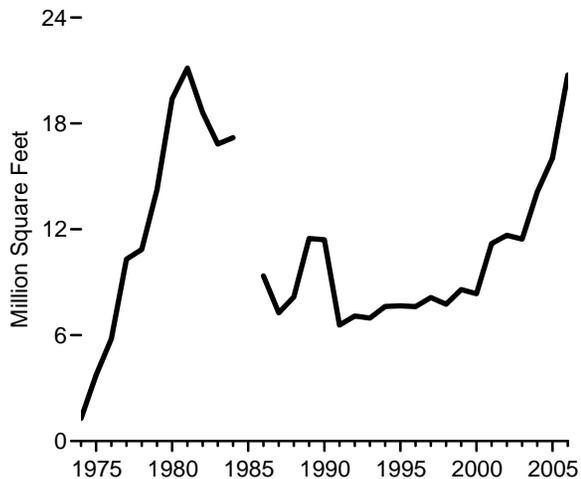
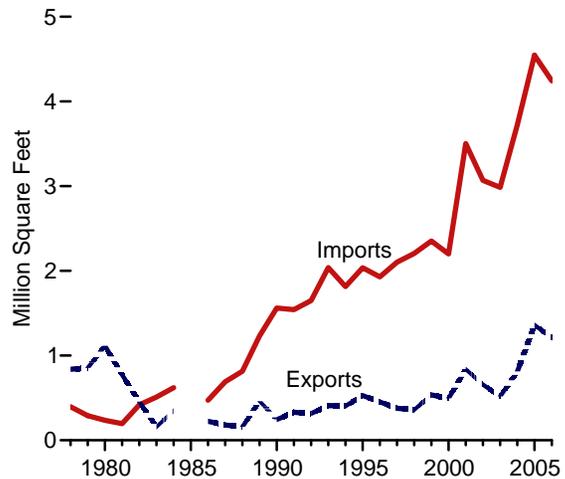


**Figure 10.5 Solar Thermal Collector Shipments by Type, Price, and Trade**

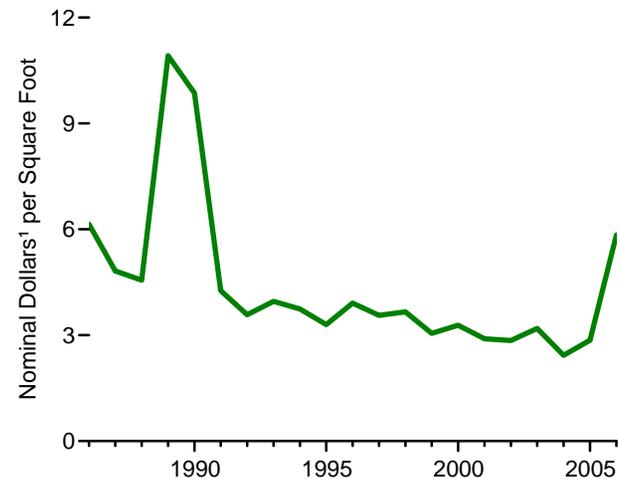
**Total Shipments, 1974-1984 and 1986-2006**



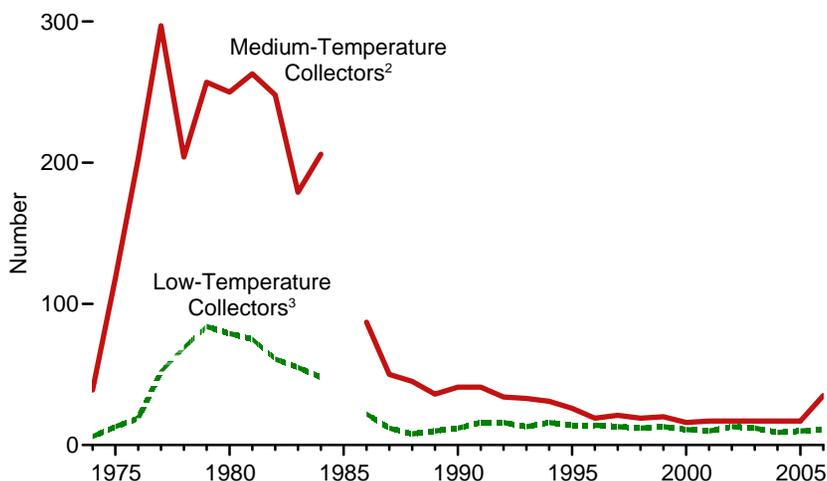
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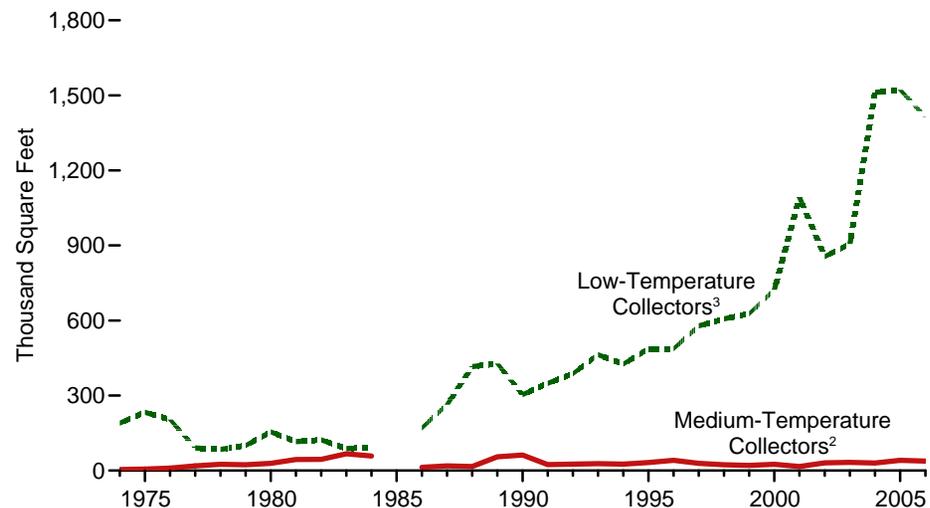
**Price of Total Shipments, 1986-2006**



**Number of U.S. Manufacturers by Type of Collector, 1974-1984 and 1986-2006**



**Average Annual Shipments per Manufacturer, 1974-1984 and 1986-2006**



<sup>1</sup> See "Nominal Dollars" in Glossary.

<sup>2</sup> Collectors that generally operate in the temperature range of 140 degrees Fahrenheit to 180 degrees Fahrenheit but can also operate at temperatures as low as 110 degrees Fahrenheit. Special collectors—evacuated tube collectors or concentrating (focusing) collectors—are included in the medium-temperature category.

<sup>3</sup> Collectors that generally operate at temperatures below 110 degrees Fahrenheit.

Notes: • Shipments are for domestic and export shipments, and may include imports that subsequently were shipped to domestic or foreign customers. • Data were not collected for 1985. • Because vertical scales differ, graphs should not be compared.

Source: Table 10.5.