

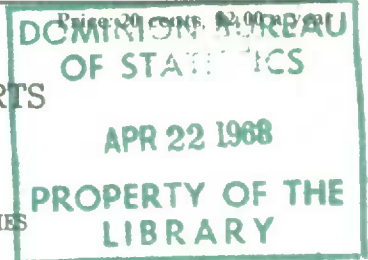
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TABLE 1. IMPORTS BY SECTIONS FROM PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES

Section	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
thousands of dollars						
ALL COUNTRIES:						
Live animals	662	1,842	1,266			
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	50,102	66,688	58,999			
Crude materials, inedible	68,557	61,113	81,113			
Fabricated materials, inedible	160,168	197,207	179,403			
End products, inedible	402,942	543,510	601,251			
Special transactions - trade	24,211	22,705	20,917			
Total	706,643	893,065	942,949			
UNITED KINGDOM:						
Live animals	3	4	15			
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	2,779	3,426	2,649			
Crude materials, inedible	2,399	2,399	2,816			
Fabricated materials, inedible	10,892	14,222	14,433			
End products, inedible	27,118	33,194	31,883			
Special transactions - trade	947	965	725			
Total	44,137	54,211	52,521			
UNITED STATES:						
Live animals	539	1,786	1,234			
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	27,846	30,028	33,631			
Crude materials, inedible	24,757	25,405	30,825			
Fabricated materials, inedible	113,139	130,106	125,070			
End products, inedible	337,879	450,878	512,550			
Special transactions - trade	21,658	20,024	18,719			
Total	525,817	658,227	722,029			
OTHER COUNTRIES:						
Live animals	120	52	17			
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	19,477	33,234	22,719			
Crude materials, inedible	41,401	33,309	47,472			
Fabricated materials, inedible	36,137	52,879	39,900			
End products, inedible	37,945	59,438	56,818			
Special transactions - trade	1,606	1,716	1,473			
Total	136,689	180,627	168,399			

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES

Country	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
	thousands of dollars					
WESTERN EUROPE:						
United Kingdom	44,137	54,211	52,521			
Gibraltar	-	-	-			
Ireland	389	672	635			
Malta and Gozo	46	47	39			
Austria	987	742	669			
Belgium and Luxembourg	2,914	6,334	3,262			
Denmark	1,318	1,561	1,455			
Finland	38	141	240			
France	6,051	10,360	8,775			
Germany, Federal Republic	13,141	18,373	15,024			
Greece	159	198	150			
Iceland	17	7	2			
Italy	5,380	8,289	7,740			
Netherlands	2,938	3,471	3,449			
Norway	3,461	3,172	2,028			
Portugal	348	1,277	724			
Spain	481	1,404	975			
Sweden	3,991	6,325	3,617			
Switzerland	3,642	4,939	4,073			
Commonwealth and Preferential	44,571	54,929	53,195			
European Common Market	30,424	46,827	38,251			
Others	14,443	19,768	13,933			
Total, Western Europe	89,438	121,525	105,379			
EASTERN EUROPE:						
Albania	-	4	-			
Bulgaria	143	94	72			
Czechoslovakia	1,057	1,788	1,238			
Germany, East	99	186	124			
Hungary	156	303	339			
Poland	775	1,338	1,472			
Roumania	28	40	11			
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	102	1,774	3,612			
Yugoslavia	116	322	248			
Total, Eastern Europe	2,477	5,850	7,117			
MIDDLE EAST:						
Aden	-	2	-			
Bahrain	-	-	5			
Cyprus	-	4	15			
Qatar	-	-	-			
Trucial States	-	-	-			
Ethiopia	5	-	-			
Iran	3,542	4,561	2,852			
Iraq	468	2,304	-			
Israel	530	728	1,199			
Jordan	-	1	1			
Kuwait	1,653	-	-			
Lebanon	3	5	9			
Libya	-	555	-			
Saudi Arabia	3,580	2,693	4,699			
Somalia	-	-	-			
Sudan	-	24	-			
Syria	-	-	-			
Turkey	63	91	293			
United Arab Republic - Egypt	54	93	8			
Commonwealth and Preferential	-	6	21			
Others	9,899	11,055	9,062			
Total, Middle East	9,899	11,062	9,082			

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Continued

Country	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
	thousands of dollars					
OTHER AFRICA:						
Gambia.....	-	-	-			
Ghana.....	769	28	1			
Kenya.....	256	425	269			
Malawi.....	42	28	33			
Mauritius and Dependencies.....	572	915	738			
Nigeria.....	1,429	2,351	700			
Republic of South Africa.....	1,099	3,956	1,547			
Rhodesia.....	1,001	-	1			
Sierra Leone.....	-	3	-			
Tanzania.....	341	598	1,126			
Uganda.....	81	212	322			
Zambia.....	-	-	-			
British Africa n.e.s.....	-	-	-			
Algeria.....	-	2	-			
Angola.....	-	1,140	567			
Cameroun Republic.....	1	-	-			
Congo—Kinshasa.....	128	32	34			
Dahomey.....	-	-	-			
French Africa n.e.s.....	-	-	5			
Gabon Republic.....	-	107	-			
Guinea, Republic of.....	-	-	-			
Ivory Coast.....	-	-	4			
Liberia.....	4	-	-			
Malagasy Republic.....	21	-	5			
Mauritania.....	-	-	-			
Morocco.....	12	24	23			
Mozambique.....	14	65	6			
Portuguese Africa n.e.s.....	-	-	-			
Senegal.....	-	-	-			
Spanish Africa.....	-	-	-			
Togo.....	-	-	-			
Tunisia.....	-	-	13			
Commonwealth and Preferential.....	5,590	8,515	4,739			
Others.....	181	1,371	657			
Total, Other Africa.....	5,771	9,885	5,396			
OTHER ASIA:						
Ceylon.....	475	926	786			
Hong Kong.....	2,610	3,334	4,049			
India.....	2,593	4,644	2,998			
Malaysia.....	1,422	1,954	1,705			
Pakistan.....	317	400	250			
Singapore.....	1,327	663	1,094			
Afghanistan.....	-	-	-			
Burma.....	-	16	3			
Cambodia and Laos.....	-	-	-			
China, Communist.....	2,590	1,860	1,506			
Indonesia.....	64	77	25			
Japan.....	13,259	23,768	24,062			
Korea, North.....	-	-	-			
Korea, South.....	70	108	521			
Philippines.....	157	288	176			
Portuguese Asia.....	2	-	-			
Taiwan.....	551	1,407	1,851			
Thailand.....	35	127	106			
Viet-Nam.....	-	-	-			
Commonwealth and Preferential.....	8,744	11,921	10,882			
Others.....	16,728	27,651	28,251			
Total, Other Asia.....	25,473	39,572	39,132			

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES-- Concluded

Country	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
thousands of dollars						
OCEANIA:						
Australia	3,348	4,567	3,747			
Fiji	-	-	2			
New Zealand	585	2,035	1,652			
British Oceania n.e.s.	-	-	-			
French Oceania	-	540	742			
United States Oceania	-	-	18			
Commonwealth and Preferential	3,933	6,602	5,402			
Others	-	540	760			
Total, Oceania	3,933	7,143	6,162			
SOUTH AMERICA:						
Guyana	1,577	1,519	784			
Falkland Islands	-	-	-			
Argentina	266	704	386			
Bolivia	1	-	2			
Brazil	2,592	3,652	2,846			
Chile	35	44	56			
Colombia	976	1,595	683			
Ecuador	393	563	466			
French Guiana	1	-	-			
Paraguay	1	223	-			
Peru	937	236	300			
Surinam	418	300	180			
Uruguay	21	13	1			
Venezuela	25,487	13,752	28,134			
Commonwealth and Preferential	1,577	1,519	784			
Others	31,126	21,083	33,053			
Total, South America	32,703	22,602	33,838			
CENTRAL AMERICA AND ANTILLES:						
Bahamas	115	180	131			
Bermuda	5	41	15			
British Honduras	52	40	141			
Barbados	78	19	3			
Jamaica	1,709	1,716	2,002			
Leeward and Windward Islands	21	44	12			
Trinidad and Tobago	1,320	1,216	1,254			
Costa Rica	686	685	501			
Cuba	185	187	302			
Dominican Republic	116	59	65			
El Salvador	127	413	645			
French West Indies	17	-	2			
Guatemala	384	473	168			
Haiti, Republic of	106	95	61			
Honduras, Republic of	692	783	777			
Mexico	2,586	2,812	3,063			
Netherlands Antilles	1,947	7,172	4,471			
Nicaragua	4	98	471			
Panama	836	967	563			
Puerto Rico	136	195	133			
United States Virgin Islands	-	-	-			
Commonwealth and Preferential	3,300	3,257	3,557			
Others	7,823	13,940	11,221			
Total, Central America and Antilles	11,124	17,197	14,778			
NORTH AMERICA:						
Greenland	-	-	-			
St. Pierre and Miquelon	8	3	35			
United States	525,817	658,227	722,029			
Total, North America	525,825	658,230	722,065			
Total, Commonwealth and Preferential	67,715	86,748	78,579			
Total, Others	638,927	806,317	864,369			
Total, Imports	706,643	893,065	942,949			

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES

Commodity	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
	thousands of dollars					
I. LIVE ANIMALS	662	1,842	1,266			
II. FOOD, FEED, BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	50,102	66,688	58,999			
Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen.....	2,325	4,782	2,474			
Other meat and meat preparations	1,638	1,967	1,438			
Fish and marine animals	2,163	3,791	2,845			
Dairy produce, eggs and honey	1,270	2,411	1,606			
Indian corn, shelled	2,172	1,658	1,804			
Other cereals and cereal preparations	2,402	2,215	2,731			
Bananas and plantains, fresh	1,893	2,429	2,111			
Grapes, fresh	735	797	817			
Oranges, mandarines and tangerines, fresh	1,952	2,345	3,097			
Other fresh fruits and berries	1,489	1,343	2,023			
Fruits, dried or dehydrated.....	1,456	1,854	1,162			
Orange juice and concentrates	986	1,399	1,646			
Other fruit juices and concentrates	563	628	597			
Fruits and products, canned	1,718	1,965	1,336			
Other fruits and fruit preparations	372	643	443			
Nuts, except oil nuts	2,457	1,528	1,176			
Tomatoes, fresh	1,302	1,561	1,796			
Other fresh vegetables	4,866	4,812	6,478			
Other vegetables and vegetable preparations.....	1,523	2,344	1,535			
Raw sugar	2,538	3,799	3,100			
Refined sugar, molasses and syrups	176	844	188			
Sugar preparations and confectionery	842	1,305	1,225			
Cocoa and chocolate	241	718	1,407			
Coffee	5,839	8,206	5,896			
Tea	1,557	2,165	1,811			
Other foods and materials for foods	2,505	3,733	3,678			
Oil seed cake and meal	1,329	1,528	1,773			
Other fodder and feed	401	349	572			
Distilled alcoholic beverages	648	2,005	1,172			
Other beverages	277	1,007	454			
Tobacco	467	556	608			
III. CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE	68,557	61,113	81,113			
Fur skins, undressed	2,289	989	2,399			
Other crude animal products	990	1,810	1,606			
Soya beans	957	150	888			
Other oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	1,142	739	744			
Rubber and allied gums, natural	1,661	1,894	1,574			
Other crude vegetable products.....	2,326	2,326	2,484			
Crude wood materials	3,129	3,856	3,370			
Wool and fine animal hair	2,822	3,548	2,251			
Cotton	4,574	6,345	6,303			
Synthetic fibres	1,482	1,189	1,825			
Other textile fibres	1,014	936	725			
Iron ores and concentrates	465	479	368			
Scrap iron and steel	1,918	1,347	953			
Aluminum ores, concentrates and scrap	3,854	3,525	4,515			
Other metals in ores, concentrates, scrap	2,289	1,437	6,261			
Coal	1,468	2,002	1,923			
Crude petroleum	30,309	21,160	36,288			
Other crude bituminous substances	1,586	1,913	1,984			
Abrasives, natural	654	573	667			
Phosphate rock	1,087	1,434	1,197			
Other crude non-metallic minerals	1,751	2,704	2,159			
Other waste and scrap materials	787	759	628			

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES--Continued

Commodity	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
	thousands of dollars					
IV. FABRICATED MATERIALS, INEDIBLE	160,168	197,207	179,403			
Leather and leather fabricated materials	1,699	1,666	2,189			
Rubber fabricated materials	2,392	3,108	3,781			
Lumber	2,734	2,874	3,166			
Veneer, plywood and wood building boards	1,333	2,573	1,808			
Other wood fabricated materials	851	1,049	874			
Wood pulp and similar pulp	822	710	407			
Paper and paperboard	4,542	5,570	5,195			
Cotton yarn and thread	1,194	1,409	1,337			
Synthetic fibre yarn and thread	1,227	1,623	1,756			
Other yarn and thread	1,284	1,622	2,361			
Cordage, twine and rope	296	479	649			
Broad woven fabrics, wool and hair	1,745	1,682	1,581			
Broad woven fabrics, cotton	5,692	7,591	5,584			
Broad woven fabrics, synthetic	2,228	2,298	2,688			
Broad woven fabrics, mixed fibres	3,397	3,500	3,832			
Other broad woven fabrics	2,077	3,682	1,530			
Coated or impregnated fabrics	1,362	2,378	2,674			
Other textile fabricated materials	3,186	3,508	3,814			
Vegetable oils and fats, except essential oils	2,156	1,027	1,047			
Other oils, fats, waxes, extracts, derivatives	1,728	2,103	1,944			
Inorganic chemicals	4,322	6,316	4,636			
Organic chemicals	8,475	9,239	9,959			
Fertilizers and fertilizer materials	623	1,315	502			
Synthetic and reclaimed rubber	2,182	2,412	2,394			
Plastics materials, not shaped	5,768	6,984	7,371			
Plastic film and sheet	2,792	3,677	3,239			
Other plastics basic shapes and forms	1,570	2,252	2,173			
Dyestuffs, except dyeing extracts	1,365	1,377	1,511			
Pigments, lakes and toners	1,070	1,296	1,265			
Paints and related products	785	983	1,025			
Other chemical products	7,158	6,739	9,897			
Fuel oil	8,431	13,322	9,558			
Lubricating oils and greases	1,124	1,281	1,358			
Coke of petroleum and coal	1,350	2,780	533			
Other petroleum and coal products	1,806	2,352	1,543			
Bars and rods, steel	2,517	4,039	3,104			
Plate, sheet and strip, steel	8,842	11,435	9,006			
Structural shapes and sheet piling, steel	2,818	3,862	2,302			
Pipes and tubes, iron and steel	4,367	4,686	4,917			
Wire and wire rope, steel	1,591	1,619	1,888			
Other iron and steel and alloys	3,957	5,112	4,357			
Aluminum, including alloys	4,248	7,449	7,084			
Copper and alloys	2,122	1,806	1,199			
Nickel and alloys	4,318	2,421	2,291			
Precious metals, including alloys	2,561	1,433	1,175			
Tin, including alloys	846	1,289	1,043			
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	1,837	2,354	1,930			
Bolts, nuts and screws	2,275	3,333	3,994			
Other basic hardware	3,205	4,521	5,133			
Chain	1,038	1,151	1,037			
Valves	2,555	3,114	2,140			
Pipe fittings	1,764	2,064	1,936			
Other metal fabricated basic products	3,782	4,654	3,940			
Clay bricks, clay tiles and refractories	2,645	2,942	2,085			
Sheet and plate glass	2,502	2,893	1,643			
Other glass basic products	1,706	2,611	1,911			
Abrasive basic products	1,198	1,219	1,268			
Natural and synthetic gem stones	905	1,115	1,269			
Other non-metallic mineral basic products	1,501	2,092	1,780			
Electricity	812	1,112	1,285			
Other fabricated materials, inedible	3,494	4,106	4,501			

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Continued

Commodity	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
	thousands of dollars					
V. END PRODUCTS, INEDIBLE	402,942	543,510	601,251			
A. MACHINERY	120,956	137,255	123,022			
Engines and turbines, diesel, general purpose	1,883	2,400	2,210			
Engines and turbines, general purpose n.e.s.	3,093	4,758	4,689			
Electric generators and motors	4,006	5,289	3,557			
Bearings	4,676	4,680	4,911			
Other mechanical power transmission equipment	3,307	4,584	3,877			
Compressors, blowers and vacuum pumps	2,528	2,481	2,792			
Pumps, except oil well pumps	1,851	2,057	1,769			
Packaging machinery	2,396	1,896	3,209			
Other general purpose industrial machinery	5,065	6,164	5,569			
Cranes, derricks and hoists	3,005	3,193	2,831			
Industrial lift trucks, powered	1,998	1,851	1,683			
Other materials handling machinery, equipment	1,887	3,752	2,827			
Drilling machinery and drill bits	3,970	3,899	4,533			
Power shovels	1,761	1,304	1,993			
Bulldozing and similar equipment	2,837	2,426	1,519			
Front end loaders	4,112	3,106	3,065			
Other excavating machinery	835	1,706	2,138			
Mining, oil and gas machinery	3,615	4,264	3,484			
Construction and maintenance machinery	2,406	2,751	2,957			
Machine tools, metalworking	6,074	10,947	8,130			
Welding apparatus and equipment	963	1,088	957			
Rolling mill machinery	1,725	1,078	1,093			
Other metalworking machinery	3,239	4,650	3,930			
Pulp and paper industries machinery	3,420	3,878	3,572			
Printing presses	989	2,552	1,062			
Other printing machinery and equipment	1,375	2,036	2,026			
Spinning, weaving and knitting machinery	3,174	2,207	1,940			
Other textile industries machinery	2,773	2,404	1,972			
Food, beverages and tobacco machinery	1,889	3,873	2,363			
Plastics and chemical industry machinery	3,085	2,670	4,967			
Other special industry machinery	4,057	5,085	1,924			
Soil preparation, seeding, fertilizing machinery	2,316	3,786	4,640			
Combine reaper-threshers	3,643	2,840	1,400			
Other haying and harvesting machinery	3,819	3,677	3,340			
Other agricultural machinery and equipment	2,803	2,828	3,602			
Wheel tractors, new	11,175	10,808	9,592			
Track-laying tractors and used tractors	2,794	1,494	684			
Tractor engines and tractor parts	6,413	6,794	6,218			
B. TRANSPORTATION & COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	167,068	248,282	313,517			
Railway and street railway rolling stock	2,658	3,095	2,586			
Convertible automobiles, soft top, new	2,504	3,524	5,272			
Closed sedans, new	24,123	63,237	102,126			
Other passenger automobiles and chassis	2,732	3,445	7,477			
Trucks, truck tractors and chassis	5,652	8,795	10,355			
Other motor vehicles	2,626	2,793	2,600			
Motor vehicle engines	10,346	10,843	18,169			
Motor vehicle engine parts	7,539	8,043	9,716			
Motor vehicle parts, except engines	72,486	98,125	105,499			
Marine engines and parts	2,805	2,516	3,136			
Ships, boats and parts, except engines	735	1,275	1,990			
Aircraft, complete with engines	4,939	713	2,398			
Aircraft engines and parts	5,681	7,111	7,708			
Aircraft parts, except engines	5,737	7,632	9,651			
Other transportation equipment	1,661	2,126	2,101			
Telephone and telegraph equipment	2,332	3,450	2,840			
Television and radio sets and phonographs	1,664	4,757	4,700			
Electronic tubes and semi-conductors	2,835	4,336	3,610			
Other communication and related equipment	8,014	12,465	11,581			

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Concluded

Commodity	January			1966	1967	1968
	1966	1967	1968			
C. OTHER EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS	60,844	86,058	85,168	thousands of dollars		
Air conditioning and refrigeration equipment	4,095	6,206	6,630			
Electric lighting fixtures and portable lamps.....	2,240	3,108	3,081			
Switchgear and protective equipment	1,376	2,105	1,300			
Industrial control equipment	1,731	2,211	2,310			
Other electric lighting, distribution equipment	2,999	3,976	3,885			
Auxiliary electric equipment for engines	2,300	4,456	5,062			
Electrical properties measuring instruments	1,468	2,011	2,361			
Miscellaneous measuring, controlling instruments	3,089	3,995	3,821			
Medical and related equipment	2,339	3,224	3,591			
Navigation equipment	2,280	1,431	1,692			
Other measuring, laboratory equipment, etc.	7,691	8,694	9,738			
Safety and sanitation equipment	1,774	2,676	1,949			
Service industry equipment	2,108	2,397	2,274			
Furniture and fixtures	2,078	2,339	2,787			
Hand tools and cutlery	4,283	5,600	5,167			
Electronic computers	5,334	11,536	11,701			
Other office machines and equipment	6,049	9,654	7,064			
Miscellaneous equipment and tools	7,614	10,440	10,753			
D. PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS	20,211	26,749	31,212			
Outerwear, except knitted	2,726	2,356	5,119			
Outerwear, knitted	1,264	1,705	2,660			
Other apparel and apparel accessories	1,825	1,958	2,470			
Footwear	2,079	2,755	3,440			
Watches, clocks, jewellery and silverware	1,733	2,346	2,409			
Sporting and recreation equipment	1,226	1,734	2,066			
Games, toys and children's vehicles	914	1,430	1,529			
House furnishings	2,957	4,206	4,197			
Kitchen utensils, cutlery and tableware	2,689	4,048	3,317			
Other personal and household goods	2,798	4,210	4,006			
E. MISCELLANEOUS END PRODUCTS	33,863	45,166	48,332			
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	3,004	3,757	3,676			
Medical, ophthalmic, orthopaedic supplies	1,567	1,956	2,594			
Newspapers, magazines and periodicals	3,976	4,811	4,951			
Books and pamphlets	4,813	6,709	6,799			
Other printed matter	2,434	2,283	4,667			
Stationers' and office supplies	1,661	2,084	2,389			
Unexposed photographic film and plates	2,289	2,768	2,198			
Other photographic goods	4,276	7,178	7,712			
Containers and closures	4,329	4,767	4,745			
Other end products, inedible	5,512	8,852	8,601			
VI. SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS—TRADE	24,211	22,705	20,917			
Shipments valued at less than \$200 each	20,503	16,854	13,202			
Other special transactions—trade	3,709	5,851	7,715			

TABLE 4. PRICE AND PHYSICAL VOLUME INDEXES OF IMPORTS (INTERIM INDEXES 1948=100)

Month	Price index			Volume index		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
January	131.7	133.9	134.8 ^P	245.9	305.8	320.6 ^P
February	132.6	133.7		230.8	262.5	
March	132.7	134.5		286.8	294.5	
April	133.5	134.2		265.9	332.1	
May	132.7	133.7		315.6	356.2	
June	132.5	133.8		311.7	322.4	
July	132.6	133.4		254.7	382.1	
August	132.8	133.0		279.0	290.1	
September	132.8	133.1		277.2	298.9	
October	133.0	133.8		316.9	316.8	
November	133.6	134.0		323.5	333.1	
December	133.9	134.1 ^P		294.9	302.7 ^I	
Annual index.....	132.5	133.8 ^P		284.4	316.4 ^P	

^P Preliminary figures.^I Revised figures.