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TABLE 1. IMPORTS BY SECTIONS FROM PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES

Section	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
thousands of dollars						
ALL COUNTRIES:						
Live animals	670	1,167	1,068	7,094	10,759	9,079
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	62,779	100,757	81,292	426,114	495,667	494,817
Crude materials, inedible	85,806	129,513	82,777	560,420	594,481	605,317
Fabricated materials, inedible	180,976	239,849	203,168	1,269,964	1,380,685	1,362,706
End products, inedible	382,350	615,357	587,422	3,083,330	3,939,251	4,369,481
Special transactions - trade	24,161	25,165	20,001	184,043	165,954	142,027
Total	736,742	1,111,809	975,729	5,530,964	6,586,797	6,983,427
UNITED KINGDOM:						
Live animals	13	21	2	102	98	41
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	2,449	4,483	3,690	21,664	24,091	23,803
Crude materials, inedible	3,226	3,091	1,816	19,737	19,153	18,402
Fabricated materials, inedible	14,282	22,132	13,894	99,130	113,695	103,860
End products, inedible	27,812	53,791	33,810	217,364	264,926	242,421
Special transactions - trade	934	999	648	7,415	6,192	5,635
Total	48,715	84,517	53,860	365,413	428,155	394,162
UNITED STATES:						
Live animals	651	1,064	1,035	6,717	9,877	8,498
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	33,745	47,649	41,794	226,318	249,059	256,259
Crude materials, inedible	49,255	53,933	33,271	263,847	267,120	267,257
Fabricated materials, inedible	112,179	132,232	128,688	874,680	900,998	917,146
End products, inedible	299,283	459,849	473,166	2,519,029	3,197,979	3,617,960
Special transactions - trade	20,989	21,336	17,141	161,854	145,264	123,753
Total	516,103	716,063	695,096	4,052,444	4,770,297	5,190,873
OTHER COUNTRIES:						
Live animals	6	82	31	275	784	540
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	26,585	48,625	35,808	178,132	222,517	214,755
Crude materials, inedible	33,325	72,489	47,690	276,836	308,208	319,658
Fabricated materials, inedible	54,515	85,485	60,586	296,154	365,992	341,700
End products, inedible	55,255	101,717	80,446	346,937	476,346	509,100
Special transactions - trade	2,238	2,830	2,212	14,774	14,498	12,639
Total	171,924	311,229	226,773	1,113,107	1,388,345	1,398,392

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

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES

Country	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
thousands of dollars						
WESTERN EUROPE:						
United Kingdom	48,715	84,517	53,860	368,413	428,153	394,163
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	447	877	955	3,026	4,497	5,018
Malta and Gozo	101	146	20	268	480	346
Austria	1,188	2,030	2,957	6,617	8,498	11,853
Belgium and Luxembourg	4,487	8,827	4,749	30,272	39,942	28,494
Denmark	1,843	3,522	2,371	12,061	15,547	14,165
Finland	423	247	381	1,977	1,480	2,300
France	7,786	17,246	9,724	53,013	73,604	64,434
Germany, Federal Republic	20,107	29,491	25,057	124,282	146,252	160,368
Greece	143	545	290	809	1,997	1,947
Iceland	-	-	-	30	445	8
Italy	8,222	13,795	8,794	46,242	65,388	61,286
Netherlands	4,401	7,207	5,463	30,589	36,639	37,351
Norway	2,258	3,867	3,035	20,640	20,843	21,631
Portugal	916	1,036	638	5,816	7,757	6,658
Spain	959	2,379	2,212	5,721	9,816	11,944
Sweden	5,254	9,628	6,699	42,672	46,201	42,744
Switzerland	3,617	11,053	4,553	26,437	43,544	33,174
Commonwealth and Preferential	49,263	85,541	54,835	368,707	433,132	399,526
European Common Market	45,002	76,566	53,787	284,398	361,825	351,933
Others	16,601	34,307	23,137	122,779	156,129	146,425
Total, Western Europe	110,866	196,414	131,759	775,883	951,086	897,884
EASTERN EUROPE:						
Albania	-	-	-	-	4	-
Bulgaria	60	129	154	447	832	922
Czechoslovakia	2,075	4,642	2,172	10,409	18,155	15,342
Germany, East	199	656	285	901	1,943	1,594
Hungary	244	902	616	1,539	3,666	4,395
Poland	775	2,818	1,431	5,815	9,646	7,303
Roumania	39	162	81	180	731	450
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	3,136	3,018	541	7,082	12,254	12,677
Yugoslavia	286	651	315	820	2,154	2,200
Total, Eastern Europe	6,814	12,978	5,596	27,193	49,385	44,892
MIDDLE EAST:						
Aden	-	7	-	26	11	14
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	5
Cyprus	4	34	4	24	134	65
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trucial States	-	1	1,037	-	1	2,434
Ethiopia	-	5	-	34	52	63
Iran	2,981	5,946	1,513	19,515	23,866	21,319
Iraq	662	2,178	-	8,213	9,001	487
Israel	396	1,136	539	3,768	5,277	7,564
Jordan	2	3	-	4	20	2
Kuwait	-	1,344	769	2,982	2,287	769
Lebanon	-	13	30	28	83	96
Libya	1,344	528	-	3,738	10,141	-
Saudi Arabia	2,741	3,748	3,051	18,577	24,008	23,139
Somalia	-	-	-	24	-	-
Sudan	4	20	18	22	69	91
Syria	37	-	-	172	26	3
Turkey	131	137	164	465	826	1,155
United Arab Republic-Egypt	31	24	14	242	219	98
Commonwealth and Preferential	4	42	1,040	50	145	2,519
Others	8,330	15,084	6,097	57,786	75,876	54,785
Total, Middle East	8,333	15,127	7,137	57,836	76,021	57,304

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Continued

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Country	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
OTHER AFRICA:						
Gambia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	1,067	1,327	1,184	6,038	4,310	8,106
Kenya	486	998	873	3,966	4,046	2,484
Malawi	81	99	157	465	315	595
Mauritius and Dependencies	-	-	800	1,329	2,291	3,970
Nigeria	1,512	7,156	2,102	15,959	27,347	8,704
Republic of South Africa	3,498	5,908	3,961	12,331	18,675	17,691
Rhodesia	-	-	-	1,174	3	1
Sierra Leone	55	-	-	63	3	-
Tanzania	190	933	491	3,343	4,455	3,147
Uganda	345	1,621	829	3,503	6,751	3,461
Zambia	-	-	-	-	16	-
British Africa n.e.s.	-	-	1	1	1	4
Algeria	15	19	41	27	173	109
Angola	103	304	1,340	1,333	3,528	4,402
Cameroun Republic	-	-	49	28	87	65
Congo—Kinshasa	44	612	31	375	902	182
Dahomey	-	5	-	-	5	28
French Africa n.e.s.	-	-	5	16	31	634
Gabon Republic	770	65	-	770	244	33
Guinea, Republic of	1,065	-	-	2,087	2,264	1,075
Ivory Coast	30	225	58	256	359	214
Liberia	10	170	217	56	354	401
Malagasy Republic	-	23	4	300	224	19
Mauritania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	190	372	239	484	1,098	801
Mozambique	27	289	92	251	454	403
Portuguese Africa n.e.s.	-	-	-	-	-	1
Senegal	-	1	9	193	11	12
Spanish Africa	-	-	-	-	4	1
Togo	-	-	-	-	1	-
Tunisia	-	48	-	2	132	178
Commonwealth and Preferential	7,234	18,043	10,399	48,172	68,213	48,163
Others	2,252	2,132	2,085	6,177	9,872	8,559
Total, Other Africa	9,486	20,175	12,483	54,349	78,085	56,722
OTHER ASIA:						
Ceylon	932	1,791	1,486	5,796	6,803	5,811
Hong Kong	3,700	7,382	5,500	20,010	30,766	31,381
India	4,696	5,424	2,780	20,627	22,496	20,018
Malaysia	2,834	1,835	2,226	16,224	11,418	12,746
Pakistan	586	421	363	2,503	2,365	1,639
Singapore	701	1,051	1,039	6,733	5,501	8,352
Afghanistan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	-	5	7	43	83	76
Cambodia and Laos	-	-	-	-	-	-
China, Communist	1,408	3,953	1,897	12,329	17,368	12,614
Indonesia	64	171	151	767	523	307
Japan	23,248	36,816	32,145	139,385	177,426	185,900
Korea, North	-	1	-	-	1	-
Korea, South	363	799	1,649	1,121	1,849	5,721
Philippines	248	483	221	1,474	1,776	1,069
Portuguese Asia	1	4	-	17	27	12
Taiwan	1,383	3,151	4,066	6,108	11,866	17,101
Thailand	273	1,113	59	864	2,506	1,552
Viet-Nam	-	-	-	-	1	-
Commonwealth and Preferential	13,450	17,903	13,394	71,892	79,349	79,946
Others	26,988	46,496	40,195	162,109	213,426	224,351
Total, Other Asia	40,437	64,400	53,589	234,001	292,775	304,297

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Concluded

Country	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
thousands of dollars						
OCEANIA:						
Australia	7,399	8,107	7,422	26,412	34,990	38,750
Fiji	-	2	10	1,841	1,372	2,074
New Zealand	699	3,203	1,988	8,332	11,020	9,678
British Oceania n.e.s.	-	2	-	-	2	1
French Oceania	1,408	764	2	4,806	3,180	4,108
United States Oceania	13	29	4	17	83	63
Commonwealth and Preferential	8,098	11,314	9,420	36,585	47,385	50,503
Others	1,420	793	6	4,822	3,263	4,171
Total, Oceania	9,519	12,106	9,426	41,407	50,648	54,674
SOUTH AMERICA:						
Guyana	2,159	2,350	3,674	12,615	13,060	13,268
Falkland Islands	-	-	5	-	-	5
Argentina	393	462	324	2,278	2,815	3,022
Bolivia	29	1	-	42	7	27
Brazil	3,028	3,363	3,549	20,024	18,476	21,447
Chile	38	77	176	1,346	1,304	1,757
Colombia	760	1,868	740	6,954	8,891	6,838
Ecuador	703	758	807	4,735	4,681	5,062
French Guiana	-	16	-	4	43	18
Paraguay	-	148	57	93	419	151
Peru	219	275	234	2,640	1,190	1,517
Surinam	491	291	1,038	4,850	5,441	4,044
Uruguay	16	74	21	209	202	211
Venezuela	11,207	43,640	34,166	127,629	146,322	198,568
Commonwealth and Preferential	2,159	2,350	3,679	12,615	13,060	13,274
Others	16,884	50,972	41,112	170,805	189,791	242,660
Total, South America	19,043	53,322	44,791	183,420	202,851	255,934
CENTRAL AMERICA AND ANTILLES:						
Bahamas	53	295	468	510	1,257	1,385
Bermuda	2	6	50	417	209	289
British Honduras	39	45	324	628	690	1,501
Barbados	49	484	24	1,217	1,913	599
Jamaica	4,219	2,997	2,381	22,157	17,219	15,621
Leeward and Windward Islands	73	168	71	770	425	696
Trinidad and Tobago	901	3,811	1,678	8,672	11,714	11,888
Costa Rica	665	708	815	3,999	4,286	5,361
Cuba	547	1,551	451	3,130	4,201	2,717
Dominican Republic	536	317	-	795	898	574
El Salvador	9	128	-	712	1,736	1,893
French West Indies	-	1	-	47	3	2
Guatemala	140	101	112	1,883	1,863	1,165
Haiti, Republic of	81	73	66	665	665	554
Honduras, Republic of	905	1,175	824	7,233	6,733	5,892
Mexico	2,022	2,132	2,818	25,956	20,625	34,152
Netherlands Antilles	4,510	4,772	4,387	15,717	28,843	24,695
Nicaragua	27	241	248	204	1,220	1,899
Panama	1,236	1,713	1,024	8,310	8,303	8,385
Puerto Rico	122	451	108	1,374	2,764	1,458
United States Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commonwealth and Preferential	5,336	7,807	4,997	34,372	33,426	31,979
Others	10,799	13,362	10,854	70,024	82,140	88,748
Total, Central America and Antilles	16,135	21,169	15,851	104,396	115,567	120,727
NORTH AMERICA:						
Greenland	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	6	54	-	35	83	120
United States	516,103	716,063	695,096	4,052,444	4,770,297	5,190,873
Total, North America	516,108	716,118	695,096	4,052,480	4,770,380	5,190,993
Total, Commonwealth and Preferential	85,545	142,999	97,764	752,393	674,710	625,910
Total, Others	651,198	968,809	877,965	4,958,572	5,912,086	6,357,517
Total, Imports	736,742	1,111,809	975,729	5,530,964	6,586,797	6,983,427

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES

Commodity	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
I. LIVE ANIMALS	670	1,167	1,068	7,094	10,759	9,079
II. FOOD, FEED, BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	62,779	100,757	81,292	426,114	495,667	494,817
Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen.....	3,246	4,372	3,904	21,215	26,392	19,978
Other meat and meat preparations	1,530	2,327	1,896	9,148	13,171	10,935
Fish and marine animals	2,201	3,727	2,945	13,980	19,352	17,046
Dairy produce, eggs and honey	1,286	2,795	1,907	14,786	18,050	14,244
Indian corn, shelled	2,492	5,219	2,379	16,004	17,811	15,988
Other cereals and cereal preparations	2,207	3,216	2,432	16,029	19,547	19,568
Bananas and plantains, fresh	2,644	3,420	3,451	19,213	19,429	20,971
Grapes, fresh	1,348	1,535	2,371	6,017	6,534	6,256
Oranges, mandarines and tangerines, fresh	1,654	3,097	1,973	16,276	18,331	19,801
Other fresh fruits and berries	6,600	8,576	8,851	24,829	25,858	31,738
Fruits, dried or dehydrated.....	878	1,467	1,580	5,759	6,843	6,888
Orange juice and concentrates	1,396	1,696	1,434	9,539	10,182	11,782
Other fruit juices and concentrates	679	727	780	4,506	4,526	4,765
Fruits and products, canned	3,148	3,146	2,425	14,400	15,686	15,508
Other fruits and fruit preparations	647	1,314	827	5,100	6,241	5,414
Nuts, except oil nuts	894	1,035	1,316	8,278	8,699	9,930
Tomatoes, fresh	2,310	2,777	2,822	13,561	14,161	16,617
Other fresh vegetables	5,357	8,161	6,363	42,513	43,714	49,279
Other vegetables and vegetable preparations.....	991	1,763	2,088	11,908	15,664	14,849
Raw sugar	4,201	5,320	3,344	21,669	23,110	22,720
Refined sugar, molasses and syrups	494	1,484	628	2,998	5,831	4,372
Sugar preparations and confectionery	1,034	1,625	1,005	7,013	9,154	8,639
Cocoa and chocolate	1,255	3,941	2,728	8,434	13,683	16,956
Coffee	4,754	9,832	7,770	42,212	49,009	48,137
Tea	1,743	3,359	2,747	13,197	14,626	13,999
Other foods and materials for foods	2,260	4,610	3,620	21,780	25,160	24,414
Oil seed cake and meal	1,522	2,187	2,434	10,058	11,358	12,959
Other fodder and feed	509	500	598	3,038	2,752	3,730
Distilled alcoholic beverages	1,444	2,675	2,434	11,521	14,005	13,223
Other beverages	1,427	3,027	1,444	7,050	9,518	8,830
Tobacco	629	1,826	795	4,085	7,273	5,281
III. CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE	85,806	129,513	82,777	560,420	594,481	605,317
Fur skins, undressed	1,093	2,062	978	15,778	11,953	14,095
Other crude animal products	1,221	1,068	1,178	12,449	10,743	10,353
Soya beans	3,903	6,248	2,627	20,715	21,087	11,610
Other oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	516	886	1,036	9,995	10,134	8,263
Rubber and allied gums, natural	1,271	1,895	1,221	13,881	11,424	9,941
Other crude vegetable products.....	822	1,267	1,126	13,810	15,094	15,223
Crude wood materials	1,300	1,933	1,819	15,522	17,848	18,078
Wool and fine animal hair	4,057	3,380	2,434	22,941	19,565	18,342
Cotton	5,171	5,784	2,234	35,084	40,952	32,434
Synthetic fibres	1,456	1,589	1,419	9,820	9,292	12,937
Other textile fibres	500	359	244	6,475	5,631	2,847
Iron ores and concentrates	6,883	7,329	952	27,151	21,025	10,099
Scrap iron and steel	1,876	1,294	985	13,775	9,650	7,898
Aluminum ores, concentrates and scrap	7,419	6,734	7,720	40,978	38,858	42,158
Other metals in ores, concentrates, scrap	9,425	3,970	4,641	27,996	15,740	56,786
Coal	15,628	17,668	9,488	56,670	66,922	63,695
Crude petroleum	15,263	56,758	33,916	167,236	214,753	221,110
Other crude bituminous substances	793	1,964	1,773	9,336	11,878	10,141
Abrasives, natural	895	876	683	5,866	5,447	5,300
Phosphate rock	2,629	2,351	1,850	12,039	11,941	11,070
Other crude non-metallic minerals.....	2,835	3,309	3,584	16,826	18,979	17,832
Other waste and scrap materials	849	788	870	6,077	5,567	5,105

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Continued

Commodity	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
IV. FABRICATED MATERIALS, INEDIBLE	180,976	239,849	203,163	1,259,964	1,380,885	1,362,706
Leather and leather fabricated materials.....	1,628	1,990	2,311	11,979	11,595	16,701
Rubber fabricated materials.....	2,446	2,946	3,245	19,102	21,535	24,423
Lumber.....	3,059	3,796	3,606	21,334	22,939	25,741
Veneer, plywood and wood building boards.....	1,855	3,619	2,872	11,489	15,576	15,522
Other wood fabricated materials.....	987	1,326	1,416	7,270	8,330	8,919
Wood pulp and similar pulp.....	536	583	506	6,377	3,595	4,086
Paper and paperboard.....	4,821	6,213	5,544	35,649	39,023	38,789
Cotton yarn and thread.....	1,380	2,373	1,224	8,384	10,570	9,128
Synthetic fibre yarn and thread.....	1,640	2,691	2,388	10,384	12,298	14,720
Other yarn and thread.....	1,353	1,724	1,216	8,509	9,664	11,360
Cordage, twine and rope.....	1,081	1,012	608	7,378	8,958	6,933
Broad woven fabrics, wool and hair.....	2,190	4,437	2,379	14,714	17,216	15,391
Broad woven fabrics, cotton.....	7,189	9,561	4,248	43,332	51,017	33,229
Broad woven fabrics, synthetic.....	1,839	3,853	2,434	14,020	18,027	17,200
Broad woven fabrics, mixed fibres.....	2,855	4,579	3,990	19,935	23,678	25,615
Other broad woven fabrics.....	3,125	3,604	1,917	14,727	15,223	12,020
Coated or impregnated fabrics.....	1,743	2,344	3,533	11,529	13,621	19,773
Other textile fabricated materials.....	3,986	5,408	3,841	26,842	26,267	26,588
Vegetable oils and fats, except essential oils.....	3,378	3,328	1,992	21,264	14,163	13,994
Other oils, fats, waxes, extracts, derivatives.....	2,056	2,134	2,355	14,172	14,840	14,482
Inorganic chemicals.....	6,159	6,195	5,816	38,106	40,453	38,447
Organic chemicals.....	7,818	12,345	9,683	58,537	69,030	74,339
Fertilizers and fertilizer materials.....	662	262	451	5,893	8,541	7,402
Synthetic and reclaimed rubber.....	2,128	2,833	2,139	16,071	17,482	16,690
Plastics materials, not shaped.....	6,167	8,031	8,950	43,035	47,924	55,942
Plastic film and sheet.....	3,403	3,545	4,059	21,009	23,347	25,574
Other plastics basic shapes and forms.....	2,011	2,916	2,569	13,537	16,225	16,143
Dyestuffs, except dyeing extracts.....	1,566	3,129	2,144	10,942	13,415	12,520
Pigments, lakes and toners.....	1,184	1,529	1,487	8,775	9,981	10,373
Paints and related products.....	892	1,175	1,111	6,487	7,409	7,681
Other chemical products.....	6,160	8,370	9,289	54,276	64,651	73,181
Fuel oil.....	9,449	12,800	13,573	46,724	60,046	70,352
Lubricating oils and greases.....	1,574	3,389	2,381	12,639	12,570	13,738
Coke of petroleum and coal.....	1,621	1,073	1,283	11,197	11,961	7,641
Other petroleum and coal products.....	3,224	4,766	2,944	14,860	18,822	16,905
Bars and rods, steel.....	3,989	5,828	3,508	21,435	26,030	20,034
Plate, sheet and strip, steel.....	9,293	11,518	9,267	67,001	72,391	58,206
Structural shapes and sheet piling, steel.....	3,972	5,173	3,538	25,242	25,372	17,022
Pipes and tubes, iron and steel.....	4,342	7,544	4,910	35,204	40,878	32,528
Wire and wire rope, steel.....	1,488	1,824	1,519	12,666	11,232	11,830
Other iron and steel and alloys.....	7,098	6,254	5,940	38,304	35,631	33,776
Aluminum, including alloys.....	5,646	7,136	7,729	40,615	48,843	51,349
Copper and alloys.....	2,171	1,787	2,473	14,613	13,088	10,766
Nickel and alloys.....	1,966	2,860	2,654	45,731	18,626	19,970
Precious metals, including alloys.....	2,805	1,538	4,052	28,071	17,529	34,435
Tin, including alloys.....	1,681	2,222	1,062	10,308	9,617	8,292
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys.....	1,517	2,833	1,233	12,416	15,909	15,400
Bolts, nuts and screws.....	2,117	3,871	3,653	17,260	23,315	25,881
Other basic hardware.....	2,916	5,292	4,961	25,094	32,800	36,543
Chain.....	1,092	1,160	862	7,991	8,115	7,222
Valves.....	3,078	3,340	2,562	20,047	22,743	17,942
Pipe fittings.....	2,063	3,164	2,685	14,087	17,398	15,717
Other metal fabricated basic products.....	4,156	5,850	4,599	29,662	34,947	31,671
Clay bricks, clay tiles and refractories.....	3,447	3,122	3,086	21,424	22,862	19,239
Sheet and plate glass.....	2,700	2,706	1,758	18,458	19,053	11,065
Other glass basic products.....	1,736	2,371	1,995	12,393	15,214	14,411
Abrasive basic products.....	1,253	1,431	1,413	9,285	9,414	9,640
Natural and synthetic gem stones.....	855	2,115	1,518	8,193	9,414	9,261
Other non-metallic mineral basic products.....	2,012	3,006	2,400	12,611	14,867	13,893
Electricity.....	1,006	818	455	5,377	5,841	5,827
Other fabricated materials, inedible.....	3,413	5,205	3,829	25,997	29,564	29,336

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES - Continued

Commodity	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
V. END PRODUCTS, INEDIBLE	382,350	615,357	587,422	3,083,330	3,939,251	4,369,481
A. MACHINERY	127,791	159,449	134,436	936,602	1,025,484	945,223
Engines and turbines, diesel, general purpose	1,508	2,432	1,853	13,814	15,919	15,673
Engines and turbines, general purpose n.e.s.	2,532	3,615	3,719	20,707	25,941	28,184
Electric generators and motors	3,132	5,622	3,538	29,700	35,768	30,104
Bearings	4,217	5,503	4,278	32,658	34,235	31,724
Other mechanical power transmission equipment	3,652	4,389	3,568	25,296	31,928	28,559
Compressors, blowers and vacuum pumps	2,608	3,578	3,340	20,004	24,234	21,263
Pumps, except oil well pumps	1,459	2,446	2,086	12,003	14,191	14,887
Packaging machinery	1,844	2,654	2,077	15,433	14,892	19,267
Other general purpose industrial machinery	5,159	7,431	7,004	36,468	42,147	41,006
Cranes, derricks and hoists	2,985	3,872	4,482	24,905	23,327	22,628
Industrial lift trucks, powered	1,595	2,648	2,105	13,848	14,502	13,435
Other materials handling machinery, equipment	2,174	4,229	2,446	16,888	23,612	21,091
Drilling machinery and drill bits	2,734	2,834	5,034	25,247	22,394	31,344
Power shovels	2,180	1,969	2,175	17,596	13,924	16,358
Bulldozing and similar equipment	3,292	3,726	2,660	25,790	22,180	16,594
Front end loaders	3,465	4,990	5,412	28,557	26,364	28,371
Other excavating machinery	5,389	2,975	2,015	23,997	20,001	20,098
Mining, oil and gas machinery	3,360	5,323	4,189	25,883	27,970	28,649
Construction and maintenance machinery	3,745	3,883	3,807	24,456	25,179	26,442
Machine tools, metalworking	8,785	11,881	6,609	48,823	68,595	51,751
Welding apparatus and equipment	1,528	1,468	1,244	8,360	9,213	7,293
Rolling mill machinery	1,976	968	1,613	10,015	9,238	9,258
Other metalworking machinery	4,639	7,206	7,447	27,856	34,871	33,332
Pulp and paper industries machinery	2,491	4,825	3,475	19,374	24,637	22,569
Printing presses	1,552	2,521	2,039	7,998	13,267	12,407
Other printing machinery and equipment	1,372	2,288	1,658	10,252	12,907	12,985
Spinning, weaving and knitting machinery	2,172	1,704	2,082	19,607	12,336	14,323
Other textile industries machinery	2,798	2,357	2,066	16,701	14,047	13,306
Food, beverages and tobacco machinery	2,568	3,845	2,053	15,278	21,462	16,043
Plastics and chemical industry machinery	3,341	2,416	3,115	21,354	17,544	27,293
Other special industry machinery	3,679	5,493	4,727	27,661	32,350	30,292
Soil preparation, seeding, fertilizing machinery	1,460	2,195	1,618	22,989	29,697	27,680
Combine reaper-threshers	6,643	6,816	6,677	42,459	41,431	23,631
Other haying and harvesting machinery	3,634	3,700	3,313	30,771	35,673	25,785
Other agricultural machinery and equipment	3,810	4,410	4,466	26,516	28,952	29,902
Wheel tractors, new	9,580	11,721	5,678	87,177	95,041	73,738
Track-laying tractors and used tractors	2,334	2,357	2,064	14,764	14,126	12,869
Tractor engines and tractor parts	6,401	7,160	6,704	45,398	51,387	45,091
B. TRANSPORTATION & COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	121,716	242,795	272,485	1,203,429	1,697,620	2,178,642
Hailway and street railway rolling stock	1,961	3,712	1,473	18,073	22,661	13,591
Convertible automobiles, soft top, new	1,396	3,940	3,408	17,476	31,447	37,068
Closed sedans, new	12,938	46,297	47,229	126,066	398,787	564,609
Other passenger automobiles and chassis	1,338	3,563	4,330	14,597	24,283	41,216
Trucks, truck tractors and chassis	6,191	14,452	12,301	41,501	80,883	95,276
Other motor vehicles	3,065	4,224	6,955	36,090	34,589	38,825
Motor vehicle engines	7,678	9,587	17,679	58,772	77,134	126,595
Motor vehicle engine parts	5,134	6,957	6,071	53,393	52,776	61,865
Motor vehicle parts, except engines	45,066	65,788	102,097	486,608	555,234	721,074
Marine engines and parts	2,386	3,393	2,439	19,307	24,074	20,921
Ships, boats and parts, except engines	1,383	3,447	2,119	32,022	15,723	14,257
Aircraft, complete with engines	1,669	18,578	20,376	66,082	57,463	126,463
Aircraft engines and parts	4,875	15,494	8,124	41,828	68,572	50,765
Aircraft parts, except engines	5,321	13,455	8,847	46,528	67,468	68,453
Other transportation equipment	1,692	3,224	5,029	13,650	17,488	27,471
Telephone and telegraph equipment	2,179	3,539	2,624	16,934	21,290	20,428
Television and radio sets and phonographs	2,821	4,986	5,037	16,397	28,887	31,724
Electronic tubes and semi-conductors	3,705	3,231	3,308	23,449	27,154	27,398
Other communication and related equipment	10,917	14,926	13,038	74,654	91,706	90,643

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Concluded

Commodity	July			January to July		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
	thousands of dollars					
C. OTHER EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS	65,520	93,582	83,323	479,056	607,657	603,243
Air conditioning and refrigeration equipment	4,825	7,467	7,042	34,962	46,551	54,110
Electric lighting fixtures and portable lamps.....	1,904	3,465	2,862	17,749	23,330	22,253
Switchgear and protective equipment	1,685	2,644	1,242	11,036	15,749	8,940
Industrial control equipment	1,614	2,522	2,858	12,403	15,895	16,823
Other electric lighting, distribution equipment	3,050	4,741	4,047	23,283	29,315	27,835
Auxiliary electric equipment for engines	2,271	3,083	3,137	19,186	25,773	31,072
Electrical properties measuring instruments	1,562	2,753	2,701	11,821	15,080	18,970
Miscellaneous measuring, controlling instruments	3,399	4,373	3,377	24,720	28,991	25,982
Medical and related equipment	2,734	5,054	3,651	19,036	25,730	27,080
Navigation equipment.....	1,758	2,399	1,418	13,741	11,635	11,602
Other measuring, laboratory equipment, etc.	7,023	12,392	11,060	52,303	66,287	70,729
Safety and sanitation equipment.....	1,917	3,202	1,933	13,967	19,787	14,126
Service industry equipment	2,199	3,419	3,169	16,124	18,714	20,871
Furniture and fixtures	2,222	3,214	2,874	16,112	20,030	22,609
Hand tools and cutlery	4,681	5,756	5,159	33,169	39,283	36,772
Electronic computers	7,263	7,587	9,309	47,764	75,752	64,628
Other office machines and equipment	6,711	7,877	6,794	45,755	56,719	50,956
Miscellaneous equipment and tools.....	8,703	11,633	10,691	65,927	73,037	77,885
D. PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS	27,897	52,646	41,744	178,901	240,767	254,611
Outerwear, except knitted	3,114	7,226	6,372	22,427	30,949	39,532
Outerwear, knitted	2,533	5,901	5,718	12,832	19,477	22,940
Other apparel and apparel accessories	3,005	5,360	4,191	16,203	19,812	21,368
Footwear	2,130	4,678	3,977	18,501	24,586	30,707
Watches, clocks, jewellery and silverware	2,166	4,504	2,772	15,038	20,548	17,957
Sporting and recreation equipment	1,284	1,846	2,126	11,033	14,099	15,459
Games, toys and children's vehicles	2,194	3,732	2,773	10,404	13,474	13,699
House furnishings	3,424	6,207	3,923	22,039	29,304	28,179
Kitchen utensils, cutlery and tableware	4,102	6,484	4,286	25,530	34,484	29,724
Other personal and household goods	3,944	6,708	5,607	24,894	34,034	35,047
E. MISCELLANEOUS END PRODUCTS	39,426	66,886	55,435	285,343	367,723	387,752
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products.....	3,317	7,961	4,427	26,054	33,108	29,640
Medical, ophthalmic, orthopaedic supplies	1,606	2,552	2,135	12,611	14,799	16,247
Newspapers, magazines and periodicals	4,469	6,002	5,053	28,622	33,447	33,733
Books and pamphlets	6,744	10,339	9,233	42,451	55,861	56,641
Other printed matter	2,433	3,211	3,547	18,778	19,593	24,643
Stationers' and office supplies	2,119	3,109	2,846	14,420	17,772	19,212
Unexposed photographic film and plates	2,904	4,095	3,409	18,962	23,396	22,712
Other photographic goods	4,290	10,910	7,160	35,166	54,437	53,882
Containers and closures	4,108	5,694	4,662	31,883	35,673	33,522
Other end products, inedible	7,437	13,011	12,963	56,397	79,637	97,440
VI. SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS—TRADE	24,161	25,165	20,001	184,043	165,954	142,027
Shipments valued at less than \$200 each	19,362	18,081	12,526	147,330	121,166	93,148
Other special transactions—trade	4,798	7,084	7,475	36,712	44,787	48,879

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 ^P	311.6	323.4	329.8 ^P
July	132.6	133.1	136.0 ^P	254.7	382.9	328.8 ^P
August.....	132.8	133.2		279.0	289.6	
September	132.8	132.9		277.2	299.4	
October.....	133.0	133.6		316.9	317.2	
November	133.6	133.4		323.4	344.6	
December	133.9	133.3		294.9	344.3	
Annual index.....	132.5	133.3		284.4	317.3	

^P Preliminary figures.^P Revised figures.