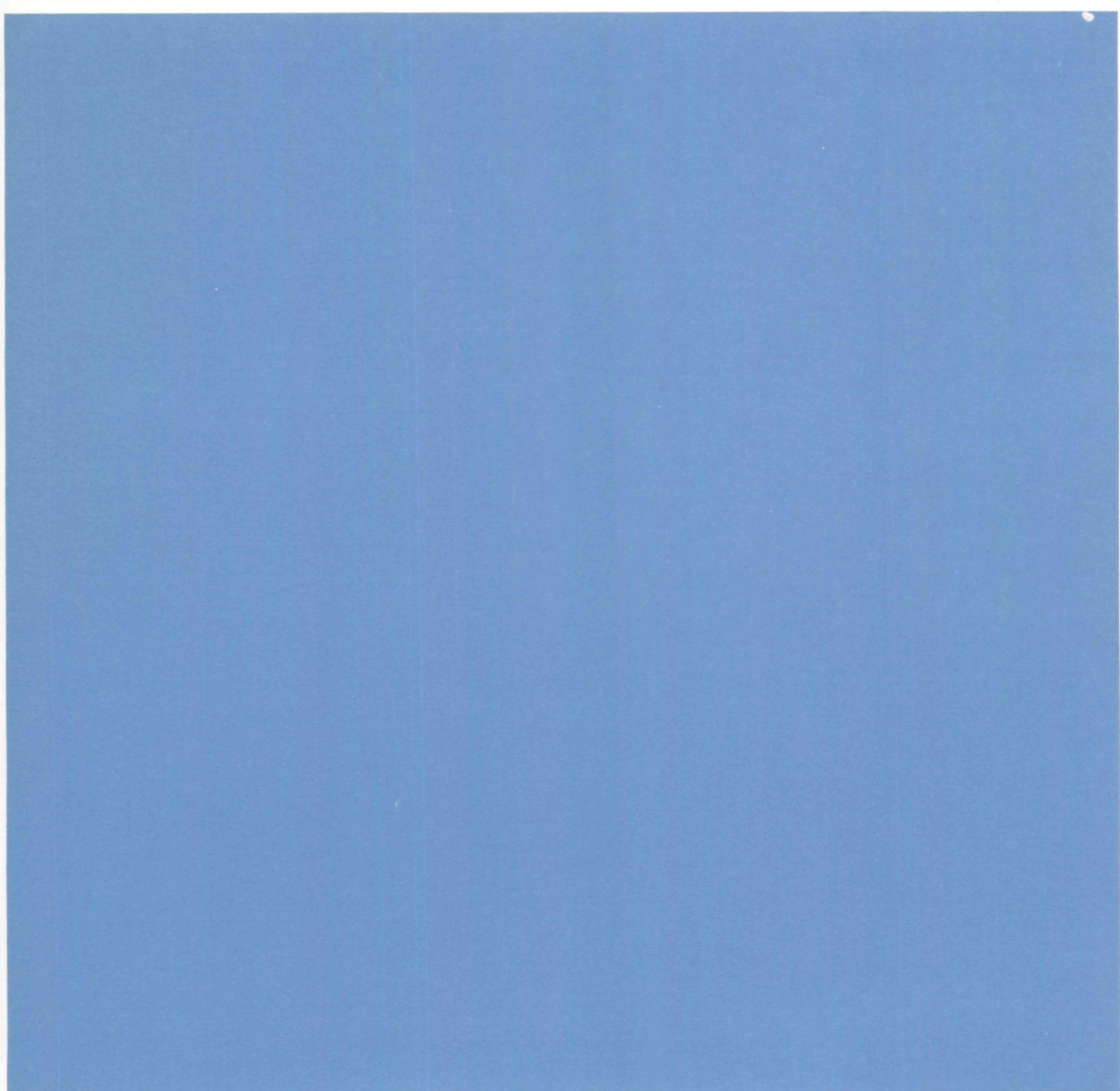


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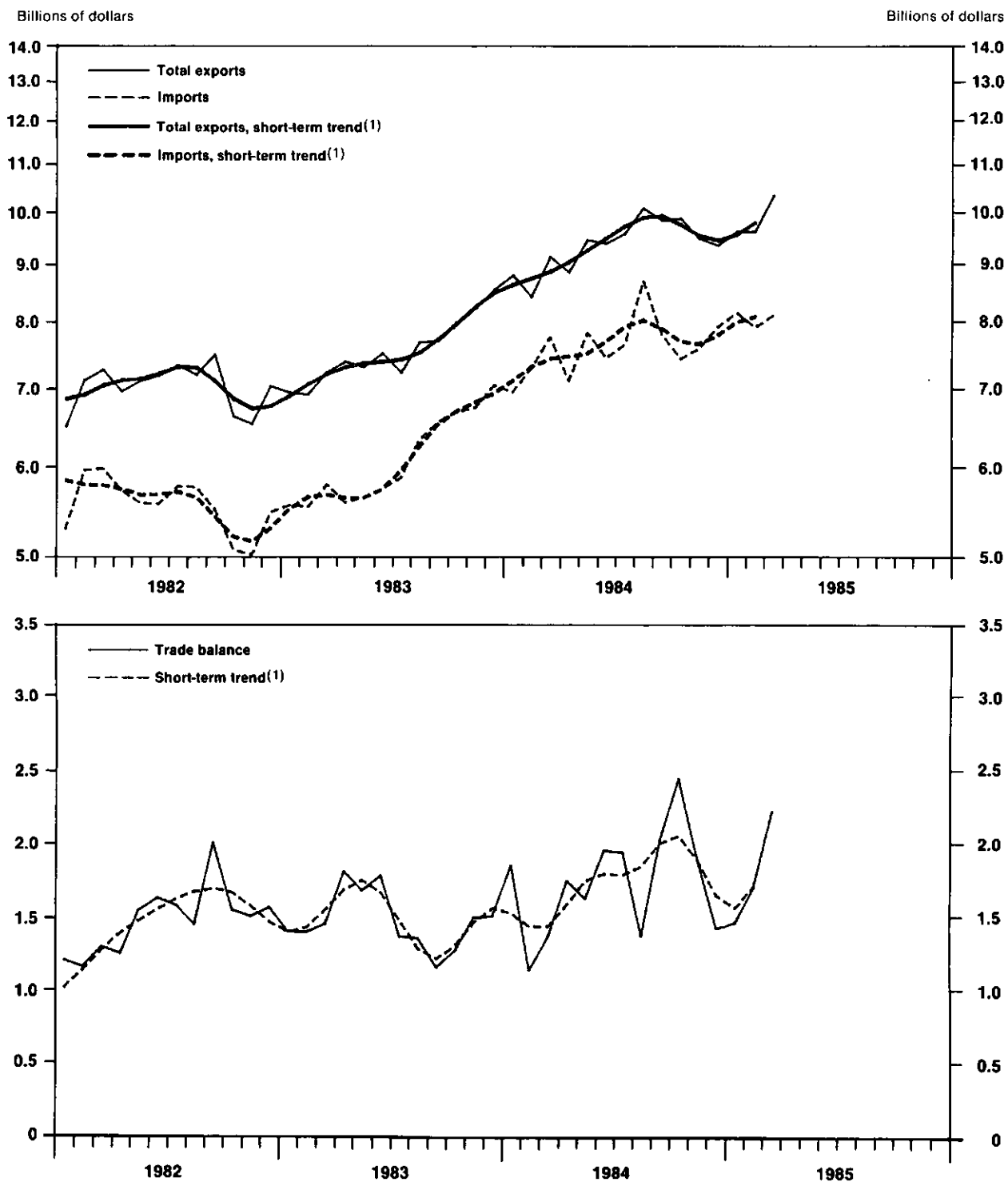


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**Imports, Total Exports, and Trade Balance, All Countries, Seasonally Adjusted  
Balance of Payments Basis**



(1) The short-term trend gives a clearer picture of the direction and rate of change of trade by averaging the substantial monthly fluctuations which frequently occur in trade. The trend for the last month is not shown in the charts above since it frequently changes significantly with the addition of succeeding months of data.

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### Month-to-Month (Table 1)

On a seasonally adjusted balance of payments basis, preliminary estimates indicate a sharp increase of 7.6% or \$730 million in the value of Canada's total exports, bringing it to a record level of \$10.4 billion in March. This increase follows a slight decline in February and affirms the turnaround of \$275 million which occurred in January.

Imports rose moderately by 2.6% (\$210 million) to \$8.1 billion returning to the January level after a drop of \$240 million in February. The resulting merchandise trade surplus in March was \$2.2 billion, second in value only to the record of \$2.4 billion set in October of last year.

### Quarter-to-Quarter (Table 1)

In the first quarter of 1985, total exports increased \$895 million to \$29.7 billion, 12.3% higher than the first quarter of 1984. This value is slightly higher than the \$29.6 billion posted for the third quarter of 1984 and represents an increase of 3.1% over the fourth quarter level of \$28.8 billion.

Imports followed a similar but more pronounced pattern as the decline was deeper in the fourth quarter. Imports for the first quarter of 1985 were \$24.3 billion, \$1,270 million over the fourth quarter of 1984 and slightly higher than the third quarter value of \$24.2 billion.

The merchandise trade surplus in the first quarter of 1985 fell \$0.4 billion to \$5.4 billion from \$5.8 billion in the fourth quarter.

### Short-Term Trend (Graphs)

The strength of the March exports produced a reversal in the short-term trend. From an average decline of 1.5% per month in the fourth quarter of 1984, the trend is now growing at a rate of about 2% per month. This reversal appears in most sectors but is strongest in the energy sector and, to a lesser extent, in the automotive and consumer goods sectors. Forestry products, have levelled off. Food exports continue to drop, notably because of wheat exports which, from a high in mid-1984, have now fallen below 1983 levels.

The short-term trend for imports has grown at about 2% a month since December 1984. The current upward movement of the trend was fuelled in the fourth quarter of 1984 by a rapid growth in the energy and automotive sectors which more than offset declines or slow growth in other sectors. In 1985, the pat-

tern has reversed. Most sectors are showing renewed strength, but automotive imports have levelled off and the energy sector is showing marked declines.

### Commodity Analysis

#### Total Exports (Seasonally Adjusted), Balance of Payments Basis (Table 3)

Much of the \$730 million increase in exports occurred in energy products and in fabricated materials of various types. Exports of refined petroleum products, recovering from an exceptionally low value in January, rose \$55 million in February and \$126 million in March. Exports of crude petroleum were up \$61 million and coal and electricity exports increased by more than \$50 million each. Exports of most chemical groups were up in March, offsetting losses in February. Both lumber and paper (newsprint and other paper) showed significant increases (up \$39 million and \$37 million respectively) but woodpulp exports continued a slide begun in late 1984. Automobile exports advanced \$146 million, reversing a decline of \$169 million in February, while exports of automotive parts fell \$50 million for the third consecutive month.

#### Imports (Seasonally Adjusted), Balance of Payments Basis (Table 4)

Half of the \$210 million increase in imports in March was due to large imports of precious metals. Imports of crude petroleum and refined petroleum products were higher (up \$65 million and \$40 million), following lower imports during February. Automobile imports gained \$70 million to \$936 million, but this value remains well below the January level of \$1,013 million, possibly signalling a levelling of the growth in this area. Imports of trucks rose slightly, but a downward trend continues.

#### Trading Partner Analysis (Table 2)

#### Total Exports (Seasonally Adjusted), Balance of Payments Basis

Exports to the United States, currently accounting for nearly 78% of total exports, now stand at a record \$8.1 billion in March, after a large gain of \$660 million (8.9%) over February. This is the third increase in a row and represents a strong turnaround from the losses in the last quarter of 1984. A \$53 million drop in exports to the United Kingdom was offset by a \$43 million gain in exports to Other EEC countries although, overall, there is a downward trend in exports to these countries. Exports to Japan remained constant.

(continued)



**Imports (Seasonally Adjusted), Balance of Payments Basis**

Imports from the United States rose fractionally to \$5.9 billion remaining below the January level of \$6.0 billion. Imports from all other countries rose modestly in March in contrast to general declines in February. Imports from the

United Kingdom continue at a level substantially below 1984 values. Imports from Japan have established a distinct downward trend.

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**Table 1**  
**Merchandise Trade of Canada**

March 1985  
Balance of Payments Basis

	Total Exports <sup>1</sup> Raw	Imports Raw	Total Exports <sup>1</sup> S.A. \$ millions	Imports S.A.	Balance S.A.	Period-to-Period Change <sup>2</sup>		
						Total Exports <sup>1</sup> S.A. %	Imports S.A. %	Balance S.A. \$ millions
1979	65,582	61,156	65,582	61,156	4,425	22.9	24.7	108
1980	76,680	67,901	76,680	67,901	8,779	16.9	11.0	4,354
1981	84,468	77,140	84,468	77,140	7,328	10.2	13.6	-1,451
1982	84,540	66,726	84,540	66,726	17,814	0.1	-13.5	10,486
1983	90,825	73,120	90,825	73,120	17,705	7.4	9.6	-109
1984	112,510	91,679	112,510	91,679	20,831	23.9	25.4	3,126
<b>1983</b>								
First Quarter	20,531	16,593	21,133	16,872	4,261	4.6	8.3	-370
Second Quarter	23,506	18,414	22,242	16,963	5,279	5.2	0.5	1,018
Third Quarter	21,533	17,867	22,655	18,772	3,883	1.9	10.7	-1,396
Fourth Quarter	25,253	20,246	24,795	20,514	4,281	9.4	9.3	398
<b>1984</b>								
First Quarter	25,872	21,906	26,417	22,050	4,367	6.5	7.5	85
Second Quarter	29,393	24,225	27,765	22,429	5,336	5.1	1.7	969
Third Quarter	27,733	22,711	29,555	24,204	5,352	6.4	7.9	16
Fourth Quarter	29,513	22,837	28,773	22,997	5,777	-2.6	-5.0	425
<b>1985</b>								
First Quarter	28,781	23,674	29,668	24,265	5,402	3.1	5.5	-374
<b>1984</b>								
January	8,278	6,492	8,820	6,965	1,855	2.9	-1.3	346
February	8,376	7,290	8,446	7,308	1,138	-4.2	4.9	-716
March	9,217	8,125	9,150	7,777	1,373	8.3	6.4	234
April	9,121	7,818	8,875	7,124	1,751	-3.0	-8.4	378
May	10,266	8,503	9,475	7,847	1,628	6.8	10.1	-123
June	10,006	7,904	9,415	7,457	1,958	-0.6	-5.0	331
July	9,251	7,502	9,607	7,663	1,944	2.0	2.8	-14
August	8,950	8,004	10,098	8,723	1,375	5.1	13.8	-569
September	9,533	7,206	9,851	7,818	2,033	-2.4	-10.4	658
October	10,363	8,182	9,891	7,445	2,446	0.4	-4.8	413
November	10,151	7,751	9,506	7,605	1,901	-3.9	2.1	-546
December	8,999	6,905	9,376	7,946	1,430	-1.4	4.5	-470
<b>1985</b>								
January	9,128	7,641	9,649	8,179	1,470	2.9	2.9	40
February	9,142	7,586	9,644	7,939	1,705	-0.1	-2.9	235
March	10,511	8,447	10,374	8,147	2,227	7.6	2.6	522
<b>Year to date</b>								
1984	25,872	21,906	26,417	22,050	4,367	25.0	30.7	105
1985	28,781	23,674	29,668	24,265	5,402	12.3	10.0	1,036

<sup>1</sup> Total Exports = Domestic Exports + Re-exports.

<sup>2</sup> Year to year, quarter to quarter, month to month.

Note: Due to rounding monthly data may not add up to quarterly data and quarterly data may not add up to annual data.

Table 2  
**Merchandise Trade by Principal Trading Areas**  
 March 1985  
 Seasonally Adjusted, Balance of Payments Basis

	Feb. \$ millions	Mar.	Period-to-Period Change				Year-to- Date \$ millions	Change Over Previous Year	
			Feb. %	Mar. %	Feb. \$ millions	Mar. \$ millions		%	\$ millions
<b>Total exports to:</b>									
United States	7,418.5	8,075.8	1.7	8.9	123.0	657.3	22,789.8	12.7	2,575.9
Japan	510.3	505.3	0.1	-1.0	0.7	-5.0	1,525.2	21.0	264.9
United Kingdom	241.1	187.8	5.4	-22.1	12.4	-53.3	657.7	4.6	28.9
"Other E.E.C." countries	340.9	383.7	-17.5	12.6	-72.4	42.8	1,137.9	7.4	78.3
"Other O.E.C.D." countries	178.6	228.8	-7.9	28.1	-15.2	50.2	601.1	32.0	145.8
"Other" countries	954.4	993.0	-5.4	4.0	-54.2	38.6	2,956.0	5.6	156.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,643.9</b>	<b>10,374.4</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>-5.6</b>	<b>730.5</b>	<b>29,667.7</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>3,250.7</b>
<b>Imports from:</b>									
United States	5,885.8	5,935.7	-2.0	0.8	-119.6	49.9	17,826.9	10.9	1,748.2
Japan	440.0	446.7	-7.6	1.5	-36.0	6.6	1,362.8	10.6	131.2
United Kingdom	143.9	148.0	-6.6	2.8	-10.2	4.0	446.0	-26.2	-158.6
"Other E.E.C." countries	493.5	511.2	-1.2	3.6	-5.9	17.8	1,504.1	11.2	151.7
"Other O.E.C.D." countries	189.3	211.9	3.8	11.9	6.9	22.6	583.6	16.4	82.4
"Other" countries	786.2	893.9	-8.8	13.7	-75.6	107.7	2,541.9	11.4	259.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,938.7</b>	<b>8,147.4</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>-240.4</b>	<b>208.6</b>	<b>24,265.3</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>2,214.8</b>
<b>Balance with:</b>									
United States	1,532.7	2,140.1			242.6	607.4	4,962.9		827.7
Japan	70.3	58.6			36.8	-11.7	162.5		133.8
United Kingdom	97.2	39.8			22.6	-57.4	211.7		187.5
"Other E.E.C." countries	-152.6	-127.5			-66.4	25.1	-366.2		-73.4
"Other O.E.C.D." countries	-10.7	16.9			-22.1	27.6	17.6		63.5
"Other" countries	168.2	99.1			21.4	-69.1	414.1		-103.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,705.1</b>	<b>2,227.0</b>			<b>234.8</b>	<b>521.9</b>	<b>5,402.5</b>		<b>1,035.9</b>

Table 3

**Total Exports by Commodity**

March 1985

Seasonally Adjusted, Balance of Payments Basis

	Period-to-Period Change						Year-to-Date \$ millions	Change Over Previous Year	
	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.		%	\$ millions
	\$ millions		%	%	\$ millions				
<b>Live animals</b>	<b>51.9</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>164.0</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>67.8</b>
<b>Food, feed, beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>700.5</b>	<b>698.1</b>	<b>-9.5</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-73.5</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>2,172.6</b>	<b>-8.6</b>	<b>-204.7</b>
Fish and fish preparations	127.7	141.9	-5.9	11.1	-8.0	14.2	405.3	3.4	13.5
Barley	31.8	32.3	-46.7	1.6	-27.9	0.5	123.8	-27.5	-46.9
Wheat	271.5	256.9	-10.5	-5.4	-32.0	-14.6	831.9	-16.2	-160.9
Wheat flour	7.2	11.2	53.2	55.6	2.5	4.0	23.1	6.5	1.4
Other cereals unmilled	7.8	7.5	62.5	-3.8	3.0	-0.3	20.1	-63.4	-34.8
Other cereal preparations	20.2	21.9	-3.8	8.4	-0.8	1.7	63.1	0.2	0.1
Meat and meat preparations	67.5	63.1	-1.5	-6.5	-1.0	-4.4	199.1	7.3	13.5
Alcoholic beverages	44.0	52.3	-8.1	18.9	-3.9	8.3	144.2	1.8	2.6
Other food, feed, beverages and tobacco	122.9	111.1	-4.1	-9.6	-5.2	-11.8	362.1	1.9	6.6
<b>Crude materials, inedible</b>	<b>1,787.0</b>	<b>1,814.1</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>351.5</b>	<b>27.1</b>	<b>5,036.6</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>950.6</b>
Rapeseed	52.9	40.7	37.0	-23.1	14.3	-12.2	132.2	-44.9	-107.8
Other crude vegetable products	25.6	48.7	-41.3	90.2	-18.0	23.1	117.9	6.0	6.7
Iron ores, concentrates and scrap	190.7	112.7	64.0	-40.9	74.4	-78.0	419.7	18.9	66.7
Copper ores, concentrates and scrap	59.9	38.6	52.0	-35.6	20.5	-21.3	137.9	3.4	4.5
Nickel ores, concentrates and scrap	36.1	62.5	-22.7	73.1	-10.6	26.4	145.3	-1.4	-2.1
Zinc ores, concentrates and scrap	0.7	2.7	-53.3	285.7	-0.8	2.0	4.9	-89.7	-42.5
Other ores, concentrates and scrap	137.3	63.8	21.6	-53.5	24.4	-73.5	314.0	53.0	108.8
Crude petroleum	471.6	532.4	62.6	12.9	181.6	60.8	1,294.0	48.0	419.6
Natural gas	348.1	365.0	10.5	4.9	33.2	16.9	1,028.0	4.8	47.1
Coal and other bituminous substances	188.9	239.8	29.6	26.9	43.2	50.9	574.4	32.3	140.3
Asbestos unmanufactured	33.1	30.3	-31.3	-8.5	-15.1	-2.8	111.6	-22.9	-33.2
Other crude animal products	26.2	25.5	-2.6	-2.7	-0.7	-0.7	78.6	13.3	9.2
Other crude wood products	24.7	40.2	-22.1	62.8	-7.0	15.5	96.6	32.3	23.6
Other crude non-metallic minerals	173.6	191.7	9.3	10.4	14.8	18.1	524.1	138.1	304.0
Other crude materials, inedible	17.7	19.6	-12.8	10.7	-2.6	1.9	57.6	11.4	5.9
<b>Fabricated materials, inedible</b>	<b>2,915.3</b>	<b>3,363.6</b>	<b>-2.3</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>-69.8</b>	<b>448.3</b>	<b>9,264.0</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>973.7</b>
Lumber	337.8	377.2	1.2	11.7	3.9	39.4	1,048.9	-2.2	-23.1
Other wood fabricated materials	73.0	78.1	-6.0	7.0	-4.7	5.1	228.8	-2.9	-6.8
Woodpulp and similar pulp	294.2	289.9	-6.2	-1.5	-19.6	-4.3	897.9	22.2	163.1
Newsprint paper	459.4	480.6	5.6	4.6	24.5	21.2	1,374.9	36.4	366.7
Other paper and paperboard	100.4	116.6	-6.3	16.1	-6.8	16.2	324.2	12.7	36.6
Inorganic chemicals	101.0	145.7	-22.2	44.3	-28.9	44.7	376.6	18.7	59.4
Organic chemicals	117.7	134.2	-19.2	14.0	-28.0	16.5	397.6	11.9	42.2
Fertilizers and fertilizer materials	103.9	130.8	-11.6	25.9	-13.7	26.9	352.3	-4.2	-15.4
Synthetic rubber and plastics	96.5	105.9	-5.9	9.7	-6.0	9.4	304.9	53.8	106.7
Other chemical products	36.3	29.0	10.0	-20.1	3.3	-7.3	98.3	21.8	17.6
Petroleum and coal products	234.6	360.5	30.6	53.7	55.0	125.9	774.7	3.0	22.8
Primary iron and steel	16.6	8.8	17.7	-47.0	2.5	-7.8	39.5	-30.5	-17.3
Steel bars, rods, plates, sheets	109.7	113.0	14.9	3.0	14.2	3.3	318.2	24.3	62.3
Other iron and steel & alloys	79.5	85.8	-16.6	7.9	-15.8	6.3	260.6	19.2	42.0
Aluminum including alloys	133.6	162.4	-32.9	21.6	-65.5	28.8	495.1	-4.0	-20.8
Copper and alloys	66.7	42.9	27.5	-35.7	14.4	-23.8	161.9	-19.7	-39.8
Nickel and alloys	55.8	58.7	4.3	5.2	2.3	2.9	168.0	36.9	45.3
Precious metals and alloys	125.7	167.4	2.3	33.2	2.8	41.7	416.0	7.7	29.8
Zinc and alloys	55.0	76.0	-9.5	38.2	-5.8	21.0	191.8	4.6	8.4
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	13.7	14.3	-8.1	4.4	-1.2	0.6	42.9	9.2	3.6
Metal fabricated basic products	77.4	83.3	-2.4	7.6	-1.9	5.9	240.0	26.5	50.3
Electricity	93.5	145.4	-13.0	55.5	-14.0	51.9	346.4	21.7	61.7
Textile fabricated materials	23.6	27.6	-3.3	16.9	-0.8	4.0	75.6	0.7	0.5
Non-metallic mineral basic products	54.5	70.7	2.6	29.7	1.4	16.2	178.3	5.6	9.5
Other fabricated materials	55.2	59.0	50.4	6.9	18.5	3.8	150.9	-17.1	-31.1
<b>End products, inedible</b>	<b>4,029.2</b>	<b>4,249.7</b>	<b>-5.1</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>-216.4</b>	<b>220.5</b>	<b>12,524.5</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>1,404.0</b>
Industrial machinery	290.4	315.2	6.0	8.5	16.4	24.8	879.6	23.1	165.1
Agricultural machinery including tractors	48.8	50.8	-5.6	4.1	-2.9	2.0	151.3	-15.9	-28.5
Passenger autos and chassis	1,029.9	1,176.2	-14.1	14.2	-168.9	146.3	3,404.9	0.7	22.9
Trucks and other motor vehicles	585.1	595.5	4.8	1.8	26.8	10.4	1,738.9	26.5	364.8
Motor vehicle pts., incl. eng. & eng. pts.	949.2	896.7	-5.7	-5.5	-57.4	-52.5	2,852.5	15.6	384.6
Television, telecommunication equipment	234.9	245.3	-6.8	4.4	-17.1	10.4	732.2	28.7	163.3
Aircraft, engines, parts	165.5	179.7	3.1	8.6	4.9	14.2	505.8	16.0	69.7
Other transportation equipment	73.7	82.1	-16.7	11.4	-14.8	8.4	244.3	9.9	22.1
Office machines and equipment	167.6	178.5	2.1	6.5	3.5	10.9	510.2	25.9	105.1
Other equipment and tools	208.6	200.4	-0.7	-3.9	-1.4	-8.2	619.0	15.9	84.7
Other consumer goods	154.9	159.8	4.0	3.2	6.0	4.9	463.6	3.5	15.7
Other end products, inedible	120.6	169.6	-8.6	40.6	-11.4	49.0	422.2	8.9	34.6
<b>Special transactions trade</b>	<b>26.3</b>	<b>44.9</b>	<b>-17.3</b>	<b>70.7</b>	<b>-5.5</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>103.0</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>8.7</b>
<b>Unallocated BOP adjustments</b>	<b>133.7</b>	<b>138.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>402.9</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>50.5</b>
<b>Total exports</b>	<b>9,643.9</b>	<b>10,374.4</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>-5.6</b>	<b>730.5</b>	<b>29,667.8</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>3,250.7</b>

Table 4

**Imports by Commodity**

March 1985

Seasonally Adjusted, Balance of Payments Basis

	Feb. Mar.		Period-to-Period Change				Year-to-Date \$ millions	Change Over Previous Year	
	\$ millions		Feb. %	Mar. %	Feb. \$ millions	Mar. \$ millions		%	\$ millions
<b>Live animals</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>34.9</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>24.8</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>0.9</b>
<b>Food, feed, beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>508.8</b>	<b>492.5</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>-16.3</b>	<b>1,477.9</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>81.6</b>
Meat and meat preparations	46.4	37.2	12.9	-19.8	5.3	-9.2	124.7	11.2	12.6
Fish and marine animals	42.0	45.4	-0.7	8.1	-0.3	3.4	129.7	14.0	15.9
Fresh fruits and berries	82.8	77.6	7.7	-6.3	5.9	-5.2	237.3	8.2	18.0
Dried fruits, fruits and fruit preparations	42.2	43.3	-7.5	2.6	-3.4	1.1	131.1	-0.7	-0.9
Fresh vegetables	45.5	44.3	2.2	-2.6	1.0	-1.2	134.3	-9.2	-13.6
Other vegetables and vegetable prep.	25.9	23.1	25.7	-10.8	5.3	-2.8	69.6	-7.8	-5.9
Cocoa, coffee, tea and other food prep.	89.6	78.9	23.6	-11.9	17.1	-10.7	241.0	9.3	20.5
Dairy products, eggs and honey	11.4	12.3	6.5	7.9	0.7	0.9	34.4	2.7	0.9
Corn (maize) shelled	8.3	8.2	-31.4	-1.2	-3.8	-0.1	28.6	76.5	12.4
Other cereals and cereal preparations	20.2	17.5	-12.6	-13.4	-2.9	-2.7	60.8	-7.6	-5.0
Sugar and sugar preparations	40.4	44.5	12.8	10.1	4.6	4.1	120.7	37.9	33.2
Fodder, feed, excluding unmilled cereal	16.9	16.9	-19.5	0.0	-4.1	0.0	54.8	-3.2	-1.8
Beverages	35.2	39.3	26.2	11.6	7.3	4.1	102.4	-2.4	-2.5
Tobacco	1.9	4.0	-26.9	110.5	-0.7	2.1	8.5	-21.3	-2.3
<b>Crude materials, inedible</b>	<b>447.9</b>	<b>570.8</b>	<b>-7.5</b>	<b>27.4</b>	<b>-36.3</b>	<b>122.9</b>	<b>1,502.9</b>	<b>-27.0</b>	<b>-555.8</b>
Metals in ores, concentrates and scrap	66.7	85.8	-22.4	28.6	-19.2	19.1	238.4	-45.2	-196.5
Coal and other related products	70.7	81.7	64.0	15.6	27.6	11.0	195.5	-15.1	-34.7
Crude petroleum	178.7	244.0	-22.0	36.5	-50.4	65.3	651.8	-32.7	-317.2
Crude animal products	21.2	21.5	11.0	1.4	2.1	0.3	61.8	7.7	4.4
Crude vegetable products	43.9	36.5	19.3	-16.9	7.1	-7.4	117.2	-10.7	-14.0
Crude wood products	15.4	20.8	-4.3	35.1	-0.7	5.4	52.3	35.5	13.7
Cotton	9.0	8.0	18.4	-11.1	1.4	-1.0	24.6	-3.1	-0.8
Wool and man-made fibres	11.7	11.9	-15.2	1.7	-2.1	0.2	37.4	-15.0	-6.6
Crude non-metallic minerals	30.6	60.7	-6.4	98.4	-2.1	30.1	124.0	-3.0	-3.9
<b>Fabricated materials, inedible</b>	<b>1,364.6</b>	<b>1,532.7</b>	<b>-10.2</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>-155.4</b>	<b>168.1</b>	<b>4,417.3</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>491.1</b>
Wood fabricated materials	57.1	55.4	7.1	-3.0	3.8	-1.7	165.8	-4.5	-7.8
Textile fabricated materials	137.0	143.1	-1.1	4.5	-1.5	6.1	418.6	-0.9	-3.6
Organic chemicals	113.6	127.6	3.2	12.3	3.5	14.0	351.3	-2.1	-7.4
Plastic materials	122.5	127.4	8.7	4.0	9.8	4.9	362.6	8.3	27.7
Other chemicals and related prod.	204.8	189.9	14.7	-7.3	26.2	-14.9	573.3	5.3	28.6
Petroleum and coal products	108.2	147.8	-43.9	36.6	-84.5	39.6	448.7	6.8	28.5
Steel bars, rods, plates, sheets	78.4	91.1	4.7	16.2	3.5	12.7	244.4	10.4	23.0
Other iron and steel products	66.5	65.1	-5.7	-2.1	-4.0	-1.4	202.1	21.6	35.9
Precious metals including alloys	33.8	138.9	-77.4	310.9	-115.8	105.1	322.3	374.7	254.4
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	97.0	87.7	0.9	-9.6	0.9	-9.3	280.8	-4.5	-13.3
Metal fabricated basic products	124.0	129.8	2.6	4.7	3.1	5.8	374.7	13.8	45.3
Rubber fabricated materials	20.4	21.0	6.8	2.9	1.3	0.6	60.5	13.7	7.3
Oils, fats, animal and vegetable	19.1	20.7	4.9	8.4	0.9	1.6	58.0	15.8	7.9
Non-metallic minerals	75.8	84.8	-1.8	11.9	-1.4	9.0	237.8	20.6	40.6
Other fabricated materials	106.5	102.5	-0.9	-3.8	-1.0	-4.0	316.5	8.4	24.4
<b>End products, inedible</b>	<b>5,634.4</b>	<b>5,575.3</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-87.5</b>	<b>-59.1</b>	<b>16,931.6</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>2,024.4</b>
Engines, turbines and elec. motors	93.4	67.6	42.6	-27.6	27.9	-25.8	226.5	28.6	50.4
Drilling mining machinery	57.0	64.0	-0.2	12.3	-0.1	7.0	178.1	32.5	43.7
Excavating machinery	62.4	60.9	30.3	-2.4	14.5	-1.5	171.2	9.9	15.4
Metal working machinery	75.5	83.4	7.2	10.5	5.1	7.9	229.3	23.9	44.3
Other industrial machinery	336.3	356.2	0.3	5.9	0.9	19.9	1,027.9	19.3	166.5
Agricultural machinery incl. tractors	137.3	125.6	1.9	-8.5	2.5	-11.7	397.7	-6.5	-27.7
Passenger autos and chassis	865.5	935.9	-14.5	8.1	-147.2	70.4	2,814.1	38.5	781.7
Trucks and other motor vehicles	217.8	223.0	-4.3	2.4	-9.8	5.2	668.4	12.3	73.2
Motor vehicle pts., incl. eng. & eng. pts.	1,421.7	1,270.6	-3.2	-10.6	-46.5	-151.1	4,160.5	10.4	393.3
Television, radios, phonographs	72.1	59.6	22.2	-17.3	13.1	-12.5	190.7	-6.2	-12.5
Other commun. and related equipment	316.7	336.0	5.0	6.1	15.2	19.3	954.2	9.7	84.0
Office machines and equipment	353.2	380.5	0.3	7.7	0.9	27.3	1,086.0	11.9	115.7
Other equipment and tools	527.4	530.8	1.0	0.6	5.3	3.4	1,580.3	9.1	131.2
Aircraft, engines, parts	224.1	186.3	-0.7	-16.9	-1.5	-37.8	636.0	12.0	68.1
Other transportation equipment & parts	123.5	97.9	14.4	-20.7	15.5	-25.6	329.4	-5.4	-18.7
Apparel and apparel accessories	150.1	159.3	15.9	6.1	20.6	9.2	438.9	15.7	59.7
Footwear	37.6	38.7	-16.3	2.9	-7.3	1.1	121.2	4.7	5.4
Printed matter	110.8	119.3	2.9	7.7	3.1	8.5	337.8	4.3	14.0
Watches, sporting goods and toys	74.6	86.8	-3.2	16.4	-2.5	12.2	238.5	13.6	28.5
House furnishings	82.9	87.7	-0.4	5.8	-0.3	4.8	253.8	-0.2	-0.4
Photographic goods	76.0	87.4	-4.0	15.0	-3.2	11.4	242.6	-9.0	-24.1
Miscellaneous end products	218.6	217.6	3.1	-0.5	6.6	-1.0	648.2	5.2	32.3
<b>Special transactions trade</b>	<b>133.6</b>	<b>132.8</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>394.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>7.0</b>
<b>Unallocated BOP adjustments</b>	<b>-159.1</b>	<b>-166.7</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>-7.6</b>	<b>-483.5</b>	<b>-25.5</b>	<b>165.6</b>
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>7,938.7</b>	<b>8,147.4</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>-240.5</b>	<b>208.7</b>	<b>24,265.3</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>2,214.8</b>

