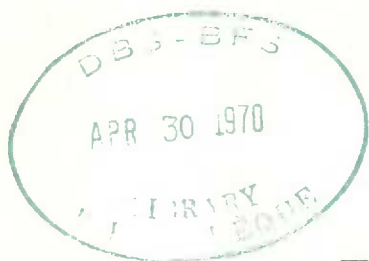


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TABLE 1. IMPORTS FROM PRINCIPAL TRADING AREAS BY SECTIONS

Section	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
thousands of dollars						
UNITED KINGDOM:						
Live animals	14	11	8	29	51	13
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	3,260	2,263	2,829	5,909	5,713	6,309
Crude materials, inedible	2,263	2,044	1,652	5,079	4,377	3,645
Fabricated materials, inedible	14,903	14,788	13,743	29,336	27,987	29,006
End products, inedible	33,652	32,084	34,776	65,535	66,591	68,561
Special transactions - trade	620	760	782	1,345	4,498	1,688
Totals	54,712	51,950	53,790	107,233	109,217	109,224
UNITED STATES: (1)						
Live animals	725	921	1,440	1,959	1,817	2,497
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	33,193	35,415	37,081	66,824	71,389	72,592
Crude materials, inedible	37,269	24,886	27,481	68,094	52,243	70,369
Fabricated materials, inedible	127,781	142,487	152,689	252,850	293,637	307,863
End products, inedible	513,956	582,205	578,360	1,026,506	1,204,090	1,110,065
Special transactions - trade	17,367	12,498	9,654	36,087	26,024	17,084
Totals	730,290	798,412	806,706	1,452,319	1,649,200	1,580,470
JAPAN:						
Live animals	1	1	-	4	1	-
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	440	334	438	796	787	1,042
Crude materials, inedible	43	10	55	72	46	94
Fabricated materials, inedible	6,362	8,845	9,657	15,596	17,881	23,293
End products, inedible	13,584	19,625	18,794	27,727	39,889	53,289
Special transactions - trade	212	263	293	509	609	672
Totals	20,642	29,077	29,237	44,704	59,214	78,389
EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY:						
Live animals	11	60	36	19	71	57
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	1,963	2,113	2,353	3,570	5,650	5,367
Crude materials, inedible	535	404	517	1,089	886	1,021
Fabricated materials, inedible	12,824	12,047	11,802	23,243	26,025	26,882
End products, inedible	30,902	31,448	33,837	55,975	64,122	66,493
Special transactions - trade	545	681	736	1,136	1,387	1,952
Totals	46,780	46,753	49,280	85,031	98,140	101,771
LATIN AMERICA:						
Live animals	-	16	-	-	18	-
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	10,847	6,852	11,208	19,037	16,053	22,780
Crude materials, inedible	28,602	29,974	24,302	56,361	58,895	54,781
Fabricated materials, inedible	5,230	5,677	5,739	8,560	11,606	13,260
End products, inedible	553	333	362	735	1,052	703
Special transactions - trade	68	406	147	96	632	286
Totals	45,300	43,258	41,758	84,789	88,257	91,812
OTHER COMMONWEALTH AND PREFERENTIAL:						
Live animals	5	11	16	10	18	28
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	6,821	8,818	6,298	16,151	19,138	18,429
Crude materials, inedible	9,624	10,903	14,239	17,455	24,785	27,692
Fabricated materials, inedible	3,319	4,012	4,176	6,888	11,275	9,181
End products, inedible	4,925	6,316	5,917	10,026	11,761	13,230
Special transactions - trade	240	482	353	462	790	739
Totals	24,934	30,541	31,000	50,993	67,767	69,300
OTHER COUNTRIES:						
Live animals	2	-	2	3	5	3
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	3,247	3,825	4,871	6,483	7,234	8,311
Crude materials, inedible	9,751	7,036	7,867	21,049	16,361	16,255
Fabricated materials, inedible	14,541	11,109	13,264	27,890	28,764	27,635
End products, inedible	14,165	15,988	20,889	26,436	35,597	41,975
Special transactions - trade	320	720	457	654	1,220	890
Totals	42,027	38,680	47,349	82,516	89,180	95,069
ALL COUNTRIES:						
Live animals	758	1,020	1,502	2,024	1,981	2,600
Food, feed, beverages and tobacco	59,771	59,620	65,077	118,770	125,964	134,829
Crude materials, inedible	88,087	75,257	76,114	169,199	157,593	173,837
Fabricated materials, inedible	184,960	198,965	211,070	364,363	417,175	437,121
End products, inedible	611,737	687,999	692,935	1,212,940	1,423,102	1,354,315
Special transactions - trade	19,372	15,810	12,423	40,289	35,160	23,312
Totals	964,685	1,038,671	1,059,120	1,907,585	2,160,975	2,126,033

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

(1) Excluding Puerto Rico.

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES

Country	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
	thousands of dollars					
WESTERN EUROPE:						
United Kingdom	54,712	51,950	53,790	107,233	109,217	109,224
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	2
Ireland	486	764	506	1,122	1,346	1,504
Malta and Gozo	54	133	31	93	423	193
Austria	1,287	1,104	1,630	1,956	2,076	3,826
*Belgium and Luxembourg	4,179	3,982	2,682	7,441	7,703	5,894
Denmark	1,925	1,980	1,929	3,380	3,813	4,314
Finland	312	566	2,564	552	995	4,033
*France	7,775	9,532	10,083	16,551	21,283	19,292
*Germany, West	22,612	19,410	19,625	37,636	41,096	45,970
Greece	412	77	183	561	402	512
Iceland	1	-	1	3	8	13
*Italy	8,210	9,522	10,691	15,950	19,038	19,089
*Netherlands	4,004	4,307	6,199	7,453	9,018	11,525
Norway	3,301	3,417	4,223	5,328	5,694	6,040
Portugal	495	472	375	1,219	1,039	1,047
Spain	1,220	1,563	2,112	2,196	3,528	3,823
Sweden	5,963	4,703	5,429	9,581	13,547	12,381
Switzerland	5,728	3,731	6,964	9,801	11,174	12,129
Commonwealth and Preferential	55,252	52,847	54,327	108,447	110,985	110,923
*European Economic Community	46,780	46,753	49,280	85,031	98,140	101,771
Others	20,643	17,612	25,410	34,576	42,277	48,118
Totals, Western Europe	122,675	117,212	129,018	228,054	251,402	260,811
EASTERN EUROPE:						
Albania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bulgaria	230	107	128	302	111	153
Czechoslovakia	2,482	2,115	2,202	3,720	4,249	4,286
Germany, East	245	419	217	370	625	510
Hungary	888	1,206	1,050	1,227	2,114	1,887
Poland	542	852	619	2,014	1,658	1,483
Roumania	84	350	416	96	554	604
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	779	617	609	4,342	1,812	1,117
Yugoslavia	227	101	287	475	354	883
Totals, Eastern Europe	5,478	5,767	5,528	12,545	11,476	10,923
MIDDLE EAST:						
Southern Yemen	-	-	-	-	5	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	5	-	-
Cyprus	-	-	2	15	19	3
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trucial States	-	1,971	485	-	3,860	485
Ethiopia	-	-	8	-	-	8
Iran	2,948	2,811	2,419	5,800	5,539	5,512
Iraq	79	840	1,399	79	1,254	2,270
Israel	658	824	1,457	1,858	1,940	2,478
Jordan	1	-	-	1	-	-
Kuwait	-	418	1,607	-	946	2,922
Lebanon	9	115	74	18	149	164
Libya	-	1	-	-	1	-
Saudi Arabia	4,245	1,455	1,232	8,944	5,620	3,227
Somalia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	-	121	3	-	121	7
Syria	2	-	-	2	-	3
Turkey	229	3	70	522	142	117
United Arab Republic	10	165	1	18	166	58
Commonwealth and Preferential	-	1,971	487	21	3,884	488
Others	8,180	6,754	8,271	17,242	15,878	16,768
Totals, Middle East	8,180	8,725	8,758	17,262	19,762	17,256

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Continued

Country	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
	thousands of dollars					
OTHER AFRICA:						
Gambia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	43	82	3	44	657	8
Kenya	144	281	272	413	595	597
Malawi	10	14	15	44	19	26
Mauritius and Dependencies	521	843	-	1,260	2,292	1,300
Nigeria	928	1,778	2,683	1,628	3,367	4,632
South Africa	1,037	877	320	2,584	2,993	1,318
Rhodesia	-	-	-	1	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	41	557	249	1,167	637	379
Uganda	337	318	507	659	485	1,857
Zambia	-	-	-	-	2	5
Commonwealth Africa n.e.s.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Algeria	-	-	13	-	2	13
Angola	146	37	332	713	37	491
Cameroon	1	-	50	1	-	50
Congo—Kinshasa	23	30	1	57	84	1
Dahomey	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Africa n.e.s.	-	-	-	5	17	-
Gabon	-	-	-	-	21	-
Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ivory Coast	39	52	15	43	85	35
Liberia	175	30	-	175	30	23
Malagasy	-	-	23	5	53	23
Mauritania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	23	4	14	46	45	26
Mozambique	6	19	33	12	23	34
Portuguese Africa n.e.s.	1	-	-	1	-	-
Senegal	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spanish Africa	-	-	-	-	49	-
Togo	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tunisia	2	-	-	15	-	-
Commonwealth and Preferential	3,060	4,750	4,050	7,799	11,046	10,122
Others	415	172	481	1,072	446	725
Totals, Other Africa	3,475	4,922	4,531	8,871	11,492	10,847
OTHER ASIA:						
Ceylon	553	521	571	1,338	1,306	1,014
Hong Kong	4,190	5,273	4,950	8,239	9,677	11,127
India	1,852	2,563	2,228	4,850	5,553	4,355
Malaysia	1,954	2,265	1,772	3,659	4,907	4,205
Pakistan	105	331	612	355	525	1,104
Singapore	1,091	1,814	1,708	2,185	3,317	3,472
Afghanistan	-	-	-	-	1	1
Burma	-	-	-	3	-	-
Cambodia and Laos	-	-	-	-	-	-
People's Republic of China	1,096	2,950	2,439	2,600	4,536	3,165
Indonesia	29	7	1	54	25	41
Japan	20,642	29,077	29,237	44,704	59,214	78,389
Korea, North	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korea, South	707	1,099	1,226	1,228	2,271	2,316
Philippines	115	235	93	291	577	316
Portuguese Asia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taiwan	1,271	2,573	2,536	3,124	5,984	5,993
Thailand	31	45	30	137	138	52
Viet-Nam	-	-	6	-	-	7
Commonwealth and Preferential	9,744	12,767	11,841	20,626	25,285	25,277
Others	23,891	35,988	35,568	52,142	72,748	90,279
Totals, Other Asia	33,635	48,755	47,409	72,768	98,032	115,556

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Concluded

Country	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
thousands of dollars						
OCEANIA:						
Australia	3,068	4,218	9,245	6,815	8,891	17,025
Fiji	2	635	614	5	643	1,815
New Zealand	1,313	240	632	2,965	1,494	2,189
British Oceania n.e.s.	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Oceania	919	-	271	1,661	3	271
United States Oceania	11	-	6	29	-	6
Commonwealth and Preferential	4,383	5,093	10,491	9,785	11,029	21,029
Others	929	-	277	1,690	3	277
Totals, Oceania	5,312	5,093	10,768	11,474	11,032	21,306
SOUTH AMERICA:						
Guyana	1,666	746	1,188	2,450	2,407	1,865
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Argentina	172	115	168	559	898	1,102
Bolivia	25	-	5	27	1	5
Brazil	2,801	1,153	3,634	5,647	4,501	6,527
Chile	100	98	265	156	173	346
Colombia	1,098	348	1,152	1,781	725	2,763
Ecuador	785	246	838	1,252	462	1,502
*French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	7	-	6	7	18	99
Peru	251	97	408	552	394	669
*Surinam	186	8	5	366	87	328
Uruguay	6	22	6	7	37	44
Venezuela	30,741	30,997	26,574	58,875	61,205	61,541
Commonwealth and Preferential	1,666	746	1,188	2,450	2,407	1,865
Latin America	35,987	33,077	33,056	68,861	68,413	74,598
*Others	186	8	5	366	87	328
Totals, South America	37,840	33,831	34,249	71,678	70,906	76,791
CENTRAL AMERICA AND ANTILLES:						
Bahamas	259	69	370	390	298	608
Bermuda	16	8	8	32	25	11
British Honduras	19	18	59	160	715	89
Barbados	44	138	68	46	186	286
Jamaica	3,943	3,316	1,570	5,945	8,474	6,787
Leeward and Windward Islands	28	30	5	40	324	315
Trinidad and Tobago	1,231	740	325	2,485	2,326	723
Costa Rica	632	834	865	1,133	1,549	1,647
Cuba	215	101	37	517	392	834
Dominican Republic	112	17	249	177	43	309
El Salvador	911	53	160	1,557	235	419
*French West Indies	-	-	-	2	19	-
Guatemala	372	335	573	540	510	1,230
Haiti	54	43	48	115	63	83
Honduras	758	736	855	1,534	1,159	1,508
Mexico	5,001	5,669	5,304	8,064	12,335	9,778
*Netherlands Antilles	2,877	1,367	697	7,348	5,253	4,803
Nicaragua	342	280	167	813	393	294
Panama	915	2,113	445	1,478	3,164	1,112
*Puerto Rico	65	86	346	198	204	1,234
*United States Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1
Commonwealth and Preferential	5,540	4,319	2,405	9,097	12,349	8,819
Latin America	9,313	10,181	8,703	15,929	19,844	17,214
*Others	2,943	1,453	1,043	7,548	5,476	6,038
Totals, Central America and Antilles	17,796	15,954	12,150	32,574	37,669	32,071
NORTH AMERICA:						
Greenland	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	3	2	2	39	3	3
United States	730,290	798,412	806,706	1,452,319	1,649,200	1,580,470
Totals, North America	730,293	798,413	806,708	1,452,358	1,649,203	1,580,473
Totals, Commonwealth and Preferential ..	79,646	82,491	84,790	158,225	176,984	178,523
Totals, Latin America	45,300	43,258	41,758	84,789	88,257	91,812
Totals, Others	839,739	912,921	932,571	1,664,570	1,895,735	1,855,700
Totals, Imports	964,685	1,038,671	1,059,120	1,907,585	2,160,975	2,126,033

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES

Commodity	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
	thousands of dollars					
I. LIVE ANIMALS	758	1,020	1,502	2,024	1,981	2,600
II. FOOD, FEED, BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO						
Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen	2,976	4,895	4,610	5,450	9,101	9,280
Other meat and meat preparations	1,578	1,282	1,452	3,016	2,825	3,283
Fish and marine animals	2,063	2,273	3,444	4,907	4,893	7,384
Dairy produce, eggs and honey	1,922	1,756	2,313	3,528	4,578	4,596
Indian corn, shelled	2,174	1,196	2,740	3,978	4,813	5,636
Other cereals and cereal preparations	3,059	2,575	2,629	5,790	5,620	5,570
Bananas and plantains, fresh	2,821	2,323	2,724	4,932	4,227	5,132
Grapes, fresh	410	621	569	1,227	1,497	1,414
Oranges, mandarines and tangerines, fresh	3,520	3,636	3,401	6,617	6,157	5,591
Other fresh fruits and berries	2,301	2,154	2,753	4,324	3,915	4,849
Fruits, dried or dehydrated	848	534	1,114	2,010	1,748	2,145
Orange juice and concentrates	1,609	1,883	1,688	3,255	3,899	3,264
Other fruit juices and concentrates	675	1,013	1,190	1,271	1,712	1,993
Fruits and products, canned	1,684	1,596	1,717	3,021	3,340	3,565
Other fruits and fruit preparations	611	586	423	1,054	1,457	990
Nuts, except oil nuts	967	2,460	2,724	2,143	3,488	4,036
Tomatoes, fresh	1,921	1,463	1,881	3,717	3,368	4,522
Other fresh vegetables	5,631	5,013	6,300	12,110	11,007	13,437
Other vegetables and vegetable preparations	1,715	1,342	1,307	3,249	2,852	3,075
Raw sugar	1,754	5,329	-	4,854	9,063	4,925
Refined sugar, molasses and syrups	404	200	107	592	373	517
Sugar preparations and confectionery	1,368	1,135	1,481	2,593	2,515	3,001
Cocoa and chocolate	521	414	1,385	1,928	1,564	2,298
Coffee	6,958	3,605	7,419	12,854	8,537	13,449
Tea	1,254	1,457	1,334	3,065	3,464	2,589
Other foods and materials for foods	3,853	3,207	3,260	7,531	6,548	7,249
Oil seed cake and meal	1,616	2,210	1,805	3,389	4,397	3,888
Other fodder and feed	660	718	832	1,232	1,443	1,783
Distilled alcoholic beverages	1,748	1,295	962	2,920	3,702	2,178
Other beverages	475	955	441	929	2,372	1,322
Tobacco	675	494	1,073	1,284	1,488	1,865
Totals	59,771	59,620	65,077	118,770	125,964	134,829
III. CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE						
Fur skins, undressed	2,285	3,163	2,366	4,684	5,286	4,223
Other crude animal products	1,792	1,589	1,526	3,398	3,498	3,045
Soya beans	1,163	272	381	2,052	1,150	4,873
Other oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	819	1,294	2,253	1,563	2,665	3,585
Rubber and allied gums, natural	1,728	2,338	2,580	3,302	4,551	5,029
Other crude vegetable products	2,824	2,472	3,670	5,308	4,790	6,495
Crude wood materials	4,484	4,462	4,174	7,854	7,710	7,499
Wool and fine animal hair	2,854	1,788	1,535	5,105	3,662	3,578
Cotton	4,457	3,915	4,309	10,760	9,366	7,001
Man-made fibres	1,611	2,049	2,194	3,435	3,915	4,126
Other textile fibres	153	439	258	878	791	572
Iron ores and concentrates	411	19	367	779	80	550
Scrap iron and steel	963	1,055	1,615	1,917	2,214	3,268
Aluminum ores, concentrates and scrap	6,564	6,206	6,058	11,079	14,219	16,808
Other metals in ores, concentrates, scrap	7,787	1,416	5,555	14,048	5,294	19,710
Coal	1,540	801	474	3,463	2,586	1,795
Crude petroleum	34,840	37,188	32,052	71,128	73,127	70,414
Other crude bituminous substances	6,691	35	110	8,675	2,626	1,569
Abrasives, natural	870	709	579	1,537	1,410	1,510
Phosphate rock	1,269	942	849	2,467	2,005	2,033
Other crude non-metallic minerals	2,306	2,111	2,337	4,465	4,919	4,557
Other waste and scrap materials	673	993	870	1,302	1,732	1,617
Totals	88,087	75,257	76,114	169,199	157,593	173,857

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Continued

Commodity	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
	thousands of dollars					
IV. FABRICATED MATERIALS, INEDIBLE						
Leather and leather fabricated materials	2,504	2,442	2,477	4,693	5,315	4,871
Rubber fabricated materials	3,643	4,267	4,075	7,424	8,859	8,458
Lumber	3,402	2,845	3,394	6,568	6,127	6,268
Veneer, plywood and wood building boards	1,681	1,697	1,914	3,489	4,966	4,471
Other wood fabricated materials	1,020	1,037	1,506	1,894	2,413	2,923
Wood pulp and similar pulp	516	447	739	923	1,159	1,155
Paper and paperboard	5,768	6,845	6,716	10,964	13,630	13,441
Cotton yarn and thread	1,326	1,123	1,041	2,663	2,080	2,020
Man-made fibre yarn and thread	1,951	2,786	3,463	3,707	5,854	7,499
Other yarn and thread	2,075	1,079	1,015	4,436	2,105	2,123
Cordage, twine and rope	260	309	353	909	582	633
Broad woven fabrics, wool and hair	1,945	1,509	1,686	3,525	3,344	3,300
Broad woven fabrics, cotton	5,249	5,133	4,639	10,833	10,409	9,707
Broad woven fabrics, man-made	2,656	2,478	3,020	5,343	5,700	6,598
Broad woven fabrics, mixed fibres	3,871	4,256	4,957	7,703	8,882	10,612
Other broad woven fabrics	1,353	1,487	2,050	2,883	3,337	3,564
Coated or impregnated fabrics	2,605	2,385	3,088	5,279	5,434	6,295
Other textile fabricated materials	3,703	5,172	6,022	7,517	11,021	12,654
Vegetable oils and fats, except essential oils	1,158	1,246	1,796	2,205	2,760	3,338
Other oils, fats, waxes, extracts, derivatives	1,757	2,244	2,688	3,701	4,498	5,298
Inorganic chemicals	5,235	5,551	5,146	9,871	11,206	10,744
Organic chemicals	10,410	9,575	9,642	20,369	20,507	20,207
Fertilizers and fertilizer materials	615	749	812	1,117	1,469	1,582
Synthetic and reclaimed rubber	2,684	2,910	3,492	5,079	5,742	6,967
Plastics materials, not shaped	8,157	8,982	8,602	15,529	18,188	17,770
Plastic film and sheet	3,181	3,276	4,143	6,420	7,860	8,067
Other plastics basic shapes and forms	2,025	2,586	3,086	4,197	5,571	5,895
Dyestuffs, except dyeing extracts	1,751	1,794	1,861	3,263	3,910	3,813
Pigments, lakes and toners	1,479	1,366	1,538	2,744	2,946	2,948
Paints and related products	1,176	1,176	1,147	2,201	2,445	2,391
Other chemical products	9,581	9,290	8,483	19,479	21,692	17,965
Fuel oil	9,679	7,633	5,345	19,237	17,363	17,437
Lubricating oils and greases	1,303	1,626	1,178	2,661	3,636	2,323
Coke of petroleum and coal	809	1,221	866	1,342	2,623	1,924
Other petroleum and coal products	1,801	1,861	1,415	3,345	5,992	4,317
Bars and rods, steel	2,185	2,210	3,069	5,290	5,916	7,703
Plate, sheet and strip, steel	7,642	10,111	11,030	16,648	19,086	24,981
Structural shapes and sheet piling, steel	1,702	2,042	3,166	4,004	3,955	6,465
Pipes and tubes, iron and steel	3,822	4,122	5,414	8,739	8,670	10,390
Wire and wire rope, steel	1,604	1,517	2,124	3,492	3,031	4,548
Other iron and steel and alloys	4,461	8,507	7,802	8,817	16,964	15,148
Aluminum, including alloys	6,345	7,062	6,057	13,428	15,104	12,624
Copper and alloys	1,264	3,527	4,682	2,463	6,595	9,598
Nickel and alloys	3,695	4,038	4,722	5,986	7,337	6,386
Precious metals, including alloys	4,179	3,077	2,880	5,354	4,794	5,538
Tin, including alloys	1,673	1,237	1,622	2,716	3,224	3,652
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	3,174	1,449	2,365	5,104	3,183	4,228
Bolts, nuts and screws	3,601	4,242	4,864	7,596	9,140	9,576
Other basic hardware	5,192	6,083	7,200	10,326	12,303	14,405
Chain	978	1,366	1,252	2,015	2,379	2,342
Valves	2,780	2,854	3,834	4,920	5,746	7,545
Pipe fittings	1,820	2,097	2,407	3,756	4,062	4,775
Other metal fabricated basic products	4,660	5,361	5,539	8,601	10,089	10,725
Clay bricks, clay tiles and refractories	2,570	3,065	3,312	4,655	6,141	6,213
Sheet and plate glass	1,509	1,912	1,725	3,152	3,348	3,537
Other glass basic products	1,955	2,174	2,431	3,867	4,288	4,756
Abrasive basic products	1,267	1,378	1,452	2,535	2,898	3,322
Natural and synthetic gem stones	1,200	1,087	1,068	2,469	2,813	2,481
Other non-metallic mineral basic products	1,768	2,225	2,076	3,548	4,468	4,715
Electricity	1,345	1,097	600	2,631	2,079	1,377
Other fabricated materials, inedible	4,241	4,742	4,981	8,742	9,940	10,517
Totals	184,960	198,965	211,070	364,363	417,175	437,121

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Continued

Commodity	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
	thousands of dollars					
V. END PRODUCTS, INEDIBLE						
A. MACHINERY	132,075	135,478	149,363	255,048	267,202	289,209
Engines and turbines, diesel, general purpose	1,798	2,485	1,808	4,008	5,388	3,236
Engines and turbines, general purpose n.e.s.	3,851	2,818	3,407	8,540	7,254	6,256
Electric generators and motors	4,715	4,073	4,921	8,272	8,678	9,461
Bearings	5,207	4,897	5,408	10,117	9,887	11,265
Other mechanical power transmission equipment	4,029	4,672	4,103	7,906	9,000	8,460
Compressors, blowers and vacuum pumps	2,644	3,046	4,001	5,435	5,985	7,956
Pumps, except oil well pumps	2,235	2,166	2,848	4,004	4,781	5,237
Packaging machinery	2,368	2,364	2,609	5,577	4,802	4,989
Other general purpose industrial machinery	5,620	5,281	6,441	11,189	11,245	12,221
Conveyors and conveying systems	1,163	1,194	923	2,166	2,178	2,465
Elevators and escalators	288	306	858	583	631	1,739
Industrial trucks, tractors trailers, stackers	1,737	2,566	3,252	3,873	4,855	6,671
Hoisting machinery	4,715	4,707	3,363	8,621	10,344	5,952
Other materials handling equipment			2,259			4,667
Drilling machinery and drill bits	3,935	5,806	7,123	8,468	12,091	13,493
Power shovels	2,299	4,469	2,326	4,292	7,796	5,572
Bulldozing and similar equipment	2,049	3,751	670	3,568	6,801	1,418
Front end loaders	3,025	4,569	4,978	6,090	9,705	9,590
Other excavating machinery	2,176	2,257	1,610	4,314	3,663	2,648
Mining, oil and gas machinery	4,013	4,373	4,076	7,497	7,856	9,389
Construction and maintenance machinery	2,357	3,450	3,872	5,313	6,887	6,930
Machine tools, metalworking	8,256	6,780	10,350	16,337	14,146	22,568
Welding apparatus and equipment	955	1,032	1,063	1,912	2,172	1,978
Rolling mill machinery	1,731	971	734	2,824	1,742	2,307
Other metalworking machinery	3,623	3,652	5,584	7,553	8,507	10,406
Pulp and paper industries machinery	3,070	2,497	5,102	6,642	5,243	10,313
Printing presses	2,814	2,299	2,376	3,877	4,070	3,882
Other printing machinery and equipment	2,006	2,051	2,919	4,032	4,571	5,399
Spinning, weaving and knitting machinery	1,679	2,129	3,489	3,620	4,281	5,713
Other textile industries machinery	1,901	2,371	3,798	3,873	5,371	6,169
Food, beverages and tobacco machinery	2,566	2,505	2,286	4,929	4,964	4,443
Plastics and chemical industry machinery	3,492	3,580	3,830	8,459	7,589	6,853
Other special industry machinery	4,860	6,408	6,641	6,784	12,634	14,161
Soil preparation, seeding, fertilizing machinery	4,568	3,099	2,754	9,208	5,629	4,570
Combine reaper-threshers	1,433	2,968	1,764	2,832	4,799	2,968
Other haying and harvesting machinery	3,506	3,434	2,792	6,845	5,731	5,458
Other agricultural machinery and equipment	3,796	4,212	3,746	7,399	7,754	7,342
Wheel tractors, new	13,345	6,924	5,624	22,936	10,847	10,966
Track-laying tractors and used tractors	1,935	2,019	5,757	2,619	4,337	9,385
Tractor engines and tractor parts	6,316	7,298	7,896	12,535	12,988	14,713
B. TRANSPORTATION & COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	307,714	358,604	335,905	621,232	769,804	647,507
Railway and street railway rolling stock	2,170	2,555	2,408	4,756	4,941	5,588
Convertible automobiles, soft top, new	5,036	4,403	1,872	10,308	9,494	3,578
Sedans, new	92,018	74,388	51,685	194,144	157,843	99,944
Other passenger automobiles and chassis	6,371	3,972	4,914	13,848	8,707	8,948
Trucks, truck tractors and chassis	12,338	19,222	22,981	22,693	36,608	40,030
Other motor vehicles	2,925	5,371	5,059	5,525	10,669	10,467
Motor vehicle engines	13,739	22,211	17,654	31,908	47,870	36,219
Motor vehicle engine parts	10,194	9,329	10,538	19,909	20,782	22,043
Motor vehicle parts, except engines	90,872	135,631	125,293	196,372	304,599	267,851
Marine engines and parts	2,897	3,718	4,138	6,033	7,693	7,110
Ships, boats and parts, except engines	1,242	2,306	1,704	3,232	4,305	3,138
Aircraft, complete with engines	24,408	26,708	35,307	26,806	52,647	36,254
Aircraft engines and parts	7,023	7,092	7,262	14,731	17,098	13,841
Aircraft parts, except engines	11,086	9,944	10,901	20,738	20,356	21,150
Other transportation equipment	2,339	3,713	5,407	4,441	7,732	10,601
Telephone and telegraph equipment	3,339	2,744	3,810	6,179	5,811	7,525
Television and radio sets and phonographs	3,976	5,631	5,798	8,677	11,068	13,185
Electronic tubes and semi-conductors	3,859	5,442	4,592	7,470	10,433	9,326
Other telecommunication and related equipment	11,882	14,225	14,583	23,463	31,150	30,709

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Concluded

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Commodity	February			January to February		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
	thousands of dollars					
C. OTHER EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS	86,011	98,348	102,832	171,179	197,363	209,529
Air conditioning and refrigeration equipment	6,968	7,074	7,997	13,598	13,374	14,819
Electric lighting fixtures and portable lamps	3,159	4,199	3,645	6,240	8,474	7,557
Switchgear and protective equipment	1,253	1,114	1,718	2,553	2,856	3,211
Industrial control equipment	2,384	2,630	3,026	4,694	5,550	6,146
Other electric lighting, distribution equipment	4,058	4,589	4,483	7,944	10,900	8,927
Auxiliary electric equipment for engines	4,860	5,600	5,126	9,922	11,854	11,698
Electrical properties measuring instruments	2,839	2,733	2,971	5,200	5,584	6,666
Miscellaneous measuring, controlling instruments	3,728	4,049	4,752	7,549	7,604	9,168
Medical and related equipment	4,565	3,979	3,526	8,156	8,016	7,106
Navigation equipment	1,536	1,806	1,890	3,228	3,096	4,393
Other measuring, laboratory equipment, etc.	9,016	11,640	12,963	18,754	24,435	25,770
Safety and sanitation equipment	1,879	2,314	2,049	3,828	4,667	4,437
Service industry equipment	2,881	2,694	2,776	5,155	5,920	5,378
Furniture and fixtures	2,788	2,963	2,893	5,575	6,027	6,065
Hand tools and cutlery	5,223	5,809	5,539	10,390	12,116	11,594
Electronic computers	9,872	13,168	12,426	21,572	25,544	25,319
Other office machines and equipment	7,464	7,584	11,656	14,528	14,347	24,287
Miscellaneous equipment and tools	11,540	14,403	13,397	22,293	26,998	26,989
D. PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS	34,385	40,985	40,208	65,597	78,444	81,463
Outerwear, except knitted	5,626	7,587	6,199	10,744	13,881	12,340
Outerwear, knitted	3,014	3,648	4,147	5,674	6,754	7,823
Other apparel and apparel accessories	2,959	3,229	3,386	5,429	6,392	6,814
Footwear	4,677	6,002	6,889	8,118	11,181	12,372
Watches, clocks, jewellery and silverware	2,569	2,669	2,424	4,978	5,079	4,886
Sporting and recreation equipment	2,212	2,608	3,414	4,278	4,908	6,703
Games, toys and children's vehicles	1,649	1,916	1,610	3,178	3,872	3,837
House furnishings	3,895	4,141	3,831	8,092	8,334	8,608
Kitchen utensils, cutlery and tableware	3,469	3,975	3,853	6,786	7,864	8,353
Other personal and household goods	4,313	5,211	4,454	8,320	10,178	9,726
E. MISCELLANEOUS END PRODUCTS	51,552	54,584	64,626	99,884	110,289	126,607
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	4,564	4,798	6,710	8,241	9,574	12,899
Medical, ophthalmic, orthopaedic supplies	2,434	2,643	4,735	5,029	5,409	8,528
Newspapers, magazines and periodicals	4,756	4,864	5,554	9,706	10,478	11,141
Books and pamphlets	7,505	8,226	9,810	14,304	16,751	19,604
Other printed matter	4,065	3,102	4,515	8,732	6,224	8,792
Stationers' and office supplies	2,415	2,768	3,101	4,805	5,545	5,930
Unexposed photographic film and plates	3,956	4,111	3,342	6,155	7,573	7,393
Other photographic goods	8,272	6,692	8,622	15,984	14,762	17,823
Containers and closures	5,110	5,158	5,552	9,854	10,319	11,142
Other end products, inedible	8,474	12,222	12,685	17,075	23,656	23,354
Totals	611,737	687,999	692,935	1,212,940	1,423,102	1,354,315
VI. SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS—TRADE						
Shipments valued at less than \$200 each	14,320	7,321	5,126	27,523	15,389	10,388
Other special transactions—trade	5,052	8,490	7,297	12,767	19,771	12,923
Totals	19,372	15,810	12,423	40,289	35,160	23,312

TABLE 4. VALUE, PRICE AND VOLUME INDEXES OF IMPORTS,
BY SECTIONS (INTERIM BASE, 1948=100)

No.	Month	Total			Live animals			Food, feed, beverages and tobacco		
		1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
Index of declared values										
1	January	432.2	515.1	489.0 ^x	447.3	339.6	388.0	254.1	286.1	300.4
2	February	442.1	474.6	485.4	267.8	360.4	530.7	257.4	256.8	280.2
3	March	413.6	505.9		286.2	428.6		262.1	297.2	
4	April	499.2	570.9		774.2	930.1		324.4	315.7	
5	May	520.6	600.3		617.0	927.2		371.7	408.2	
6	June	451.1	579.8		438.2	668.6		311.0	419.4	
7	July	447.2	526.8		377.4	581.6		349.9	397.9	
8	August	401.6	439.2		407.4	351.9		303.1	349.1	
9	September	472.9	568.7		397.9	489.4		317.0	394.4	
10	October	555.6	598.6		471.4	415.9		386.4	480.9	
11	November	532.4	563.5		469.3	623.7		368.5	439.8	
12	December	499.4	572.3		542.4	497.5		381.4	449.0	
A	Annual index	472.3	543.0		457.6	550.5		323.9	374.7	
Index of prices										
1	January	135.6	137.4	143.1 ^x	78.6	78.6	82.9	108.8	107.4	121.9 ^x
2	February	136.7	139.0	143.3	78.6	81.4	82.9	109.7	105.1	122.6
3	March	136.3	140.0		78.6	82.9		108.6	105.8	
4	April	136.2	139.5		80.0	84.3		110.6	108.0	
5	May	135.7	139.5		81.4	85.7		111.9	108.2	
6	June	136.0	139.7		78.6	85.7		113.6	109.4	
7	July	135.2	140.4		77.1	90.0		111.9	110.7	
8	August	135.1	141.1		78.6	91.4		110.9	115.9	
9	September	135.6	141.8		78.6	85.7		112.5	118.7	
10	October	136.1	142.5		75.7	87.1		112.1	120.4	
11	November	136.5	143.0		80.0	88.6		110.0	122.1	
12	December	136.5	143.1		80.0	84.3		107.2	121.4	
A	Annual index	135.7	140.6		80.0	85.5		109.6	112.8	
Index of physical volume										
1	January	318.7	374.9	341.7 ^x	569.1	432.1	468.0	233.5	266.4	246.4 ^x
2	February	323.4	341.4	338.7	340.7	442.8	640.2	234.6	244.3	228.5
3	March	303.4	361.4		364.1	517.0		241.3	280.9	
4	April	366.5	409.2		967.8	1,103.3		293.3	292.3	
5	May	383.6	430.3		758.0	1,081.2		332.2	377.3	
6	June	331.7	415.0		557.5	780.2		273.8	383.4	
7	July	330.8	375.2		489.5	646.2		312.7	359.4	
8	August	297.3	311.3		518.3	385.0		273.3	301.2	
9	September	348.7	401.1		506.2	571.1		281.8	332.3	
10	October	408.2	420.1		622.7	477.5		344.7	399.4	
11	November	390.0	394.1		586.6	704.0		335.0	360.2	
12	December	365.9	399.9		678.0	590.2		355.8	369.9	
A	Annual index	348.0	386.2		572.0	643.9		295.5	332.2	

^x Revised figures.

TABLE 4. VALUE, PRICE AND VOLUME INDEXES OF IMPORTS,
BY SECTIONS (INTERIM BASE, 1948=100)—Concluded

Crude materials, inedible			Fabricated materials, inedible			End products, inedible			Special transactions trade			No.
1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970	
Index of declared values												
142.1	146.9	171.2	290.5	353.3	366.0	820.3	1,002.9	902.4 ^F	824.8	763.0	429.4	1
154.3	132.8	133.3	299.5	321.8	341.8	834.6	933.7	945.4	763.9	623.4	489.9	2
130.2	130.2		285.2	361.9		776.7	982.2		832.7	627.7		3
174.8	164.9		333.9	395.7		934.4	1,113.6		825.4	586.4		4
174.3	183.2		357.9	422.5		964.6	1,130.6		800.0	714.6		5
161.9	161.6		310.7	417.3		828.3	1,090.9		764.9	636.8		6
145.0	162.1		329.0	401.2		801.4	953.1		788.7	652.9		7
175.1	156.8		307.1	343.1		674.3	763.0		822.1	614.5		8
183.1	178.6		333.2	400.4		854.7	1,068.0		802.4	625.8		9
191.6	148.9		356.4	437.1		1,045.7	1,119.4		996.3	705.0		10
174.6	150.8		380.5	433.2		972.1	1,036.8		1,083.5	473.0		11
166.5	162.1		358.3	416.6		900.7	1,062.7		904.7	547.6		12
164.5	156.6		328.5	392.0		867.3	1,021.4		850.7	630.8		A
Index of prices												
113.2	114.6	116.8	141.6	143.4	151.0	165.0	168.5	173.0 ^F				1
114.2	118.4	116.8	142.5	144.9	151.6	166.4	169.0	173.1				2
113.2	118.9		142.6	147.0		166.6	169.7					3
112.6	116.4		142.3	146.9		166.3	170.1					4
111.4	115.8		141.5	146.8		166.4	170.7					5
111.6	115.4		141.3	147.0		166.6	171.3					6
110.8	116.4		140.0	147.1		166.5	171.8		Not available			7
110.9	116.8		140.3	147.5		166.4	171.8					8
111.4	117.2		140.4	147.9		166.7	172.1					9
112.0	116.6		141.3	150.4		166.9	172.1					10
113.4	116.7		141.4	151.1		167.5	172.6					11
113.9	116.6		141.7	151.8		167.7	172.9					12
112.1	116.6		141.3	147.6		166.6	171.0					A
Index of physical volume												
125.5	128.2	146.6	205.2	246.4	242.4	497.2	595.2	521.6 ^F				1
135.1	112.2	114.1	210.2	222.1	225.5	501.6	552.5	546.2				2
115.0	109.5		200.0	246.2		466.2	578.8					3
155.2	141.7		234.6	269.4		561.9	654.7					4
156.5	158.2		252.9	287.8		579.7	662.3					5
145.1	140.0		219.9	283.9		497.2	636.8					6
130.9	139.3		235.0	272.7		481.3	554.8		Not available			7
157.9	134.2		218.9	232.6		405.2	444.1					8
164.4	152.4		237.3	270.7		512.7	620.6					9
171.1	127.7		252.2	290.6		626.5	650.4					10
154.0	129.2		269.1	286.7		580.4	600.7					11
146.2	139.0		252.9	274.4		537.1	614.6					12
146.7	134.3		232.5	265.6		520.6	597.3					A

^F Revised figures.

TABLE 5. IMPORTS OF SELECTED COMMODITY GROUPINGS
Seasonally Adjusted and Unadjusted Quarterly Data

Commodity groupings	1968				1969				1970			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
	millions of dollars											
Seasonally Adjusted												
Meat and fish	22.3	22.4	26.9	31.0	31.1	40.6	41.9	49.7				
Fruits and vegetables	90.0	91.2	92.8	91.6	93.1	99.0	98.2	101.5				
Non-ferrous ores	52.4	45.8	35.6	38.6	38.1	36.5	38.5	32.6				
Chemicals and products	94.0	91.4	88.8	98.9	103.3	103.5	101.9	112.2				
Synthetic rubber and plastics	47.8	45.9	50.1	56.6	59.2	61.0	59.5	61.8				
Fuel oil and other petroleum products	55.4	54.5	52.2	54.1	58.9	55.3	55.3	54.0				
Fabricated steel materials	77.9	72.0	84.5	91.2	102.1	107.7	103.7	147.4				
Non-ferrous alloys	53.1	54.0	62.4	72.1	62.6	54.7	79.5	73.1				
General purpose machinery	98.5	93.4	94.4	98.4	103.1	113.3	110.7	112.3				
Mining, construction and drilling machinery	91.5	89.6	87.6	101.5	120.6	120.8	120.9	128.4				
Special industrial machinery	107.9	103.5	104.5	102.9	123.5	124.8	116.1	147.3				
Agricultural machinery except tractors	40.0	35.8	37.5	43.3	38.6	42.7	35.9	39.5				
Tractors and parts	53.7	48.1	44.7	57.3	44.5	47.4	49.9	52.5				
Automobiles	269.0	246.7	247.7	237.4	234.8	264.0	294.3	244.7				
Motor vehicle parts, except engines	250.4	337.2	370.8	383.8	408.9	455.5	426.5	473.9				
Motor vehicle engines and parts	72.2	86.7	91.7	103.6	99.7	117.7	116.3	106.9				
Trucks, truck tractors, etc.	66.0	66.9	69.0	102.4	88.6	90.5	105.8	112.0				
Communication and related equipment	75.2	74.8	75.1	88.1	95.2	96.3	95.6	106.3				
Air conditioning and refrigeration equipment	21.6	21.3	21.1	24.4	20.7	19.1	22.3	18.9				
Scientific equipment ¹	67.4	64.1	66.2	69.7	53.2	79.3	81.1	83.2				
Office machines	50.8	44.2	52.6	52.4	56.6	65.8	69.3	76.1				
Electric lighting, distribution and control equipment	40.6	45.4	47.0	55.3	59.9	60.4	61.6	62.0				
Miscellaneous equipment and tools	73.6	73.2	74.9	82.0	101.6	74.7	89.9	92.8				
Apparel and footwear	44.1	50.3	53.7	57.7	62.4	63.9	60.9	60.5				
Other personal and household goods	63.7	58.9	66.1	72.1	75.4	76.3	75.7	77.0				
Books and other printed matter	51.3	47.6	51.7	54.1	55.6	58.4	58.5	61.4				
Unadjusted												
Meat and fish	19.3	20.0	27.0	36.2	26.7	36.8	42.4	57.5				
Fruits and vegetables	75.8	101.7	87.9	100.2	77.5	111.8	92.4	110.2				
Non-ferrous ores	41.4	45.1	42.7	43.2	28.0	37.6	45.9	34.2				
Chemicals and products	91.1	102.8	83.5	95.6	99.4	116.2	96.0	109.3				
Synthetic rubber and plastics	47.4	47.0	49.6	56.4	58.1	62.8	59.5	61.1				
Fuel oil and other petroleum products	36.7	51.8	58.6	69.0	39.4	52.7	64.0	67.4				
Fabricated steel materials	68.6	76.2	86.9	93.9	90.3	113.8	103.1	153.7				
Non-ferrous alloys	51.8	69.3	57.1	63.4	61.6	70.6	71.3	66.4				
General purpose machinery	98.7	100.1	88.6	97.3	102.5	121.2	104.1	111.6				
Mining, construction and drilling machinery	86.1	104.5	89.0	90.6	111.7	141.0	124.3	113.7				
Special industrial machinery	103.1	109.7	105.0	101.1	116.8	134.0	119.6	141.3				
Agricultural machinery except tractors	42.1	48.9	35.6	30.0	39.4	57.5	33.6	26.2				
Tractors and parts	57.6	59.6	37.9	48.6	48.6	58.6	41.9	45.3				
Automobiles	282.6	269.4	150.4	298.4	249.6	288.6	207.1	292.6				
Motor vehicle parts, except engines	272.0	347.0	300.1	423.2	437.6	470.0	367.6	489.6				
Motor vehicle engines and parts	73.9	90.8	75.1	114.5	102.5	122.1	93.0	123.0				
Trucks, truck tractors, etc.	63.5	88.2	61.8	90.9	86.2	117.8	89.8	103.0				
Communication and related equipment	71.7	74.4	72.1	95.0	88.8	96.4	95.6	112.5				
Air conditioning and refrigeration equipment	21.9	25.9	18.4	22.1	21.1	23.7	19.2	17.1				
Scientific equipment ¹	66.2	66.0	63.8	71.5	52.0	81.7	79.3	83.9				
Office machines	53.3	46.2	45.9	54.7	58.0	68.6	63.3	77.9				
Electric lighting, distribution and control equipment	41.6	47.7	43.7	55.2	61.1	63.1	56.7	62.9				
Miscellaneous equipment and tools	71.5	77.0	72.0	83.3	97.7	79.9	86.9	94.5				
Apparel and footwear	42.1	46.6	65.6	51.4	60.1	59.4	74.3	54.0				
Other personal and household goods	53.6	59.8	71.1	76.3	63.2	78.1	82.8	80.3				
Books and other printed matter	48.0	49.1	54.9	52.6	51.4	60.4	63.0	59.2				

¹ Measuring, controlling, laboratory, optical and optical apparatus.