

APPENDIX TABLES

Table AI.1
Exports by group of products, 1990-97
 (US\$ million and per cent)

Commodity	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total (US\$ million)	374,449.6	400,983.9	424,871.6	439,222.9	481,833.3	546,441.6	582,118.2	643,178.5
- Total primary products	21.9	20.2	19.5	18.1	17.7	19.0	18.1	15.8
-- Agriculture	15.6	14.4	14.6	13.8	13.7	14.4	13.8	11.7
--- Food	11.1	10.4	10.9	10.4	10.1	10.5	10.7	9.0
2222 Soya beans	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.2
0449 Maize, other unmilled	1.6	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.8	1.3	1.5	0.8
1222 Cigarettes contg. tobacco	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7
--- Agricultural raw material	4.5	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.9	3.1	2.7
-- Mining	6.3	5.8	4.9	4.3	4.0	4.5	4.2	4.0
--- Ores and other minerals	1.7	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.0	1.0
--- Non-ferrous metals	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1
--- Fuels	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.2	1.8	1.9	2.1	1.9
- Manufactures	73.2	75.1	75.5	75.9	77.2	76.4	77.0	79.9
-- Iron & steel	0.9	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9
-- Chemicals	10.4	10.7	10.3	10.3	10.7	11.1	10.6	10.8
-- Other semi-manufactures	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.6
-- Machinery and transport equipment	46.1	46.9	47.3	47.6	48.3	46.9	47.9	50.3
--- Power generating machines	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.6
7149 Parts, jet, gas turbine eng	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2
--- Other non-electrical machinery	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.2	9.4	9.6	9.9	10.2
7239 Pts nes, cvl. enginrg. mach	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0
7284 Mach. appl. splcl indus nes	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.0
---- Agricultural machinery and tractors	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7
--- Office machines & telecommunications equipment	12.1	11.9	11.9	12.5	13.7	14.7	14.7	15.4
7764 Electronic microcircuits	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.7	3.3	3.7	3.6	3.9
7599 Parts, data proc. etc. mch	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.8	2.9	2.9
7523 Digtl proc, storage units	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.4
7649 Parts, telecommun. equipt	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
7643 TV, radio transmitters etc	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.8	1.0
7529 Data proc equipment, nes	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.0
--- Other electrical machines	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1
7731 Insultd wire, etc. Condctr.	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7

Table AI.1 (cont'd)

Commodity	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
--- Automotive products	8.4	8.5	9.2	9.8	10.0	9.3	9.1	9.2
7843 Other parts, motor vehicl	3.9	3.6	3.9	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.2
7812 Pass. transport vehicles	2.7	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.3	2.9	2.8	2.5
7821 Goods vehicles	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.1
7132 Intrnl comb engine vehcl	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7
--- Other transport equipment	9.7	10.3	10.1	8.7	7.7	6.1	6.9	7.8
7924 Aircrft etc. ULW >15000kg	4.7	5.5	5.5	4.3	3.5	2.1	2.6	3.3
7929 Parts, nes, aircraft, equip	2.6	2.5	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0
-- Textiles	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4
-- Clothing	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3
-- Other consumer goods	9.0	9.2	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.3	9.5	9.6
8722 Othr. medical instruments	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
- Other	4.9	4.8	5.0	6.0	5.1	4.7	5.0	4.3
9310 Special trans not classd	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	2.9
-- Gold	0.8	0.8	1.0	2.1	1.2	0.9	1.1	0.9

Source: UNSD, Comtrade database (SITC Rev.3).

Table AI.2
Imports by group of products, 1990-97
 (US\$ million and per cent)

Commodity	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total (US\$ million)	517,524.5	508,944.1	553,496.5	603,153.6	689,030.0	770,821.5	817,627.2	898,025.5
- Total primary products	24.0	21.8	20.6	19.4	18.2	17.7	18.8	18.5
-- Agriculture	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.3	7.1	6.9	7.0	6.9
--- Food	5.8	5.9	5.7	5.3	5.0	4.8	4.9	5.0
--- Agricultural raw material	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.9
2482 Wood, conifer, sawn	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.8
-- Mining	16.3	14.1	13.0	12.1	11.1	10.8	11.8	11.6
--- Ores and other minerals	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7
--- Non-ferrous metals	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.7
--- Fuels	13.3	11.4	10.6	9.8	8.7	8.2	9.4	9.2
3330 Crude petroleum	9.0	7.8	7.4	6.8	5.9	5.9	6.5	6.4
3341 Motor gasoline, light oil	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.7
- Manufactures	72.6	74.7	75.8	77.1	78.3	78.9	77.6	77.8
-- Iron & steel	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.9
-- Chemicals	4.6	5.0	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.5	5.7	5.8
-- Other semi-manufactures	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.7	6.7
6672 Diamonds, excl. industrial	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
-- Machinery and transport equipment	41.4	42.5	42.8	44.0	45.7	46.4	45.2	44.9
--- Power generating machines	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4
--- Other non-electrical machinery	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.9	6.4	6.6	6.4	6.3
---- Agricultural machinery and tractors	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
--- Office machines & telecommunications equipment	12.2	13.5	14.5	15.3	16.5	18.2	17.2	16.9
7764 Electronic microcircuits	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.9	3.4	4.6	4.0	3.6
7599 Parts, data proc. etc. mch	1.5	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.4	2.9	2.6	2.7
7527 Storage units, data proc.	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.2
7526 Input or output units	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7
7638 Sound, video recording etc	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8
7649 Parts, telecommun. equip	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
7641 Line telephone etc. equip	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.6
--- Other electrical machines	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.6
7731 Insultd wire, etc. conductr	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
--- Automotive products	15.3	15.1	14.6	14.9	14.9	14.0	13.7	13.4
7812 Pass. transport vehicles	9.2	9.3	8.6	8.9	9.1	8.6	8.3	8.3

Table AI.2 (cont'd)

Commodity	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
7843 Other parts, motor vehicl	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.4
7821 Goods vehicles	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4
7132 Intrnl comb. engine vehcl	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8
--- Other transport equipment	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.2
-- Textiles	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4
-- Clothing	5.2	5.4	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.6
8453 Jersys, pullovr, etc. knit	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8
-- Other consumer goods	11.2	11.6	11.9	12.1	11.6	11.3	11.4	11.5
8514 Oth. footwear, lthr. uppers	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0
8942 Children's toys	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0
8211 Convertible seats, parts	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
- Other	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.7
9310 Special trans not classd	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.3
-- Gold	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3

Source: UNSD, Comtrade database (SITC Rev.3).

Table A1.3
Exports by destination, 1990-97
 (US\$ million and per cent)

	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total (US\$ million)	374,449.6	400,983.9	424,871.6	439,222.9	481,833.3	546,441.6	582,118.2	643,178.5
America	34.8	35.0	36.8	38.1	39.9	37.7	38.4	40.9
Canada	20.9	19.7	19.6	20.9	21.5	20.7	20.5	21.0
Other America	14.0	15.3	17.2	17.1	18.4	17.0	18.0	19.9
Mexico	7.3	8.0	9.3	9.2	10.2	8.2	9.4	10.6
Brazil	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.3
Venezuela	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0
Europe	29.6	29.1	27.3	25.7	24.1	24.2	24.0	23.8
EU15	26.2	25.6	24.0	21.8	21.0	21.3	20.6	20.6
United Kingdom	5.9	5.2	5.0	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.9	5.3
Germany	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.1	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.6
Netherlands	3.3	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.8
France	3.5	3.6	3.3	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.4
Belgium-Luxembourg	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0
Italy	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.3
EFTA	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.5
Switzerland	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.2
East Europe	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.2
Former USSR	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8
Other Europe	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6
Asia	30.7	31.3	31.1	31.9	31.7	34.0	33.3	31.3
Middle East	2.9	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0
Saudi Arabia	1.1	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.3
East Asia	26.8	26.8	26.5	27.3	27.8	30.1	29.3	27.5
Japan	12.3	11.5	10.8	10.5	10.6	11.2	10.9	9.7
Korea, Rep. of	3.8	3.8	3.3	3.3	3.6	4.5	4.4	3.8
Chinese Taipei	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	2.9	2.9
Singapore	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.4
Hong Kong	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.1
China	1.3	1.6	1.7	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.9
Malaysia	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.6
Thailand	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.1
Philippines	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1
South Asia	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.8
Oceania	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.2
Australia	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.8
Africa	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
Sub-saharian Africa	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Other Africa	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3
Other	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1

Source: UNSD, Comtrade database (SITC Rev.3).

Table AI.4
Imports by origin, 1990-97
(US\$ million and per cent)

	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total (US\$ million)	517,524.5	508,944.1	553,496.5	603,153.6	689,030.0	770,821.5	817,627.2	898,025.5
America	31.1	31.3	31.3	31.7	32.4	33.3	35.0	35.1
Canada	18.1	18.4	18.3	18.8	19.1	19.2	19.5	19.1
Other America	13.0	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.3	14.0	15.4	16.1
Mexico	5.9	6.2	6.5	6.8	7.3	8.1	9.1	9.7
Venezuela	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.6
Brazil	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1
Europe	22.3	21.2	21.0	20.5	20.6	20.5	20.8	20.9
EU15	20.0	18.9	18.9	18.1	18.0	17.7	18.0	18.1
Germany	5.6	5.3	5.3	4.9	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.9
United Kingdom	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.7
France	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.4
Italy	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.2
Belgium-Luxembourg	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.9
EFTA	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4
Switzerland	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
East Europe	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0
Former USSR	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6
Other Europe	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Asia	42.1	43.5	44.0	44.4	44.0	43.4	41.2	40.9
Middle East	3.9	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4
Saudi Arabia	2.1	2.4	2.0	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1
East Asia	37.2	39.0	39.7	40.3	40.2	39.8	37.5	37.0
Japan	18.1	18.8	18.1	18.3	17.8	16.5	14.4	13.8
China	3.1	4.0	5.0	5.6	6.0	6.3	6.7	7.3
Chinese Taipei	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8
Korea, Rep. of	3.7	3.5	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.2	2.8	2.6
Singapore	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.3
Malaysia	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.8	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.1
Thailand	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5
Philippines	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.2
Hong Kong	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.2
Indonesia	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1
South Asia	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4
India	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9
Oceania	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8
Africa	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.4	2.3
Sub-saharian Africa	2.3	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.6
Other Africa	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Source: UNSD, Comtrade database (SITC Rev.3).

Table AII.1

List of trade and investment agreements entered by the United States between 1996 and 1998

A. Agreements That Have Entered into Force	
Multilateral Agreements	
International Tropical Timber Agreement (Signed in 1994; entered into force 1 January 1997)	
WTO Basic Telecommunications Services Agreement (15 February 1997)	
First Round of the NAFTA Tariff Acceleration Exercise (26 March 1997)	
WTO Information Technology Agreement (ITA) (26 March 1997)	
WTO Guidelines for the Negotiation of Mutual Recognition Agreements on Accountancy (29 May 1997)	
WTO Financial Services Agreement (12 December 1997; entered into force on 1 March 1999)	
Bilateral Agreements	
Albania	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (4 January 1998)
Armenia	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (29 March 1996)
Australia	-Settlement on Leather Products Trade (25 November 1996)
Brazil	-Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of Brazil and the Government of the United States Concerning Trade Measures in the Automotive Sector (16 March 1998)
Cambodia	-Agreement Between the United States of America and the Kingdom of Cambodia on Trade Relations and Intellectual Property Rights Protection (8 October 1996)
Canada	-Agreement on Trade in Softwood Lumber (1 April 1996)
	-Agreement on Barley Tariff-Rate Quota (8 September 1997)
China	-Agreement on Intellectual Property Rights (17 June 1996)
	-Interim Agreement on Market Access for Foreign Financial Information Companies (24 October 1997)
	-Agreement to Strengthen Space Launch Trade Terms (27 October 1997)
Colombia	-Memorandum of Understanding on Trade in Bananas (9 January 1996)
Costa Rica	-Memorandum of Understanding on Trade in Bananas (9 January 1996)
Croatia	-Memorandum of Understanding on Intellectual Property Rights (26 May 1998)
Estonia	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (16 February 1996)
European Union	-Exchange of Letters Concerning Implementation of the Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization and Related Matters (26 June 1996)
	-Exchange of Letters between the United States of America and the European Community on a Settlement for Cereals and rice, and Accompanying Exchange of Letters on Rice Prices (22 July 1996)
	-Agreement for the Conclusion of Negotiations between the United States of America and the European Community under Article XXIV:6, and Accompanying Exchange of Letters (22 July 1996)
	-Tariff Initiative on Distilled Spirits (28 February 1997)
	-Agreement on Global Electronic Commerce (9 December 1997)
	-Agreed Minute on Humane Trapping Standards (18 December 1997)
Georgia	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (17 August 1997)
Germany	-German Agreement to Reform its Procurement System (30 September 1996)
Israel	-U.S.-Israel Agreement on Trade in Agriculture (4 December 1996)
	-U.S.-Israel Agreement on Almonds and Certain Other Agricultural Trade Issues (30 November 1997)
Japan	-U.S.-Japan Semiconductor Accord (2 August 1996)
	-Interim Understanding for the Continuation of Japan-U.S. Insurance Talks (30 September 1996)
	-U.S.-Japan Insurance Agreement (15 December 1996)
	-Japan's Recognition of U.S.-Graded Lumber (13 January 1997)
	-Resolution of WTO dispute with Japan on Sound Recordings (13 January 1997)
	-National Policy Agency procurement of VHF Radio Communications System (31 March 1997)
	-U.S.-Japan Agreement on Deregulation Initiative (19 June 1997)
	-U.S.-Japan Agreement to Extend and Strengthen the NTT Procurement Procedures Agreements (1 October 1997)

Table AII.1 (cont'd)

	-U.S.-Japan Agreement on Distilled Spirits (17 December 1997)
Korea	-Exchange of Letters on Implementation of the 1992 Telecommunications Agreement (12 April 1996) -Korean Commitments on Trade in Telecommunications Goods and Services (23 July 23, 1997) -Memorandum of Understanding to Increase Market Access for Foreign Passenger Vehicles in Korea (20 October 1998)
Latvia	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (26 December 1996)
Mongolia	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (1 January 1997)
Nicaragua	-Bilateral Intellectual Property Rights Agreement with Nicaragua (22 December 1997)
Paraguay	-Memorandum of Understanding on Intellectual Property Rights (17 November 1998)
Peru	-Memorandum of Understanding on IPR (23 May 1997)
Philippines	-Agreement regarding Pork and Poultry Meat (13 February 1998)
Russia	-Joint Memorandum of Understanding on Market Access for Aircraft (30 January 1996) -Agreed Minutes regarding exports of poultry products from the United States to Russia (15, 25, and 29 March 1996) -Agreement on Russian Firearms & Ammunition (3 April 1996)
Chinese Taipei	-Telecommunications Liberalization by Chinese Taipei (19 July 1996) -U.S.-Taiwan Medical Device Issue: List of Principles (30 September 1996) -Agreement on Market Access (20 February 1998)
Trinidad and Tobago	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (26 December 1996)
Turkey	-WTO Settlement Concerning Taxation of Foreign Film Revenues (14 July 1997)
Ukraine	-Space Launch Agreement (21 February 1996) -Bilateral Investment Treaty (16 November 1996)
Vietnam	-Copyright Agreement (27 June 1997)
B. Agreements That Have Not Yet Entered into Force	
Multilateral Agreements	
Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) Mutual Recognition Arrangement for Conformity Assessment of Telecommunications Equipment (8 May 1998)	
Bilateral Agreements	
Azerbaijan	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (1 August 1997; awaiting U.S. ratification and exchange of instruments of ratification)
Bolivia	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (17 April 1998, ratified by Bolivia; awaits U.S. Senate ratification)
China	-Agreement on Trade in Textiles and Textile Products (1 February 1997)
Croatia	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (13 July 1996; awaiting ratification by both parties and exchange of instruments of ratification)
European Union	-Agreement on Mutual Recognition of Product Testing or Approval Requirements (20 June 1997; not yet ratified)
Jordan	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (signed 2 July 1997)
Laos	-Bilateral Trade Agreement (initialed 13 August 1997) -Bilateral Investment Treaty (initialed 13 August 1997)
Lithuania	-Bilateral Investment Treaty (14 January 1998)
Mozambique	-Bilateral investment treaty signed with Mozambique (1 December 1998; must still be ratified by U.S. Senate and by Mozambican legislature)

Source: Information provided by the U.S. authorities.

Table AII.2

Status of selected notification requirements to the WTO, as circulated to WTO Members on 1996-03.99

WTO Agreement	Description of requirement	Periodicity	Document No. of most recent notification or number of notification.	Comments
Agriculture (Art. 18.2)	Information on tariff quotas administration	Once, then changes	G/AG/N/USA/19, 23 October 1998	-
Agriculture (Art. 18.2)	Volume of imports under tariff quotas	Annual	G/AG/N/USA/23, 3 March 1999	-
Agriculture (Art. 5.7 and 18.2)	Special safeguard trigger volume	Once for all products, or the first time each safeguard is used	G/AG/N/USA/18, 16 September 1998.	-
Agriculture (Art. 5.7 and 18.2)	Special safeguard trigger prices	Once for all products, or the first time each safeguard is used		-
Agriculture (Art. 5.7 and 18.2)	Summary of special safeguards taken	Annual	G/AG/N/USA/24, 10 March 1999	-
Agriculture (Art. 18.2)	Domestic Support	Annual	G/AG/N/USA/17, 15 June 1998	-
Agriculture (Art. 10 and 18.2)	Export subsidies (outlays and quantities)	Annual	G/AG/N/USA/14, 28 May 1998 G/AG/N/USA/22, 22 February 1999	-
Agriculture (Art. 10 and 18.2)	Food aid provided	Annual	G/AG/N/USA/12/Add.1, 19 March 1998.	-
Agriculture (Art. 18.3)	Domestic support (modification of legislation)	Before new measure is adopted or 30 days after adoption	G/AG/NUSA/5, 11 September 1996 G/AG/NUSA/25, 11 March 1999	-
Agriculture (Art. 16.2)	Impact on net food-importing countries; food and technical assistance	Annual	G/AG/N/20, 17 November 1998	-
Textiles and Clothing Art. 2.8 (a) and 2.11	Second phase of the integration	Once	G/TMB/N/213, 11 February 1997, addenda and corrigendum	-
Textiles and Clothing (Art. 2.1 and 3.1)	Outstanding measures as of 1 January 1995	Once	G/TMB/N/63, 19 April 1995, addenda and corrigendum; G/TMB/N/66, 28 April 1995 and addendum and corrigenda	-
Textiles and Clothing (Art. 2.17)	Administrative arrangements	Ad hoc	31 administrative arrangements	-
Textiles and Clothing (Art. 6.9)	Bilateral agreements	Ad hoc	4 bilateral agreements	-
Textiles and Clothing (Art. 2.18)	Accelerated quota growth for "small suppliers"	Once	G/TMB/N/311, 18 December 1997	-
Subsidies (Art. 32)	Laws and regulations	Once by March 1995, then changes	G/SCM/N/1/USA/1, April 1995, and corrigendum and supplements.	-
Subsidies (Art. 25)	Specific subsidies granted	Annual	G/SCM/N/38/USA, 3 November 1998	-
Subsidies (Art. 25.11)	Countervailing duty actions taken	Every six months when measure is taken	G/SCM/N/47/USA, 9 March 1999 G/SCM/N/49, 10 March 1999	Covered the period 1 July 1998 - 31 Dec, 1998.
Anti-dumping (Art. 18)	Laws and regulations	Once by March 1995, then changes	G/ADP/N/1/USA/1, 10 April 1995, corrigendum and supplements	-

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WTO Agreement	Description of requirement	Periodicity	Document No. of most recent notification or number of notification.	Comments
Anti-dumping (Art. 16.4)	Anti-dumping actions taken	Every six months preliminary or final anti-dumping actions	G/ADP/N/47/USA, 23 March 1999 G/ADP/N/49, 5 March 1999	Covered the period 1 July 1998 - 31 Dec 1998
Safeguards (Art. 12)	Laws and regulations	Once by March 1995, then changes	G/SG/N/1/USA/1, 6 April 1995	-
Safeguards (Art. 12)	Investigations and actions taken	Ad hoc	4 notifications during 1996 – March 1999	-
Technical Barriers to Trade (Art. 2.9)	Technical regulations	Ad hoc	99 notifications (1996- 03.1999)	-
Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures	Measures taken	Ad hoc	126 notifications (1996- 03.1999)	-
Preshipment Inspection (Art 5)	Laws and regulations which put the Agreement into force	Once, then changes only	G/PSI/N/1/Add.4, to be issued	The United States does not have any laws or regulations governing PSI
Import Licensing Procedures (Art 7.3)	Questionnaire; rules and information concerning procedures for the submission of applications	Annual for questionnaire; rules and information once, then changes	G/LIC/N/3/USA/2, 16 October 1998	-
Import Licensing Procedures (Art. 1.4(a) and 8.2 (b))	Laws and regulations relevant to import licensing		G/LIC/N/1/USA/1, 3 October 1996 G/LIC/N/1/USA/1/rev.1, 3 October 1996	-
Rules of Origin	Preferential and non-preferential rules of origin	Non-preferential in April 1995; preferential as soon as entry into force	G/RO/N/18, 3 November 1997 G/RO/N/12, 1 October 1996	-
Trade-related Investment Measures	Notifications under article 6.2 of the trims agreement of publications in which trims may be found		G/TRIMS/N/2/Rev.4, 5 August 1998	-
GATT 1994 (Part IV)	Enabling Clause	Ad hoc	WT/COMTD/N/1/Add.2, 8 December 1998	Additional items for Generalized System of Preferences (GSP).
GATT Council for Trade in Goods, G/L/59	Complete notifications on non-tariff measures	Every two years, beginning January 1996	G/MA/NTM/QR/1/Add.6, 4 May 1999	-
GATT (Art. XXVIII)	United States reserved its right under the provisions of Art XXVIII:5 of the GATT to modify its Schedule XX during the three-year period commencing on 1 January 1997		G/MA/12, 19 December 1996	-
GATS (Art 7.4)	Any existing Art 7.4 recognition measures	Ad hoc	S/C/N/51, 10 February 1997 S/C/N/52, 10 February 1997 S/C/N/53, 10 February 1997 S/C/N/68, 12 February 1998	Accounting Architecture Engineering (Washington Accord) Accounting

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TRIPS (Art. 63.2)	Laws and regulations	Once, then changes	13 notifications	-
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WTO Agreement	Description of requirement	Periodicity	Document No. of most recent notification or number of notification.	Comments
Plurilateral Government Procurement Agreement (Decision GPA/1/Add.1)	Laws and regulations following a provided checklist	Once	GPA/23,15 July 1998	-

Source: WTO documents.

Table AII.3
Disputes in which the United States has been involved as a complainant, 1996-1999 (March)

Complaint against	Subject-matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
United States against Korea (WT/DS3)	Measures concerning the testing and inspection of Agricultural Products	6 April 1995		
United States (WT/DS11) the European Communities and Canada against Japan	Taxes on Alcoholic Beverages	Requested by the United States on 21 June 1995, established on 29 June 1995, joined by the United States and Canada on 17 July 1995; requested by Canada on 7 July 1995, circulated on 17 July 1995, joined by the United States on 21 July 1995 and the EU on 27 July 1995; requested by the United States on 7 July 1995, established on 17 July 1995.	Requested on 15 September 1995 by the EU, Canada and the United States, established on 27 September 1995. The panel report was circulated on 11 July 1996.	Japan appealed the panel decision on 8 August 1996. The report of the Appellate Body was circulated on 4 October 1996. The Appellate Report and the panel reports were adopted on 1 November 1996. On 24 December 1996 the United States applied for binding arbitration. The Arbitrator report was circulated on 14 February 1997. Period of implementation to be 15 months.
United States against the European Communities (WT/DS13)	Duties on imports of grains	Request for consultation dated 19 July 1995.	On 28 September 1995 the United States requested the establishment of a panel. This request was dropped on 3 December 1996. On 13 February 1997 the United States made a renewed request for the establishment of a panel. On 20 March 1997 the U.S. withdrew the request for a panel. On 26 March the United States made a fresh request for the establishment of a panel. On 30 April 1997, the United States withdrew the request for a panel in view of the fact that the EC had adopted regulations implementing an agreement reached on this matter.	
United States against Australia (WT/DS21)	Measures affecting the importation of salmonids	17 November 1995	Panel established on 10 April 1997. Panel report circulated on 12 June 1998.	Australia appealed the on 12 July 1998. The APB reversed some of the Panel's findings. The APB's report was circulated on 20 October 1998. The DSB adopted the reports on 6 November 1998.
United States (WT/DS26/1) and Canada against the European Communities	Measures Affecting Meat and Meat Products (Hormones)	31 January 1996	The United States requested establishment of a panel on 25 April 1996. The panel was established on 20 May 1996. The report of the panel was circulated on 18 August 1997.	On 29 September 1997 the EC appealed. The APB's report was circulated on 16 January 1998. The reports were adopted on 13 February 1998. The period of implementation expires on 13 May 1999.

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Complaint against	Subject-matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
United States with Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico against the European Communities (WT/DS27)	Regime for the Importation, Sale and Distribution of Bananas.	5 February 1996	A panel was established on 8 ay1996. The report of the panel was circulated on 22 May 1997.	The European Communities notified its intention to appeal certain issues of law and legal interpretation on 11 June 1997. The report of the Appellate Body was circulated on 9 September 1997. On 25 September 1997 the Appellate Body report and the Panel report were adopted by the DSB. On 17 November 1997, the complainants requested that the "reasonable period of time" for implementation of the recommendation and rulings of the DSB be determined by binding arbitration. The report of the Arbitrator was circulated on 1 January 1998. The period of implementation expired on 1 January 1999. The arbitrators report and the report of the panels were issued to the parties on 6 April 1999.
United States against Japan (WT/DS28)	Measures Concerning Sound Recordings	Request for consultation dated 9 February 1996. On 24 January 1997 both parties informed the DSB that they had reached a mutually satisfactory solution to the dispute.		
United States against Canada (WT/DS31)	Certain Measures Concerning Periodicals	11 March 1996	The DSB established a panel on 19 June 1996. The report of the Panel was circulated on 14 March 1997.	On 29 April 1997, Canada notifies its intention to appeal certain issues of law and legal interpretations developed by the Panel. The report of the Appellate Body was circulated on 30 June 1997. The DSB adopted the Appellate Body report and the Panel report on 30 July 1997. Canada withdrew the contested measure.
United States, (Argentina, Australia, Canada New Zealand and Thailand) against Hungary (WT/DS35)	Export subsidies in respect of agricultural products	Request for consultations on 27 March 1996.	On 9 January 1997, (Argentina, Australia, New Zealand and the United States requested the establishment of a panel. On 25 February 1997 the DSB established a panel . On 30 July 1997 Australia on behalf of the complainants notified the DSB that the parties to the dispute had reached a mutually agreed solution, which required Hungary to seek a waiver of certain of its WTO obligations. Pending Adoption of the waiver, the complaint was not formally withdrawn.	

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Complaint against	Subject-matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
United States against Pakistan (WT/DS36)	Patent Protection for Pharmaceutical and Agricultural Chemical Products	Request for consultation dated 30 April 1996.	On 4 July 1996 the United States requested establishment. On 25 February 1997, both parties informed the DSB that they had reached a mutually agreed solution. On 28 February 1997 the terms of the agreement were communicated to the Secretariat.	
United States against Portugal (WT/DS37)	Patent Protection under the Industrial Property Act	Request for consultation dated 30 April 1996. On 3 October 1996 both parties notified a mutually agreed solution to the DSB.		
United States against Korea (WT/DS41)	Measures concerning the testing and inspection of Agricultural Products	24 May 1996		
United States against Turkey (WT/DS43)	Taxation of Foreign Film Revenues	Request for consultation on 12 June 1996.	On January 1997 the United States requested the establishment of a panel. On 25 February 1997 the DSB established a panel. On 14 July 1997, both parties notified the DSB of a mutually agreed solution.	
United States against Japan (WT/DS45)	Measures affecting distribution services.	13 June 1996, further consultations were requested on 20 June 1996.		
United States against India (WT/DS50)	Patent Protection for Pharmaceuticals and Agricultural Chemical Products	2 July of 1996	The United States requested establishment of a panel on 7 November 1996. The DSB established a panel on 20 November 1996. Report circulated on 5 September 1997.	India appealed certain issues of law and interpretation. The APB report and panel report were adopted by the DSB on 16 January 1998. On 22 April 1998, implementation period of 15 months was agreed.
United States against Brazil (WT/DS52)	Certain measures affecting trade and investment in the automotive sector	9 August 1996		
United States against Argentina (WT/DS56)	Certain Measures Affecting Imports of Footwear, Textiles, Apparel and other items	4 October 1996	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 9 January 1997. The panel was established on 25 February 1997. The panel report was circulated on 25 November 1997.	On 21 January the 1998 Argentina appealed. The APB's report was circulated on 27 March 1998. The panel report as modified by the Appellate Body were adopted by the DSB on 22 April 1998. An agreement on implementation has been reached.

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Complaint against	Subject-matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
United States against Australia (WT/DS57)	Textiles, Clothing and Footwear Import Credit Schemes	Request for consultation dated 7 October 1996. An official release from the USTR in Washington on 25 November 1996 indicated that the case had been settled.		
United States against Japan (WT/DS44)	Measures Affecting Consumer Photographic Film and Paper.	13 October 1996	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 20 September on 1996. The panel was established on 16 October 1996. The panel report was adopted by the DSB on 22 April 1998.	
United States against Indonesia (WT/DS59)	Certain measures affecting the automobile industry	15 October 1996	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 12 June 1997. The panel was established on 30 July 1997. On 23 July 1998, the DSB adopted the panel report.	Indonesia requested for a review of the Panel's report on 6 April 1998. Implementation of the recommendation expires on 23 July 1999
United States against the European Communities, the United Kingdom, and Ireland (WT/DS62, 67, 68)	Customs Classification of Certain Computer Equipment	14 November 1996	On 25 February 1997 the DSB established the panel. The panel report circulated on 5 February 1998.	On 24 March 1998, the EC notified its intention to appeal certain issues of law and legal interpretations by the Panel. The report of the Appellate Body was circulated on 5 June 1998. On 22 June 1998, the DSB adopted the Appellate Body report and the Panel report.
United States against Brazil (WT/DS65)	Certain measures affecting trade and investment in the automotive sector	10 January 1997		
United States against the Philippines (WT/DS74/1)	Measures affecting pork and poultry	Request for consultation on 1 April 1997. On 12 March 1998, the parties communicated a mutually agreed solution to their dispute.		
United States against Japan (WT/DS76/1)	Measures Affecting Agricultural products	7 April 1997	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 3 October 1997. The panel was established on 18 November 1997. Panel report was circulated on 27 October 1998.	On 24 Mar 1998 Japan appealed. The APB upheld the basic findings and the report was circulated on 22 February 1999. The APB and Panel's Reports were adopted on 19 March 1999.
United States against Belgium (WT/DS80/1)	Measures Affecting Commercial Telephone Directory Services	2 May 1997		

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Complaint against	Subject-matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
United States against Ireland (WT/DS82/1)	Measures Affecting the Grant of Copyright and Neighbouring Rights	14 May 1997	On 9 January 1998 the United States requested the establishment of a panel	
United States against Denmark (WT/DS83/1)	Measures Affecting the Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights	14 May 1997		
United States against Korea (WT/DS84/1)	Taxes on Alcoholic Beverages	23 May 1997	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 10 September 1997. The panel was established 16 October 1997. The report of the panel was circulated 17 September 1998.	On 20 October 1998, Korea notified the intention to appeal. The APBs report was circulated on 18 January 1999 and was adopted on 17 February 1998. On 19 March 1999, Korea informed the DSB that it was considering options for implementation of the DSB's recommendation. Period of time for implementation to be determined by arbitration.
United States against Sweden (WT/DS86/1)	Measures Affecting the Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights	28 May 1997. On 2 December 1998 the two parties notified a mutually agreed solution		
United States against India (WT/DS90/1)	Quantitative Restrictions on Imports of Agricultural, Textiles and Industrial Products	15 July 1997	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 3 October 1997. The panel was established on 18 November 1997. Panel report was issued 6 of April 1999.	
United States against Mexico (WT/DS101/1)	Anti-Dumping Investigation of High-Fructose Corn Syrup (HFCS)	4 September 1997		
United States against the Philippines (WT/DS102/1)	Measures affecting pork and poultry	Request for consultation on 7 October 1997. On 12 March 1998, the parties communicated a mutually agreed solution to their dispute.		
United States against Canada (WT/DS103/1)	Measures Affecting the Importation of Milk and the Exportation of Dairy Products.	8 October 1997	The United States requested the establishment 2 February 1998 of a panel. The panel was established on 25 March 1998.	
United States against the European Communities (WT/DS104/1)	Measures Affecting the Exportation of Processed Cheese	8 October 1997		

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Complaint against	Subject-matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
United States against Australia (WT/DS106/1)	Subsidies Provided to Producers and Exporters of Automotive Leather	10 November 1997	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 9 January 1998. The panel was established on 22 January 1998. On 11 June 1998 the United States withdrew its request for a panel.	
United States against Chile (WT/DS109/1)	Taxes on Alcoholic Beverages	11 December 1997	Panel has already been established	
United States against the European Communities (WT/DS115/1)	Measures Affecting the Grant of Copyright and Neighbouring Rights	6 January 1998	9 January 1998 the U.S. requested the establishment of a panel	
United States against the European Communities (WT/DS124/1)	Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights for Motion Pictures and Television Programmes	30 April 1998		
United States against Greece (WT/DS125/1)	Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights for Motion Pictures and Television Programmes	30 April 1998		
United States against Australia (WT/DS126/1)	Subsidies Provided to Producers and Exporters of Automotive Leather	4 May 1998	The United States requested the establishment of a panel on 11 June 1998. The panel was established on 22 June 1998.	
United States against Belgium (WT/DS127/1)	Certain Income Tax Measures Constituting Subsidies	5 May 1998		
United States against the Netherlands (WT/DS128/1)	Certain Income Tax Measures Constituting Subsidies	5 May 1998		
United States against Greece (WT/DS129/1)	Certain Income Tax Measures Constituting Subsidies	5 May 1998		
United States against Ireland (WT/DS130/1)	Certain Income Tax Measures Constituting Subsidies	5 May 1998		

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Complaint against	Subject-matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
United States against France (WT/DS131/1)	Certain Income Tax Measures Constituting Subsidies	5 May 1998		
United States against Mexico (WT/DS132)	Anti-Dumping Investigation of High-Fructose Corn Syrup (HFCS)	8 May 1998		On 8 October 1998 the United States requested the establishment of a panel. The panel was established on 25 November 1998.
United States against Korea (WT/DS161/1)	Measures Affecting Imports of Fresh Chilled, and Frozen Beef	1 February 1999		
United States against Korea (WT/DS163/1)	Measures Affecting Government Procurement	16 February 1999		
United States against Argentina (WT/DS164/1)	Measures Affecting Imports of Footwear	4 March 1999		

a Sometimes date in which WTO document was circulated.

Source: WTO documents.

Table AII.4
Disputes involving complaints against the United States, 1996-1999 (March)

Complaint by/against	Subject matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
Venezuela (WT/DS2) and Brazil (WT/DS4)	Standards for Reformulated and Conventional Gasoline	2 February 1995	A single panel considered the complaints of both countries. Panel report (WT/DS2/R), 29 January 1996.	The United States appealed on 21 February 1996. On 22 April 1996, the Appellate Body issued its report. The Appellate Report was adopted by the DSB on 20 May 1996. The United States announced implementation on 19 August 1997. On 11 November 1996, Costa Rica notifies its decision to appeal against one aspect of the Panel report. The report of the Appellate Body was circulated on 10 February 1997. The Appellate Body's report and the Panel report were adopted by the DSB on 25 February 1997. The U.S. complied with the measure immediately.
Costa Rica (WT/DS24)	Restrictions on Imports of Cotton and Man-Made Fibre Underwear	15 January 1996	The report of the panel was circulated on 8 November 1996.	
India (WT/DS32)	Measures affecting imports of women's and girls' wool coats	14 March 1996	India requested the establishment of a panel on 14 March 1996. A panel was established on 17 April 1996. On 25 April 1996, India requested termination of further action in light of the US removal of the safeguard measures on these products, which came into effect on 24 April 1996.	
India (WT/DS33)	Measure Affecting Imports of Woven Shirts and Blouses	15 March 1996	A panel was established at the DSB meeting on 17 April 1996. The report of the Panel was circulated to Members on 6 January 1997.	On 24 February 1997, India notifies its intention to appeal certain issues of law and legal interpretation. The report of the Appellate Body was circulated on 25 April 1997. The Appellate Body report and the Panel report were adopted by the DSB on 23 May 1997. The United States announced the withdrawal of the measure on 22 Nov 1996 before the panel concluded its work
The European Communities (WT/DS39)	Tariff increases on products from the European Communities	17 April 1996	On 19 June 1996 the EC requested the establishment of a panel. The United States withdrew the measure on 15 July 1996, and the EC decided not to pursue its panel request, reserving its right to reconvene if necessary.	
The European Communities (WT/DS38)	The Cuban Liberty and Democratic Solidarity Acts	3 May 1996	The European Communities requested the establishment of a panel on 3 October 1996. The DSB established a panel at its meeting on 20 November 1996. At the request of the EC, dated 21 April 1997, the panel suspended its work. The Panel's authority lapsed on 22 April 1998	

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Complaint by/against	Subject matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
Mexico (WT/DS49)	Anti-Dumping Investigation regarding import of fresh or chilled tomatoes	On 1 July 1996 Mexico requested consultation on. Official releases of the US Commerce Department indicated that the case had been settled.		
India, Malaysia, Pakistan and Thailand (WT/DS58)	Import prohibition of certain shrimp and shrimp products	8 October 1996	On 25 February 1997 the DSB established a panel. The Panel's report was circulated on 15 May 1998.	The United States appealed on 13 July 1998. On 12 October 1998 the DSB decided on the appeal. The DSB adopted the report on 5 November 1998. The implementation period expires on 6 December 1999.
Philippines (WT/DS61)	Import prohibitions of certain shrimp and shrimp products	25 October 1996		
The European Communities (WT/DS63)	Anti-Dumping Measures on imports of solid Urea from the former German Democratic Republic	28 November 1996		
Colombia (WT/DS78/1)	Safeguard Measure against imports of Broom Corn Brooms	28 April 1997		
The European Communities (WT/DS85/1)	Measures affecting textiles and apparel products (changes in rules of origin)	On 23 May 1997 the European Communities requested consultations with the United States. On 11 February 1998, the two parties notified their mutually agreed solution.		
The European Communities (WT/DS88/1)	Measures affecting Government Procurement	20 June 1997	On 8 December 1998 request for establishment of a panel. On 21 October 1998 a panel was established. On 10 February 1999 the complainant requested the panel to suspend proceedings.	

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Complaint by/against	Subject matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
Korea (WT/DS89/1)	Anti-Dumping Duties on imports of colour television receivers form Korea	10 July 1997	On 6 November 1997, Korea requested the establishment of a panel. On 5 January 1998 Korea informed the DSB that it was withdrawing its request for a panel but reserving the right to reintroduce the request. On 22 September 1998 Korea announced that it was definitively withdrawing the request because the imposition of anti-dumping duties had been revoked.	
Japan (WT/DS95/1)	Measures affecting Government Procurement	18 July 1997	On 8 September 1998 request for establishment of a panel. On 21 October 1998 a panel was established. On 10 February 1999 the complainant requested the panel to suspend proceedings.	
Chile (WT/DS97/1)	Countervailing Duty investigation of imports of Salmon	5 August 1997		
Korea (WT/DS99/1)	Anti-Dumping Duty on Dynamic Random Access Memory Semiconductors (DRAMs) on one Megabit or above from Korea	14 August 1997	Korea requested the establishment of a panel on 6 November 1997. The DSB established a panel on 16 January 1998. Panel's report circulated on 29 January 1999.	
The European Communities (WT/DS100/1)	Measures affecting imports of poultry products	18 August 1997		
The European Communities (WT/DS108/1)	Tax Treatment for "Foreign Sales Corporation"	18 November 1997	22 September 1998 the DSB established a panel.	
Argentina (WT/DS111/1)	Tariff Rate Quota for imports of groundnuts	9 December 1997		
The European Communities (WT/DS118/1)	Harbour Maintenance Tax	6 February 1998		
The European Communities (WT/DS136)	United States - Anti-Dumping Act of 1916	9 June 1998	On 11 November 1998 request for the establishment of a panel. On 1 February 1999 a panel was established.	

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Complaint by/against	Subject matter	Consultations ^a	Panel	Appeal/Implementation
The European Communities (WT/DS138/1)	Imposition on Countervailing Duties on Certain Hot-rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel Products Originating in the United Kingdom	30 June 1998	On 14 January 1999 request for the establishment of a panel. On 17 February 1999 a panel was established.	
Canada (WT/DS144/1)	Certain measures affecting the import of cattle, swine and grain	28 September 1998		
The European Communities (WT/DS151/1)	Measures affecting textiles and apparel products	19 November 1998, EC contends that the United States has not implemented its commitments as contained in the agreed solution to WT/DS85/1.		
The European Communities (WT/DS152/1)	Section 301-310 of the Trade Act of 1974	25 November 1998	On 26 January 1999, the EC requested establishment of a panel. On 2 March, the DSB established a panel.	
Japan (WT/DS162/1)	Anti-Dumping Act of 1919(II)	10 February 1999		
The European Communities (WT/DS160/1)	Sections 110(5) of the U.S. Copyright Act	26 February 1999		
The European Communities (WT/DS165/1)	Import Measures on Certain Products from the European Communities	4 March 1999		
The European Communities (WT/DS166/1)	Definitive Safeguard Measure on Imports of Wheat Gluten	17 March 1999		
Canada (WT/DS167/1)	Countervailing Duty Investigation with respect to Live Cattle	19 March 1999		

a Sometimes date in which WTO document was circulated.

Source: WTO documents.

Table AII.5

NAFTA disputes involving the United States under Chapters 19 and 20 initiated or terminated between 1996 and end-February 1999

Description	Investigation No.	Status at 28.02.99
I. Complaints against rulings by U.S. agencies		
Porcelain-on-steel cookware from Mexico (Dumping)	USA-95-1904-01	Final order affirming the determination on remand issued on 19 July 1996
Gray Portland cement and cement clinker from Mexico (Dumping)	USA-95-1904-02	Panel affirmed Agency's determination
Color picture tubes from Canada (Dumping)	USA-95-1904-03	Panel affirmed Agency's determination
Oil country tubular goods from Mexico (Dumping)	USA-95-1904-04	Final order affirming the determination on remand issues on 2 December 1996
Fresh cut flowers from Mexico (Dumping)	USA-95-1904-05	Final order affirming the determination on remand issued on 2 December 1996
Porcelain-on-steel cooling ware from Mexico (6 th Anti-dumping Duty Administrative Review)	USA-96-1904-01	Terminated – No decision issued
Gray Portland cement and clinker from Mexico (5 th Anti-dumping Duty Administrative Review)	USA-97-1904-01	Active
Gray Portland cement and clinker from Mexico (4 th Anti-dumping Duty Administrative Review)	USA-97-1904-02	Panel affirmed agency's determination
Certain corrosion resistant carbon steel flat products from Canada	USA-97-1904-03	Active
Pure and alloy magnesium from Canada (3 th Countervailing Duty Administrative Review)	USA-97-1904-04	Terminated – No decision issued
Porcelain-on-steel cookware from Mexico (8 th Anti-dumping Duty Administrative Review)	USA-97-1904-05	Terminated – No decision issued
Circular welded non-alloy steel pipe and tube from Mexico (Dumping)	USA-98-1904-05	Active
Circular welded non-alloy steel pipe and tube from Mexico (Dumping)	USA-97-1904-06	Terminated – No decision issued
Porcelain-on-steel cookware from Mexico (9 th Anti-dumping Duty Administrative Review)	USA-97-1904-07	Active
Steel wire rod from Canada (Countervailing Duty Determination)	USA-97-1904-08	Suspended
Corrosion-resistant carbon steel flat products from Canada (Dumping)	USA-CDA-98-1904-01	Proceeding stayed
Gray Portland cement and clinker from Mexico (6 th Anti-dumping Duty Administrative Review)	USA-MEX-98-1904-02	Active
Brass sheet and strip from Canada (Dumping)	USA-CDA-98-1904-03	Active
Porcelain-on-steel cookware from Mexico (10 th Anti-dumping Duty Administrative Review)	USA-MEX-98-1904-04	Active
Certain corrosion-resistant carbon steel flat products from Canada (results of anti-dumping administrative review)	USA-CDA-99-1904-01	Active
Certain cut-to-length carbon steel plate from Canada (results of anti-dumping administrative review)	USA-CDA-99-1904-02	Active
II. Complaints against rulings by Canadian or Mexican agencies affecting U.S. exports		
Refined sugar, refined from sugar cane or sugar beets, in granulated, liquid and powdered form, originating in or exported from the United States of America (Dumping) (investigation by Canada)	CDA-95-1904-04	Final order affirming the determination on remand issued on 30 January 1997

Table AII.5 (cont'd)

Description	Investigation No.	Status at 28.02.99
Bacteriological culture media from Becton Dickinson and company and DIFCO laboratories of the United States (Dumping) (investigation by Canada)	CDA-96-1904-01	Terminated – No decision issued
Concrete panels, reinforced with fibreglass mesh, originating in or exported from the United States of America and produced by or on behalf of custom building products, its successors and assigns, for use or consumption in the province of British Columbia or Alberta (Injury) (investigation by Canada)	CDA-97-1904-01	Panel affirmed agency's determination on 26 August 1998
Certain prepared baby foods originating in or exported from the United States (Injury) (investigation by Canada)	CDA-USA-98-1904-01	Active
Certain cold-reduced flat-rolled sheet products of carbon steel (including high-strength low-alloy steel) originating in or exported from the United States of America (Injury) (investigation by Canada)	CDA-USA-98-1904-02	Active
Import of flat coated steel products, in and from the United States of America (Dumping) (investigation by Mexico)	MEX-94-1904-01	Final decision affirming the third determination on remand issued on 13 April 1998
Polystyrene and impact crystal from the United States of America (Dumping) (investigation by Mexico)	MEX-94-1904-03	Panel affirmed the agency's determination
Seamless line pipe originating in the United States of America (Dumping) (investigation by Mexico)	MEX-95-1904-01	Terminated – No decision issued
Imports of Hydrogen Peroxide originating in the United States of America (Countervailing Duty) (investigation by Mexico)	MEX-97-1904-01	Terminated – No decision issued
Imports of high-fructose corn syrup originating in the United States of America (Dumping) (investigation by Mexico)	MEX-USA-98-1904-01	Active
Certain solder joint pressure pipe fittings and solder joint drainage, waste and vent pipe fittings, made of cast copper alloy, wrought copper alloy or wrought copper, originating in or exported from the United States of America (order rescinding injury finding) (investigation by Canada)	CDA-98-1904-03	Active
III. Review of Canadian measures affecting U.S. exports (under NAFTA chapter 20)		
Tariffs applied by Canada to certain U.S.-origin agricultural products	USA-95-2008-01	Panel report issued on 2 December 1996
IV. Review of U.S. measures (under NAFTA chapter 20)		
U.S. safeguard action taken on broomcorn brooms from Mexico	USA-97-2009-01	Panel report issued on 30 January 1999
Cross-border trucking services and investment (requested by Mexico)	USA-98-2008-01	Active
Cross-border bus services (requested by Mexico)	USA-98-2008-02	Active

Source: NAFTA Secretariat.

Table AIII.1
Anti-dumping duty orders in effect on 1 January 1999 by country and products

Country/ Customs territory	Products	Number of orders
Argentina	Barbed Wire and Barbless Wire Strand; Carbon Steel Wire Rod; Oil Country Tubular Goods; Silicon Metal; Line and Pressure Pipe; Welded Carbon Steel Pipe and Tube.	6
Armenia	Solid Urea	1
Australia	Canned Bartlett Pears; Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Prod.	2
Austria	Railway Track Maintenance Equipment	1
Azerbaijan	Solid Urea	1
Bangladesh	Cotton Shop Towels	1
Belarus	Solid Urea	1
Belgium	Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Industrial. Phosphoric Acid; Sugar.	3
Brazil	Brass Sheet & Strip; Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe; Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Ferrosilicon; Frozen Concentrated Orange Juice; Hot Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products; Industrial Nitrocellulose; Iron Construction Castings; Malleable Cast Iron Pipe Fittings; Silicomanganese; Silicon Metal; Stainless Steel Bar; Stainless Steel Wire Rod; Standard Line and Pressure Pipe.	15
Canada	Elemental Sulphur; Red Raspberries; Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Sugar and Syrup; Iron Construction Castings; Oil Country Tubular Goods; Brass Sheet & Strip; Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products; Color Picture Tubes; Pure and Alloy Magnesium; New Steel Rails; Racing Plates; Steel Jacks.	13
Chile	Fresh Cut Flowers; Fresh Atlantic Salmon; Preserved Mushrooms.	3
China	Potassium Permanganate; Chloropicrin; Cotton Shop Towels; Barium Chloride; Greig Polyester Cotton Print Cloth; Natural Bristle Paint Brushes and Brush Heads; Iron Construction Castings; Petroleum Wax Candles; Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware; Tapered Roller Bearings; Industrial Nitrocellulose; Heavy Forged Hand Tools; Sparklers; Chrome-plated Lug Nuts; Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Sulfanilic Acid; Tungsten Ore Concentrates; Silicon Metal; Ferrosilicon; Compact Ductile Iron Waterworks Fittings and Glands; Sebacic Acid; Sulphur Chemicals (Sodium Thiosulfate); Helical Spring Lock Washers; Paper Clips; Pencils, cased; Silicomanganese; Coumarin; Garlic, Fresh; Pure Magnesium; Furfuryl Alcohol; Glycine; Melamine Institutional Dinnerware; Manganese Metal; Polyvinyl Alcohol; Brake Rotors; Persulfates.	36
Chinese Taipei	Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Carbon Steel Plate; Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Pipes and Tubes; Chrome-Plated Lug Nuts; Color Television Receivers; Stainless Steel Flanges; Helical Spring Lock Washers; Malleable Cast Iron Pipe Fittings; Melamine Institutional Dinnerware; Oil Country Tubular Goods; Polyvinyl Alcohol; Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware; Telephone Systems and sub-assemblies thereof; Light,Walled Rectangular Welded Carbon Steel Pipe and Tubing; Small Diameter Welded Carbon Circular Pipes and Tubes; Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Stainless Steel Cooking Ware (Top-of-the-Stove) ; Stainless Steel Flanges; Static Random Access Memory Semiconductors (SRAMs); Welded ASTM A-312 Stainless Steel Pipes.	20
Colombia	Fresh Cut Flowers.	1
Ecuador	Fresh Cut Flowers.	1
Estonia	Solid Urea.	1
Finland	Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Rayon Staple Fiber.	2
France	Anhydrous Sodium Metasilicate; Brass Sheet & Strip; Calcium Aluminate Cement and Cement Clinker (Flux); Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products; Hot Rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel; Industrial Nitrocellulose; Large Power Transformers; Sorbitol; Antifriction Bearings; Stainless Steel Wire Rod; Sugar.	12

Table AIII.1 (cont'd)

Country/ Customs territory	Products	Number of orders
Georgia	Solid Urea.	1
Germany	Animal Glue; Barium Carbonate; Brass Sheet and Strip; Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products; Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products; Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Hot Rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel Products; Industrial Belts Except Synchronous and V Belts; Industrial Nitrocellulose; Large Newspaper Printing Presses and Components; Sugar; Sulphur Chemicals (Sodium Thiosulfate); Seamless Line and Pressure Pipe; Antifriction Bearings.	14
Greece	Electrolytic Manganese Dioxide.	1
Hungary	Tapered Roller Bearings.	1
India	Stainless Steel Flanges; Welded Carbon Steel Pipes and Tubes; Stainless Steel Bar; Stainless Steel Wire Rod; Sulfanilic Acid.	5
Indonesia	Melamine Institutional Dinnerware	1
Iran	Pistachio Nuts, In Shell	1
Israel	Oil Country Tubular Goods; Industrial Phosphoric Acid.	2
Italy	Brass Fire Protection Equipment; Brass Fire Protection Equipment; Brass Sheet & Strip; Certain Pasta; Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel; Granular Polytetrafluoroethylene Resin; Large Power Transformers; Stainless Steel Wire Rod; Pressure Sensitive (Plastic) Tape; Seamless Line and Pressure Pipe; Antifriction Bearings; Oil Country Tubular Goods; Industrial Belts.	13
Japan	Roller Chain - Other Than Bicycle; Synthetic Methionine; Steel Wire Rope; Tapered Roller Bearings, Over 4 Inches; Tapered Roller Bearings; Under 4 Inches Ball Bearings; Melamine, in Crystal Form; Steel Wire Strand P.C.; Calcium Hypochlorite; Cellular Mobile Phones and Subassemblies; Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Cast Iron Pipe Fittings, Malleable; Color Picture Tubes; Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Forklift Trucks, Internal Combustion Ind.; Brass Sheet and Strip; Nitrile Rubber; Granular Polytetrafluoroethylene Resin; 3.5" Micro Disks and Media Thereof; Antifriction Bearings; Electric Cutting/Sanding/Grinding Tools, Professional; Industrial Belts; Telephone Systems and subassemblies Thereof; Mechanical Transfer Presses; Drafting Machines and Parts Thereof; Industrial Nitrocellulose; Multiangle Laser Light Scattering Instruments; Grey Portland Cement and Cement Clinker; Benzyl Paraben; Professional Electric Cutting/Sanding/Grinding Tools; Acrylic Sheet; Melamine; Impression Fabric; Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products; Defrost Timers; Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel; Stainless Steel Bar; Oil Country Tubular Goods; Polyvinyl Alcohol; Large Newspaper Printing Presses and Components; Clad Steel Plate; Gas Turbo Compressors; Stainless Steel Wire Rod; Fish Netting of Manmade Fiber; Large Power Transformers; Titanium Sponge; Television Receivers; Small Electric Motors; High Power Microwave Amplifiers; Bicycle Speedometers.	49
Kazakstan	Ferrosilicon; Solid Urea; Titanium Sponge.	3
Kenya	Fresh Cut Flowers (Standard Carnations).	1
Korea, Rep. of	Malleable Cast Iron Pipe Fittings; Stainless Steel Cooking Ware; Color Pictures Tubes; Color Television Receivers; Industrial Nitrocellulose; Polyethylene Terephthalate Film; Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipes Telephone Systems and Subassemblies Thereof; Welded Stainless Steel Pipes (ASTM A-312); Steel Wire Rope (Carbon); DRAMS of 1 Megabit and Above Brass Sheet and Strip; Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products; Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products; Oil Country Tubular Goods; Stainless Steel Wire Rod.	17
Kyrgyzstan	Solid Urea.	1
Latvia	Solid Urea.	1
Lithuania	Solid Urea.	1
Malaysia	Extruded Rubber Thread.	1
Mexico	Cooking Ware, Porcelain on Steel; Fresh Cut Flowers; Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Pipe; Grey Portland Cement and Cement Clinker; Steel Wire Rope (Carbon); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Oil Country Tubular Goods.	7

Table AIII.1 (cont'd)

Country/ Customs territory	Products	Number of orders
Moldova	Solid Urea.	1
Netherlands	Aramid Fibre (of PPP-T); Brass Sheet and Strip; Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products.	3
New Zealand	Brazing Copper Wire and Rod (low-fuming); Kiwifruit, Fresh.	2
Norway	Fresh and Chilled Atlantic Salmon	1
Poland	Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate	1
Romania	Antifriction Bearings; Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Solid Urea; Tapered Roller Bearings.	4
Russia	Ferrosilicon; Ferrovandium and Nitride Vanadium; Pure Magnesium; Solid Urea; Titanium Sponge.	5
Singapore	Ball Bearings; Color Picture Tubes; Small Diameter Standard Rectangular Pipe and Tube; Industrial Belts.	4
South Africa	Brazing Copper Wire and Rod, Low-fuming; Furfuryl Alcohol.	2
Spain	Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Potassium Permanganate; Stainless Steel Bar; Stainless Steel Wire Rod.	4
Sweden	Antifriction Bearings; Brass Sheet and Strip; Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Seamless Stainless Steel Hollow Products; Stainless Steel Plate.	5
Tajikistan	Solid Urea.	1
Thailand	Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Canned Pineapple Fruit; Circular-Welded Carbon Pipe and Tube; Furfuryl Alcohol; Malleable Cast Iron Pipe Fittings.	6
Turkey	Aspirin; Certain Pasta; Rebar Steel; Welded Carbon Pipes and Tubes.	4
Turkmenistan	Solid Urea.	1
Ukraine	Ferrosilicon; Pure Magnesium; Solid Urea; Titanium Sponge ;Uranium.	5
United Kingdom	Antifriction Bearings; Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Hot-Rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel; Industrial Nitrocellulose; Sulphur Chemical (Sodium Thiosulfate).	5
Uzbekistan	Solid Urea.	1
Venezuela	Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Pipe; Ferrosilicon.	2
Yugoslavia	Industrial Nitrocellulose.	1

Source: International Trade Administration; WTO document G/ADP/N/41/USA, 25 September 1998.

Table AIII.2
Countervailing duty orders in effect on 1 January 1999

Country	Products	Number of Orders
Argentina	Wool, oil country tubular goods; welded carbon steel pipe and tube products; leather.	4
Belgium	Carbon steel flat products.	1
Brazil	Castor oil products; agricultural tillage; iron construction castings (heavy castings only); brass sheet and strip; hot rolled lead/bismuth carbon steel products; carbon steel flat products.	5
Canada	Live swine and fresh, chilled and frozen pork (order on swine only); new steel rails; pure and alloy magnesium.	3
Chile	Fresh cut flowers.	1
Chinese Taipei	Top-of-the-stove stainless steel cooking ware.	1
EC	Sugar	1
France	Brass sheet and strip; hot rolled lead/bismuth carbon steel products; carbon steel flat products.	3
Germany	Hot rolled lead/bismuth carbon steel products; carbon steel flat products.	2
India	Iron metal castings; sulfanilic acid.	2
Iran	In-shell pistachio nuts; roasted in shell pistachios.	2
Israel	Oil country tubular goods; industrial phosphoric acid.	2
Italy	Grain-oriented electrical steel; seamless lines and pressure pipe; oil country tubular goods; pasta, certain stainless steel wire rods.	5
Korea	Top-of-the-stove stainless steel cooking ware; carbon steel flat products.	2
Malaysia	Extruded rubber thread.	1
Mexico	Porcelain-on-steel cooking ware; carbon steel flat products.	2
Netherlands	Fresh cut flowers.	1
Norway	Fresh and chilled atlantic salmon.	1
Pakistan	Cotton shop towels.	1
Peru	Fresh cut flowers.	1
Spain	Stainless steel wire rod; carbon steel flat products.	2
Sweden	Cold-rolled carbon steel products; carbon steel flat products.	2
Thailand	Textiles and textile products.	1
Turkey	Pasta, certain.	1
United Kingdom	Hot rolled lead/bismuth carbon steel products; carbon steel flat products	2
Venezuela	Ferrosilicon	1

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, International Trade Administration.

Table AIII.3
Calendar of Sunset Reviews, July 1998-December 1999, and results available as of 30 April 1999

<p>July 1998</p> <p>Australia: Canned Bartlett Pears ^a</p> <p>Canada: Steel Jacks ^a</p> <p>France: Large Power Transformers ^a</p> <p>Italy: Large Power Transformers ^a</p> <p>Japan: Fish Netting of Manmade Fibre ^a; Large Power Transformers ^a; Titanium Sponge ^a; Bicycle Speedometers ^a</p> <p>Kazakhstan: Titanium Sponge ^a; Roller Chain</p> <p>Russia: Titanium Sponge ^a</p> <p>Ukraine: Titanium Sponge ^a</p> <p>August 1998</p> <p>Canada: Elemental Sulphur ^c; Racing Plates ^a</p> <p>Japan: Synthetic Methionine; Polychloroprene Rubber; Acrylic Sheet ^a; Melamine</p> <p>Sweden: Stainless Steel Plate</p> <p>September 1998</p> <p>Austria: Railway Track Equipment ^a</p> <p>Brazil: Cotton Yarn ^a</p> <p>Finland: Rayon Staple Fiber ^a</p> <p>Germany: Animal Glue ^a</p> <p>Italy: Pressure Sensitive Tape ^d</p> <p>Japan: Steel Wire Strand ^d; Impression Fabric ^a</p> <p>Sweden: Rayon Staple Fiber (C) ^a</p> <p>October 1998</p> <p>Belgium: Sugar</p> <p>Canada: Sugar and Syrups</p> <p>China: Barium Chloride ^d</p> <p>EC: Sugar (C)</p> <p>France: Sugar; Anhydrous Sodium Metasilicate; Sorbitol ^d</p> <p>Germany: Sugar; Barium Carbonate ^a</p> <p>Japan: Television Receivers ^a; Small Electric Motors ^a; High Power Microwave Amplifiers ^a</p> <p>Korea: Color Television Receivers ^a</p> <p>Taiwan: Color Television Receivers ^a</p> <p>November 1998</p> <p>Argentina: Carbon Steel Wire Rod; Steel Wire Rod (C)</p> <p>Brazil: Iron Metal Castings</p> <p>Canada: Iron Metal Castings</p> <p>China: Chloropicrin; ^d Grieve Polyester Cotton Print; ^d Iron Construction Castings; Potassium Permanganate</p> <p>Brazil: Heavy Iron Construction Castings (C)</p> <p>India: Iron Metal Castings (C)</p>	<p>December 1998</p> <p>Argentina: Barbed Wire ^d</p> <p>Brazil: Castor Oil ^a (C); Frozen Concentrated Orange Juice (C) ^a; Frozen Concentrated Orange Juice; Agricultural Tillage Tools ^a</p> <p>Canada: Live Swine; Red Raspberries ^a</p> <p>China: Sebacic Acid ^d</p> <p>Colombia: Textiles & Textile Products (C) ^a</p> <p>Japan: Calcium Hypochlorite ^a</p> <p>Thailand: Certain Textile Mill Products (C) ^a</p> <p>January 1999</p> <p>Bangladesh: Shop Towels</p> <p>Brazil: Malleable Cast Iron Pipe Fittings</p> <p>China: Candles; Paint Brushes; Shop Towels</p> <p>Japan: Brazing Copper Wire & Rod; Cellular Mobile Phone ^a; Steel Wire Rope</p> <p>Korea: Brazing Copper Wire & Rod; Steel Wire Rope</p> <p>Mexico: Steel Wire Rope</p> <p>New Zealand: Brazing Copper Wire & Rod ^a</p> <p>Pakistan: Shop Towels (C)</p> <p>Peru: Cotton Shop Towels (C)</p> <p>South Africa: Brazing Copper Wire & Rod ^a</p> <p>Taiwan: Brazing Copper Wire & Rod</p> <p>Thailand: Brazing Copper Wire & Rod</p> <p>February 1999</p> <p>Brazil: Brass Sheet & Strip (C); Brass Sheet & Strip</p> <p>Chile: Standard Carnations (C); Standard Carnations</p> <p>China: Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware</p> <p>Colombia: Fresh Cut Flowers</p> <p>Ecuador: Fresh Cut Flowers</p> <p>France: Brass Sheet & Strip (C); Brass Sheet & Strip</p> <p>Germany: Brass Sheet & Strip</p> <p>Italy: Brass Sheet & Strip</p> <p>Japan: Brass Sheet & Strip</p> <p>Kenya: Standard Carnations ^b</p> <p>Korea: Brass Sheet & Strip; Top-of-the-Stove Stainless Steel Cooking Ware; Top-of-the-Stove Stainless Steel Cooking Ware (C)</p> <p>Mexico: Fresh Cut Flowers; Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware; Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware (C)</p> <p>Netherlands: Brass Sheet & Strip; Standard Chrysanthemums (C) ^d</p> <p>Peru: Pompon Chrysanthemums (C)</p> <p>Sweden: Brass Sheet & Strip</p> <p>Taiwan: Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware; Top-of-the-Stove Stainless Steel Cooking Ware (C); Top-of-the-Stove Stainless Steel Cooking Ware</p>
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Table AIII.3 (cont'd)

Italy: Brass Fire Protection Equipment^a

Singapore: Refrigeration Compressors (C)^a

Spain: Potassium Permanganate

March 1999

Armenia: Solid Urea

Azerbaijan: Solid Urea^d

Belarus: Solid Urea

Belgium: Industrial Phosphoric Acid

Canada: Color Picture Tubes

Estonia: Solid Urea

Georgia: Solid Urea^d

Israel: Industrial Phosphoric Acid (C); Industrial Phosphoric Acid^d

Japan: Color Picture Tubes

Kazakhstan: Solid Urea^d

Korea: Color Picture Tubes

Kyrgyzstan: Solid Urea^d

Latvia: Solid Urea^d

Lithuania: Solid Urea

Moldova: Solid Urea^d

Romania: Solid Urea

Russia: Solid Urea

Singapore: Color Picture Tubes

Tajikistan: Solid Urea

Turkey: Aspirin

Turkmenistan: Solid Urea

Ukraine: Solid Urea

Uzbekistan: Solid Urea

April 1999

Canada: Potassium Chloride^d

China: Tapered Roller Bearings

France: Cylindrical Roller Bearings, Ball Bearings, Spherical Ball Bearings

Germany: Spherical Plain Bearings and Cylindrical Roller Bearings

Hungary: Tapered Roller Bearings

Italy: Ball Bearings and Cylindrical Roller Bearings

Japan: Tapered Roller Bearings; Tapered Roller Bearings; Cylindrical Roller Bearings, Ball Bearings, and Spherical Plain Bearings; Forklift Trucks; Nitrile Rubber

Romania: Tapered Roller Bearings; Ball Bearings

Singapore: Ball Bearings

Sweden: Ball Bearings, Cylindrical Roller Bearings

United Kingdom: Ball Bearings, Cylindrical Roller Bearings

May 1999

Argentina: Light Walled Rectangular Tubing

Brazil: Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe; Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings

Canada: Oil Country Tubular Goods

May 1999 (cont'd)

Italy: Granular Polytetrafluoroethylene Resin

Japan: Granular Polytetrafluoroethylene Resin; Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Micro Disks; Electrolytic Manganese Dioxide

Korea: Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipes

Mexico: Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipes

Singapore: Small Diameter Standard & Rectangular Pipe & Tube

Taiwan: Oil Country Tubular Goods; Light Walled Rectangular Tubing; Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipes

Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings; Small Diameter Carbon Steel Pipe and Tube

Thailand: Welded Carbon Steel Pipes and Tubes; Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings

Turkey: Welded Carbon Steel Pipes, Tubes and Line Pipes (C); Welded Carbon Steel Pipes and Tubes

Venezuela: Circular-Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipes

June 1999

Brazil: Industrial Nitrocellulose

Canada: Steel Rail; Steel Rail (C)

China: Industrial Nitrocellulose

France: Industrial Nitrocellulose

Germany: Industrial Nitrocellulose; Industrial Belts Except Synchronous & V Belts

Italy: Synchronous and V-Belts

Japan: Industrial Nitrocellulose; Drafting Machines; Small Business Telephone Systems; Mechanical Transfer Presses; Multiangle Laser Light Scattering Instruments; Benzyl Paraben; Industrial Belts

Korea: Industrial Nitrocellulose; Small Business Telephone Systems

Singapore: V-Belts

Taiwan: Small Business Telephone Systems

United Kingdom: Industrial Nitrocellulose

Yugoslavia: Industrial Nitrocellulose

July 1999

Brazil: Stainless Steel Wire Rods

China: Bars, Wedges, Axes, Adzes, Picks, Mattocks, Hammers, Sledges; Sparklers; Sulfur Chemicals (Sodium Thiosulfate)

France: Stainless Steel Wire Rods

Germany: Sulfur Chemicals (Sodium Thiosulfate)

India: Stainless Steel Wire Rods

Japan: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings

Korea: Welded Stainless Steel Pipes; Polyethylene Terephthalate Film; Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings

Norway: Fresh & Chilled Atlantic Salmon; Fresh & Chilled Atlantic Salmon (C)

Spain: Stainless Steel Wire Rods (C)

Table AIII.3 (cont'd)

China: Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings

Greece: Electrolytic Manganese Dioxide

India: Welded Carbon Steel Pipes and Tubes

Israel: Oil Country Tubular Goods; Oil Country Tubular Goods (C)

September 1999

Australia: Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products

Belgium: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

Brazil: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate (C); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

Canada: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

Finland: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

France: Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products (C); Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products Plate

Germany: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate (C); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate; Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products; Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products

Japan: Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products

Korea: Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products and Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products (C); Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products; Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat

Mexico: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate (C); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate Products

Netherlands: Cold-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products

Poland: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

Romania: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

Spain: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate (C); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

Sweden: Carbon Steel Products (C); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate (C); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

Taiwan: Carbon Steel Plate

United Kingdom: Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate (C); Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate

October 1999

Brazil: Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products (C); Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products

China: Sulfanilic Acid

Sweden: Seamless Stainless Steel Hollow Products

Taiwan: Welded Stainless Steel Pipes; Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings

United Kingdom: Sulfur Chemicals (Sodium Thiosulfate)

October 1999 (cont'd)

France: Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products; Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products (C)

Germany: Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products; Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products (C)

India: Sulfanilic Acid; Sulfanilic Acid (C)

United Kingdom: Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products; Hot-Rolled Lead & Bismuth Carbon Steel Products (C)

November 1999

Argentina: Silicon Metal

Brazil: Silicon Metal; Ferrosilicon; Silicomanganese

China: Silicon Metal; Ferrosilicon; Silicomanganese; Helical Spring Lock Washers; Compact Ductile Iron Waterworks Fittings and Glands

Japan: Electric Cutting Tools

Kazakhstan: Ferrosilicon

Korea: DRAMS of 1 Megabit and Above

Russia: Ferrosilicon

Taiwan: Helical Spring Lock Washers

Ukraine: Ferrosilicon; Silicomanganese

Venezuela: Ferrosilicon (C); Ferrosilicon

December 1999

China: Garlic; Paper Clips; Cased Pencils

India: Forged Stainless Steel Flanges

Italy: Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel; Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel (C)

Japan: Defrost Timers; Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel; Color Negative Photo Paper & Chemical Components

Netherlands: Aramid Fibre; Color Negative Photo Paper & Chemical Components

Taiwan: Forged Stainless Steel Flanges

- a Review terminated; order revoked effective 1 January 2000.
- b No domestic participation notified by Department of Commerce. Revocation pending.
- c Negative USITC determination. Revocation pending.
- d Affirmative USITC determination.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, International Trade Administration.

Table AIII.4
Bilateral intellectual property agreements signed by the United States, as at 31 December 1998

Name of Agreement/Country	Date of Agreement /Status	Main issues/ differences with TRIPS Agreement
Ecuador Intellectual Property Rights Agreement	1 December 1993, to be fully implemented by 30 September 1994/ Agreement not ratified by Ecuador.	Terms of protection for patents, copyrights, trademark, and designs in line with the TRIPS Agreement. Ecuador was not a GATT contracting party at the time the Agreement was negotiated. No five-year transition period for the developing country party.
Jamaica Intellectual Property Rights Agreement	4 February 1994/ Enforcement 18 months after signature/ in force. Initial duration of the Agreement is 10 years/in force	Agreement provides the same level of protection than NAFTA regarding full national treatment for U.S. intellectual property owners. Full protection for the copyright content of programming carried by satellites. Manufacture, import, sell, or lease of a device or system used in decoding an encrypted program-carrying satellite signal without the authorization of the lawful distributor of that signal is made a criminal offence. Trademark cancelled if not use for at least two years (compared to three years under TRIPS). No five-year transition period for the developing country party.
Japan Actions to be Taken by the Patent Office	16 August 1994/ in force	The Japan Patent Office (JPO): (a) agrees to institute a revised opposition system by 1 January 1996.; (b) establishes as of 1 January 1996 a system of accelerated examination of patent applications to be processed within 36 months from the date of request; (c) is not to grant, after 1 July 1995, a dependent patent compulsory license other than to remedy a practice determined after judicial or administrative process to be anti-competitive. USPTO: (a) agrees to institute an "early publication" system by 1 January 1996, to make publicly available all applications, filed after 1 January 1996, as soon as possible after the expiration of 18 months from the filing date or, where priority is claimed under 35 USC 119, 120, 121 or 365, from the earliest priority date. New re-examination procedures to be in place by 1 January 1996 to include compliance with all aspects of 35 USC 112 except for the best mode requirement and to expand the opportunity for third parties to participate in any examiner interviews. Other than to remedy a practice after judicial or administrative process to be anti-competitive or to permit public non-commercial use, after 1 July 1995, the USPTO is not to grant a dependent patent compulsory license.
Korea Intellectual Property Rights and Insurance Agreement	31 July 1986/in force since 1 January 1987. Several parts of the Agreement superseded by TRIPS Agreement. [Please confirm]	Patent terms extended to 15 years in Korea; copyright protection to 20 years. Korea agreed to remove the requirement for technology inducement as a condition for accepting applications for trademark licenses. Korea repealed export requirements on goods covered by trademark licenses, and lifted restrictions on royalty terms in licenses. Consultations to be held under the auspices of the Korea-U.S. Economic Consultation Trade Subgroup for intellectual property issues.

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Latvia Trade Relations and Intellectual Property Rights Agreement	6 July 1994/ in force. Agreement for an initial period of 10 years.	Scope similar to TRIPS Agreement. National treatment not required with respect to procedures under the Patent Cooperation Treaty or procedures for acquisition or maintenance of trademarks under the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks. Protection of encrypted satellite signals since 31 December 1995. No transition period; most parts of the Agreement to be put in place by 31 December 1995.
Lithuania Trade Relations and Intellectual Property Rights Agreement	26 April 1994/ in force. Agreement for an initial period of 10 years.	Scope similar to TRIPS Agreement. National treatment not required with respect to procedures under the Patent Cooperation Treaty or procedures for acquisition or maintenance of trademarks under the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks. Protection of encrypted satellite signals since 31 December 1995. No transition period; most parts of the Agreement to be put in place by 31 December 1995.
Nicaragua Intellectual Property Rights Agreement	7 January 1998	Term of protection for copyrights longer than in TRIPS Agreement: 75 years
Paraguay Memorandum of Understanding and Enforcement Action Plan on Intellectual Property Rights	17 November 1998	Specific near-term and longer-term obligations to strengthen Paraguayan intellectual property law and enforcement procedures. Paraguay committed to implement institutional reforms to strengthen enforcement at its borders, to pursue amendments to facilitate effective prosecution of copyright piracy, to take immediate action against known centers of piracy and counterfeiting, and to coordinate the anti-piracy efforts of its customs, police, prosecutorial and tax authorities. Paraguay also agreed to pursue reform of its patent law, and to ensure that its government ministries use only authorized software.
People's Republic of China Memorandum of Understanding on Intellectual Property Rights.	17 January 1992/ in force	<p>The Chinese Government agreed to provide administrative protection to U.S. pharmaceutical and agricultural chemical product inventions not previously subject to protection by exclusive rights or subject to an exclusive right to prohibit others from making, using or selling it in the United States granted between 1 January 1986 and 1 January 1993 and not marketed in China. Administrative protection was granted for seven and a half years.</p> <p>Patents: protection period of 20 years.</p> <p>Copyright: protection for 50 years, including computer programmes.</p> <p>China agreed to accede to the Berne Convention, to the Geneva Convention .</p>

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		In accordance with Article 142 of the General Principles of the Civil Code of the People's Republic of China where there is an inconsistency between the provisions of the Berne Convention and the Geneva Convention on the one hand, and Chinese domestic law and regulations on the other hand, the international Conventions will prevail subject to the provisions to which China has declared a reservation, which is permitted by those Conventions. China agreed to amend its copyright law and regulations to implement the Conventions.
People's Republic of China Memorandum of Understanding/ Action Plan in Intellectual Property Rights.	26 February 1995/ in force	Establishment of Copyright Verification Systems. Enforcement of Copyrights and Trademarks.
People's Republic of China Intellectual Property Rights Agreement.	17 June 1996/ in force	Enforcement Agreement of the 1995 Memorandum of Understanding. Geared towards fighting CD piracy.
Peru Memorandum of Understanding on Intellectual Property Rights	23 May 1997/ in force	Amendments to avoid conflict between provisions of different international agreements.
Philippines Intellectual Property Rights Understanding	6 April 1993/ in force.	Enforcement of intellectual property right in the Philippines, amendments to its copyright law; introduction of protection for sound recordings for at least 50 years from the date of first fixation or publication, and of exclusive rights for producers of sound recordings and their successors; exclusive right for authors of computer programs; amendments to trademark law to provide protection in line with the (then)draft text on TRIPS; to stop denying protection to internationally well-known mark because of lack of use or registration in the Philippines; on patents agreement to introduce amendments to domestic laws to comply with draft text on TRIPS.
Singapore Copyrights/ Patents Understandings	Copyrights Understanding, 31 May 1987/ Patents Understanding 26 April 1995/ in force.	Singapore issued the Copyright (International Protection) Regulations 1987 promulgated under section 184 of the Singapore Copyright Act 1987 protecting works of U.S. nationals and residents and works first published in the United States in Singapore on the same basis as works of Singaporean nationals and residents and works first published in Singapore. Protection retroactive for works still enjoy copyright protection in the United States.. The United States accepted to grant protection under Title 17 to works created on or after the effective date of the proclamation to nationals, domiciliaries of Singapore, or first published in Singapore. Singapore accepted to amend the Patents Act of 1994 to comply with TRIPS obligations.
Sri Lanka Intellectual Property Rights Agreement	20 September 1991/ in force.	Protection of copyrights for 50 years. Trademark protection for ten years. Compulsory licensing of trademarks not permitted.

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Taiwan Copyrights/Trademarks/Intellectual Property Rights Understanding	31 January 1993 [Please confirm]/ 5 June 1992 (IPR)/ in force	<p>Transfer of trademarks permitted. Patents protected for 20 years; compulsory licenses allowed only to remedy an adjudicated violation of competition laws, to address a declared national emergency, and to enable compliance with national air pollutant standards. Compulsory licenses non-exclusive and non-assignable. Payment of remuneration to the patent owner required, except for cases of violations of competition law. Enforcement procedures similar to TRIPS Agreement.</p> <p>Agreement for the protection of copyright between the American Institute in Taiwan (AIT) and the Coordination Council for North American Affairs (CCNAA).</p> <p>Agreement for the protection of intellectual property rights between the Coordination Council for North American Affairs (CCNAA) and the American Institute in Taiwan (AIT). (Action plan for the protection of intellectual property rights)</p>
Thailand Agreement on Intellectual Property Rights Protection and Enforcement b	31 August 1993/ in force	Enforcement of Copyrights protection
Thailand Copyright/ Intellectual Property Rights Understandings	9 February 1994, in force	Commitment to eradicate piracy and ensure adequate and effective enforcement of copyrights and trademarks over the long-term.
Trinidad and Tobago Intellectual Property Rights Agreement.	26 September 1994, in force for an initial period of ten years.	<p>Agreement goes beyond TRIPS commitments; it includes a protection period of 75 years for copyrights from the date of publication, or failing publication within this period, 100 years since date of creation. Full protection for the copyright content of programming carried by satellites.</p> <p>Manufacture, import, sell, or lease of a device or system used in decoding an encrypted program-carrying satellite signal without the authorization of the lawful distributor of that signal. is made a criminal offence. Trademark cancelled if not use for at least two years (compared to three years under TRIPS). No five-year transition period for the developing country party.</p>
Vietnam Establishment of Copyright Relat. Agreement	1997 [please provide date]/ in force [confirm]	National treatment for copyright protection. Consultation mechanism for resolution of disputes

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, International Trade Administration.

Table AIII.5

Exclusion and cease and desist orders issued by the USITC in section 337 investigations, 1996 and 1997^a

Investigation	Year	Remedial Order
Certain Neodymium-Iron-Boron magnets, Magnet Alloys, and articles containing the same, Inv. No. 337-TA-372	1996	General exclusion order Cease and desist order
Certain electrical connectors and products containing same, Inv. No. 337-TA-374	1996	Limited exclusion order Cease and desist order
Certain variable speed wind turbines, Inv. No. 337-TA-376	1996	Limited exclusion order
Certain Asian-Style Kamaboko fish cakes, Inv. No. 337-TA-378	1996	Limited exclusion order Cease and desist order (2)
Certain hardware logic emulation systems, Inv. No. 337-TA-383 (temporary relief)	1996	Temp. limited exclusion order Temp. cease and desist order
Certain condensers, parts thereof and products containing same, including air conditioners for automobiles, Inv. No. 337-TA-334 (Remand)	1997	Limited exclusion order
Certain Neodymium-Iron-Boron Magnets, Magnet Alloys, and articles containing the same, Inv. No. 337-TA-372 (enforcement proceeding)	1997	Limited exclusion order Cease and desist order (Consent order was converted into LEO and C&D order)
Certain agricultural tractors under 50 power take-off horsepower, Inv. No. 337-TA-380	1997	General exclusion order Cease and desist order (11)
Certain flash memory circuits and products containing same, Inv. No. 337-TA-382	1997	Limited exclusion order Cease and desist order
Certain hardware logic emulation systems, Inv. No. 337-TA-383 (permanent relief)	1997	Limited exclusion order Cease and desist order
Certain toothbrushes and packaging thereof, Inv. No. 337-TA-391	1997	Limited exclusion order

a Calendar years. No exclusion or cease and desist orders were issued by the USITC in 1998.

Source: USTR; and USITC.

Table AIII.6

Federal Trade Commission: Consent Orders Issued and Civil Penalty Actions FY 1997

Company	Type of Matter	Product/Service	Consent Order	Date
Consent Orders				
American Cyanamid Company	Vertical price fixing	Agricultural chemicals	Prohibits American Cyanamid from entering into agreements that control prices and from conditioning the payment of rebates or other incentives on the resale prices its dealers charge for its products.	12.5.97
American Home Products Corporation	Horizontal merger	Canine and feline vaccines	Requires American Home Products to divest Solvay's U.S. and Canadian rights to the three vaccines to Schering-Plough Corporation, and to manufacture and supply the vaccines to Schering-Plough until Schering-Plough obtains all necessary government certifications and approvals to manufacture and sell the vaccines.	16.5.97
Autodesk, Inc.	Horizontal merger	Computer-aided design software engines	Prohibits Autodesk or Softdesk from reacquiring IntelliCADD without prior FTC notice for ten years.	18.6.97
Baxter International, Inc.	Horizontal merger	Blood plasma products	Requires Baxter to divest its Autoplex blood plasma product and to license Immuno's fibrin sealant to Commission-approved buyers.	24.3.97
The Boeing Company	Horizontal merger	Defense and space vehicles	To remedy the possibility that as a competitor and supplier, Boeing would have inappropriate access to competitively sensitive information in the space launch vehicle business, the consent order establishes two information restrictions: (1) preventing the flow of competitively sensitive information between Boeing's team and a division of Rockwell that currently provides wings to the other team, and (2) prohibiting Boeing from disclosing non-public information from any space launch vehicle manufacturer to its own launch vehicle division.	5.3.97
Cadence Design Systems, Inc.	Horizontal merger routing	Software for integrated circuits	Requires Cadence to allow developers to participate in Cadence's software interface programmes.	11.8.97
Ciba Geigy Limited; Chiron Corporation; Novartis AG; Sandoz Corporation; Sandoz Ltd	Horizontal merger	R&D in gene therapy treatments, corn herbicides, flea-control products.	In the gene therapy market, the order requires the licensing of certain intellectual properties to Rhone-Poulenc Rorer and other firms to permit continued competition in R&D and commercialization for a broad range of future medical treatments. In addition, Sandoz agreed to divest its U.S. and Canadian corn herbicide business to BASF Aktiengesellschaft within 10 days. The consent order also requires the divestiture of Sandoz's flea-control business to Central Garden and Pet Supply of Lafayette, California, within 30 days.	28.3.97
Class Rings, Inc.	Horizontal merger	Commemorative Class Rings	Prevents class rings from acquiring Town & Country's Gold Lance, Inc., division, which will remain as an independent competitor, and prohibits Town & Country from acquiring any interest in Castle Harlan or Class Rings. In addition, for ten years, the order requires the three companies to obtain Commission approval before acquiring certain assets from one another.	20.12.96
Cooperative Computing, Inc.	Horizontal merger	Electronic automotive parts catalogues	Requires Cooperative Computing to divest its electronic parts catalog and related assets to MacDonald Computer Services or another Commission-approved buyer.	20.6.97

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Company Consent Orders	Type of Matter	Product/Service	Consent Order	Date
CVS Corporation	Horizontal merger	Drug Stores	Requires CVS to divest 114 Revco stores in Virginia and 6 pharmacies in Binghamton. Under terms of the order, CVS agreed to divest the Revco stores in Virginia to Eckerd Corporation, a subsidiary of J. C. Penney Company, and the pharmacies in Binghamton to Medicine Shoppe International, Inc.	13.8.97
Dwight's Energy Data, Inc.	Horizontal merger	Gas and oil production data	Requires Dwight's Energy Data licensing of its gas and oil production data to an FTC-approved buyer.	28.7.97
Fresenius, AG	Horizontal merger	Hemodialysis concentrate	Requires Fresenius to divest a production facility in Lewisberry, Pennsylvania, to Di-Chem, Inc., or to another Commission-approved acquirer.	15.10.96
General Mills, Inc.	Horizontal merger	Ready-to-eat cereals	Acquired Ralcorp retains its private-label cereal business, as well as the right to transfer them to any other firm without the authorization or approval of General Mills. Prohibits General Mills from delaying production of the private-label rival cereals.	16.5.97
Hale Products, Inc.	Exclusive dealing	Fire truck pumps	Prohibits Hale from engaging in any conduct that restrains fire truck manufacturers from purchasing mounted fire pumps from any other company.	25.11.96
J. C. Penney Company, Inc.	Horizontal merger	Drug stores	Requires J. C. Penney to divest 34 Thrift drug stores in the Charlotte and Raleigh-Durham areas of North Carolina, all 110 Rite Aid drug stores in North Carolina, and all 17 Rite Aid drug stores in the Charleston, South Carolina, area to a Commission-approved buyer. The FTC approved divestiture of the stores to New Kerr Drug, Inc., in May 1997.	28.2.97
Mahle GmbH	Horizontal merger	Diesel Engine Pistons	Requires Mahle to pay a record \$5.6 million civil penalty for failing to notify the two federal antitrust agencies before consummating the acquisition.	9.6.97
Montana Associated Physicians, Inc.	Horizontal restraints	Physician Services	Prohibits Montana Associated Physicians and Billings Physician Hospital Alliance from entering into any agreements with physicians to refuse to deal with third-party payers and to fix or control the fees charged for any physician's services.	13.1.97
NGC Corporation	Horizontal merger	Natural gas fractionation	Requires NGC to divest its 80% interest in the Mont Belvieu I natural gas liquids fractionation facility in Texas. The Commission approved NGC's sale of the assets to Koch Hydrocarbon Company, a division of Koch Industries, Inc.	12.12.96
Phillips Petroleum Company	Horizontal merger	Natural gas transportation	Phillips agreed to divest 160 miles of its natural gas pipeline system in the Anadarko Basin area of Oklahoma to KN Gas Gathering, Inc., under a consent order settling antitrust concerns stemming from its acquisition of certain ANR Pipeline Company gas gathering assets.	28.3.97
Tenet Healthcare Corporation	Horizontal merger	Inpatient hospital services	Requires Tenet to divest OrNda's French Hospital Medical Center within six months to an FTC-approved acquirer.	20.5.97
Time Warner Inc.	Horizontal merger	Cable television	In acquisition of Turner's Cable News Network, the order reduces Time Warner's enhanced opportunities for bundling Time Warner and Turner programming, bars Time Warner from discriminating in price against rival cable systems, and requires Time Warner's cable interests to carry a rival television station to Turner's Cable News Network.	3.2.97

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Company	Type of Matter	Product/Service	Consent Order	Date
Consent Orders				
Waterous Company, Inc.	Exclusive dealing	Fire truck pumps	Prohibits Waterous from engaging in any conduct that restrains fire truck manufacturers from purchasing mounted fire pumps from any other company	22.11.96
Wesley-Jensen Corporation	Horizontal merger	Contact lenses	Requires Wesley-Jessen to divest the Pilkington Barnes Hind opaque lens business to a Commission-approved acquirer. On 18 March 1997, the FTC approved divestiture to The Cooper Companies, Inc.	3.1.97
Civil Penalty Actions				
Figgie International Inc.	Pre-merger notification	Consumer and industrial products	US\$150,000 civil penalty for failing to notify pre-merger	14.2.97
Mahle GmbH	Pre-merger notification	Diesel engine pistons	US\$5.6 million civil penalty for failing to notify pre-merger.	23.6.97
Red Apple Companies, Inc.	Order violation	Grocery stores	US\$600,000 civil penalty for failing to notify pre-merger.	23.2.97
Schnuck Markets, Inc.	Order violation	Grocery stores	US\$3 million civil penalty to settle allegations that the supermarket chain allowed numerous stores, designated for divestiture under a 1995 FTC consent order, to deteriorate before being sold.	28.7.97

Source: FTC, Annual Report of the Federal Trade Commission Fiscal Year 1997.