f.o.b. costs
Beira	18.60 - 25.0 ^{a/}	15.60	34.20-40.60
Maputo	28.20 - 38.10 ^{a/}	15.60	43.80 - 53.70
Port Elizabeth	38.80	9.0	47.80

Source: ZISCO and MANICA Freight Co. Ltd.

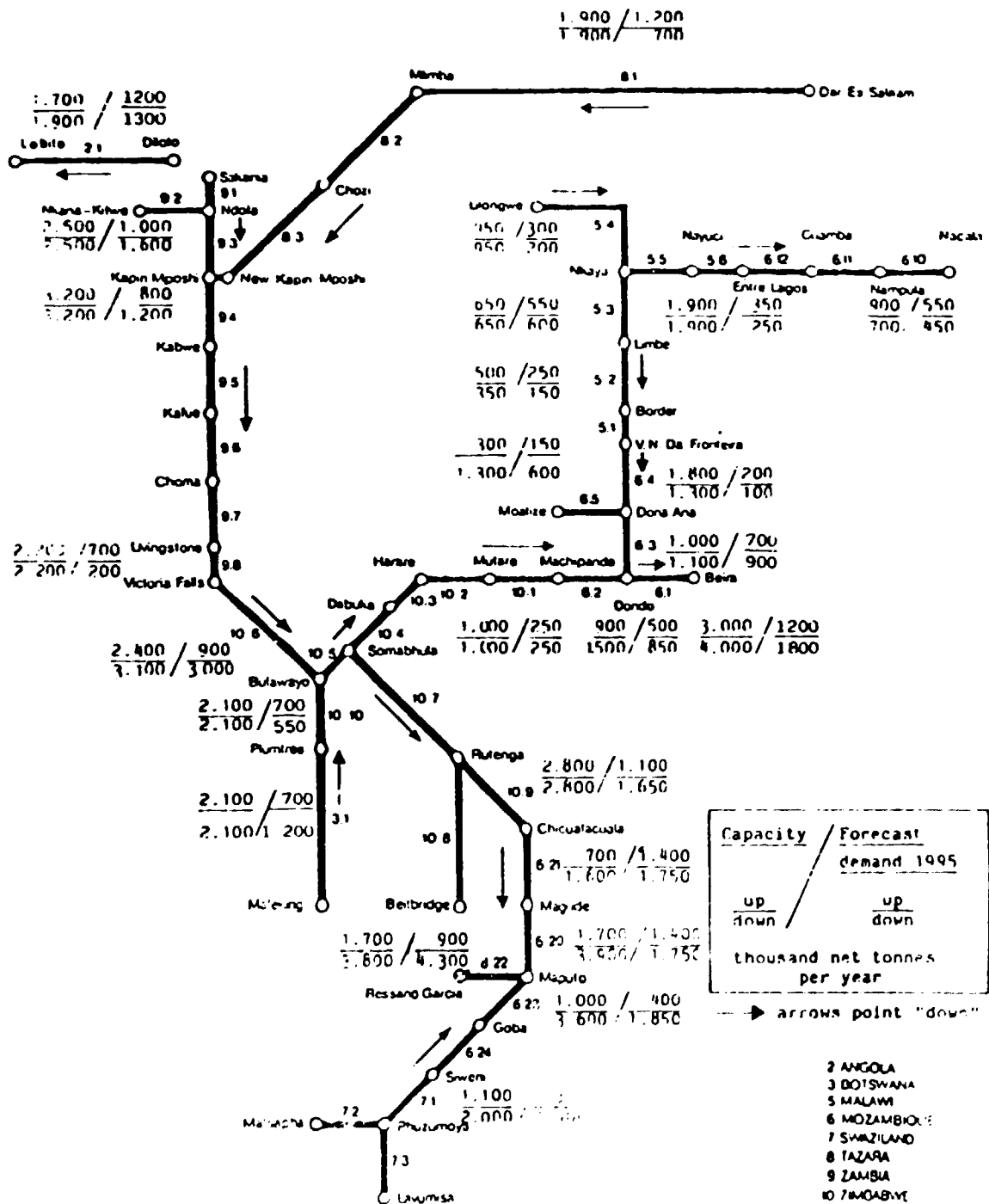
a/ Variations according to type of steel.

From the economic point of view, ZISCO should promote strongly the Beira route for its overseas exports.

23. Assuming that the ex-factory price of ZISCO steel is in the order of the f.o.b. price for European or South African steel and that the overall transport costs from Redcliff via Beira (\$34.20 to 40.60 per tonne) to the port of destination would have to be competitive, one arrives at the following conclusions:

- total transport costs to Mauritius would be too high to compete with South African imports
- the maximum allowable maritime transport costs from Beira to Mombasa or Dar-es-Salaam (maritime transport costs from Europe: \$77.50 per tonne) are \$36.90 to \$43.30 per tonne

Figure A.III.2: Line capacities and demand in 1996
(1000 tonnes)



Source: SATCC, op.cit.

- the maximum allowable maritime transport cost for supplies to Madagascar (maritime transport cost from Europe \$91 per tonne of steel) are \$50.40 to \$56.80 per tonne
 - these maximum allowable transport cost could be increased if deliveries are so quick that customers have no need for financing their L/C (maximum additional allowance: 9 per cent of f.o.b. price of steel).
24. At present, transport costs from Maputo to Mombasa stand at \$45 per tonne. This is mainly due to low quantities per order imposed by restrictions in foreign exchange allocations in Kenya.
25. As for Madagascar, the transport cost margin should not represent an obstacle to exports. However, the foreign exchange situation of the country and the special financing arrangements with France might pose obstacles to increased exports.
26. The overall situation for ZISCO steel exports to Zambia, Malawi, Burundi, Tanzania, Rwanda and southern and eastern Zaire is seen to be positive as far as the transport and cost situation is concerned.
27. Unlike steel companies in industrialized countries, ZISCO has hardly any warehousing of steel products close to its customers outside of Zimbabwe. It is recommended that the possibility and the usefulness of establishing steel depots which allow a quicker response to customer orders be analyzed. The costs of warehousing generally can be recovered through higher sales prices for immediate deliveries. Establishing at least two depots, one in Beira and one in Zambia for the landlocked countries, and possibly for rail road exports to Tanzania, is recommended.
28. The customer services of ZISCO could be extended in two directions: first, in the area of transport logistics and secondly, in the area of technical customer services.
29. Most importers in the PTA member countries hardly have any substantial negotiating power for their relatively small imports of steel, both in terms of size of order and annual demand. As has been shown, transport costs are a major cost item limiting the competitiveness of steel products compared to other materials and limiting the competitiveness of ZISCO steel products in the region. The market potential, as well as the potential to increase ex works steel prices by ZISCO, would increase

considerably if rapid deliveries and reductions in transport costs could be achieved. ZISCO could probably make substantial gains by increasing its efforts in improving transport logistics coupled with negotiations with major transport enterprises to arrive at global annual or bi annual transport agreements for the total expected tonnage which would be shipped in several (monthly or bi-monthly) orders. This would also allow the transport companies to improve their planning of transport volume and reduce their operating costs. In the field of maritime transport, negotiations with existing sub-regional shipping lines could give substantial results. For example, Mauritian private and Malgache state owned shipping company, CMN indicated a strong interest for entering into such negotiations. CMN, for example, quoted to the UNIDO mission transport costs of \$39.50 per tonne of steel for shipments between Toamasina and the destinations on the coastline between Mombasa and Maputo.

30. Furthermore, ZISCO could strengthen the technical customer assistance service to better compete with those operated by steel companies in industrialized countries. This service should mainly be geared towards the emerging engineering industries in the region which would receive additional impetus for steel product applications, thus increasing the sales potential for ZISCO steel products. It would at the same time lead to an improved feed back to the production units at ZISCO hence fostering the company's market response.
31. The activities in both areas, i.e. transport logistics and technical customer services, are recommended to be undertaken by ZISCO and co-ordinated with the Minerals Marketing Corporation of Zimbabwe (MMCZ) responsible for the sales of ZISCO steel products in export markets. These activities are however of a technical nature requiring direct contact between ZISCO and customers.

A N N E X I V

Iron and steelmaking resources of the subregion

1. This annex presents the iron and steelmaking resource situation in the Southern and Eastern African sub-region. It aims to serve as one of the inputs in any decision regarding the optimal locations of iron and steel projects in the sub-region.
2. The major resources discussed in terms of their availability and technical characteristics are:
 - Iron ore
 - Coal
 - Natural gas
 - The slag-forming and refractory minerals such as limestone, dolomite, silica and alumina-bearing minerals, and the alloying minerals such as chrome, manganese, nickel and vanadium ores
 - Electricity (particularly hydro-electricity)
 - Ferrous scrap

The information and data contained herein were obtained during UNIDO missions to the countries of the sub-region, supplemented by other in-house data in UNIDO, as well as generally available published materials.

Iron ore

3. Table A.IV.1 shows, for the Eastern and Southern African sub-region, the national distribution of the major known iron ore resources (proven plus estimated). As per the geological reserve size criterion, the following are the most important potential sources:

Zimbabwe	-	3,738 million tonnes
Angola	-	1,030 million tonnes
Swaziland	-	707 million tonnes
Madagascar	-	405 million tonnes
Zambia		307 million tonnes
Mozambique		250 million tonnes

Table A-IV-1: Iron ore resources of the Eastern and Southern African sub-region

Country	Known deposits	Total estimated size of reserves	Technical characteristics of reserve
Angola	i) Kassinga North deposit	420 million tons	Haematite; Fe=35.5-40.11%; SiO ₂ =48-42.3%; P=0.039-0.048%
	ii) Kassinga South deposit	400 million tons	Haematite; Fe=39.2-41.95%; SiO ₂ =39.2- 41.6%; P=0.02-0.11%
	iii) Dongo deposit	200 million tons	Haematite/martite/magnetite
	iv) Kassala/Kitungo deposits	200 million tons	Quartzitic magnetite/haematite; Fe=32.3-35.3%; SiO ₂ =40.3-44.1%
Ethiopia	Several small deposits in Northern, Western, and South-western Ethiopia	Total of about 12.5 million tons	Low-grade ores not yet accurately characterized.
Madagascar	i) Soalala deposit	385 million tons	Quartzite (with haematite/magnetite ratio of 2:1; Fe(total)=39.1%; SiO ₂ =42.9%
	ii) Ambatovy-Analamay deposit	About 20 million tons	Fe=50%; SiO ₂ =9.75%; S=0.23%; Al ₂ O ₃ =7.2%; P ₂ O ₅ =0.10%
Mozambique	Tete-Honde-Nampula deposits	Over 250 million tons	Fe = 30-60 per cent; Banded ironstones and injection-type igneous ores, very low in phosphorus and sulphur
Kenya	Small deposits at Mrima, Bukura, McCaLder Mine, and Uyoma	About 42 million tons	Very low-grade ores (goethite; pyrites; and titaniferrous magnetite
Somalia	Bur and Kisimaio areas	170 million and 10 tons respectively	Very low-grade haematite/magnetite in the Bur area (38% Fe) and titaniferrous magnetite around Kisimaos

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Table A-IV-1: Iron ore resources of the Eastern and Southern African sub-region
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Country	Known deposits	Total estimated size of reserves	Technical characteristics of reserve
Swaziland	i) Northwestern Swaziland (Ngwenya Mine, Nottingham Peak, Iron Hill, Jaspillite, etc.)	At least 62 million tons high-grade haematite (64.56% Fe) plus about 230 million tons of lower-grade ore	Low-grade ore analysis: Fe=34.57%; SiO ₂ =42.86%; Al ₂ O ₃ =1.93%
	ii) Southwestern Swaziland (Maloma, Gege, Mkhondo, etc.)	Up to 415 million tons of low-grade magnetite-bearing ores	Fe=35.31%; SiO ₂ =44%; Al ₂ O ₃ =1.26%
Uganda	Muku, Sukulu and Kilembe deposits	About 30 million tons (Muku); 40 million tons (Sukulu); 1 million tons (Kilembe)	High-grade haematite (68% Fe) at Muku, magnetite at Sukulu (grading 62% Fe, 1.1% SiO ₂ , 2.6%P), and pyrite (from dumps) at Kilembe
Tanzania	i) Liganga deposit	78 million tons at 48 per cent Fe	Titaniferrous magnetite, with chrome and vanadium contaminants; TiO ₂ =13%, V ₂ O ₅ =0.7%, Fe=50%; SiO ₂ =1.3%
	ii) Chunya deposit	40 million tons	Fe=48.4%, TiO ₂ =12.8%; V ₂ O ₅ =0.67%
Zambia	Nambula, Pamba, Sanje, Namantombwa, and Changwe deposits	307 million tons	Haematite at Nambula and Sanje (Fe=57-67%); haematite/magnetite at Pamba and Namantombwa (44-60% Fe); and magnetite at Changwe (62% Fe)
Zimbabwe	The Beacon Tor and Kwe Kwe areas	3,738 million tons	Secondary high-grade concentrations of haematite and limonite, with average ore grade of 45-65% Fe and about 5% SiO ₂

4. Whereas it is important to know the absolute quantities of the above resources, any decision as to their exploitation for purposes of iron and steel production would be predicated on such considerations as the proportions that are economically extractable, the technical characteristics of each ore deposit (including the presence or otherwise of deleterious contaminants), and the physico chemical performance of the ore under pilot or commercial- scale operating conditions.

Coal

5. The importance of coal in commercial iron and steel production derives from its triple role as an ore reductant, process energy source, and alloying element (carbon donor). However, the well-established blast furnace ironmaking process makes more stringent quality demands on coal, requiring only the metallurgical-grade (or coking) coals which are relatively less abundant world-wide. The newer (and perhaps more relevant to the Eastern and Southern African sub-region) direct reduction processes based on coal are capable of utilizing bituminous and sub bituminous coals which occur in greater quantities in the sub-region.
6. Table A.IV.2 shows the distribution of the known coal resources of the sub-region. The largest occurrences are in Zimbabwe with an endowment of up to 27.6 billion tonnes of which at least 2.5 billion tonnes are proven and recoverable, Botswana (15.2 billion tonnes), Mozambique (8 billion tonnes), Tanzania (up to 1.5 billion tonnes), Swaziland (977 million tonnes), and Malawi (810 million tonnes).
7. About 90 per cent of these resources occur in the form of bituminous and sub-bituminous coals, generally unsuitable for direct conversion into coke of the quality consumed in blast furnace ironmaking. In fact, only Zimbabwe and Mozambique are endowed with sizable reserves of metallurgical coal, - as much as 2.5 billion and 3 billion tonnes respectively. At least 345 million tonnes of low-volatile cokable anthracite is also known to occur in Swaziland.
8. While the decision as to the eventual use of any coal reserve for iron and steelmaking must depend on detailed geological, mining, physico-chemical, and pilot-scale performance considerations, it can be preliminarily stated that each of the following countries of the sub-region: Zimbabwe, Botswana, Mozambique, Tanzania, Swaziland, and Malawi, has adequate reserves to supply, for the long term, the requirements of a coal-based iron and steel project.

Table A-IV-2: Coal resources of the Eastern and Southern African sub-region

Country	Known deposits	Total estimated size of reserves	Technical characteristics of reserve
Botswana	i) Morupule coal field	6.5 billion tons	High-ash medium-volatile bituminous steam coal. Typical run-of-mine analysis: Ash=25%; Volatiles=30%; Fixed carbon=39-53%; sulphur=1-1.5%
	ii) Southwest Mojabana	1.3 billion tons	
	iii) Mmamabula	3.0 billion tons	
	iv) Letlhakeng coal field	2.4 billion tons	
	v) Dutilwe coal field	2.0 billion tons	
Madagascar	Sakoa coal field	At least 84 million tons recoverable in ore seam	Fixed carbon = 50%; Volatiles = 26.0%; Ash = 17.0%; Sulphur = 0.6%; Calorific value-6,500-6,900 Kcals/Kg
Malawi	i) Nyika-Chiweka Basin	130 million tons	Sub-bituminous and bituminous steam coals, with 15-30% ash and 1.4-2.4% sulphur
	ii) North Karonga Basin	400 million tons	
	iii) Chikwawa Basin	15 million tons	
	iv) Rukuru Basin	265 million tons	
Swaziland	i) Lower zone	345 million tons proved, plus 500 million tons probable reserves	Moderate to good quality low-volatile to anthracite (cokable) coal, washable to 11% ash, 75% fixed carbon, 0.5% sulphur
	ii) Upper zone (Both zones in Eastern Swaziland)	82 million tons proved, plus 50 million tons probable reserves	Inferior anthracite, washable to 21.7% ash, 69.8% fixed carbon, 1.54% sulphur
Mozambique	i) Moatize basin	Up to 2 billion tons	Contains up to 70 million tons coking coal; ash content = 22.3%; fixed carbon=58.3%; sulphur=0.92%; calorific value=11,880 Btu/lb.
	ii) Mucanha-Vusi basin	3 billion tons	Cokeable coal with 80-90% fixed carbon; 0.78-1.58% sulphur; 8.40-15.61% ash.
	iii) Minjova area	Up to 3 billion tons	

Table A-IV-2: Coal resources of the Eastern and Southern African sub-region
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Country	Known deposits	Total estimated size of reserves	Technical characteristics of reserve
Tanzania	Mchuchuma reserves	Proven reserves of 324 million tons (total reserves of 1.5 billion tons)	Steam coal; 20.8% ash; 25% volatiles; 54.2% fixed carbon; 0.48% sulphur
Zambia	Maamba reserves	90 million tons (proved plus speculative)	Steam coal; 16-20% ash; 1.2-2.0% sulphur
Zimbabwe	i) Hwange reserves	1,380 million tons	390 million tons of reserve is coking quality
	ii) Lubimbi coal field	21,473 million tons	Contains 2,108 million tons of coking coal
	iii) Iusulu reserves	3,000 million tons	-
	iv) Other reserves	2.100 million tons	Contains 37 million tons of coking coal

Natural gas

9. Natural gas is an alternative hydrocarbon reductant for iron ore, particularly in terms of direct reduction processes. Although virtually all the countries of Eastern and Southern Africa have, at one time or the other, issued gas exploration and exploitation concessions to the multinational energy firms, only three countries, - Angola, Mozambique, and Tanzania, - have been shown to be endowed with commercially exploitable natural gas resources.

10. Angola's resources come from off-shore fields in Northern Angola both in the associated and non-associated forms, and the recoverable reserves occur as follows:

	<u>Associated</u>	<u>Non-associated</u>
	(in million cu. m.)	
Proved-developed reserves	1,330	0
Proved-undeveloped reserves	230	1,130
Probable/possible undeveloped reserves	<u>5,890</u>	<u>54,930</u>
	7,450	54,930

Total recoverable reserves amount to 62,380 million cubic metres, of which 88 per cent is non-associated.

11. In Mozambique, considerable exploration has been carried out on the Pande field in the Govuro District of Inhambane Province, about 30 km inland from the coast. The confirmed reserves in this field amount to 60 billion cubic metres.

12. In Tanzania, confirmed gas deposits occur off-shore in Songo Songo island, about 240 km south of Dar-es Salaam. The proven reserves are estimated to be about 41 billion cubic metres, and are considered adequate to justify the implementation of a proposed 1,350 metric tonnes per day ammonia-urea fertilizer project, for which 17 billion cubic metres has been earmarked. Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation (TPDC) owns and operates the field and plans to offer the gas at agreed prices to the KILAMCO fertilizer project.

13. Mention should also be made of the methane accumulation in the bottom strata of Lake Kivu on the Rwanda-Zaire border. Unfortunately, the early exploitation of this reserve, which may hold a great potential for the industrial development of Rwanda, is beclouded by technical problems pertaining to the optimal extraction rate and technique which would not jeopardize the environment. There are also problems of reaching an agreement with Zaire on the best exploitation and marketing strategies for large scale methane production.

Other mineral resources

14. In addition to iron ore, coal, and natural gas, the other mineral resources consumed in iron and steelmaking are the slag formers, - limestone (CaCO_3), dolomite ($\text{CaCO}_3 \cdot \text{MgCO}_3$), fluorspar (CaF_2), and refractory clays containing silica and or alumina, - and the alloying minerals such as nickel, vanadium, chromium, cobalt, and manganese ores. The slag-formers are generally available in vast quantities and are, in fact, extensively exploited in most of the countries of Eastern and Southern Africa. As for the alloying minerals, large deposits of chrome ore occur in Zimbabwe, which alone accounts for more than 85 per cent of the world's reserves of high chrome ores. Zambia's cobalt reserves have been estimated to be about 350,000 tonnes, and significant reserves of nickel ore occur in Burundi (1.5 million tonnes), Zimbabwe (1.6 million tonnes), Botswana (600,000 tonnes) and Madagascar (330,000 tonnes).

Current and near-term exploitation of resources

15. Angola: Whereas Angola had been a significant iron ore producer and exporter until the mid 1970s (exports amounting to 6 million tonnes in 1974), production ceased in 1975, and efforts are now being made to reactivate and rehabilitate the Kassinga mine before the end of 1985, with a view to achieving an export target of 1.5 million tonnes per year of iron concentrate. It is planned that, coincident with the resumption of production, the rail line to Mocamedes would be re-opened.

Also, plans are being made to exploit the Kassala Kitungo deposit in Province Cuanza Norte. A three phase development programme has been mapped out (although without specific time horizons involving: 1) start up of mine exploitation to produce 69-70 per cent Fe super concentrate which would be slurry pumped to a 2.1 million tonnes per year pelletizing plant

in Luanda; 2) installation of two direct reduced (sponge) iron units at Luanda, with a total capacity of 1.3 million tonnes per year, mainly for the export market; the options for a reductant would be between heavy fuel oil from the refinery at Luanda and natural gas piped to Luanda. The proposed plant site is near deep water and could provide a berth for up to 150,000 dwt vessels; 3) increasing the national steelmaking capacity to 150,000 tonnes per year on the basis of sponge iron and scrap.

16. Angola's natural gas resources are largely unexploited. As such, any gas-dependent project proposed for Angola must consider the cost implications of a gas gathering network from the gas fields to the project site.

17. Botswana: The Morupule reserve is currently the only source of coal in Botswana. The colliery, near Palapye, is owned and operated by Morupule Colliery (Pty) Ltd., a 93 per cent-subsidiary of Anglo-American Corporation. It has a production capacity of 480,000 tonnes per year, and supplies coal to the Botswana Power Company, and also to BCL Ltd., a copper-nickel producer. It is planned to eventually increase the colliery's output capacity to 600,000 tonnes per year.

The other reserve that has attracted attention recently is the Kgaswe deposit. For its development, the Government of Botswana and Shell Coal Botswana Ltd. have recently signed a joint venture agreement, with the aim of producing, for the export market, up to 10 million tonnes of coal per year. However, a recent feasibility study has raised doubts as to the economics of international marketing of Botswanan coal. The cost of transportation to a deep-water port at Walvis Bay (Namibia), via a proposed 1,200 km Trans-Kalahari railway, would place the coal at a severe competitive disadvantage on the world market vis-a-vis coal from such other sources as Colombia.

18. Madagascar: A feasibility study is currently in progress in connection with the development of the Soalala iron ore deposits in northwestern Madagascar, about 80 km inland from the sea. But laboratory tests have already shown that the ores could be readily concentrated by gravimetric and magnetic techniques to produce a good sinter feed of 64 per cent Fe for export. The on-going study, however, is focused on the relative

viabilities of ore concentration projects rated at 2 million and 1 million tonnes per year respectively. Some consideration is also being given to an integrated project that would, in addition to sinter feed, also produce pellets for a sponge iron plant, and incorporate direct reduction, steelmaking and steel rolling aspects.

Concurrent with the iron ore project, there are also plans to develop the Sakoa high-quality coal deposit located in southwestern Madagascar. One development scenario calls for the coal to be land-and-sea-transported (about 800 km maritime distance) to the port site of the Soalala project on Baie de Bally.

19. Malawi: There are no current plans to develop and exploit the Mindale iron ore deposit north of Blantyre. However, consideration is being given to small-scale mining of the coal deposits at Livingstonia for household and industrial use. As for the Chikawawa deposit, exploratory mapping (with French assistance) is expected to commence in late 1985. This deposit has the advantage of being as near as 20 km to a rail link, coupled with close proximity to the Blantyre industrial centre.
20. Mozambique: Beneficiation tests on iron ore samples taken from the Tete Honde Nampula deposits have yielded positive results, although the economic viability of any exploitation project would still have to be established by a formal feasibility study. Furthermore, an integral aspect of that study would relate to provision of now lacking but essential infrastructures and also to transportation logistics.

As for coal, there is only one active mine at Moatize in Tete province. It has a production capacity of 800,000 tonnes (run-of-mine) per year, although the 1981 output was 535,000 tonnes. Because of severe transportation problems which have adversely affected coal evacuation for export, the Moatize mine has recently stopped production. Nevertheless, active plans have been drawn up for a two-phased export oriented project based on Moatize coal, with an ultimate production capacity target of 6 million tonnes per year. The necessary study and financing arrangements for the 3 million tonnes/year first phase have been completed, and prospective partners for the second phase, involving an additional 3 million tonnes per year, have reportedly been identified. The project would involve not only mine development but also substantial investment in

transportation infrastructures, including the rehabilitation of the Tete Beira railway and the installation of appropriate coal handling facilities at the port of Beira.

The Pande gas field which was discovered by a consortium of Gulf Oil Corporation and AMOCO in the 1960s was abandoned in 1971. However, the Mozambican government has recently revived its interest in developing the field and, to this end, a feasibility study has been commissioned for a large ammonia based fertilizer project. Other project ideas include a direct-reduction based steel plant, and a gas gathering and pipeline system to supply the power generation, household, and industrial gas demands of the Maputo area.

21. Swaziland: Production of iron ore ended in 1979. However, recent interest has been centred on developing some of the high-grade reserves such as Ngwenya. Experimental testing on the low-grade resources (eg. Mhlatane and Gege) indicates that some of the ores could be economically beneficiated to yield 65-68 per cent Fe concentrates.

Coal production in 1984 was estimated to be about 200,000 tonnes, all of which came from the lower-zone deposits of Eastern Swaziland. Plans have been drawn up to increase coal output, and a technical assistance agreement has been signed with the International Co-operation Agency of Japan, with a view to raising production by 500,000 tonnes per year for 25 years.

22. Tanzania: The current annual production of coal is relatively small (not more than 20,000 tonnes per year), and is confined to the Songwe Kiwira coal fields. Future development of Tanzania's coal resources is tied to the concurrent development of the Liganga iron ore deposits and the implementation of an integrated iron and steel project at Ruhuhu. As conceived, (following a feasibility study by LURGI), the project, estimated to cost \$US1,807.4 million (1982), would include:

- . Development of the Liganga iron ore mine to produce 1.56 million tonnes per year of ore.
- . Ore beneficiation plant rated at 900,000 tonnes per year of concentrate.
- . A pelletization plant with a capacity of 900,000 tonnes per year.
- . Development of the Mchuchuma coal mine to produce 2.4 million tonnes per year run of mine coal.

- . A coal washery rated at 545,000 tonnes per year.
- . An SL/RN direct reduction plant to produce 663,000 tonnes per year of sponge iron.
- . Submerged arc furnace smelting to eliminate oxides of vanadium, titanium and chromium, followed by ladle refining to produce 554,000 tonnes per year of liquid steel which would be cast into slabs and/or blooms and rolled into sheets, strips and plates.
- . Infrastructural facilities such as a 160-km road from Madaba through Ruhuhu, Liganga, and Mchuchuma, to Manda; a 320-km rail link between Mlimba and Manda via Madaba, Ruhuhu, Liganga and Mchuchuma; a 300 Mw coal-fired thermal power station; and townships at Liganga, Mchuchuma and Ruhuhu.

It had been proposed to site the DRI and steel complex at Ruhuhu. Although the initial capacity is put at 500,000 tonnes per year of steel products, commencing in 1990, the ultimate capacity rating is 1 million tonnes, expected to be achieved after 2000.

Concerning natural gas, definite plans have been made for implementation of the Kilwa ammonia urea fertilizer project which, barring financing obstacles, could come on-stream by 1987. There is no present intention to utilize Tanzania natural gas for sponge iron production.

23. Zambia: Although Zambia's iron ore reserves in the northwestern and central provinces may be as much as 307 million tonnes (Table A.IV.1), there are no present plans to utilize them, although the Guideline for ... the Fourth National Development Plan suggests the setting up of an indigenous resource based iron and steel industry during the Plan period. It is more likely, however, that the financial resources available would be devoted to a more modest scrap-based mini-steel mill.

Maamba Collieries Ltd. is the main coal producer with an output of about 490,000 tonnes in 1984. Although the proven and estimated reserves are put at up to 90 million tonnes, it is believed that the remaining recoverable reserve is in the region of 20 to 30 million tonnes. Furthermore, the collieries are not thought to have been operating economically over the last few years, in part because of the increasing stripping ratios now encountered, as well as problems associated with obtaining spare parts for machinery and equipment. There are plans afoot to rehabilitate the collieries, towards which the African Development Bank is to contribute US \$26 million. The World Bank has also extended a loan of US \$2.4 million for the procurement of spares.

24. Zimbabwe: Zimbabwe is endowed with large supplies of both iron ore and metallurgical coal. The present coal requirements of ZISCO Ltd. at Redcliff come by rail from the Hwange collieries in northwestern Zimbabwe. Its iron ore demand is met from company-owned facilities at Ripple Creek, and in Buchwa, 200 km to the south. Because Ripple Creek ore is of the friable limonitic variety, it is necessary to blend it with Buchwa ore, in the ratio of 25 per cent Buchwa:75 per cent Ripple Creek, prior to sintering in order to produce a good blast furnace feed.

ZISCO Ltd. is planning a comprehensive rehabilitation programme which would, in part, involve its ore supply operations. Specifically, it is planned to stop mining operations at Buchwa for a period of eight years in order to permit reclamation of 3.5 million tonnes of accumulated ore fines. Ripple Creek will, in the meantime, continue its mining and ore processing operations at the rate of 105,000 tonnes per month.

Electricity resources

25. Angola: Angola is endowed with extensive hydro-electric resources, estimated to be over 11,000 Mw. However, as of 1980, the total installed electric generating capacity was only 523 Mw, of which 368 Mw was hydro-based. It can be seen therefore that a great potential exists for tapping Angola's power generation resources in support of future industrial development.
26. Botswana: As of 1981, Botswana's total installed electricity generation capacity was 79 Mw, with 60 Mw derived from the coal-fired plant at Selebi-Pitwe and 19 Mw from the coal-and-oil-fired plant at Gaborone. Botswana Power Corporation is responsible for generating and distributing electricity and (as of 1982), plans were afoot to build a 60 Mw or 90 Mw coal-fired station at Morupule. This was scheduled for a 1986 commissioning.
27. Madagascar: Madagascar possesses some hydroelectric potentials that need to be developed to serve any major development project. Total resources are estimated to be about 73,000 Mw. For the proposed iron and steel complex at Soalala, two sites have been identified at Ambodiroka and Mahavola respectively.

28. Mozambique: The Zambezi River and its tributaries alone have a potential for over 12,000 Mw of hydro-electricity. At present, the total installed capacity in Mozambique is 2,275 Mw, of which 2,175 Mw (96 per cent) is hydro, with the Cahora Bassa station accounting for 2,075 Mw. Until 1984, in fact, Mozambique was an exporter of electricity to South Africa; however, recent disablement of the transmission line has cut off this valuable source of foreign exchange earnings.
29. Swaziland: Swaziland imports up to 70 per cent of its electricity demand from South Africa. Its internal generating capacity is only 20 Mw, although plans (whose implementation has been delayed due to escalating costs) had been drawn up for construction of a hydro station.
30. Tanzania: Tanzania has considerable hydro-electricity resources on the order of about 18,995 Mw, with partially exploited Rufiji River accounting for about 2,100 Mw. Current installed capacity is 369 Mw, of which about 280 Mw is hydro-based. The future orientation is towards increased exploitation of hydro-resources and, to this end, the Mtera hydro scheme is now under construction, financed by the World Bank and the Kuwait Fund, among others. However, for the purpose of the proposed Ruhuhu steel complex, a 300 Mw coal-fired station is planned in an effort to make maximum use of indigenous coal resources.
31. Zambia: A net exporter of electricity since 1974, Zambia is considered self-sufficient. Generation and distribution are under the control of the Zambia Electricity Supply Corporation whose main hydro-stations are at Kafue Gorge, Kariba North Bank, and Victoria Falls. During the next plan period, it is proposed to expand rural electrification, extend the national transmission and distribution network, and embark on feasibility studies for new hydro-schemes. Potential hydro-electric resources are estimated at about 4,600 Mw.
32. Zimbabwe: By the end of 1986, Zimbabwe's installed generating capacity will be 2,145 Mw, consisting of the 1,266 Mw Kariba hydro complex (operated by the Central African Power Corporation which is jointly owned by Zimbabwe and Zambia), the Electricity Supply Commission's thermal stations at Hwange (480 Mw), Munyati (113 Mw), Zvishavane (27.5 Mw), and Mutare (16.5 Mw), and the Municipal Electricity Departments of Harare (128 Mw) and Bulawayo (114 Mw).

Additional vast hydro-resources are yet to be tapped, amounting to at least 4,566 Mw, including 2,500 Mw at Mupata Gorge, Devil's Gorge, Batoka, and Kariba South.

Ferrous scrap

33. Although scrap is not a "natural" resource per se, its importance derives from the fact that it is an important source of iron units, substituting for sponge iron and vice versa. In fact, the growth of the electric furnace process for steelmaking was dictated, in part, by the ready availability of ferrous scrap from industrial manufacturing processes, obsolescent equipment and appliances, and from other steelmaking and fabrication operations. Moreover, the need for process flexibility requires the availability of scrap in addition to sponge iron in arc furnace operations.

34. An accurate scrap inventory of the Eastern and Southern African sub-region has not yet been carried out, although there is a general consensus among steel producers that scrap supply deficiencies are already a fact of life, with no relief in sight. In fact, only in Angola has a scrap planning study been conducted, with the assistance of UNIDO.

In this case, a company, - SUCANOR, - has been established to collect, classify and press both ferrous and non-ferrous scrap for use by local industries. SUCANOR commenced operations in February 1985, and by May was producing ferrous scrap at the rate of 1,000 tonnes per month. Total production in 1985 is projected to be 6,000 tonnes, rising to 10-12,000 tonnes in 1986, 20,000 tonnes in 1987, and 25,000 tonnes per year from 1988-94. After 1995, an annual production of 50,000 tonnes per year is envisaged.

35. Mention should also be made of the ship-breaking activities carried out in Mauritius for the purpose of generating scrap for the export market. In spite of constraints imposed by available berthing and processing facilities, annual scrap production is now running at about 4,000 tonnes. It is planned to increase capacity substantially with a view to attaining 100,000 tonnes per year in the not too distant future.

36. Concerning the sub-region's scrap generation capability, it is to be noted that the rate is determined, in part, by the economic health of the sub-region (or a particular country) in general, and of the engineering

and metalworking sub-sector in particular. Accordingly, insofar as the engineering industries are under-developed in the sub-region, coupled with the fact that the economies of the various countries have been depressed since about 1982, it stands to reason that the aggregate scrap generation rate has remained low.

In the absence of objective studies of the scrap sources in the various countries of the sub-region, the following are indicative and educated guesstimates of the annual scrap generation rates for some of the countries in the sub-region, exclusive of "home" scrap generated and consumed by operating steel plants:

Angola	-	6,000 tonnes (1985 target)
Botswana	-	1,500 tonnes
Burundi	-	1,000 tonnes
Ethiopia	-	5,000 tonnes
Kenya	-	25,000 tonnes
Lesotho	-	700 tonnes
Madagascar	-	1,500 tonnes
Malawi	-	750 tonnes
Mauritius	-	4,000 tonnes
Mozambique	-	3,000 tonnes
Rwanda	-	1,000 tonnes
Somalia	-	2,500 tonnes
Swaziland	-	2,500 tonnes
Tanzania	-	10,000 tonnes
Uganda	-	3,500 tonnes
Zambia	-	10,000 tonnes
Zimbabwe	-	<u>50,000 tonnes</u> (Est.)
Total		127,950 tonnes

ANNEX V

Indirect steel consumptionIntroduction

1. Indirect steel consumption refers to the the consumption of steel contained in final composite products as distinct from consumption of the basic steel products dealt with in this study. Clearly, there is an input/output relationship between the two forms of consumption; Basic steel products are needed to produce products involving indirect consumption of steel.
2. One major factor increasing the demand for basic steel in the sub-region is the replacement of imported products containing steel by local production. The process whereby this takes place is a complex one, involving prominently the growth and development of the engineering sector, for which detailed data from the region is scarce.
3. This annex represents an attempt to shed some light on the process by focussing on the import and export of engineering sector products. Finally the estimate of steel contained in a selected range of imported products is commented upon.

Imports of engineering industry goods

4. Table A.V.1 contains the imports of engineering industry products to those PTA member countries for which data were available. The latest year for which data existed is indicated. The figures represent the imports to the countries as classified under SITC categories 69 (metal manufactures NES) and 7 (machinery and transport equipment). From the table it can be seen that engineering industry products constitute a significant proportion of total imports ranging from 22.2 per cent (Mauritius) to 40 per cent (Zambia). The relatively low figure for Mauritius can be explained by the fact that it also has to import the major portion of its food requirements, while the high proportion of Zambia finds its explanation in this country's capital goods and spare parts requirements for the mining industry.

5. Further details on the composition of imports of engineering industry products are given in tables A.V.2 (value) and A.V.3 (percentage breakdown). Comparability of the figures is, however, limited due to the fact that the individual countries use for their import statistics non-comparable formats, namely revision 1 (breakdown into 4 categories) and revision 2 (breakdown into 9 categories) of SITC. Accordingly, only countries with the same format can be compared directly.

Table A.V.1: Total imports and imports of engineering industry products to PTA member countries^{1/}

(thousand US \$)

Country	Latest year for which data were available	Imports of engineering industry products	Total imports	Share of engineering industry products in total imports (percentage)
Burundi	1980	46,806	167,224	28.0
Ethiopia	1980	227,008	721,367	31.5
Kenya	1979	948,554	2,390,095	39.7
Madagascar	1980	783,926	2,589,939	30.3
Malawi	1980	264,907	676,477	39.2
Mauritius	1977	110,507	498,372	22.2
Rwanda	1977	35,746	113,953	31.4
Tanzania	1980	467,833	1,211,386	38.6
Zambia	1978	251,396	628,311	40.0
Zimbabwe	1979	234,459	939,819	25.0

Source: 1981 Yearbook of International Trade Statistics, United Nations, 1983.

^{1/} Selected countries according to availability of data.

6. In the case of countries using revision 1 of SITC the most important category is non-electrical machinery (No. 71) with the exception of Burundi and Rwanda where metal manufactures NES (No. 69) and transport equipment (No. 73), respectively, has a higher share. The shares of category No. 71 lie in the 40 to 50 per cent range except for Burundi (28 per cent) and Rwanda (20 per cent). Transport equipment follows in second place (except in the cases of Burundi, Mauritius and Rwanda) with shares around the 30 per cent range (Rwanda: 40 per cent; Mauritius: 15 per cent). Electrical machinery (No.72) generally is in third place.
7. As to countries using revision 2 of SITC which allows a more detailed breakdown the most important item is road vehicles (No. 78) in most cases (exception: Madagascar where it is second placed). Of importance are also No. 72, machines for special industry; No. 69, metal manufactures

Table A.V.2: Breakdown of capital goods imports by country
(thousand US dollars)

Country	Year	Total import of capital goods	S I T C										
			69	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	
Burundi ⁺	(1980)	46,806	13,420	12,911	7,791	12,684							
Ethiopia ^a	(1980)	227,008	25,738	7,452	65,546	2,954	14,969	2,327	8,551	18,377	73,568	3,527	
Kenya ⁺	(1980)	783,926	58,573	333,785	110,140	281,439							
Madagascar ^a	(1980)	264,907	35,901	14,760	63,516	3,880	37,524	3,560	11,520	22,083	56,624	15,540	
Malawi ^a	(1980)	167,987	19,701	7,618	18,228	1,022	17,881	1,471	11,242	26,761	44,081	19,984	
Rwanda ⁺	(1977)	35,746	8,960	6,983	5,838	13,964							
Uganda ⁺	(1976)	50,249	7,927	20,208	8,398	13,671							
Tanzania ⁺	(1980)	467,833	38,552	224,267	64,642	140,372							
Zambia ⁺	(1978)	251,396	25,590	105,997	49,465	70,345							
Zimbabwe ⁺	(1979)	234,459	17,265	110,126	43,959	63,011							

Key to SITC categories

<u>SITC (Rev 2)</u>		<u>SITC (Rev 1)</u>	
^a 69	- Metal manufactures NES	+ 69	- Metal manufactures NES
70	- Power generating equipment	71	- Machinery non-electric
72	- Machines for special industry	72	- Electrical machinery
73	- Metalworking machinery	73	- Transport equipment
74	- General industrial machinery NES		
75	- Office machines ADP equipment		
76	- Telecommunications, sound equipment		
77	- Electrical machinery NES etc.		
78	- Road vehicles		
79	- Other transport equipment		

Source: 1981 Yearbook of International Trade Statistics (UN 1983).

Table A.V.3: Breakdown of capital goods imports by country
(per cent)

Country	Year	S I T C									
		69 %	71 %	72 %	73 %	74 %	75 %	76 %	77 %	78 %	79 %
Burundi ⁺	(1980)	28.7	27.6	16.6	27.1						
Ethiopia*	(1980)	11.3	3.28	28.9	1.3	6.59	1.02	3.76	8.09	32.4	1.55
Kenya ⁺	(1980)	7.47	42.6	14.0	35.9						
Madagascar*	(1980)	13.5	5.51	23.9	1.46	14.2	1.34	4.35	8.34	20.9	5.87
Malawi*	(1980)	11.7	4.53	10.8	0.6	10.6	0.87	6.69	15.9	26.2	11.9
Mauritius ⁺	(1978)	15.6	44.9	24.9	14.5						
Rwanda ⁺	(1977)	25.1	19.5	16.3	39.1						
Tanzania ⁺	(1980)	8.24	47.9	13.8	30.0						
Zambia ⁺	(1978)	10.2	42.2	19.7	27.9						
Zimbabwe ⁺	(1979)	7.36	46.9	18.7	26.9						

Key to SITC categories

<u>SITC (Rev 2)</u>		<u>SITC (Rev 1)</u>	
* 69	- Metal manufactures NES	+ 69	- Metal manufactures NES
70	- Power generating equipment	71	- Machinery non-electric
72	- Machines for special industry	72	- Electrical machinery
73	- Metalworking machinery	73	- Transport equipment
74	- General industrial machinery NES		
75	- Office machines ADP equipment		
76	- Telecommunications, sound equipment		
77	- Electrical machinery NES etc.		
78	- Road vehicles		
79	- Other transport equipment		

Source: 1981 Yearbook of International Trade Statistics (UN 1983).

NES; No. 74, general industrial machinery NES; No. 27, electrical machinery; and No. 73, metal-working machinery. Of little important are power generating equipment (No. 7), office machines (No. 75), telecommunication equipment (No. 76) and transport equipment (No. 78) with the exception of Malawi.

8. A major item of imports of engineering industry products are spare parts and components. It is estimated that the annual demand of spare parts and components of the PTA member countries is at least in the order of magnitude of US \$1 billion based on an overall annual demand of sub-Saharan African countries of US \$5 billion. The lack of availability of these items due to foreign exchange constraints has been identified as a major cause of reduced capacity utilization in many PTA member countries. An improved availability of spare parts through their local/regional production and the reduction of foreign exchange requirements for purchases outside the region as well as the fact that parts and components generally can be produced in relatively small lot sizes should enhance their production within the region. Furthermore, the entry of small and medium scale industries within the region into the field of engineering industries would receive additional scope.

Exports of engineering industry goods

9. Most of the imports of engineering industry products goes into domestic consumption as exports of these products are marginal, as shown in tables A.V.4 (total exports and engineering industry product exports), A.V.5 (value of engineering industry product by SITC category industry product exports) and A.V.6 (percentage breakdown of engineering industry product exports by SITC category). Exports of engineering industry products achieved in no country a level above 0.1 per cent (except Zimbabwe with 0.3 per cent) of imports of the same goods in any of the countries considered (those countries mentioned in tables A.V.1, A.V.2 and A.V.3 but not mentioned in tables A.V.4, A.V.5 and A.V.6 did not have exports. Furthermore, the statistics give no indication whether exports consisted of locally manufactured or transit or re-exported goods. The highest share of engineering industry product exports of total exports registers Zimbabwe with 4.0 per cent, followed by Kenya (3.8 per cent), Malawi (3.6 per cent) and Mauritius (3.4 per cent). These insignificant export figures reflect the lack of comparative advantage of African countries in the production of engineering industry products and the low degree of specialization of the engineering industries.

10. Exports of Kenya consisted mainly of transport equipment (40 per cent) followed by metal manufactures (25 per cent), non-electric machinery (23 per cent) and electric machinery (12 per cent). Mauritius exports mainly electrical machinery (88 per cent), Malawi - machines for special industry (41 per cent and road vehicles (35 per cent), Madagascar - transport equipment (88 per cent). Zimbabwe shows, like Kenya, relatively diversified exports of engineering industry products with a share of metal manufactures of 37 per cent, electrical machinery (25 per cent) non-electrical machinery (23 per cent) and transport equipment (14 per cent).

Table A.V.4: Total exports and engineering industry product exports of selected PTA member countries
(in thousand US \$)

Country	Latest year for which data were available	exports of engineering industry products	Total exports	Share of engineering industry products in total exports
Kenya	1980	52,805	1,389,000	3.8
Madagascar	1980	8,608	386,517	2.2
Malawi	1980	10,256	285,148	3.6
Mauritius	1978	110,507	325,759	3.4
Rwanda	1977	210	91,665	0.2
Tanzania	1980	4,128	527,666	0.8
Zambia	1978	2,510	869,217	0.3
Zimbabwe	1979	45,483	1,128,835	4.0

Source: 1981 Yearbook of International Trade Statistics.

11. Many questions, however, remain to be answered regarding the export data recorded in these tables. In particular, more research is needed in order to establish the reasons behind capital goods exports where these are relatively substantial. In many cases presumably foreign capital and foreign technology have provided the basis for production and trade in capital goods, but even here it would be desirable to examine the extent of indigenous capabilities. Similarly, it would be of great interest to identify any locally-owned firms that are imitating, modifying and adapting foreign machinery for local markets and for exports, as has occurred in other developing countries. Furthermore, it is important to analyse the impact of government trade and incentive policies on the activities of the local capital goods sector. Such information would facilitate a more enlightening interpretation of the trade data that has been summarized here.

Table A.V.5: Breakdown of capital goods exports, by SITC category, by country
(thousand US \$)

Country	Latest Year	Total export of capital goods	Division									
			69	7	71	72	73	74	76	78	79	
Kenya ⁺	(1980)	52,805	13,128	39,677	12,254	6,143	21,279					
Madagascar*	(1980)	8,606		8,606								7,570
Malawi*	(1980)	10,256		10,256	79	4,174			860		3,589	825
Mauritius ⁺	(1978)	11,209		11,209	1,009	9,843						
Rwanda ⁺	(1977)	210		210				210				
Tanzania ⁺	(1980)	4,128	1,207	2,921		2,698						
Zambia ⁺	(1978)	2,510		2,510								
Zimbabwe ⁺	(1979)	45,483	16,788	28,695	10,589	11,539	6,376					

Key to SITC categories

<u>SITC (Rev 2)</u>			<u>SITC (Rev 1)</u>		
* 69	-	Metal manufactures NES	+ 69	-	Metal manufactures NES
7	-	Machines and transport equipment	7	-	Machines and transport equipment
70	-	Power generating equipment	71	-	Machinery non-electric
72	-	Machines for special industry	72	-	Electrical machinery
73	-	Metalworking machinery	73	-	Transport equipment
74	-	General industrial machinery NES			
75	-	Office machines ADP equipment			
76	-	Telecommunications, sound equipment			
77	-	Electrical machinery NES etc.			
78	-	Road vehicles			
79	-	Other transport equipment			

Source: 1981 Yearbook of International Trade Statistics (UN 1983).

Table A.V.6: Breakdown of capital goods exports, by SITC category, by country
(per cent)

Country	Latest Year	Total capital goods exports								
		69	7	71	72	73	74	76	78	79
Kenya ⁺	(1980)	24.86	75.14	23.21	11.63	40.29				
Madagascar*	(1980)		100.00							87.94
Malawi*	(1980)		100.00	0.77	40.69		8.39		34.99	8.04
Mauritius ⁺	(1978)		100.00	9.00	87.81					
Rwanda ⁺	(1977)		100.00			100.00				
Tanzania ⁺	(1980)	29.24	70.76		65.36					
Zambia ⁺	(1978)		100.00							
Zimbabwe ⁺	(1979)	36.91	63.09	23.28	25.37	14.02				

Key to SITC categories

<u>SITC (Rev 2)</u>		<u>SITC (Rev 1)</u>	
* 69	- Metal manufactures NES	+ 69	- Metal manufactures NES
7	- Machines and transport equipment	7	- Machines and transport equipment
70	- Power generating equipment	71	- Machinery non-electric
72	- Machines for special industry	72	- Electrical machinery
73	- Metalworking machinery	73	- Transport equipment
74	- General industrial machinery NES		
75	- Office machines ADP equipment		
76	- Telecommunications, sound equipment		
77	- Electrical machinery NES etc.		
78	- Road vehicles		
79	- Other transport equipment		

Source: 1981 Yearbook of International Trade Statistics (UN 1983).

12. The engineering industry products have different contents of steel. The European Economic Commission has established conversion figures allowing to determine the quantity and value of steel content of different SITC product groups (see Annex VI). The accuracy of figures is such that it permits overall economic and industrial planning as well as the determination of the importance of certain process routes (e.g. milling of flat products) in the pre feasibility stage. The overall accuracy of this calculatory process, however, depends also on the quality of trade statistics. In the case of many PTA member countries these statistics are insufficiently detailed or incomplete.
13. To arrive at figures on indirect steel imports to the PTA member countries the available import statistics were compared with and partly amended by export statistics of major supply countries of engineering industry products. A range of products were chosen by the criterion that it would be within reach for most of the countries to produce them locally over the next decade. The results of this statistical analysis and subsequent application of the conversion factor for steel content of the various product groups are presented by country in Volume II of this study (tables 5) and tables 4.8 and 4.9 in Chapter 4, Volume I.
14. The annual steel imports did decline from approximately 540,000 tonnes in 1981 to approximately 450,000 tonnes in 1983, apparently as a result of poor overall economic performance of the countries of the region and serious constraints on foreign exchange. Countries with the sharpest decline in indirect steel imports were Angola, Kenya and Tanzania, while some countries increased their indirect steel imports in these 3 years (e.g. Ethiopia, Burundi, Rwanda, Somalia). Over the three years 1981-83, the sub-region imported an average annual 490,000 tonnes of steel worth US\$1.7 billion. The SADCC countries' average indirect steel imports amounted to approximately 270,000 tonnes per annum valued of approximately US\$1 billion.
15. The most important single product group for indirect steel imports were road vehicles with a share of 52 per cent (i.e. approximately 260,000 tonnes per year in average), metal structures are in second place with 18 per cent (approximately 86,000 tonnes per annum), followed by agricultural machinery with 6 per cent (approximately 28,000 tonnes per

annum), tanks, vessels, bicycles with 4 per cent (approximately 22,000, 20,000 and 17,000 tonnes per annum respectively). These groups also represent the major portion of potential for import substitution through local or regional production. The accelerated import replacement case (see Annex VI and Chapter 5) assumes that approximately 300,000 tonnes steel contained in these imports can be replaced by local production by 1995.

16. As regards the share of countries in indirect steel imports (Table 4.8) it is noteworthy that Angola has the highest share (12 per cent), followed by Ehtiopia (11 per cent), Kenya and Somalia (10 per cent), Kenya (9 per cent), Mozambique (8 per cent), Zimbabwe (7 per cent), Tanzania and Zambia (6 per cent). It is noteworthy that the two most important countries for indirect steel imports, Angola and Ethiopia, have a very small own engineering industry basis (cf. Table 4 of Annex I) contributing 3.5 or 2.0 per cent, respectively, to their manufacturing value added. Kenya, Zimbabwe and Zambia have on the other hand, a comparatively well advanced engineering industry sector. The fact that Kenya and Zimbabwe also export engineering industry products (see Table 6) permits the conclusion that these 2 countries come among the PTA member countries the closest to the engineering industry pattern of industrialized countries which is characterized by high imports and exports, besides production, of these goods.

ANNEX VI

METHODOLOGY AND ASSUMPTIONS

Demand model

1. Steel consumption forecasting models have normally attempted to relate total crude steel consumption to general economic aggregates such as Gross Domestic Product (GDP). Although such models appear to provide a satisfactory statistical relationship, their prediction value has been poor: their apparently satisfactory performance during the 1960s, when both explained and explanatory variable were growing constantly, now appears to have been somewhat fortitious.
2. For the present study, it was seen as important to develop consumption projections by product group in order for market projections to be relevant to specific projects for re-rolling or finishing plants in various parts of the sub-region. Aggregation of the individual products was finally carried out to provide projections of crude steel requirements, billet requirements and the derived demand for ferrous inputs. The core of the projection methodology however deals with consumption of the individual products (listed e.g. in Table 5.2, Chapter 5). They are generally referred to in the study as "products", "rolled products" or "basic products".
3. Experience and observation suggest that GDP, and GDP per capita are not sufficiently specific explanatory variables to provide useful projections of steel consumption; As measures of total economic activity, these aggregates change in response to factors whose relevance to steel consumption may be peripheral. It was therefore decided to include as an additional explanatory variable, an aggregate which was more directly related to the consumption of specific types of steel; gross capital formation (GCF), for heavy angles, heavy plate, rail track and rail materials; value added in building and construction (ISIC 5) for bars and rods, and value added in the manufacturing sector (ISIC 3) for light angles, light plate, tinned and coated plate, hoop and strip, wire and tubes. This variable is generally referred to as "special explanatory variable".
4. As time series long enough to support such a methodology were not available it was decided to use a cross sectional linear regression analysis. The analysis assumed a link between the explained variable;

apparent steel consumption (ASC)^{1/} and the explanatory variables according to the formula $ASC = a + b \text{ GDP} + c \text{ GDP per capita} + dx$, where x is GCF, ISIC 5, or ISIC 3 depending on the steel item analyzed. To arrive at consumption forecasts, the estimated coefficients a , b , c and d were applied to the alternative forecasts for the explanatory variables (explained below).

5. The underlying idea for the methodology chosen is that the steel consumption of the various sectors will grow and change in response to changes in explanatory variables. Initially, at low development levels, the consumption may be heavily concentrated around reinforcement bars, etc. As the proportion of reinforced concrete structures grows, the fabrication of reinforcing mesh, and structural components in general, will increase. Local assembly of machinery and transport equipment will provide the opportunity for the local metalworking sector to provide components as original equipment, not merely for repair and maintenance.
6. At a certain level, as the metal using industries become more mature, steel intensity will begin to decline. Simple metalworking will be joined by the production of more sophisticated components with higher value added and thus lower steel intensity; eventually the domestic production of electric and electronic components for machinery and transport equipment will further depress the relationship between steel used and value added.
7. The cross sectional analysis chosen assumes that to a particular combination of explanatory variables belongs one and only one level and structure of steel consumption. In other words if, e.g. Malawi by 1995 had grown and developed to have exactly the same combination of explanatory variables as Zimbabwe had in 1981-83, its steel consumption in 1995 would be exactly equal to that of Zimbabwe in 1981-83. The justification for this is that structural differences decrease with economic growth and increasing industrialisation; As the industrial

^{1/} Defined as domestic production + imports - exports. The difference between ASC and "real" consumption is movement in stocks. As steel is relatively easy to stock and as large purchases (imports) carry advantages in terms of discounts and transport costs, considerable movements in stocks and hence in ASC may occur in a single year. This is compensated for in the analysis by using three year averages.

sector grows, economic structures usually become more uniform, the initial diverse emphasis on primary products tends to be obscured by a growing interindustry demand which is normally more similar from country to country. It is clear however, that two countries with equal levels of GDP, population and manufacturing value added may be quite different in economic structure and therefore have different levels and composition of steel consumption. A straightforward application of the projection method above would give an instantaneous change in demand and its composition from the initial one to a "standard" one given the projected levels of explanatory variables. Technically this is reflected in "residuals" or differences between actual steel consumption and the one that can be calculated from the projection equation above, using initial values of explanatory variables. The fact that changes do not take place instantaneously and that countries may over substantial time have consumption structures deviating from a "standard" one have both been catered for in the projections. Firstly, the use of a special regression technique^{1/} allowed for lasting differences in steel consumption structure for countries showing a substantial deviation from standard patterns at the outset. Secondly, for other countries, the residuals referred to above are assumed to be absorbed into the forecast over time, illustrating a gradual adjustment to "standard" consumption patterns.^{2/}

8. It is hoped that this type of steel intensity model, linking individual steel products to specific user sectors, however crude, should provide a more sensitive predictive mechanism than the more general models, which are normally employed.

^{1/} An identifying "dummy variable" was used for the countries Zimbabwe (with an exceptionally well developed economy), Comoros, Djibouti, Seychelles, Swaziland (very small countries with special structure or level of steel consumption), Ethiopia and Tanzania (large countries with special consumption structure).

^{2/} It was assumed that residuals were phased out asymptotically by the formulae:

$y_t = R \cdot 1.17^{1-t}$ where y_t is the remaining residual in year t , R is the residual initially, t is number of years since base period (year 1 = 1982). The coefficient 1.17 is chosen by the criteria that the remaining residual should be eliminated (under 1 per cent of the initial) after 30 years. This would give approximately 33 per cent of the residual remaining in 1990 and approximately 15 per cent in 1995.

The quality of regression results

9. A standard measure for the extent to which the choice of explanatory variables and functional forms are supported by actual data is the multiple correlation coefficient or R^2 . A reasonable common sense explanation of R^2 is that it expresses the per cent of variation in the dependent variable (ASC) which may be explained by the explanatory variables (e.g. 1.00 = 100 per cent and 0.50 = 50 per cent). Table A.VI.1 lists the R^2 by product.

Table A.VI.1: Multiple correlations by product

	<u>R^2</u>
Bars and rods	0.84
Angles, shapes, heavy + medium	0.99
Angles, shapes, light	0.98
Plates, heavy + medium	0.84
Plates, light	0.88
Tinned and coated plate	0.89
Hoop and strip	0.97
Rails and track material	0.88
Wire	0.92
Tubes	0.23
Weighted average ^{1/}	0.85

10. Overall, multiple correlation was high. With the exception of tube consumption which is notoriously hard to predict, the regression equations estimated explain 84 per cent to 99 per cent of the variation in steel consumption. As an illustration of overall explanation a weighted coefficient of 0.85 was arrived at by using the per cent distribution of steel products for the whole sub-region as weights. The reliability of the individual estimated coefficients may be gauged in terms of the probability of non-zero values for the estimates. An

Table A.VI.2: Estimated coefficients with 95 per cent probability of non-zero values

	<u>Coefficient</u>
Bars and rods	b
Angles, shapes, heavy	b
Angles, shapes, light/medium	b, d
Plates, heavy and medium	d
Plates, light	d
Tin and coated plate	d
Hoop and strip	-
Rails and track material	-
Wire	d
Tubes	-

^{1/} Weights equal to the percentage distribution of consumption in 1981-83 (see Table 5.2, Vol. I).

arbitrary but fairly conventional method is to say that estimates are accepted if the probability for a non-zero value exceeds 95 per cent. The use of this criterion (see Table A.VI.2) gives an impression which at first sight appears to deviate from the uniformly high R^2 s as only one of two variables in each equation seem to meet this criterion.

11. This lack of significance for individual coefficients, together with relatively high R^2 s however means that although it is difficult to point out the separate effect on ASC of one single explanatory variable, the group of variables taken together quite successfully explains the variation in apparent steel consumption between countries. As this study aims at projecting ASC and not the influence of individual explanatory variables, the weakness of individual coefficient is therefore less crucial.

Alternative growth forecasts of explanatory variables

12. Considerable attention was paid to the development of forecasts for the explanatory variables GCF, ISIC 5 and ISIC 3, GDP and population. For population, projections by ECA were used. For the other variables the following overall framework was used:
13. A major constraint to economic growth in most of the countries of the sub-region in the short and medium term lies in the balance of payments. The PTA and SADCC are composed of countries at a stage of development where restrictions on import of capital goods and industrial inputs will have a direct negative effect on growth. Although alleviation of import dependence ranks highly among the economic objectives of the countries in the sub-region, balance of payments constraints are likely to affect the rate of economic growth all through the projection period.
14. The model framework used in the analysis takes the balance of payment constraint into consideration by calculating each individual country's capacity to import and by linking the increase in import capacity to real GDP growth. The starting point for macro projections were the most recent government view on economic growth prospects that was obtainable by country missions. In the absence of official plans or forecasts, predictions from other sources (mainly the World Bank) and mission

assessments were used. If the balance of payments projections indicated an import capacity far below or above the forecasted GDP growth, adjustments in the macro variables were made.

15. Prices of main export commodities, the economic situation in main donor countries and the state of international financial markets will have a strong effect on the balance of payments of the countries in the sub-region. This relation between external and domestic development was used to form three alternative sets of macro projections. The base case builds on World Bank commodity price forecasts^{1/} and the macro-economic assumptions which that forecast is based on.

The main assumptions for the 1985-95 period are:

- A real terms GDP growth of 3.3 per cent per annum in industrialized countries and 5.1 per cent per annum for developing countries;
 - The relatively high growth rate would tend to reduce protectionism and lead to higher import by industrialized countries from the developing world;
 - A concomittant increase in the developing countries abilities to repay their external debts;
 - Towards the end of the decade, petroleum prices would again start increasing slowly;
 - The rate of population growth in developing countries would decrease only slightly.
16. Over the last decade, two non-economic factors have had a dramatic effect on economic growth in most of the countries of the PTA sub-region: drought conditions and political and military unrest. The latter has in particular been a problem for the SADCC countries, all of which have suffered from South African destabilization measures.
 17. For the coming decade the base case assumes some improvement in the situation, both with regard to drought and unrest. It was not, however, considered realistic to assume a complete end to unrest early in the coming decade. Although the drought period seems to have come to an end in most countries of the region, it is hardly likely that favourable climatic conditions will prevail in all countries throughout the decade.

1/ World Bank Report No. 814/84: Price Prospects for Major Primary Commodities, Sept. 1984. A list of price assumptions used may be found in Table A.V.4 at the back of this Annex.

18. The high growth case differs from the base case in two ways: Firstly, the development of terms of trade for the countries in the sub-region is assumed to be more favourable than in the base case. Commodity export prices in current terms are assumed 10 per cent higher in 1990 and 20 per cent higher in 1995, whereas the increase in prices of manufactured goods imported into developing countries are kept at roughly the same level as in the base case. Also, the high growth case assumes that higher growth rates in the industrialized countries leads to an increased flow of ODA to African countries.

19. In the low growth case it is attempted against the same external economic background as in the base case, to illustrate the continuation and deepening of political and military unrest in the sub-region, unfavourable climatic conditions, leading to a virtual stagnation of economic growth in the sub-region and for some countries resulting in a decline in per capita GDP.

Additional information on macro-economic assumptions by country can be found under the country sections of Volume II.

Production forecasts

20. The all important determinant for the future development of basic steel production in the region is government policy. In particular, what priority do the various governments attach to increasing steel production and what are the financial and human resources made available to expand production by solving the economic and technical problems of the sector?

21. The importance of policy factors in determining future production means that standard economic projection techniques are difficult to use. The method applied was to assess policies, plans and their implementation to arrive at the two key factors; capacity utilization of existing equipment and installation and utilization of new capacity.

22. On capacity utilization of existing equipment largely a normative approach was used; the overall rolling capacity figures in Table A.II.1 were taken as a starting point. For 1990 a 70 per cent capacity utilization was assumed on the grounds that increase in utilization is a major aim of all governments and that it technically ought to be possible

to reach this level. The distribution between products was assumed to be determined by local demand. Only Zimbabwe and Kenya were assumed to produce other items than bars and light/medium angles. In the case of under supply, it was assumed that the demand for bars and rods would be covered as far as possible and that the demand for angles would be covered by imports. In the case of over supply, some net exports was assumed for each of the two items. For 1995, a 80-90 per cent capacity utilization was assumed.

23. Missions to the various countries took stock of existing plans for capacity expansion (as at mid-85). The results appear in Table A.II.3. The assumed capacity utilizations depend on the starting year as compared to the projection year. High capacity utilization is only assumed to be reached 1-2 years after commissioning of new plant.
24. The gaps emerging between demand projections and the constrained of sub-regional supply of basic steel products were taken as indicators of the need to expand sub-regional production and trade of products as well as crude steel, a main objective being sub-regional self-sufficiency.

Indirect imports

25. As markets and industrial capabilities expand, a structural change in national steel demand is likely to take place. Countries will tend to start local production of the steel-based products formerly imported, in turn giving rise to greater demand for basic steel products. This effect is included in our cross sectional analysis to the extent that such inter-country differences in structure were present in our base period data.
26. To illustrate the point that such structural change is dependent on policies, an alternative projection was prepared, assuming that the initial (1981-83) indirect imports of certain goods would be built down by 30 per cent in 1990 and another 30 per cent in 1995. (See Table 2 in Vol. II). The resulting additional basic steel demand was assumed to be distributed on products according to the key given on page v, Vol. II.
27. Initial indirect imports were estimated using data from UN trade files. Missing country data were filled in by using data from trade partners. As only value figures existed for most countries, quantities in terms of

total import weight was estimated by using import unit values from countries where trade data permitted the calculation of such values. Finally, crude steel content was estimated by using the following coefficients developed by the ECA.

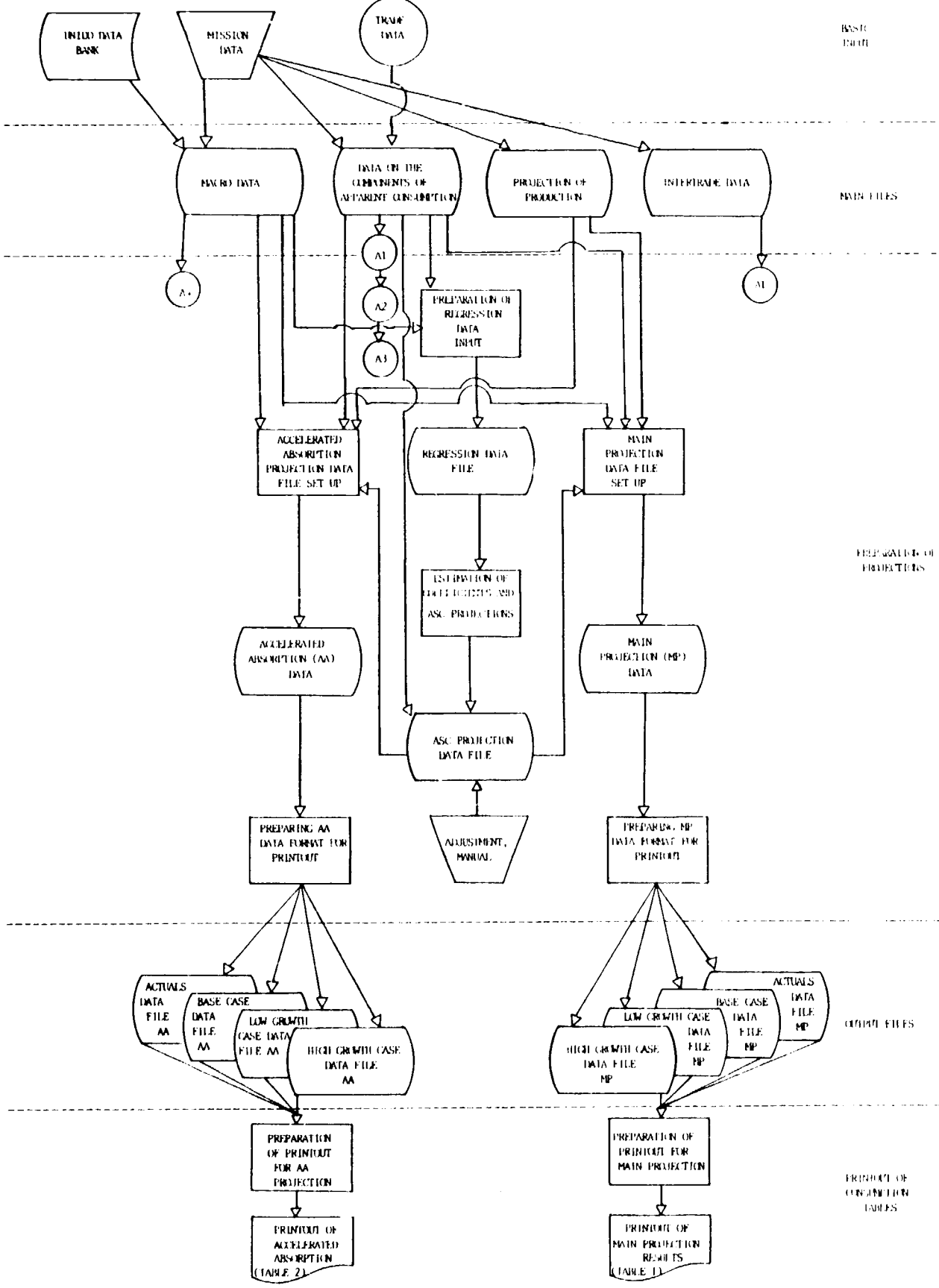
Table A.VI.3: Indirect imports to crude steel conversion coefficients

<u>SITC code</u>	<u>SITC description</u>	<u>Crude steel requirements per tonne of products</u>
691	Metal structures	1.48
692	Tanks, vessels, etc.	1.59
693	Wire products	1.33
694	Nails, nuts, bolts	1.41
695	Hand tools	1.69
696	Cutlery	1.40
697	Domestic utensils	1.08
712	Agricultural machinery, tractors	1.23
725	Domestic electrical equipment	1.00
731	Rail, locomotives, etc.	1.00
732	Road vehicles	1.40
733	Bicycles, etc.	1.20
812	Heating, sanitary	1.50
821	Furniture	1.50

Computational framework

28. When dealing with 20 individual countries and a considerable amount of data for each, attention to data management problems and standardized data handling methods are required. Therefore, data storage and calculations were done on a mainframe computer. The main data files, providing the starting point of analysis, contain about 7,000 data entries originating partly from existing data systems and partly from data collected during missions. Figures A.VI.1 and A.VI.2 illustrate the most important steps involved in arriving at projection results and displaying detailed results and inputs. Input data are displayed in great detail so that it will be possible to check the correctness of input and the plausibility of macro projections. Projection results in direct printout tables are usually given to the nearest tonne. This is however not meant to indicate a corresponding level of accuracy. Analysis and conclusions are "rounded off" to take account of this spurious accuracy. A programming package called Statistical Analysis System (SAS) has been used throughout.

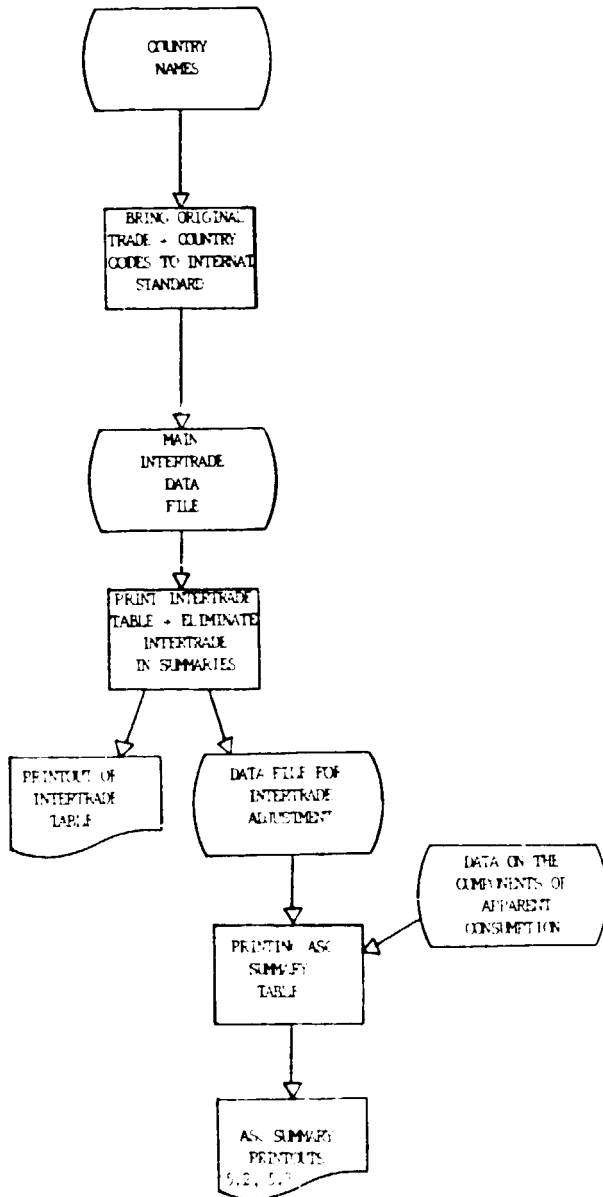
Figure A.VI.1: Main programme sequence



N.B: A1 etc. refers to auxiliary programme sequence, see following pages.

Figure A.VI.2: Auxiliary programme sequence

1. CONSUMPTION SUMMARY, INTERTRADE



2. ESTIMATION OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS

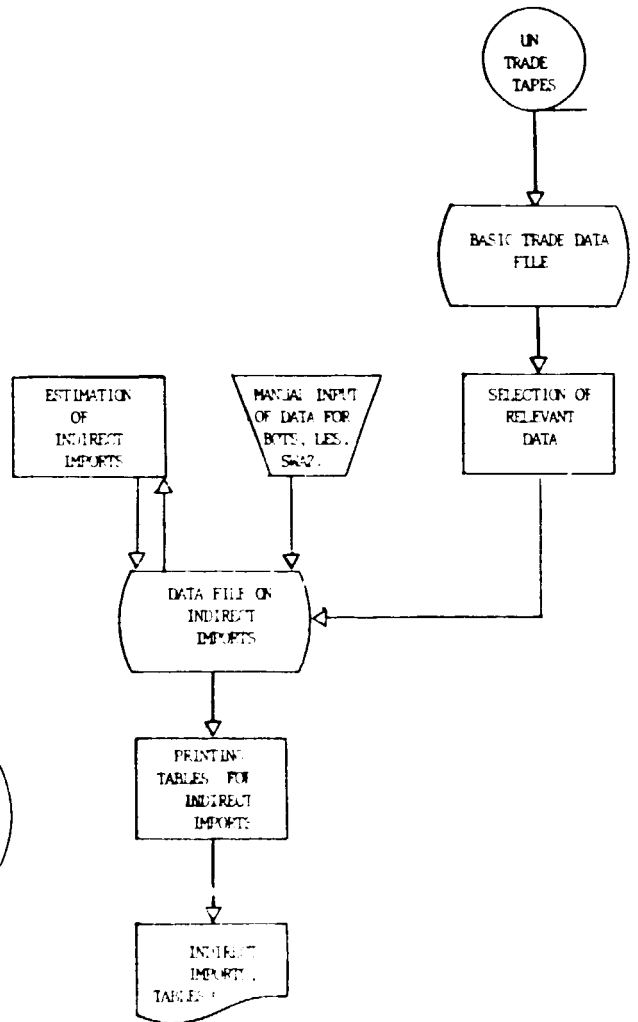
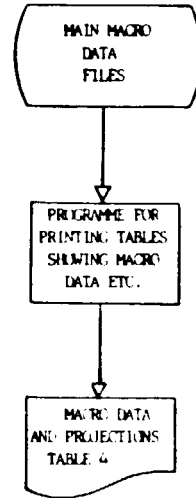
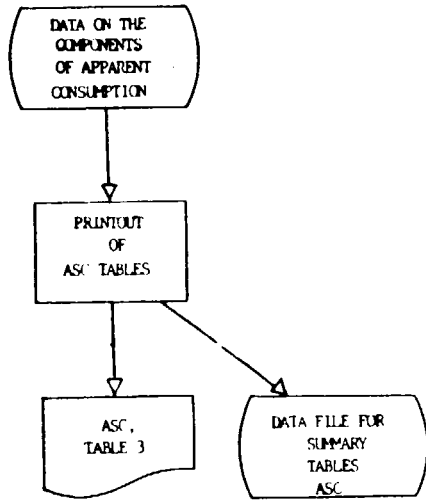


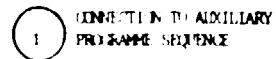
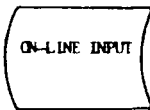
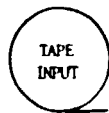
Figure A.VI.2: (continued)

3: APPARENT CONSUMPTION TABLES

4: TABLES ON MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS



LEGEND:



29. The system is set up in such a way that it is easy to adjust inputs, to update and to change various assumptions. If it is considered desirable and feasible in terms of hardware compatibility, the whole system could be transferred to the PTA/SADCC secretariats. It would then constitute a framework for continuous monitoring and ad hoc analysis of the state of the iron and steel sector in the sub-region. Particularly, it would lend itself to the analysis of various national plans and policies in a sub-regional perspective.

Factors affecting the reliability of projections

30. The outcome of any projection will be affected by the choice of method, the statistical basis, assumptions made with regard to explanatory variables, and pure statistical uncertainty.
31. Firstly, the choice of method have been restricted by data availability and by the fact that 20 countries were involved. A careful sector by sector, product by product assessment could not be undertaken. As the consumption of steel in the relatively small economies of the sub-region tends to fluctuate rapidly in response to steel requirements for major development projects, a method taking the requirements of such projects into account would be preferred if the objective was to forecast steel consumption accurately country by country in the short term. This study, however, is occupied with longer term structural changes in the sector and although developed on a country by country basis, the main occupation is with sub-regional demand and its satisfaction.
32. The cross section analysis employed was to some extent dictated by availability of data. The method could be used because there was, in the sub-region, a sufficiently great variation between countries with respect to the variables involved. It is often held that demand projections based on cross section data better reflect structural changes in demand and thus are preferable in long term analysis.
33. Secondly, the statistical basis is affected by the time period for which data were available. 1981 to 1983 is by no means an ideal period, the economies of several countries being severely depressed. However, relatively normal economic circumstances did prevail in some countries of the sub-region (Botswana, Malawi, to a certain extent Zimbabwe). This

would make the underestimation of steel consumption in relation to explanatory variable less severe than would otherwise be the case. If it did occur, this underestimation would give rather low predictions for a period where explanatory variables rose rapidly. As such a rapid rise is not forecast, the downward bias of the projection would be limited.

34. Thirdly, whether the projected levels of explanatory variables will in fact occur, is a separate question. At the time when the general overall assumptions had to be made (late 1985), the present slump in oil prices was not foreseen. A continuation of a depressed oil market would substantially benefit net oil importers which constitute all countries in the sub-region except for Angola. How this would affect steel consumption over our projection period depends mainly on the sectoral pattern of growth and for what period the oil market remains depressed.
35. Experience indicates that a considerable improvement in the external balance will quickly be reflected as an improvement in the balance of government budgets. Plans for major building and construction projects (improvement of physical infrastructure etc.) having been shelved for lack of finance, can be revived and frequently leads to a boom in the construction industry. This would boost the consumption of several steel items but in particular, bars, rods and angles.
36. At present most comments on the oil markets go in the direction that the current extremely low price levels will not last in the longer run. Accepting this argument and given the experience outlined in para 35 above, one may expect a tendency to underestimation of the consumption of bars, rods and angles in the projection for 1990.
37. Fourthly, statistical measures of the reliability of estimated coefficients have been discussed above. Similar remarks apply to the projections based on the coefficients. The use of standard statistical techniques to measure reliability of estimates is made difficult by a certain degree of correlation between explanatory variables, technically referred to as multicollinearity.

Table A.VI.4: Commodity prices and projections in current dollars^{a/}

Commodity	ACTUALS			PROJECTIONS			
	1981	1982	1983	1990		1995	
				A	B-C	A	B-C
ENERGY							
Petroleum	34.3	33.2	29.1	53.6	48.7	95.6	79.7
Coal	57	52	45	77.0	70	120.0	100
FOOD							
Coffee	282	309	290	528	480	826	689
Cocoa	208	174	212	306	279	517	431
Tea	202	193	233	390	355	618	515
Sugar	374	186	187	570	519	835	696
Beef	248	239	244	446	406	678	565
Bananas	401	374	429	535	487	728	607
Oranges	405	385	373	699	583	908	757
Rice	483	293	277	616	560	867	723
Wheat	196	167	170	277	252	394	329
Maize	131	109	136	205	187	298	249
Grain sorghum	126	109	129	198	180	286	239
FATS AND OILS							
Palm oil	571	445	501	998	908	1,417	1,181
Coconut oil	570	464	730	1,147	1,043	1,624	1,354
Groundnut oil	1,043	585	711	1,243	1,130	1,774	1,479
Soyabean oil	507	447	527	1,025	932	1,470	1,225
Soyabeans	288	245	282	468	426	678	565
Copra	379	314	496	743	676	1,053	878
Palm kernels	317	270	362	558	508	792	660
Groundnut meal	238	189	200	332	302	482	402
Soyabean meal	253	219	238	388	353	561	468
NON-FOOD							
Cotton	185	160	185	313	285	463	386
Jute	279	285	300	484	440	715	596
Rubber	125	100	124	249	227	378	315
Tobacco	2,350	2,410	2,242	3,960	3,600	5,724	4,770
TIMBER							
Logs (Lauan)	145	145	133	264	240	396	330
Logs (Sapelli)	213	176	161	326	297	490	409
Sawnwood	314	302	304	526	479	794	627
METALS AND MINERALS							
Copper	1,742	1,480	1,592	2,862	2,602	4,550	3,792
Tin	1,416	1,283	1,299	2,145	1,950	3,180	2,650
Nickel ^{b/}	7,560	7,055	7,055	9,918	9,017	14,768	12,307
Nickel ^{c/}	6,736	5,132	4,802	8,582	7,802	13,620	11,350
Aluminium ^{d/}	1,676	1,676	1,712	2,946	2,679	4,477	3,731
Aluminium ^{e/}	1,338	1,061	1,495	2,701	2,456	4,316	3,597
Lead	727	546	425	962	875	1,449	1,208
Zinc	846	745	764	1,621	1,474	2,385	1,988
Iron ore	24.3	25.9	23.8	39.9	36.3	58.3	48.6
Bauxite	40.0	36.0	34.7		55.2	93.2	77.7
Manganese ore	168	164	152	60.7	229	368	307
FERTILIZERS							
Phosphate rock	50	42	37	81	74	118	99
Urea	216	159	135	454	413	688	574
TSP	161	138	135	309	281	450	375
DAP	195	183	184	526	479	778	649
Potassium Chloride ^{f/}	112	82	75	181	165	265	221

Manufacturing unit value (MUV) index, 1983 = 100
 104.9 103.1 100.0 165.0 165.0 220.8 220.8

Source: World Bank, Economic Analysis and Projections Department, Commodity Studies and Projections Division: "A" projections are arrived at using 10 per cent higher price in 1990 and 20 per cent in 1995 except in the case of Manufacturing unit value index.

a/ Computed from unrounded data. b/ Canadian producer price

c/ Merchant market price (dealer price as published by Metals Week)

d/ US Producers' list price.

e/ Transactions price: III shipment to Europe (Representative of free market prices)

f/ Also known as: Muriate of Potash

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Explanation of concepts and tables

Each country section in this volume contains: a map of the country, a short note on macro economic projections and the result of the projection exercise and tables 1 to 5. The purpose of this note is to explain the layout of the tables and the concepts used. It should be read in conjunction with Annex VI of Volume I. Some difference between data presented in tables 1, 2 and 3 are explained at the end of the note.

Table 1: Main projection

The table is divided into four main sections: A - D

Section A: "Macro variables data and base case projections", shows a summary of data (averages 1981- 1983) and projections for the development of three macro variables from 1981-83 to 1990 and from 1990 to 1995. For example, for Angola the average GDP over 1981-1983 was US \$2,706 million at 1975 prices. In the base case, this was assumed to increase to US \$3,000 million in 1990 and US \$3,650 million in 1995. The population average for 1981-83 was 7.5 million, expected to increase to 9.2 million in 1990 and to 10.6 million in 1995. GDP per capita was US \$361 (at 1975 prices) as average for 1981-83, expected to decline to US \$326 in 1990 and increase to US \$344 in 1995.

The columns headed "Growth rates pct. p.a." gives per annum compound rates of growth for all macro variables in the two periods, 1981-83 to 1990 and 1990 to 1995. For the first period (with the heading "to 1990"), 1982 is taken as the starting year in percentage calculation. Using the example of Angola, the increase in GDP from US \$2,706 million in 1982 to US \$3,000 million in 1990 is calculated by $\sqrt[8]{3,000/2,706} = 1.01298$ 1.3 per cent per annum.

Section B shows the "Base case projections 1990-1995". For the product groups included in the survey, this section gives apparent consumption (CONS), production (PROD), imports (IMP) and exports (EXP) in the period 1981-83 and main base case projections for the years 1990 and 1995. In the example of Angola apparent consumption of bars and rods (including wire rods) was 9,068 tonnes (metric) as an average for 1981-1983. Consumption is, under the base

case, projected to increase to 16,657 tonnes in 1990 and 23,241 tonnes in 1995. The projection columns (1990, 1995) do not include exports, instead a "net import" column (equal to import minus export) is given. This column is the residual of independent projections of apparent consumption and production. A negative number under "net import" indicates an export potential.

The four rightmost columns give annual compound growth rates. The first two columns give growth rates for the consumption of individual steel items. The two next columns give growth rates of the special explanatory variable used in the demand projection for the product on that line. (See paragraph 3, Annex VI in Volume I). Again, using the table for Angola as an example, the consumption of bars and rods (including wire rods) is projected to increase 7.9 per cent per annum, from 1990 to 1995. (For all percentage calculations over the first period 1982, being the middle point of 1981-83, is taken as the starting year). The special explanatory variable, which in the case of this item was value added in the building and construction sector is projected to grow by 3.0 per cent per annum in the first period and by 4.1 per cent per annum from 1990 to 1995.

The two last lines in section B are entitled "Crude equivalent steel" and "Billet equivalent". To arrive at the former, the need for crude steel (ingot) in order to produce the quantity given to each individual steel item in the column above was calculated. The following conversion coefficients, developed by the ECE were used:

<u>Item name</u>	<u>SITC</u>	<u>Tonnes of crude steel required to produce one tonne of the item</u>
Bars and rods	6730	1,271
Angles, shapes, heavy and medium	6734	1,271
Angles and shapes, light	6735	1,271
Plates, heavy and medium	6740	1,420
Plates, light	6743	1,359
Tinned and coated plate	6749	1,359
Hoop and strip	6750	1,228
Rails and railtrack materials	6760	1,300
Wire	6770	1,319
Tubes	6780	1,470

Billet equivalent was calculated by using a conversion factor of 1.172 between billets and crude steel.

Using the Angola tables as an example, the calculated 1981-1983 crude steel production equivalent of 2825 is arrived at by taking production of bars and rods in that column and multiplying by the relevant coefficient. $2223 \times 1,271 = 2825$. Similarly the crude requirement for local production in 1990 is $(17000 \times 1,271) + (2000 \times 1,271) = 24149$. The corresponding Billet equivalents are arrived at by dividing the crude tonnages by 1.172. For 1981-83, $2825 \times 1.172 = 2411$ for 1990, $24149 \times 1.172 = 20605$.

Because of projected changes in the composition of consumption, growth rates of "Totals" which is the simple adding up of individual items and "Crude" or "Billets" equivalents come out slightly different. In the case of Angola, growth rates of the equivalents are slightly lower because of the relatively high proportion in total consumption and rapid growth of items 6730, 6734, 6735 which require relatively less crude steel (billets) per tonne of product.

It should be noted that "equivalents" are calculated for illustrative purposes only. The actual demands for billets and crude steel are constrained by rolling capacity and billet making capacity and are dealt with in Chapter 5 of Volume I.

Section C gives summary results of the projections based on higher growth of GDP and the "special" variable. The line of "Crude equivalents" is based on the same concept and arrived at in the same way as the similar line under Section B.

The other lines in this section give the macro assumptions used under this alternative in terms of annual compound growth rates which may be compared to the base case growth rates given under "Growth rates pct.p.c." under section A and the "Per cent growth in macro variables under section D.

For section D: "Low growth case projections 1990 and 1995" the layout and concepts used are exactly the same as for section C.

Table 2: Projection with accelerated replacement of indirect steel imports

The tables and concepts in this table are largely the same as for Table 1 explained above. The difference lies in the assumption made about the extent to which the countries manage to produce locally (downstream) products with an iron and steel content which were imported in the base period. In the projections given in Table 1, the method applied implicitly assumes that the gradual replacement of indirect import takes place as indicated by the experience represented in the sample of countries. To exemplify: the result of the regression analysis will take account of the replacement of indirect imports which data indicate, would result if a country grew from an initial size and structure resembling Lesotho's to one more like Zimbabwe's.

The "accelerated replacement case" is meant to illustrate a development with special measures taken to promote the local production of presently imported products containing steel. A crude assumption has been made: in 1990 an additional 30 per cent of the indirect imports (of the products listed in Table 4.10, Volume I) is assumed to materialize as direct steel consumption and in 1995 another 30 per cent. By 1995 then, it is assumed that 60 per cent of what was imported in 1981-83 of these steel-containing products will be produced locally. Again, using Angola as an example, the 1981-83 average indirect imports was 59,111 tonnes. Thirty per cent of this, or 17,733 tonnes is the difference between the 1990 total consumption under "accelerated replacement" (Table 2) and the 1990 total without "accelerated replacement" (Table 1).

The total additional demand for steel products resulting from accelerated replacement is broken down by product according to the following key, derived from the composition of consumption projected in 1990.

<u>SITC item</u>	<u>Per cent of total additional direct consumption</u>
6730	26.6
6734	6.6
6735	10.7
6740	6.5
6743	19.1
6749	16.2
6750	1.8
6760	2.6
6770	5.6
6780	4.3
Total	100.0

In Angola, e.g., bars and rods consumption was projected at 16657 at 1990. The difference between this and the counterpart figure under "accelerated development" 21374 is 4717 which is 26.6 per cent of the total of 17733 as calculated above.

Table 3 is divided in two sections. The upper section entitled A) "Components of apparent steel consumption by product (tonnes)" gives the complete base data used for the calculation of apparent consumption averages (the column APP CONS, AV 81-83). In Angola, e.g., the imports of Bars and rods (SITC 6732) in 1981 was 2,199 tonnes; in 1982, 2,515 tonnes and in 1983, 7,909 tonnes and the average for the period $(2,199 + 7,909)/3 = 4,208$.

The average imports of Bars and rods together with the 1981-83 average for production make up average apparent steel consumption (ASC) $(4,208 + 2,223 = 6,431)$. Exports of which Angola had none would have been deducted from the total.

Section B entitled "Demand/Supply balances for rolled products and ferrous metals" gives in sub-section A the calculation of ASC for each of the years 1981, 1982 and 1983 and the average for the three years. Note that the fourth line of that sub-section gives net imports (imports - exports).

In sub-section B, an attempt is made to look at a more complete picture of the origin of ferrous materials (metallics) consumed in the country by year and as an average for 1981-1983. The common denominator is crude steel weight. The conversion factors listed under the explanation of Table 2 above were applied to basic product tonnages. Using the example of Angola 1981, the table should be interpreted as follows:

The total crude equivalent of ferrous materials consumption for the year 1981 was 168,334 tonnes of which 166,031 was net imported and 2,302 came from local sources. (In all other cases than Zimbabwe raw materials from local sources would be scrap). Net import can be further broken down into ferrous materials for smelting (874). Net imports of billets (9), Net imports of rolled products (65292) and Indirect imports (99856). Supplies from "local sources" is calculated as the total of products rolled from billets, re-

calculated to crude equivalents minus imported materials for smelting and minus imported billets. This figure may be compared with estimated annual local scrap generation (sub-section C) to give an impression of how much of the locally generated scrap is used. A negative figure for "C" may be due to imports of scrap or billets which were not used for steelmaking or may be the result of inaccuracies in conversion coefficients, trade data or production data. Supply from local sources greatly exceeding estimated scrap generation may be due to similar statistical deficiencies and/or to the rundown of stocks of scrap.

Table 4 contains "Macro data and projections" used in the steel demand forecasting exercise. The table has three sections: the first (GDP and population) section contains national accounts aggregates and population.

The middle section of the table gives balance of payment figures, mostly in current national currency terms (exchange rates as in 1983). Balance of payments projections are used as a check on the reasonableness of the national accounts projections in the upper part of the table. A key variable is the capacity to imports. This is calculated as exports + other current items + net inflows of official development assistance + long term capital inflows - accumulation of reserves (the latter includes errors and omissions).

Lesotho and Swaziland which have currencies circulating parallel with the South African Rand and being backed by that currency do not have a balance of payments problem in the traditional sense and the projections for these countries have therefore been dropped.

The lower section of the table gives annual compound growth rates for GDP and population for 1982, 1983 and for the base case projections between the base period and 1990, and between 1990 and 1995.

Table 5: Estimated indirect steel imports, 1981-1983 and averages

This table contains estimates of values and quantities of the most important indirect steel imports where there could be a relatively high degree of replacement by local production over the next decade. Values reflect total cif import values for the product groups included, not only the value of steel content. Quantities (tonnes) reflect the estimated content of crude steel,

not the total weight of imports. For Angola, e.g., the import of metal structures in 1981 had a total value of about US\$36.3 million, (current prices) and the calculated crude steel content was 21,234 tonnes. The average import of metal structures for the three years 1981-1983 had a value of US \$26.1 million and a crude steel content of 16,057 tonnes constituting 27 per cent of total indirect steel imports to Angola over the period.

Estimates were based on UN trade data giving values of imports. The import value of several countries which had not reported their trade for one or more of the years in question were estimated by using the reported export figures for countries which had reported.

To arrive at total import tonnages, overall import unit values for each product group was estimated by using import statistics from those countries of the sub-region which had reported values and quantities. Total import weights calculated by applying these unit values were converted to crude steel content by using coefficients developed from a similar exercise by the ECA. For the countries Botswana, Lesotho and Swaziland, whose trade is reported together with that of South Africa in international statistics, it was impossible to use the method described above. Independent estimates have, therefore, been made. It was not possible however to break the total estimate down by product group. Totals for these countries are therefore shown under road vehicles, leading to a certain over-estimation of that item in subregional tables.

A note on differences between data in tables 1, 2 and 3

1. Differences in classification

Differences in classification of steel items between the various sources of statistics (trade data and production data) and between countries made it necessary to add up certain items for the purpose of projections where a uniform classification was needed. The following aggregations were made:

<u>From</u>		<u>To</u>	
<u>Original item</u>	<u>SITC</u>	<u>Aggregate item</u>	<u>SITC</u>
Wire rods	6731	Bars and rods	6730
Bars and rods	6732		
Plates, Heavy	6741	Plates Heavy and Medium	6740
Plates, Medium	6742		
Tinplate	6747	Tin and Coated plate	6749
Other coated plate	6748		
Rails	6761	Rails and materials	6750
Other railway tracks	6762		
Seamless tube	6782	Tubes	6780
Welded tubes	6783		

Note that the SITC codes in the right-hand column above do not tally with the standard SITC classification. For completeness and to allow checking by individual countries, the base data is nevertheless presented in the most disaggregated way in the tables of "Apparent steel consumption".

2. Adjustment for double counting in totals

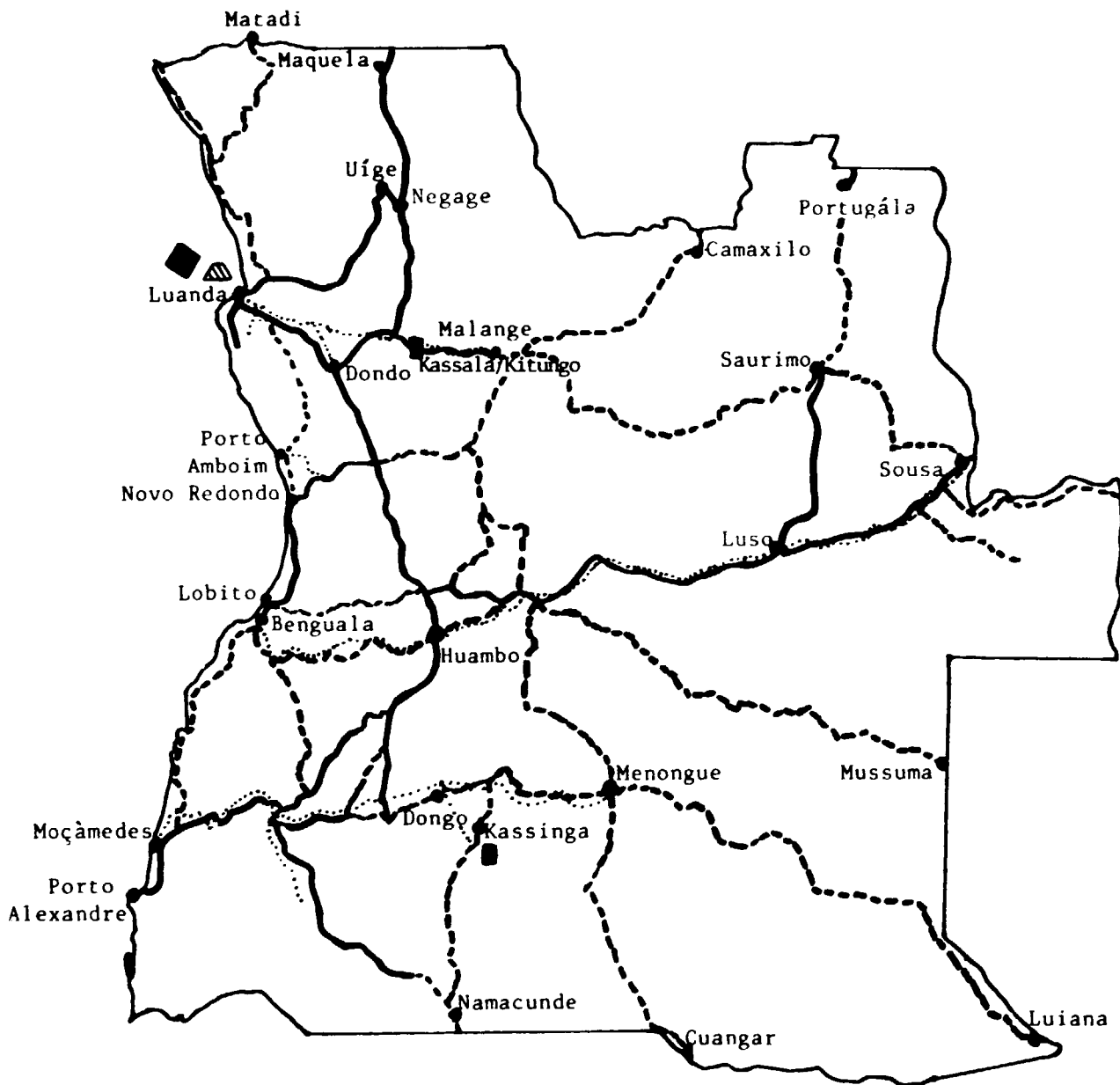
Some of the products included in the study can be produced from other (also included) products. Light, coated and tinned plate may be produced from heavier plate, welded tubes from plate and wire from wire rod. If both inputs (e.g. wire rod), either produced in the country or imported, and final products (e.g. wire) are included in the total for the production columns, double counting will result. As it was considered important to show production totals which in terms of steel weight did not exaggerate total apparent consumption, but at the same time produce a correct apparent consumption figure by item, the following approach was taken: Production of light plate in the sub-region is negligible and therefore presents no problem; all items consumed are imported. Production of wire and welded tubes were excluded from totals of the production columns, but included for the calculation of apparent consumption of these items (the right hand column). In Table 3, the

individual items in the columns for "production" and for "apparent consumption" will therefore not always add up to the totals shown. As it was found that the effect of such double counting was small with regard to total production and consumption, similar adjustments were not made in the tables showing projection results.

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Macro economic projections for Angola are extremely difficult to make. The basic statistics are hard to obtain, there are major uncertainties regarding the price of oil, which constitutes 80-90 per cent of the country's exports, and military action going on in the country may have damaging effects on production.

Considering an annual 2.7 per cent fall in GDP from 1980 to 1983 and the decline in oil prices taking place early 1968 the GDP growth forecast at 1.3 per cent must be said to be optimistic. It is based on a healthy growth in the manufacturing sector. The faster growth in GDP of 4 per cent from 1990 to 1995 will require an improvement in oil prices.

The forecast for steel consumption growth shows an annual increase somewhat in excess of GDP for both periods, with generally higher increases for those types of steel most heavily used for manufacturing/engineering purposes. The decline in consumption of tubes and pipes is caused by the high recorded importation in 1981-1983 of piping for the oil industry. It is assumed that consumption reverts to a more normal level in the following years. The decline in hoop and strip consumption is due to a comparatively high initial (1981-83) level which will normalize over the years.

ANGOLA TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
2706	7.5	361	3000	9.2	326	3650	10.6	344	1.3	4.0	2.6	2.9	-1.3	1.1

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983		1990				1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE						
PRODUCT NAME	SITC	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	RATES TO 1990	RATES TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	9068	2223	6844	0	16657	17000	-343	23241	24000	-759	7.9	6.9	3.0	4.1
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	307	.	307	.	911	0	911	1262	0	1262	14.6	6.7	2.1	3.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1301	0	1301	.	1998	2000	-2	3109	3500	-391	5.5	9.2	5.4	6.2
PLATES, H. + M	6740	3354	0	3354	0	3564	0	3564	4098	0	4098	0.8	2.8	2.1	3.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3137	0	3137	.	5429	0	5429	8698	0	8698	7.1	9.9	5.4	6.2
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1335	0	1335	0	3794	0	3794	6392	0	6392	13.9	11.0	5.4	6.2
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1641	0	1641	0	998	0	998	925	0	925	-6.0	-1.5	5.4	6.2
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	836	0	836	.	1378	0	1378	1795	0	1795	6.4	5.4	2.1	3.2
WIRE	6770	393	0	393	.	1690	0	1690	2856	0	2856	20.0	11.1	5.4	6.2
TUBES	6780	19628	0	19628	0	10325	0	10325	8277	0	8277	-7.7	-4.3	5.4	6.2
TOTALS		41000	2223	38777	0	46743	19000	27743	60653	27500	33153	1.7	5.3		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		56883	2825	54056	0	62887	24149	38738	80825	34952	45872	1.3	5.1		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		48535	2411	46123	0	53658	20605	33053	68963	29823	39140	1.3	5.1		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983		1990				1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95	
CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	56883	2825	54056	0	71603	24149	47454	100686	34952	65734	2.9	7.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES			GDP	POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA					
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990			2.7	2.6			0.1					
1990 TO 1995			5.1	2.9			2.2					

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983		1990				1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95	
CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	56883	2825	54056	0	52109	24149	27960	56844	34952	21892	-1.1	1.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES			GDP	POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA					
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990			-0.5	2.6			-3.0					
1990 TO 1995			2.2	2.9			-0.6					

ANGOLA TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990/1990	POP TO 1990-1990/1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990/1990	P.A. 1990	P.A. 1995	
2706	7.5	361	3000	9.2	326	3650	10.6	344	1.3	4.0	2.6	2.9	-1.3	1.1

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT_NAME	SIIC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION TO 1990-1995		GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	1990	1995	1990	1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	9068	2223	6844	0	21374	17000	4374	32675	24000	8675	11.3	8.9	3.0	4.1
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	307	.	307	.	2081	0	2081	3603	0	3603	27.0	11.6	2.1	3.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1301	0	1301	.	3895	2000	1895	6904	3500	3404	14.7	12.1	5.4	6.2
PLATES, H. + M	6740	3354	0	3354	0	4717	0	4717	6403	0	6403	4.4	6.3	2.1	3.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3137	0	3137	.	8816	0	8816	15472	0	15472	13.8	11.9	5.4	6.2
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1335	0	1335	0	6667	0	6667	12137	0	12137	22.3	12.7	5.4	6.2
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1641	0	1641	0	1317	0	1317	1563	0	1563	-2.7	3.5	5.4	6.2
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	836	0	836	.	1839	0	1839	2717	0	2717	10.4	8.1	2.1	3.2
WIRE	6770	393	0	393	.	2683	0	2683	4842	0	4842	27.1	12.5	5.4	6.2
TUBES	6780	19628	0	19628	0	11087	0	11087	9802	0	9802	-6.9	-2.4	5.4	6.2
TOTALS		41000	2223	38777	0	64476	19000	45476	96119	27500	68619	5.8	8.3		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		56883	2825	54056	0	86346	24149	62197	127744	34952	92792	5.4	8.1		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		48535	2411	46123	0	73674	20605	53069	108996	29823	79174	5.4	8.1		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	56883	2825	54056	0	95064	24149	70915	147607	34952	112654	6.6	9.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.7			2.6			0.1	
1990 TO 1995					5.1			2.9			2.2	

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	56883	2825	54056	0	75570	24149	51421	103763	34952	68811	3.6	6.5
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					-0.5			2.6			-3.0	
1990 TO 1995					2.2			2.9			0.6	

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	3170	2042	2698	2637									2637
BARS AND RODS	6732	2199	2515	7909	4208	2670	1670	2330	2223					6431
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	200	200	520	307									307
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	982	800	2122	1301									1301
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	4645	558	2735	2646									2646
PLATES, MED.	6742	119	749	1255	708									708
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1359	278	7773	3137									3137
TINPLATE	6747	19		218	79									79
OTHER COAT. P	6748	939	2210	620	1256									1256
HOOP AND STRP	6750	2221	1954	748	1641									1641
RAILS	6761	4	1622	8	545									545
OTHER RL TRCK	6762	453	57	365	292									292
WIRE	6770	361	592	227	393									393
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	27869	17327	5514	16903									16903
WELDED TUBES	6783	1556	2814	3805	2725									2725
TOTALS		46096	33718	36517	38777	2670	1670	2330	2223	0	0	0	0	41000

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
A ROLLED PRODUCTS				
APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	48766	35388	38847	41000
OF WHICH:				
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	46096	33718	36517	38777
LOCAL PRODUCTION	2670	1670	2330	2223
B FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
TOTAL	168334	101432	91265	120344
SUPPLIED FROM:				
1 NET IMPORTS	166031	101869	89968	119290
OF WHICH:				
FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	874	1697	1465	1345
NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	9	733	18	253
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	65292	47270	49609	54057
FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	99856	52169	38876	63634
2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	2302	-437	1297	1054
C ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	6000	6000	6000	6000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	7.3	7.5	7.7	9.2	9.2	9.2	10.6	10.6	10.6
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	385.0	357.5	342.2	364.1	326.1	282.6	405.7	344.3	273.6
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	2801.9	2681.3	2634.6	3350.0	3000.0	2600.0	4300.0	3650.0	2900.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	260.8	243.6	232.7	330.0	290.0	270.0	420.0	340.0	300.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	76.5	69.0	67.8	100.0	90.0	80.0	130.0	110.0	90.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	111.7	113.5	112.1	190.0	170.0	140.0	280.0	230.0	160.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BILLION KZ.									
EXPORTS	38.1	32.3	31.6	66.1	59.7	56.1	131.8	110.2	94.4
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-12.7	-6.6	-3.9	-4.0	-4.0	-4.0	-5.0	-5.0	-5.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	1.8	1.8	1.7	4.0	3.0	3.0	5.0	4.0	4.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	6.8	2.0	0.9	2.0	1.0	1.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	11.4	4.2	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	54.4	33.7	29.7	64.1	59.7	56.1	135.8	113.2	97.4
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	2.5	2.5		2.6			2.8		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	-4.3	-1.4		1.9			4.0		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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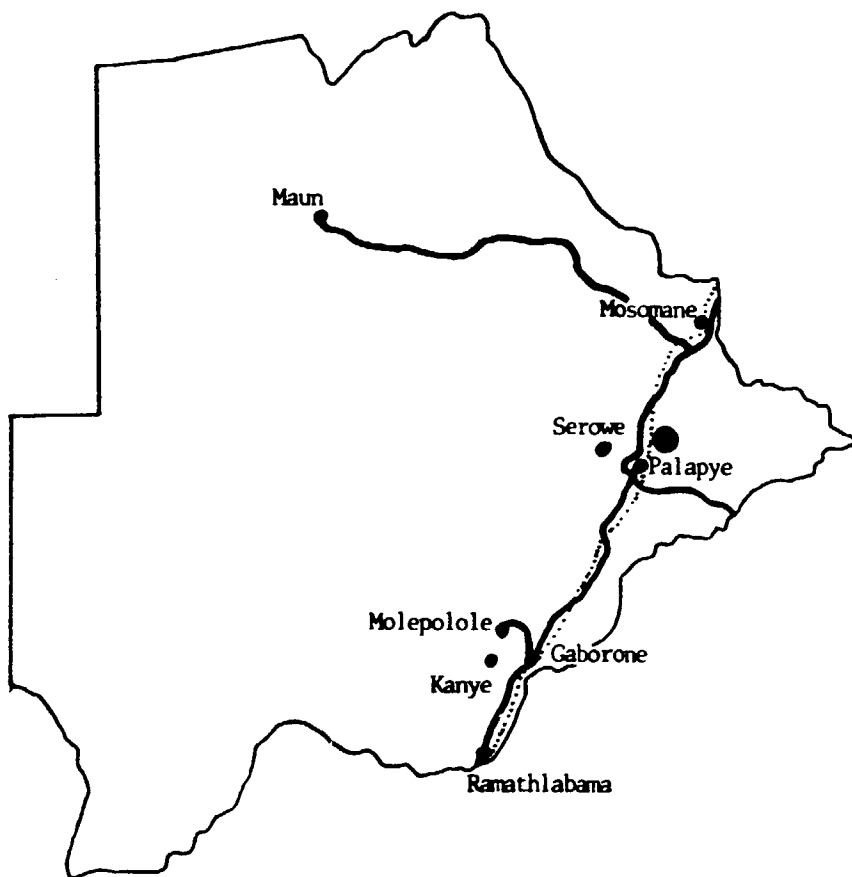
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	36313	21234	23804	12650	18132	14287	26083	16057	27
TANKS. VESSELS. ETC	7825	6455	3016	1636	3113	2057	4651	3383	6
WIRE PRODUCTS	3040	2077	1847	1398	938	806	1942	1427	2
NAILS. NUTS. BOLTS	1732	1022	1520	545	932	228	1395	598	1
HAND TOOLS	18614	2098	5359	753	5081	526	9685	1126	2
CUTLERY	2250	189	679	36	1298	67	1409	97	0
DOM. UTFENSILS	4113	1194	721	115	1385	262	2073	524	1
AGR. MACH. . TRACTORS	18765	5543	11191	2396	4343	582	11433	2840	5
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	6730	1538	933	151	462	72	2708	587	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	4280	2732	11934	3434	7302	2704	7939	2957	5
ROAD VEHICLES	178823	37605	93331	22382	57524	11940	109893	23976	41
BICYCLES ETC.	12582	4649	3955	1119	3952	1418	6830	2395	4
HEATING. SANITARY	6156	1344	1678	369	2178	444	3337	719	1
FURNITURE	18088	4988	4307	1063	4023	1224	8806	2425	4
TOTAL	319311	92668	164275	48047	110963	36617	198183	59111	100

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BOTSWANA

Botswana is a very small economy. The major sectors mining, and cattle farming are very large in relation to the rest of the economy. Therefore changes in investment and production in these sectors will have a major effect on the total economy and lead to apparent dramatic changes in growth rates.

Economic projects are based on the Sixth National Development Plan (NDP6) 1985-1991. The projection rate of 4.8 per cent annually for the period 1985-91, together with the strong increases registered over 1983 and 1984 (15-20 per cent) gives the overall of 6.8 used in the base case. The fall of the population growth rate from the rather high rate of 4.2 per cent per annum to a more normal level of 3.4 per cent per 1990-1995 is as projected by the ECA.

After a rather high level of mining based investment and construction activities in the base period, NDP6 envisages a period where the manufacturing sector becomes increasingly important as a growth factor. This is reflected in steel forecasts by declines in plate demand in the period to 1990 and then increase as the manufacturing sector grows much faster than GDP.

Under the high growth scenario, steel consumption could grow by 4.8 and 7.6 in the periods up to 1990 and 1990-1995 respectively. Under low growth, consumption may actually decline up to 1990 and only increase by 1 per cent to 1995.

BOTSWANA TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
709	0.8	844	1200	1.2	1026	1400	1.4	1014	6.8	3.1	4.2	3.4	2.5	-0.2

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. CONSUMPTION EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990	TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	2743	.	2743	.	8122	0	8122	9856	0	9856	14.5	3.9	-0.6	4.6
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	633	.	633	.	1182	0	1182	1341	0	1341	8.1	2.6	-0.7	1.6
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	2644	.	2644	.	3576	0	3576	4281	0	4281	3.8	3.7	6.1	4.6
PLATES, H. + M	6740	2967	.	2967	.	2571	0	2571	3094	0	3094	-1.8	3.8	-0.7	1.6
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3217	.	3217	.	916	0	916	2051	0	2051	-15	17.5	6.1	4.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	2788	.	2788	.	911	0	911	1870	0	1870	-13	15.5	6.1	4.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	152	.	152	.	507	0	507	600	0	600	16.3	3.4	6.1	4.6
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	861	.	861	.	944	0	944	967	0	967	1.2	0.5	-0.7	1.6
WIRE	6770	259	.	259	.	380	0	380	480	0	480	4.9	4.8	6.1	4.6
TUBES	6780	2492	.	2492	.	4498	0	4498	4706	0	4706	7.7	0.9	6.1	4.6
TOTALS		18755	.	18755	.	23608	0	23608	29246	0	29246	2.9	4.4		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		25336	.	25336	.	31467	0	31467	38939	0	38939	2.7	4.4		
BULLET EQUIVALENT		21618	.	21618	.	26849	0	26849	33225	0	33225	2.7	4.4		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	25336	.	25336	.	36858	0	36858	53237	0	53237	4.8	7.6	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					7.9			4.2			3.5		
1990 TO 1995					4.2			3.4			0.9		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	25336	.	25336	.	24609	0	24609	25892	0	25892	-0.4	1.0	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					4.4			4.2			0.2		
1990 TO 1995					1.0			3.4			-2.3		

BOTSWANA TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
709	0.8	844	1200	1.2	1026	1400	1.4	1014	6.8	3.1	2.5	4.2	3.4	-0.2

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SIIC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. CONSUMPTION EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990-1990	TO 1995-1990	TO 1990-1990	TO 1995-1990
BARS AND RODS	6730	2743	.	2743	.	10041	0	10041	13694	0	13694	17.6	6.4	-0.6	4.6
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	633	.	633	.	1658	0	1658	2293	0	2293	12.8	6.7	-0.7	1.6
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	2644	.	2644	.	4348	0	4348	5825	0	5825	6.4	6.0	6.1	4.6
PLATES. H.+ M	6740	2967	.	2967	.	3040	0	3040	4032	0	4032	0.3	5.8	-0.7	1.6
PLATES. LIGHT	6743	3217	.	3217	.	2294	0	2294	4807	0	4807	-4.1	15.9	6.1	4.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	2788	.	2788	.	2080	0	2080	4207	0	4207	-3.6	15.1	6.1	4.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	152	.	152	.	637	0	637	860	0	860	19.6	6.2	6.1	4.6
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	861	.	861	.	1132	0	1132	1342	0	1342	3.5	3.5	-0.7	1.6
WIRE	6770	259	.	259	.	784	0	784	1288	0	1288	14.8	10.4	6.1	4.6
TUBES	6780	2492	.	2492	.	4808	0	4808	5327	0	5327	8.6	2.1	6.1	4.6
TOTALS		18755	.	18755	.	30823	0	30823	43676	0	43676	6.4	7.2		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		25336	.	25336	.	41012	0	41012	58029	0	58029	6.2	7.2		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		21618	.	21618	.	34994	0	34994	49512	0	49512	6.2	7.2		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	25336	.	25336	.	46402	0	46402	72327	0	72327	7.9	9.3
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990	7.9				4.2			3.5				
1990 TO 1995	4.2				3.4			0.9				

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	25336	.	25336	.	34154	0	34154	44982	0	44982	3.8	5.7
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990	4.4				4.2			0.2				
1990 TO 1995	1.0				3.4			-2.3				

BOTSWANA TABLE 3

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS			PRODUCTION			EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83			
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981		1982	1983	AVER
WIRE RODS	6731													0
BARS AND RODS	6732	3136	2639	2455	2743									2743
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	800	500	600	633									633
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3356	2056	2519	2644									2644
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	3600	2800	2500	2967									2967
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3890	3070	2690	3217									3217
TINPLATE	6747	1940	1530	1350	1607									1607
OTHER COAT. P	6748	1431	1131	982	1181									1181
HOOP AND STRP	6750	118	211	127	152									152
RAILS	6761	1490	489	603	861									861
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	244	353	180	259									259
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	3428	2096	1952	2492									2492
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		23433	16875	15958	18755	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18755

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
A ROLLED PRODUCTS				
APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	23433	16875	15958	18755
OF WHICH:				
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	23433	16875	15958	18755
LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
TOTAL	57889	54885	47200	53325
SUPPLIED FROM:				
1 NET IMPORTS	57889	54885	47200	53325
OF WHICH:				
FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	0	0	0	0
NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	31691	22809	21506	25335
FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	26198	32076	25693	27989
2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	0	0	0
C ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	1500	1500	1500	1500

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

BOTSWANA TABLE 4

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.4
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	739.0	866.3	905.6	1083.3	1000.0	833.3	1142.9	1000.0	780.0
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	617.5	693.0	815.0	1300.0	1200.0	1000.0	1600.0	1400.0	1050.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	300.7	249.2	210.0	250.0	240.0	220.0	280.0	260.0	220.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	24.4	21.5	17.8	25.0	20.0	20.0	30.0	25.0	20.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	73.1	77.4	75.4	140.0	120.0	100.0	200.0	150.0	110.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION BP									
EXPORTS	360.0	620.0	774.7	1980.0	1860.0	1290.0	3350.0	3150.0	1540.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-9.3	-75.5	-151.4	-400.0	-380.0	-350.0	-640.0	-600.0	-550.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	151.5	144.1	162.3	270.0	250.0	250.0	380.0	330.0	330.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	110.9	45.6	71.7	120.0	100.0	80.0	170.0	140.0	100.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	7.5	-46.9	-104.7	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-150.0	-150.0	-150.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	620.6	687.3	752.6	1970.0	1730.0	1170.0	3110.0	2870.0	1270.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82		1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	4.5		4.5	4.2			3.4		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	12.3		17.6	5.7			3.1		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
COUNTRY BOTSWANA

AVERAGES

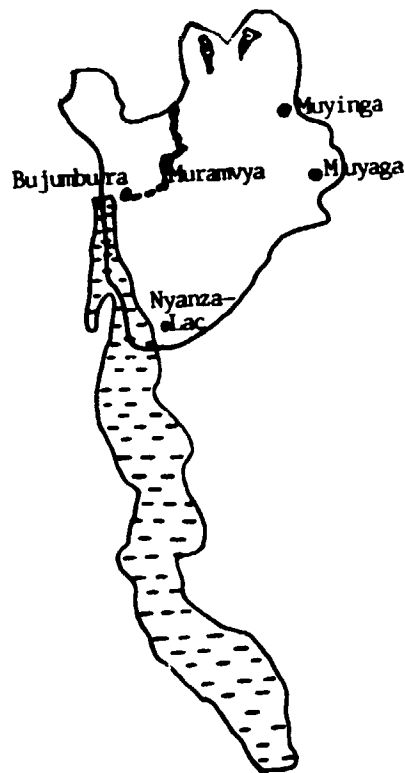
VALUFS IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

SITC	1981		YEAR 1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
	ROAD VEHICLES	108712	20546	119760	28293	120000			
TOTAL	108712	20546	119760	28293	120000	22680	116157	23840	100

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LEGEND

- = Iron ore (exploited)
- = Iron ore (unexploited)
- = Coal (exploited)
- = Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ = Natural gas
- ▲ = Steel plant(s)
- = Railways
- ==== = Improved roads
- = Unimproved roads

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Economic projections for Burundi are based on information from Burundi authorities. The low (2.1 per cent) rate of growth up to 1990 is mainly a result of the GDP decline registered from 1983 to 1984. The 1985-1990 GDP growth rates are projected at over 4 per cent. From 1990 to 1995 GDP is expected to increase at about the rate of population increase.

Projections assume a rapid development of the manufacturing sector and investment, leading to a growth in steel consumption which is considerably higher than the growth of GDP. The high rates of increase in the consumption of plate in steel demand projections is based on the assumption that the presently very low plate consumption will increase to "normal" (compared to other countries) levels. The high average consumption levels reached by 1995 depends partly on the realization of two major projects related to the iron and steel industry.

- development of the Buhinda nickle deposit
- development of the Mukanda ferrousradium deposit.

The low growth projections where GDP per capita falls still give rapidly increasing steel consumption, again caused by the assumption of relatively high investment level and a structural change with emphasis on the modern sectors of the economy. The effect on steel consumption by assuming both overall high growth and structural change is illustrated in the high growth scenario with average consumption growth of over 10 per cent up to 1995.

BURUNDI TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
560	4.5	124	660	5.7	116	760	6.6	115	2.1	2.9	2.9	3.0	-0.8	-0.1

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. CONSUMPTION EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990	TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	2219	.	2219	0	1402	0	1402	1915	0	1915	-5.6	6.4	3.3	4.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	153	.	153	0	295	0	295	419	0	419	8.6	7.3	3.8	5.7
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	619	0	619	.	2253	0	2253	3430	0	3430	17.5	8.8	6.9	5.6
PLATES, H. + M	6740	166	0	166	.	1341	0	1341	2538	0	2538	29.8	13.6	3.8	5.7
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	576	0	576	.	4753	0	4753	7669	0	7669	30.2	10.0	6.9	5.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	3742	0	3742	0	5641	0	5641	7625	0	7625	5.3	6.2	6.9	5.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	423	0	423	.	322	0	322	330	0	330	-3.4	0.5	6.9	5.6
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	0	0	0	.	314	0	314	403	0	403	.	5.1	3.8	5.7
WIRE	6770	178	0	178	0	1227	0	1227	1974	0	1974	27.3	10.0	6.9	5.6
TUBES	6780	1157	0	1157	.	1187	0	1187	1200	0	1200	0.3	0.2	6.9	5.6
TOTALS		9233	0	9233	0	18733	0	18733	27502	0	27502	9.2	8.0		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		12360	0	12360	0	25217	0	25217	37011	0	37011	9.3	8.0		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		10546	0	10546	0	21516	0	21516	31580	0	31580	9.3	8.0		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990 1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	12360	0	12360	0	29480	0	29480	45813	0	45813	11.5	9.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.8			2.9			-0.1	
1990 TO 1995					5.2			3.0			2.1	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990 1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIVIV. TONNE	12360	0	12360	0	19393	0	19393	25953	0	25953	5.8	6.0
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					0.7			2.9			-2.2	
1990 TO 1995					1.0			3.0			-1.9	

BURUNDI TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
560	4.5	124	660	5.7	116	760	6.6	115	2.1	2.9	-0.8	2.9	3.0	-0.1

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATES P.A.		EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990-1990	TO 1995-1990	TO 1990-1990	TO 1995-1990
BARS AND RODS	6730	2219	.	2219	0	2165	0	2165	3443	0	3443	-0.3	9.7	3.3	4.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	153	.	153	0	485	0	485	798	0	798	15.5	10.5	3.8	5.7
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	619	.	619	.	2560	0	2560	4044	0	4044	19.4	9.6	6.9	5.6
PLATES, H. + M	6740	166	0	166	.	1528	0	1528	2911	0	2911	32.0	13.8	3.8	5.7
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	576	0	576	.	5301	0	5301	8766	0	8766	32.0	10.6	6.9	5.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	3742	0	3742	0	6106	0	6106	8555	0	8555	6.3	7.0	6.9	5.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	423	0	423	.	373	0	373	433	0	433	-1.6	3.0	6.9	5.6
RAILS + MATER.	6760	0	0	0	.	388	0	388	552	0	552	.	7.3	3.8	5.7
WIRE	6770	178	0	178	0	1388	0	1388	2295	0	2295	29.3	10.6	6.9	5.6
TUBES	6780	1157	0	1157	.	1310	0	1310	1447	0	1447	1.6	2.0	6.9	5.6
TOTALS		9233	0	9233	0	21604	0	21604	33245	0	33245	11.2	9.0		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		12360	0	12360	0	29013	0	29013	44607	0	44607	11.3	9.0		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		10546	0	10546	0	24755	0	24755	38060	0	38060	11.3	9.0		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A. BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	12360	0	12360	0	33275	0	33275	53411	0	53411	13.2	9.9
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.8			-0.1				
1990 TO 1995					5.2			2.1				

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A. BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	12360	0	12360	0	23191	0	23191	33549	0	33549	8.2	7.7
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					0.7			-2.2				
1990 TO 1995					1.0			1.9				

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	14	1		5									5
BARS AND RODS	6732	1839	2102	2700	2214									2214
ANGLES SHP HM	6734	100	180	180	153									153
ANGLES SHP L	6735	428	770	660	619									619
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	113	147	83	114									114
PLATES, MED.	6742	26	86	44	57									52
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	398	765	564	576									576
TINPLATE	6747	77	82		53									53
OTHER COAT. P	6748	716	4500	5850	3689									3689
HOOP AND STRP	6750	114	487	668	423									423
RAILS	6761													0
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	266	198	70	178									178
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	850	1712	910	1157									1157
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		4941	11030	11729	9233	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9233

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
A ROLLED PRODUCTS				
APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	4941	11030	11729	9233
OF WHICH:				
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	4941	11030	11729	9233
LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
TOTAL	12781	27887	25769	22146
SUPPLIED FROM:				
1 NET IMPORTS	12781	27887	25769	22146
OF WHICH:				
FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	0	0	0	0
NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	6583	14854	15647	12361
FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	6199	13034	10122	9785
2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	0	0	0
C ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	1000	1000	1000	1000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
<u>GDP, AND POPULATION</u>									
POPULATION (MILL)	4.4	4.5	4.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	6.6	6.6	6.6
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	131.0	121.0	119.0	122.8	115.8	103.5	136.4	115.2	93.9
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	575.2	544.9	559.4	700.0	660.0	590.0	900.0	760.0	620.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	84.9	94.2	131.8	160.0	140.0	130.0	210.0	185.0	140.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	32.3	34.2	34.8	46.6	43.8	38.4	62.4	56.2	40.4
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	66.4	67.0	69.2	128.7	116.4	97.4	180.5	152.3	122.3
<u>BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION US\$</u>									
EXPORTS	74.9	87.8	83.2	200.0	175.0	150.0	260.0	216.4	170.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	18.9	0.2	-31.8	-80.0	-85.7	-80.0	-70.0	-69.9	-70.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	57.3	88.8	155.4	180.0	173.8	170.0	250.0	219.2	180.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	1.2	1.5	7.1	6.0	4.0	2.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	8.9	35.9	-24.2	-40.0	-42.3	-40.0	-90.0	-93.2	-85.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	161.2	214.2	189.7	266.0	225.0	202.0	357.0	279.5	202.0
<u>GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.</u>									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	2.3	4.4		2.8			3.0		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	-5.3	2.7		2.4			2.9		

TABLE 5: ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
COUNTRY BURUNDI

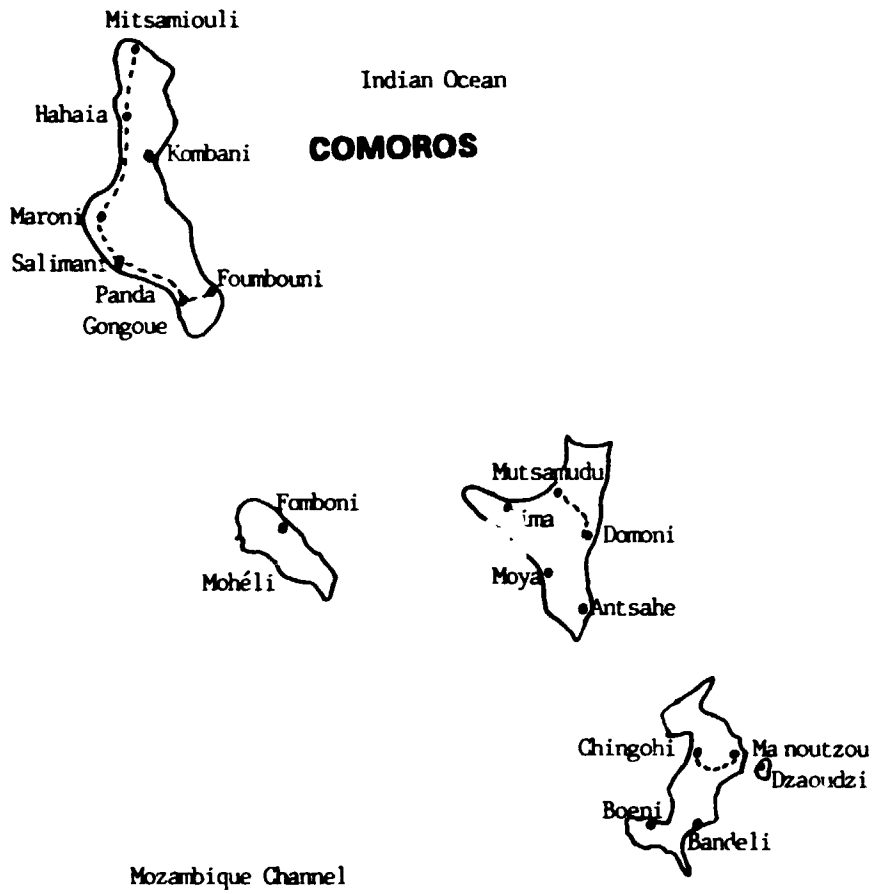
AVERAGES

VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	954	801	3377	3545	3437	3518	2589	2621	27
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	281	93	111	134	502	728	298	318	3
WIRE PRODUCTS	272	249	350	388	141	178	254	272	3
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	238	170	346	254	124	75	235	166	2
HAND TOOLS	990	189	1023	221	1216	438	1076	283	3
CUTLERY	31	2	58	0	57	6	49	3	0
DOM. UTENSILS	202	29	169	29	120	17	164	25	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	1041	202	1222	260	2222	148	1495	203	2
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	470	101	515	90	497	96	494	96	1
RAIL, LOCOS ETC.	14	23	8	19	43	31	22	24	0
ROAD VEHICLES	17687	3511	24013	6510	16147	3651	19282	4557	48
BICYCLES ETC.	718	318	1854	827	550	203	1041	449	5
HEATING, SANITARY	561	251	638	292	632	333	610	292	3
FURNITURE	607	107	1265	347	663	327	845	260	3
TOTAL	24064	6046	34949	2916	6351	9749	28455	9570	100

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LEGEND

- - Iron ore (exploited)
- - Iron ore (unexploited)
- - Coal (exploited)
- - Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ - Natural gas
- ▲ - Steel plant(s)
- - Railways
- ==== - Improved roads
- - Unimproved roads

COMOROS

Comoros is a mini-economy where individual development projects may have dramatic effects on the overall situation. Without detailed information on such projects, steel demand is very hard to forecast.

The economic projections up to 1990 are based on a GDP growth rate of 46 per cent which the World Bank in the beginning of the 80s considered feasible. The availability of concessionary foreign assistance would be of major importance. In the period after 1990, GDP growth is assumed to come down to 3.4 per cent per annum as prospects of rise in export prices of vanilla and cloves and increased flows of development assistance are very modest. Major reasons for this are the assumptions of a relatively strong growth in agriculture (especially food for local consumption), limitations in finance for infrastructural projects and very limited scope for industrial development whereas it increases more rapidly in most other countries. Steel consumption in Comoros is projected to increase at about the same rate as GDP.

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TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.						
GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POP	GDP/POP	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-
MILL.	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL.	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL.	MILL.	US\$ -75	1990	1995	1995	1990	1995	1990	1995
77	0.4	188	110	0.5	234	130	0.5	255	4.6	3.4	1.7	1.6	2.8	1.7	

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995 .TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	EXPL. TO 1990	RATE TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	550	.	550	0	1075	0	1075	1347	0	1347	8.7	4.6	2.8	1.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	45	.	45	.	99	0	99	125	0	125	10.4	4.8	2.8	2.3
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	182	0	182	.	259	0	259	308	0	308	4.5	3.5	2.8	3.7
PLATES, H. + M	6740	76	0	76	.	144	0	144	187	0	187	8.3	5.4	2.8	2.3
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	44	0	44	0	47	0	47	49	0	49	0.8	0.8	2.8	3.7
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1383	0	1383	0	1582	0	1582	1787	0	1787	1.7	2.5	2.8	3.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	2	0	2	.	21	0	21	31	0	31	34.2	8.1	2.8	3.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	0	0	0	.	0	0	0	0	0	0	.	.	2.8	2.3
WIRE	6770	17	0	17	.	25	0	25	32	0	32	4.9	5.1	2.8	3.7
TUBES	6780	155	0	155	.	339	0	339	422	0	422	10.3	4.5	2.8	3.7
TOTALS		2454	0	2454	0	3591	0	3591	4289	0	4289	4.9	3.6		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		3288	0	3288	0	4797	0	4797	5724	0	5724	4.8	3.6		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		2805	0	2805	0	4093	0	4093	4884	0	4884	4.8	3.6		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	3288	0	3288	0	4371	0	4371	5355	0	5355	3.6	4.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.7			3.9				
1990 TO 1995					1.6			2.2				

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	3288	0	3288	0	3522	0	3522	3723	0	3723	0.9	1.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.7			0.2				
1990 TO 1995					1.6			0.5				

COMOROS TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES P.C.I. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPU- LATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPU- LATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPU- LATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	P.A. TO 1990-1995	P.A. TO 1990-1995	P.A. TO 1990-1995
77	0.4	188	110	0.5	234	130	0.5	255	4.6	3.4	1.7	1.6	2.8	1.7

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.		EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	550	.	550	0	1350	0	1350	1898	0	1898	11.9	7.1	2.8	1.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	45	.	45	.	167	0	167	262	0	262	17.8	9.4	2.8	2.3
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	182	0	182	.	370	0	370	530	0	530	9.3	7.5	2.8	3.7
PLATES, H. + M	6740	76	0	76	.	211	0	211	322	0	322	13.6	8.8	2.8	2.3
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	44	0	44	0	245	0	245	445	0	445	23.9	12.7	2.8	3.7
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1383	0	1383	0	1750	0	1750	2123	0	2123	3.0	3.9	2.8	3.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	2	0	2	.	40	0	40	68	0	68	45.4	11.2	2.8	3.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	0	0	0	.	27	0	27	54	0	54	.	14.9	2.8	2.3
WIRE	6770	17	0	17	.	83	0	83	148	0	148	21.9	12.3	2.8	3.7
TUBES	6780	155	0	155	.	384	0	384	511	0	511	12.0	5.9	2.8	3.7
TOTALS		2454	0	2454	0	4626	0	4626	6359	0	6359	8.2	6.6		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		3288	0	3288	0	6167	0	6167	8466	0	8466	8.2	6.5		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		2805	0	2805	0	5262	0	5262	7224	0	7224	8.2	6.5		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	3288	0	3288	0	5740	0	5740	8096	0	8096		7.2	7.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES													
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP 5.7			POPULATION 1.7			GDP/CAPITA 3.9			
1990 TO 1995				3.9			1.6			2.2			

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	3288	0	3288	0	4890	0	4890	6462	0	6462		5.1	5.7
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES													
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP 2.0			POPULATION 1.7			GDP/CAPITA 0.2			
1990 TO 1995				2.1			1.6			0.5			

COMOROS TABLE 3

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	64			21									21
BARS AND RODS	6732	754	356	476	529									529
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	70	40	25	45									45
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	276	158	112	182									182
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	28	45		24									24
PLATES, MED.	6742	118	11	26	52									52
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	100	16	15	44									44
TINPLATE	6747	7	10	13	10									10
OTHER COAT. P	6748	1959	570	1591	1373									1373
HOOP AND STRP	6750		1	4	2									2
RAILS	6761													0
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	2	7	41	17									17
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	125	2	83	70									70
WELDED TUBES	6783	113	108	35	85									85
TOTALS		3616	1324	2421	2454	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2454

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	3616	1324	2421	2454
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	3616	1324	2421	2454
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	8715	4409	7968	7031
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	8715	4409	7968	7031
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	4847	1766	3249	3287
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	3868	2643	4719	3744
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	0	0	0
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	0	0	0	0

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	198.0	193.3	199.8						
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	73.3	77.3	79.7	120.0	110.0	90.0	145.0	130.0	100.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	18.9	19.2	21.4	32.0	25.0	21.0	40.0	28.0	22.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	7.3	7.9	8.5	14.0	10.0	9.0	19.0	11.0	9.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	3.9	4.1	4.3	6.0	5.0	4.5	8.0	6.0	5.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION CFR.									
EXPORTS	0.0	643.4	0.0	1440.0	1380.0	1120.0	2510.0	2300.0	1800.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	0.0	-853.3	0.0	-1600.0	-1600.0	-1600.0	-2100.0	-2100.0	-2100.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	0.0	1307.6	0.0	2500.0	2250.0	2250.0	3300.0	3000.0	3000.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	0.0	17.3	0.0	50.0	40.0	40.0	100.0	70.0	70.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	0.0	364.5	0.0	-300.0	-300.0	-300.0	-400.0	-400.0	-400.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	0.0	750.7	0.0	2090.0	1770.0	1510.0	3410.0	2870.0	2370.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82		1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8			1.8		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	5.5	3.1		4.7			3.4		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
COUNTRY COMOROS

AVERAGES

VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		YEAR 1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	851	929	529	838	950	1837	777	1201	35
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	121	37	39	21	84	81	81	46	1
WIRE PRODUCTS	205	177	53	56	42	34	100	89	3
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	155	104	142	109	153	144	150	119	3
HAND TOOLS	287	67	218	67	359	112	288	82	2
CUTLERY	74	10	84	15	45	7	68	11	0
DOM. UTENSILS	111	24	143	36	108	25	121	28	1
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	432	131	158	39	155	35	248	68	2
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	288	65	228	51	143	35	220	50	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	2154	0	21	0	16	6	730	2	0
ROAD VEHICLES	6578	1715	3468	860	5083	1527	5043	1367	40
BICYCLES ETC.	130	41	61	34	121	88	104	54	2
HEATING, SANITARY	316	134	219	108	330	143	288	128	4
FURNITURE	465	171	577	274	791	166	611	204	6
TOTAL	12167	3605	5940	2508	8380	4240	8829	3451	100

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Djibouti is a small economy and "jumps" in economic series caused by individual projects make forecasting difficult. The GDP growth projections are only slightly above the projected growth of population. The levels of increase of overall steel consumption does not deviate much from what is suggested by growth in population and GDP. The apparent dramatic increases in the consumption of plate and rails and other rail line material is mainly a results of the relatively low consumption in the base period 1981-83 and an adjustment, particularly in the period up to 1990 to levels closer to what is normal for the PTA/SADCC group of countries.

DJIBOUTI TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
162	0.3	523	200	0.4	526	230	0.4	535	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.5	0.1	0.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SIIC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION TO 1990-1995		GROWTH RATES PA. EXPL. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	1990	1995	1990	1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	2163	.	2163	0	2487	0	2487	2766	0	2766	1.8	2.1	2.8	1.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	151	.	151	0	178	0	178	200	0	200	2.1	2.4	2.8	2.1
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	25	0	25	0	53	0	53	139	0	139	9.8	21.3	1.3	2.8
PLATES, H. + M	6740	48	0	48	0	260	0	260	359	0	359	23.5	6.7	2.8	2.1
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	18	0	18	0	111	0	111	264	0	264	25.5	18.9	1.3	2.8
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1291	0	1291	0	1349	0	1349	1461	0	1461	0.6	1.6	1.3	2.8
HOOP AND STRP	6750	10	0	10	0	17	0	17	25	0	25	6.9	8.0	1.3	2.8
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	7	0	7	0	18	0	18	31	0	31	12.5	11.5	2.8	2.1
WIRE	6770	37	0	37	0	71	0	71	114	0	114	8.5	9.9	1.3	2.8
TUBES	6780	239	0	239	0	288	0	288	322	0	322	2.4	2.3	1.3	2.8
TOTALS		3989	0	3989	0	4830	0	4830	5680	0	5680	2.4	3.3		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		5241	0	5241	0	6369	0	6369	7495	0	7495	2.5	3.3		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		4472	0	4472	0	5434	0	5434	6395	0	6395	2.5	3.3		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	5241	0	5241	0	7782	0	7782	9593	0	9593	5.1	4.3
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.9			2.6			1.3	
1990 TO 1995					4.2			2.5			1.6	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	5241	0	5241	0	5997	0	5997	6550	0	6550	1.7	1.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.3			2.6			-1.2	
1990 TO 1995					1.1			2.5			-1.4	

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TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
162	0.3	523	200	0.4	526	230	0.4	535	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.5	0.1	0.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	EXPL. TO 1990	RATES TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	2163	.	2163	0	3358	0	3358	4509	0	4509	5.7	6.1	2.8	1.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	151	.	151	0	394	0	394	632	0	632	12.7	9.9	2.8	2.1
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	25	0	25	0	403	0	403	840	0	840	41.6	15.8	1.3	2.8
PLATES, H.+M	6740	48	0	48	0	473	0	473	785	0	785	33.1	10.7	2.8	2.1
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	18	0	18	0	736	0	736	1515	0	1515	59.0	15.5	1.3	2.8
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1291	0	1291	0	1880	0	1880	2522	0	2522	4.8	6.1	1.3	2.8
HOOP AND STRP	6750	10	0	10	0	76	0	76	143	0	143	28.9	13.5	1.3	2.8
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	7	0	7	0	104	0	104	201	0	201	40.1	14.1	2.8	2.1
WIRE	6770	37	0	37	0	254	0	254	481	0	481	27.2	13.6	1.3	2.8
TUBES	6780	239	0	239	0	428	0	428	604	0	604	7.6	7.1	1.3	2.8
TOTALS		3989	0	3989	0	8105	0	8105	12231	0	12231	9.3	8.6		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		5241	0	5241	0	10701	0	10701	16162	0	16162	9.3	8.6		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		4472	0	4472	0	9130	0	9130	13790	0	13790	9.3	8.6		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	5241	0	5241	0	12116	0	12116	18258	0	18258	11.0	8.5
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.9			2.6			1.3	
1990 TO 1995					4.2			2.5			1.6	

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	5241	0	5241	0	10330	0	10330	15217	0	15217	8.9	8.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.3			2.6			-1.2	
1990 TO 1995					1.1			2.5			-1.4	

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS			PRODUCTION			EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83			
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981		1982	1983	AVER
WIRE RODS	6731		122		41									41
BARS AND RODS	6732	1500	2267	2600	2122									2122
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	127	150	176	151									151
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	48	11	15	25									25
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	42	48	34	41									41
PLATES, MED.	6742	4	13	4	7									7
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	5	11	38	18									18
TINPLATE	6747	42	1235	959	745									745
OTHER COAT. P	6748	30	905	702	546									546
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1	23	7	10									10
RAILS	6761	7	7	7	7									7
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	61	36	15	37									37
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	269	30	40	113									113
WELDED TUBES	6783	128	96	153	126									126
TOTALS		2264	4954	4750	3989	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3989

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	2264	4954	4750	3989
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	2264	4954	4750	3989
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	12007	17161	19565	16244
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	12007	17161	19565	16244
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL. SCRAP	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	2973	6521	6231	5242
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	9034	10640	13333	11002
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	0	0	0
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	0	0	0	0

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

DJIBOUTI TABLE 4

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GENERAL AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
POP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	530.7	538.7	554.7	550.0	500.0	450.0	540.0	460.0	380.0
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	159.2	161.6	166.4	220.0	200.0	180.0	270.0	230.0	190.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	28.7	39.2	39.5	50.0	45.0	40.0	60.0	50.0	42.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	7.7	8.0	8.3	11.0	10.0	9.0	13.0	11.0	10.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	18.1	17.8	18.0	25.0	20.0	19.0	30.0	23.0	20.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BILLION DF									
EXPORTS	20.8	18.0	0.0	45.0	40.0	30.0	80.0	65.0	50.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-1.4	-5.1	0.0	7.0	5.0	5.0	12.0	9.0	9.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	18.0	16.1	0.0	33.0	28.0	28.0	46.0	37.0	37.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	1.9	6.2	0.0	15.0	12.0	12.0	22.0	19.0	19.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	-1.5	6.1	0.0						
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	37.8	41.4	0.0	100.0	85.0	75.0	160.0	130.0	110.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82		1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6			2.5		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	1.2	3.0		2.5			2.5		

TABLE 5: ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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AVERAGES

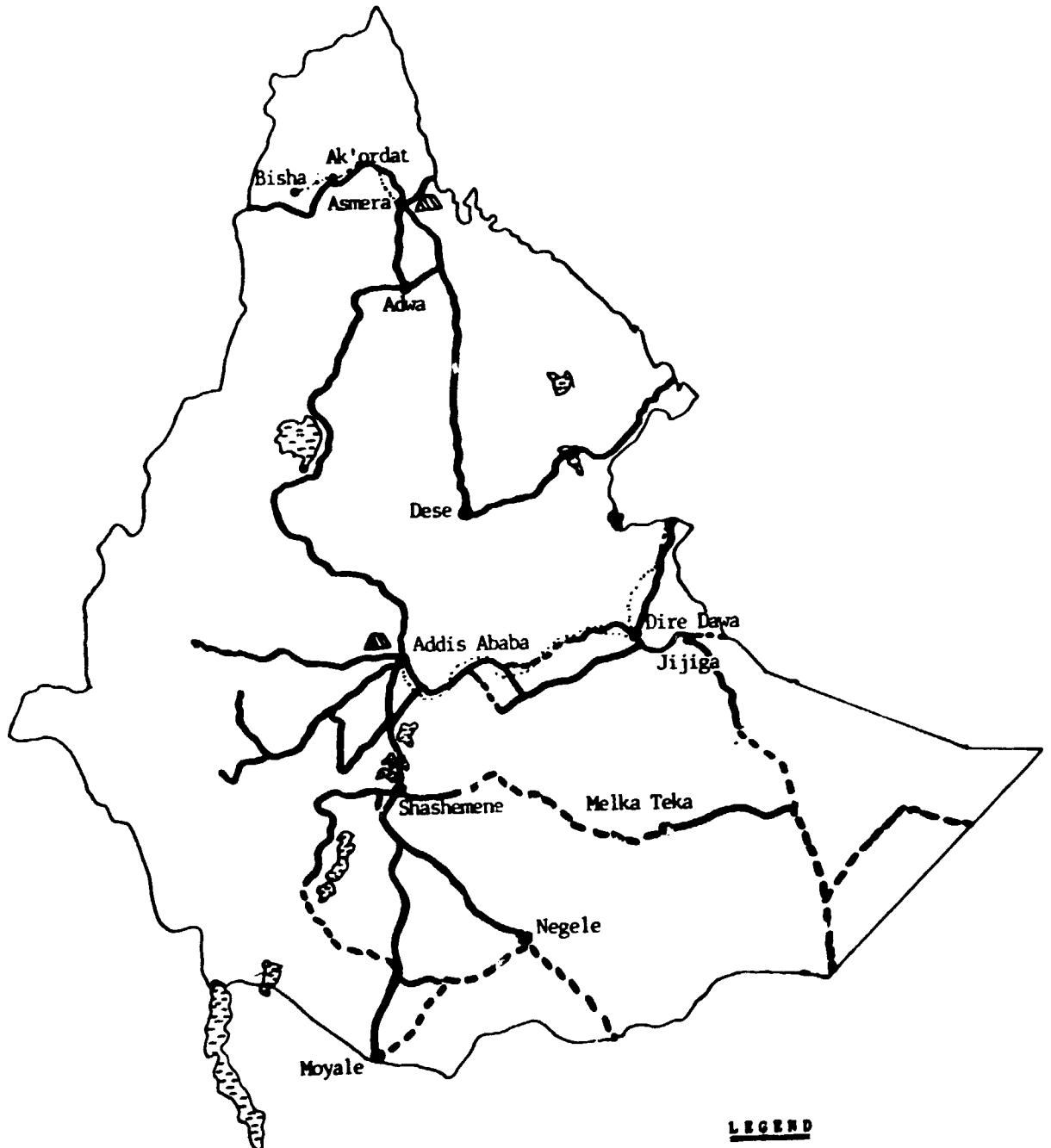
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		EAR 1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	2136	1725	3136	2486	7419	4875	4230	3029	28
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	372	195	296	194	252	216	307	202	2
WIRE PRODUCTS	414	318	253	301	214	284	294	301	3
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	164	82	125	145	204	343	164	190	2
HAND TOOLS	593	164	600	159	1035	312	743	212	2
CUTLERY	157	14	115	5	197	8	156	9	0
DOM. UTENSILS	676	168	449	128	468	145	531	147	1
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	184	46	602	203	2261	237	1016	162	1
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	1051	218	1097	235	857	243	1002	232	2
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	70	41	64	7	221	96	118	48	0
ROAD VEHICLES	19791	3854	21018	4338	17569	4175	19459	4122	38
BICYCLES ETC.	512	148	433	178	470	198	472	175	2
HEATING, SANITARY	1330	503	809	508	786	354	975	455	4
FURNITURE	3347	1505	2946	1669	2880	1734	3058	1636	15
TOTAL	30797	8981	31943	10556	34833	13220	32524	10919	100

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- Iron ore (exploited)
- Iron ore (unexploited)
- Coal (exploited)
- Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ Natural gas
- ▲ Steel plant(s)
- Railways
- Improved roads
- - - - - Unimproved roads

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The three alternative macro economic projections for Ethiopia cover a range of possibilities, from those indicated by Government plans to the less optimistic assessment of the World Bank. The base case up to 1990 is near to the more optimistic scenario supplied by the World Bank for the period 1984-89 (Country Economic Memorandum of May 1984). This is based on a less favourable coffee price than the present price levels seem to indicate. For the period 1990-1995 a somewhat more rapid growth is projected.

The overall average growth rates assumed for the manufacturing sector imply a development pattern where those industries which are main consumers of iron and steel gradually increase their share of GDP. This in addition to the fact that consumption of various products like wire, rails and plate were very depressed in the base period, makes for a development where steel consumption increases more rapidly than GDP and becomes gradually diversified. Whereas bars, rods tin plate and coated plate constituted around 70 per cent of consumption in 1981-83 the same items stood for around 60 per cent in 1995.

The high growth scenario indicates steel consumption growth just below 10 per cent annually from 1981-83 to 1995. In case of the low growth scenario it appears that even if GDP per capita declines, structural changes will hold steel consumption growth up to a level not far below that of the base case.

ETHIOPIA TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
3779	33.3	113	5080	43.2	118	6200	51.2	121	3.8	4.1	3.3	3.5	0.4	0.6

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995 ,TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SIC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. CONSUMPTION EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990	TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	20710	14757	5954	0	31847	19000	12847	41135	40000	1135	5.5	5.3	4.3	3.7
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	547	.	547	.	1107	0	1107	1527	0	1527	9.2	6.6	3.5	3.1
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3521	1349	2172	.	8066	1500	6566	11715	10000	1715	10.9	7.7	4.4	4.4
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1784	0	1784	0	5283	0	5283	7488	0	7488	14.5	7.2	3.5	3.1
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3567	0	3567	.	7650	0	7650	12500	0	12500	10.0	10.3	4.4	4.4
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	17722	0	17722	.	27424	0	27424	35261	0	35261	5.6	5.2	4.4	4.4
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1243	0	1243	.	1483	0	1483	1688	0	1688	2.2	2.6	4.4	4.4
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	49	0	49	.	566	0	566	1041	0	1041	35.8	13.0	3.5	3.1
WIRE	6770	1034	282	752	.	4461	500	3961	7260	4000	3260	20.1	10.2	4.4	4.4
TUBES	6780	3241	0	3241	.	3500	0	3500	3590	0	3590	1.0	0.5	4.4	4.4
TOTALS		53418	16388	37030	0	91387	21000	70387	123205	54000	69205	6.9	6.2		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		70676	20843	49835	0	120890	26715	94175	162933	68826	94107	6.9	6.2		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		60304	17784	42521	0	103148	22794	80354	139021	58725	80296	6.9	6.2		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	70676	20843	49835	0	158275	26715	131560	234677	68826	165851	10.6	8.2	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					5.5			3.3			2.1		
1990 TO 1995					6.0			3.5			2.4		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	70676	20843	49835	0	111156	26715	84441	140307	68826	71481	5.8	4.8	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.5			3.3			-0.8		
1990 TO 1995					2.9			3.5			-0.6		

ETHIOPIA TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP	PCPU-	GDP PER	GDP	POPUL-	GDP PER	GDP	POPUL-	GDP PER	GDP	POP	GDP/POP	P.A.		
MILL.	LATION	CAPITA	MILL.	LATION	CAPITA	MILL.	LATION	CAPITA	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	
US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	1990	1995	1990	1995	1990	1995
3779	33.3	113	5080	43.2	118	6200	51.2	121	3.8	4.1	3.3	3.5	0.4	0.6

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SIC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.		EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	20710	14757	5954	0	36085	19000	17085	49610	40000	9610	7.2	6.6	4.3	3.7
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	547	.	547	.	2158	0	2158	3630	0	3630	18.7	11.0	3.5	3.1
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3521	1349	2172	.	9771	1500	8271	15124	10000	5124	13.6	9.1	4.4	4.4
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1784	0	1784	0	6319	0	6319	9559	0	9559	17.1	8.6	3.5	3.1
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3567	0	3567	.	10693	0	10693	18586	0	18586	14.7	11.7	4.4	4.4
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	17722	0	17722	.	30004	0	30004	40423	0	40423	6.8	6.1	4.4	4.4
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1243	0	1243	.	1770	0	1770	2261	0	2261	4.5	5.0	4.4	4.4
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	49	0	49	.	981	0	981	1870	0	1370	45.4	13.8	3.5	3.1
WIRE	6770	1034	282	752	.	5353	500	4853	9044	4000	5044	22.8	11.1	4.4	4.4
TUBES	6780	3241	0	3241	.	4185	0	4185	4960	0	4960	3.2	3.5	4.4	4.4
TOTALS		53418	16388	37030	0	107318	21000	86318	155066	54000	101066	9.1	7.6		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		70676	20843	49835	0	141967	26715	115252	205085	68826	136259	9.1	7.6		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		60304	17784	42521	0	121132	22794	98338	174987	58725	116262	9.1	7.6		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE 1990-95	P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	70676	20843	49835	0	179349	26715	152634	276831	68826	208005	12.3	9.1	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES				GDP	POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA					
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				5.5	3.3			2.1					
1990 TO 1995				6.0	3.5			2.4					

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE 1990-95	P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	70676	20843	49835	0	132231	26715	105516	182458	68826	113632	8.1	6.7	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES				GDP	POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA					
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				2.5	3.3			0.8					
1990 TO 1995				2.9	3.5			0.6					

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS				APP. CONS AV 81-83
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	
WIRE RODS	6731	4789	4745	7686	5740									5740
BARS AND RODS	6732	87	365	189	214	13700	14802	15768	14757					14970
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	480	360	800	547									547
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1897	1441	3179	2172	840	1307	1900	1349					3521
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	2160	840	2351	1784									1784
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	4319	1678	4703	3567									3567
TINPLATE	6747	3332	4745	13569	7215									7215
OTHER COAT. P	6748	3538	10150	17833	10507									10507
HOOP AND STRP	6750	661	306	2761	1243									1243
RAILS	6761	2	4	141	49									49
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	704	874	678	752	160	285	402	282					1034
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	1849	3508	4366	3241									3241
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		23818	29016	58256	37030	14540	16109	17668	16106	0	0	0	0	53136

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	38358	45125	75924	53136
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	23818	29016	58256	37030
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	14540	16109	17668	16106
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	102711	113169	174487	130122
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	91817	109649	159923	120463
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	824	1206	1300	1110
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	5628	14490	5213	8444
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	31953	39190	78358	49833
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	53413	54762	75053	61076
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	10893	3520	14564	9659
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	5000	5000	5000	5000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

ETHIOPIA TABLE 4

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	32.3	33.3	34.3	43.2	43.2	43.2	51.2	51.2	51.2
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	114.0	113.1	112.6	134.3	117.5	106.5	151.4	121.1	103.5
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	3706.4	3767.0	3863.1	5800.0	5080.0	4600.0	7750.0	6200.0	5300.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	522.6	548.6	596.1	840.0	730.0	540.0	1000.0	850.0	670.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	195.0	216.7	231.1	325.0	300.0	260.0	420.0	360.0	290.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	398.1	421.9	436.9	660.0	590.0	540.0	880.0	730.0	630.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION BIRR									
EXPORTS	852.7	795.4	810.5	2450.0	2100.0	1800.0	4980.0	3980.0	2980.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	171.2	167.2	285.6	500.0	500.0	500.0	670.0	670.0	670.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	352.5	647.9	614.9	1200.0	1000.0	1000.0	1700.0	1300.0	1300.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET				150.0	100.0	100.0	300.0	200.0	200.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	104.9	11.1	62.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	1481.3	1621.7	1772.9	4400.0	3800.0	3500.0	7800.0	6300.0	5300.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION		1981-82	1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
		3.1	3.1	3.4			3.4		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)		1.6	2.6	4.0			4.1		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
COUNTRY ETHIOPIA

AVERAGES

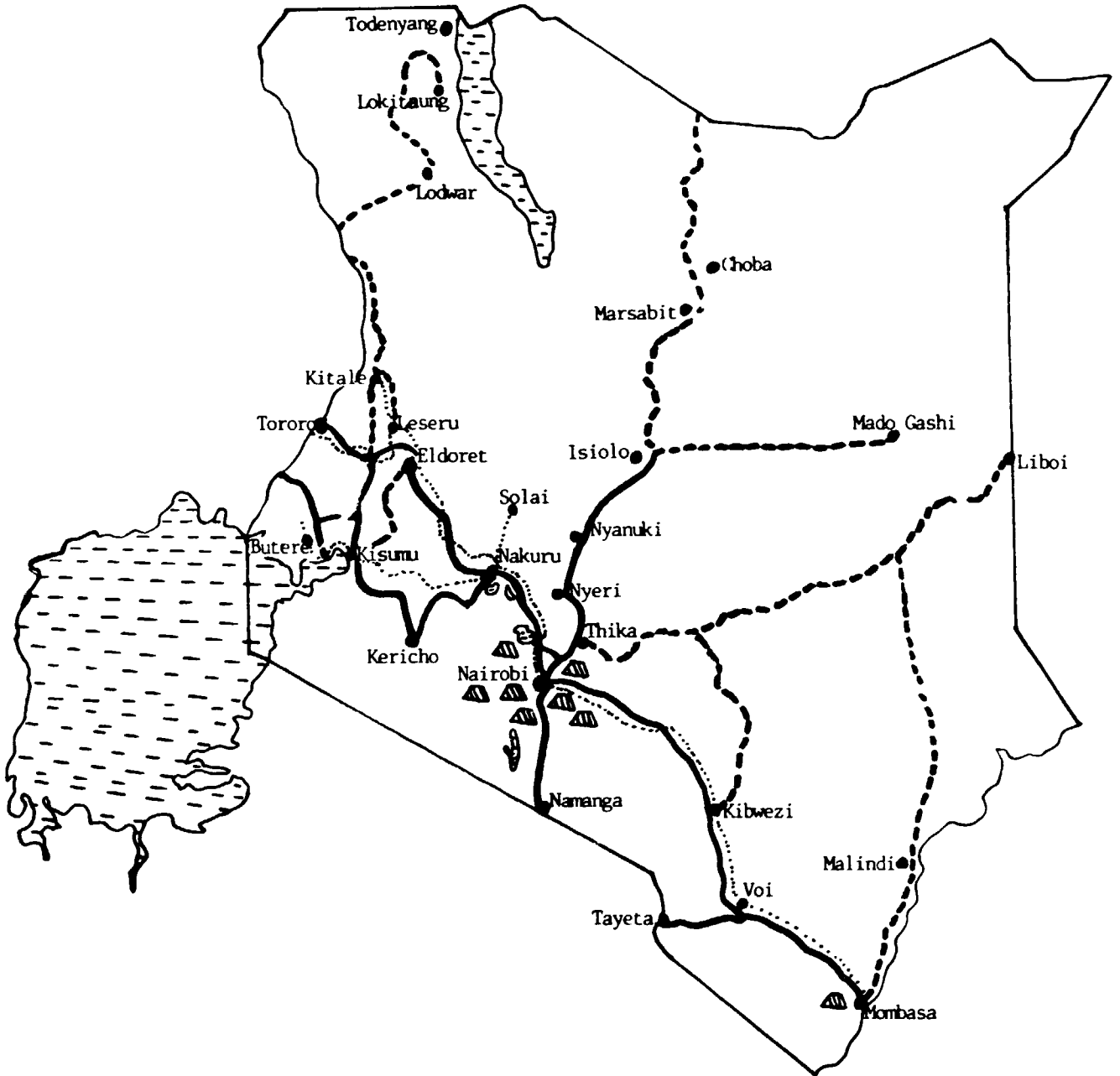
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	2442	2803	11532	13683	12244	12887	8739	9791	18
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	11912	10259	8904	6942	11803	11686	10873	9629	18
WIRE PRODUCTS	1477	1042	1471	863	3143	1087	2030	997	2
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	854	272	1104	353	1011	570	990	398	1
HAND TOOLS	3676	805	3330	638	3083	919	3363	787	1
CUTLERY	525	85	610	30	169	12	435	42	0
DOM. UTENSILS	2006	491	1499	293	1723	456	1743	413	1
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	12173	3090	6443	1787	10225	2403	9614	2427	5
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	1261	254	2710	257	610	120	1527	210	0
RAIL, LOCOS ETC.	419	53	1056	154	5110	881	2195	363	1
ROAD VEHICLES	97704	22411	84675	18838	102725	26931	95035	22727	43
BICYCLES ETC.	8817	4008	6600	2414	12650	6481	9356	4301	8
HEATING, SANITARY	1585	556	762	328	2212	1042	1520	642	1
FURNITURE	295	79	505	226	2726	817	1175	374	1
TOTAL	145146	46208	131201	46806	169434	66292	148594	53102	100

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LEGEND

- = Iron ore (exploited)
- = Iron ore (unexploited)
- = Coal (exploited)
- = Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ = Natural gas
- ▲ = Steel plant(s)
- = Railways
- = Improved roads
- - - - = Unimproved roads

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Kenya's Development Plan for the period 1983-1988 aimed at a growth rate of GDP at 4.9 per cent per annum. Balance-of-payments constraints which has long troubled the economy and drought were major factors behind the bad outturn for 1984 when GDP increased less than 1 per cent. Despite the brighter outlook for the balance-of-payments in terms of coffee and oil prices, growth is assumed to average only 2.8 per cent per annum up to 1990. The Kenyan debt service ratio is still high and there is a need for structural changes in the economy before new growth momentum can gather.

The projection for 1990-1995 is more optimistic, assuming less severe debt balance-of-payments constraints. Investment is supposed to increase relative to GDP. Considerable restructuring efforts giving rise to a rapid growth of the manufacturing sector.

In spite of the need for restructuring, Kenya's economy is further developed than most other PTA countries. This means that the tendency for a decline in steel intensity^{1/} long experienced in industrialized economies, should be relatively stronger than in other PTA countries.

This is clearly revealed in the steel demand projections for Kenya; during the period of moderate growth up to 1990 consumption increases by only about one-third of the increase in GDP. A small drop in the consumption of bars and rods up to 1990 is associated with mainly the assumed near stagnation of the building and construction industry in that period.

The more vigorous growth period forecasted from 1990 to 1995 counterbalances the tendency for steel intensity to decline, as the sectors of building and construction, manufacturing and gross capital formation grows at a faster rate than the rest of the economy.

^{1/} Measured e.g. as weight of steel per US \$ of value added

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TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990- 1990	POP TO 1990- 1990	GDP/POP TO 1990- 1990	GDP TO 1990- 1995	POP TO 1990- 1995	GDP/POP TO 1990- 1995
4522	17.9	252	5650	25.2	224	7350	31.3	235	2.8	5.4	4.3	4.4	-1.5	0.9

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990- 1990	TO 1990- 1995	TO 1990- 1990	TO 1990- 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	53192	33227	22511	2546	45871	74000	-28129	54747	90000	-35253	-1.8	3.6	0.1	5.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	2547	.	2547	0	2656	2500	156	3371	3500	-129	0.5	4.9	1.7	5.6
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	16763	17528	199	964	21528	40000	-18472	29917	70000	-40083	3.2	6.8	3.8	6.6
PLATES. H. + M	6740	17073	0	17073	0	18000	0	18000	20411	0	20411	0.7	2.5	1.7	5.6
PLATES. LIGHT	6743	46742	0	46742	0	56718	0	56718	77586	0	77586	2.4	6.5	3.8	6.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	37693	6000	33104	1411	45938	40000	5938	62796	60000	2796	2.5	6.5	3.8	6.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	992	0	992	0	1218	0	1218	1565	0	1565	2.6	5.1	3.8	6.6
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	2532	0	2532	0	2656	2500	156	3211	3500	-289	0.6	3.9	1.7	5.6
WIRE	6770	14717	7000	8557	840	16193	25000	-8807	21495	30000	-8505	1.2	5.8	3.8	6.6
TUBES	6780	2145	1000	1718	573	2200	2000	200	2500	2500	0	0.3	2.6	3.8	6.6
TOTALS		194396	64755	135975	6334	212977	186000	26977	277599	259500	18099	1.1	5.4		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		258216	83367	183178	8329	283650	241596	42054	369778	337143	32635	1.2	5.4		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		220320	71132	156295	7107	242022	206140	35882	315510	287664	27845	1.2	5.4		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE 1990-95	PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	258216	83367	183178	8329	318754	241596	77157	427671	337143	90528		2.7	6.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					4.3			4.3			-0.0		
1990 TO 1995					6.5			4.4			2.0		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE 1990-95	PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	258216	83367	183178	8329	261609	241596	20012	331110	337143	-6033		0.2	4.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.0			4.3			-2.2		
1990 TO 1995					5.0			4.4			0.5		

KENYA TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP	POPULATION	GDP	POPULATION
MILL. US\$	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$	MILL.	US\$ -75	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995
4522	17.9	252	5650	25.2	224	7350	31.3	235	2.8	5.4	4.3	4.4	-1.5	0.9

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	EXPL. TO 1990	EXPL. TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	53192	33227	22511	2546	49557	74000	-24443	62119	90000	-27881	-0.9	4.6	0.1	5.9
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	2547	.	2547	0	3570	2500	1070	5200	3500	1700	4.3	7.8	1.7	5.6
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	16763	17528	199	964	23011	40000	-16989	32882	70000	-37118	4.0	7.4	3.8	6.6
PLATES, H. + M	6740	17073	0	17073	0	18901	0	18901	22212	0	22212	1.3	3.3	1.7	5.6
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	46742	0	46742	0	59364	0	59364	82879	0	82879	3.0	6.9	3.8	6.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	37693	6000	33104	1411	48183	40000	8183	67285	60000	7285	3.1	6.9	3.8	6.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	992	0	992	0	1467	0	1467	2064	0	2064	5.0	7.1	3.8	6.6
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	2532	0	2532	0	3016	2500	516	3931	3500	431	2.2	5.4	1.7	5.6
WIRE	6770	14717	7000	8557	840	16969	25000	-8031	23047	30000	-6953	1.8	6.3	3.8	6.6
TUBES	6780	2145	1000	1718	573	2796	2000	796	3692	2500	1192	3.4	5.7	3.8	6.6
TOTALS		194396	64755	135975	6334	226834	186000	40834	305312	259500	45812	1.9	6.1		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		258216	83367	183178	8329	301982	241596	60385	406441	337143	69297	2.0	6.1		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		220320	71132	156295	7107	257663	206140	51523	346791	287664	59127	2.0	6.1		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	258216	83367	183178	8329	337086	241596	95490	464336	337143	127192	3.4	6.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES	GDP				POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990	4.3				4.3			-0.0				
1990 TO 1995	6.5				4.4			2.0				

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIVIV. TONNE	258216	83367	183178	8329	279943	241596	38346	367774	337143	30631	1.0	5.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES	GDP				POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990	2.0				4.3			-2.2				
1990 TO 1995	5.0				4.4			0.5				

KENYA TABLE 3

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PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS				APP. CONS AV 81-83
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	
WIRE RODS	6731	21934	21785	18890	20870									20870
BARS AND RODS	6732	1164	2504	1256	1641	31940	36495	31245	33227	2432	3092	2113	2546	32322
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	5188	1973	479	2547									2547
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	322	274		199	16730	19605	16250	17528	891	1481	520	964	16763
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	6839	9371	5414	7208									7208
PLATES, MED.	6742	12455	12435	4706	9865									9865
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	49523	55805	34899	46742									46742
TINPLATE	6747	47952	23300	18974	30075									30075
OTHER COAT. P	6748	3549	3069	2468	3029	6000	6000	6000	6000	2055	1329	850	1411	7617
HOOP AND STRP	6750	757	1075	1145	992									992
RAILS	6761	470	190	12	224									224
OTHER RL TRCK	6762	4	137	6783	2308									2308
WIRE	6770	15978	6815	2877	8557	7000	7000	7000	7000	508	1193	819	840	14717
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	2145	351	1704	1400									1400
WELDED TUBES	6783	267	321	366	318	1000	1000	1000	1000	573	759	387	573	745
TOTALS		168547	139405	99973	135975	54670	62100	53495	56755	6459	7854	4689	6334	186396

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	216758	193651	148779	186396
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	162088	131551	95284	129641
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	54670	62100	53495	56755
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	344954	296021	232872	291282
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	299683	248248	188553	245495
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	724	3595	1793	2037
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	12065	15555	10546	12722
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	218688	177781	128079	174849
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	68207	51318	48136	55887
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	45271	47773	44319	45787
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	25000	25000	25000	25000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	17.2	17.9	18.7	25.2	25.2	25.2	31.3	31.3	31.3
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	253.0	252.1	250.7	251.9	224.2	210.3	277.9	234.8	215.7
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	4364.1	4512.5	4688.5	6350.0	5650.0	5300.0	8700.0	7350.0	6750.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	799.4	638.8	655.6	1050.0	800.0	750.0	1450.0	1050.0	950.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	130.4	115.1	110.3	150.0	120.0	120.0	210.0	160.0	150.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	582.4	583.0	609.2	900.0	800.0	750.0	1250.0	1100.0	1000.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION KL									
EXPORTS	474.8	509.9	615.8	1450.0	1350.0	1200.0	2800.0	2350.0	2150.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	125.9	128.7	144.1	250.0	200.0	150.0	350.0	300.0	250.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	141.4	98.4	137.6	300.0	250.0	250.0	400.0	350.0	350.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	87.5	79.5	73.3	150.0	100.0	100.0	200.0	150.0	150.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	142.2	123.9	-41.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	971.8	940.3	929.1	2150.0	1900.0	1700.0	3750.0	3150.0	2900.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	4.2	4.3		4.4			4.4		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	3.4	3.9		2.7			5.5		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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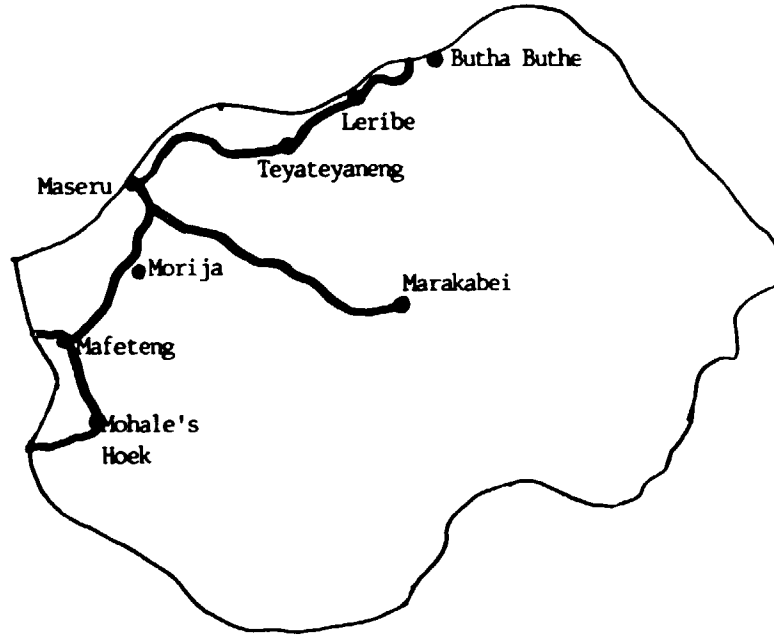
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	11328	14910	7096	6501	3054	2481	7159	7964	17
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	1513	301	852	551	1257	1055	1207	636	1
WIRE PRODUCTS	7988	4537	1427	1047	438	255	3284	1946	4
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	3634	1545	2727	1746	532	342	2298	1211	3
HAND TOOLS	9686	3645	7609	3065	4791	3250	7362	3320	7
CUTLERY	1297	63	445	27	356	22	699	37	0
DOM. UTENSILS	2554	372	1512	326	851	295	1639	331	1
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	25916	7022	19708	5200	10657	2886	18760	5036	11
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	4347	732	2825	505	2949	499	3374	579	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	2277	268	10734	2644	8772	461	7261	1124	2
ROAD VEHICLES	126005	26775	86818	18616	71021	15382	94615	20258	44
BICYCLES ETC.	5197	1988	5916	2573	1557	631	4223	1731	4
HEATING, SANITARY	3919	1688	3633	2007	2190	1068	3247	1588	3
FURNITURE	1473	341	1252	536	1239	409	1321	429	1
TOTAL	207134	64187	152554	45344	109664	29036	156451	46189	100

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- = Iron ore (exploited)
- = Iron ore (unexploited)
- = Coal (exploited)
- = Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ = Natural gas
- ▲ = Steel plant(s)
- = Railways
- ==== = Improved roads
- - - - = Unimproved roads

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Lesotho's economy is exceptionally strongly linked with the economy of South Africa. Economic growth in Lesotho therefore will depend crucially on when and how the present severe social and economic problems of South Africa can be solved.

The base case takes what could seem like a pessimistic view of the medium-term with a projected GDP growth rate at 1.6 per cent per annum (i.e. declining GDP per cent). Compared, however, with the experience of the last few years this is still optimistic.

For the longer term, the forecast is still conservative, assuming growth in GDP to be rarely 0.7 per cent per annum over projected population growth. This is based on the view that a very favourable economic situation will hardly materialize. Implementation of a large-scale project like the Highland Water Scheme would improve this situation and also give rise to a vast temporary expansion of steel demand. This is not included in the projections presented.

Steel demand projections for Lesotho by the methodology used for the other countries of the subregion came out with some nonsensical results. Revisions were carried out under the assumption that the present structure of demand would change only slightly but that overall growth of steel demand would tend to be well above that of GDP growth.

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TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
237	1.4	165	270	1.8	150	320	2.1	155	1.6	3.5	2.8	2.7	-1.2	0.7

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995 ,TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. CONSUMPTION EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	989	.	989	.	1300	0	1300	1800	0	1800	3.5	6.7	1.9	4.6
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	180	.	180	.	260	0	260	360	0	360	4.7	6.7	1.2	3.4
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	759	.	759	.	890	0	890	1150	0	1150	2.0	5.3	1.8	3.7
PLATES, H.+ M	6740	1860	.	1860	.	2300	0	2300	3100	0	3100	2.7	6.2	1.2	3.4
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1857	.	1857	.	2200	0	2200	2700	0	2700	2.1	4.2	1.8	3.7
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1608	.	1608	.	2400	0	2400	3200	0	3200	5.1	5.9	1.8	3.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	256	.	256	.	320	0	320	450	0	450	2.8	7.1	1.8	3.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	0	.	0	.	0	0	0	0	0	0	.	.	1.2	3.4
WIRE	6770	520	.	520	.	660	0	660	880	0	880	3.0	5.9	1.8	3.7
TUBES	6780	1468	.	1468	.	2169	0	2169	2430	0	2430	5.0	2.3	1.8	3.7
TOTALS		9497	.	9497	.	12499	0	12499	16070	0	16070	3.5	5.2		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		12959	.	12959	.	17083	0	17083	21913	0	21913	3.5	5.1		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		11057	.	11057	.	14576	0	14576	18697	0	18697	3.5	5.1		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	12959	.	12959	.	19085	0	19085	27358	0	27358		5.0	7.5
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES													
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP 4.2			POPULATION 2.8			GDP/CAPITA 1.4			
1990 TO 1995				GDP 4.9			POPULATION 2.7			GDP/CAPITA 2.1			

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	12959	.	12959	.	12484	0	12484	7160	0	7160		-0.5	-11
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES													
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP -0.4			POPULATION 2.8			GDP/CAPITA -3.1			
1990 TO 1995				GDP 0.9			POPULATION 2.7			GDP/CAPITA -1.8			

LESOTHO TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES P.C.T. P.A.				
GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
237	1.4	165	270	1.8	150	320	2.1	155	1.6	3.5	2.8	2.7	-1.2 0.7

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	989	.	989	.	2950	0	2950	5099	0	5099	14.6	11.6	1.9	4.6
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	180	.	180	.	669	0	669	1179	0	1179	17.8	12.0	1.2	3.4
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	759	.	759	.	1554	0	1554	2477	0	2477	9.4	9.8	1.8	3.7
PLATES, H.+ M	6740	1860	.	1860	.	2703	0	2703	3906	0	3906	4.8	7.6	1.2	3.4
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1857	.	1857	.	3385	0	3385	5069	0	5069	7.8	8.4	1.8	3.7
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1608	.	1608	.	3405	0	3405	5209	0	5209	9.8	8.9	1.8	3.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	256	.	256	.	432	0	432	673	0	673	6.8	9.3	1.8	3.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	0	.	0	.	161	0	161	323	0	323	.	14.9	1.2	3.4
WIRE	6770	520	.	520	.	1007	0	1007	1575	0	1575	8.6	9.4	1.8	3.7
TUBES	6780	1468	.	1468	.	2436	0	2436	2963	0	2963	6.5	4.0	1.8	3.7
TOTALS		9497	.	9497	.	18701	0	18701	28473	0	28473	8.8	8.8		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		12959	.	12959	.	25290	0	25290	38321	0	38321	8.7	8.7		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		11057	.	11057	.	21578	0	21578	32697	0	32697	8.7	8.7		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	12959	.	12959	.	27287	0	27287	43770	0	43770	9.8	9.9
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES												
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
1990 TO 1995				4.2			2.8			1.4		
				4.9			2.7			2.1		

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	12959	.	12959	.	20690	0	20690	23569	0	23569	6.0	2.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES												
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
1990 TO 1995				-0.4			2.8			-3.1		
				0.9			2.7			-1.8		

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS			AVER	PRODUCTION			AVER	EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83
		1981	1982	1983		1981	1982	1983		1981	1982	1983	
WIRE RODS	6731												0
BARS AND RODS	6732	898	984	1086	989								989
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	160	180	200	180								180
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	702	733	842	759								759
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	1641	1915	2024	1860								1860
PLATES, MED.	6742												0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1640	1910	2020	1857								1857
TINPLATE	6747	820	955	1010	928								928
OTHER COAT. P	6748	600	700	740	680								680
HOOP AND STRP	6750	223	265	280	256								256
RAILS	6761												0
OTHER RL TRCK	6762												0
WIRE	6770	450	530	580	520								520
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	1200	1416	1787	1468								1468
WELDED TUBES	6783												0
TOTALS		8334	9588	10569	9497	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9497

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	8334	9588	10569	9497
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	8334	9588	10569	9497
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	32511	33274	35109	33631
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	32511	33274	35109	33631
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	11357	13081	14438	12959
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	21154	20193	20671	20673
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	0	0	0
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	700	700	700	700

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.1	2.1
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	174.0	170.7	155.6	183.3	150.0	127.8	200.0	152.4	114.3
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	239.5	239.1	233.4	330.0	270.0	230.0	420.0	320.0	240.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	51.3	49.6	48.5	95.0	55.0	50.0	120.0	65.0	53.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	23.8	23.2	24.5	48.0	28.0	25.0	60.0	35.0	26.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	12.2	12.4	13.0	20.0	15.0	13.0	27.0	18.0	14.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS									
EXPORTS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
ODA, NET INFLOWS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1990 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	2.8	2.8		2.8			2.8		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	-0.2	-2.4		2.1			3.5		

TABLE 5: ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
ROAD VEHICLES	89534	21151	106845	20193	110000	20671	102126	20672	100
TOTAL	89534	21151	106845	20193	110000	20671	102126	20672	100

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Considering the sluggish development of GDP during the first half of the 80s, with several years of decline, the assumption of a 2.7 per cent per annual growth up to 1990 may be rather optimistic even though it means a decline in GDP per capita. For the period 1990-1995 a somewhat higher growth rate is projected assuming that policy reforms started in 1983 are successful. The manufacturing sector is assumed to increase its share of GDP in both periods.

The consumption of steel in the base period appears very low, compared with the average for the countries in the subregion. Therefore, in the first projection period there is rapid growth in overall steel consumption compared to the rate of growth of GDP. Whether this will in fact materialize depends to a great extent on the severity of balance-of-payments constraints. With the present favourable developments in oil and coffee prices, development towards a less stringent foreign exchange situation may well take place.

The catch-up effect in overall steel consumption assumed to take place before 1990 is the major reason for the apparent paradox in the period 1990-1995 when the overall rate of increase in steel consumption falls despite an acceleration of growth in GDP. Imports of rail and rail material was relatively high in the base period 1981-83. The registered decline represents a reversion to "normal" levels. The methodology used may understate the speed of such a reversal. Also since the existence and extent of railway networks is not used as an explanatory variable, the consumption levels for this item may easily be overstated in the countries without railways and understated in others.

MADAGASCAR TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	P.A. 1990	P.A. 1995	
1944	9.3	210	2400	11.6	207	2800	13.4	209	2.7	3.1	2.8	2.9	-0.2	0.2

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995 ,TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA.		EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	6970	.	6970	0	12545	7000	5545	16215	16000	215	7.6	5.3	1.7	3.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	223	.	223	0	638	0	638	842	0	842	14.0	5.7	1.8	2.8
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	2511	0	2511	.	4127	4000	127	5515	5500	15	6.4	6.0	3.3	4.0
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1328	0	1328	0	1492	0	1492	1895	0	1895	1.5	4.9	1.8	2.8
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1738	0	1738	.	9170	0	9170	13742	0	13742	23.1	8.4	3.3	4.0
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	4579	0	4579	0	8635	0	8635	11749	0	11749	8.3	6.4	3.3	4.0
HOOP AND STRP	6750	177	0	177	.	458	0	458	586	0	586	12.6	5.1	3.3	4.0
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	3833	0	3833	0	2245	0	2245	1938	0	1938	-6.5	-2.9	1.8	2.8
WIRE	6770	1888	0	1888	0	3152	0	3152	4208	4000	208	6.6	5.9	3.3	4.0
TUBES	6780	1303	0	1303	0	2691	0	2691	3032	0	3032	9.5	2.4	3.3	4.0
TOTALS		24550	0	24550	0	45153	11000	34153	59720	25500	34220	7.9	5.8		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		32410	0	32410	0	59911	13981	45930	79269	32602	46666	8.0	5.8		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		27654	0	27654	0	51118	11929	39189	67635	27818	39817	8.0	5.8		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	32410	0	32410	0	68487	13981	54506	96776	32602	64173	9.8	7.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.7			2.8			0.8	
1990 TO 1995					4.9			2.9			1.9	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIVIV. TONNE	32410	0	32410	0	49850	13931	35869	56160	32602	23557	5.5	2.4
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.1			2.8			-1.6	
1990 TO 1995					0.6			2.9			-2.2	

MADAGASCAR TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.						
GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP/POP	TO 1990-1990			
MILL. US\$	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$	MILL.	US\$ -75	MILL. US\$	MILL.	US\$ -75	1990	1995	1990	1995
1944	9.3	210	2400	11.6	207	2800	13.4	209	2.7	3.1	2.8	2.9	-0.2	0.2	

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995. TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.		EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	6970	.	6970	0	13807	7000	6807	18740	16000	2740	8.9	6.3	1.7	3.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	223	.	223	0	951	0	951	1468	0	1468	19.9	9.1	1.8	2.8
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	2511	0	2511	.	4635	4000	635	6531	5500	1031	8.0	7.1	3.3	4.0
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1328	0	1328	0	1800	0	1800	2512	0	2512	3.9	6.9	1.8	2.8
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1738	0	1738	.	10077	0	10077	15555	0	15555	24.6	9.1	3.3	4.0
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	4579	0	4579	0	9404	0	9404	13286	0	13286	9.4	7.2	3.3	4.0
HOOP AND STRP	6750	177	0	177	.	544	0	544	757	0	757	15.1	6.8	3.3	4.0
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	3833	0	3833	.	2368	0	2368	2184	0	2184	-5.8	-1.6	1.8	2.8
WIRE	6770	1888	0	1888	0	3418	0	3418	4739	4000	739	7.7	6.8	3.3	4.0
TUBES	6780	1303	0	1303	0	2895	0	2895	3440	0	3440	10.5	3.5	3.3	4.0
TOTALS		24550	0	24550	0	49899	11000	38899	69212	25500	43712	9.3	6.8		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		32410	0	32410	0	66190	13981	52209	91824	32602	59221	9.3	6.8		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		27654	0	27654	0	56476	11929	44546	73348	27818	50530	9.3	6.8		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE 1990-95	P.A.
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	32410	0	32410	0	74766	13981	60785	109334	32602	76731	11.0	7.9	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.7			2.8			0.8		
1990 TO 1995					4.9			2.9			1.9		

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE 1990-95	P.A.
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	32410	0	32410	0	56129	13981	42148	68719	32602	36116	7.1	4.1	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.1			2.8			-1.6		
1990 TO 1995					0.6			2.9			-2.2		

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731													0
BARS AND RODS	6732	6888	6163	7859	6970									6970
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	351	95	222	223									223
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3567	941	3026	2511									2511
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	840	573	2570	1328									1328
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	2123	1944	1147	1738									1738
TINPLATE	6747	864	1001	510	792									792
OTHER COAT. P	6748	3568	3121	4674	3788									3788
HOOP AND STRP	6750	179	222	129	177									177
RAILS	6761	100	1811	8034	3315									3315
OTHER RL TRCK	6762	50	187	1318	518									518
WIRE	6770	1593	1607	2464	1888									1888
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	1740	929	1240	1303									1303
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		21863	18594	33193	24550	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24550

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
A ROLLED PRODUCTS				
APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	21863	18594	33193	24550
OF WHICH:				
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	21863	18594	33193	24550
LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
TOTAL	55769	35692	59679	50380
SUPPLIED FROM:				
1 NET IMPORTS	55849	35796	59779	50475
OF WHICH:				
FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	80	104	100	95
NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	28909	24563	43759	32410
FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	26360	11130	15920	17970
2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	-80	-104	-100	-95
C ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	1500	1500	1500	1500

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	9.0	9.3	9.5	11.6	11.6	11.6	13.4	13.4	13.4
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	213.0	206.4	209.5	274.1	206.9	183.6	246.3	208.9	164.2
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	1920.7	1919.7	1990.0	2600.0	2400.0	2130.0	3300.0	2800.0	2200.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	200.4	153.5	166.4	250.0	200.0	180.0	330.0	230.0	190.0
BLDG AND CNSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	55.4	44.6	44.8	70.0	55.0	50.0	90.0	65.0	53.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	193.0	165.8	173.9	250.0	230.0	200.0	320.0	280.0	210.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BILLION MG. FR.									
EXPORTS	85.7	108.3	133.2	280.0	240.0	220.0	470.0	380.0	230.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-50.8	-71.4	-88.8	-150.0	-150.0	-150.0	-170.0	-170.0	-170.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS									
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	130.4	105.2	167.1	250.0	225.0	225.0	320.0	300.0	300.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	-17.4	6.5	-9.2	-30.0	-30.0	-30.0	-50.0	-50.0	-50.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	147.9	148.6	202.3	350.0	285.0	265.0	570.0	460.0	310.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO	BASE 1990		BASE 1990-1995		
	2.8	2.8		2.9			2.9		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	-0.1	3.7		2.7			3.1		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND

AVERAGES

VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

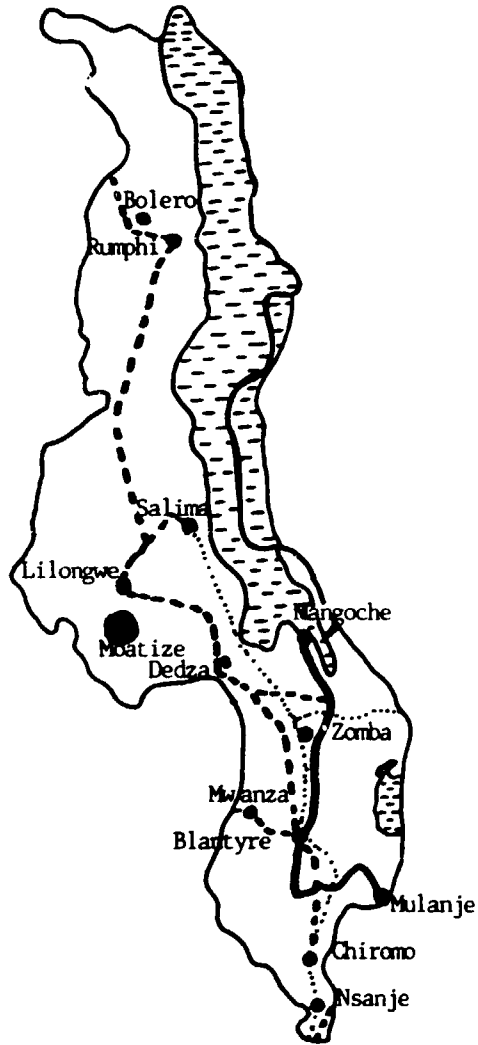
COUNTRY MADAGASCAR

SITC	1981		YEAR 1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
	MET. STRUCTURES	9480	8468	3902	2515	1816				2866	5066	4616	29
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	1561	1988	416	91	3100	1159	1692	1079	7
WIRE PRODUCTS	930	882	443	262	645	661	673	602	4
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	2050	16	1055	630	858	549	1321	632	4
HAND TOOLS	3370	516	1909	319	2551	321	2610	385	2
CUTLERY	454	0	22	0	363	24	280	8	0
DOM. UTENSILS	220	119	796	427	388	59	468	202	1
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	2516	454	2736	525	6267	1647	3840	875	6
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	514	121	415	78	684	136	538	112	1
RAIL, LOCOS ETC.	4406	886	6391	713	1788	222	4195	607	4
ROAD VEHICLES	34095	6540	22940	4698	35740	5096	30925	5445	34
BICYCLES ETC.	3784	1116	1660	513	2067	663	2504	764	5
HEATING, SANITARY	1202	423	388	163	754	543	781	376	2
FURNITURE	375	78	378	90	1327	185	693	118	1
TOTAL	64957	22307	43451	11024	58348	14131	55585	15821	100

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LEGEND

- - Iron ore (exploited)
- ◼ - Iron ore (unexploited)
- - Coal (exploited)
- - Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ - Natural gas
- ▲ - Steel plant(s)
- — — — — Railways
- - - - - Improved roads
- · · · · Unimproved roads

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The base case projections of GDP and its components up to 1990 are very close to those presented in Economic Report 1985 (Malawi Government). For the period 1990-1995 a similar trend has been continued.

For the period up to 1990 it is, as in the economic report assumed that the small holder agriculture will develop rapidly without substantial investment. This explains the apparent inconsistency between a relatively high overall growth rate and very low rates of growth in investment and building and construction for the first period.

For the period 1990 to 1995 investment and construction growth is slightly higher, reflecting a less stringent balance-of-payments situation. It is also for that period assumed that value added of the manufacturing sector increases faster than GDP, reflecting investment in the sector and an improvement in the transport conditions which now interrupts a steady supply of raw materials.

Development of steel consumption in the first period is for some items characterized by a strong growth from the relatively low levels of the base period. The decline in consumption of tubes and pipe can be ascribed to an initially high consumption which is gradually adjusted. In the 1990-1995 period, growth rates for the various items are more similar, indicating less change in the structure of consumption.

MALAWI TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995			
944	6.6	143	1300	8.6	151	1600	10.2	157	4.1	4.2	3.4	3.5	0.7	0.7

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMP/RT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	EXPL. TO 1990	EXPL. TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	3133	.	3133	0	5374	0	5374	7553	0	7553	7.0	7.0	0.0	2.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	343	.	343	.	692	0	692	864	0	864	9.2	4.5	1.4	1.9
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1372	.	1372	.	2889	0	2889	4246	0	4246	9.8	8.0	4.1	5.1
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1907	0	1907	.	4454	0	4454	5521	0	5521	11.2	4.4	1.4	1.9
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3814	0	3814	0	7144	0	7144	10482	0	10482	8.2	8.0	4.1	5.1
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	982	0	982	0	2105	0	2105	2900	0	2900	10.0	6.6	4.1	5.1
HOOP AND STRP	6750	94	0	94	0	299	0	299	396	0	396	15.6	5.8	4.1	5.1
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	444	0	444	0	627	0	627	764	0	764	4.4	4.0	1.4	1.9
WIRE	6770	1750	0	1750	0	2217	0	2217	3005	0	3005	3.0	6.3	4.1	5.1
TUBES	6780	4575	0	4575	.	2974	0	2974	2406	0	2406	-5.2	-4.2	4.1	5.1
TOTALS		18413	0	18413	0	28776	0	28776	38136	0	38136	5.7	5.8		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		25114	0	25114	0	38754	0	38754	51101	0	51101	5.6	5.7		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		21428	0	21428	0	33067	0	33067	43601	0	43601	5.6	5.7		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	25114	0	25114	0	52186	0	52186	75631	0	75631	9.6	7.7
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					5.0			3.4			1.6	
1990 TO 1995					5.2			3.5			1.6	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIVIV. TONNE	25114	0	25114	0	39455	0	39455	47077	0	47077	5.8	3.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.9			3.4			-1.4	
1990 TO 1995					1.8			3.5			-1.7	

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TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	
944	6.6	143	1300	8.6	151	1600	10.2	157	4.1	4.2	3.4	3.5	0.7	0.7

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH		RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	3133	.	3133	0	6095	0	6095	8994	0	8994	8.7	8.1	0.0	2.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	343	.	343	.	871	0	871	1221	0	1221	12.4	7.0	1.4	1.9
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1372	.	1372	.	3178	0	3178	4825	0	4825	11.1	8.7	4.1	5.1
PLATES, H.+ M	6740	1907	0	1907	0	4630	0	4630	5873	0	5873	11.7	4.9	1.4	1.9
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3814	0	3814	0	7662	0	7662	11516	0	11516	9.1	8.5	4.1	5.1
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	982	0	982	0	2544	0	2544	3777	0	3777	12.6	8.2	4.1	5.1
HOOP AND STRP	6750	94	0	94	0	348	0	348	494	0	494	17.8	7.3	4.1	5.1
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	444	0	444	0	697	0	697	905	0	905	5.8	5.4	1.4	1.9
WIRE	6770	1750	0	1750	0	2369	0	2369	3309	0	3309	-3.9	6.9	4.1	5.1
TUBES	6780	4575	0	4575	.	3091	0	3091	2639	0	2639	-4.8	-3.1	4.1	5.1
TOTALS		18413	0	18413	0	31484	0	31484	43552	0	43552	6.9	6.7		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		25114	0	25114	0	42340	0	42340	58266	0	58266	6.7	6.6		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		21428	0	21428	0	36126	0	36126	49715	0	49715	6.7	6.6		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	25114	0	25114	0	55767	0	55767	82796	0	82796	10.5	8.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP		POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					5.0		3.4			1.6		
1990 TO 1995					5.2		3.5			1.6		

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	25114	0	25114	0	43033	0	43033	54243	0	54243	7.0	4.7
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP		POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.9		3.4			-1.4		
1990 TO 1995					1.8		3.5			-1.7		

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731													0
BARS AND RODS	6732	3537	3511	2351	3133									3133
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	382	386	260	343									343
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1529	1547	1041	1372									1372
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	1068	2578	2074	1907									1907
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	2137	5155	4149	3814									3814
TINPLATE	6747	241	295	475	337									337
OTHER COAT. P	6748	1415	393	127	645									645
HOOP AND STRP	6750	97	99	85	94									94
RAILS	6761	650	678	4	444									444
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	1740	1740	1769	1750									1750
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	5658	5733	2335	4575									4575
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		18454	22115	14670	18413	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18413

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	18454	22115	14670	18413
	OF WHICH;				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	18454	22115	14670	18413
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	36729	40680	27209	34873
	SUPPLIED FROM;				
	1 NET IMPORTS	36729	40690	27232	34884
	OF WHICH;				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	0	10	23	11
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	25172	30246	19919	25112
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	11557	10434	7291	9761
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	-10	-23	-11
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	750	750	750	750

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	6.4	6.6	6.8	8.6	8.6	8.6	10.2	10.2	10.2
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	143.0	142.1	144.1	162.8	151.6	127.9	176.5	156.9	117.6
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	913.9	937.7	979.8	1400.0	1300.0	1100.0	1800.0	1600.0	1200.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	265.2	280.0	284.2	380.0	310.0	300.0	490.0	340.0	320.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	41.0	40.1	37.8	50.0	40.0	38.0	65.0	45.0	40.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	114.7	112.4	120.4	180.0	160.0	150.0	240.0	205.0	170.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION MK									
EXPORTS	257.5	255.5	270.6	1050.0	910.0	750.0	2300.0	1690.0	1300.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-146.3	-177.8	-207.2	-410.0	-410.0	-350.0	-690.0	-690.0	-500.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	73.3	81.7	65.8	180.0	150.0	150.0	300.0	210.0	210.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	14.1	-17.9	-4.7	40.0	20.0	20.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	32.3	68.1	108.3	-50.0	-50.0	-50.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	230.9	209.6	232.8	810.0	620.0	520.0	1850.0	1150.0	950.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983	TO BASE 1990		BASE 1990-1995		
	3.1	3.1		3.4			3.5		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	2.6	4.5		4.1			4.2		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND

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VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

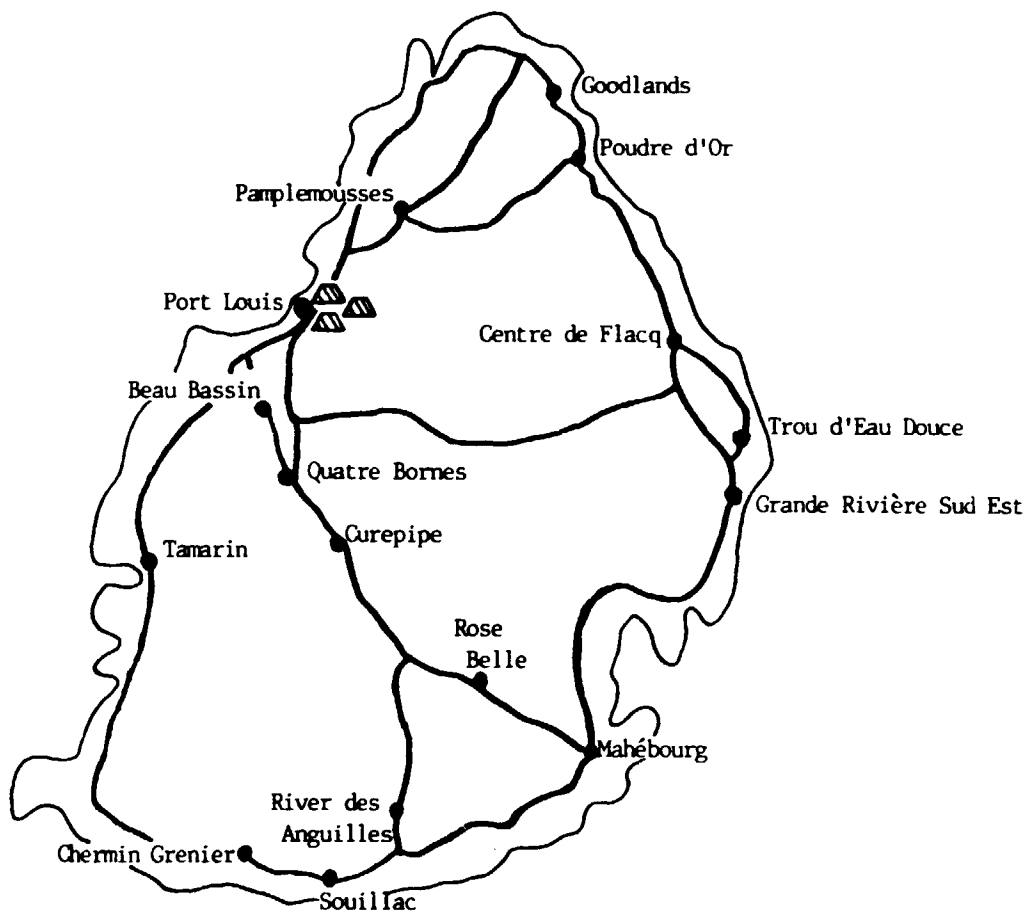
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	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	852	1715	1080	2015	346	460	759	1397	15
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	1009	625	73	7	39	25	374	219	2
WIRE PRODUCTS	754	358	250	138	193	143	399	213	2
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	1963	886	250	178	136	136	783	400	4
HAND TOOLS	1922	400	1536	490	624	250	1361	380	4
CUTLERY	445	126	428	31	198	21	357	59	1
DOM. UTENSILS	593	82	128	15	48	2	256	33	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	4220	702	3295	943	1101	276	2870	640	7
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	1802	276	406	62	358	61	855	133	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	1111	43	628	67	470	72	736	61	1
ROAD VEHICLES	17859	3072	23273	5342	23863	4799	21665	4404	49
BICYCLES ETC.	3768	2137	670	257	229	88	1556	827	9
HEATING, SANITARY	1287	309	465	145	198	71	650	175	2
FURNITURE	811	110	401	112	105	31	439	84	1
TOTAL	38396	10841	32883	9802	27908	6435	33062	9026	100

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MAURITIUS

Mauritius has a very small population, relatively high GDP per capita and a relatively well diversified economy. The economic projections are based on the World Bank projections for the period 1986-1990. These imply an overall rate of growth of 3.8 per cent per annum when actual development from the base period of 1981-83 up to 1985 has been taken into account. A trend of 4.6 per cent per annum which is similar to the one forecasted for the period 1986-90 has been assumed for the period 1990-1995. In both periods the manufacturing sector is assumed to increase its share of GDP providing growth impetus to the overall economy. Investment would increase at roughly the same rate as GDP. Given the low rate of population increase projected, GDP per capita will increase much faster than for the PTA/SADCC subregion as a whole.

The tendency for steel intensity to decline in the countries with relatively developed economies does not hold good generally for Mauritius. The major exception to this is the consumption of bars and rods which actually declines slightly in the first period and increases less than both projected value added of the building and construction industry and overall GDP in the period 1990-1995. Hoop and strip and tubes also register slow growth relative to their exploring variables. All the other items grow relatively fast. The high level and high rate of increase in GDP per capita is indicative of expanding demand. Particularly at Mauritius' high level of GDP per capita there would be a strong demand for consumer durables. Demand for rolled products will, however, be affected only to the extent these durables are produced in Mauritius. The scale of operation needed for efficient production of some durables may cast some doubt on the feasibility of production in a country of 1.2 million people and does therefore indicate the possibility for overestimation.

MAURITIUS TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
888	1.0	879	1200	1.1	1043	1500	1.2	1220	3.8	4.6	1.6	1.4	2.2	3.2

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION TO 1990-1995		GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	11084	6440	4644	0	11029	20000	-8971	13488	30000	-16512	-0.1	4.1	3.2	5.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	739	0	739	0	1267	0	1267	1639	0	1639	7.0	5.3	4.0	4.6
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	5466	2509	2957	0	9168	2000	7168	12810	30000	-17190	6.7	6.9	5.6	6.3
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1153	0	1153	0	2720	0	2720	3970	0	3970	11.3	7.9	4.0	4.6
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1258	0	1258	0	3200	0	3200	5400	0	5400	12.4	11.0	5.6	6.3
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	2241	0	2241	0	4800	0	4800	7385	0	7385	10.0	9.0	5.6	6.3
HOOP AND STRP	6750	620	0	620	0	706	0	706	829	0	829	1.6	3.3	5.6	6.3
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	48	0	48	0	100	0	100	140	0	140	9.6	7.0	4.0	4.6
WIRE	6770	1640	0	1640	0	3038	10000	-6962	4679	12000	-7321	8.0	9.0	5.6	6.3
TUBES	6780	2344	0	2344	0	3200	0	3200	3900	0	3900	4.0	4.0	5.6	6.3
TOTALS		26594	8949	17644	0	39228	32000	7228	54239	72000	-17761	5.0	6.7		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		34799	11374	23425	0	51723	41152	10571	71625	92088	-20463	5.1	6.7		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		29692	9705	19987	0	44132	35113	9020	61113	78573	-17460	5.1	6.7		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	34799	11374	23425	0	80339	41152	39187	120481	92088	28393	11.0	8.4
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990 TO 1995				GDP 5.9 5.2			POPULATION 1.6 1.4			GDP/CAPITA 4.2 3.7		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	34799	11374	23425	0	41613	41152	461	51397	92088	-40691	2.3	4.3
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990 TO 1995				GDP 1.5 1.9			POPULATION 1.6 1.4			GDP/CAPITA -0.1 0.6		

MAURITIUS TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995		POP TO 1990-1995		GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	
888	1.0	879	1200	1.1	1043	1500	1.2	1220	3.8	4.6	1.6	1.4	2.2	3.2

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	11084	6440	4644	0	11738	20000	-8262	14907	30000	-15093	0.7	4.9	3.2	5.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	739		739	0	1443	0	1443	1991	0	1991	8.7	6.7	4.0	4.6
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	5466	2509	2957		9453	2000	7453	13381	30000	-16619	7.1	7.2	5.6	6.3
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1153	0	1153	0	2893	0	2893	4317	0	4317	12.2	8.3	4.0	4.6
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1258	0	1258		3709	0	3709	6419	0	6419	14.5	11.6	5.6	6.3
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	2241	0	2241	0	5232	0	5232	8249	0	8249	11.2	9.5	5.6	6.3
HOOP AND STRP	6750	620	0	620	0	754	0	754	925	0	925	2.5	4.2	5.6	6.3
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	48	0	48		169	0	169	279	0	279	17.0	10.5	4.0	4.6
WIRE	6770	1640	0	1640	0	3188	0	3188	4977	12000	-7023	8.7	9.3	5.6	6.3
TUBES	6780	2344	0	2344	0	3315	0	3315	4129	0	4129	4.4	4.5	5.6	6.3
TOTALS		26594	8949	17644	0	41895	32000	9895	59573	72000	-12427	5.8	7.3		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		34799	11374	23425	0	55250	41152	14098	78681	92088	-13407	5.9	7.3		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		29692	9705	19987	0	47142	35113	12029	67134	78573	-11439	5.9	7.3		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT				
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	34799	11374	23425	0	83867	41152	42715	127538	92088	35450		11.6		8.7
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA			
1990 TO 1995					5.9			1.6			4.2			
					5.2			1.4			3.7			

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT				
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	34799	11374	23425	0	45140	41152	3988	58452	92088	-33636		3.3		5.3
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA			
1990 TO 1995					1.5			1.6			-0.1			
					1.9			1.4			0.6			

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	2521	1080	150	1250									1250
BARs AND RODS	6732	2207	5525	2449	3394	6440	6185	6696	6440					9834
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	609	842	707	739									739
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	2437	3367	3068	2957	2509	2714	2304	2509					5466
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	808	789	628	742									742
PLATES, MED.	6742	400	480	355	412									412
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1211	1080	1483	1258									1258
TINPLATE	6747	1157	1250	1376	1261									1261
OTHER COAT. P	6748	1000	1168	772	980									980
HOOP AND STRP	6750	500	612	747	620									620
RAILS	6761	50	92	1	48									48
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	1700	1672	1548	1640									1640
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	1102	1447	711	1087									1087
WELDED TUBES	6783	990	1579	1203	1257									1257
TOTALS		16692	20983	15258	17644	8949	8899	9000	8949	0	0	0	0	26594

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	25641	29882	24258	26594
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	16692	20983	15258	17644
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	8949	8899	9000	8949
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) ¹⁾				
	TOTAL	44857	45164	43104	44375
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	47099	40532	44320	43984
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	42	209	44	98
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	12875	5775	11909	10186
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	22170	27825	20282	23426
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	12012	6723	12085	10273
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	-2242	4632	-1216	391
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	4000	4000	4000	4000

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MAURITIUS TABLE 4

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	876.0	921.3	911.3	1272.7	1090.9	909.1	1500.0	1250.0	916.7
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	855.9	902.9	905.8	1400.0	1200.0	1000.0	1800.0	1500.0	1100.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	191.1	164.3	169.6	270.0	240.0	180.0	360.0	300.0	190.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	39.8	38.2	38.7	60.0	50.0	40.0	80.0	65.0	45.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	174.9	184.1	184.3	320.0	280.0	190.0	450.0	380.0	220.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION RS									
EXPORTS	2999.0	3985.0	4346.0	11500.0	9700.0	8000.0	19000.0	15000.0	12000.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-240.0	-500.0	-354.0	-500.0	-500.0	-400.0	-670.0	-670.0	-500.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	157.0	371.0	227.0	700.0	600.0	600.0	1000.0	800.0	800.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	406.0	524.0	-218.0	1700.0	1600.0	1600.0	2400.0	2100.0	2100.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	938.0	-67.0	503.0	-800.0	-800.0	800.0	-1200.0	-1200.0	-1200.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	4260.0	4313.0	4504.0	12600.0	10600.0	9000.0	20530.0	16030.0	13200.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983	TO BASE 1990		BASE 1990-	1995	
	1.4	1.4			1.6			1.4	
GDP CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	5.5	0.2			4.1			4.6	

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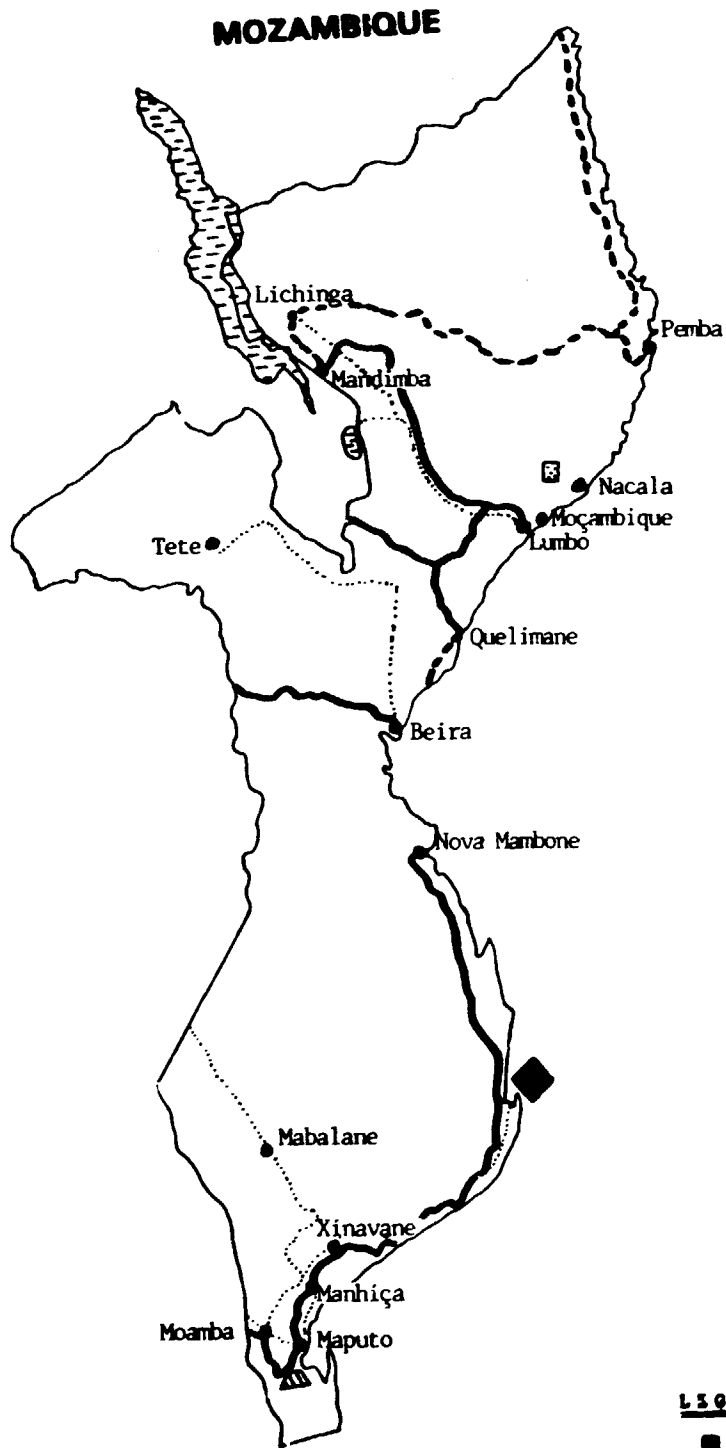
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VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	YEAR						AVERAGE		AVERAGE
	1981		1982		1983		VALUE	TONNES	IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE		
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	705	600	405	828	2465	2111	1192	1180	13
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	1317	245	896	322	852	558	1022	375	4
WIRE PRODUCTS	439	331	300	311	376	338	372	327	4
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	941	451	405	267	417	156	588	291	3
HAND TOOLS	1700	244	1412	295	1217	248	1443	262	3
CUTLERY	302	28	281	29	345	62	309	40	0
DOM. UTENSILS	1200	220	935	230	1551	538	1229	329	4
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	1644	406	1116	234	821	188	1194	276	3
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	1534	284	1580	333	2029	419	1714	345	4
RAIL, LOCOS ETC.	6324	2421	20	0	29	117	2124	846	10
ROAD VEHICLES	19334	5043	10861	2886	11762	3852	13986	3927	44
BICYCLES ETC.	1060	265	748	185	747	151	852	200	2
HEATING, SANITARY	1035	295	543	269	833	437	804	334	4
FURNITURE	230	59	266	130	557	282	351	157	2
TOTAL	37765	10892	19768	6319	24001	9457	27178	8889	100

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MOZAMBIQUE

From 1980 to 1983 Mozambique experienced an annual fall of 6.3 per cent in its GDP. Declines in value added were recorded in all sectors. Particularly rapid declines (of respectively 9.5 per cent and 7.8 per cent per annum) were recorded in agriculture and industries. Natural calamities from which the country has still not recovered and a major internal security problem caused by South African backed armed bands are major reasons for the country's difficulties.

Future economic development is only partly dependent on the world markets for the country's major export commodities. Most of all it depends on the extent to which South Africa continues its support of the armed bands and thereby inflicts severe damage on the economy. As this is dependent on internal developments in South Africa, economic projections are exceedingly difficult to make.

The GDP growth rate of just below 1 per cent for the period up to 1990 reflects an optimistic view, both with regard to internal security and with regard to the balance-of-payments. Exports will have to increase from present levels. Foreign exchange contributions from bilateral and multilateral donors will have to be stepped up. This would, given a better security situation, allow considerable investment for rehabilitation of the economy. Given a successful rehabilitation by the end of the decade the country could look forward to a stronger growth of production. A 3.7 per cent per annum growth is forecasted for the period 1990-1995.

The base period overall steel consumption per capita in Mozambique is very low. There are indications that the years after 1981-83 saw an even lower steel consumption. Therefore the return to more normal levels will in reality appear even more dramatic in terms of percentage growth than indicated in the table. Nevertheless, such an increase is possible and must be expected if the macro scenario sketched out above is realized. The period 1990-1995 would also be influenced by a catching-up effect which will furthermore be fuelled by a more rapid growth in the economy.

The overall low growth case projections does not appear to deviate dramatically from the base case. This is largely because the catching-up effect is so strong that economic growth plays a less important role as a driving force for steel demand. This effect would, however, be limited by foreign exchange availability (for import of both rolled products and raw materials). As the projection model used takes this into account only indirectly, steel consumption increase in the low growth case which assumes a tight balance-of-payments is likely to be overestimated.

MOZAMBIQUE TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTION

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP		POP		GDP/POP	
									TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1990
3270	11.1	295	3500	13.9	252	4200	15.9	264	0.9	3.7	2.9	2.7	-1.9	1.0

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION TO 1990-1995		GROWTH RATES PA. EXPL. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	1990	1995	1990	1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	9882	9733	149	.	19974	30000	-10026	27965	37000	-9035	9.2	7.0	0.8	3.3
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	157	.	157	.	1024	0	1024	1520	0	1520	26.4	8.2	2.7	4.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	780	0	780	.	2924	5000	-2076	4245	7000	-2755	18.0	7.7	1.6	3.7
PLATES, H. + M	6740	1234	0	1234	.	4683	0	4683	6898	0	6898	18.1	8.1	2.7	4.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	2469	0	2469	.	8724	0	8724	12781	0	12781	17.1	7.9	1.6	3.7
TIN & COAT. PL	6749	2235	0	2235	.	6916	0	6916	9838	0	9838	15.2	7.3	1.6	3.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	638	0	638	.	706	0	706	833	0	833	1.3	3.4	1.6	3.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	450	0	450	0	1328	0	1328	1840	0	1840	14.5	6.7	2.7	4.2
WIRE	6770	737	0	737	0	2788	0	2788	4109	0	4109	18.1	8.1	1.6	3.7
TUBES	6780	1827	0	1827	0	4136	0	4136	5408	0	5408	10.8	5.5	1.6	3.7
TOTALS		20410	9733	10676	0	53202	35000	18202	75437	44000	31437	12.7	7.2		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		26922	12371	14552	0	70660	44485	26175	100190	55924	44266	12.8	7.2		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		22971	10555	12416	0	60290	37956	22334	85486	47717	37769	12.8	7.2		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1995	1990	1995
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	26922	12371	14552	0	85299	44485	40814	134917	55924	78993	15.5		9.6	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES				GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				2.6			2.9			-0.3				
1990 TO 1995				6.2			2.7			3.4				

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1995	1990	1995
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	26922	12371	14552	0	59704	44485	15219	83774	55924	27850	10.5		7.0	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES				GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				-1.1			2.9			-3.8				
1990 TO 1995				3.1			2.7			0.4				

MOZAMBIQUE TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
3270	11.1	295	3500	13.9	252	4200	15.9	264	0.9	3.7	2.9	2.7	-1.9	1.0

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995. TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION TO 1990-1990		GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	1990	1995	1990	1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	9882	9733	149	.	23068	30000	-6932	34153	37000	-2847	11.2	8.2	0.8	3.3
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	157	.	157	.	1792	0	1792	3056	0	3056	35.6	11.3	2.7	4.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	780	0	780	.	4168	5000	-832	6735	7000	-265	23.3	10.1	1.6	3.7
PLATES. H. + M	6740	1234	0	1234	.	5439	0	5439	8410	0	8410	20.4	9.1	2.7	4.2
PLATES. LIGHT	6743	2469	0	2469	.	10945	0	10945	17224	0	17224	20.5	9.5	1.6	3.7
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	2235	0	2235	.	8801	0	8801	13607	0	13607	18.7	9.1	1.6	3.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	638	0	638	.	916	0	916	1252	0	1252	4.6	6.4	1.6	3.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	450	0	450	0	1630	0	1630	2445	0	2445	17.5	8.4	2.7	4.2
WIRE	6770	737	0	737	.	3439	0	3439	5412	0	5412	21.2	9.5	1.6	3.7
TUBES	6780	1827	0	1827	0	4636	0	4636	6409	0	6409	12.3	6.7	1.6	3.7
TOTALS		20410	9733	10676	0	64834	35000	29834	98701	44000	54701	15.5	8.8		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		26922	12371	14552	0	86048	44485	41563	130970	55924	75046	15.6	8.8		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		22971	10555	12416	0	73419	37956	35463	111749	47717	64032	15.6	8.8		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	26922	12371	14552	0	100689	44485	56204	165696	55924	109772	17.9	10.5
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES												
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					GDP		POPULATION		GDP/CAPITA			
1990 TO 1995					2.6		2.9		-0.3			
					6.2		2.7		3.4			

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	26922	12371	14552	0	75094	44485	30609	114551	55924	58627	13.7	8.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES												
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					GDP		POPULATION		GDP/CAPITA			
1990 TO 1995					-1.1		2.9		-3.8			
					3.1		2.7		0.4			

MOZAMBIQUE TABLE 3

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731													0
BARS AND RODS	6732	230	90	127	149	12700	8500	8000	9733					9882
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	32	200	240	157									157
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	400	980	960	780									780
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	1692	1415	596	1234									1234
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3385	2829	1192	2469									2469
TINPLATE	6747	5670	336	523	2176									2176
OTHER COAT. P	6748	129		46	58									58
HOOP AND STRP	6750	292	919	703	638									638
RAILS	6761	450	450	450	450									450
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	1028	526	657	737									737
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	2349	111	3022	1827									1827
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		15657	7856	8516	10676	12700	8500	8000	9733	0	0	0	0	20410

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	28357	16356	16516	20410
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	15657	7856	8516	10676
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	12700	8500	8000	9733
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	84531	60962	55159	66884
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	102048	50851	47529	66810
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	3	29	80	37
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	32663	0	1834	11499
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	21478	10495	11683	14552
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	47904	40327	33932	40721
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	-17516	10111	7630	75
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	3000	3000	3000	3000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

MOZAMBIQUE TABLE 4

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	10.8	11.1	11.4	13.9	13.9	13.9	15.9	15.9	15.9
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	316.0	298.7	270.4	287.7	251.8	215.8	339.6	264.1	220.1
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	3410.7	3315.2	3083.1	4000.0	3500.0	3000.0	5400.0	4200.0	3500.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	315.9	314.2	317.7	480.0	390.0	320.0	640.0	480.0	370.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	165.8	159.1	154.0	200.0	170.0	150.0	260.0	200.0	170.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	250.6	210.5	200.0	280.0	250.0	230.0	380.0	300.0	270.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BILLION MT									
EXPORTS	9.9	8.7	5.3	15.0	11.0	9.0	30.0	20.0	14.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-2.6	-4.2	-4.5	-5.0	-5.0	-5.0	-5.0	-5.0	-5.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	16.5	17.9	6.4	20.0	18.0	18.0	26.0	24.0	24.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET							15.0	10.0	10.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	-0.1	3.9	14.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	23.7	26.3	21.2	35.0	29.0	27.0	71.0	54.0	48.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	2.9	2.9		2.9			2.7		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	-2.8	-7.0		1.8			3.7		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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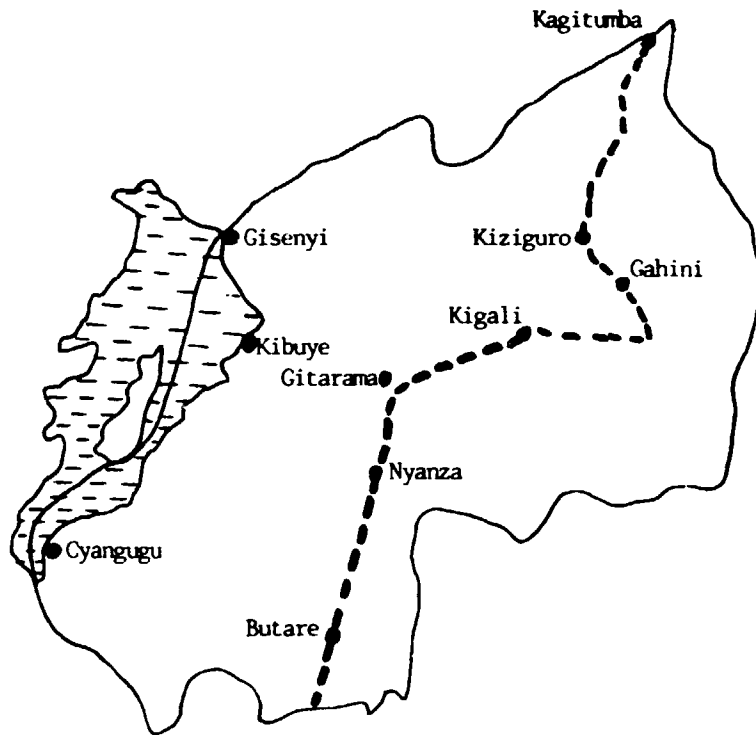
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	12197	15217	17569	13617	9282	9430	13016	12755	33
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	426	109	510	397	1179	1138	705	548	1
WIRE PRODUCTS	31152	16316	11223	6227	3427	1306	15267	7950	21
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	1018	592	1475	1274	792	308	1095	725	2
HAND TOOLS	2004	397	6464	1043	5249	925	4572	788	2
CUTLERY	361	52	243	30	470	83	358	55	0
DOM. UTENSILS	101	4	253	20	417	28	257	17	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	10940	1956	6888	1683	7919	2486	8582	2042	5
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	396	45	507	73	714	75	539	64	0
RAIL, LOCOS ETC.	20477	795	16642	1201	19473	3646	18864	1881	5
ROAD VEHICLES	37645	7172	53578	11670	50875	10595	47366	9812	25
BICYCLES ETC.	1834	442	2708	1057	3472	3012	2671	1504	4
HEATING, SANITARY	2423	542	1314	501	632	167	1456	403	1
FURNITURE	1090	102	571	154	1409	435	1023	230	1
TOTAL	122064	43741	119945	38947	105310	33634	115773	38774	100

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- = Iron ore (exploited)
- = Iron ore (unexploited)
- = Coal (exploited)
- = Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ = Natural gas
- ▲ = Steel plant(s)
- = Railways
- ==== = Improved roads
- - - - = Unimproved roads

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During the last ten years Rwanda has experienced a steady GDP growth of above 4 per cent per annum. Government policies as well as favourable weather conditions, terms of trade and capital inflows helped acceleration of growth in the latter half of the 70s. Since 1983, however, a tendency to a slackening pace has occurred mainly due to a more adverse development in external and natural conditions. The projection, based on World Bank assessment, assumes that these factors will negatively influence economic growth up to 1990. The period from 1990 to 1995 will, however, see renewed growth, with the manufacturing sector increasing its share of GDP.

Steel consumption, was less depressed in the base period 1981-83 than in many other PTA countries. The overall rate of consumption increase up to 1990 is therefore only slightly over the GDP growth rate, consumption of heavy and medium plates falling mainly as a result of initially high levels. The faster economic growth and investment projected for the period from 1990 to 1995, implying a rise in GDP per capita will considerably boost consumption of all items. The consumption of plate, where a fall is projected is notoriously hard to forecast and the outturn may change depending on the composition of investment projects.

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757	5.2	146	980	7.0	140	1200	8.3	145	3.3	4.1	3.8	3.5	-0.5	0.6

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	EXPL. TO 1990	EXPL. TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	2934	.	2934	.	3652	0	3652	5150	0	5150	2.8	7.1	4.2	3.7
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	255	.	255	.	380	0	380	486	0	486	5.1	5.0	3.5	4.0
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1022	0	1022	.	2475	0	2475	3615	0	3615	11.7	7.9	3.5	4.6
PLATES, H. + M	6740	2337	0	2337	.	1795	0	1795	2056	0	2056	-3.2	2.8	3.5	4.0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	4572	0	4572	.	6472	0	6472	8871	0	8871	4.4	6.5	3.5	4.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	3879	0	3879	.	5876	0	5876	7924	0	7924	5.3	6.2	3.5	4.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	66	0	66	.	90	0	90	120	0	120	4.0	5.9	3.5	4.6
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	63	0	63	0	65	0	65	67	0	67	0.4	0.6	3.5	4.0
WIRE	6770	860	0	860	.	1620	0	1620	2337	0	2337	8.2	7.6	3.5	4.6
TUBES	6780	2238	0	2238	.	1925	0	1925	1746	0	1746	-1.9	-1.9	3.5	4.6
TOTALS		18225	0	18225	0	24348	0	24348	32370	0	32370	3.7	5.9		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		24743	0	24743	0	32762	0	32762	43386	0	43386	3.6	5.8		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		21112	0	21112	0	27954	0	27954	37018	0	37018	3.6	5.8		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	24743	0	24743	0	37616	0	37616	52536	0	52536	5.4	6.9
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					4.5			3.8			0.7	
1990 TO 1995					6.1			3.5			2.5	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	24743	0	24743	0	28951	0	28951	34449	0	34449	2.0	3.5
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.9			3.8			-1.8	
1990 TO 1995					2.2			3.5			-1.2	

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GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA US\$	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
757	5.2	146	980	7.0	140	1200	8.3	145	3.3	4.1	3.8	3.5	-0.5 0.6

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	EXPL. TO 1990	EXPL. TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	2934	.	2934	.	4574	0	4574	6994	0	6994	5.7	8.0	4.2	3.7
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	255	.	255	.	608	0	608	943	0	943	11.5	9.2	3.5	4.0
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1022	0	1022	.	2846	0	2846	4357	0	4357	13.7	8.9	3.5	4.6
PLATES, H. + M	6740	2337	0	2337	.	2020	0	2020	2506	0	2506	-1.8	4.4	3.5	4.0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	4572	0	4572	.	7134	0	7134	10195	0	10195	5.7	7.4	3.5	4.6
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	3879	0	3879	.	6437	0	6437	9048	0	9048	6.5	7.0	3.5	4.6
HOOP AND STRP	6750	66	0	66	.	152	0	152	245	0	245	11.0	10.0	3.5	4.6
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	63	0	63	0	155	0	155	247	0	247	11.9	9.8	3.5	4.0
WIRE	6770	860	0	860	.	1814	0	1814	2725	0	2725	9.8	8.5	3.5	4.6
TUBES	6780	2238	0	2238	.	2074	0	2074	2044	0	2044	-0.9	-0.3	3.5	1.6
TOTALS		18225	0	18225	0	27816	0	27816	39305	0	39305	5.4	7.2		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		24743	0	24743	0	37345	0	37345	52556	0	52556	5.3	7.1		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		21112	0	21112	0	31864	0	31864	44843	0	44843	5.3	7.1		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1995	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	24743	0	24743	0	42205	0	42205	61709	0	61709	6.9	7.9	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA					
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.8			0.7					
1990 TO 1995					3.5			2.5					

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1995	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	24743	0	24743	0	33540	0	33540	43624	0	43624	3.9	5.4	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA					
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.8			-1.8					
1990 TO 1995					3.5			-1.2					

RWANDA TABLE 3

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS				APP. CONS AV 81-83
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	
WIRE RODS	6731			6	2									2
BARS AND RODS	6732	2537	2345	3914	2932									2932
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	277	242	246	255									255
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	1112	968	985	1022									1022
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	1239	2842	2722	2268									2268
PLATES, MED.	6742	32	76	99	69									69
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	2586	5685	5445	4572									4572
TINPLATE	6747													0
OTHER COAT. P	6748	4900	4849	1888	3879									3879
HOOP AND STRP	6750	68	63	68	66									66
RAILS	6761		185	3	63									63
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	1122	503	955	860									860
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	1938	2676	2099	2238									2238
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		15811	20434	18430	18225	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18225

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	15811	20434	18430	18225
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	15811	20434	18430	18225
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	29866	40891	38407	36388
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	29866	40891	38407	36388
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	21381	27893	24951	24741
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	8486	12998	13456	11647
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	0	0	0
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	1000	1000	1000	1000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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YEAR	ACTUALS ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	5.0	5.2	5.4	7.0	7.0	7.0	8.3	8.3	8.3
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	148.0	147.5	142.1	154.3	140.0	125.7	174.7	144.8	118.1
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	737.7	767.2	767.2	1080.0	980.0	880.0	1450.0	1200.0	980.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	108.1	105.0	105.0	160.0	140.0	110.0	230.0	170.0	120.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	33.2	37.6	38.0	60.0	50.0	40.0	85.0	60.0	45.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	99.2	109.5	110.0	150.0	140.0	130.0	190.0	175.0	150.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BILLION RWF									
EXPORTS	10.5	10.8	0.0	23.5	21.2	19.1	41.3	34.6	32.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-7.3	-7.4	0.0	-12.0	-12.0	-12.0	-16.0	-16.0	-16.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	12.2	11.8	0.0	21.0	19.3	19.3	28.0	25.5	25.5
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	1.9	1.8	0.0	3.3	2.9	2.9	4.4	3.8	3.8
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	2.0	3.3	0.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	19.2	20.3	0.0	39.8	35.4	33.3	62.7	52.9	50.3
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO BASE 1990	BASE 1990		BASE 1990-1995		
	3.6	3.6		3.8	3.8		3.8		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	4.0	0.0		3.6			4.1		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
COUNTRY RWANDA

AVERAGES

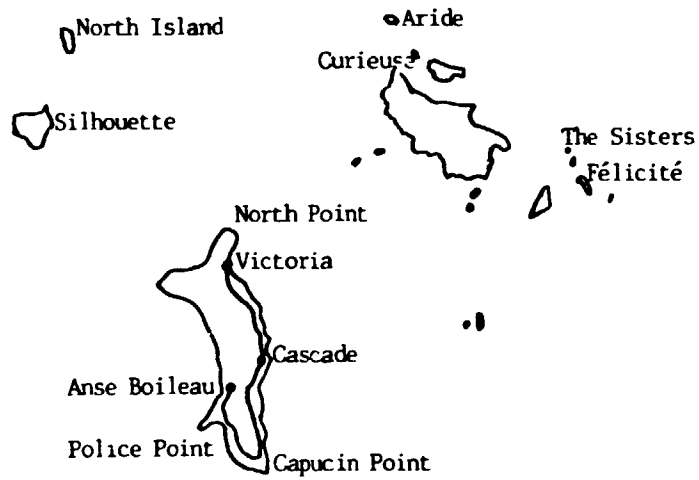
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

SITC	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
MET. STRUCTURES	2494	2656	2333	2533	1137	899	1988	2029	18
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	280	173	90	60	458	679	276	304	3
WIRE PRODUCTS	357	272	600	488	377	316	445	359	3
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	221	154	326	206	157	112	235	157	1
HAND TOOLS	1129	345	813	140	1023	262	988	249	2
CUTLERY	156	11	18	0	106	6	93	6	0
DOM. UTENSILS	276	33	415	55	154	21	282	36	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	1552	291	1543	302	769	155	1288	249	2
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	455	106	506	114	416	71	459	97	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	97	34	129	42	29	71	85	49	0
ROAD VEHICLES	17874	3310	29383	7570	31757	8693	26338	6524	56
BICYCLES ETC.	1670	610	1674	751	4030	1770	2458	1044	9
HEATING, SANITARY	364	120	505	291	532	225	467	212	2
FURNITURE	927	246	1155	339	572	142	885	242	2
TOTAL	27852	8361	39490	12891	41517	13422	36286	11558	100

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LEGEND

- = Iron ore (exploited)
- = Iron ore (unexploited)
- = Coal (exploited)
- = Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ = Natural gas
- ▲ = Steel plant(s)
- = Railways
- ==== = Improved roads
- - - - = Unimproved roads

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In terms of population, area and GDP Seychelles is the smallest country of the PTA. A demand projection method, which does not specifically take into account major development projects and particular sectoral developments is not quite satisfactory for such a country. Adjustments have therefore been made to model results.

The negative record of overall economic growth for the most recent years is not encouraging. In making projections, account has been taken of the country's ambitious National Development Plan 1985-89. It is assumed that a strong expansion in the exchange receipts from tourism and fisheries will give room for an expansion of the manufacturing sector up to 1990. In the period after a long term growth rate of 3.7 per cent will give rise to considerable increase in GDP per capita given the relatively low population growth projected for the Seychelles.

Given the relatively high level of GDP per capita, the tiny market, and a very high per capita steel consumption in the base year, overall steel consumption growth has been projected at a level slightly under the rate of growth of GDP. Abnormally high or abnormally low (in relation to overall average) consumption have been assumed to develop towards a more 'normal' level over the two periods. The forecast is not built on detailed assumptions on development projects envisaged and should therefore be considered tentative.

SEYCHELLES TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION LATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION LATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION LATION MILL. US\$ -75	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP		POP		GDP/POP	
									TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1995
60	0.1	600	75	0.1	682	90	0.1	750	2.8	3.7	1.2	1.8	1.6	1.9

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. CONSUMPTION EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1995	TO 1990-1990	TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	604	.	604	0	730	0	730	980	0	980	2.4	6.1	2.8	3.7
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	37	.	37	.	50	0	50	60	0	60	3.8	3.7	2.5	3.3
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	151	.	151	.	220	0	220	270	0	270	4.8	4.2	5.2	3.1
PLATES, H. + M	6740	0	0	0	.	5	0	5	6	0	6	.	3.7	2.5	3.3
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	432	.	432	.	460	0	460	480	0	480	0.8	0.9	5.2	3.1
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	377	0	377	.	400	0	400	420	0	420	0.7	1.0	5.2	3.1
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1	0	1	.	30	0	30	54	0	54	53.0	12.5	5.2	3.1
RAILS + MATER.	6760	0	0	0	.	0	0	0	0	0	0			5.2	3.3
WIRE	6770	5	0	5	.	7	0	7	9	0	9	4.3	5.2	5.2	3.1
TUBES	6780	243	0	243	.	300	0	300	360	0	360	2.7	3.7	5.2	3.1
TOTALS		1850	0	1850	0	2202	0	2202	2639	0	2639	2.2	3.7		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		2471	0	2471	0	2934	0	2934	3504	0	3504	2.2	3.6		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		2108	0	2108	0	2503	0	2503	2990	0	2990	2.2	3.6		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	2471	0	2471	0	3278	0	3278	3958	0	3958		3.6	3.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.7			1.2			2.4		
1990 TO 1995					4.6			1.8			2.8		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIVIV. TONNE	2471	0	2471	0	2624	0	2624	2929	0	2929		0.8	2.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.0			1.2			-0.2		
1990 TO 1995					1.5			1.8			-0.3		

SEYCHELLES TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
60	0.1	600	75	0.1	682	90	0.1	750	2.8	3.7	1.2	1.8	1.6	1.9

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. CONSUMPTION EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	604	.	604	0	951	0	951	1423	0	1423	5.8	8.4	2.8	3.7
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	37	.	37	.	105	0	105	170	0	170	13.9	10.1	2.5	3.3
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	151	.	151	.	309	0	309	448	0	448	9.4	7.7	5.2	3.1
PLATES, H.+ M	6740	0	0	0	.	59	0	59	114	0	114	.	14.1	2.5	3.3
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	432	.	432	.	619	0	619	798	0	798	4.6	5.2	5.2	3.1
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	377	0	377	.	535	0	535	690	0	690	4.5	5.2	5.2	3.1
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1	0	1	.	45	0	45	84	0	84	60.9	13.3	5.2	3.1
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	0	0	0	.	22	0	22	43	0	43	.	14.3	2.5	3.3
WIRE	6770	5	0	5	.	54	0	54	102	0	102	34.6	13.6	5.2	3.1
TUBES	6780	243	0	243	.	336	0	336	432	0	432	4.1	5.2	5.2	3.1
TOTALS		1850	0	1850	0	3034	0	3034	4302	0	4302	6.4	7.2		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		2471	0	2471	0	4036	0	4036	5707	0	5707	6.3	7.2		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		2108	0	2108	0	3444	0	3444	4869	0	4869	6.3	7.2		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT				
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	2471	0	2471	0	4379	0	4379	6150	0	6159			7.4	7.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES														
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP 3.7			POPULATION 1.2			GDP/CAPITA 2.4				
1990 TO 1995				GDP 4.6			POPULATION 1.8			GDP/CAPITA 2.8				

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990		CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT				
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	2471	0	2471	0	3724	0	3724	5130	0	5130			5.3	6.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES														
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990				GDP 1.0			POPULATION 1.2			GDP/CAPITA -0.2				
1990 TO 1995				GDP 1.5			POPULATION 1.8			GDP/CAPITA -0.3				

SEYCHELLES TABLE 3

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	316	508	60	295									295
BARS AND RODS	6732	489	111	328	309									309
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	57	30	25	37									37
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	220	122	111	151									151
PLATES, HEAVY	6741													0
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	515	390	390	432									432
TINPLATE	6747	260	190	190	213									213
OTHER COAT. P.	6748	190	150	150	163									163
HOOP AND STRP	6750		2	2	1									1
RAILS	6761													0
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770		8	6	5									5
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	300	250	180	243									243
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		2347	1761	1442	1850	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1850

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	2347	1761	1442	1850
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	2347	1761	1442	1850
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	6757	5854	4309	5640
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	6757	5854	4309	5640
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	3128	2353	1933	2471
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	3630	3502	2376	3169
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	0	0	0	0
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	0	0	0	0

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

SEYCHELLES TABLE 4

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	941.7	920.2	948.8	1141.2	1070.0	927.2	1305.5	1175.0	913.8
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	59.8	58.8	61.1	80.0	75.0	65.0	100.0	90.0	70.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL. US\$ (1975)	14.5	13.8	13.8	20.0	17.0	15.0	28.0	20.0	16.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	5.2	3.6	3.8	6.0	5.0	4.0	8.0	6.0	4.5
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	4.3	4.4	4.3	6.0	5.5	5.0	8.0	7.0	6.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION US\$									
EXPORTS	4.6	3.9	5.1	9.2	8.3	7.8	14.3	11.9	10.5
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	40.9	27.4	29.5	65.0	55.0	50.0	110.0	90.0	75.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	19.5	32.6	24.5	40.0	35.0	30.0	55.0	45.0	40.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	1.4	3.7	4.4	7.0	6.0	6.0	9.3	8.0	8.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	12.8	15.4	11.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	79.2	83.0	74.5	131.2	114.3	103.0	198.6	164.9	143.5
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983	TO BASE 1990		BASE 1990-1995		
	0.6	0.6		1.4			1.8		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	-1.7	3.9		1.0			1.0		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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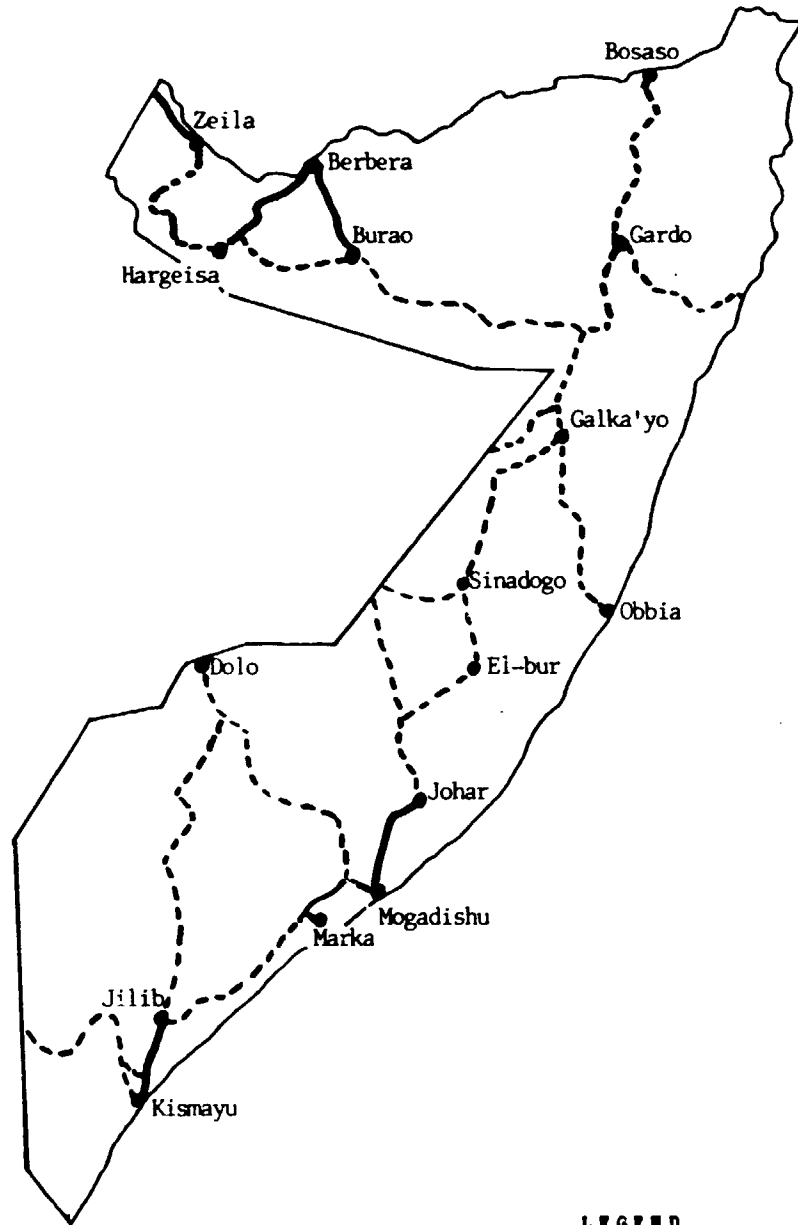
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	798	658	887	1024	573	409	753	697	25
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	372	296	82	18	53	11	169	108	4
WIRE PRODUCTS	236	242	344	376	116	136	232	251	9
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	328	47	309	152	250	116	296	105	4
HAND TOOLS	407	23	658	102	387	107	484	77	3
CUTLERY	115	4	125	25	86	8	109	12	0
DOM. UTENSILS	756	134	539	131	428	81	574	115	4
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	385	139	136	23	187	48	236	70	3
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	1801	332	1239	157	934	228	1325	239	9
RAIL, LOCOS ETC.	.	.	10	1	.	.	3	0	0
ROAD VEHICLES	3464	635	3232	630	2581	512	3092	592	21
BICYCLES ETC.	150	114	103	24	103	30	119	56	2
HEATING, SANITARY	722	322	708	173	437	178	622	224	8
FURNITURE	669	209	1166	238	531	225	789	224	8
TOTAL	10203	3155	9538	3074	6666	2089	8802	2773	100

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SOMALIA

Although National Accounts data in Somalia are weak it is clear that a major upswing took place in the economy from 1980-81 from the very depressed levels of the late 70s.

In terms of GDP growth rates, the economic projections cover a range from 5 per cent to under 1 per cent per annum, the former reflecting an optimistic government view and the latter an unfavourable scenario with reoccurrence of drought, lower aid inflows and worsening balance-of-payments. A middle situation implying a growth rate of just over 2 per cent per annum has been selected as a base case for both projection periods.

The steel demand projection indicates an overall growth well above the GDP growth rate for both periods, reflecting a substantial catch up effect from the exceedingly low levels of consumption per capita which prevailed in the base period 1981-83. Also, most strikingly in the period up to 1990, the structure of consumption changes to from the one recorded in available import statistics to one which is more in line with the average for the subregion.

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TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TU. 1990- 1990	POP TO 1990- 1990	GDP/POP TO 1990- 1990	GDP TU. 1995- 1995	POP TO 1995- 1995	GDP/POP TO 1995- 1995
603	5.0	121	720	6.0	120	800	6.5	123	2.2	2.1	2.3	1.6	-0.1	0.5

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION		GROWTH RATES PA. EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	713	.	713	.	1163	0	1163	1722	0	1722	6.3	8.2	1.7	2.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	147	.	147	.	335	0	335	426	0	426	10.8	4.9	1.7	2.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	567	0	567	.	619	0	619	810	0	810	1.1	5.5	2.6	2.7
PLATES, H. + M	6740	308	0	308	.	1350	0	1350	1900	0	1900	20.3	7.1	1.7	2.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	112	0	112	.	570	0	570	920	0	920	22.6	10.0	2.6	2.7
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1323	0	1323	.	1660	0	1660	2101	0	2101	2.9	4.8	2.6	2.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	323	0	323	.	279	0	279	277	0	277	-1.8	-0.1	2.6	2.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	60	0	60	.	344	0	344	433	0	433	24.4	4.7	1.7	2.2
WIRE	6770	552	0	552	.	650	0	650	730	0	730	2.1	2.3	2.6	2.7
TUBES	6780	1696	0	1696	.	2188	0	2188	2320	0	2320	3.2	1.2	2.6	2.7
TOTALS		5800	0	5800	.	9158	0	9158	11638	0	11638	5.9	4.9		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		7897	0	7897	.	12502	0	12502	15839	0	15839	5.9	4.8		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		6738	0	6738	.	10667	0	10667	13515	0	13515	5.9	4.8		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION		GROWTH RATE PA.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	7897	0	7897	.	16410	0	16410	23850	0	23850		9.6		7.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES														
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990														
1990 TO 1995														

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION		GROWTH RATE PA.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	7897	0	7897	.	9015	0	9015	10847	0	10847		1.7		3.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES														
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990														
1990 TO 1995														

SOMALIA TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
603	5.0	121	720	6.0	120	800	6.5	123	2.2	2.1	2.3	1.6	-0.1	0.5

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990	TO 1995	TO 1990	TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	73	.	713	.	4910	0	4910	9216	0	9216	27.3	13.4	1.7	2.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	147	.	147	.	1265	0	1265	2285	0	2285	30.9	12.6	1.7	2.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	567	0	567	.	2126	0	2126	3824	0	3824	18.0	12.5	2.6	2.7
PLATES, H. + M	6740	308	0	308	.	2266	0	2266	3731	0	3731	28.3	10.5	1.7	2.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	112	0	112	.	3261	0	3261	6301	0	6301	52.4	14.1	2.6	2.7
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	1323	0	1323	.	3942	0	3942	6665	0	6665	14.6	11.1	2.6	2.7
HOOP AND STRP	6750	323	0	323	.	532	0	532	784	0	784	6.4	8.1	2.6	2.7
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	60	0	60	.	710	0	710	1166	0	1166	36.2	10.4	1.7	2.2
WIRE	6770	552	0	552	.	1439	0	1439	2308	0	2308	12.7	9.9	2.6	2.7
TUBES	6780	1696	0	1696	.	2793	0	2793	3531	0	3531	6.4	4.8	2.6	2.7
TOTALS		5800	0	5800	.	23244	0	23244	39811	0	39811	18.9	11.4		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		7897	0	7897	.	31137	0	31137	53110	0	53110	18.7	11.3		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		6738	0	6738	.	26568	0	26568	45316	0	45316	18.7	11.3		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	7897	0	7897	.	35048	0	35048	61118	0	61118	20.5	11.8
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.3			1.6				
1990 TO 1995					1.6			2.4				

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE P.A. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	7897	0	7897	.	27650	0	27650	48117	0	48117	17.0	11.7
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.3			-1.9				
1990 TO 1995					1.6			-0.7				

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731													0
BARS AND RODS	6732	470	890	780	713									713
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	100	180	160	147									147
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	370	710	620	567									567
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	50	95	83	76									
PLATES, MED.	6742	153	290	254	232									
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	73	140	123	112									12
TINPLATE	6747	8	15	13	12									1311
OTHER COAT. P	6748	863	1637	1434	1311									323
HOOP AND STRP	6750	212	403	353	323									60
RAILS	6761	40	75	65	60									0
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													552
WIRE	6770	363	689	603	552									891
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	586	1112	975	891									805
WELDED TUBES	6783	509	965	940	805									
TOTALS		3797	7201	6403	5800	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5800

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	3797	7201	6403	5800
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	3797	7201	6403	5800
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)	36671	55686	72833	55063
	TOTAL				
	SUPPLIED FROM:	36896	55692	73233	55273
	1 NET IMPORTS				
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	3	6	400	136
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	222	0	0	74
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	5167	9799	8723	7896
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	31504	45887	64109	47167
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	-225	-6	-400	-210
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	2500	2500	2500	2500

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	4.8	5.0	5.2	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.5
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	118.0	122.2	120.1	136.6	120.0	103.3	153.0	123.0	100.0
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	572.3	611.1	624.7	820.0	720.0	620.0	1000.0	800.0	650.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	149.8	152.2	145.7	200.0	170.0	145.0	255.0	190.0	150.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	33.0	34.4	36.6	50.0	40.0	35.0	65.0	45.0	38.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	55.3	56.8	58.4	75.0	70.0	60.0	90.0	80.0	65.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION US\$									
EXPORTS	114.0	137.0	100.0	220.0	200.0	190.0	360.0	325.0	310.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	63.0	20.0	23.0	40.0	35.0	35.0	55.0	45.0	45.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	229.0	280.0	248.0	430.0	410.0	410.0	570.0	540.0	540.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET									
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	16.0	47.0	79.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	30.0	30.0	30.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	422.0	484.0	450.0	730.0	685.0	675.0	1015.0	940.0	925.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	3.9	3.9		2.1			1.6		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	6.8	2.2		2.1			2.1		

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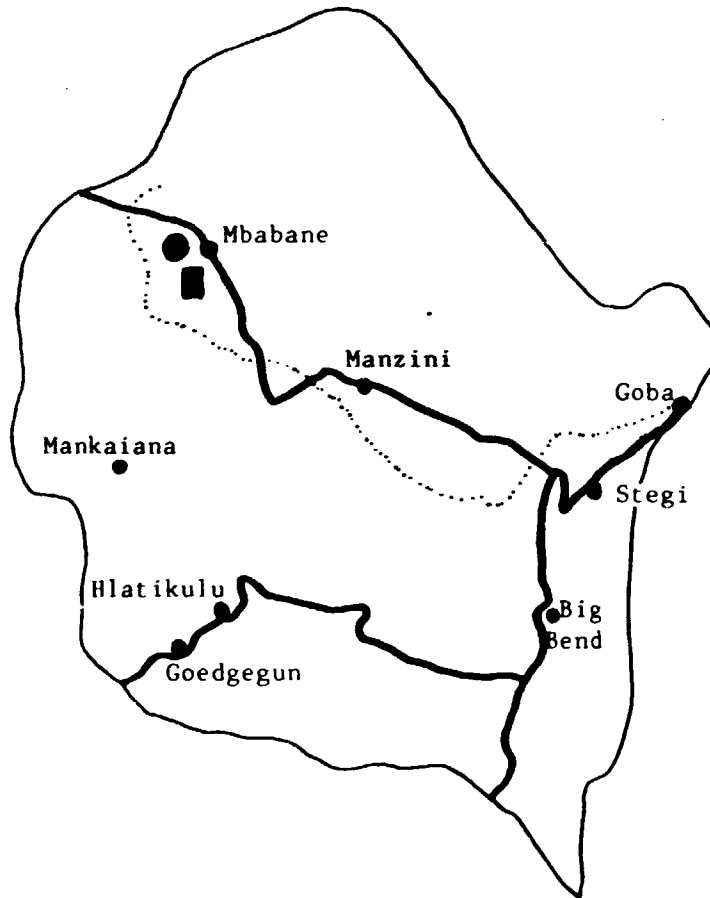
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	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
	YEAR								
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	2993	2275	10994	7956	14783	9017	9590	6416	14
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	449	227	9583	3586	6424	5539	5485	3117	7
WIRE PRODUCTS	309	282	1284	1008	3390	4898	1661	2063	4
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	371	440	1209	1373	1819	2427	1133	1413	3
HAND TOOLS	2760	768	3257	825	4992	2010	3670	1201	3
CUTLERY	130	0	44	5	407	267	194	91	0
DOM. UTENSILS	1659	303	1813	426	2435	654	1969	461	1
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	6829	1415	5860	1424	7966	2235	6885	1691	4
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	948	221	1958	531	2305	576	1737	443	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	5	5	78	122	2193	1480	759	536	1
ROAD VEHICLES	113080	24190	116537	22225	128011	27704	119209	24706	53
BICYCLES ETC.	739	278	3361	1465	3621	1536	2574	1093	2
HEATING, SANITARY	571	272	1790	970	3560	1533	1974	925	2
FURNITURE	1624	750	6604	3680	9281	3965	5836	2798	6
TOTAL	132467	31426	164372	45596	191187	62841	162675	46954	100

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- = Improved roads
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SWAZILAND

Swaziland is one of the mini-economies of PTA/SADCC where forecasts are difficult to make, because of the size and structure of the economy but and because of its proximity to and linkages with South Africa. Economic projections up to 1990 have been based on macro projections in Swaziland's Fourth National Development Plan. Although the country's consumption of rolled steel products per capita is quite high, the projection methodology chosen, using the very high per capita GDP as an explanatory variable makes for an even higher consumption. Partly, this problem also is related to the structure of steel consumption in Swaziland, where an unusual large number of products are imported from South Africa in their final forms instead of being produced in the country on the basis of rolled products. As this can be expected to continue for some time, the projections produced by the straight forward application of the model have been scaled down.

SWAZILAND TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995		POP TO 1990-1995		GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	
521	0.6	840	620	0.8	785	720	0.9	774	2.2	3.0	3.1	3.3	-0.9	-0.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	RATE TO 1990	RATE TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	112	.	112	.	548	0	548	1247	0	1247	22.0	17.9	0.5	1.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	759	.	759	.	820	0	820	880	0	880	1.0	1.4	0.7	2.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3035	.	3035	.	3985	0	3985	4747	0	4747	3.5	3.6	2.8	2.9
PLATES, H. + M	6740	57	.	57	.	120	0	120	150	0	150	9.8	4.6	0.7	2.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	118	.	118	.	245	0	245	320	0	320	9.6	5.5	2.8	2.9
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	2692	.	2692	.	3980	0	3980	5280	0	5280	5.0	5.8	2.8	2.9
HOOP AND STRP	6750	212	.	212	.	221	0	221	241	0	241	0.5	1.7	2.8	2.9
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	40	.	40	.	72	0	72	103	0	103	7.6	7.4	0.7	2.2
WIRE	6770	259	.	259	.	450	0	450	680	0	680	7.1	8.6	2.8	2.9
TUBES	6780	141	.	141	.	210	0	210	270	0	270	5.1	5.2	2.8	2.9
TOTALS		7425	.	7425	.	10650	0	10650	13918	0	13918	4.6	5.5		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		9725	.	9725	.	13983	0	13983	18284	0	18284	4.6	5.5		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		8298	.	8298	.	11931	0	11931	15601	0	15601	4.6	5.5		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A. BASE PERIOD - 1990		
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	9725	.	9725	.	15182	0	15182	21545	0	21545		5.7	7.3
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.4			3.1			0.3		
1990 TO 1995					4.1			3.3			0.7		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A. BASE PERIOD - 1990		
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	9725	.	9725	.	13413	0	13413	14820	0	14820		4.1	2.0
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					-0.0			3.1			-3.0		
1990 TO 1995					1.1			3.3			-2.1		

SWAZILAND TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL.	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP MILL.	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP MILL.	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP		POP		GDP/POP	
US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-
521	0.6	840	620	0.8	785	720	0.9	774	2.2	3.0	3.1	3.3	-0.9	-0.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.		EXPL. VARIABLE	
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-	TO 1990-
BARS AND RODS	6730	112	.	112	.	2018	0	2018	4188	0	4188	43.5	15.7	0.5	1.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	759	.	759	.	1185	0	1185	1610	0	1610	5.7	6.3	0.7	2.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3035	.	3035	.	4576	0	4576	5930	0	5930	5.3	5.3	2.8	2.9
PLATES, H. + M	6740	57	.	57	.	479	0	479	869	0	869	30.5	12.7	0.7	2.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	118	.	118	.	1301	0	1301	2432	0	2432	35.0	13.3	2.8	2.9
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	2692	.	2692	.	4875	0	4875	7071	0	7071	7.7	7.7	2.8	2.9
HOOP AND STRP	6750	212	.	212	.	320	0	320	440	0	440	5.3	6.6	2.8	2.9
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	40	.	40	.	215	0	215	390	0	390	23.4	12.6	0.7	2.2
WIRE	6770	259	.	259	.	760	0	760	1299	0	1299	14.4	11.3	2.8	2.9
TUBES	6780	141	.	141	.	448	0	448	745	0	745	15.5	10.7	2.8	2.9
TOTALS		7425	.	7425	.	16177	0	16177	24973	0	24973	10.2	9.1		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		9725	.	9725	.	21294	0	21294	32911	0	32911	10.3	9.1		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		8298	.	8298	.	18169	0	18169	28081	0	28081	10.3	9.1		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	9725	.	9725	.	22496	0	22496	36169	0	36169	11.1	10.0
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.4			3.1			0.3	
1990 TO 1995					4.1			3.3			0.7	

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	9725	.	9725	.	20723	0	20723	29443	0	29443	9.9	7.3
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					-0.0			3.1			-3.0	
1990 TO 1995					1.1			3.3			-2.1	

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731													0
BARS AND RODS	6732	154	155	27	112									112
ANGLES SHP.HM	6734	530	924	822	759									759
ANGLES SHP..L	6735	2120	3697	3289	3035									3035
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	70	20	80	57									57
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	140	54	160	118									118
TINPLATE	6747													0
OTHER COAT.P	6748	2596	2389	3090	2692									2692
HOOP AND STRP	6750	462	70	105	212									212
RAILS	6761	24	27	68	40									40
OTHER RL TRCK	6762													0
WIRE	6770	150	374	253	259									259
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	100	216	108	141									141
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		6346	7926	8002	7425	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7425

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	6346	7926	8002	7425
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	6346	7926	8002	7425
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	29367	30729	25821	28639
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	29408	30733	25872	28671
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	41	4	51	32
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	8325	10351	10500	9725
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	21043	20378	15322	18914
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	-41	-4	-51	-32
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	2500	2500	2500	2500

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	894.0	888.3	846.4	887.7	809.4	678.9	921.0	799.1	610.4
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	514.1	529.4	519.7	680.0	620.0	520.0	830.0	720.0	550.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	169.3	161.2	151.7	180.0	170.0	120.0	200.0	190.0	130.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	27.5	27.7	25.7	30.0	28.0	21.0	33.0	30.0	21.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	122.7	129.7	130.4	170.0	160.0	130.0	190.0	185.0	140.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS									
EXPORTS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
ODA, NET INFLOWS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82		1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.2			3.3		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	3.0	-1.8		2.6			3.0		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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AVERAGES

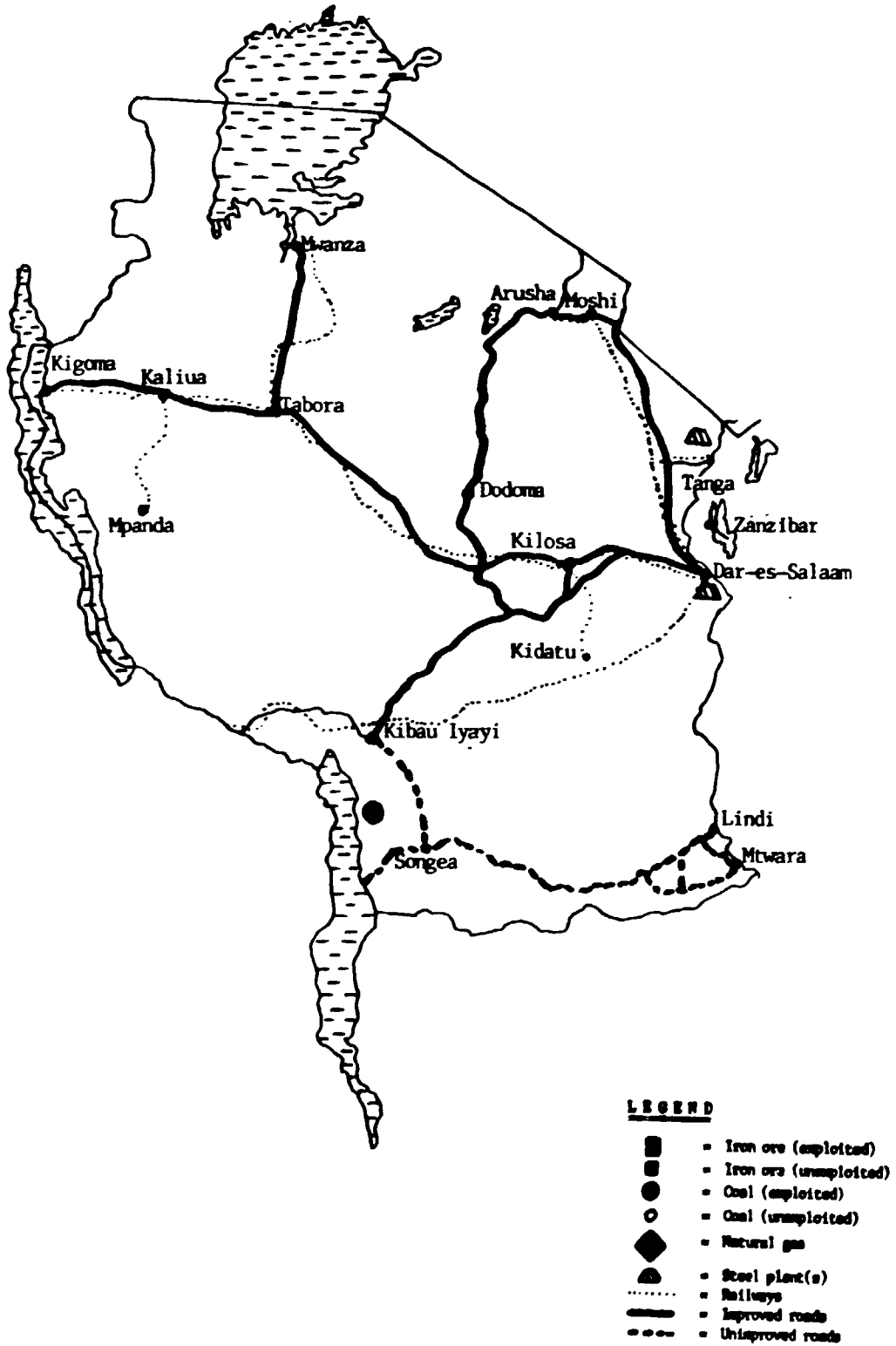
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

SITC	1981		YEAR 1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
ROAD VEHICLES	69836	20531	67693	19671	66430	15072	67986	18425	100
TOTAL	69836	20531	67693	19671	66430	15072	67986	18425	100

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Tanzania has experienced a decline in GDP during the 80s. Natural disasters, adverse terms of trade and the liberation war in Uganda have been major factors causing the decline.

1984 and 1985 saw a slight improvement in the overall situation but economic recovery was heavily constrained by the lack of foreign exchange for importation of necessary raw materials, spares and capital equipment for agriculture and industry.

Whether an economic upswing will come about given the absence of natural calamities is crucially dependent on terms of trade development and access to foreign exchange by international concessionary borrowing.

Because of the present favourable development in prices of coffee (Tanzania's main export) and decline in prices of oil which counts heavily in the country's overall import bill, a base case implying considerable growth from 1985-1990 has been assumed. Barring, however a dramatic terms of trade change in Tanzania's favour, achievement of the growth rate of 2.5 per cent from the base period 1981-83 up to 1990 would imply substantial external borrowing. The base case for the years 1990-1995 illustrates a situation where GDP grows slightly over the rate of population growth and industry increases its share of GDP based on substantial investment also in the preceding period. The high growth scenario illustrates the effect of favourable external circumstances as well as successful domestic policies particularly with regard to agriculture and manufacturing. The low growth case could easily materialize given a less favourable development in terms of trade and very limited access to foreign borrowing.

Overall steel consumption is projected to grow at roughly the same rate as GDP. The relatively rapid growth in consumption of heavy and medium plate is caused by the relatively rapid increase in investment in both periods.

TANZANIA TABLE 1, MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
3032	19.2	158	3700	24.9	149	4400	29.1	151	2.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	-0.7	0.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	RATES TO 1990	PA. TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	28816	13804	15012	0	34376	30000	4376	40019	40000	19	2.2	3.1	3.4	3.4
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	908	.	908	.	1424	0	1424	1843	0	1843	5.8	5.3	3.9	3.6
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3847	212	3635	.	3703	2000	1703	4248	3000	1248	-0.5	2.8	1.7	4.3
PLATES, H. + M	6740	3114	0	3114	.	8015	0	8015	11413	0	11413	12.5	7.3	3.9	3.6
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	6228	0	6228	0	6930	0	6930	9147	0	9147	1.3	5.7	1.7	4.3
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	7465	0	7465	0	7706	0	7706	9209	0	9209	0.4	3.6	1.7	4.3
HOOP AND STRP	6750	2017	0	2017	0	2111	0	2111	2220	0	2220	0.6	1.0	1.7	4.3
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	1251	0	1251	.	1400	0	1400	1622	0	1622	1.4	3.0	3.9	3.6
WIRE	6770	6750	0	6750	0	7127	0	7127	7883	0	7883	0.7	2.0	1.7	4.3
TUBES	6780	3701	0	3701	0	4670	0	4670	5413	0	5413	2.9	3.0	1.7	4.3
TOTALS		64098	14016	50082	0	77461	32000	45461	93017	43000	50017	2.4	3.7		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		84146	17814	66332	0	102158	40672	61486	122948	54653	68295	2.5	3.8		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		71797	15200	56597	0	87165	34703	52462	104904	46632	58272	2.5	3.8		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-1995	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	84146	17814	66332	0	112734	40672	72062	43865	54653	89212	3.7	5.0
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					4.0			3.3			0.7	
1990 TO 1995					5.0			3.2			1.8	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-1995	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	84146	17814	66332	0	90082	40672	49410	99078	54653	44425	0.9	1.9
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.0			3.3			-2.2	
1990 TO 1995					1.5			3.2			-1.6	

TANZANIA TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP TO 1990-1995	POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75	US\$ -75	MILL.	US\$ -75						
3032	19.2	158	3700	24.9	149	4400	29.1	151	2.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	-0.7	0.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983					1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	NET	CONS	PROD	NET	CONS	PROD	NET	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	RATES TO 1990	P.A. TO 1990-1995
BARS	6730	28816	13804	15012	0	36862	30000	6862	44991	40000	4991	3.1	4.1	3.4	3.4	
ANGLE SHP. H	6734	908	.	908	.	2041	0	2041	3077	0	3077	10.7	8.6	3.9	3.6	
ANGLE SHP. L	6735	3847	212	3635	.	4703	2000	2703	6248	3000	3248	2.5	5.8	1.7	4.3	
PLATES, H. + M	6740	3114	0	3114	.	8622	0	8622	12628	0	12628	13.6	7.9	3.9	3.6	
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	6228	0	6228	0	8715	0	8715	12717	0	12717	4.3	7.9	1.7	4.3	
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	7465	0	7465	0	9220	0	9220	12237	0	12237	2.7	5.8	1.7	4.3	
HOOP AND STRP	6750	2017	0	2017	0	2279	0	2279	2556	0	2556	1.5	2.3	1.7	4.3	
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	1251	0	1251	.	1643	0	1643	2108	0	2108	3.5	5.1	3.9	3.6	
WIRE	6770	6750	0	6750	0	7650	0	7650	8930	0	8930	1.6	3.1	1.7	4.3	
TUBES	6780	3701	0	3701	0	5072	0	5072	6216	0	6216	4.0	4.2	1.7	4.3	
TOTALS		64098	14016	50082	0	86807	32000	54807	111709	43000	68709	3.9	5.2			
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		84146	17814	66332	0	114521	40672	73849	147675	54653	93022	3.9	5.2			
BILLET EQUIVALENT		71797	15200	56597	0	97714	34703	63011	126002	46632	79370	3.9	5.2			

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983					1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	NET	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	84146	17814	66332	0	125099	40672	84427	168594	54653	113941		5.1	6.1
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP	POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					4.0	3.3			0.7				
1990 TO 1995					5.0	3.2			1.8				

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983					1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	NET	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	84146	17814	66332	0	102446	40672	61774	123807	54653	69154		2.5	3.9
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP	POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.0	3.3			-2.2				
1990 TO 1995					1.5	3.2			1.6				

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	638	5190	3026	2951									2951
BARS AND RODS	6732	11918	14117	10146	12060	16000	13163	12250	13804					25865
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	760	690	1273	908									908
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3036	2776	5094	3635	273	189	174	212					3847
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	3901	3631	1809	3114									3114
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	7803	7263	3619	6228									6228
TINPLATE	6747	5663	3555	2607	3942									3942
OTHER COAT. P	6748	4071	4170	2330	3524									3524
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1587	1776	2689	2017									2017
RAILS	6761	220	962	972	718									718
OTHER RL TRCK	6762	1136	360	103	533									533
WIRE	6770	14487	3874	1890	6750									6750
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	4955	66	942	1988									1988
WELDED TUBES	6783	1377	1764	2000	1714									1714
TOTALS		61552	50194	38500	50082	16273	13352	12424	14016	0	0	0	0	64098

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	77825	63546	50924	64098
OF WHICH:				
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	61552	50194	38500	50082
LOCAL PRODUCTION	16273	13352	12424	14016
B FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
TOTAL	164726	162749	121120	149532
SUPPLIED FROM:				
1 NET IMPORTS	155615	149244	110790	138550
OF WHICH:				
FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	1262	774	1364	1133
NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	9040	1649	3126	4605
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	82284	66169	50548	66333
FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	63030	80653	55752	66478
2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	9111	13505	10331	10982
C ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	10000	10000	10000	10000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
<u>GDP AND POPULATION</u>									
POPULATION (MILL)	18.6	19.2	19.9	24.9	24.9	24.9	29.1	29.1	29.1
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	162.0	158.8	152.6	166.6	148.6	132.1	182.1	151.2	122.0
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	3010.6	3049.4	3036.1	4150.0	3700.0	3290.0	5300.0	4400.0	3550.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	604.3	608.7	484.0	835.0	770.0	610.0	1040.0	920.0	660.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	137.1	143.3	96.4	185.0	165.0	125.0	240.0	195.0	140.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	174.4	143.3	130.6	190.0	170.0	160.0	250.0	210.0	180.0
<u>BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION TSHS</u>									
EXPORTS	4372.8	3767.0	3772.0	10750.0	9750.0	9000.0	19400.0	16400.0	14900.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	781.0	597.0	548.5	1300.0	1200.0	1200.0	2000.0	1800.0	1800.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	3055.6	2989.0	3253.0	6900.0	6200.0	6200.0	10000.0	8300.0	8300.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	1235.9	281.0	461.0	1500.0	1300.0	1300.0	2200.0	1700.0	1700.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	-325.5	2605.0	1198.0	2000.0	2000.0	2000.0	2700.0	2700.0	2700.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	9120.0	10239.0	9232.0	22450.0	20450.0	19700.0	31900.0	30900.0	29400.0
<u>GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.</u>									
POPULATION	1981-82		1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	3.5		3.6	3.3			3.2		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	1.3		-0.4	2.9			3.5		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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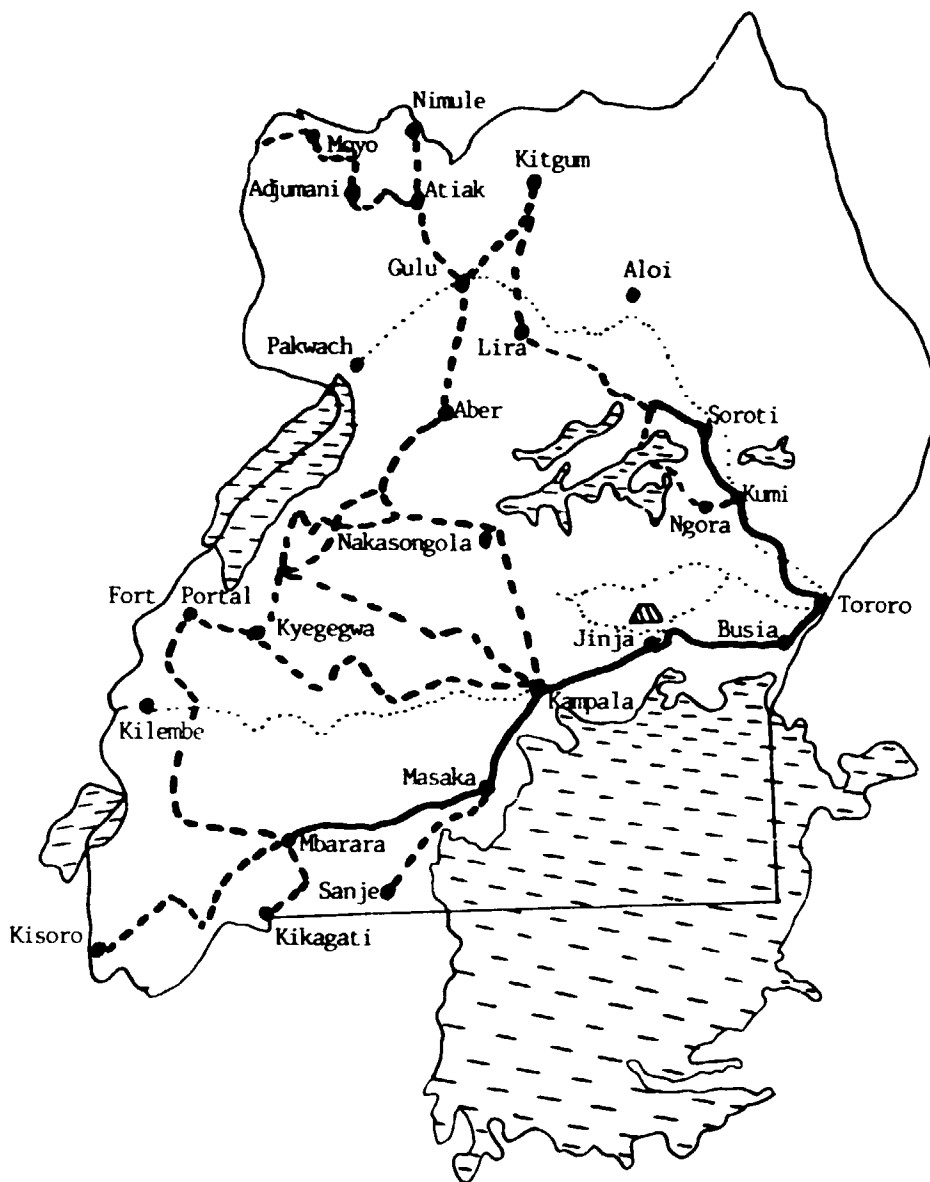
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

SITC	1981		1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
MET. STRUCTURES	4990	4478	13450	9730	7589	6005	8676	6738	22
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	1825	1075	1634	450	648	854	1369	793	3
WIRE PRODUCTS	624	425	775	747	1428	1665	942	946	3
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	2758	2423	1213	765	902	685	1624	1291	4
HAND TOOLS	5183	1024	6274	2014	4288	854	5248	1297	4
CUTLERY	239	30	204	20	30	4	158	18	0
DOM. UTENSILS	581	113	556	122	337	101	491	112	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	11391	2649	13592	3540	4407	1260	9797	2483	8
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	1603	365	1044	163	829	166	1159	231	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	17773	4180	4158	365	14316	1268	12082	1938	6
ROAD VEHICLES	92312	16726	64086	11725	49335	10510	68578	12987	42
BICYCLES ETC.	2788	1407	3398	1298	1547	981	2578	1229	4
HEATING, SANITARY	1308	544	1548	654	1299	469	1385	556	2
FURNITURE	1424	484	1907	555	1534	566	1622	535	2
TOTAL	144799	35923	113839	32148	88489	25388	115709	31153	100

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Because of the situation in Uganda during the time when country missions were undertaken (June 1985), it was impossible to enter the country. The developments after that time has made any assessment of future development highly uncertain. The new government will need time to set overall policies and the resources at governments disposal depends substantially on the positions taken by multilateral and bilateral donors.

As complete import statistics were not available, the steel import figures used are based on information from countries exporting steel to Uganda. Problems of coverage make it likely that consumption in the base period is underestimated. Production figures are based on an informed guess. The base case macro scenario is based on projections by the World Bank. It may well be that the low case, after disruption caused by war and changing governments is a more realistic case than the base case. Because, however, the agricultural back bone of Uganda's economy has performed reatively well in difficult conditions and without heavy investment, the base case which seemed most likely in early 1985 has been retained. The average GDP growth rate from the base period 1981-83 up to 1990 is pushed up because of the good performance of the economy in 1983/1984. The longer term growth rate is expected to be roughly that of population growth since development still will be hampered by the mismanagement and neglect under the Amin regime.

Overall consumption of steel would most likely increase dramatically (nearly 20 per cent per annum) from the depressed (and probably underestimated) level of 1981-83. Growth rates are fairly uniform from 1990-1995 indicating that a relatively "normal" structure of consumption has been reached by 1990.

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TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
3618	14.1	256	5000	18.7	267	6000	22.4	268	4.1	3.7	3.6	3.7	0.5	0.0

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995 ,TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH RATE TO 1990-1995	EXPL. TO 1990	P.A. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT				
BARS AND RODS	6730	10631	10000	631	0	28552	21000	7552	37979	27000	10979	13.1	5.9	6.0	4.0
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	133	.	133	0	1685	0	1685	2372	0	2372	37.4	7.1	5.0	4.0
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3	0	3	0	1265	0	1265	1813	0	1813	113	7.5	5.2	3.9
PLATES, H. + M	6740	52	0	52	0	8687	0	8687	12717	0	12717	89.6	7.9	5.0	4.0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1847	0	1847	0	6940	0	6940	9704	0	9704	18.0	6.9	5.2	3.9
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	533	0	533	0	4273	0	4273	6126	0	6126	29.7	7.5	5.2	3.9
HOOP AND STRP	6750	94	0	94	.	720	0	720	983	0	983	29.0	6.4	5.2	3.9
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	205	0	205	.	1775	0	1775	2450	0	2450	31.0	6.7	5.0	4.0
WIRE	6770	1477	0	1477	.	3046	0	3046	4002	0	4002	9.5	5.6	5.2	3.9
TUBES	6780	287	0	287	0	6308	0	6308	8716	0	8716	47.1	6.7	5.2	3.9
TOTALS		15263	10000	5263	0	63251	21000	42251	86862	27000	59862	19.4	6.5		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		19745	12710	7035	0	84095	26691	57404	115645	34317	81328	19.9	6.6		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		16847	10845	6003	0	71753	22774	48980	98673	29261	69392	19.9	6.6		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE TO 1990-1995	P.A. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	19745	12710	7035	0	96495	26691	69804	138765	34317	104448	21.9	7.5	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					5.8			3.6			2.2		
1990 TO 1995					5.1			3.7			1.3		

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE TO 1990-1995	P.A. VARIABLE TO 1990-1995
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT			
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	19745	12710	7035	0	65619	26691	38928	80358	34317	46041	16.2	4.1	
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.6			3.6			-1.9		
1990 TO 1995					1.0			3.7			-2.6		

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TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES P.CT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995	POP TO 1995	GDP/POP TO 1995
3618	14.1	256	5000	18.7	267	6000	22.4	268	4.1	3.7	3.6	3.7	0.5	0.0

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	EXPL. TO 1990	RATE TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	10631	10000	631	0	29675	21000	8675	40226	27000	13226	13.7	6.3	6.0	4.0
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	133	0	133	0	1964	0	1964	2930	0	2930	40.0	8.3	5.0	4.0
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	3	0	3	0	1716	0	1716	2717	0	2717	121	9.6	5.2	3.9
PLATES, H. + M	6740	52	0	52	0	8962	0	8962	13266	0	13266	90.3	8.2	5.0	4.0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	1847	0	1847	0	7746	0	7746	11317	0	11317	19.6	7.9	5.2	3.9
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	533	0	533	0	4957	0	4957	7494	0	7494	32.1	8.6	5.2	3.9
HOOP AND STRP	6750	94	0	94	0	796	0	796	1135	0	1135	30.6	7.4	5.2	3.9
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	205	0	205	0	1885	0	1885	2669	0	2669	32.0	7.2	5.0	4.0
WIRE	6770	1477	0	1477	0	3283	0	3283	4475	0	4475	10.5	6.4	5.2	3.9
TUBES	6780	287	0	287	0	6489	0	6489	9079	0	9079	47.7	6.9	5.2	3.9
TOTALS		15263	10000	5263	0	67474	21000	46474	95307	27000	68307	20.4	7.2		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		19745	12710	7035	0	89681	26691	62990	126819	34317	92502	20.8	7.2		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		16847	10845	6003	0	76519	22774	53745	108207	29281	78926	20.8	7.2		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	19745	12710	7035	0	102080	26691	75389	149938	34317	115621	22.8	8.0
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					5.8			3.6			2.2	
1990 TO 1995					5.1			3.7			1.3	

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE P.A.	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	19745	12710	7035	0	71205	26691	44514	91531	34317	57214	17.4	5.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					1.6			3.6			-1.9	
1990 TO 1995					1.0			3.7			-2.6	

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	2	12	1	5									5
BARS AND RODS	6732	253	1202	422	626	5000	10000	15000	10000					10626
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	116	209	75	133									133
ANGLES SHP. L	6735		6	2	3									3
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	18	73	14	35									35
PLATES, MED.	6742	3	41	6	17									17
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	3655	1812	75	1847									1847
TINPLATE	6747		486	19	168									168
OTHER COAT. P	6748	426	540	129	365									365
HOOP AND STRP	6750	55	4	224	94									94
RAILS	6761		250		83									83
OTHER RL TRCK	6762		348	17	122									122
WIRE	6770	218	3167	1047	1477									1477
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	18	186	12	72									72
WELDED TUBES	6783	158	193	295	215									215
TOTALS		4922	8529	2338	5263	5000	10000	15000	10000	0	0	0	0	15263

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	9922	18529	17338	15263
OF WHICH:				
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	4922	8529	2338	5263
LOCAL PRODUCTION	5000	10000	15000	10000
B FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
TOTAL	29352	35154	40072	34859
SUPPLIED FROM:				
1 NET IMPORTS	23395	23295	22178	22956
OF WHICH:				
FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	8	71	0	26
NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	6661	11352	3096	7036
FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	16726	11873	19081	15893
2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	5957	11858	17894	11903
C ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	3500	3500	3500	3500

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
<u>GDP, AND POPULATION</u>									
POPULATION (MILL)	13.7	14.1	14.6	18.7	18.7	18.7	22.4	22.4	22.4
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	247.0	259.0	262.2	304.8	267.4	219.3	325.9	267.9	191.9
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	3373.9	3651.2	3828.6	5700.0	5000.0	4100.0	7300.0	6000.0	4300.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	408.2	433.5	455.6	730.0	640.0	490.0	930.0	780.0	510.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	28.6	32.0	36.6	58.0	51.0	40.0	74.0	62.0	42.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	144.8	165.3	170.0	260.0	240.0	210.0	330.0	290.0	230.0
<u>BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION US\$</u>									
EXPORTS	245.5	347.1	367.6	1000.0	860.0	750.0	1700.0	1500.0	1100.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-86.7	-85.5	-96.9	-200.0	-170.0	-170.0	-325.0	-280.0	-280.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	144.2	154.4	105.4	400.0	370.0	350.0	540.0	500.0	470.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET									
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	111.7	6.0	52.0	-60.0	-60.0	-60.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	414.7	422.0	428.1	1260.0	1000.0	870.0	1815.0	1620.0	1190.0
<u>GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.</u>									
POPULATION		1981-82	1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
		3.5	3.5		3.6			3.6	
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)		8.2	4.9		3.9			3.7	

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SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	3262	1536	3426	1281	5543	2352	4077	1723	12
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	453	92	267	166	513	658	411	305	2
WIRE PRODUCTS	511	228	716	1102	287	292	505	541	4
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	226	159	356	56	94	127	225	114	1
HAND TOOLS	4112	1355	3570	1347	2645	503	3442	1068	8
CUTLERY	117	16	242	21	138	29	166	22	0
DOM. UTENSILS	156	17	640	149	184	39	327	68	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	3828	643	5438	1650	6749	1758	5338	1350	10
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	170	13	405	59	635	101	403	58	0
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	24300	1583	10141	782	726	86	11722	817	6
ROAD VEHICLES	40801	9992	18888	4127	26403	6602	28697	6907	49
BICYCLES ETC.	885	375	3001	669	2374	1174	2087	739	5
HEATING, SANITARY	363	152	325	17	239	54	309	74	1
FURNITURE	1235	334	1864	333	470	199	1190	289	2
TOTAL	80419	16495	49279	11759	47000	13974	58899	14076	100

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Zambia's economy is heavily based on copper mining. From the country's independence up to the mid-70s the economy developed rapidly, in particular the manufacturing sector. Agriculture received limited attention. The present situation with economic decline, severe balance-of-payments restriction and industry working at only small fractions of all capacity is caused by the weakness in the copper market over the last ten years. The effect of the copper price decline is exacerbated by structural deficiencies in the economy, particularly the poorly developed agricultural sector and an import dependent manufacturing sector.

A considerable time will have to be spent on the economic restructuring process now underway. Balance-of-payments is likely to be extremely tight and substantial foreign borrowing will have to take place to finance necessary capital investment.

The economic projections assume that the years up to 1990 will see considerable investment particularly in agriculture which will, however, take some time to respond in terms of increased production. After 1990 the effect of earlier investment will materialize in production increases resulting in a growth rate near the projected population growth. For the period up to 1990 considerable decline in GDP per capita would be expected.

The high growth case illustrates a quick response by agriculture, resulting in a higher GDP growth particularly in the period up to 1990. The low growth case illustrates a severe shortage of foreign exchange limiting investment during the first period.

Projecting steel demand under the present circumstances in Zambia is difficult. A major uncertainty is related to the fate of the mining industry which is a major source of demand for steel. If severe contractions in the mining sector happens, the projections will have to be scaled down considerably.

Although in the period up to 1990 projections show a decline in consumptions of some steel products related to mining investment, the overall consumption increases at a rate above that of GDP. This is because of a particularly strong increase in light plates, tin plates, other coated plates and wire. In both periods the structure of consumption changes as a response to the assumed changes in the country's economic structure.

ZAMBIA TABLE 1. MAIN PROJECTION

A) MACRO VARIABLES, DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
2301	6.2	371	2500	8.2	305	2970	9.8	303	1.0	3.5	3.6	3.6	-2.4	-0.1

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SI	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1995	EXPL. TO 1990	RATE PA. TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	15439	.	15439	0	17697	17000	697	21734	22000	-266	1.7	4.2	3.5	3.0
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	5709	.	5709	0	2767	0	2767	2115	0	2115	-8.7	-5.2	3.9	3.1
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	8563	0	8563	.	11456	11500	-44	13694	13500	194	3.7	3.6	1.8	3.0
PLATES, H. + M	6740	8255	0	8255	0	7254	0	7254	7517	0	7517	-1.6	0.7	3.9	3.1
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	14841	0	14841	0	25322	0	25322	31941	0	31941	6.9	4.8	1.8	3.0
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	12412	0	12412	0	21216	0	21216	26574	0	26574	6.9	4.6	1.8	3.0
HOOP AND STRP	6750	890	0	890	.	764	0	764	811	0	811	-1.9	1.2	1.8	3.0
ROLLS+ MATER.	6760	3470	0	3470	.	1994	0	1994	1782	0	1782	-6.7	-2.2	3.9	3.1
WIRE	6770	206	0	206	0	5485	0	5485	7970	0	7970	50.7	7.8	1.8	3.0
TUBES	6780	2724	0	2724	0	2950	0	2950	3500	0	3500	1.0	3.5	1.8	3.0
TOTALS		72509	0	72509	0	96904	28500	68404	117639	35500	82139	3.7	4.0		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		96402	0	96402	0	129218	36223	92994	156883	45120	111763	3.7	4.0		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		82254	0	82254	0	110254	30907	79346	133859	38499	95360	3.7	4.0		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	96402	0	96402	0	136813	36223	10059	188145	45120	143025	4.5	6.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.6			-1.3				
1990 TO 1995					3.6			0.3				

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990-95	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	96402	0	96402	0	106064	36223	69840	114315	45120	69195	1.2	1.5
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					3.6			-3.9				
1990 TO 1995					3.6			-3.5				

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TABLE 2. PROJECTION WITH ACCELERATED REPLACEMENT OF INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS
A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990	POP TO 1990	GDP TO 1995	POP TO 1995	GDP TO 1990	POP TO 1995
2301	6.2	371	2500	8.2	305	2970	9.8	303	1.0	3.5	3.6	3.6	-2.4	-0.1

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A.			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	EXPL. TO 1990	RATE TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	15439	.	15439	0	20201	17000	3201	26741	22000	4741	3.4	5.8	3.5	3.0
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	5709	.	5709	0	3388	0	3388	3357	0	3357	-6.3	-0.2	3.9	3.1
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	8563	0	8563	.	12463	11500	963	15708	13500	2208	4.8	4.7	1.8	3.0
PLATES, H. + M	6740	8255	0	8255	0	7866	0	7866	8741	0	8741	-0.6	2.1	3.9	3.1
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	14841	0	14841	0	27120	0	27120	35537	0	35537	7.8	5.6	1.8	3.0
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	12412	0	12412	0	22741	0	22741	29623	0	29623	7.9	5.4	1.8	3.0
HOPP AND STRP	6750	890	0	890	.	933	0	933	1150	0	1150	0.6	4.3	1.8	3.0
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	3470	0	3470	.	2239	0	2239	2272	0	2272	-5.3	0.3	3.9	3.1
WIRE	6770	206	0	206	0	6012	0	6012	9025	0	9025	52.5	8.5	1.8	3.0
TUBES	6780	2724	0	2724	0	3355	0	3355	4309	0	4309	2.6	5.1	1.8	3.0
TOTALS		72509	0	72509	0	106316	28500	77816	136462	35500	100962	4.9	5.1		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		96402	0	96402	0	141671	36223	105448	181788	45120	136668	4.9	5.1		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		82254	0	82254	0	120879	30907	89972	155109	38499	116610	4.9	5.1		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA.		
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	96402	0	96402	0	149265	36223	113042	213049	45120	167928		5.6	7.4
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.2			3.6			-1.3		
1990 TO 1995					4.0			3.6			0.3		

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA.		
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	BASE PERIOD - 1990	1990-95	
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	96402	0	96402	0	118516	36223	82292	139219	45120	94098		2.6	3.3
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA		
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					-0.4			3.6			-3.9		
1990 TO 1995					0.0			3.6			-3.5		

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A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731	711	619	585	638									638
BARS AND RODS	6732	12187	18500	13715	14801									14801
ANGLES SHP. HM	6734	6962	5614	4550	5709									5709
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	10443	8422	6825	8563									8563
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	9743	7806	7215	8255									8255
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	16973	13260	14290	14841									14841
TINPLATE	6747	15261	7316	7280	9952									9952
OTHER COAT. P	6748	1791	2859	2730	2460									2460
HOOP AND STRP	6750	1113	452	1105	890									890
RAILS	6761	946	2974	2015	1978									1978
OTHER RL TRCK	6762	473	2183	1820	1492									1492
WIRE	6770	155	248	215	206									206
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	21	15	10	15									15
WELDED TUBES	6783	1461	3805	2860	2709									2709
TOTALS		78240	74073	65215	72509	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72509

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	78240	74073	65215	72509
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	78240	74073	65215	72509
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	0	0	0	0
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	143723	135907	112267	130632
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	144258	137128	112320	131235
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	535	1221	53	603
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	0	0	0	0
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	104185	98274	86747	96402
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	39538	37632	25520	34230
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	-535	-1221	-53	-603
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	10000	10000	10000	10000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

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YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP, AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	6.0	6.2	6.4	8.2	8.2	8.2	9.8	9.8	9.8
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	394.0	369.9	351.2	332.9	304.8	279.3	338.8	281.6	226.5
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	2359.9	2293.8	2247.9	2730.0	2500.0	2220.0	3320.0	2970.0	2220.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	340.7	260.7	197.6	390.0	360.0	170.0	450.0	420.0	180.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	138.1	147.1	148.1	210.0	190.0	160.0	280.0	220.0	170.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	399.4	385.4	356.9	470.0	440.0	400.0	630.0	510.0	420.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION ZK									
EXPORTS	866.3	883.0	1150.4	2250.0	2040.0	1870.0	3460.0	2950.0	2690.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-612.3	-550.9	-602.2	-1150.0	-1150.0	-1150.0	-1800.0	-1800.0	-1800.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS	276.6	183.2	169.8	310.0	280.0	280.0	430.0	380.0	380.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	89.5	128.3	40.0	70.0	60.0	60.0	100.0	80.0	80.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	306.4	288.4	137.2	170.0	140.0	140.0	250.0	200.0	200.0
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	926.4	932.0	895.2	1650.0	1370.0	1200.0	2440.0	1810.0	1550.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION		1981-82	1982-83	1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
		3.3	3.2	3.6			3.6		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)		-2.8	-2.0	1.5			2.0		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
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AVERAGES

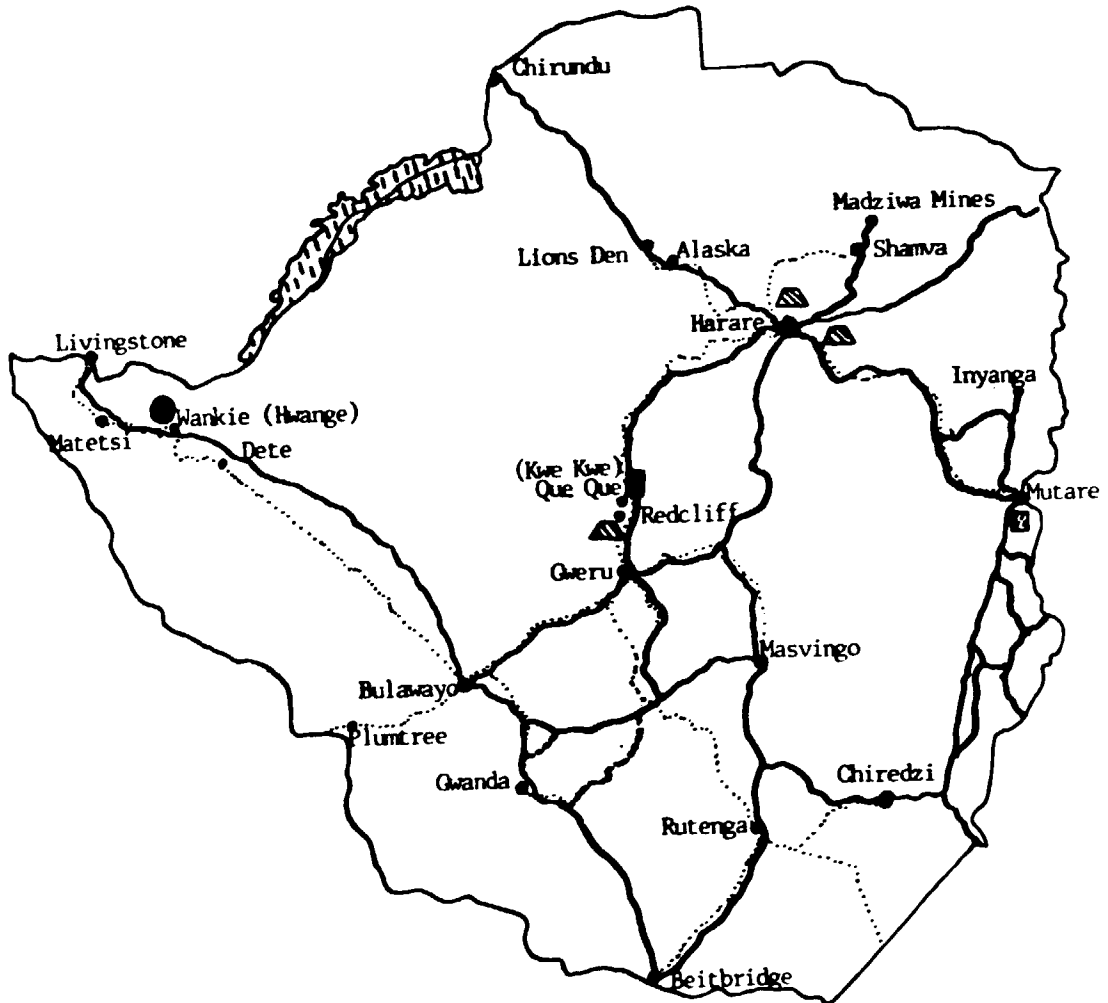
VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	1981		YEAR 1982		1983		AVERAGE VALUE	AVERAGE TONNES	AVERAGE TONNES IN PCT OF TOTAL
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY			
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	13037	14136	5594	3586	2120	1365	6917	6362	20
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	1636	747	896	393	628	274	1053	471	2
WIRE PRODUCTS	3458	1881	814	454	993	1046	1755	1127	4
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	627	284	541	275	286	103	485	221	1
HAND TOOLS	5280	723	4520	974	2678	362	4159	686	2
CUTLERY	430	33	497	22	58	0	328	18	0
DOM. UTENSILS	633	37	400	51	78	12	370	33	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	7631	1562	18850	4848	9524	2014	12002	2808	9
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	899	148	1607	345	561	79	1022	191	1
RAIL. LOCOS ETC.	12270	1328	2475	202	10665	2700	8470	1410	4
ROAD VEHICLES	78412	14057	108356	23201	63306	13695	83358	16984	54
BICYCLES ETC.	1694	567	2741	785	1579	557	2005	636	2
HEATING, SANITARY	1584	639	1212	313	331	91	1042	348	1
FURNITURE	580	85	685	91	254	54	506	77	0
TOTAL	128171	36227	149188	35540	93061	22352	123473	31373	100

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LEGEND

- = Iron ore (exploited)
- = Iron ore (unexploited)
- = Coal (exploited)
- = Coal (unexploited)
- ◆ = Natural gas
- ▲ = Steel plant(s)
- = Railways
- = Improved roads
- - - - = Unimproved roads

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Zimbabwe accounts for 30 per cent of steel consumption in PTA and more than half of that in SADCC. Projections for Zimbabwe will therefore have a major effect on projections for the two sub-regions. Unfortunately, the Zimbabwean National Development Plan, covering the years 1986-1991 was not available as an input for the economic projections.

The Zimbabwean economy performed well with a GDP growth of around 5 per cent in 1985. It is likely that the outturn for 1986 will be as good. As a substantial factor behind the good performance were good weather conditions, growth is hardly likely to continue at the same rate. For the period from 1986-1990 a growth rate of 4 per cent per annum was assumed. The 5 per cent projected from the period 1990-1995 is based on the assumption of good export performance and access to external financing in the earlier period, giving room for substantial productive investment. A particularly rapid development of the manufacturing sector could be expected in this period.

Downside risks relate to the external balance, prices of major export products and scope for manufactured exports particularly to other countries in the subregion. Major uncertainties are, however, represented by the developments in the South African economy and society. Like the other countries bordering Southern Africa, Zimbabwe is economically linked to its neighbour albeit with a much stronger independent basis than any of the others.

The low growth scenario would illustrate a situation with considerable turmoil in South Africa as well as less favourable external balance and weather conditions. The high growth case illustrates a very fortunate situation with regard to neighbour relations and trade as well as external balance and successful investment policies. The projections increased in overall steel consumption in Zimbabwe does not deviate much from the rates of GDP growth. This could be seen as the result of two opposite tendencies, firstly, as illustrated in the case of Kenya, a tendency for steel intensity to decline in a relatively developed economy producing an increasing share of high value added products. Secondly the effect of growth tending to counteract the declining steel intensity particularly by building a demand basis for durable consumer goods.

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AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.				
GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL. US\$ -75	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990/1995	POP TO 1990-1990/1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990/1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995	GDP/POP TO 1990-1995
4207	8.0	526	5600	10.7	523	7150	12.8	559	3.6	5.0	3.7	3.6	-0.1 1.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995, TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES PA. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	GROWTH TO 1990-1995	EXPL. TO 1990	RATES TO 1990-1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	64024	148872	5489	90337	74941	170000	-95059	87234	200000	-112766	2.0	3.1	4.1	5.3
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	64756	68667	6247	10158	65760	75000	-9240	66644	80000	-13356	0.2	0.3	4.5	4.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	33397	35333		1937	46217	55000	-8783	66177	80000	-13823	4.1	7.4	4.0	7.0
PLATES, H. + M	6740	23809	0	23809	0	32896	0	32896	39529	0	39529	4.1	3.7	4.5	4.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	30932	0	30932	0	62524	0	62524	110435	0	110435	9.2	12.1	4.0	7.0
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	21871	0	21871	0	47861	0	47861	87564	0	87564	10.3	12.8	4.0	7.0
HOOP AND STRP	6750	9188	0	9188	0	9530	0	9530	9984	0	9984	0.5	0.9	4.0	7.0
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	12048	3882	9975	1809	12403	7000	5403	12933	8000	4933	0.4	0.8	4.5	4.2
WIRE	6770	26515	28667	319	2471	34749	36500	-1751	47052	50000	-2948	3.4	6.2	4.0	7.0
TUBES	6780	3844	3465	1044	665	5100	8400	-3300	6500	12000	-5500	3.6	5.0	4.0	7.0
TOTALS		290383	288886	108874	107376	391980	351900	40080	534051	430000	104051	3.8	6.4		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		379264	369352	146690	136780	515456	450391	64564	705592	551550	154042	3.9	6.5		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		323603	315146	125162	116706	439808	384719	55089	602039	470605	131434	3.9	6.5		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	379264	369352	146690	136780	569136	450891	118244	837970	551550	286420	5.2	8.0
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					4.5			3.7			0.8	
1990 TO 1995					6.5			3.6			2.7	

D) LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE PA. BASE PERIOD - 1990	
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	1990	1990-95
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	379264	369352	146690	136780	443999	450891	-6893	520205	551550	-31345	2.0	3.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES					GDP			POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA	
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990					2.4			3.7			-1.2	
1990 TO 1995					3.0			3.6			-0.7	

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A) MACRO VARIABLES: DATA AND BASE CASE PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE 1981 - 1983			PROJECTION 1990			PROJECTION 1995			GROWTH RATES PCT. P.A.					
GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP MILL.	POPULATION MILL.	GDP PER CAPITA US\$ -75	GDP TO 1990-1990	POP TO 1990-1990	GDP/POP TO 1990-1990	GDP TO 1995-1990	POP TO 1995-1990	GDP/POP TO 1995-1990
4207	8.0	526	5600	10.7	523	7150	12.8	559	3.6	5.0	3.7	3.6	-0.1	1.3

B) BASE CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995. TONNES

PRODUCT NAME	SIIC	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			GROWTH RATES P.A. EXPL. VARIABLE			
		CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONS	PROD	NET IMPORT	CONSUMPTION TO 1990	CONSUMPTION TO 1995	EXPL. TO 1990	EXPL. TO 1995
BARS AND RODS	6730	64024	148872	5489	90337	77576	170000	-92424	92505	200000	-107495	2.4	3.6	4.1	5.3
ANGLES SHP. H	6734	64756	68667	6247	10158	66414	75000	-8586	67952	80000	-12048	0.3	0.5	4.5	4.2
ANGLES SHP. L	6735	33397	35333		1937	47277	55000	-7723	68297	80000	-11703	4.4	7.6	4.0	7.0
PLATES, H. + M	6740	23809	0	23809	0	33540	0	33540	40817	0	40817	4.4	4.0	4.5	4.2
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	30932	0	30932	0	64416	0	64416	114219	0	114219	9.6	12.1	4.0	7.0
TIN. & COAT. PL	6749	21871	0	21871	0	49466	0	49466	90773	0	90773	10.7	12.9	4.0	7.0
HCOP AND STRP	6750	9188	0	9188	0	9709	0	9709	10341	0	10341	0.7	1.3	4.0	7.0
RAILS+ MATER.	6760	12048	3882	9975	1809	12660	7000	5660	13448	8000	5448	0.6	1.2	4.5	4.2
WIRE	6770	26515	28667	319	2471	35303	36500	-1197	48162	50000	-1838	3.6	6.4	4.0	7.0
TUBES	6780	3844	3465	1044	665	5526	8400	-2874	7352	12000	-4648	4.6	5.9	4.0	7.0
TOTALS		290383	288886	108874	107376	401887	351900	49987	553865	430000	123865	4.1	6.6		
CRUDE EQUIVALENT		379264	369352	146690	136780	528561	450891	77670	731805	551550	180255	4.2	6.7		
BILLET EQUIVALENT		323603	315146	125162	116706	450990	384719	66271	624405	470605	153801	4.2	6.7		

C) HIGH-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNES	379264	369352	146690	136780	582242	450891	131351	864186	551550	312636	5.5	8.2
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES	GDP				POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990	4.5				3.7			0.8				
1990 TO 1995	6.5				3.6			2.7				

LOW-GROWTH CASE PROJECTIONS 1990 AND 1995

	AVERAGE 1981 - 1983				1990			1995			CONSUMPTION BASE PERIOD - 1990	GROWTH RATE PA. 1990-95
	CONS	PROD	IMP	EXP	CONS	PROD	IMPORT	CONS	PROD	IMPORT		
CRUDE EQUIV. TONNE	379264	369352	146690	136780	457104	450891	6213	546420	551550	-5130	2.4	3.6
PERCENT GROWTH IN MACRO VARIABLES	GDP				POPULATION			GDP/CAPITA				
AVERAGE 81-83 TO 1990	2.4				3.7			1.2				
1990 TO 1995	3.0				3.6			0.7				

ZIMBABWE TABLE 3

A) COMPONENTS OF APPARENT STEEL CONSUMPTION BY PRODUCT (TONNES)

PRODUCT NAME	SITC	IMPORTS				PRODUCTION				EXPORTS			APP. CONS AV 81-83	
		1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983	AVER	1981	1982	1983		AVER
WIRE RODS	6731					52000	39000	35000	42000	15000	5000	5000	8333	33667
BARS AND RODS	6732	6300	5917	4249	5489	123617	96000	101000	106872	83749	72348	89915	82004	30357
ANGLES SHP.HM	6734	7243	5302	6196	6247	70000	73000	63000	68667	16825	9049	4600	10158	64756
ANGLES SHP..L	6735					34000	36000	36000	35333	3277	358	2175	1937	33397
PLATES, HEAVY	6741	24296	26493	20639	23809									23809
PLATES, MED.	6742													0
PLATES, LIGHT	6743	33906	40052	18837	30932									30932
TINPLATE	6747	10642	9674	9988	10101									10101
OTHER COAT.P	6748	11813	14806	8691	11770									11770
HOOP AND STRP	6750	9284	6689	11591	9188									9188
RAILS	6761	17567	10323	338	9409	1077	1500	768	1115	577	1000	268	615	9909
OTHER RL TRCK	6762	977	596	123	565	2500	2700	3100	2767	820	1593	1168	1194	2138
WIRE	6770	288	298	372	319	32000	29000	25000	28667	3421	1991	2000	2471	26515
SEAMLESS TUBE	6782	1353	1226	553	1044	2810	3093	4492	3465	210	293	1492	665	3844
WELDED TUBES	6783													0
TOTALS		123669	121376	81577	108874	286004	251293	243360	260219	123879	91632	106618	107376	261717

B) DEMAND / SUPPLY BALANCES FOR ROLLED PRODUCTS AND FERROUS MATERIALS (TONNES)

A	ROLLED PRODUCTS	1981	1982	1983	AVERAGE
	APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	285794	281037	218319	261717
	OF WHICH:				
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	-210	29744	-25041	1498
	LOCAL PRODUCTION	286004	251293	243360	260219
B	FERROUS MATERIALS CONSUMPTION (CRUDE EQUIVALENTS) 1)				
	TOTAL	299290	290873	220349	270171
	SUPPLIED FROM:				
	1 NET IMPORTS	-188978	-197101	-288370	-224816
	OF WHICH:				
	FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING, INCL SCRAP	-5358	-1231	5349	-413
	NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS ETC	-228490	-277629	-304165	-270095
	NET IMPORTS OF ROLLED PRODUCTS	8488	47489	-26242	9912
	FINISHED PRODUCTS (INDIRECT IMPORTS)	36382	34270	36689	35780
	2 LOCAL SOURCES (INCL. SCRAP)	488269	487974	508718	494987
C	ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOCAL SCRAP GENERATION	50000	50000	50000	50000

1) IMPORT, EXPORT AND PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE CONVERTED TO CRUDE STEEL EQUIVALENTS (INGOTS) BY USING COEFFICIENTS DEVELOPED BY THE ECE. "FERROUS MATERIALS FROM LOCAL SOURCES" ARE CALCULATED BY APPLYING THESE COEFFICIENTS TO LOCALLY PRODUCED ROLLED PRODUCTS, ARRIVING AT BILLET EQUIVALENTS, AND THEN DEDUCTING NET IMPORTS OF BILLETS AND "FERROUS MATERIALS FOR SMELTING". DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THIS AND THE FIGURE GIVEN FOR SCRAP GENERATION MAY BE DUE TO INACCURACIES IN CONVERSION FACTORS, STOCKS OF SCRAP OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS USED

MACRO DATA AND PROJECTIONS

YEAR	ACTUALS, ESTIMATES			PROJECTIONS					
	1981	1982	1983	1990 HIGH	1990 BASE	1990 LOW	1995 HIGH	1995 BASE	1995 LOW
GDP AND POPULATION									
POPULATION (MILL)	7.7	8.0	8.3	10.7	10.7	10.7	12.8	12.8	12.8
GDP PER CAPITA US\$ (1975)	542.0	524.5	513.1	560.7	523.4	476.6	642.2	558.6	460.9
GDP MILL US\$ (1975)	4166.7	4195.9	4258.8	6000.0	5600.0	5100.0	8220.0	7150.0	5900.0
GROSS CAP FORM MILL US\$ (1975)	922.7	995.6	828.3	1450.0	1300.0	1100.0	1950.0	1600.0	1250.0
BLDG AND CONSTR V.A MILL US\$ (1975)	128.1	125.5	115.1	210.0	170.0	125.0	300.0	220.0	150.0
MANUFACTURING V.A. MILL US\$ (1975)	1113.4	1107.8	1075.7	1700.0	1500.0	1300.0	2600.0	2100.0	1550.0
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS MILLION Z\$									
EXPORTS	1001.9	998.2	1174.0	2500.0	2250.0	1900.0	4900.0	4100.0	3050.0
OTHER CURRENT ITEMS	-382.1	-416.8	-579.3	-870.0	-800.0	-800.0	-1150.0	-1000.0	-1000.0
ODA, NET INFLOWS			124.2	250.0	200.0	200.0	350.0	300.0	300.0
LONG TERM CAPITAL, NET	62.0	281.9	222.5	300.0	250.0	250.0	450.0	350.0	350.0
RESERVES ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	377.6	251.0	145.2						
IMPORTS, IMPORT CAPACITY	1059.4	1114.3	1086.8	2180.0	1900.0	1550.0	4550.0	3750.0	2760.0
GROWTH RATES PER CENT P.A.									
POPULATION	1981-82	1982-83		1981-1983 TO BASE 1990			BASE 1990-1995		
	3.9	3.8		3.7			3.6		
GDP, CONSTANT US\$ (1975)	0.7	1.5		2.3			7.1		

TABLE 5; ESTIMATED INDIRECT STEEL IMPORTS, 1981 - 1983 AND
COUNTRY ZIMBABWE

AVERAGES

VALUES IN 1000 US \$. QUANTITIES IN TONNES.

	YEAR						AVERAGE		IN PCT OF TOTAL
	1981		1982		1983		VALUE	TONNES	
	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	TONNES	
SITC									
MET. STRUCTURES	328	93	4076	1813	837	1629	1747	1178	4
TANKS, VESSELS, ETC	546	460	233	177	433	148	404	262	1
WIRE PRODUCTS	141	27	902	350	139	27	394	135	0
NAILS, NUTS, BOLTS	662	482	687	359	335	113	561	318	1
HAND TOOLS	3134	531	3263	604	1832	268	2743	468	1
CUTLERY	319	27	223	13	124	9	222	16	0
DOM. UTENSILS	152	15	156	10	107	12	138	12	0
AGR. MACH., TRACTORS	16590	4640	17706	5081	16858	4185	17051	4635	14
DOM. EL. EQUIPMENT	610	148	741	240	833	196	728	195	1
RAIL, LOCOS ETC.	2013	584	14399	1405	9536	1585	8649	1191	4
ROAD VEHICLES	111143	27494	101823	22359	102703	22633	105223	24162	73
BICYCLES ETC.	996	277	753	287	1442	273	1064	279	1
HEATING, SANITARY	370	130	316	59	214	30	300	73	0
FURNITURE	878	133	484	93	440	73	601	100	0
TOTAL	137882	35041	145762	32850	135833	31181	139826	33024	100