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	Actual				Forecast				Forecast				Forecast			
	2006				2007				2008				2009			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
STEEL (\$/net ton)																
Hot-rolled sheet	547	580	627	567	517	546	512	532	545	587	573	559	551	547	544	559
Cold-rolled sheet	632	672	718	660	615	629	598	615	631	661	654	644	636	634	629	641
Hot-dipped galvanized sheet	675	738	788	725	663	653	633	674	706	731	724	718	692	697	694	706
Electro-galvanized sheet	707	744	777	745	700	697	678	661	751	776	769	763	737	742	739	751
Plate, coiled	740	748	775	758	733	729	700	705	773	798	791	785	759	764	761	773
Plate, cut	766	770	793	803	799	805	783	772	799	810	820	823	781	786	783	795
Merchant bars	525	558	582	575	563	797	783	772	645	639	630	621	624	627	630	633
Cold-finished bars	883	863	870	837	817	837	827	828	838	836	845	851	844	838	842	845
Structural beams	593	610	655	655	676	841	825	829	808	804	806	796	800	803	807	810
Reinforcing bars #6	485	492	533	514	512	605	580	575	560	563	550	525	518	517	520	524
Wire rod / low carbon	494	522	562	529	519	595	583	574	598	580	567	558	554	540	531	531
Stainless Type 304 sheet (w/surcharge)	2261	2550	3051	3885	4406	5416	5670	3961	3227	2933	2857	2749	2647	2525	2429	2317
Stainless Type 316 plate (w/surcharge)	4319	4616	5484	6396	6900	6835	6531	4845	3588	3261	3176	3056	2943	2807	2701	2576
NONFERROUS METALS (¢/lb)																
Aluminum (primary ingot)	114	126	120	124	128	129	121	115	111	108	108	109	107	105	105	103
Aluminum (secondary ingot)	105	120	109	108	107	108	105	108	110	98	96	96	99	99	100	102
Aluminum 3003 sheet	186	178	186	185	200	209	226	231	221	206	205	206	206	205	206	205
Aluminum canstock	157	161	150	153	153	154	155	147	143	142	141	143	147	146	145	144
Aluminum extrusions	184	185	188	185	181	194	180	173	175	173	173	177	179	178	176	174
Aluminum foil	196	202	219	231	239	199	188	188	187	186	184	186	189	188	187	187
Antimony	200	252	253	255	259	256	253	267	255	244	242	240	242	238	235	232
Bismuth	459	458	450	617	904	1633	1669	1386	1324	1268	1254	1245	1254	1236	1220	1205
Cadmium	123	164	157	147	226	446	484	343	328	314	310	308	310	306	302	298
Cobalt	1394	1550	1715	2023	2839	3285	3769	3460	4266	4183	3876	3477	3246	2976	2688	2422
Copper cathode	227	342	361	330	272	345	346	330	322	307	302	290	289	284	274	269
Copper wirebar	246	304	388	371	319	360	349	356	348	333	328	316	315	310	300	295
Copper sheet	291	370	419	416	358	400	440	415	407	392	387	375	374	369	359	354
Brass (red) sheet	297	355	438	440	376	398	424	384	376	361	356	344	343	338	328	323
Brass (yellow) sheet	287	345	428	433	366	388	414	349	341	326	321	309	308	303	293	288
Indium	965	902	764	671	707	792	632	640	611	586	579	575	579	571	564	556
Lead (primary ingot)	64	76	73	80	86	107	135	155	136	122	116	110	111	109	108	106
Lead (secondary ingot)	74	78	78	82	101	101	124	163	145	129	128	117	118	116	115	113
Magnesium (primary ingot)	120	114	113	127	152	160	167	190	181	174	172	171	172	170	167	165
Mercury	650	650	600	557	550	550	550	550	525	503	498	494	498	491	484	478

Molybdenum	2320	2448	2617	2525	2590	3060	3203	3234	3088	2959	2926	2906	2926	2885	2848	2811
Nickel (melting grade)	691	927	1344	1523	1841	2273	1518	1406	1448	1403	1336	1295	1288	1251	1139	1096
Tin (alloyers' grade)	487	543	557	564	750	871	848	979	893	865	824	798	794	771	702	676
Titanium (non-aero sheet)	1432	1770	1765	1765	1728	1726	1722	1724	1710	1700	1697	1687	1772	1721	1731	1717
Titanium (non-aero plate)	1404	1755	1760	1760	1703	1717	1709	1700	1686	1677	1632	1620	1647	1637	1607	1603
Zinc (special high grade)	107	159	166	201	176	175	160	127	131	132	133	135	135	134	132	130
Zinc (die-cast #3)	111	163	174	208	179	181	169	140	144	145	147	148	149	147	145	143
PRECIOUS METALS (\$/troy ounce)																
Gold	553	634	623	612	650	667	681	787	763	735	719	709	718	723	717	720
Silver	9.63	12.42	11.72	12.53	13.33	13.39	12.81	14.23	14.47	14.67	14.44	14.37	13.84	13.37	12.72	12.39
Platinum	1036	1186	1223	1143	1187	1284	1291	1446	1435	1421	1408	1395	1381	1368	1356	1342
Palladium	289	348	326	322	289	348	326	322	338	339	341	343	337	334	330	326
Rhodium	3349	4979	4682	4982	5688	6082	6000	6472	6162	5819	5755	5392	4929	4567	4506	4446
ENERGY (national averages)																
Electricity (¢/kwh)	6.02	6.15	6.35	6.45	6.56	6.60	6.63	6.65	6.20	6.58	7.20	5.82	6.19	6.65	7.25	5.58
Natural gas, industrial buyers (¢/mcf)	956	773	756	781	889	935	775	748	1249	1050	1051	1194	1338	1023	995.6	1069
Crude oil, West Texas Int'mediate (\$/bbl)	63.34	70.28	70.84	57.97	54.64	65.28	75.36	88.05	88.38	86.00	84.50	82.33	78.83	76.67	74.67	75.00
No. 2 diesel, national retail sales (¢/gal.)	250	284	294	257	254	293	285	297	308	294	288	289	281	282	284	283
No. 2 fuel oil, industrial buyers (¢/gal.)	192	220	218	183	185	212	207	246	258	231	231	239	231	232	233	234
No. 6 fuel oil, residual (\$/bbl)	48	50	46	41	45	43	56	65	60	55	55	53	52	52	48	48
WOOD PULP (\$/net ton)																
Bleached hardwood/North (NBHK)	542	555	572	578	630	692	723	753	740	727	716	706	696	687	680	671
Bleached hardwood/South (SBHK)	538	543	575	689	677	689	719	757	743	730	719	709	699	690	683	674
Bleached softwood/North (NBSK)	577	602	652	670	758	810	833	857	842	814	801	790	780	775	769	762
Bleached softwood/South (SBSK)	562	573	613	635	725	767	790	820	805	792	779	768	758	748	741	730
Unbleached softwood kraft	603	622	667	685	732	762	787	812	797	784	771	760	750	741	733	723
PAPER & PAPERBOARD (\$/ton)																
Newsprint	647	663	670	663	612	588	563	555	557	560	564	568	573	578	585	582
Uncoated groundwood/supercalendered	800	800	799	784	728	719	728	762	762	764	774	783	791	797	801	795
Uncoated directory, 22.1-lb white	742	745	740	740	722	728	743	740	748	749	750	760	768	773	777	761
Coated publication #3	880	903	946	947	908	897	913	896	896	896	890	890	892	892	890	882
Uncoated bond #4	812	887	950	953	942	936	996	1015	1019	1037	1047	1053	1059	1065	1061	1052
Forms bond	798	839	888	897	882	882	876	907	909	922	933	937	942	949	954	945
Linerboard/East	452	488	520	508	500	500	523	551	560	571	563	574	579	568	570	561
Linerboard/West	465	502	532	520	510	513	542	570	579	590	584	591	597	581	590	581
Corrugating medium/semichemical	427	463	490	483	472	478	502	515	516	528	530	531	532	533	535	527
Bleached kraft/folding carton stock	800	803	830	807	790	797	811	840	851	871	886	889	896	905	913	921
Recycled boxboard/claycoated	610	615	610	585	593	619	687	708	709	711	718	717	718	721	717	710
Unbleached kraft/shipping sack	687	717	730	730	725	738	767	785	787	789	796	795	796	799	795	788
LUMBER (\$/1000 bd ft)																
2x4 Douglas fir	342	314	287	244	257	262	251	190	191	195	194	195	192	195	195	193
2x4 Inland hem/fir	364	361	309	256	273	278	284	247	248	253	252	254	249	253	254	251
1x12 Ponderosa pine	414	425	440	379	345	340	333	313	315	321	319	322	316	321	321	318

PLYWOOD (\$/1000 bd ft)

OSB Waferboard/Northeast	289	247	185	165	153	151	177	163	155	149	155	152	146	147	157	155
Particleboard/West	238	338	379	305	294	324	310	276	262	253	263	258	248	249	266	262
1/2" 4-ply CDX fir	365	348	337	317	333	353	391	364	346	334	347	340	327	328	351	346
1/4" sanded	480	486	478	454	448	439	448	443	421	406	422	414	398	399	427	420
1/10" CDX fir, veneer	55	55	48	43	47	54	55	49	47	45	47	46	44	44	47	47

CHEMICALS (¢/lb)

Acetic acid	47	49	53	56	62	65	68	68	69	70	72	73	70	68	66	64
Acetone	60	48	51	44	46	50	53	54	55	56	54	55	56	56	54	53
Acrylonitrile	48	59	68	66	66	69	71	71	72	74	75	76	76	74	72	70
Benzene (gal.)	253	278	362	348	339	382	351	346	350	385	355	345	350	365	345	340
Butadiene	46	48	56	57	56	58	57	56	56	53	54	55	53	51	49	46
Ethylene	51	46	50	47	37	38	45	51	51	48	50	48	47	45	44	43
Glycerine	42	39	42	39	38	45	46	56	57	48	49	49	50	48	47	45
Methanol (gal.)	91	99	133	197	185	145	99	224	227	231	235	238	242	246	250	254
Propylene/chemical grade	45	47	49	41	41	46	51	54	54	53	54	55	53	51	49	48
Styrene	55	53	60	57	54	61	60	62	59	63	59	58	59	62	58	57
Titanium dioxide/rutile	98	97	104	110	102	98	98	100	101	103	105	106	104	105	107	108
Toulene	260	295	340	316	264	291	291	280	285	301	312	313	306	298	290	282
Vinyl chloride monomer	37	32	33	36	37	36	34	36	37	35	36	37	36	35	34	33
Xylenes/mixed	210	289	327	284	97	136	165	175	178	180	183	186	182	177	172	167

CHEMICALS (\$/ton)

Caustic soda, diaphragm grade	291	328	335	303	353	370	405	426	433	440	441	436	419	407	391	372
Chlorine	329	324	324	316	306	310	291	295	275	270	280	285	290	295	290	280
Hydrochloric acid	88	86	82	84	83	85	85	82	83	85	85	84	81	78	75	72
Soda ash	129	146	149	143	138	132	130	155	157	160	160	158	152	148	142	135
Sulfuric acid	76	71	75	74	78	87	84	100	101	103	103	102	98	95	91	87

PLASTICS (¢/lb)

ABS/injection molding	102	105	111	100	100	105	107	114	114	110	113	114	112	108	105	102
HDPE/blow-mold HIC grade	86	76	70	69	60	57	61	70	72	67	68	69	65	61	57	55
HDPE/film grade	88	76	74	73	65	63	67	76	78	75	72	69	66	63	60	57
LDPE/liner grade	86	78	75	73	64	63	67	76	76	71	72	73	69	65	61	59
LDPE/extrusion	91	80	80	86	80	77	78	87	89	84	85	86	82	79	75	73
LLDPE/general purpose	87	76	75	76	66	64	70	80	80	78	86	88	78	68	67	64
LLDPE/film grade	85	74	75	74	63	60	66	75	77	72	73	74	70	66	62	60
Methyl diphenyl diisocyanate	115	116	121	120	131	144	137	139	140	141	144	145	143	138	134	130
PET/bottle grade	86	72	70	73	67	66	69	73	73	73	74	74	74	72	70	68
PP/homopolymer	76	75	73	76	71	69	67	72	72	70	71	72	69	66	63	60
PP/high impact	90	88	86	90	74	73	73	77	77	75	75	76	73	70	70	67
PS/general purpose	87	85	83	88	84	86	89	91	89	86	90	90	88	88	87	86
PS/impact	90	88	86	90	87	87	90	91	89	87	91	91	90	91	91	90
PVC/general purpose	65	65	63	62	56	51	51	55	54	56	58	59	60	60	61	59