

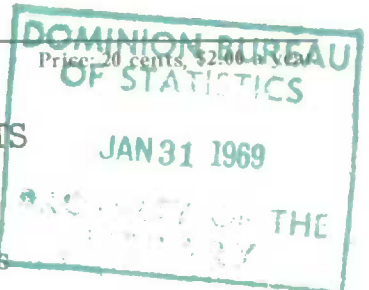
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TABLE 1. IMPORTS BY SECTIONS FROM PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES

Section	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
thousands of dollars						
ALL COUNTRIES:						
Live animals.....	1,125	3,800	1,328	10,539	19,137	14,019
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco.....	78,102	81,674	85,576	716,685	785,000	814,139
Crude materials, inedible.....	95,409	99,073	99,671	943,442	972,842	1,013,284
Fabricated materials, inedible.....	210,852	197,973	234,974	2,054,705	2,125,101	2,213,598
End products, inedible.....	527,313	570,467	712,527	4,983,424	6,043,275	6,969,028
Special transactions - trade.....	29,992	20,990	27,478	296,111	249,542	235,968
Total.....	942,793	973,977	1,161,553	9,004,906	10,194,898	11,260,036
UNITED KINGDOM:						
Live animals.....	10	3	21	123	121	151
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco.....	4,861	3,404	4,338	40,897	38,723	40,758
Crude materials, inedible.....	2,177	1,230	1,991	29,455	27,554	26,289
Fabricated materials, inedible.....	19,407	10,185	19,531	164,001	161,291	166,813
End products, inedible.....	35,265	28,198	32,152	354,611	383,634	376,230
Special transactions - trade.....	1,180	524	4,125	12,468	8,763	15,265
Total.....	62,900	43,545	62,159	601,556	620,086	625,506
UNITED STATES:						
Live animals.....	1,013	3,748	1,144	9,972	18,064	13,059
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco.....	36,916	37,660	40,505	365,806	390,965	413,595
Crude materials, inedible.....	48,647	53,465	44,534	464,390	466,706	469,170
Fabricated materials, inedible.....	125,574	126,543	137,421	1,365,219	1,383,226	1,447,552
End products, inedible.....	426,040	466,223	586,559	4,026,097	4,903,425	5,720,334
Special transactions - trade.....	25,892	18,578	21,013	258,599	218,604	199,517
Total.....	664,081	706,217	831,177	6,490,083	7,380,990	8,263,226
OTHER COUNTRIES:						
Live animals.....	102	49	163	444	952	809
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco.....	36,325	40,610	40,733	309,982	355,312	359,786
Crude materials, inedible.....	44,585	44,378	53,146	449,597	478,582	517,825
Fabricated materials, inedible.....	65,871	61,245	78,022	525,485	580,584	599,233
End products, inedible.....	66,008	76,046	93,816	602,716	756,216	872,464
Special transactions - trade.....	2,920	1,888	2,340	25,044	22,175	21,186
Total.....	215,812	224,215	268,217	1,913,267	2,193,822	2,371,304

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

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES

Country	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
thousands of dollars						
WESTERN EUROPE:						
United Kingdom	62,900	43,545	62,159	601,556	620,086	625,506
Gibraltar	1	-	-	1	-	-
Ireland	625	1,070	869	5,983	8,031	8,767
Malta and Gozo	67	8	49	392	617	558
Austria	2,110	2,696	3,508	13,978	17,970	25,550
Belgium and Luxembourg	6,712	5,335	8,111	56,594	60,660	51,025
Denmark	2,809	2,904	2,607	21,290	24,808	23,573
Finland	385	409	510	3,380	2,792	3,613
France	11,907	13,187	12,264	95,983	119,763	109,719
Germany, Federal Republic	24,688	26,452	33,574	219,385	235,835	272,909
Greece	297	456	527	1,649	3,261	3,082
Iceland	70	3	-	496	451	13
Italy	8,154	10,436	11,760	81,350	102,240	105,789
Netherlands	7,500	6,975	6,920	55,956	60,285	63,220
Norway	4,157	2,006	2,956	32,311	30,995	34,113
Portugal	2,683	2,010	1,555	11,977	13,635	11,024
Spain	1,923	1,538	2,164	11,487	15,394	22,453
Sweden	7,452	7,669	5,770	67,873	71,620	68,723
Switzerland	6,108	5,532	6,726	45,883	62,416	57,814
Commonwealth and Preferential	63,593	44,622	63,076	607,931	628,735	634,830
European Common Market	58,961	62,385	72,629	509,267	578,782	602,663
Others	27,993	25,223	26,323	210,323	243,341	249,961
Total, Western Europe	150,547	132,231	162,028	1,327,521	1,450,858	1,487,453
EASTERN EUROPE:						
Albania	-	-	-	-	4	-
Bulgaria	66	85	95	744	1,139	1,270
Czechoslovakia	2,016	2,950	3,810	19,928	27,151	25,868
Germany, East	227	248	262	1,897	2,986	2,730
Hungary	387	700	829	2,985	5,922	7,259
Poland	1,677	766	1,291	12,638	14,255	11,834
Roumania	127	69	854	519	987	1,795
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	1,379	2,682	1,286	10,772	19,536	19,299
Yugoslavia	273	449	583	1,800	3,632	4,315
Total, Eastern Europe	6,150	7,949	9,010	51,282	75,612	74,368
MIDDLE EAST:						
Aden	-	-	-	64	11	18
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	5
Cyprus	22	3	5	89	295	107
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trucial States	669	-	453	2,984	1	4,626
Ethiopia	13	-	-	55	90	68
Iran	3,186	1,872	2,697	33,224	31,536	30,860
Iraq	1,561	-	-	11,477	9,001	487
Israel	624	561	1,168	6,380	7,663	12,113
Jordan	1	-	1	7	20	4
Kuwait	-	-	342	5,390	2,287	2,976
Lebanon	1	9	67	1,031	103	298
Libya	2,030	415	-	9,632	11,263	-
Saudi Arabia	3,388	2,259	2,766	29,889	29,143	35,808
Somalia	-	-	-	24	-	-
Sudan	11	-	-	70	73	183
Syria	36	2	-	379	61	41
Turkey	107	247	176	761	1,406	1,644
United Arab Republic - Egypt	70	12	167	660	257	348
Commonwealth and Preferential	691	3	457	3,137	307	4,738
Others	11,029	5,376	7,383	98,979	92,904	84,330
Total, Middle East	11,720	5,379	7,841	102,116	93,211	89,588

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES — Continued

Country	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
OTHER AFRICA:						
Gambia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	1,173	1,381	128	10,725	7,494	10,739
Kenya	538	945	123	6,331	6,808	3,666
Malawi	5	97	168	567	583	1,023
Mauritius and Dependencies	1,665	6	908	3,246	2,919	7,514
Nigeria	4,672	1,037	2,461	34,752	35,383	13,703
Republic of South Africa	4,196	5,196	2,785	24,922	33,975	35,370
Rhodesia	-	-	-	1,175	4	2
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	66	3	-
Tanzania	749	492	40	6,113	6,061	3,842
Uganda	422	411	57	5,618	8,674	9,122
Zambia	-	3	1	8	21	3
British Africa n.e.s.	6	-	-	7	3	11
Algeria	3	17	1	47	245	139
Angola	24	517	23	2,715	4,965	6,159
Cameroun Republic	-	9	1	53	104	107
Congo - Kinshasa	46	42	524	1,008	1,045	931
Dahomey	-	-	-	-	5	28
French Africa n.e.s.	-	-	-	201	31	650
Gabon Republic	11	37	-	1,057	317	48
Guinea, Republic of	-	-	-	2,088	2,265	1,075
Ivory Coast	152	106	6	581	699	426
Liberia	3	11	20	63	364	746
Malagasy Republic	63	-	-	538	250	51
Mauritania	-	-	-	-	12	-
Morocco	371	14	38	1,400	2,419	931
Mozambique	30	48	45	491	689	653
Portuguese Africa n.e.s.	-	-	-	-	-	1
Senegal	-	-	-	340	13	14
Spanish Africa	2	-	-	2	4	1
Togo	-	-	-	-	1	-
Tunisia	-	68	-	10	276	183
Commonwealth and Preferential	13,427	9,568	6,674	93,530	101,928	84,995
Others	706	869	657	10,593	13,705	12,143
Total, Other Africa	14,133	10,437	7,331	104,124	115,633	97,138
OTHER ASIA:						
Ceylon	679	808	1,092	9,278	11,064	8,655
Hong Kong	3,749	4,318	6,130	35,775	47,637	53,331
India	2,286	4,694	6,699	35,300	37,535	35,355
Malaysia	4,512	3,811	3,434	27,651	21,169	24,454
Pakistan	162	247	483	3,914	3,809	3,667
Singapore	2,065	2,166	2,305	11,831	10,519	14,185
Afghanistan	-	-	1	15	-	2
Burma	8	7	-	97	98	76
Cambodia and Laos	-	-	-	-	3	-
China, Communist	2,134	754	1,959	19,288	23,702	22,167
Indonesia	101	222	18	1,107	1,031	425
Japan	23,769	28,569	36,739	232,138	280,310	323,455
Korea, North	-	-	-	-	2	1
Korea, South	159	241	985	1,733	3,983	10,479
Philippines	386	322	304	3,073	2,907	2,441
Portuguese Asia	2	-	-	33	27	24
Taiwan	1,534	2,999	3,656	11,813	21,949	31,301
Thailand	616	1,013	177	1,870	4,849	1,935
Viet-Nam	-	-	-	1	1	1
Commonwealth and Preferential	13,453	16,044	20,144	123,747	131,733	139,647
Others	28,709	34,127	43,839	271,168	338,862	392,305
Total, Other Asia	42,162	50,171	63,983	394,915	470,595	531,952

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Concluded

Country	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
OCEANIA:						
Australia	8,288	5,933	8,031	54,066	58,260	69,549
Fiji	1	3	196	2,721	2,718	3,246
New Zealand	1,314	1,564	1,947	14,139	15,010	17,173
British Oceania n.e.s.	-	-	1	-	3	2
French Oceania	-	-	1,080	5,811	5,119	6,906
United States Oceania	10	16	19	86	128	102
Commonwealth and Preferential	9,603	7,499	10,175	70,926	75,989	89,970
Others	11	16	1,099	5,897	5,248	7,008
Total, Oceania	9,614	7,516	11,273	76,823	81,237	96,979
SOUTH AMERICA:						
Guyana	3,801	2,716	4,199	25,340	26,969	26,938
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	2	5
Argentina	753	373	764	4,340	4,779	5,163
Bolivia	61	-	3	164	17	37
Brazil	4,792	3,133	2,947	32,064	28,449	34,767
Chile	35	41	25	1,856	1,712	2,029
Colombia	771	673	692	10,512	11,931	10,529
Ecuador	584	734	822	7,405	7,738	8,099
French Guiana	-	6	-	18	138	18
Paraguay	103	16	144	428	659	324
Peru	463	200	405	3,429	1,859	2,705
Surinam	647	440	535	7,504	7,917	6,533
Uruguay	15	47	129	432	372	513
Venezuela	16,766	29,067	36,329	195,886	252,106	325,466
Commonwealth and Preferential	3,801	2,716	4,199	25,340	26,971	26,943
Others	24,991	34,731	42,795	264,039	317,676	396,183
Total, South America	28,792	37,447	46,994	289,379	344,647	423,126
CENTRAL AMERICA AND ANTILLES:						
Bahamas	112	232	466	1,026	1,943	2,735
Bermuda	31	26	3	711	308	465
British Honduras	263	289	576	1,474	1,919	2,436
Barbados	33	54	15	1,933	2,819	1,162
Jamaica	2,368	3,212	5,913	35,751	29,625	31,764
Leeward and Windward Islands	46	199	19	909	1,268	1,299
Trinidad and Tobago	1,727	100	484	15,139	16,583	18,349
Costa Rica	462	613	609	5,954	6,728	9,049
Cuba	145	965	789	5,443	6,235	4,638
Dominican Republic	10	3	9	1,136	955	909
El Salvador	231	9	368	1,696	1,759	3,109
French West Indies	-	1	1	48	30	4
Guatemala	177	220	291	2,308	2,189	2,869
Haiti, Republic of	32	85	282	848	869	1,087
Honduras, Republic of	912	1,072	927	10,778	10,881	9,720
Mexico	1,538	1,894	4,077	31,264	26,613	47,607
Netherlands Antilles	5,102	5,776	6,160	33,321	50,055	42,947
Nicaragua	52	207	64	398	1,733	2,161
Panama	1,415	1,274	669	14,281	13,498	11,225
Puerto Rico	872	399	78	4,120	5,754	2,414
United States Virgin Islands	-	1	-	4	4	-
Commonwealth and Preferential	4,580	4,112	7,476	56,942	54,466	58,210
Others	10,946	12,520	14,323	111,597	127,303	137,739
Total, Central America and Antilles	15,526	16,631	21,800	168,539	181,770	195,949
NORTH AMERICA:						
Greenland	16	-	113	16	256	113
St. Pierre and Miquelon	51	-	5	108	90	143
United States	664,081	706,217	831,177	6,490,083	7,380,990	8,263,226
Total, North America	664,149	706,217	831,294	6,490,207	7,381,336	8,263,483
Total, Commonwealth and Preferential	109,149	84,564	112,201	981,554	1,020,129	1,039,353
Total, Others	833,644	889,413	1,049,352	8,023,352	9,174,769	10,220,682
Total, Imports	942,793	973,977	1,161,553	9,004,906	10,194,898	11,260,036

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES

Commodity	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
I. LIVE ANIMALS	1,125	3,800	1,328	10,539	19,137	14,019
II. FOOD, FEED, BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	78,102	81,674	85,576	716,685	785,000	814,139
Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen.....	3,688	3,193	6,905	36,155	37,686	41,088
Other meat and meat preparations.....	2,158	1,765	2,345	16,732	20,863	18,614
Fish and marine animals.....	3,405	3,866	3,425	26,841	32,551	30,349
Dairy produce, eggs and honey.....	2,863	2,788	2,925	26,419	26,114	23,248
Indian corn, shelled.....	3,466	4,164	5,632	26,280	33,381	35,246
Other cereals and cereal preparations.....	3,164	2,688	3,480	27,176	30,632	32,067
Bananas and plantains, fresh.....	2,472	2,872	2,721	29,702	31,476	33,017
Grapes, fresh.....	2,865	3,480	2,239	19,696	22,656	23,293
Oranges, mandarines and tangerines, fresh.....	2,480	1,730	2,118	23,612	25,025	27,547
Other fresh fruits and berries.....	1,972	1,942	2,432	37,932	39,254	46,240
Fruits, dried or dehydrated.....	2,018	1,741	1,494	13,112	13,197	14,586
Orange juice and concentrates.....	1,646	1,886	1,765	15,079	15,897	19,009
Other fruit juices and concentrates.....	495	620	810	6,657	7,039	7,615
Fruits and products, canned.....	3,687	3,301	3,754	26,368	26,247	28,579
Other fruits and fruit preparations.....	1,235	1,099	1,300	10,114	9,688	10,284
Nuts, except oil nuts.....	2,297	2,626	2,900	14,221	15,033	17,246
Tomatoes, fresh.....	1,128	1,113	1,367	17,064	17,592	21,018
Other fresh vegetables.....	3,045	3,819	3,473	52,266	53,123	58,407
Other vegetables and vegetable preparations.....	4,657	4,475	4,342	22,198	28,135	25,823
Raw sugar.....	4,980	7,362	5,550	39,385	43,658	42,001
Refined sugar, molasses and syrups.....	525	831	1,208	5,602	8,304	7,761
Sugar preparations and confectionery.....	1,802	1,552	1,779	12,668	14,620	15,257
Cocoa and chocolate.....	1,887	2,428	2,720	17,575	22,061	25,663
Coffee.....	6,648	6,193	4,438	65,551	70,891	73,692
Tea.....	1,216	1,396	2,011	20,872	22,011	21,873
Other foods and materials for foods.....	4,103	3,777	4,029	36,439	38,222	38,215
Oil seed cake and meal.....	1,974	1,527	1,955	18,828	18,540	20,951
Other fodder and feed.....	512	531	637	5,192	5,121	6,503
Distilled alcoholic beverages.....	2,646	2,661	2,875	23,117	24,590	23,111
Other beverages.....	2,173	3,090	1,823	15,720	20,126	16,424
Tobacco.....	896	1,161	1,124	8,109	11,271	9,412
III. CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE	95,409	99,073	99,671	943,442	972,842	1,013,284
Fur skins, undressed.....	957	1,036	406	19,803	16,646	18,388
Other crude animal products.....	1,568	1,082	1,494	19,283	15,019	16,095
Soya beans.....	8,562	7,076	5,573	38,852	39,035	23,677
Other oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels.....	862	694	908	12,414	13,059	12,167
Rubber and allied gums, natural.....	3,898	2,138	2,286	23,818	18,291	15,912
Other crude vegetable products.....	1,474	1,453	1,686	19,457	20,661	21,292
Crude wood materials.....	1,401	1,539	1,769	22,717	25,362	26,817
Wool and fine animal hair.....	2,931	1,641	2,137	35,548	28,609	27,139
Cotton.....	3,985	5,260	3,715	45,826	57,598	50,681
Synthetic fibres.....	1,084	1,609	1,968	14,830	14,712	20,229
Other textile fibres.....	1,027	727	886	9,880	7,692	4,734
Iron ores and concentrates.....	4,225	2,550	4,184	54,575	32,624	31,761
Scrap iron and steel.....	1,625	1,236	1,349	19,732	13,610	12,671
Aluminum ores, concentrates and scrap.....	6,884	7,782	9,017	71,703	69,839	76,571
Other metals in ores, concentrates, scrap.....	3,098	7,674	6,824	43,344	48,818	84,168
Coal.....	16,804	18,930	14,098	132,014	133,463	146,641
Crude petroleum.....	26,806	29,187	34,608	274,583	329,789	343,638
Other crude bituminous substances.....	931	2,006	627	16,644	18,347	14,537
Abrasives, natural.....	846	656	772	9,026	8,917	8,443
Phosphate rock.....	1,681	1,136	1,021	18,526	19,169	16,754
Other crude non-metallic minerals.....	3,716	3,022	3,483	31,029	32,938	32,446
Other waste and scrap materials.....	1,043	640	858	9,840	8,643	8,524

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Continued

Commodity	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
IV. FABRICATED MATERIALS, INEDIBLE	210,852	197,973	234,974	2,054,705	2,125,101	2,213,598
Leather and leather fabricated materials	1,683	2,051	2,761	18,739	18,334	26,416
Rubber fabricated materials	3,191	3,449	4,502	31,317	34,869	39,741
Lumber	3,531	3,501	3,718	35,271	36,954	41,146
Veneer, plywood and wood building boards	3,127	4,007	4,122	21,064	27,147	29,452
Other wood fabricated materials	1,073	1,056	1,344	11,711	12,915	14,305
Wood pulp and similar pulp	647	690	569	8,528	5,756	6,612
Paper and paperboard	5,779	5,187	7,233	56,935	59,725	64,152
Cotton yarn and thread	1,553	966	1,258	14,618	14,612	13,861
Synthetic fibre yarn and thread	1,635	1,500	2,422	16,736	18,900	24,674
Other yarn and thread	1,411	1,441	1,403	14,013	15,321	16,269
Cordage, twine and rope	307	230	296	9,107	10,095	8,068
Broad woven fabrics, wool and hair	1,905	1,480	1,823	23,067	24,208	23,685
Broad woven fabrics, cotton	7,679	4,935	5,354	74,504	70,129	51,780
Broad woven fabrics, synthetic	2,171	2,172	2,792	22,354	26,497	27,359
Broad woven fabrics, mixed fibres	3,647	3,080	4,930	33,100	35,243	42,507
Other broad woven fabrics	1,666	2,429	5,023	25,590	24,083	22,597
Coated or impregnated fabrics	1,985	2,164	2,733	19,351	23,135	32,924
Other textile fabricated materials	4,062	3,415	5,240	42,538	40,572	45,684
Vegetable oils and fats, except essential oils	4,667	5,251	4,953	33,468	26,275	25,497
Other oils, fats, waxes, extracts, derivatives	2,287	2,205	2,153	22,876	22,905	22,561
Inorganic chemicals	6,447	5,244	6,291	59,263	59,901	60,722
Organic chemicals	11,278	10,459	12,525	98,023	106,746	116,620
Fertilizers and fertilizer materials	2,234	1,219	592	14,999	13,675	11,018
Synthetic and reclaimed rubber	2,855	3,137	2,803	26,356	28,020	26,751
Plastics materials, not shaped	6,872	6,715	9,641	68,464	74,863	89,045
Plastic film and sheet	3,493	3,096	3,573	33,081	36,230	40,810
Other plastics basic shapes and forms	1,965	2,217	2,872	21,984	25,825	26,742
Dyestuffs, except dyeing extracts	1,501	1,583	1,709	17,237	19,375	19,347
Pigments, lakes and toners	1,271	1,495	1,617	13,271	15,817	16,207
Paints and related products	920	1,020	1,004	10,177	11,539	12,067
Other chemical products	7,380	6,691	8,021	81,191	93,398	103,920
Fuel oil	11,302	13,055	13,976	89,966	102,186	123,828
Lubricating oils and greases	2,528	1,574	1,618	21,386	19,995	21,096
Coke of petroleum and coal	1,999	1,631	1,075	19,213	17,734	13,909
Other petroleum and coal products	3,341	2,702	3,496	25,996	34,076	31,225
Bars and rods, steel	4,827	4,841	5,815	40,664	40,043	37,064
Plate, sheet and strip, steel	10,704	9,541	9,422	106,700	109,252	94,438
Structural shapes and sheet piling, steel	4,523	3,435	6,209	40,903	38,481	33,365
Pipes and tubes, iron and steel	3,928	5,704	4,488	52,237	59,722	52,230
Wire and wire rope, steel	2,049	1,570	2,365	20,066	17,209	18,527
Other iron and steel and alloys	6,564	5,595	6,933	58,816	55,278	59,142
Aluminum, including alloys	6,458	7,795	8,382	65,900	77,695	82,379
Copper and alloys	1,878	1,008	2,059	23,751	18,082	18,455
Nickel and alloys	3,294	1,853	2,928	56,048	28,716	33,467
Precious metals, including alloys	3,454	1,465	5,275	38,664	22,848	50,099
Tin, including alloys	2,777	3,004	1,941	15,950	16,313	14,131
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	1,918	2,233	2,105	20,817	23,623	22,658
Bolts, nuts and screws	3,267	3,852	4,753	29,090	37,397	42,183
Other basic hardware	4,423	5,031	6,147	41,326	52,223	58,995
Chain	1,122	1,165	860	12,620	12,446	11,178
Valves	2,834	2,632	2,580	31,452	33,942	28,932
Pipe fittings	2,439	2,335	2,401	23,839	27,764	25,152
Other metal fabricated basic products	5,382	4,387	5,209	49,275	52,553	52,363
Clay bricks, clay tiles and refractories	3,984	2,748	3,384	36,533	32,917	31,353
Sheet and plate glass	3,141	2,557	2,143	32,462	28,582	18,971
Other glass basic products	2,673	2,827	2,064	21,506	25,103	22,936
Abrasive basic products	1,282	1,191	1,609	14,526	14,284	15,600
Natural and synthetic gem stones	1,211	1,079	1,829	13,941	14,875	16,019
Other non-metallic mineral basic products	2,120	1,816	2,399	21,041	23,012	23,505
Electricity	931	877	1,530	8,936	9,217	10,225
Other fabricated materials, inedible	4,274	4,386	4,705	42,151	46,470	47,591

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Continued

Commodity	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
V. END PRODUCTS, INEDIBLE	527,313	570,467	712,527	4,983,424	6,043,275	6,969,028
A. MACHINERY	138,131	106,394	118,304	1,460,751	1,468,976	1,412,036
Engines and turbines, diesel, general purpose	2,629	1,808	2,955	22,688	22,905	25,917
Engines and turbines, general purpose n.e.s.	4,683	2,767	3,745	34,953	37,009	44,007
Electric generators and motors	6,213	3,837	4,932	47,831	51,848	45,413
Bearings	5,049	5,182	4,343	50,447	54,107	49,835
Other mechanical power transmission equipment	4,075	3,731	3,548	41,162	46,286	42,241
Compressors, blowers and vacuum pumps	3,160	3,384	2,617	33,883	37,664	33,249
Pumps, except oil well pumps	2,150	1,819	1,803	19,420	21,549	22,810
Packaging machinery	2,223	1,713	2,113	23,304	21,962	27,008
Other general purpose industrial machinery	6,010	5,139	5,876	61,834	62,558	63,704
Cranes, derricks and hoists	3,669	2,234	3,255	38,599	36,229	36,416
Industrial lift trucks, powered	1,783	2,312	2,396	21,157	22,259	21,643
Other materials handling machinery, equipment	3,584	2,940	2,610	29,791	33,461	31,114
Drilling machinery and drill bits	4,691	3,369	5,083	39,992	36,523	53,110
Power shovels	1,855	2,045	1,280	24,272	23,476	23,457
Bulldozing and similar equipment	1,985	1,042	2,708	35,507	30,103	25,092
Front end loaders	3,596	2,478	4,882	42,668	39,956	43,920
Other excavating machinery	1,480	1,533	1,620	33,828	26,784	25,567
Mining, oil and gas machinery	4,349	2,964	3,527	42,691	42,376	42,309
Construction and maintenance machinery	3,143	1,916	2,858	37,156	35,777	38,488
Machine tools, metalworking	11,650	6,930	6,192	88,631	96,197	75,795
Welding apparatus and equipment	1,340	756	1,224	13,740	12,879	11,576
Rolling mill machinery	2,617	1,295	1,010	18,507	12,701	13,947
Other metalworking machinery	4,528	3,807	3,533	48,068	52,702	49,629
Pulp and paper industries machinery	5,026	3,606	2,752	33,555	37,480	32,064
Printing presses	1,472	1,489	1,498	13,546	18,837	21,089
Other printing machinery and equipment	1,636	1,783	1,652	16,079	19,344	19,365
Spinning, weaving and knitting machinery	2,542	1,659	2,176	28,439	18,628	24,795
Other textile industries machinery	2,062	1,732	2,553	25,849	20,853	22,143
Food, beverages and tobacco machinery	2,660	2,323	1,844	24,798	30,395	24,461
Plastics and chemical industry machinery	2,001	1,521	3,811	32,984	24,805	42,194
Other special industry machinery	4,389	3,406	5,685	46,436	47,918	48,880
Soil preparation, seeding, fertilizing machinery	2,499	2,699	1,665	31,403	38,690	34,304
Combine reaper-threshers	4,229	935	1,067	59,520	48,743	32,420
Other haying and harvesting machinery	2,349	1,914	1,708	40,010	43,472	33,642
Other agricultural machinery and equipment	3,540	3,711	4,811	40,882	43,892	45,990
Wheel tractors, new	10,223	8,387	4,692	126,961	125,435	95,563
Track-laying tractors and used tractors	809	666	2,000	19,252	18,191	19,291
Tractor engines and tractor parts	6,232	5,561	6,276	70,904	74,980	69,590
B. TRANSPORTATION & COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	226,932	291,919	397,997	1,950,849	2,678,056	3,533,583
Railway and street railway rolling stock	2,668	2,485	1,810	28,543	32,319	19,830
Convertible automobiles, soft top, new	3,961	4,805	4,724	29,556	44,554	54,167
Closed sedans, new	59,369	77,974	89,407	281,249	609,326	850,334
Other passenger automobiles and chassis	3,579	4,031	5,113	25,076	36,420	59,075
Trucks, truck tractors and chassis	5,760	5,411	13,564	63,325	111,539	151,202
Other motor vehicles	2,726	3,939	7,899	48,811	50,800	68,022
Motor vehicle engines	11,592	14,906	30,544	97,797	127,632	220,967
Motor vehicle engine parts	7,915	7,895	10,610	83,235	82,424	100,852
Motor vehicle parts, except engines	78,060	106,744	151,443	760,257	901,731	1,221,067
Marine engines and parts	2,572	3,042	4,325	30,444	35,254	32,899
Ships, boats and parts, except engines	1,240	1,150	1,680	37,556	22,672	23,051
Aircraft, complete with engines	2,933	15,251	22,549	71,557	133,494	210,936
Aircraft engines and parts	6,217	7,781	8,304	64,914	96,600	80,555
Aircraft parts, except engines	7,563	8,449	10,828	73,861	102,553	107,263
Other transportation equipment	1,890	2,159	3,820	21,262	24,228	48,825
Telephone and telegraph equipment	3,122	2,624	2,794	26,883	32,081	29,951
Television and radio sets and phonographs	6,713	6,789	9,240	36,918	51,415	61,183
Electronic tubes and semi-conductors	5,544	3,354	4,252	42,440	39,857	42,672
Other communication and related equipment	13,509	13,129	15,093	127,166	143,157	150,731

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Concluded

Commodity	November			January to November		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
C. OTHER EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS	82,196	85,552	96,892	784,382	928,702	962,858
Air conditioning and refrigeration equipment	4,668	6,127	7,553	54,689	67,640	80,133
Electric lighting fixtures and portable lamps	3,085	3,816	4,433	29,488	38,240	38,884
Switchgear and protective equipment	1,478	1,560	1,532	18,387	22,357	14,420
Industrial control equipment	2,146	2,154	2,861	20,464	24,739	28,158
Other electric lighting, distribution equipment	3,774	3,728	3,746	40,914	43,533	42,557
Auxiliary electric equipment for engines	3,284	4,843	5,589	30,824	41,936	50,593
Electrical properties measuring instruments	2,238	1,935	2,627	20,594	23,364	30,107
Miscellaneous measuring, controlling instruments	3,731	4,533	3,235	39,854	46,249	40,442
Medical and related equipment	3,178	3,390	4,273	31,377	38,720	42,368
Navigation equipment	1,871	2,089	1,122	20,958	19,423	16,187
Other measuring, laboratory equipment, etc.	8,605	9,555	12,954	85,468	104,842	116,548
Safety and sanitation equipment	2,679	1,701	2,147	23,187	27,276	21,562
Service industry equipment	2,333	2,276	2,734	24,843	28,703	32,400
Furniture and fixtures	2,690	2,850	2,968	26,268	30,651	34,000
Hand tools and cutlery	5,392	4,919	5,780	53,319	59,456	59,412
Electronic computers	11,726	10,354	9,195	83,436	108,378	100,051
Other office machines and equipment	7,683	7,060	9,110	71,077	83,530	83,865
Miscellaneous equipment and tools	11,635	12,662	15,035	109,234	119,668	131,170
D. PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS	33,489	33,947	43,248	316,849	390,209	441,823
Outerwear, except knitted	3,147	3,632	5,331	38,226	49,653	64,839
Outerwear, knitted	2,561	2,116	3,578	24,744	31,755	42,377
Other apparel and apparel accessories	3,246	2,690	3,959	30,993	34,432	39,540
Footwear	2,875	3,136	3,821	32,055	39,548	50,805
Watches, clocks, jewellery and silverware	3,102	3,356	3,527	25,658	33,372	30,805
Sporting and recreation equipment	2,067	1,879	2,450	18,098	22,172	25,908
Games, toys and children's vehicles	2,326	2,457	3,510	21,729	25,472	29,098
House furnishings	4,102	4,169	4,774	37,648	45,401	46,641
Kitchen utensils, cutlery and tableware	5,232	4,881	5,622	44,467	53,491	51,045
Other personal and household goods	4,831	5,630	6,676	43,232	54,913	60,763
E. MISCELLANEOUS END PRODUCTS	46,566	52,655	56,087	470,593	577,332	618,727
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	4,228	3,986	5,484	40,723	48,180	48,893
Medical, ophthalmic, orthopaedic supplies	1,797	2,378	2,530	19,749	22,867	25,738
Newspapers, magazines and periodicals	4,641	4,987	5,012	46,806	53,181	53,915
Books and pamphlets	6,913	7,550	8,565	72,521	90,299	97,794
Other printed matter	2,796	3,683	3,641	29,776	33,143	37,836
Stationers' and office supplies	2,083	2,566	2,698	22,907	28,363	30,356
Unexposed photographic film and plates	2,590	2,461	3,351	30,653	35,340	36,687
Other photographic goods	6,931	9,475	7,919	62,503	87,996	86,013
Containers and closures	5,581	5,251	4,880	52,592	56,210	54,166
Other end products, inedible	9,006	10,318	12,008	92,364	121,753	147,329
VI. SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS—TRADE	29,992	20,990	27,478	296,111	249,542	235,968
Shipments valued at less than \$200 each	23,259	14,997	16,891	236,988	180,431	152,142
Other special transactions—trade	6,733	5,993	10,587	59,123	69,111	83,826

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	133.4	135.7	245.9	306.8	318.5
February	132.6	133.5	137.1	230.8	262.8	320.7
March	132.7	133.4	136.8	286.8	292.4	302.4
April	133.5	133.9	136.7	265.9	332.8	364.3
May	132.7	133.3	136.0	315.6	357.3	382.5
June	132.5	133.4	136.5	311.6	323.4	329.8
July	132.6	133.1	135.8	254.7	382.9	329.3
August	132.8	133.2	135.5	279.0	289.6	295.6
September	132.8	132.9	135.7	277.2	299.4	348.0
October	133.0	133.6	135.9	316.9	317.2	408.4
November	133.6	133.4	137.0 ^P	323.4	334.6	388.6 ^P
December	133.9	133.3		294.9	304.5	
Annual index	132.5	133.3		284.4	317.5	

^P Preliminary figures.^F Revised figures.