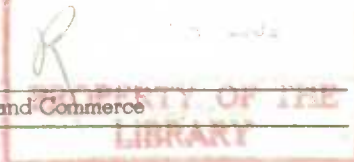




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MONTHLY SUMMARY OF FOREIGN TRADE

I - TRADE OF CANADA WITH ALL COUNTRIES

(Millions of Dollars)

Months	Average 1935-39	1938	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
Imports for Consumption from all Countries (Excluding Gold)								
January.....	44.6	49.7	129.7	140.3	173.8	206.1	223.8	211.9
February.....	42.9	47.0	112.4	117.0	177.1	182.2	206.0	200.2
March.....	59.1	65.1	132.5	139.9	208.9	197.1	235.9	237.4
April.....	45.3	48.9	133.8	160.8	225.6	226.7	242.7	230.9
May.....	66.1	67.1	143.8	164.2	240.3	225.1	250.5	290.2
June.....	60.5	58.9	146.5	157.7	231.1	233.0	250.5	282.5
July.....	57.6	55.8	138.7	161.6	226.8	225.1	230.9	259.5
August.....	57.9	57.0	128.1	163.2	204.6	206.5	212.1	267.3
September.....	59.6	56.4	122.3	156.1	208.1	221.7	221.6	279.7
October.....	68.6	63.9	134.4	186.4	254.5	243.4	234.3	320.6
November.....	70.1	63.3	142.4	198.2	229.1	238.2	239.6	327.9
December.....	52.2	44.3	121.2	181.9	194.2	232.0	213.4	266.3
Total.	684.6	677.5	1,585.8	1,927.3	2,573.9	2,636.9	2,761.2	3,174.3
Domestic Exports to All Countries (Excluding Gold)								
January.....	62.8	70.3	230.5	189.1	208.6	235.4	237.0	221.2
February.....	57.4	59.6	236.4	153.1	179.5	208.3	205.0	199.5
March.....	71.1	73.3	301.2	178.4	209.0	228.4	216.8	228.2
April.....	48.5	50.9	312.3	178.5	190.9	212.3	237.8	205.5
May.....	75.6	67.0	315.2	197.0	267.8	282.3	272.9	287.0
June.....	73.3	66.0	322.8	166.7	272.7	233.5	255.1	289.2
July.....	74.4	66.2	282.7	188.7	236.6	250.9	241.3	253.7
August.....	77.1	69.1	295.0	242.7	221.3	224.1	251.7	257.1
September.....	76.8	72.2	220.8	169.8	218.6	283.0	228.4	279.1
October.....	91.3	88.2	227.9	204.2	250.8	307.0	269.1	315.2
November.....	95.0	86.0	238.6	232.2	253.1	293.9	292.3	292.7
December.....	81.3	68.9	234.8	211.9	266.2	316.4	285.5	289.9
Total.	884.5	837.6	3,218.3	2,312.2	2,774.9	3,075.4	2,993.0	3,118.4
Foreign Exports to All Countries (Excluding Gold)								
January.....	0.9	1.2	3.4	2.3	1.8	3.7	2.0	2.6
February.....	0.8	0.8	4.0	1.6	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.1
March.....	1.0	0.9	5.8	1.6	2.9	2.5	2.2	3.5
April.....	0.8	0.7	5.8	1.8	2.5	2.8	2.5	4.2
May.....	1.1	0.9	7.5	1.9	3.4	5.2	2.7	2.6
June.....	1.0	0.9	4.3	2.1	3.7	2.5	2.3	2.6
July.....	1.1	1.1	3.3	2.6	3.1	2.6	2.4	3.0
August.....	1.1	0.8	5.6	3.3	3.5	2.4	2.3	3.5
September.....	1.0	0.9	4.2	2.1	3.0	3.0	2.5	3.6
October.....	1.2	1.1	5.0	2.5	2.9	2.5	2.6	3.7
November.....	1.3	0.9	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.4	3.2	3.7
December.....	1.2	1.0	1.6	2.4	4.7	2.9	2.7	3.6
Total.	12.5	11.1	49.1	27.0	36.9	34.6	29.5	38.7
Balance of Trade with All Countries (Including Foreign Exports) (Excluding Gold)								
January.....	+ 19.0	+ 21.8	+ 104.2	+ 51.0	+ 36.7	+ 33.0	+ 15.2	+ 11.8
February.....	+ 15.3	+ 13.5	+ 128.0	+ 37.7	+ 4.7	+ 28.1	+ 1.2	+ 1.4
March.....	+ 13.0	+ 9.2	+ 174.5	+ 40.0	+ 3.0	+ 33.9	- 16.9	+ 5.7
April.....	+ 4.0	+ 2.6	+ 184.3	+ 19.5	- 32.2	- 11.6	- 2.4	- 21.2
May.....	+ 10.6	+ 0.8	+ 174.9	+ 34.6	+ 30.9	+ 62.4	+ 25.1	- 0.6
June.....	+ 13.8	+ 7.9	+ 180.7	+ 11.1	+ 45.3	+ 3.0	+ 6.9	+ 9.3
July.....	+ 17.9	+ 11.4	+ 147.4	+ 29.6	+ 12.8	+ 28.4	+ 12.8	- 2.7
August.....	+ 20.3	+ 12.9	+ 172.5	+ 82.8	+ 20.3	+ 20.0	+ 41.9	- 6.6
September.....	+ 18.3	+ 16.7	+ 102.7	+ 15.8	+ 13.4	+ 64.4	+ 9.4	+ 3.1
October.....	+ 23.8	+ 25.3	+ 98.5	+ 20.2	- 0.8	+ 66.0	+ 37.4	- 1.7
November.....	+ 26.2	+ 23.5	+ 98.8	+ 37.0	+ 26.9	+ 58.2	+ 55.9	- 31.5
December.....	+ 30.3	+ 25.6	+ 115.2	+ 32.4	+ 76.7	+ 87.3	+ 74.9	+ 27.2
Total.	+ 212.5	+ 171.2	+1,681.6	+ 411.9	+ 237.8	+ 473.1	+ 261.2	- 17.2

Throughout this bulletin, totals represent sums of unrounded amounts, hence may vary from sums of rounded amounts.

MONTHLY SUMMARY OF FOREIGN TRADE - Continued

2 - TRADE OF CANADA WITH THE UNITED KINGDOM

(Millions of Dollars)

Months	Average 1935-39	1938	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
Imports for Consumption from the United Kingdom (Excluding Gold)								
January...	8.0	8.9	9.4	20.1	14.3	21.6	25.4	26.1
February...	8.1	8.8	6.7	13.0	10.5	17.9	22.9	25.4
March.....	10.9	11.5	9.3	14.4	13.8	21.6	28.3	32.7
April.....	8.4	9.2	12.0	21.2	12.7	24.6	30.1	29.5
May.....	12.7	11.9	15.2	18.8	15.2	27.4	29.5	36.3
June.....	10.8	9.2	13.8	23.4	18.1	26.0	27.0	37.1
July.....	11.3	9.7	12.0	21.9	17.7	29.4	29.4	32.7
August....	11.4	10.4	10.7	14.5	15.1	24.7	26.2	34.3
September.	10.5	10.0	9.6	12.0	15.6	24.1	21.9	36.2
October...	11.0	11.6	12.1	15.6	18.3	29.3	19.4	41.7
November..	13.0	11.0	14.8	14.9	17.8	28.3	26.5	40.2
December..	8.0	7.0	14.9	11.7	20.3	24.6	20.8	32.0
Total.	124.0	119.3	140.5	201.4	189.4	299.5	307.4	404.2
Domestic Exports to the United Kingdom (Excluding Gold)								
January...	25.5	33.6	83.2	51.1	50.5	64.9	55.8	48.6
February..	23.6	27.3	67.5	37.9	44.9	51.7	44.1	30.4
March.....	26.4	27.8	108.8	50.5	47.6	59.2	39.5	30.1
April.....	16.4	18.8	109.1	41.0	43.1	44.4	63.0	25.8
May.....	30.5	27.9	115.6	54.9	90.5	85.1	72.4	48.5
June.....	28.9	25.6	94.6	30.6	76.2	54.2	60.7	52.5
July.....	30.5	25.8	83.9	40.4	69.4	56.3	70.6	35.2
August....	31.3	26.7	66.6	71.9	66.0	52.5	62.9	42.5
September.	30.8	28.9	58.8	54.3	54.5	47.9	56.9	30.4
October...	38.4	36.0	56.3	47.7	66.8	65.6	72.3	47.7
November..	41.4	35.8	52.4	57.9	69.3	56.7	56.8	38.6
December..	30.0	25.5	66.4	59.4	72.5	48.5	49.9	39.6
Total.	353.6	339.7	963.2	597.5	751.2	686.9	705.0	469.9
Foreign Exports to the United Kingdom (Excluding Gold)								
January...	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
February..	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
March.....	0.1	0.1	2.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
April.....	0.0	0.0	1.8	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2
May.....	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.1
June.....	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.1
July.....	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.1
August....	0.1	0.1	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.3
September.	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.1
October...	0.1	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.3
November..	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2
December..	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4
Total.	1.1	1.7	8.2	1.3	2.5	1.8	4.3	2.6
Balance of Trade with the United Kingdom (Including Foreign Exports) (Excluding Gold)								
January...	+ 17.7	+ 24.8	+ 74.5	+ 31.2	+ 36.3	+ 43.4	+ 30.5	+ 22.8
February..	+ 14.6	+ 18.7	+ 61.4	+ 24.9	+ 34.5	+ 33.9	+ 21.4	+ 5.3
March.....	+ 15.6	+ 16.4	+ 101.5	+ 36.2	+ 33.9	+ 37.7	+ 11.3	+ 2.4
April.....	+ 9.1	+ 9.6	+ 98.9	+ 19.8	+ 30.4	+ 19.8	+ 33.4	+ 3.6
May.....	+ 17.7	+ 16.2	+ 101.1	+ 36.2	+ 75.6	+ 57.8	+ 43.4	+ 12.4
June.....	+ 18.3	+ 16.6	+ 81.3	+ 7.3	+ 58.2	+ 28.3	+ 34.1	+ 15.5
July.....	+ 19.4	+ 16.3	+ 72.2	+ 18.6	+ 52.0	+ 27.1	+ 41.7	+ 2.6
August....	+ 20.0	+ 16.5	+ 56.8	+ 57.5	+ 51.1	+ 27.9	+ 37.1	+ 8.5
September.	+ 20.3	+ 19.0	+ 49.2	+ 42.4	+ 39.4	+ 24.1	+ 35.5	+ 5.6
October...	+ 27.5	+ 24.6	+ 44.8	+ 32.1	+ 48.7	+ 36.5	+ 53.3	+ 6.3
November..	+ 28.4	+ 24.8	+ 37.7	+ 43.3	+ 51.6	+ 28.6	+ 30.7	+ 1.4
December..	+ 22.1	+ 18.6	+ 51.6	+ 47.8	+ 52.5	+ 24.0	+ 29.4	+ 7.9
Total.	+ 230.8	+ 222.1	+ 830.9	+ 397.4	+ 564.3	+ 389.2	+ 401.8	+ 68.3

MONTHLY SUMMARY OF FOREIGN TRADE - Continued

3 - TRADE OF CANADA WITH THE UNITED STATES

(Millions of Dollars)

Months	Average 1935-39	1938	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
Imports for Consumption from the United States (Excluding Gold)								
January...	28.7	32.3	101.8	97.4	136.4	150.0	164.8	154.5
February..	27.9	31.2	92.8	86.0	138.4	136.8	148.8	143.1
March.....	38.0	42.9	105.3	100.1	165.1	138.3	169.0	160.9
April.....	29.2	31.4	102.7	114.8	181.6	159.5	177.3	162.2
May.....	38.3	40.5	104.8	113.4	184.7	145.0	172.1	195.5
June.....	36.4	37.1	110.7	106.6	174.7	154.9	176.9	188.3
July.....	33.4	34.1	103.5	112.5	168.9	149.5	160.3	170.6
August....	33.7	35.3	96.8	123.1	155.3	136.1	143.6	172.6
September.	36.2	34.7	89.6	115.8	163.0	152.7	158.0	177.4
October...	42.5	38.5	101.3	140.4	190.4	160.2	167.6	208.3
November..	40.8	37.6	103.3	149.5	174.4	163.4	162.7	214.8
December..	33.6	29.2	89.9	145.6	141.7	159.4	151.0	182.3
Total.	418.7	424.7	1,202.4	1,405.3	1,974.7	1,805.8	1,951.9	2,130.5
Domestic Exports to the United States (Excluding Gold)								
January...	22.1	20.0	84.7	62.3	79.5	105.0	116.0	130.9
February..	19.7	16.8	91.5	57.6	69.4	94.8	106.7	128.8
March.....	25.9	22.7	103.3	66.5	83.1	112.5	122.4	154.3
April.....	20.1	18.0	109.1	71.4	88.3	109.2	110.7	137.8
May.....	26.1	20.4	117.2	72.2	79.8	114.7	121.2	175.4
June.....	25.1	20.0	112.3	66.5	82.0	109.8	113.9	177.7
July.....	25.9	21.0	102.7	74.8	82.1	118.9	104.4	168.2
August....	28.3	25.3	112.6	75.0	81.4	114.0	115.4	167.1
September.	29.4	25.1	84.8	69.6	87.5	162.0	113.7	192.8
October...	33.5	28.0	88.4	99.1	102.4	148.9	148.1	204.4
November..	31.9	28.4	101.2	89.2	92.9	163.3	171.3	192.0
December..	33.3	24.7	88.9	83.9	106.0	147.8	159.8	191.5
Total.	321.3	270.5	1,197.0	887.9	1,034.2	1,501.0	1,503.5	2,021.0
Foreign Exports to the United States (Excluding Gold)								
January...	0.7	1.0	2.1	1.9	1.1	1.8	1.5	2.1
February..	0.7	0.6	3.2	1.4	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.5
March.....	0.8	0.7	3.7	1.3	1.8	1.5	1.6	2.9
April.....	0.7	0.5	3.7	1.5	1.7	2.2	1.5	1.5
May.....	0.8	0.6	2.5	1.3	2.3	1.6	1.8	1.9
June.....	0.8	0.5	2.3	1.6	2.2	1.6	1.7	2.1
July.....	0.9	0.7	2.3	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.6	2.5
August....	0.9	0.6	2.3	2.6	2.3	1.8	1.6	2.9
September.	0.9	0.7	2.5	1.5	1.8	2.2	1.7	3.1
October...	1.0	0.8	2.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	3.0
November..	1.1	0.7	2.0	2.2	1.8	1.7	2.3	3.1
December..	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.9	2.8
Total.	10.4	8.3	30.5	20.6	22.4	21.2	20.6	29.5
Balance of Trade with the United States (Including Foreign Exports) (Excluding Gold)								
January...	- 5.9	- 11.3	- 15.0	- 33.2	- 55.8	- 43.2	- 47.3	- 21.5
February..	- 7.5	- 13.8	+ 1.9	- 27.1	- 67.1	- 40.5	- 40.6	- 12.8
March.....	- 11.3	- 19.5	+ 1.7	- 32.4	- 80.2	- 24.2	- 44.9	- 3.7
April.....	- 8.4	- 12.8	+ 10.1	- 41.9	- 91.6	- 48.0	- 65.1	- 22.9
May.....	- 11.3	- 19.5	+ 15.0	- 39.9	- 102.7	- 28.7	- 49.1	- 18.2
June.....	- 10.5	- 16.5	+ 3.8	- 38.5	- 90.5	- 43.5	- 61.3	- 8.4
July.....	- 6.6	- 12.4	+ 1.5	- 35.9	- 84.9	- 28.6	- 54.2	+ 0.1
August....	- 4.5	- 9.4	+ 18.2	- 45.6	- 71.6	- 20.3	- 26.6	- 2.5
September.	- 5.9	- 8.9	- 2.3	- 44.7	- 73.8	+ 11.4	- 42.6	+ 18.6
October...	- 8.0	- 9.7	- 9.9	- 39.4	- 86.2	- 9.6	- 17.8	- 0.9
November..	- 7.7	- 8.6	- 0.1	- 58.1	- 79.8	+ 1.5	+ 10.9	- 19.7
December..	+ 0.7	- 3.7	+ 0.1	- 60.1	- 33.9	- 9.9	+ 10.7	+ 12.0
Total.	- 87.0	- 146.0	+ 25.0	- 496.7	- 918.1	- 283.6	- 427.8	- 80.0

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MONTHLY SUMMARY OF FOREIGN TRADE - Concluded

4 - TRADE OF CANADA - CUMULATIVE TOTALS

(Millions of Dollars)

	Average 1935-39	1938	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
(a) Trade of Canada with ALL COUNTRIES (Excluding Gold) Twelve Months ended December								
Imports for								
Consumption.	684.6	677.5	1,585.8	1,927.3	2,573.9	2,636.9	2,761.2	3,174.3
Domestic								
Exports....	884.5	837.6	3,218.3	2,312.2	2,774.9	3,075.4	2,993.0	3,118.4
Foreign								
Exports....	12.5	11.1	49.1	27.0	36.9	34.6	29.5	38.7
Total Trade.	1,581.6	1,526.1	4,853.2	4,266.4	5,385.7	5,747.0	5,783.7	6,331.3
Balance of								
Trade.....	+ 212.4	+ 171.2	+1,681.6	+ 411.9	+ 237.8	+ 473.1	+ 261.2	- 17.2
(b) Trade of Canada with the UNITED KINGDOM (Excluding Gold) Twelve Months ended December								
Imports for								
Consumption.	124.0	119.3	140.5	201.4	189.4	299.5	307.4	404.2
Domestic								
Exports....	353.7	339.7	963.2	597.5	751.2	686.9	705.0	469.9
Foreign								
Exports....	1.1	1.7	8.2	1.3	2.5	1.8	4.3	2.6
Total Trade.	478.9	460.7	1,112.0	800.2	943.0	988.2	1,016.7	876.7
Balance of								
Trade.....	+ 230.8	+ 222.1	+ 830.9	+ 397.4	+ 564.3	+ 389.2	+ 401.8	+ 68.3
(c) Trade of Canada with the UNITED STATES (Excluding Gold) Twelve Months ended December								
Imports for								
Consumption.	418.7	424.7	1,202.4	1,405.3	1,974.7	1,805.8	1,951.9	2,130.5
Domestic								
Exports....	321.3	270.5	1,197.0	887.9	1,034.2	1,501.0	1,503.5	2,021.0
Foreign								
Exports....	10.4	8.3	30.5	20.6	22.4	21.2	20.6	29.5
Total Trade.	750.5	703.5	2,429.9	2,313.9	3,031.3	3,327.9	3,475.9	4,180.9
Balance of								
Trade.....	- 87.0	- 146.0	+ 25.0	- 496.7	- 918.1	- 283.6	- 427.8	- 80.0

5 - NET EXPORTS OF NON-MONETARY GOLD

(Additional to Balance of Trade)

January...	10.0	11.0	8.7	9.3	9.0	9.6	9.7	15.8
February..	9.4	11.2	8.4	9.5	6.9	8.9	9.6	11.7
March.....	11.6	17.6	10.2	10.0	6.8	8.7	12.1	13.5
April.....	8.4	9.3	6.8	7.2	6.4	9.5	9.8	11.4
May.....	9.8	14.3	10.2	10.0	8.2	8.8	12.4	15.8
June.....	10.7	11.5	4.7	7.7	8.6	9.6	9.8	15.0
July.....	9.2	11.5	8.0	6.6	10.1	10.8	9.4	14.8
August....	9.7	16.6	8.5	7.5	7.5	9.7	13.8	13.8
September.	10.9	15.1	6.8	6.8	8.4	11.9	11.2	10.8
October...	12.6	15.5	7.7	8.5	9.2	9.6	13.2	16.4
November..	11.2	15.3	9.8	6.0	7.2	9.1	15.4	12.3
December..	10.9	11.6	6.2	6.7	11.0	12.8	12.5	11.3
Total.	124.4	160.5	96.0	95.8	99.3	119.0	138.9	162.6