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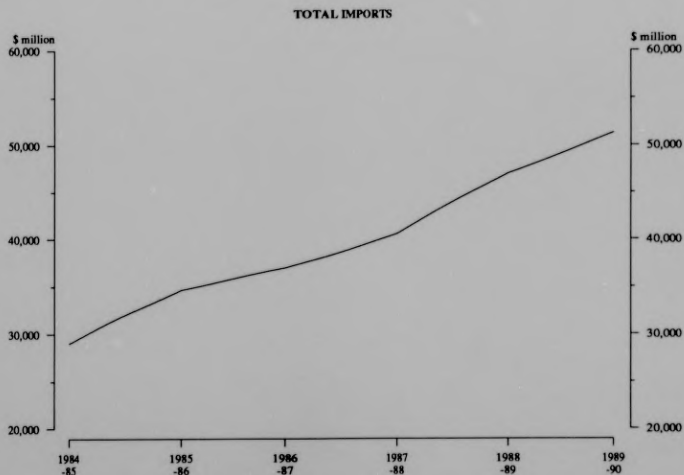
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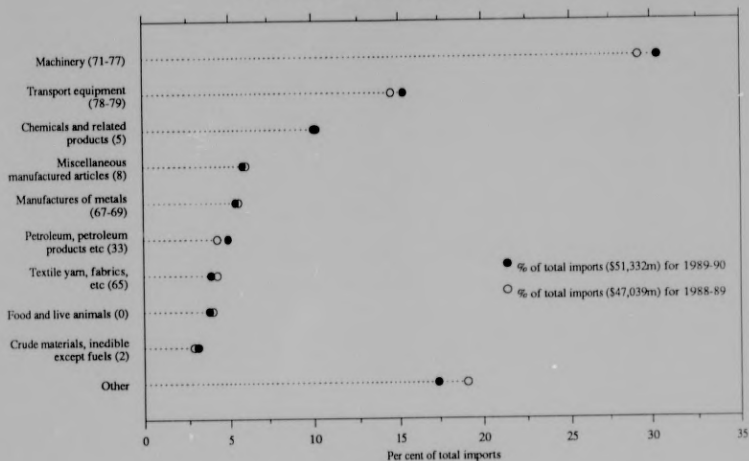
TABLE 1. SUMMARY OF IMPORTS AND IMPORTS CLEARED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION
(\$million)

Period	Total imports(a)(b)	Non-merchandise imports(b)(c)	Imports cleared for home consumption(a)(b)
1984-85	29,049	971	29,907
1985-86	34,691	1,044	34,342
1986-87	36,988	1,176	36,891
1987-88	40,597	1,343	40,441
1988-89	47,039	1,042	46,824
1989-90(d)	51,332	1,255	51,189

(a) Excludes non-merchandise trade imports. See paragraphs 6 to 9 of the Explanatory Notes for details. (b) Total imports and imports cleared for home consumption for periods from 1 July 1987 include imports of gold coins, whether or not they are legal tender, and other coins which are legal tender. For periods prior to 1 July 1987 these data are included in non-merchandise imports. See Appendix A of the 1988-89 issue of this publication for details. (c) See paragraphs 8 and 9 of the Explanatory Notes. (d) Due to changes in Customs valuation, data for periods from 1 July 1989 are not fully comparable with data for previous periods. For further details see the note 'Change in the Valuation of Imports' at the beginning of the Explanatory Notes.



DISTRIBUTION OF IMPORTS BY MAJOR COMMODITIES (a)



(a) 'Major commodities' in this graph are significant groups of Divisions (2 digit), or Sections (1 digit) of the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) Rev 3.

DISTRIBUTION OF IMPORTS FROM MAJOR COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS

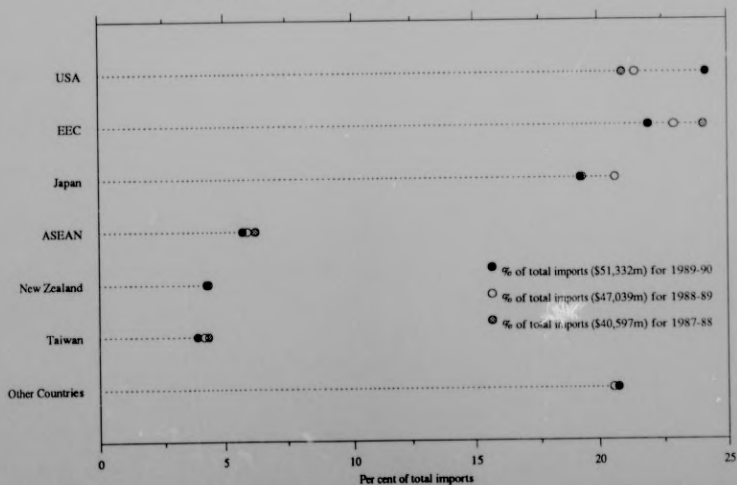


TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
00	Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates		
00111	Live pure bred bovine animals, for breeding	2,972	4,786
00119	Live bovine animals, (excl. pure bred breeding stock)	8	87
00121	Live sheep	37	39
00122	Live goats	—	—
00139	Live swine (excl. pure bred breeding stock)	—	1
00151	Live horses	150,575	126,348
00152	Live asses, mules and hinnies	—	1
00190	Live animals (excl. bovine animals, sheep, goats, swine, poultry, horses, asses, mules and hinnies)	2,852	7,795
DIVISION 00 TOTAL		156,442	139,057
01	Meat and meat preparations		
01111	Fresh or chilled meat of bovine animals, with bone in	939	292
01112	Fresh or chilled meat of bovine animals, boneless	12,709	5,909
01121	Frozen meat of bovine animals, with bone in	997	281
01122	Frozen meat of bovine animals, boneless	4,248	1,558
01211	Fresh or chilled meat of sheep	205	46
01212	Frozen meat of sheep	3,141	832
01213	Fresh, chilled or frozen meat of goats	3	3
01221	Fresh or chilled meat of swine	23	—
01252	Frozen edible offal of bovine animals	53	60
01253	Fresh or chilled edible offal of swine	36	45
01254	Frozen edible offal of swine	—	12
01255	Fresh or chilled edible offal of sheep, goats, horses, asses, mules or hinnies	—	11
01292	Fresh, chilled or frozen frogs' legs	45	113
01293	Fresh, chilled or frozen snails (excl. sea snails)	46	65
01299	Fresh, chilled or frozen meat and edible meat offal, nes	826	1,254
01612	Bellies (streaky) and cuts thereof of swine	3	—
01619	Dried, salted or smoked meat of swine (excl. hams, shoulders, bellies and cuts thereof)	—	—
01681	Meat of bovine animals, salted, in brine, dried or smoked	254	394
01689	Meat & edible meat offal, salted, in brine, dried or smoked (incl. of edible flours of meat or meat offal), nes	196	246
01710	Extracts and juices of meat, fish or crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates	600	655
01720	Sausages and similar products, of meat, meat offal or blood; food preparations based on these products	30	27
01730	Prepared or preserved liver of any animal, nes	820	728
01740	Prepared or preserved meat and offal (excl. liver) of poultry, nes	579	1,409
01750	Prepared or preserved meat and offal (excl. liver) of swine, nes	1,718	2,901
01760	Prepared or preserved meat and offal (excl. liver) of bovine animals, nes	2,371	4,480
01790	Prepared or preserved meat or meat offal (incl. preparations of blood of any animal), nes	411	343
DIVISION 01 TOTAL		30,254	21,664
02	Dairy products and birds' eggs		
02211	Milk, not exc 1% by weight of fat content, not concentrated or sweetened	130	4
02212	Milk and cream, exc 1% but not exc 6% by weight of fat content, not concentrated or sweetened	1,942	734
02213	Cream, exc 6% by weight of fat content, not concentrated or sweetened	225	54
02221	Milk, not exc 1.5% by weight of fat content, in solid form	1,991	674
02222	Milk and cream, exc 1.5% by weight of fat content, in solid form	5,255	4,766
02223	Milk and cream, concentrated, not in solid form, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	177	41
02224	Milk and cream, concentrated or sweetened, not in solid form, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	1,884	2,418
02231	Yogurt	181	386
02232	Buttermilk, curdled milk and cream, kephir and other fermented or acidified milk or cream	121	991
02233	Ice cream and other edible ice	1,196	1,574
02241	Whey	2,405	3,482
02249	Products consisting of natural milk constituents, nes	119	995
02300	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk	802	2,522
02410	Grated or powdered cheese, of all kinds	1,091	2,173
02420	Processed cheese, not grated or powdered	12,272	12,067
02430	Blue-veined cheese	4,066	4,316
02491	Fresh cheese, not fermented (incl. cheese made from whey) and curd	289	385

For footnotes see end of table.

TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — *continued*
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
02	Dairy products and birds' eggs		
02499	Cheese (excl. not fermented, blue-veined, processed and all grated or powdered cheese)	56,418	67,713
02510	Fresh, preserved or cooked birds' eggs, in shell	4	8
02521	Dried birds' eggs, not in shell, and egg yolks	2	2
02522	Birds' eggs, not in shell, and egg yolks (excl. dried)	63	78
02530	Egg albumin	19	166
		90,652	105,552
DIVISION 02 TOTAL			
03	Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof		
03411	Live fish	1,893	2,359
03412	Fresh or chilled salmonidae (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	5	817
03413	Fresh or chilled flat fish (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	162	96
03414	Fresh or chilled tunas, skipjack or stripe-bellied bonito (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	87	1,851
03415	Fresh or chilled herrings, sardines, sardinella, brislings, sprats (excl. livers, roes, fillets, mince)	11	70
03416	Fresh or chilled cod (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	1	3
03417	Fresh or chilled mackerel (scombrids) (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	130	—
03418	Fresh or chilled fish nes (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	6,178	7,114
03419	Fresh or chilled fish livers and roes	25	12
03421	Frozen salmonidae (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	2,259	398
03422	Frozen flat fish (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	2,330	2,252
03423	Frozen tunas, skipjack or stripe-bellied bonito (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	9,510	8,235
03424	Frozen herrings, sardines, sardinella, brislings or sprats (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	158	113
03425	Frozen cod (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	42	27
03426	Frozen mackerel (scombrids) (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	788	787
03427	Frozen hake (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	456	75
03428	Frozen fish, nes (excl. livers and roes, fillets and minced fish)	7,838	6,983
03429	Frozen fish livers and roes	84	80
03440	Frozen fish fillets	76,561	70,695
03451	Fresh or chilled fish fillets and other fish meat	1,438	1,343
03455	Frozen fish meat (excl. fillets)	7,086	11,357
03511	Dried cod (gadus morhua, gadus ogac, gadus macrocephalus) (excl. fillets and smoked)	837	793
03512	Fish fillets, dried, salted or in brine (excl. smoked)	1,397	1,350
03513	Dried fish (excl. cod, fillets and smoked)	1,912	1,901
03521	Cod (gadus morhua, gadus ogac, gadus macrocephalus) salted or in brine but not dried or smoked	200	383
03522	Anchovies, salted or in brine, but not dried or smoked	529	473
03529	Fish (excl. cod and anchovies) salted, or in brine, but not dried or smoked	846	635
03530	Smoked fish (incl. fillets)	10,685	10,415
03540	Fish liver and roes, dried, smoked, salted or in brine	221	125
03550	Fish meal fit for human consumption	619	84
03611	Frozen shrimps and prawns	58,614	52,321
03619	Frozen crustaceans (excl. shrimps and prawns)	5,139	3,576
03620	Crustaceans (excl. frozen)	7,469	5,547
03631	Oysters, fresh, chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine	2,579	2,748
03633	Fresh or chilled cuttlefish, octopus and squid	228	225
03635	Fresh or chilled molluscs and aquatic invertebrates (excl. oysters, cuttlefish, octopus and squid)	3,177	3,910
03637	Cuttlefish, octopus and squid, frozen, dried, salted or in brine	12,068	13,784
03639	Frozen, dried, salted or in brine, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates (excl. cuttlefish, octopus and squid)	16,049	29,014
03711	Prepared/preserved salmon, whole or in pieces, but not minced	66,807	54,961
03712	Herrings, sardines, sardinella and brislings or sprats, whole or in pieces, not minced	17,695	19,995
03713	Tunas, skipjack and Atlantic bonito, whole or in pieces, but not minced	22,004	20,310
03714	Prepared/preserved mackerel, whole or in pieces, but not minced	1,559	2,471
03715	Fish prepared or preserved, whole or in pieces, but not minced, nes	8,648	10,179
03716	Fish, prepared or preserved (excl. whole or in pieces) nes	19,950	19,029
03717	Caviar and caviar substitutes prepared from fish eggs	2,116	2,639
03721	Crustaceans, prepared or preserved, nes	41,065	37,956
03722	Molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, prepared or preserved, nes	17,708	15,721
DIVISION 03 TOTAL		436,934	425,215

For footnotes see end of table.

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
04 Cereals and cereal preparations			
04120	Unmilled wheat (incl. spelt) and meslin (excl. durum wheat)	23	—
04210	Rice in the husk (paddy or rough rice)	410	385
04220	Rice husked but not further prepared (cargo rice or brown rice)	109	74
04231	Semi-milled or wholly milled rice (excl. broken rice)	11,245	14,707
04232	Broken rice	1,262	1,793
04300	Unmilled barley	32	44
04410	Unmilled maize (corn) seed (excl. sweet corn)	107	88
04490	Unmilled maize (corn) (excl. seed and sweet corn)	179	405
04510	Unmilled rye	9	1,907
04520	Unmilled oats	140	—
04530	Unmilled grain sorghum	—	4
04591	Unmilled millet	7	11
04592	Unmilled buckwheat	12	—
04593	Unmilled canary seed	85	98
04599	Unmilled cereals, nes	145	166
04610	Flour of wheat or of meslin	57	72
04620	Groats, meal and pellets, of wheat	233	119
04711	Maize (corn) flour	406	542
04719	Cereal flours (excl. wheat, meslin or maize)	261	232
04721	Maize (corn) groats and meal	32	340
04722	Cereal (excl. wheat and maize) groats and meal	—	3
04729	Cereal (excl. wheat) pellets	—	—
04811	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products (eg corn flakes)	1,004	1,753
04812	Precooked or otherwise prepared cereals (excl. maize (corn)), in grain form	212	323
04813	Rolled or flaked cereal grains, except semi-milled or milled rice (excl. semi or wholly milled rice)	482	148
04814	Worked cereal grains, (eg hulled, pearled, clipped or sliced) (excl. semi or wholly milled rice) nes	613	195
04815	Cereal germ, whole, rolled, flaked or ground	13	9
04820	Malt (incl. malt flour)	16	5
04830	Macaroni, spaghetti and similar products (pasta uncooked, not stuffed or otherwise prepared)	13,744	15,741
04841	Crispbread, rusks, toasted bread and similar products	1,987	4,070
04842	Sweet biscuits, waffles and wafers, gingerbread and the like	19,053	25,150
04849	Bakers' wares (excl. crispbread, gingerbread etc); communion, sealing wafers, rice paper, cachets and the like	19,835	24,995
04850	Doughs and mixes for the preparation of bakers' wares	411	365
DIVISION 04 TOTAL		72,129	93,742
05 Vegetables and fruit			
05410	Fresh or chilled potatoes (excl. sweet potatoes)	1	3
05421	Dried, shelled peas	6,458	6,575
05422	Dried, shelled chickpeas	259	295
05423	Dried, shelled beans (excl. broad beans and horse beans)	5,172	9,772
05424	Dried, shelled lentils	749	1,535
05425	Dried, shelled broad beans and horse beans	4	5
05429	Dried, shelled leguminous vegetables (excl. peas, chickpeas, beans and lentils)	161	135
05440	Fresh or chilled tomatoes	100	25
05451	Fresh or chilled onions and shallots	835	178
05452	Fresh or chilled garlic, leeks and other alliaceous vegetables	3,934	5,891
05453	Fresh or chilled cabbage and similar edible brassicas	201	223
05454	Fresh or chilled lettuce and chicory (incl. endive)	205	247
05455	Fresh or chilled carrots, turnips, salad beetroot, salsify, celeriac, radishes and similar edible roots	381	207
05456	Fresh or chilled cucumbers and gherkins	20	2
05457	Fresh or chilled leguminous vegetables	409	449
05458	Fresh or chilled mushrooms and truffles	2,133	1,740
05459	Fresh or chilled vegetables, nes	853	1,787
05461	Frozen sweet corn (uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water)	8,812	8,590
05469	Frozen vegetables and mixtures of vegetables (uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water), nes	11,979	20,832
05470	Vegetables provisionally preserved in preservative solution, but unsuitable for immediate consumption	6,117	5,139
05481	Fresh or dried manioc (cassava)	22	106
05483	Roots and tubers (eg arrowroot, excl. manioc) with high starch or inulin content, fresh, dried, sago pith	824	1,124
05484	Fresh or dried hop cones and lupulin	192	120
05485	Fresh or dried apricot, peach or plum stones and kernels	26	18

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
05	Vegetables and fruit		
05487	Fresh or dried sugar beet	—	1
05488	Fresh or dried sugar cane	2	—
05489	Fresh or dried vegetable products of a kind used chiefly for human foods, nes	913	2,241
05611	Dried potatoes, not further prepared than cut or sliced	290	420
05612	Dried onions, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder but not further prepared	3,957	4,839
05613	Mushrooms and truffles, dried, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder but not further prepared	2,074	3,367
05619	Vegetables and mixtures of vegetables, dried, whole, broken, cut, sliced or powdered, nes	9,368	12,372
05641	Potato flour and meal	1	52
05642	Potato flakes	313	612
05645	Tapioca and substitutes therefor prepared from starch, in flakes, grains, pearls, siftings or similar forms	446	458
05646	Flour and meal of redried leguminous vegetables of 054.2	20	23
05647	Flour and meal of sago, roots or tubers of 054.81 and 054.83	30	22
05648	Flour, meal and powder of fruit and nuts (excl. oil nuts)	166	619
05661	Frozen potatoes prepared or preserved (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid)	5,846	12,844
05669	Frozen vegetables and mixtures of vegetables (excl. potatoes), prep or pres (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid)	1,164	2,448
05671	Vegetables, fruit, nuts and other edible parts of plants, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid	9,978	11,568
05672	Tomatoes, whole or in pieces, prepared or preserved (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid)	8,892	17,765
05673	Tomatoes (excl. whole or in pieces), prepared or preserved (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid)	4,726	15,425
05674	Mushrooms and truffles prepared or preserved (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid)	16,267	11,993
05675	Sauerkraut prepared or preserved (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid or frozen)	69	79
05676	Potatoes prepared or preserved (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid or frozen)	426	655
05677	Prepared or preserved sweet corn	1,712	2,373
05679	Vegetables, prepared or preserved (excl. by vinegar or acetic acid or frozen), nes	33,962	42,058
05711	Fresh or dried oranges	6,893	6,906
05712	Fresh or dried mandarins (incl. tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and similar citrus hybrids	126	214
05721	Fresh or dried lemons and limes	1,789	1,785
05722	Fresh or dried grapefruit	746	527
05729	Fresh or dried citrus fruit (excl. oranges, mandarins and the like, lemons, limes and grapefruit)	175	253
05730	Fresh or dried bananas (incl. plantains)	31	8
05740	Fresh apples	40	1
05751	Fresh grapes	87	—
05752	Dried grapes (eg raisins)	7,281	7,296
05760	Fresh or dried figs	1,869	2,348
05771	Fresh or dried coconuts	9,525	9,312
05772	Fresh or dried Brazil nuts	1,967	2,349
05773	Fresh or dried cashew nuts	17,057	18,429
05774	Fresh or dried almonds	5,321	11,380
05775	Fresh or dried hazelnuts or filberts	5,473	4,767
05776	Fresh or dried walnuts	8,973	9,161
05777	Fresh or dried chestnuts	64	138
05778	Fresh or dried pistachios	3,300	2,988
05779	Fresh or dried edible nuts (excl. minatures) nes	3,547	3,013
05791	Fresh melons (incl. water melons) and papaws (papayas)	229	507
05792	Fresh pears and quinces	8	200
05793	Fresh stone fruit, nes	4,721	5,930
05794	Fresh berries	4,813	6,667
05795	Fresh or dried pineapples	237	333
05796	Fresh or dried dates	5,584	5,563
05797	Fresh or dried avocados, guavas, mangoes and mangosteens	5,441	3,361
05798	Fresh fruit, nes	12,074	12,900
05799	Dried fruit, and mixtures of nuts and dried fruits of group 057, nes	7,551	8,329
05810	Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit or nut puree and pastes, being cooked preps (excl. homogenized preps)	6,277	10,326
05821	Fruit and nuts provisionally preserved in preservative solution, but not for immediate consumption	2,046	2,054
05822	Peel of citrus fruit or melons, fresh, frozen, dried or provisionally preserved in preservative solution	180	168
05831	Frozen strawberries, uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water	3,354	4,675
05832	Frozen raspberries, blackberries, mulberries, loganberries, black, white or red currants and gooseberries	3,168	3,486
05839	Frozen fruit and nuts, uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water, nes	4,390	5,882
05892	Prepared or preserved nuts, groundnuts and other seeds, nes	2,420	3,744

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
05	Vegetables and fruit		
05893	Prepared or preserved pineapples, nes	7,451	7,321
05894	Prepared or preserved citrus fruit, nes	954	1,166
05895	Prepared or preserved apricots, cherries and peaches, nes	5,962	9,388
05896	Prepared or preserved fruits or edible parts of plants, nes	11,710	11,492
05897	Prepared or preserved mixtures of fruits or other edible parts of plants, nes	807	533
05910	Unfermented orange juice not containing added spirit	41,040	8,312
05920	Unfermented grapefruit juice not containing added spirit	252	52
05930	Unfermented juice of any single citrus fruit (excl. orange and grapefruit) not containing added spirit	2,610	589
05991	Unfermented pineapple juice not containing added spirit	1,418	1,717
05992	Unfermented tomato juice not containing added spirit	62	42
05993	Unfermented grape juice (incl. grape must) not containing added spirit	912	351
05994	Unfermented apple juice not containing added spirit	9,476	8,238
05995	Unfermented juice of any single fruit or veg (excl. citrus, pineapple, tomato, grape, apple) not cntg added spirit	3,542	3,243
05996	Unfermented mixtures of fruit or vegetable juices not containing added spirit	1,702	617
	DIVISION 05 TOTAL	375,123	415,297
06	Sugars, sugar preparations and honey		
06111	Raw cane sugar, in solid form, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter	72	536
06112	Raw beet sugar, in solid form, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter	44	73
06121	Cane and beet sugar (excl. raw) and pure sucrose in solid form, cntg added flavouring or colouring	42	69
06129	Cane and beet sugar (excl. raw) and pure sucrose in solid form, not cntg added flavouring or colouring	3,123	5,371
06151	Cane molasses, resulting from the extraction or refining of sugar	—	130
06159	Beet sugar and other molasses (eg. corn molasses) resulting from the extraction or refining of sugar	37	25
06160	Natural honey	1,078	180
06191	Lactose and lactose syrup, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter	5,004	3,901
06192	Maple sugar and maple syrup, not containing added flavouring or colouring matter	592	763
06193	Glucose (dextrose) & glucose syrup, not cntg fructose or cntg in the dry state, 20% by wt of fructose	1,077	1,408
06194	Glucose and glucose syrup, cntg, in the dry state, at least 20% but not more than 50% by weight of fructose	—	1
06195	Pure fructose	47	173
06196	Fructose (excl. pure) and fructose syrup, cntg in the dry state more than 50% by weight of fructose	13	24
06199	Sugar (incl. invert) nes; artificial honey; caramel	1,050	1,885
06210	Fruit, nuts, fruit peel and other parts of plants, preserved by sugar or other sweetening matter	1,931	1,819
06221	Chewing gum	4,272	5,649
06229	Sugar confectionery (incl. white chocolate), not containing cocoa (excl. chewing gum)	25,199	29,130
	DIVISION 06 TOTAL	43,582	51,135
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof		
07111	Coffee (excl. roasted, decaffeinated)	95,329	68,574
07112	Decaffeinated coffee, not roasted	6,121	4,665
07113	Coffee husks and skins	1,823	—
07120	Roasted coffee	8,142	7,419
07131	Essences and concentrates of coffee, preparations based thereon, or with a basis of coffee	43,362	40,563
07132	Coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion	25	3
07133	Roasted chicory and other roasted coffee substitutes (not cntg coffee) and extracts, essences and concentrates	2,381	2,440
07210	Raw or roasted cocoa beans, whole or broken	49	86
07220	Cocoa powder not containing added sugar or sweetening matter	11,085	10,100
07231	Cocoa paste, not defatted (licor)	14,537	14,544
07232	Wholly or partly defatted cocoa paste (cocoa cake)	13,037	11,237
07240	Cocoa butter, fat or oil	46,704	43,915
07250	Cocoa shells, husks, skins and other cocoa waste	10	33
07310	Cocoa powder containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	23	68
07320	Food preps, containing cocoa, in blocks or slabs, or in containers (liquids, pastes, granular forms) exc 2 kg	781	820
07330	Food preparations containing cocoa, in blocks, slabs or bars weighing 2 kg or less	11,539	27,595

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof		
07390	Food preparations containing cocoa, nes, in containers or immediate packings of a content 2 kg or less	28,508	29,997
07411	Green tea (not fermented) in immediate packings not exceeding 3 kg in content	1,298	1,036
07412	Green tea (not fermented), in immediate packings exceeding 3 kg in content	356	197
07413	Black tea (fermented) and partly fermented tea, in immediate packings not exceeding 3 kg in content	20,693	20,918
07414	Black tea (fermented) and partly fermented tea in immediate packings exceeding 3 kg in content	28,452	31,947
07431	Mate	168	159
07432	Extracts, essences and concentrates of tea or mate, preparations with a basis thereof or of tea or mate	298	575
07511	Pepper of the genus 'piper', neither crushed nor ground	6,081	3,642
07512	Crushed or ground pepper of the genus 'piper'	1,603	1,120
07513	Dried, crushed or ground fruits of the genus 'capsicum' or of the genus 'pimenta'	2,942	2,987
07521	Vanilla	737	575
07522	Cinnamon and cinnamon-tree flowers, neither crushed nor ground	218	140
07523	Crushed or ground cinnamon and cinnamon-tree flowers	349	304
07524	Cloves (whole fruit, cloves and stems)	167	157
07525	Nutmeg, mace and cardamoms	1,229	893
07526	Seeds of anise, badian, fennel, coriander, cumin, caraway or juniper	506	461
07527	Ginger (excl. ginger preserved in sugar or conserved in syrup)	239	311
07528	Thyme, saffron and bay leaves	347	219
07529	Spices, mixtures of two or more spices, nes	3,404	3,746
	DIVISION 07 TOTAL	352,541	331,447
08	Feeding stuff for animals (excl. unmilled cereals)		
08111	Unprepared cereal straw and husks, for feeding animals	24	19
08112	Lucerne (alfalfa) meal and pellets, for feeding animals	8	—
08113	Sweets, mangolds, fodder roots, clover, sainfoin, and similar forage products, for feeding animals	17	4
08119	Vegetable residues and by-products, vegetable materials and vegetable waste, for feeding animals, nes	14	49
08124	Bran, sharps and other residues derived from sifting, etc of maize (corn), for feeding animals	87	13
08125	Bran, sharps and other residues derived from sifting, etc of rice, for feeding animals	7	5
08126	Bran, sharps and other residues derived from sifting, etc of wheat, for feeding animals	46	20
08129	Bran, sharps and other residues derived from sifting, etc of cereal, nes, for feeding animals	279	57
08131	Oil-cake and other solid residues (excl. dregs) derived from soya beans, for feeding animals	15,966	5,432
08132	Oil-cake and other solid residues (excl. dregs) derived from groundnuts, for feeding animals	—	—
08133	Oil-cake and other solid residues (excl. dregs) derived from cotton seeds, for feeding animals	—	—
08137	Oil-cake and other solid residues (excl. dregs) derived from coconut or copra, for feeding animals	—	4
08138	Oil-cake and other solid residues (excl. dregs) derived from palm nuts or kernels, for feeding animals	—	107
08139	Oil-cake and other solid residues (excl. dregs) derived from oil seeds and oleaginous fruit, nes	147	143
08141	Flours, meals and pellets of meat or meat offal (incl. tankage), unfit for human consumption; greaves	450	35
08142	Flours, meals and pellets, of fish or aquatic invertebrates, unfit for human consumption	17,283	20,650
08151	Residues of starch manufacture and similar residues, for feeding animals	287	401
08152	Beet-pulp, bagasse and other waste of sugar manufacture, for feeding animals	28	—
08153	Brewing or distilling dregs and waste, for animals	—	32
08194	Wine lees, argol, for feeding animals	4	1
08195	Dog or cat food, put up for retail sale	26,978	28,023
08199	Preparations of a kind used for animal food, nes	11,680	14,438
	DIVISION 08 TOTAL	73,306	69,434
09	Miscellaneous edible products and preparations		
09101	Margarine (excl. liquid margarine)	248	770

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations			
09109	Edible mixtures or preparations of fats or oils, and fractions thereof, not hydrogenated, elaidinized (b)	1,490	3,823
09811	Homogenised preparations from meat and edible meat offal	82	20
09812	Homogenised vegetables	5	7
09813	Homogenised cooked fruit preparations	61	285
09814	Homogenised composite food preparations	223	68
09841	Soya sauce	6,213	7,408
09842	Tomato ketchup and other tomato sauces	2,381	4,158
09843	Mustard flour and meal and prepared mustard	1,331	1,978
09844	Vinegar and substitutes obtained from acetic acid	1,075	1,356
09849	Sauces (excl. soya and tomato) and preparations thereof; mixed condiments and mixed seasonings	21,743	28,770
09850	Soups and broths and preparations therefor	3,509	4,636
09860	Yeasts (active or inactive), other dead single-cell micro-organisms (excl. vaccines); prepared baking powders	5,213	6,529
09891	Cooked or stuffed pasta; couscous	9,141	12,197
09892	Edible products of animal origin, nes	221	206
09893	Food preps for infant use, for retail sale, of flour, meal, starch, malt extract or milk prod (excl. butter, cheese)	702	86
09894	Malt extract; food preparations of flour, meal, starch, malt extract or milk prods (excl. butter, cheese), nes	3,967	4,793
09899	Food preparations, nes	144,576	169,117
DIVISION 09 TOTAL (b)		202,182	246,206
11 Beverages			
11101	Waters (incl. mineral and aerated waters) no added sweetening or flavouring; ice and snow	6,262	10,217
11102	Waters (incl. mineral and aerated waters) with added sweetening or flavouring, & non-alcoholic beverages, nes	1,275	2,275
11211	Grape must in fermentation or with fermentation arrested (excl. by the addition of alcohol)	128	—
11213	Wines of fresh grapes flavoured with plants or other aromatic substances (incl. vermouth)	764	597
11215	Sparkling wine	30,370	29,234
11217	Wine (excl. sparkling) of fresh grapes; grape must with fermentation arrested by the addition of alcohol	21,722	26,399
11220	Fermented beverages (eg. cider, perry, mead), nes	1,492	1,851
11230	Beer made from malt (incl. ale, stout and porter)	16,888	18,077
11241	Whisky	100,056	110,874
11242	Spirits obtained by distilling grape wine or grape marc	23,783	22,206
11243	Compound alcoholic preparations of a kind used for the manufacture of beverages	900	604
11244	Rum and tafia	6,401	7,948
11245	Gin and Geneva	4,961	6,790
11249	Spirits and distilled alcoholic beverages, nes	58,398	67,160
DIVISION 11 TOTAL		273,401	304,235
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures			
12110	Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped	18	564
12120	Wholly or partly stemmed/stripped tobacco	58,407	55,158
12130	Tobacco refuse	116	34
12210	Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos containing tobacco	8,541	9,153
12220	Cigarettes containing tobacco	13,903	16,196
12231	Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco substitutes	43	42
12232	Smoking tobacco	10,910	10,601
12239	Manufactured tobacco, nes; extracts and essences of tobacco	413	260
DIVISION 12 TOTAL		92,351	92,008
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw			
21111	Fresh or wet salted raw hides and skins of bovine animals weighing more than 14 kg per skin	6,585	9,018
21112	Raw hides and skins of bovine animals (excl. fresh or wet salted)	202	16
21113	Raw hides and skins of equine animals	3	4
21120	Whole hides and skins of bovine animals, not exc 8 kg dried, 10 kg dry-salted, 14 kg fresh or wet-salted	1,059	80

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
21	Hides, skins and furskins, raw		
21160	Sheep and lamb skins (excl. astrakhan, broadtail and similar skins) raw ie fresh or pressed, wool on, untanned	18	9
21170	Sheep and lamb skins, without wool on, fresh, salted, limed, dried, pickled etc but not tanned	3,012	2,062
21191	Leather or composition leather parings and waste unsuitable for leather articles; leather dust, powder, flour	14	5
21199	Hides and skins, fresh, salted, dried, limed, pickled etc but not tanned or further prepared, nes	120	107
21210	Raw whole mink skins	857	991
21225	Raw whole fox furskins	533	117
21229	Raw whole furskins (excl. mink, rabbit, hare, lamb, beaver, muskrat, fox and seal)	50	29
	DIVISION 21 TOTAL	12,452	12,439
22	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits		
22211	Peanuts (groundnuts), in shell, not roasted or otherwise cooked	280	183
22212	Peanuts (groundnuts), shelled, not roasted or otherwise cooked, (excl. flours and meals)	8,673	13,918
22220	Soya beans (excl. flours and meals)	29,510	1,264
22240	Sunflower seeds (excl. flours and meals)	46	182
22250	Sesame (sesamum) seeds (excl. flours and meals)	6,605	8,774
22261	Rape or colza seeds (excl. flours and meals)	542	234
22262	Mustard seeds (excl. flours and meals)	169	206
22270	Safflower seeds (excl. flours and meals)	—	52
22310	Copra (incl. flours and meals)	30	18
22320	Palm nuts and palm kernels (incl. flours and meals)	20	9
22340	Linseed (incl. flours and meals)	29	57
22370	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruit (incl. flours & meals), nes	847	946
22390	Flours & meals of oil seeds, oleaginous fruits (excl. mustard flour), nondefatted, partly defatted, refatted	3,063	835
	DIVISION 22 TOTAL	49,815	26,679
23	Crude rubber (incl. synthetic and reclaimed)		
23110	Natural rubber latex	7,948	2,067
23121	Natural rubber (excl. latex) in smoked sheets	379	690
23125	Technically specified natural rubber (TSNR) (excl. latex)	53,668	42,005
23129	Natural rubber (excl. latex, smoked sheets and technically specified natural rubber (TSNR))	4,316	1,722
23130	Balata, gutta-percha, guayule, chicle and similar natural gums	1,668	2,197
23211	Styrene-butadiene rubber (SBR); carboxylated styrene-butadiene rubber(XSBR), in primary forms, plates, sheet, strip	10,580	6,218
23212	Butadiene rubber (BR), in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip	1,668	2,243
23213	Isobutene-isoprene(butyl) rubber; halo-isobutene-isoprene rubber, in primary forms, plates, sheets, etc	7,686	7,200
23214	Chloroprene (chlorobutadiene) rubber (CR), in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip	6,437	6,847
23215	Acrylonitrile-butadiene rubber (NBR), in primary forms, plates, sheets or strip	3,878	3,237
23216	Isoprene rubber, in primary forms, plates, sheets or strip	197	268
23217	Ethylene-propylene-non-conjugated diene rubber (epdm), in primary forms, plates, sheets or strip	8,513	9,300
23218	Mixtures of natural rubber and gums and synthetic rubber, in primary forms, plates, sheets or strip	5	14
23219	Synthetic rubbers and factice derived from oils, nes, in primary forms, plates, sheets or strip	6,207	8,803
23221	Reclaimed rubber in primary forms or in plates, sheet or strip	463	370
23222	Waste, parings and scrap of unhardened rubber and powders and granules obtained therefrom	68	145
	DIVISION 23 TOTAL	113,681	93,326
24	Cork and wood		
24402	Cork, natural, debarked or roughly squared, or in rectangular blocks, plates, sheets or strip	7	31
24403	Cork, natural, raw or simply prepared	59	—
24404	Waste cork; crushed, granulated or ground cork	692	686
24501	Fuel wood, in logs, in billets, in twigs, in faggots or in similar forms (excl. wood waste)	25	2

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
24	Cork and wood		
24502	Wood charcoal (incl. shell or nut charcoal)	408	842
24611	Coniferous wood in chips or particles	1	36
24615	Non-coniferous wood in chips or particles	18	26
24620	Sawdust and wood waste and scrap	257	347
24730	Wood in the rough or roughly squared, treated with paint, stains or other preservatives	44	2,265
24740	Wood of coniferous species, in the rough or roughly squared, not treated with paint, stains or preservatives	300	376
24751	Tropical wood (eg meranti, lauam) in the rough, roughly squared, not treated with paint, stains or preservatives	341	22
24752	Non-coniferous wood (excl. tropical) in the rough, roughly squared, not treated with paint, stains or preservatives	279	157
24819	Railway or tramway sleepers (cross-ties) of impregnated wood	483	649
24820	Coniferous wood, sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, exceeding 6 mm in thickness	355,295	313,993
24830	Coniferous wood continuously shaped along any edge or face (eg tongued, grooved, V-jointed etc)	21,446	26,056
24840	Non-coniferous wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, exceeding 6 mm in thickness	129,158	123,589
24850	Non-coniferous wood continuously shaped along any edge or face (eg tongued, grooved, V-jointed etc)	52,488	48,773
DIVISION 24 TOTAL		561,303	517,848
25	Pulp and waste paper		
25111	Waste and scrap of unbleached kraft paper or paperboard or of corrugated paper or paperboard	94	—
25112	Waste and scrap of paper or paperboard made mainly of bleached chemical pulp, not coloured in the mass, nes	78	54
25113	Waste and scrap of paper or paperboard made mainly of mechanical pulp (eg, newspapers, journals, and the like)	25	58
25119	Waste and scrap of paper or paperboard (incl. unsorted waste and scrap), nes	140	663
25120	Mechanical wood pulp	4,663	5,998
25130	Chemical wood pulp, dissolving grades	2,534	2,279
25141	Coniferous chemical wood pulp, soda or sulphate (excl. dissolving grades), unbleached	24,716	33,844
25142	Non-coniferous chemical wood pulp, soda or sulphate (excl. dissolving grades), unbleached	7,732	2,871
25151	Coniferous chemical wood pulp, soda or sulphate, semi-bleached or bleached (excl. dissolving grades)	112,832	129,249
25152	Non-coniferous chemical wood pulp, soda or sulphate, semi-bleached or bleached (excl. dissolving grades)	39,859	39,425
25161	Chemical wood pulp, sulphite, unbleached (excl. dissolving grades)	135	2,734
25162	Chemical wood pulp, sulphite, semi-bleached or bleached (excl. dissolving grades)	30,808	22,634
25191	Semi-chemical wood pulp	316	1,181
25192	Pulps of fibrous cellulosic material (excl. wood)	158	1,970
DIVISION 25 TOTAL		224,091	242,959
26	Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)		
26130	Raw silk (not thrown)	3	2
26142	Silk waste (incl. cocoons unsuitable for reeling, yarn waste and gametted stock) not carded or combed	—	2
26149	Silk waste, carded or combed	3	6
26310	Cotton (excl. linters), not carded or combed	2,499	13
26320	Cotton linters	178	19
26331	Cotton yarn waste (incl. thread waste)	198	113
26332	Cotton gametted stock	—	11
26339	Cotton waste (excl. yarn waste and gametted stock)	609	852
26340	Cotton, carded or combed	353	320
26410	Raw or retted jute and other textile bast fibres	727	593
26490	Jute and other textile bast fibres (incl. tow and waste, but excl. raw or retted jute)	612	818
26511	Raw or retted flax	149	—
26512	Flax, broken, scutched, hackled or otherwise processed, but not spun	80	54
26513	Flax tow and waste (incl. yarn waste and gametted stock)	—	10
26521	Raw or retted true hemp (<i>Cannabis sativa</i> L)	—	—
26529	True hemp (<i>Cannabis sativa</i> L) (excl. raw or retted), not spun, (incl. tow and waste thereof)	1	—

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
26	Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)		
26541	Raw sisal and other textile fibres of the genus agave	433	530
26549	Sisal and other textile fibres of the genus agave (excl. raw), not spun (incl. tow and waste thereof)	39	—
26571	Raw coconut fibres (coir) and waste thereof	190	357
26579	Coconut fibres (coir) (excl. raw) and waste thereof	177	97
26589	Vegetable textile fibres (excl. raw fibres and cotton, jute, flax, true hemp, agave genus, abaca & coconut)	8	14
26651	Nylon or other polyamide staple fibres, not carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	11,041	10,052
26652	Polyester staple fibres, not carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	26,588	24,732
26653	Acrylic or modacrylic staple fibres, not carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	7,007	5,601
26659	Synthetic staple fibres (excl. polyamides, polyesters, acrylic or modacrylic), not processed for spinning	2,998	3,072
26661	Nylon or other polyamide filament tow	518	216
26662	Polyester filament tow	203	250
26663	Acrylic or modacrylic filament tow	1,158	744
26669	Synthetic filament tow (excl. polyamide, polyester acrylic or modacrylic)	7,542	5,233
26671	Nylon or other polyamide staple fibres, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	1,246	1,877
26672	Polyester staple fibres, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	3,509	3,519
26673	Acrylic or modacrylic staple fibres, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	1,420	1,215
26679	Synthetic staple fibres (excl. polyamide, polyester, acrylic or modacrylic) processed for spinning	48	184
26711	Artificial staple fibres, not carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	16,337	18,412
26712	Artificial filament tow	7,395	12,543
26713	Artificial staple fibres, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning	199	458
26721	Waste of synthetic fibres (incl. nolls, yarn waste and gametted stock)	133	44
26722	Waste of artificial fibres (incl. nolls, yarn waste and gametted stock)	74	41
26811	Shorn wool, greasy	8,170	634
26819	Greasy wool (incl. fleece washed wool but excl. shorn)	2,702	211
26821	Wool, degreased, not carded, combed or carbonized	60,504	47,661
26829	Wool, carbonized, not carded or combed	1,226	855
26830	Fine animal hair, not carded or combed	2,243	1,549
26831	Horsehair and horsehair waste, not carded or combed	3	25
26839	Coarse animal hair (excl. horsehair), not carded or combed	538	452
26862	Garnetted stock of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair (excl. horsehair)	28	100
26863	Nolls, not gametted, wool or fine animal hair	—	4
26869	Waste of wool or fine or coarse animal hair waste (excl. horsehair, gametted stock and nolls)	251	279
26871	Carded wool; combed wool in fragments	4,459	2,948
26873	Wool tops and combed wool (excl. fragments)	3,418	517
26877	Carded or combed fine or coarse animal hair	173	213
26901	Old clothing, blankets, linen, footwear, headgear, showing signs of appreciable wear, traded in bulk, bales etc	964	1,281
26902	Used or new rags, scrap twine, cordage, rope, cables of textile materials and worn out articles thereof	766	710
DIVISION 26 TOTAL		179,122	149,444
27	Crude fertilisers (excl. those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excl. coal, petroleum and precious stones)		
27210	Animal or vegetable fertilisers; fertilisers from mixing or chemical treatment of animal or vegetable products	207	463
27220	Sodium nitrate	685	544
27231	Unground natural calcium phosphates, natural aluminium calcium phosphates and phosphatic chalk	133,426	94,554
27232	Ground natural calcium phosphates, natural aluminium calcium phosphates and phosphatic chalk	14	1,455
27311	Slate, unworked or roughly trimmed or cut into blocks or slabs	14,023	11,584
27312	Marble, travertine, calcassine, other calcareous monumental/building stone and alabaster, unworked, trimmed or cut	2,058	2,087
27313	Granite, porphyry, basalt, sandstone and monumental/building stone, unworked, roughly trimmed or cut	3,120	3,348
27322	Limestone flux and calcareous stone commonly used for the manufacture of lime or cement	10,656	9,382
27323	Gypsum and anhydrite	265	185
27324	Plasters (consisting of calcined gypsum or calcined sulphate) (incl. plaster for dentistry)	419	335

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
27	Crude fertilisers (excl. those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excl. coal, petroleum and precious stones)		
27331	Natural silica sands and quartz sands	261	207
27339	Natural sands (excl. silica and quartz sands and metal bearing sands)	262	75
27340	Pebbles, gravel, broken or crushed stone, chips and powder, shingles and flint, macadam	1,839	1,509
27411	Crude or unrefined sulphur	53,226	33,238
27419	Sulphur (excl. crude or unrefined, sublimed, precipitated or colloidal sulphur)	8,629	14,077
27420	Unroasted iron pyrites	23	217
27711	Sorted industrial diamonds, unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	5,162	5,832
27719	Sorted industrial diamonds, worked (excl. simply sawn, cleaved or bruted)	1,060	1,868
27721	Dust and powder of natural or synthetic precious or semi-precious stones	3,030	2,437
27722	Crude pumice stone; emery; natural corundum, natural garnet and other natural abrasives, nes	947	921
27729	Pumice stone, emery, natural corundum, natural garnet and other natural abrasives, other than crude	532	642
27822	Natural graphite	2,352	2,053
27823	Dolomite, roughly trimmed or cut in to blocks or slabs; agglomerated dolomite (incl. tared dolomite)	711	205
27824	Natural magnesium carbonate (magnesite)	7,776	6,988
27825	Fused magnesia dead-burned (sintered) magnesia; magnesium oxide	1,860	1,275
27826	Kaolin and kaolinic clays	3,927	3,204
27827	Bentonite	2,553	4,427
27829	Clays (excl. kaolinic, bentonite & expanded); andalusite, kyanite, sillimanite, mullite, chamotte & dinas earths	7,082	6,775
27830	Pure sodium chloride and common salt (incl. table salt and denatured salt); sea water	1,191	923
27840	Asbestos	1,081	1,020
27851	Quartz (excl. natural sands) and quartzite	530	436
27852	Mica (incl. splittings) and mica waste	557	388
27853	Felspar, leucite, nepheline and nepheline syenite	1,060	4,378
27854	Fluorspar	1,640	3,165
27855	Natural cryolite; natural chiolite	41	55
27861	Granulated slag (slag sand) from the manufacture of iron or steel	—	380
27862	Slag, dross, scalings and waste from the manufacture of iron or steel (excl. granulated slag)	20	9
27869	Slag and ash (excl. from the manufacture of iron or steel but incl. sea weed ash (kelp))	485	49
27891	Chalk	274	212
27892	Natural barium sulphate (barytes) and natural barium carbonate (withierite) (excl. barium oxide)	729	985
27893	Natural statite and talc	216	297
27894	Natural borates & concentrates thereof (excl. from brine); natural boric acid, not exc 85% H3BO3 by dry weight	1,013	1,534
27895	Siliceous fossil meals (eg kieselguhr, tripolite) & similar siliceous earths of spec. gravity of 1 or less	2,636	2,352
27896	Bituminous shale and tar sands	14	—
27897	Natural bitumen and asphalt; asphaltites and asphaltic rocks	275	446
27898	Unexpanded vermiculite, perlite and chlorites	1,283	1,880
27899	Crude mineral substances, nes	2,184	1,613
	DIVISION 27 TOTAL	281,335	230,008
28	Metaliferous ores and metal scrap		
28140	Roasted iron pyrites (pyrites cinders)	345	97
28150	Iron ore and concentrates, not agglomerated	8,044	23,571
28160	Iron ore agglomerates (sinters, pellets, briquettes, etc)	4,364	36,902
28210	Waste and scrap of cast iron	36	43
28221	Waste and scrap of stainless steel	284	177
28229	Waste and scrap of alloy steel (excl. stainless steel)	93	44
28231	Waste and scrap of tinne iron or steel	86	611
28232	Ferrous turnings, shavings, chips, milling waste, sawdust, filings, trimmings and stampings	25	54
28239	Ferrous waste & scrap (excl. tinne iron or steel, remelting ingots of iron or steel, machining waste)	361	114
28310	Copper ores and concentrates	—	7,590
28321	Copper mattes	—	79
28322	Cement copper (precipitated copper)	—	1,050
28410	Nickel ores and concentrates	—	—
28421	Nickel mattes	18	598
28422	Nickel oxide sinters and other intermediate products of nickel metallurgy	1,658	288

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap		
28510	Aluminium ores and concentrates	2,595	3,159
28520	Alumina (aluminium oxide)	9,304	10,010
28610	Uranium ores and concentrates	2	—
28740	Lead ores and concentrates	12,252	10,345
28750	Zinc ores and concentrates	11,870	23,611
28760	Tin ores and concentrates	104	—
28770	Manganese ores & conc (incl. those of manganiferous iron with a manganese content of 20% or more by dry wt)	1,918	381
28781	Roasted molybdenum ores and concentrates	161	398
28782	Molybdenum ores and concentrates (excl. roasted)	—	384
28783	Titanium ores and concentrates	1,420	1,235
28784	Zirconium ores and concentrates	2,331	1,005
28785	Niobium, tantalum or vanadium ores and concentrates	703	62
28791	Chromium ores and concentrates	1,345	760
28792	Tungsten (or wolfram) ores and concentrates	—	—
28793	Cobalt ores and concentrates	75	—
28799	Base metal ores and concentrates, nes	54	31
28810	Ash and residues containing metals or metallic compounds (excl. ash from iron and steel manufacture)	4,353	7,555
28821	Copper waste and scrap	3,809	5,645
28822	Nickel waste and scrap	761	191
28823	Aluminium waste and scrap	3,359	3,190
28824	Lead waste and scrap	63	59
28825	Zinc waste and scrap (excl. dust)	724	223
28826	Tin waste and scrap	3	—
28911	Silver ores and concentrates	—	—
28919	Ores and concentrates of precious metals (excl. silver)	4	2
28921	Waste and scrap of platinum (incl. metals clad with platinum but excl. sweepings contg other precious metals)	84	8
28929	Waste and scrap of precious metals, or of metals clad with precious metals (excl. gold or platinum)	5,093	6,546
DIVISION 28	TOTAL	77,702	146,018
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, nes		
29111	Bones, horn-cores, unworked or simply prepared or treated, waste, powder thereof	59	12
29115	Coral and similar materials, shells and cuttle-bone, unworked or simply prepared; powder and waste thereof	400	566
29116	Ivory, tortoise shell, whalebone, horn, hooves & the like, unworked or simply prepared; powder, waste thereof	17	379
29191	Unworked human hair and waste of human hair	2	—
29192	Pigs', hogs' or boars' bristles and hair; badger hair and other brush making hair; waste thereof	3,290	3,308
29193	Whole guts, bladders and stomachs of animals (excl. fish), and pieces thereof	9,929	9,391
29194	Bovine semen	4,959	7,657
29195	Skins and other parts of birds with feathers on; feathers, down, parts thereof, not worked; powder, waste	6,049	8,993
29196	Products of fish, crustaceans, molluscs, aquatic invertebrates and dead fish etc, unfit for human consumption	8,888	5,403
29197	Natural sponges of animal origin	70	118
29198	Animal products used in the preparation of pharmaceutical products, fresh or provisionally preserved	85	1
29199	Animal products, nes	7,916	9,006
29221	Lac	229	280
29222	Gum Arabic	271	574
29229	Natural gums, resins, gum-resins and balsams (excl. gum Arabic, lac)	1,502	1,547
29231	Bamboos used primarily for plaiting	431	701
29232	Rattans used primarily for plaiting	1,048	1,195
29239	Vegetable materials used primarily for plaiting (excl. bamboos, rattans)	165	85
29241	Fresh or dried liquorice roots used in perfumery, pharmacy or for insecticidal, fungicidal or similar purposes	15	8
29242	Fresh or dried ginseng roots used in perfumery, pharmacy or for insecticidal, fungicidal or similar purposes	215	330
29249	Fresh, dried plants & parts thereof (excl. liquorice, ginseng roots) for pharmacy, insecticidal or similar use	8,897	8,793
29252	Seeds for forage plants (excl. beet seed), for sowing	8,422	7,984
29253	Seeds of herbaceous plants cultivated principally for their flowers, for sowing	1,613	2,130
29254	Vegetable seeds, nes, for sowing	9,124	10,326
29259	Seeds, fruit and spores, nes, for sowing	2,724	2,923
29261	Bulbs, tubers, tuberous roots, corms, crowns and rhizomes; chicory plants and roots	543	1,449

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, nes		
29269	Live plants (incl. their roots), cuttings and slips, nes; mushroom spawn	641	924
29271	Cut flowers and flower buds for bouquets or ornamental purposes, fresh, dried, dyed, bleached etc	6,283	9,542
29272	Parts of plants (excl. flowers or buds), grasses, mosses, lichens for bouquets etc, fresh, dried, dyed etc	400	509
29292	Vegetable materials primarily for stuffing or padding (eg kapok, vegetable hair, eel-grass)	145	78
29293	Vegetable materials used primarily in brooms (eg broomcorn, piassava, couch-grass andistle)	731	910
29294	Vegetable saps and extracts	5,739	7,334
29295	Pectic substances, pectinates and pectates	1,470	2,199
29296	Mucilages and thickeners, derived from vegetable products	13,873	13,849
29297	Algae (incl. seaweeds)	722	1,196
29299	Vegetable materials and vegetable products, nes	540	484
DIVISION 29 TOTAL		107,407	120,180
32	Coal, coke and briquettes		
32110	Anthracite, not agglomerated	216	565
32121	Bituminous coal, not agglomerated	45	2,081
32122	Coal, not agglomerated (excl. anthracite and bituminous coal)	7,798	9,197
32210	Briquettes, ovoids and similar solid fuels manufactured from coal	35	10
32221	Lignite (excl. jet) not agglomerated	—	—
32230	Peat (incl. peat litter)	3,032	2,829
32500	Coke and semi-coke (incl. char) of coal, of lignite or of peat; retort carbon	13	3,567
DIVISION 32 TOTAL		11,139	18,249
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials		
33300	Crude petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals	994,537	1,073,478
33411	Motor spirit (gasoline) (incl. aviation spirit)	230,068	302,170
33412	Spirit type (gasoline type) jet fuel	801	3,843
33419	Light petroleum/bituminous oils (excl. crude); light preparations, nes	28,545	22,873
33421	Kerosene (incl. kerosene type jet fuel but excl. gas oils)	34,158	49,905
33429	Medium petroleum/bituminous oils (excl. kerosene and crude); medium preparations, nes	1,575	2,303
33430	Gas oils	129,686	191,172
33440	Fuel oils, nes	245,709	373,658
33450	Heavy petroleum/bituminous oils (incl. lubricating oils), heavy preparations, nes	205,751	276,067
33511	Petroleum jelly (petrolatum)	792	1,266
33512	Mineral waxes (eg paraffin, micro-crystalline, petroleum, slack, etc) and similar products	8,867	7,084
33521	Mineral tars (incl. tars distilled from coal, lignite and peat and reconstituted tar)	6,206	4,481
33522	Benzole	18,199	17,034
33523	Toluole	784	7
33524	Xylole	110	1
33525	Oils etc nes of distillation of high temp coal tar; sim prods with aromatic constit ex: non aromatic constit	6,030	8,531
33531	Pitch obtained from mineral tars (incl. coal tar)	5,262	7,663
33532	Pitch coke	279	292
33541	Residues of petroleum oils or oils from bituminous minerals (incl. petroleum bitumen); bituminous mixtures	519	11,393
33542	Petroleum coke	80,400	151,192
33543	Bituminous mixtures based on natural asphalt, on natural or petroleum bitumen, on mineral tar or tar pitch	1,164	826
DIVISION 33 TOTAL		1,999,443	2,505,239
34	Gas, natural and manufactured		
34210	Liquefied propane	3,338	8,976
34250	Liquefied butanes	189	844
34310	Liquefied natural gas	6	490
34320	Natural gas in the gaseous state	7	7
34420	Liquefied gaseous hydrocarbons (excl. ethylene, propylene, butylene and butadiene)	40	5,910
34490	Gaseous hydrocarbons in the gaseous state (excl. natural gas)	169	213
34500	Coal gas, water gas, producer gas and similar gases (excl. gaseous hydrocarbons)	—	—
DIVISION 34 TOTAL		3,748	16,440

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
41	Animal oils and fats		
41111	Fish liver oils and their fractions, not chemically modified	851	463
41112	Fish oils and fats and their fractions (excl. liver oils) not chemically modified	1,058	460
41113	Marine mammal fats and oils and their fractions, not chemically modified	24	10
41120	Pig fat (excl. free of lean meat) and poultry fat, rendered	56	12
41132	Raw or rendered fats of bovine animals, sheep or goats	29	37
41133	Lard stearin, lard oil, oleostearin, oleo-oil and tallow oil, not prepared (mixed, emulsified etc)	416	14
41134	Crude wool grease	—	303
41135	Wool grease (excl. crude) and fatty substances derived from wool grease (incl. lanolin)	449	362
41139	Animal oils and fats and their fractions, not chemically modified, nes	37	72
DIVISION 41 TOTAL		2,921	1,734
42	Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated		
42111	Crude soya bean oil	9,441	15,686
42119	Refined soya bean oil and its fractions (b)	4,019	3,194
42129	Refined cotton seed oil and its fractions	8	2
42131	Crude peanut (groundnut) oil	29	—
42139	Refined peanut (groundnut) oil and its fractions	499	806
42141	Virgin olive oil	6,368	5,504
42142	Olive oil and its fractions (excl. virgin olive oil)	18,719	23,496
42149	Oils and their fractions solely from olives (excl. virgin and refined virgin oil), blends thereof	2	164
42151	Crude sunflower seed oil or safflower oil	2,763	6,051
42159	Refined sunflower seed oil or safflower oil and their fractions	545	520
42161	Crude corn (maize) oil	9	4
42169	Refined corn (maize) oil and its fractions	317	419
42171	Crude rape, colza or mustard oil	511	273
42179	Refined rape, colza or mustard oil and their fractions	593	400
42180	Sesame (sesamum) oil and its fractions	1,316	1,791
42211	Crude linseed oil	561	1,227
42219	Refined linseed oil and its fractions	810	1,360
42221	Crude palm oil	1,614	406
42229	Refined palm oil and its fractions	36,072	30,994
42231	Crude coconut (copra) oil	8,284	7,855
42239	Refined coconut (copra) oil and its fractions (b)	2,275	850
42241	Crude palm kernel or babassu oil	928	577
42249	Refined palm kernel or babassu oil and their fractions	2,258	3,896
42250	Castor oil and its fractions	1,214	1,327
42291	Tung oil and its fractions	326	257
42299	Crude, refined or fractionated, fixed vegetable fats and oils (excl. 'soft'), nes	2,115	2,960
DIVISION 42 TOTAL (b)		101,595	110,019
43	Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, nes		
43110	Animal/veg fats, oils & fractions, modified (excl. hydrogenated, esterified, elaidinized); inedible mixtures(b)	529	850
43121	Animal fats/oils and their fractions, hydrogenated, esterified, elaidinized but not further prepared	51	190
43122	Vegetable fats & oils and their fractions, hydrogenated, esterified, elaidinized, not further prepared	8,970	8,055
43131	Fatty acids; acid oils from refining	2,283	2,667
43133	Degras; residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes	58	11
43141	Vegetable waxes (excl. triglycerides)	510	455
43142	Insect waxes (incl. beeswax) and spermaceti	124	79
DIVISION 43 TOTAL (b)		12,524	12,306
51	Organic chemicals		
51111	Ethylene	6,530	3

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
51	Organic chemicals		
51112	Propene (propylene)	1	2
51113	Butylenes, butadienes and methylbutadienes (b)	1,451	406
51114	Saturated acyclic hydrocarbons	577	1,700
51119	Acyclic hydrocarbons (excl. ethylene, propene, butylene, butadienes, methylbutadienes & saturated)	1,468	5,680
51121	Cyclohexane	165	58
51122	Pure benzene	22,227	20,536
51123	Pure toluene	729	117
51124	Pure xylenes	607	13
51125	Styrene	7	510
51126	Ethylbenzene	1,351	2,683
51127	Cumene (b)	1	—
51129	Cyclic hydrocarbons (excl. cyclohexane, styrene, ethylbenzene, cumene, pure benzene, toluene and xylenes)	2,772	3,149
51131	Vinyl chloride (chloroethylene)	105,202	50,736
51132	Trichloroethylene	1,441	1,581
51133	Tetrachloroethylene (perchloroethylene)	132	292
51134	Unsaturated chlorinated derivatives of acyclic hydrocarbons, (excl. vinyl, tri, tetra and perchloroethylene)	1,012	26
51135	1,2-Dichloroethane (ethylene dichloride)	2,922	2,434
51136	Saturated chlorinated derivatives of acyclic hydrocarbons (excl. 1,2-dichloroethane)	18,654	10,457
51137	Fluorinated, brominated or iodinated derivatives of acyclic hydrocarbons	2,659	3,172
51138	Halogenated derivatives of acyclic hydrocarbons containing two or more different halogens (b)	8,763	5,716
51139	Halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons, nes (b)	2,671	3,637
51140	Sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives of hydrocarbons	6,556	3,879
51211	Methanol (methyl alcohol)	11,980	8,183
51212	Propan-1-ol (propyl alcohol) and propan-2-ol (isopropyl alcohol)	2,407	4,020
51213	Butanols	649	824
51214	Octanol (octyl alcohol) and isomers thereof	262	59
51215	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80% or higher	12	1,970
51216	Spirits, (incl. ethyl alcohol), denatured, of any strength	761	9
51217	Industrial fatty alcohols (b)	669	6,264
51219	Monohydric alcohols (excl. methanol, propan-1-ol, propan-2-ol, butanols, octanol and octanol isomers)	5,066	4,385
51221	Ethylene glycol (ethanediol)	464	716
51222	Glycerol (glycerine), glycerol waters and glycerol lyes	3,637	1,674
51223	Pentaerythritol	3,921	2,787
51224	Mannitol	51	231
51225	D-glucitol (sorbitol)	1,356	1,620
51229	Acyclic alcohols, nes	8,227	12,667
51231	Cyclanic, cyclenic, or cycloterpenic alcohols and their halogenated, sulphonated etc derivatives	1,938	2,532
51235	Aromatic cyclic alcohols; halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives of cyclic alcohols	1,606	2,449
51241	Pure phenol (hydroxybenzene), and its salts	64	704
51242	Cresols and their salts, (excl. pure phenol and its salts)	685	647
51243	Phenols and phenol-alcohols (excl. pure phenol (hydroxybenzene) and cresols)	13,563	11,080
51244	Halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives of phenols or phenol-alcohols	1,974	2,233
51371	Acetic acid and its salts	1,140	1,466
51372	Esters of acetic acid	11,023	6,689
51373	Methacrylic acid and its salts and esters	15,620	15,613
51374	Formic acid and its salts and esters	1,268	1,031
51375	Butyric acids, valeric acids and their salts and esters	2,411	2,350
51376	Palmitic acid, stearic acid and their salts and esters	544	835
51377	Sat. acyclic monocarboxylic acids, nes, anhydrides, halides, etc thereof; halogenated etc derivatives thereof	19,802	13,927
51378	Oleic, linoleic or linolenic acids and their salts and esters	98	224
51379	Unsat acyclic monocarboxylic acids nes; cyclic monocarboxylic acids, anhydrides etc thereof & their derivatives	37,809	35,085
51381	Maleic anhydride	11,476	8,202
51382	Phthalic anhydride	2,369	8,033
51383	Dioctyl orthophthalates	4,101	8,685
51384	Dimethyl terephthalate	—	—
51385	Cyclanic, cyclenic, cycloterpenic polycarboxylic acids, anhydrides, halides, etc, thereof; derivatives thereof	169	60
51389	Polycarboxylic acids, (excl. cyclanic, cyclenic, cycloterpenic); halides etc thereof; derivatives thereof	15,266	16,626
51391	Lactic acid, tartaric acid, citric acid and their salts and esters	23,147	20,840

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
51	Organic chemicals		
51392	Carboxylic acids with al but not other oxygen function, anhydrides, halides, peroxides, peroxyacids and derivatives	18,777	15,696
51393	Salicylic acid and its salts and esters	8,854	8,814
51394	Carboxylic acids with phenol function but not other oxygen function, anhydrides, halides, peroxides, peroxyacids & deriv	4,299	2,696
51395	Carboxylic acids with aldehyde, ketone function, anhydrides, halides, peroxides, peroxyacids and derivatives	173	461
51396	Carboxylic acids with oxygen functions (excl. alcohol, phenol, ketone, aldehyde) etc and derivatives thereof	15,319	16,139
51451	Acyclic monoamines and their derivatives; salts thereof	3,580	4,177
51452	Acyclic polyamines and their derivatives; salts thereof	2,406	1,689
51453	Cyclic, cyclic or cycloaliphatic mono- or polyamines and their derivatives; salts thereof	625	1,042
51454	Aromatic monoamines and their derivatives; salts thereof	7,865	8,587
51455	Aromatic polyamines and their derivatives; salts thereof	8,816	8,039
51461	Amino-alcohols, their ethers and esters (excl. those containing more than one kind of oxygen function); salts	11,545	8,599
51462	Amino-phenols (incl. amino-naphthols), ethers and esters (excl. those exc one kind of oxygen function); salts	208	430
51463	Amino-aldehydes, -ketones, -quinones (excl. those exceeding one kind of oxygen function); salts thereof	97	37
51464	Lysine and its esters; salts thereof; glutamic acid and its salts	37,196	19,374
51465	Amino-acids and their esters (excl. those with more than one oxygen function), nes; salts thereof	3,697	8,352
51467	Amino-compounds with oxygen function (incl. amino-alcohol-phenols, amino-acid-phenols)	22,995	17,738
51471	Acyclic amides (incl. acyclic carbamates) and their derivatives; salts thereof	2,513	3,705
51473	Ureines and their derivatives; salts thereof	7,674	7,822
51479	Cyclic amides (incl. cyclic carbamates but excl. ureines) and their derivatives; salts thereof	27,869	28,173
51481	Quaternary ammonium salts and hydroxides; phosphorinolipids (incl. lecithins)	7,234	7,002
51482	Carboxyimide-function compounds (incl. saccharin and its salts) and amine-function compounds	8,290	7,425
51483	Acrylonitrile	4,725	4,518
51484	Nitrile-function compounds, (excl. acrylonitrile)	26,023	18,873
51485	Diazo-, azo-, and azoxy-compounds	3,502	3,353
51486	Organic derivatives of hydrazine or of hydroxylamine	4,777	4,656
51489	Nitrogen function compounds, nes	32,594	28,254
51541	Dithiocarbonates (xanthates)	6,099	7,239
51542	Thiocarbonates and dithiocarbonates	2,153	2,739
51543	Thiuram mono-, di- or tetrasulphides	853	638
51544	Methionine	13,059	11,531
51549	Organo-sulphur compounds, nes	31,102	31,436
51550	Organo-inorganic compounds, nes	56,470	57,579
51561	Lactams	1,066	1,508
51562	Coumarin, methylcoumarins and ethylcoumarins	340	343
51563	Lactones (excl. lactams, coumarin, methylcoumarins, ethylcoumarins)	5,086	3,631
51569	Heterocyclic compounds with oxygen hetero-atom(s) only, nes	27,041	44,806
51571	Heterocyclic compounds, with nitrogen hetero-atom(s) only, containing an unfused pyrazole ring in the structure	2,838	1,700
51572	Hydantoin and its derivatives	612	2,472
51573	Heterocyclic compounds containing an unfused imidazole ring in the structure	1,681	5,916
51574	Heterocyclic compounds with nitrogen hetero-atom(s) only, containing an unfused pyridine ring in the structure	29,646	28,256
51575	Heterocyclic compounds with nitrogen hetero-atom(s) only, containing a quinoline or isoquinoline ring-system	3,497	2,847
51576	Heterocyclic compounds with nitrogen hetero-atom(s) only, containing pyrimidine, piperazine, triazine ring; nucleic acids	75,614	82,588
51577	Heterocyclic compounds, with nitrogen hetero-atom(s) only, nes	54,050	54,692
51578	Heterocyclic compounds, containing a phenothiazine ring-system, not further fused	1,924	1,408
51579	Heterocyclic compounds, nes	36,377	36,858
51580	Sulphonamides	53,686	56,189
51612	Acetals and hemiacetals, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	466	44
51613	Oxirane (ethylene oxide)	6	53
51615	Epoxides, epoxy alcohols, -phenols and -ethers, with three-member ring, halogenated etc, derivatives thereof	2,735	1,773
51616	Acyclic, cyclic, cyclic, cycloaliphatic, aromatic ethers; their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated, etc derivs	2,875	3,121
51617	Ether-alcohols, ether phenols, ether-alcohol-phenols; alcohol, ether, ketone peroxides; halogenated, etc derivs	11,454	10,868

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
51	Organic chemicals		
51621	Acyclic aldehydes without other oxygen function	1,555	1,032
51622	Aldehydes, nes, cyclic polymers of aldehydes; paraformaldehyde	4,091	4,212
51623	Acetone	284	624
51624	Butanone (ethyl methyl ketone)	11,509	5,127
51625	Acyclic ketones, nes, without other oxygen function	1,158	1,202
51626	Halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivs of aldehydes, their cyclic polymers, paraformaldehyde	39	69
51627	Camphor	137	294
51628	Cyclic, cyclic or cycloterpenic ketones, without other oxygen function, nes	4,892	4,382
51629	Aromatic ketones, no other oxy function; ketone, alcohols, aldehydes, phenols, etc.; quinones; their derivatives	11,336	8,238
51631	Phosphoric esters, salts thereof (incl. lactophosphates); halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated, etc, derivatives	3,868	2,686
51639	Esters of inorganic acids, nes and their salts and halogenated derivatives	18,431	20,342
51691	Enzymes; prepared enzymes, nes	13,127	13,531
51692	Pure sugars, (excl. sucrose, lactose, maltose, glucose, fructose); ethers, esters, salts, (excl. medicinal)	2,462	1,833
51699	Organic compounds, nes	964	869
	DIVISION 51 TOTAL (b)	1,159,670	1,071,835
52	Inorganic chemicals		
52210	Carbon (incl. carbon black), nes	3,841	4,621
52221	Hydrogen, rare gases, nitrogen and oxygen	1,521	1,714
52222	Selenium, tellurium, phosphorus, arsenic and boron	6,601	6,927
52223	Silicon	8,062	10,160
52224	Chlorine	118	146
52225	Fluorine, bromine and iodine	1,113	761
52226	Sulphur, sublimed or precipitated; colloidal sulphur	2,614	238
52227	Mercury	989	875
52228	Alkali metals (incl. sodium)	180	203
52229	Calcium, strontium and barium; rare earth metals, scandium and yttrium	436	783
52231	Hydrogen chloride (hydrochloric acid); chlorosulphuric acid	179	324
52232	Sulphuric acid; oleum	991	2,277
52233	Nitric acid; sulphuric acids	113	237
52234	Diphosphorus pentoxide; phosphoric acid and polyphosphoric acids	20,396	11,305
52235	Oxides of boron; boric acids	2,128	2,156
52236	Inorganic acids, (excl. sulphuric, hydrochloric, nitric, phosphoric, boric, chlorosulphuric, sulphuric)	1,411	2,686
52237	Silicon dioxide	9,437	9,402
52238	Sulphur dioxide	10	8
52239	Inorganic oxygen compounds of non-metals, nes	3,061	2,759
52241	Halides and halide oxides of non-metals	1,018	1,159
52242	Sulphides of non-metals; commercial phosphorus trisulphide	330	351
52251	Zinc oxide; zinc peroxide	1,695	2,119
52252	Chromium oxides and hydroxides	4,077	3,977
52253	Manganese oxides (b)	58	1,987
52254	Iron oxides & hydroxides; earth colours containing 70% or more by wt of combined iron evaluated as Fe2O3	15,215	11,696
52255	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides	1,206	1,380
52256	Titanium oxides	773	630
52257	Lead oxides; red lead and orange lead	477	1,532
52261	Ammonia, anhydrous, or in aqueous solution	19	1,218
52262	Solid sodium hydroxide (caustic soda)	6,126	5,304
52263	Sodium hydroxide in aqueous solution (soda lye or liquid soda)	280,098	361,480
52264	Potassium hydroxide (caustic potash); peroxides of sodium or potassium	3,162	2,805
52265	Hydroxide and peroxide of magnesium; oxides, hydroxides and peroxides, of strontium or barium	230	302
52266	Aluminium hydroxide	1,287	1,709
52267	Artificial corundum	3,800	3,820
52268	Hydrazine and hydroxylamine and their inorganic salts	512	380
52269	Inorganic bases nes; metal oxides, hydroxides and peroxides nes	7,186	7,696
52310	Fluorides; complex fluorine salts (incl. fluorosilicates, fluorosulphates)	31,150	44,413
52321	Ammonium chloride	1,189	1,296
52322	Calcium chloride	1,276	1,087
52329	Chlorides (excl. ammonium, calcium), chloride oxides, hydroxides; bromides, iodides, oxides thereof(b)	8,613	7,550
52331	Hypochlorites; commercial calcium hypochlorite; chlorites; hypobromites	13,809	11,419
52332	Chlorates of sodium	2,161	2,409

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
52	Inorganic chemicals		
52339	Chlorates (excl. sodium) and perchlorates; bromates and perbromates; iodates and periodates	927	1,442
52341	Sodium sulphide	1,431	3,524
52342	Sulphides, (excl. sodium); polysulphides	758	1,098
52343	Dithionites and sulfoxylates	2,294	2,631
52344	Sulphites; thiosulphates	5,176	3,467
52345	Sodium sulphates	5,062	4,501
52349	Sulphates, (excl. sodium); alums	7,549	9,435
52351	Nitrites	605	475
52352	Potassium nitrate	2,179	3,884
52359	Nitrates (excl. potassium)	3,970	8,365
52361	Phosphinates (hypophosphites) and phosphonates (phosphites)	515	453
52362	Triammonium phosphate	—	—
52363	Phosphates (excl. triammonium)	6,834	6,747
52364	Sodium triphosphate (sodium tripolyphosphate)	3,698	3,883
52365	Polyphosphates (excl. sodium)	2,663	2,630
52371	Ammonium carbonates (incl. commercial ammonium carbonate)	148	183
52373	Sodium hydrogencarbonate (sodium bicarbonate)	371	426
52374	Potassium carbonates	1,121	1,962
52375	Lead carbonate	1	1
52379	Carbonates, (excl. ammonium, sodium, potassium and lead carbonates)	5,011	4,877
52381	Cyanides, cyanide oxides and complex cyanides	136,762	120,690
52382	Fulminates, cyanates and thiocyanates	668	456
52383	Silicates; commercial alkali metal silicates	3,309	3,717
52384	Borates; peroxoborates (perborates)	4,845	5,409
52389	Salts of inorganic acids or peroxoacids, nes	938	1,407
52431	Salts of oxometallic or peroxometallic acids	6,055	6,492
52432	Colloidal precious metals; inorganic or organic compounds of precious metals; amalgams of precious metals	3,060	1,972
52491	Hydrogen peroxide (h)	976	2,701
52492	Phosphides, (excl. ferrophosphorus)	1,236	1,091
52493	Calcium carbide	5,409	6,434
52494	Carbides, (excl. calcium carbide)	711	771
52495	Hydrides, nitrides, azides, silicides and borides	—	—
52499	Inorganic compounds, (incl. distilled/pure water), nes; liquid/compressed air; amalgams (excl. of precious metal)	1,160	779
52511	Natural uranium and its compounds; alloys, dispersions, ceramic products and mixtures cntg. natural uranium	14	9
52513	U235 enriched uranium, its compounds; plutonium, its compounds; alloys, dispersion, ceramic prods & mixt thereof	640	1,354
52515	U235 depleted uranium, its compounds; thorium, its compounds; alloys, dispersions, ceramics, mixtures thereof	11	11
52517	Spent (irradiated) fuel elements (cartridges) of nuclear reactors	—	10
52519	Radio-active elements, isotopes and their compounds, nes; alloys, dispersions, ceramics, mixt thereof; residues	10,252	11,146
52591	Isotopes, (excl. radioactive); inorganic or organic compounds, of such isotopes	1,399	1,425
52595	Inorganic or organic compounds, of rare-earth metals, yttrium or scandium or mixtures of these metals	542	960
DIVISION 52 TOTAL (b)		682,346	767,400
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials		
53111	Synthetic organic disperse dyes and preparations based thereon	12,008	10,541
53112	Synthetic organic acid dyes and preparations based thereon; mordant dyes, and preparations based thereon	13,740	11,943
53113	Synthetic organic basic dyes and preparations based thereon	4,897	4,692
53114	Synthetic organic direct dyes and preparations based thereon	7,347	6,114
53115	Synthetic organic vat dyes (incl. those usable in that state as pigments) and preparations based thereon	3,681	4,488
53116	Synthetic organic reactive dyes and preparations based thereon	12,985	13,647
53117	Synthetic organic pigments and preparations based thereon	21,008	25,543
53119	Syn organic colouring matter, (excl. disperse, acid, basic, direct, vat, reactive dyes, pigments); mixtures thereof	9,241	8,569
53121	Synthetic organic products of a kind used as fluorescent brightening agents or luminesophors	12,287	10,314
53122	Colour lakes; preparations based on colour lakes	1,155	604
53221	Tanning extracts of vegetable origin; tannins and their derivatives, (incl. salts, esters, ethers)	3,950	4,060
53222	Colouring matter of vegetable or animal origin (incl. dyeing extracts, excl. animal black); preparations thereof	1,610	2,263

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials		
53231	Synthetic organic tanning substances	1,994	1,441
53232	Inorganic tanning substances; tanning preparations; enzymatic preparations for pre-tanning	3,560	2,890
53311	Pigments and preparations based on titanium dioxide (b)	3,237	6,255
53312	Pigments and preparations based on chromium compounds	2,586	2,618
53313	Pigments and preparations based on cadmium compounds	2,612	2,258
53314	Ultramarine and preparations based thereon	590	564
53315	Pigments and preparations based on zinc sulphide, (incl. lithopone)	107	112
53316	Pigments and preparations based on hexacyanoferrates (ferrocyanides and ferricyanides)	225	79
53317	Colouring matter and preparations, nes	12,349	12,726
53318	Inorganic products of a kind used as luminophores	1,176	893
53321	Black printing ink	2,743	3,313
53329	Printing ink (excl. black)	10,485	11,067
53341	Paints, varnishes (incl. enamels & lacquers) based on synth or modified natural polymers in aqueous soln	5,911	8,476
53342	Paint, varnishes (incl. enamel and lacquer), of synthetic or modified polymer base, nes; plastics in solution	12,853	18,290
53343	Paints & varnishes, (incl. enamels, lacquers & distempers) nes; prepared water pigments for finishing leather	4,289	3,900
53344	Pigments (incl. metallic), in liquid or paste for mnct paints; stamping foils; dyes etc put up for retail sale	8,230	8,754
53351	Prep pigments, opacifiers, glazes, slips etc, for ceramic, enamelling, glass ind; glass frit, powder, granules, etc	7,042	6,527
53352	Artists' or signboard painters' colours, tints, amusement colours, etc in tablets, tubes, jars, bottles, etc	4,021	6,099
53353	Prepared paint driers	164	218
53354	Glaziers' putty; grafting putty; mastics (incl. resin cement); painters' fillings; interior surfacing preps	26,703	30,309
53355	Organic composite solvents and thinners, nes; prepared paint or varnish removers	2,706	3,162
DIVISION 53 TOTAL (b)		217,492	232,730
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products		
54111	Unmixed provitamins	47	1
54112	Unmixed vitamins A and their derivatives	6,642	5,649
54113	Unmixed vitamins B and their derivatives	8,787	6,766
54114	Unmixed vitamin C and its derivatives	11,898	10,978
54115	Unmixed vitamin E and its derivatives	7,944	5,690
54116	Unmixed vitamins and their derivatives, (excl. vitamins A, B, C, E and provitamins)	3,800	3,899
54117	Intermixtures of provitamins and vitamins (incl. natural concentrates)	1,259	1,100
54131	Penicillins and their derivatives with a penicillanic acid structure; salts thereof	24,605	24,871
54132	Streptomycins and their derivatives; salts thereof	1,311	1,504
54133	Tetracyclines and their derivatives; salts thereof	6,923	12,420
54139	Antibiotics (excl. penicillins, streptomycins, tetracyclines, their derivatives and salts)	26,228	25,150
54141	Alkaloids of opium and their derivatives; salts thereof	207	317
54142	Alkaloids of cinchona and their derivatives; salts thereof	1,594	1,685
54143	Caffeine and its salts	401	311
54144	Ephedrine and its salts	1,603	1,563
54145	Theophylline and aminophylline (theophylline-ethylenediamine) and their derivatives; salts thereof	711	615
54146	Alkaloids of rye ergot and their derivatives; salts thereof	283	1,659
54147	Nicotine and its salts	25	16
54149	Vegetable alkaloids and salts thereof nes; alkaloid derivatives and salts thereof nes	2,982	2,002
54151	Natural or synthesised insulin and its salts, not put up as medicaments	14,054	14,209
54152	Pituitary (anterior) or similar hormones and their derivatives, not put up as medicaments	30	22
54153	Adrenal cortical hormones and their derivatives, not put up as medicaments	7,411	7,752
54159	Hormones and derivatives (excl. insulin, pituitary and adrenal cortical); steroids, not put up as medicaments	3,709	4,493
54161	Glycosides, natural or reproduced by synthesis and derivatives thereof, (incl. salts, ethers, esters)	4,872	21,400
54162	Dried organs (incl. glands), & their extracts; heparin, human or animal substances for organo-therapeutic uses	2,743	2,201
54163	Blood fractions (incl. antisera); vaccines	19,408	31,838
54164	Human blood; animal blood prep for therapeutic, prophylactic or diagnostic uses, toxins, cultures (excl. yeasts)	3,569	3,889

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products		
54191	Wadding, gauze, bandages, etc, impregnated/coated with pharmaceutical substances, or put up for retail sale	35,909	37,017
54192	Blood-grouping reagents for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	528	580
54193	Opacifying preparations for x-ray examinations; diagnostic reagents for medical, surgical, dental, vet use	17,106	25,636
54199	Pharmaceutical goods for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes, nes	26,720	23,022
54211	Medicaments cntg penicillins, streptomycins & derivatives thereof, not in doses or put up for retail sale	5,211	2,021
54212	Medicaments containing antibiotics, (excl. penicillins, streptomycins) not in measured doses or for retail sale	4,612	4,025
54213	Medicaments cntg penicillins, streptomycins & derivatives thereof, in doses or put up for retail sale	5,746	7,466
54219	Medicaments antibiotics, (excl. penicillins, streptomycins) in measured doses or for retail sale	11,800	15,516
54221	Medicaments containing insulin, not put up in measured doses or packed for retail sale	—	4,210
54222	Medicaments containing hormones (excl. insulin), not in measured doses or in packs for retail sale	129	372
54223	Medicaments containing insulin, put up in measured doses or in forms or packings for retail sale	1,107	2,057
54224	Medicaments containing adrenal cortex hormones, in measured doses or in forms or packings for retail sale	722	4,633
54229	Medicaments cntg hormones, (excl. insulin, adrenal), steroids used as hormones, in doses or for retail sale	9,796	13,944
54231	Medicaments containing alkaloids or derivatives thereof, not in doses or for retail sale	194	111
54232	Medicaments containing alkaloids or derivatives thereof, in doses or for retail sale	77	568
54291	Medicaments (excl. hormones, steroids, antibiotics, alkaloids), not put in doses or in packs for retail sale	89,244	88,468
54292	Medicaments containing vitamins, provitamins and derivatives thereof, in measured doses or for retail sale	1,133	1,182
54293	Medicaments (excl. antibiotics, hormones, steroids, alkaloids, derivatives thereof), in doses or for retail sale	320,763	397,079
DIVISION 54 TOTAL		693,843	819,905
55	Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations		
55131	Essential oils of citrus fruit	1,986	2,535
55132	Essential oils, (excl. citrus fruit)	8,798	9,761
55133	Resinoids	1,050	966
55135	Concentrates of essential oils, terpenic by-products; aqueous distillates, solutions of essential oils	1,150	566
55141	Mixtures of odoriferous substances (incl. alcoholic solutions) as raw materials for the food or drink industry	9,304	11,096
55149	Mixtures of odoriferous substances, for industry (incl. alcoholic sols but excl. for food or drink industry)	20,865	18,160
55310	Perfumes and toilet waters	42,883	44,883
55320	Beauty or make-up preps for skin (excl. medicaments, incl. sunscreen/suntan preps); manicure/pedicure preps	75,028	85,328
55330	Preparations for use on the hair	14,883	27,348
55340	Preparations for oral or dental hygiene (incl. denture fixative pastes and powders)	14,633	18,213
55351	Pre-shave, shaving or after-shave preparations	4,498	5,797
55352	Personal deodorants and anti-perspirants	3,950	4,550
55353	Bath preparations (incl. perfumed bath salts)	1,940	2,507
55354	Preparations for perfuming or deodorizing rooms (incl. odoriferous preparations used during religious rites)	2,642	5,195
55359	Perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations (incl. depilatories) nes	9,627	7,616
55411	Toilet soap, organic surface-active products/preps, in bars, cakes, moulded pieces, & impregnated materials	11,660	14,994
55415	Soap and organic surface-active products/preps, in bars, cakes, impregnated materials, etc (excl. toilet use)	1,936	1,599
55419	Soap (excl. in bars, cakes, moulded pieces or shapes, materials impreg. coated or covered with soap etc)	1,043	1,199
55421	Organic surface-active agents (excl. soap)	42,164	48,558
55422	Surface-active, washing or cleaning preparations (excl. organic and soap) put up for retail sale	11,112	6,445
55423	Surface-active, washing or cleaning preparations (excl. organic and soap), not put up for retail sale	5,937	6,539

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
55	Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations		
55431	Polishes, creams, etc, for footwear or leather (incl. materials impregnated, coated etc with such preps)	544	722
55432	Polishes, creams, etc, for maintaining woodwork (incl. materials coated etc with such preps)	923	712
55433	Polishes and similar preps, for coachwork, (incl. material coated etc with such preps, excl. metal polishes)	364	483
55434	Scouring preps (eg powders, pastes) (incl. materials impregnated, coated or covered with such preps)	225	380
55435	Polishes, creams & similar preparations, for glass or metal (incl. materials impregnated or coated therewith)	3,013	4,632
	DIVISION 55 TOTAL	292,158	330,785
56	Fertilisers (excl. crude)		
56211	Ammonium nitrate	4,340	7,767
56212	Double salts and mixtures of ammonium sulphate and ammonium nitrate	103	3
56213	Ammonium sulphate	9,526	5,252
56214	Double salts and mixtures of calcium nitrate and ammonium nitrate	15	6
56215	Calcium cyanamide	231	59
56216	Urea	46,978	59,191
56217	Mixtures of urea and ammonium nitrate in aqueous or ammoniacal solution	461	—
56219	Nitrogenous fertilisers (incl. mixtures), nes	2,540	3,229
56221	Basic slag (Thomas slag)	1	—
56222	Superphosphates	18,925	18,428
56229	Phosphatic mineral or chemical fertilisers (excl. superphosphate, basic slag)	63	192
56231	Potassium chloride	30,632	38,911
56232	Potassium sulphate	4,571	3,658
56239	Potassic mineral or chemical fertilisers (excl. potassium chloride, potassium sulphate, crude natural salts)	373	851
56291	Fertilisers, nes, containing the three fertilising elements: nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium	6,167	8,847
56292	Mineral or chemical fertilisers containing the two fertilizing elements: phosphorus and potassium	96	133
56293	Diammonium hydrogenorthophosphate (diammonium phosphate)	60,115	67,412
56294	Ammonium dihydrogenorthophosphate (monoammonium phosphate) and mixtures thereof with diammonium phosphate	25,358	34,242
56295	Fertilisers, nes, containing the two fertilising elements: nitrogen and phosphorus	284	793
56296	Crude, mineral or chemical fertilisers, in tablets, etc. or in packages of a gross weight not exc 10kg	616	969
56299	Fertilisers, nes	2,109	2,326
	DIVISION 56 TOTAL	213,504	252,267
57	Plastics in primary forms		
57111	Polyethylene, in primary forms, having a specific gravity of less than 0.94	105,833	67,011
57112	Polyethylene, in primary forms, having a specific gravity of 0.94 or more	39,301	46,063
57120	Ethylene-vinyl acetate copolymers	13,630	11,846
57190	Polymers of ethylene, in primary forms (excl. polyethylene and ethylene-vinyl acetate copolymers)	10,011	12,949
57211	Expandable polystyrene, in primary forms	11,623	6,720
57219	Polystyrene, in primary forms (excl. expandable)	4,632	7,263
57291	Styrene-acrylonitrile (SAN) copolymers, in primary forms	2,057	2,281
57292	Acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene (ABS) copolymers, in primary forms	11,975	8,611
57299	Styrene polymers, in primary forms (excl. polystyrene, styrene-acrylonitrile (san) and abs copolymers)	2,369	2,857
57311	Polyvinyl chloride, in primary forms, not mixed with any other substances	57,289	42,919
57312	Non-plasticised polyvinyl chloride, in primary forms, mixed with other substances	899	852
57313	Plasticised polyvinyl chloride, in primary forms, mixed with other substances	2,165	2,515
57391	Vinyl chloride-vinyl acetate copolymers, in primary forms	5,524	3,986
57392	Vinyl chloride copolymers, (excl. polyvinyl chloride, vinyl chloride-vinyl acetate copolymers) in primary forms	595	2,425
57393	Vinylidene chloride polymers, in primary forms	1,242	1,002
57394	Fluoro-polymers, in primary forms	5,134	49,914
57399	Polymers of vinyl chloride or of other halogenated olefins, nes, in primary forms	1,489	1,722
57411	Polycarbonates, in primary forms	7,940	8,479
57419	Polyethers, in primary forms, (excl. polycarbonates)	25,015	24,546
57420	Epoxide resins, in primary forms	15,243	13,494
57431	Polycarbonates, in primary forms	34,551	27,823

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
57 Plastics in primary forms			
57432	Alkyd resins, in primary forms	799	1,147
57433	Polyethylene terephthalate, in primary forms	39,511	37,809
57434	Unsaturated polyesters, in primary forms, nes	6,356	6,702
57439	Polyesters, in primary forms, (excl. unsaturated), nes	27,220	26,149
57511	Polypropylene, in primary forms	8,915	8,530
57512	Polyisobutylene, in primary forms	596	1,028
57513	Propylene copolymers, in primary forms (excl. polypropylene, polyisobutylene)	4,604	4,877
57519	Polymers of olefins; in primary forms, nes	8,147	7,275
57521	Polymethyl methacrylate, in primary forms	8,453	10,820
57529	Acrylic polymers, in primary forms (excl. polymethyl methacrylate)	35,183	41,301
57531	Polyamide-6, -11, -12, -6,6, -6,9, -6,10 or -6,12, in primary forms	78,541	62,287
57539	Polyamides, in primary forms (excl. polyamide-6, -11, -12, -6,6, -6,9, -6,10 or -6,12)	3,620	3,694
57541	Urea resins; thiourea resins	808	824
57542	Melamine resins, in primary forms	1,691	2,052
57543	Amino-resins, in primary forms (excl. urea, thiourea and melamine resins)	357	402
57544	Phenolic resins, in primary forms	5,222	6,024
57545	Polyurethanes, in primary forms	17,470	18,723
57551	Non-plasticised cellulose acetates, in primary forms	520	181
57552	Plasticised cellulose acetates, in primary forms	563	395
57553	Cellulose nitrates (incl. collodions), in primary forms	1,400	4,973
57554	Cellulose ethers, in primary forms	14,708	13,919
57559	Cellulose and its chemical derivatives, in primary forms (excl. cellulose acetates, nitrates, ethers)	6,011	7,731
57591	Polymers of vinyl acetate, in primary forms	1,935	3,585
57592	Polymers of vinyl esters and vinyl polymers, in primary forms, nes	13,353	11,167
57593	Silicones in primary forms (b)	35,390	30,553
57594	Alginic acid, its salts and esters, in primary forms	5,201	3,817
57595	Natural polymers and modified natural polymers (eg hardened proteins, derivatives of natural rubber), nes	6,882	8,976
57596	Plastics (incl. petroleum and coumarone-indene resins, polyterpenes, polysulphides, polysulphones), nes	18,945	16,483
57597	Ion exchangers based on polymers of plastics in primary forms	4,353	4,080
57910	Ethylene polymers waste, parings and scrap	1,051	378
57920	Styrene polymers waste, parings and scrap	5	45
57930	Vinyl chloride polymers waste, parings and scrap	217	447
57990	Plastic waste, parings and scrap (excl. ethylene, styrene and vinyl chloride polymers)	713	2,800
DIVISION 57 TOTAL (b)		717,260	649,449
58 Plastics ii: non-primary forms			
58110	Artificial guts (sausage casings) of hardened protein or of cellulosic materials	11,282	12,304
58120	Rigid plastic tubes, pipes and hoses	4,715	4,744
58130	Flexible plastic tubes, pipes and hoses with a minimum burst pressure of 27.6 mpa	689	1,376
58140	Plastic tubes, pipes and hoses excl. reinforced or combined with other materials), without fittings nes	18,506	22,367
58150	Plastic tubes, pipes and hoses (excl. reinforced or combined with other materials), without fittings, nes	855	610
58160	Plastic tubes, pipes and hoses, reinforced or otherwise combined with other materials	5,681	6,827
58170	Plastic fittings for tubes, pipes and hoses (eg joints, elbows, flanges)	10,419	14,116
58211	Self-adhesive flat plastic shapes (incl. plates, film and the like) in rolls of a width not exc 20cm	28,218	31,328
58219	Self-adhesive flat plast shapes (incl. plates, film, excl. rolls not exc 20 cm width & wall etc. coverings)	44,542	43,882
58221	Flat shapes of ethylene polymers, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated or similarly combined	34,120	33,649
58222	Flat shapes of propylene polymers, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated or similarly combined	27,199	27,570
58223	Flat shapes of styrene polymers, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated or similarly combined	7,418	6,560
58224	Flat shapes of vinyl chloride polymers, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated or similarly combined	41,407	41,135
58225	Flat shapes of acrylic polymers, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated or similarly combined	28,427	34,285
58226	Flat shapes of polyesters (incl. polycarbonates, alkyds), non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated, etc	42,284	42,620
58227	Flat shapes of vulcanised fibre, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated or similarly combined	1,006	559

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — *continued*
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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
58 Plastics in non-primary forms			
58228	Flat shapes of cellulose and its derivatives, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated or similarly combined	29,135	29,011
58229	Flat shapes of plastics (excl. self adhesive) nes, non-cellular, not reinforced, laminated, etc	32,923	38,989
58291	Cellular plastic plates, sheets, film, foil and strip (excl. self-adhesive) (b)	19,067	24,318
58299	Plastic plates, film & the like (excl. self-adhesive, cellular, non-cellular, not comb with other material)	48,802	58,844
58310	Ethylene polymer monofilament (excl. of 1mm in cross section), rods, sticks, profile shapes (incl. waste, scrap)	1,279	1,486
58320	Vinyl chloride polymer monofilament(excl. 1mm in cross section),rods,sticks, profile shapes (incl. waste, scrap)	1,596	1,772
58390	Plastic monofilament (excl. ethylene, vinyl chloride), rods, sticks & profile shapes (incl. waste, scrap)	4,430	5,332
DIVISION 58 TOTAL (b)		444,000	483,683
59 Chemical materials and products, nes			
59110	Insecticides put up in forms or packings for retail sale or as preparations or articles	11,978	11,459
59120	Fungicides put up in forms or packings for retail sale or as preparations or articles	14,759	15,180
59130	Weed killers, anti-sprouting products and plant growth regulators, for retail sale or as preps or articles	8,304	17,051
59141	Disinfectants put up in forms or packings for retail sale or as preparations or articles	8,789	9,417
59149	Rodenticides and similar products, put up in forms or packings for retail sale or as preparations or articles	2,547	2,470
59211	Wheat starch	185	248
59212	Corn (maize) starch	820	1,115
59213	Potato starch	1,211	1,350
59214	Manioc (cassava) starch	627	2,209
59215	Starches (excl. wheat, corn, potato, manioc)	691	284
59216	Inulin	1,160	2,139
59217	Wheat gluten	2,076	2,780
59221	Casein	3,202	3,533
59222	Caseinates and other casein derivatives; casein glues	512	307
59223	Albumins (excl. egg albumin); albuminates and other albumin derivatives		
59224	Gelatin (incl. in rectangular sheets) and gelatin derivatives; isinglass; glues of animal origin, nes	12,563	12,117
59225	Peptones and their derivatives; other protein substances and their derivatives, hide powder	9,492	10,415
59226	Modified starches (incl. dextrins)	5,339	5,723
59227	Glues based on starches, or on modified starches (incl. dextrins)	190	95
59229	Prepared adhesives (incl. glues), prods suitable for use as glues/adhesives, for retail sale, not exc 1kg net	16,386	18,144
59311	Propellent powders	1,410	2,720
59312	Prepared explosives (excl. propellent powders)	1,878	2,650
59320	Safety fuses; detonating fuses; percussion or detonating caps; igniters; electric detonators	12,727	20,802
59331	Fireworks (excl. signalling devices)	1,231	963
59333	Signalling flares, nsn rockets, fog signals and other pyrotechnic articles	4,413	4,362
59721	Anti-knock preparations (for mineral oils (incl. gasoline))	70,200	74,648
59725	Lubricating oil additives	80,744	88,182
59729	Prepared additives for other liquids used for the same purposes as mineral oils	9,503	12,326
59731	Prepared liquids for hydraulic transmission (incl. brake fluid), less than 70% by wt of petrol/mineral oils	2,091	2,817
59733	Anti-freezing preparations and prepared de-icing fluids	375	849
59771	Preparations containing petroleum/bituminous mineral oils for treatment of text, leather, furskins, etc	673	579
59772	Lubricating preparations containing petroleum oils or oils obtained from bituminous materials	5,605	8,176
59773	Preparations containing oils or greases (excl. petroleum/bituminous minerals) for treating textile, leather, etc	2,896	2,815
59774	Lubricating preparations containing oils or greases (excl. from petroleum or bituminous minerals)	11,048	15,344
59811	Tall oil	815	587
59812	Residual lys from the manufacture of wood pulp (incl. lignin sulphonates but excl. tall oil)	2,583	2,754
59813	Terpeneic oils from coniferous woods; crude dipentene; crude para-cymene; pine oil	1,381	822
59814	Rosin and resin acids, and derivatives thereof; rosin spirit and rosin oils	5,407	6,153

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
59 Chemical materials and products, nes			
59818	Wood tar, wood tar oils, creosote, naphs, brewers' & vegetable pitch; similar preps based on rosin or pitch	134	138
59831	Artificial waxes and prepared waxes of chemically modified lignite	237	372
59835	Artificial waxes and prepared waxes of polyethylene glycol	107	132
59839	Artificial waxes and other prepared waxes (excl. of chemically modified lignite and polyethylene glycol)	8,630	7,707
59841	Mixed alkylbenzenes, nes (b)	1,794	—
59845	Mixed alkyl-naphthalenes, nes	—	—
59850	Chemical elements doped for electronics use, in discs, wafers or similar forms; compounds doped for electronics	3,237	5,175
59861	Artificial graphite; semi/colloidal graphite; preps based on carbon in semi-manufactured form (eg plates, block)	10,633	11,498
59863	Prepared rubber accelerators	3,581	4,449
59864	Activated carbon	17,435	11,467
59865	Activated natural mineral products; animal black (incl. spent animal black)	3,993	3,942
59869	Composite diagnostic or laboratory reagents, nes	3,701	3,492
59881	Supported catalysts with nickel or nickel compounds as the active substances	48,057	53,839
59883	Supported catalysts with precious metal or precious metal compounds as the active substances	2,710	2,487
59885	Supported catalysts (excl. with nickel or precious metal and their compounds as the active substances)	1,245	9,414
59889	Catalysts and catalytic preparations (excl. supported catalysts), nes	6,215	5,911
59891	Finishing agents, dye carriers, similar products/preps, used in the textile, paper, leather or like industries	20,284	20,977
59893	Compound plasticisers for rubber/plastic nes; compnd stabilizers (incl. anti-oxidizing preps) for rubber/plastic	18,457	17,144
59894	Preparations and charges for fire extinguishers; charged fire-extinguishing grenades	4,209	6,260
59895	Modelling pastes; dental impression compounds put up for retail sale; dental preparations based on plaster	1,060	1,549
59896	Pickling preps for metals; fluxes, powders, pastes for soldering, brazing, welding; welding electrode cores	2,879	2,734
59897	Prepared additives for cements, mortars or concretes	2,131	3,160
59898	Non-refractory mortars and concretes	1,714	1,425
59899	Chemical products and preparations, nes	29	123
		85,931	89,452
DIVISION 59 TOTAL (b)		564,416	626,438
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, nes			
61120	Composition leather, with a leather or leather fibre basis in slabs, sheets or strip	1,422	1,213
61130	Whole bovine skin leath, without hair, surface area not exc 2.6 sm (excl. dressed or finished leath)	3,252	2,454
61141	Bovine exc 2.6 sm surface area & equine leath, without hair, tanned or retanned, not further prepared	34,947	23,492
61142	Bovine exc 2.6 sm surface area & equine leath, without hair, parch dressed or prepared after tanning	64,425	57,563
61151	Sheep or lamb skin leather, without wool on, tanned or retanned but not further prepared	7,196	8,531
61152	Sheep or lamb skin leather, without wool on, parchment-dressed or prepared after tanning	10,866	16,932
61161	Goat or kid skin leather, without hair on, tanned or retanned but not further prepared	1,800	1,770
61162	Goat or kid skin leather, without hair on, parchment-dressed or prepared after tanning	6,224	5,221
61171	Swine leather, without hair on, not specially dressed or finished	3,865	3,685
61172	Reptile leather, not specially dressed or finished	97	40
61179	Animal leather (excl. swine, reptile, goat, kid, sheep, lamb, bovine, equine or specially dressed or finished)	417	509
61181	Chamois (incl. combination chamois) leather	435	314
61183	Patent leather and patent laminated leather; metallised leather	3,103	2,239
61210	Articles of leather or of composition leather used in machinery/mechanical appliances or for other tech uses	253	246
61220	Saddlery & harness for any animal (eg. traces, knee pads, muzzles, saddle bags, dog coats etc) of any material	6,040	6,733
61290	Articles of leather or of composition leather (excl. saddlery/harness or for mechanical, technical uses)	2,974	2,668
61311	Whole tanned or dressed mink furskins, not assembled	246	227
61312	Whole tanned or dressed rabbit or hare furskins, not assembled	9	11
61313	Whole tann/dress lamb furskins (incl. Indian, Astrakh Broadtail, Cascul, Chinese, Persian, etc) unassembled	172	238

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
61	Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, nes		
61319	Whole tanned or dressed furskins (excl. mink, lamb, rabbit or hare), not assembled	2,631	2,423
61320	Tanned or dressed furskin heads, tails, paws and other pieces or cuttings, not assembled	16	39
61330	Tanned or dressed whole furskins, pieces or cuttings thereof, assembled (excl. articles of apparel or access)	205	15
	DIVISION 61 TOTAL	150,597	136,563
62	Rubber manufactures, nes		
62111	Unvulcanised rubber compounded with silica or carbon black, in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip	628	1,025
62112	Compounded rubber solutions; dispersions (excl. carbon black or silica compounds), in prim forms, plates etc	604	259
62119	Unvulcanised compounded rubber, in primary forms, plates, sheets, strip, nes	1,084	914
62121	Unvulcanised rubber 'camel-back' strips for retreading rubber tyres	41	—
62129	Unvulcanised rubber articles & forms (excl. primary forms, plates, sheets, strip, 'camel-back' retreading strip)	332	555
62131	Vulcanised rubber thread and cord	2,692	1,428
62132	Unhardened vulcanised cellular rubber, in plates, sheets, strip, rods and profile shapes	5,244	5,872
62133	Unhardened vulcanised non-cellular rubber, in plates, sheets, strip, rods and profile shapes (b)	18,556	19,520
62141	Unhardened vulcanised rubber tubes, pipes/hoses not reinforced/combined with other materials, without fittings	5,400	7,348
62142	Unhardened vulcanised rubber tubes, pipes, hoses, reinforced or combined only with metal, without fittings	12,782	16,160
62143	Unhardened vulcanised rubber tubes, pipes, hoses, reinforced or combined only with textiles, without fittings	15,982	20,540
62144	Unhardened vulcanised rubber tubes, pipes, hoses, reinforced/combined (excl. metal, textiles) without fittings	9,591	10,928
62145	Unhardened vulcanised rubber tubes, pipes and hoses with fittings	6,050	8,226
62510	New, pneumatic rubber tyres for motor cars (incl. station wagons and racing cars)	137,629	139,091
62520	New, pneumatic rubber tyres for buses and lorries	133,433	139,721
62530	New, pneumatic rubber tyres for aircraft	2,262	3,450
62541	New, pneumatic rubber tyres for motorcycles	8,863	7,940
62542	New, pneumatic rubber tyres for bicycles	4,854	4,383
62551	Pneumatic rubber tyres (excl. new for buses, motor cars, bicycles, aircraft, etc) with 'herring-bone' type tread	40,520	42,823
62559	Pneumatic rubber tyres (excl. new for buses, motor cars, bicycles, aircraft, etc, 'herring-bone' type tread)	84,955	96,815
62591	Inner tubes for tyres, of rubber	20,860	19,265
62592	Retreaded rubber tyres	288	752
62593	Used pneumatic rubber tyres	7,255	7,294
62594	Solid or cushion tyres, interchangeable tyre treads and tyre flaps, of rubber	9,565	9,038
62911	Sheath contraceptives, of unhardened vulcanised rubber	956	1,847
62919	Hygienic or pharmaceutical articles (incl. teats) of unhardened vulcanised rubber (excl. sheath contraceptives)	3,347	3,205
62921	Vulcanised rubber conveyor or transmission belts or belting of trapezoidal cross-section (V-belt, V-belt)	18,403	20,950
62929	Vulcanised rubber conveyor or transmission belts or belting (excl. of trapezoidal cross-section)	35,585	36,524
62991	Hard rubber (eg ebonite), in all forms (incl. waste and scrap); articles of hard rubber	741	469
62992	Unhardened cellular vulcanised rubber articles, nes	340	560
62999	Unhardened non-cellular vulcanised rubber articles, nes	93,624	123,188
	DIVISION 62 TOTAL (b)	682,466	750,089
63	Cork and wood manufactures (excl. furniture)		
63311	Corks and stoppers of natural cork	20,458	18,284
63319	Articles of natural cork (excl. corks and stoppers)	512	224
63321	Blocks, plates, sheets, strip, tiles and solid cylinders of agglomerated cork	6,435	5,740
63329	Agglomerated cork and articles thereof (excl. blocks, plates, sheets, strip, tiles and solid cylinders)	5,494	5,527
63411	Veneer sheets, sheets for plywood and sawn, sliced or peeled wood not exc 6 mm thickness, coniferous	2,925	2,560
63412	Veneer sheets, sheets for plywood and sawn, sliced or peeled wood not exc 6 mm thickness, non-coniferous	23,527	21,390
63421	Densified wood, in blocks, plates, strips or profile shapes	487	707

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
63	Cork and wood manufactures (excl. furniture)		
63422	Particle board and similar board of wood	1,531	2,478
63423	Particle board and similar board of ligneous materials (excl. wood)	43	86
63431	Plywood solely of wood sheets not exc 6mm thick with at least 1 outer ply of tropical or non-coniferous wood	16,362	12,575
63439	Plywood solely of wood sheets, each ply not exc 6 mm (excl. with tropical or non-coniferous wood outer ply)	11,335	14,548
63441	Plywood, veneered panels and similar laminated wood with at least one outer ply of non-coniferous wood, nes	9,443	6,303
63449	Plywood, veneered panels and similar laminated wood (excl. those with one or more non-coniferous outer plys)	12,411	9,134
63451	Fibreboard of ligneous materials (incl. wood) with a density exc 0.80 g/cm ³	6,216	5,542
63452	Fibreboard of ligneous materials (incl. wood) with a density exc 0.50 g/cm ³ but not exc 0.80 g/cm ³	26,694	25,491
63453	Fibreboard of ligneous materials (incl. wood) with a density exc 0.35 g/cm ³ but not exc 0.50 g/cm ³	494	196
63459	Fibreboard of ligneous materials (incl. wood) with a density not exc 0.35 g/cm ³	328	207
63491	Hoopwood; split poles; piles, pickets, stakes of wood, wooden sticks for walking-sticks, etc; chipwood, etc	76	106
63493	Wood wool; wood flour	69	93
63511	Packing cases, boxes, crates, drums and similar packings, of wood: cable-drums of wood	334	625
63512	Load boards (incl. pallets, box pallets) of wood	6	49
63520	Casks, barrels, vats, tubs and other coopers' products and parts thereof, of wood (incl. staves)	9,242	10,802
63531	Windows, French-windows and their frames of wood	722	1,437
63532	Doors and their frames and thresholds of wood	20,485	21,415
63533	Shingles and shakes of wood	617	389
63539	Builders' joinery & carpentry of wood (incl. cellular and parquet panels but excl. windows, doors, shingles)	14,645	13,847
63541	Wooden frames for paintings, photographs, mirrors or similar objects	4,849	6,775
63542	Tableware and kitchenware of wood	5,216	5,837
63549	Inlaid wood & marquetry; caskets, cases, ornaments & the like of wood; wooden furniture (excl. of div 82)	10,741	11,345
63591	Tools, tool bodies, tool handles, broom or brush bodies and handles, of wood; boot/shoe lasts/trees, of wood	2,718	2,438
63599	Manufactured articles of wood, nes	18,788	20,556
	DIVISION 63 TOTAL	233,201	226,708
64	Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard		
64110	Newsprint, in rolls or sheets	195,896	205,341
64121	Hand-made paper and paperboard	145	133
64122	Paper and paperboard of a kind used as a base for photo-, heat- or electro-sensitive paper or paperboard	1,339	961
64123	Carbonising base paper	1,998	890
64124	Wallpaper base of paper or paperboard	123	—
64125	Paper and paperboard not exc 40 g/sm, cntg not more than 10% by weight of mechanical fibres, nes	313	333
64126	Paper and paperboard, exc 40 g/sm but not exc 150 g/sm cntg not more than 10% by weight of mechanical fibres	39,697	42,370
64127	Paper and paperboard exc 150 g/sm, cntg not more than 10% by wt of fibres from a mechanical process, nes	24,731	28,359
64129	Paper and paperboard, with more than 10% of the total fibre content obtained by a mechanical process, nes	72,370	81,896
64131	Copying or transfer papers (incl. carbon paper, self copy paper) in rolls or sheets exc 36 cm unfolded	35,427	32,075
64132	Paper, paperboard for graphic uses coated with inorganic substances, not exc 150 g/sm or 10% mechanical fibres	146,189	129,645
64133	Paper, paperboard for graphic uses coated with inorganic substances, not exc 10% mech fibres, exc 150 g/sm	88,808	87,759
64134	Paper, paperboard for graphic uses coated with inorganic substances, exc 10% mechanical fibres	186,309	140,269
64141	Uncoated kraft paper, in rolls or sheets	18,298	13,627
64142	Uncoated sack kraft paper, in rolls or sheets	4,233	2,556
64146	Uncoated kraft paper & paperboard, not exc 150 g/sm in weight (excl. sack kraft paper), in rolls or sheets	7,790	10,030
64147	Uncoated kraft paper & paperboard, exc 150 g/sm but less than 225 g/sm (excl. sack kraft paper), in rolls or sheets	5,740	4,796
64148	Uncoated kraft paper & paperboard, 225 g/sm or more (excl. sack kraft paper), in rolls or sheets	4,892	4,353

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
64	Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard		
64151	Uncoated semi-chemical fluting paper (corrugating medium), in rolls or sheets	4,798	2,124
64152	Uncoated sulphite wrapping paper, in rolls or sheets	1,582	2,031
64153	Vegetable parchment, greaseproof & tracing papers, glazed transparent paper (incl. glassine), in rolls or sheets	21,256	23,239
64154	Uncoated multi-ply paper and paperboard, in rolls or sheets	1,894	1,979
64155	Cigarette paper, nes	2,660	3,929
64156	Uncoated filter paper and paperboard; uncoated felt paper and paperboard	2,725	2,285
64157	Uncoated paper and paperboard, not exc 150 g/sm in weight, nes	28,517	30,438
64158	Uncoated paper and paperboard, 150 g/sm or more but less than 225 g/sm in weight, nes	2,421	3,260
64159	Uncoated paper and paperboard, 225 g/sm or more in weight, nes	30,904	31,866
64161	Creped or crinkled sack kraft paper, in rolls or sheets	381	525
64162	Creped or crinkled kraft paper (excl. sack kraft paper), in rolls or sheets	3,601	3,034
64163	Paper for household or sanitary purposes, (incl. tissues etc) cellulose wadding and the like, exc 36 cm wide	10,193	8,151
64164	Corrugated paper and paperboard, in rolls or sheets	485	390
64169	Creped, crinkled, embossed or perforated paper (excl. kraft/sack kraft, household, sanitary, corrugated paper)	20,546	17,633
64171	Bleach paper/paperboard, coat, impreg. cover with plast (excl. adhesives) exc 150 g/sm, in rolls or sheets	25,746	22,588
64172	Paper & paperboard nes coated, impregnated, covered with plastics (excl. adhesives), in rolls or sheets	14,515	18,018
64173	Paper and paperboard, tarred, bituminised or asphalted, in rolls or sheets	19	26
64174	Bleached kraft, not for graphic use, coated with inorganic substances, 95% or more chem fibre, 150 g/sm or less	357	117
64175	Bleached kraft, not for graphic use, coated with inorganic substances, 95% or more chem fibre, exc 150 g/sm	2,656	11,748
64176	Kraft paper and paperboard, not for graphic use, coated with inorganic substances, nes, in rolls or sheets	2,164	388
64177	Paper & paperboard (excl. kraft) not for graphic use, coated with inorganic substances, in rolls or sheets	14,920	18,558
64178	Gummed or adhesive paper and paperboard	27,077	28,256
64179	Paper, paperboard, cellulose wadding, cellulose fibre webs, coated, impreg. surface-decorated, printed etc	45,168	54,697
64191	Paper and paperboard, laminated internally with bitumen, tar or asphalt	175	325
64192	Composite paper and paperboard (excl. laminated with bitumen, tar, asphalt) not surface-coated or impregnated	11,069	12,858
64193	Filter blocks, slabs and plates, of paper pulp	39	81
64194	Wallpaper and similar wall coverings, window transparencies of paper	5,483	6,308
64211	Cartons, boxes and cases, of corrugated paper or paperboard	2,149	2,366
64212	Folding cartons, boxes and cases, of non-corrugated paper or paperboard	8,082	7,310
64213	Paper sacks and bags, having a base of 40 cm or more in width	424	708
64214	Paper sacks and bags, (incl. cones but excl. those having a base of 40 cm or more wide)	3,808	6,036
64215	Paper & paperboard packing containers (incl. record sleeves but excl. sacks, bags, cartons, boxes and cases)	1,784	3,879
64216	Paper and paperboard box files, letter trays, storage boxes, similar articles, used in offices, etc	882	1,355
64221	Paper or paperboard envelopes	2,352	2,208
64222	Letter cards, plain postcards and correspondence cards of paper or paperboard	355	306
64223	Paper or paperboard boxes, pouches, wallets and writing compendiums, containing assorted paper stationery	1,685	2,351
64231	Registers, account, note, order, and receipt books, letter pads, memorandum pads, diaries and similar articles	23,303	31,915
64232	Exercise-books	1,078	1,242
64233	Paper and paperboard binders, folders and file covers	5,910	7,959
64234	Manifold business forms and interleaved carbon sets	892	933
64235	Paper and paperboard albums for samples or for collections	11,244	8,732
64239	Paper and paperboard blotting-pads, book covers and articles of stationery, nes	4,220	5,083
64241	Cigarette paper, cut to size	13,403	14,113
64242	Copying or transfer papers (incl. carbon and self-copy paper) cut to size, duplicator stencils, offset plates	13,837	15,261
64243	Toilet paper, cut to size, in rolls or sheets	477	506
64244	Gummed or adhesive paper, cut to size or shape, in strips or rolls	9,506	9,963
64245	Filter paper and paperboard, cut to size or shape	4,536	4,029
64248	Paper & paperboard, of a kind used for writing, printing or other graphic purposes, cut to size or shape, nes	21,896	23,459
64291	Bobbins, spools, cops and similar supports of paper pulp, paper or paperboard	634	751
64292	Cards, not punched, for punch card machines	29	45
64293	Paper and paperboard trays, dishes, plates, cups and the like	6,505	6,790

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
64	Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard		
64294	Paper linen (eg. cleansing tissues, towels, serviettes, bed sheets etc.); paper garments, clothing accessories	5,500	8,084
64295	Sanitary articles (incl. tampons, napkins and the like) of paper pulp, paper, cellulose wadding and fibres (b)	1,804	5,386
64299	Articles of paper pulp, paper, paperboard, cellulose wadding or webs of cellulose fibres, nes	34,320	36,362
DIVISION 64 TOTAL (b)		1,296,262	1,297,375
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, nes, and related products		
65112	Yarn of carded wool, containing 85% or more by weight of wool, not put up for retail sale (excl. wool tops)	28,118	21,409
65113	Yarn of combed wool, containing 85% or more by weight of wool, not put up for retail sale (excl. wool tops)	25,165	17,996
65114	Yarn of fine animal hair (carded or combed), not put up for retail sale	659	1,398
65115	Yarn of coarse animal hair or of horsehair (incl. gimped horsehair yarn)	1	—
65116	Yarn containing 85% or more by weight of wool or of fine animal hair, put up for retail sale (excl. wool tops)	5,599	3,026
65117	Yarn of carded wool containing less than 85% by weight of wool, not put up for retail sale (excl. wool tops)	15,308	11,078
65118	Yarn of combed wool containing less than 85% by weight of wool, not put up for retail sale (excl. wool tops)	12,688	11,010
65119	Yarn of wool/fine animal hair, cntg less than 85% by wt of wool/fine animal hair, for retail (excl. wool tops)	868	981
65121	Cotton sewing thread, not put up for retail sale	682	558
65122	Cotton sewing thread, put up for retail sale	843	1,284
65131	Cotton yarn (excl. sewing thread) containing 85% or more by weight of cotton, put up for retail sale	2,335	2,260
65132	Cotton yarn (excl. sewing thread) containing less than 85% cotton, put up for retail sale	454	92
65133	Cotton yarn (excl. sewing thread), containing 85% or more by weight of cotton, not put up for retail sale	54,111	39,011
65134	Cotton yarn (excl. sewing thread), containing less than 85% by weight of cotton, not put up for retail sale	5,836	4,151
65141	Sewing thread of synthetic filaments	12,064	10,764
65142	Sewing thread of artificial filaments	187	248
65143	Sewing thread of synthetic staple fibres	8,905	8,751
65144	Sewing thread of artificial staple fibres	209	475
65151	Textured polyamide yarn (incl. monofilament less than 67 decitex, excl. sewing thread) not for retail sale	40,900	51,421
65152	Textured polyester yarn (incl. monofilament yarn less than 67 decitex, excl. sewing thread) not for retail	21,988	19,260
65159	Textured syn. yarn (excl. sewing thread, polyamides, polyesters, incl. fine monofilaments) not for retail	16,645	12,269
65161	Synthetic filament yarn (incl. fine monofilaments, excl. sewing thread and textured yarn) for retail sale	1,660	532
65162	High tenacity yarn of polyamides, polyesters, (excl. sewing thread, textured filaments) not for retail sale (b)	3,339	9,292
65163	Single syn filament yarn of polyamides, polyesters not exc 50 turns per m, (excl. sewing thread), not retail	25,466	24,193
65164	Single synth filament yarn of polyamides, polyesters, twist exc 50 turns/m, (excl. sewing thread), non retail	6,816	8,854
65169	Multiple (folded) or cabled non-textured syn filament yarn of polyamides or polyesters, not for retail sale	14,368	11,755
65171	Artificial filament yarn (excl. sewing threads) for retail sale	145	104
65172	Textured artificial filament yarn (excl. sewing thread) not for retail sale	666	274
65173	High tenacity viscose rayon yarn (excl. sewing thread) not for retail sale	527	583
65174	Single viscose rayon yarn (excl. sewing thread), with a twist not exc 120 turns per metre, not for retail sale	1,835	1,966
65175	Single artificial filament yarn (excl. sewing thread) nes	5,151	3,447
65176	Artificial filament yarn (excl. sewing thread but incl. monofilament of less than 67 decitex), nes	18,942	5,582
65177	Artif monofilament of 67 decitex or more, no cross-section exc 1 mm; strip of artif textiles not exc 5 mm wide	26	40
65181	Yarn (excl. sewing thread) of 85% or more by weight of synthetic staple fibres, for retail sale	1,894	2,402
65182	Yarn (excl. sewing thread) of 85% or more by weight of synthetic staple fibres, not for retail sale	57,113	58,243
65183	Yarn (excl. sewing thread) of less than 85% by weight of synthetic staple fibres, for retail sale	972	1,278

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65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, nes, and related products		
65184	Yarn (excl. sewing thread) of less than 85% by weight of synthetic staple fibres, not for retail sale	148,332	127,583
65185	Yarn of artificial staple fibres, (excl. sewing thread) for retail sale	187	99
65186	Yarn (excl. sewing thread) of 85% or more by weight of artificial staple fibres, not for retail sale	2,651	2,403
65187	Yarn (excl. sewing thread) of less than 85 % by weight of artificial staple fibres, not for retail sale	1,835	2,276
65188	Syn monofilament of 67 decitex or more, no cross-section exc 1 mm, strip etc of syn textiles not exc 5 mm wide	4,214	6,244
65191	Metallised synthetic and artificial yarn or strip, combined with metal in threads, strips or powder	1,038	832
65192	Silk yarn (excl. yarn spun from silk waste) not put up for retail sale	55	93
65193	Yarn spun from silk waste, not put up for retail sale	—	—
65194	Silk yarn and yarn spun from silk waste, put up for retail sale; silkworm gut	165	78
65195	Silvers, novings, yarn and chopped strands of glass fibres	9,868	10,883
65196	Flax yarn	1,384	629
65197	Yarn of textile bast fibres (incl. jute)	1,355	1,350
65199	Yarn of vegetable textile fibres (excl. flax, jute, other textile bast fibres); paper yarn	88	46
65211	Woven cotton gauze (excl. tulles, lace, embroidery, ribbons, trimmings and the like)	1,316	820
65212	Unbleached terry towelling and similar woven terry fabrics of cotton (excl. tulles, lace, ribbons & the like)	—	—
65213	Terry towelling and similar woven terry fabrics of cotton (excl. unbleached fabrics, lace, ribbons etc.)	82	14
65214	Uncut woven cotton pile fabrics (excl. terry towelling and similar woven terry fabrics, or tulle, lace etc.)	66	82
65215	Woven cotton cut pile & chenille fabrics (excl. terry towelling, sim woven terry fabrics, tulle, lace etc)	8,978	9,031
65221	Unbleached woven cotton fabrics, 85% or more of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in wt (excl. gauze, pile, chenille)	22,277	20,897
65222	Unbleached woven cotton fabrics, 85% or more of cotton, exc 200 g/sm in weight (excl. gauze, pile, chenille)	2,563	3,533
65223	Unbleached woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton and 200 g/sm, mixed mainly with man-made fibres, nes	10,797	2,901
65224	Unbleached woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton, exc 200 g/sm, mixed mainly with man-made fibres, nes	94	35
65225	Unbleached woven cotton fabric, less than 85% cotton, not exc 200 g/sm (excl. mixed mainly with man-made fibres)	1,272	227
65226	Unbleached woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton, exc 200 g/sm (excl. mixed mainly with man-made fibres)	734	183
65231	Bleached woven cotton fabrics, 85% or more by weight of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight	27,055	21,955
65232	Dyed woven cotton fabrics, 85% or more by weight of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight	97,673	69,801
65233	Woven cotton fabrics of different coloured yarns, 85% or more by weight of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight	6,435	7,065
65234	Printed woven cotton fabrics, 85% or more by weight of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight	112,743	102,794
65241	Bleached woven cotton fabrics, 85% or more by weight of cotton and exc 200 g/sm in weight	1,220	1,243
65242	Dyed woven cotton fabrics, 85% or more by weight of cotton and exc 200 g/sm in weight	16,486	14,542
65243	Denim fabric, 85% or more by weight of cotton and exc 200 g/sm in weight	2,517	6,439
65244	Woven cotton fabrics of different coloured yarns (excl. denim), 85 % or more of cotton and exc 200 g/sm	1,670	1,373
65245	Printed woven cotton fabrics, 85 % or more by weight of cotton and exc 200 g/sm in weight	16,272	14,287
65251	Bleached woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight, mixed mainly with mmf	706	602
65252	Dyed woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm weight, mixed mainly with man-made fibres	7,970	5,436
65253	Woven cotton fabrics of different coloured yarns, less than 85% cotton, not exc 200 g/sm weight, mixed with mmf	848	845
65254	Printed woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in wt, mixed mainly with man-made fibres	8,697	9,312
65261	Bleached woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton, exc 200 g/sm in weight, mixed mainly with man-made fibres	51	109
65262	Dyed woven cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton, exc 200 g/sm in wt, mixed mainly or solely with man-made fibres	1,925	2,193
65263	Denim cotton fabrics, less than 85% cotton, exc 200 g/sm in weight, mixed mainly or solely with man-made fibres	—	1

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65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, nes, and related products		
65264	Woven cotton fabrics of different coloured yarns (excl. denim), 85% cotton, exc 200 g/sm, mixed with mmf	945	1,162
65265	Printed woven cotton fabric, less than 85% cotton, exc 200 g/sm in weight, mixed mainly with man made fibres	397	658
65291	Bleached woven fabrics of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	333	97
65292	Dyed woven fabrics of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	1,647	906
65293	Woven fabrics of cotton, of yarns of different colours, not exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	434	156
65294	Printed woven fabrics of cotton, not exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	478	571
65295	Bleached woven fabrics of cotton, exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	76	3
65296	Dyed woven fabrics of cotton, exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	210	248
65297	Woven fabrics of cotton, of different colours, exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	51	39
65298	Printed woven fabrics of cotton, exc 200 g/sm in weight, nes	181	74
65311	Woven fabrics from high tenacity polyamides yarn (incl. nylon) or polyesters (excl. pile or chenille fabric)	3,677	7,733
65312	Woven fabrics from strip or the like of synthetic filament yarn (excl. pile or chenille fabric)	922	1,869
65313	Fabrics of parallel syn filament yarn layers, superimposed, with adhesive or thermal bonding	61	509
65314	Woven fabrics, 85% or more by wt of filaments of polyamides (incl. nylon, excl. pile, chenille fabrics), nes	9,391	9,740
65315	Woven fabrics, 85% or more by weight of textured polyester filaments (excl. pile and chenille fabrics), nes	59,681	67,289
65316	Woven fabrics, 85% or more by weight of non-textured polyester filaments (excl. pile, chenille fabrics), nes	24,711	23,961
65317	Woven fabrics, 85% or more by weight of synthetic filaments (excl. pile and chenille fabrics), nes	11,949	9,071
65318	Woven fabrics, 85% by weight of synthetic filaments (excl. pile, chenille fabrics) mixed mainly with cotton	8,974	5,219
65319	Woven fabrics of synthetic filaments (excl. pile and chenille fabrics), nes	3,500	4,671
65321	Woven fabrics, 85% or more by weight of polyester staple fibres (excl. pile and chenille fabrics)	19,105	20,233
65325	Woven fabrics, 85% or more by weight of acrylic or modacrylic staple fibres (excl. pile and chenille fabrics)	1,276	2,649
65329	Woven fabrics, 85% or more of synthetic staple fibres (excl. pile, chenille & polyester, acrylic, modacrylic)	7,580	9,134
65331	Woven fabrics, 85% polyester staple fibres, mixed mainly with cotton, not exc 170 g/sm (excl. pile, chenille)	77,772	55,364
65332	Woven fabrics, 85% syn fibres (excl. polyester) not exc 170 g/sm mixed mainly with cotton (excl. pile, chenille)	1,640	1,556
65333	Woven fabrics, 85% polyester staple fibres, exc 170 g/sm, mixed mainly with cotton (excl. pile, chenille)	1,985	2,411
65334	Woven fabrics, 85% syn. fibres (excl. polyester) exc 170 g/sm, mixed with cotton (excl. pile, chenille)	883	544
65341	Woven fabrics, 85% syn staple fibres, mixed mainly with wool, fine animal hair (excl. pile, chenille)	6,185	5,899
65342	Woven fabrics, 85% syn staple fibres, mixed mainly with man-made filaments (excl. pile, chenille)	3,780	2,078
65343	Woven fabrics, 85% synthetic staple fibres, mixed mainly with fibres nes, (excl. pile, chenille fabrics)	10,958	10,276
65351	Fabric woven from high tenacity viscose rayon yarn	609	2,601
65352	Woven fabrics of 85% or more artificial filaments, strip or the like (excl. pile, chenille) nes	12,261	14,995
65359	Fabrics woven from artificial filament yarn, nes	10,384	20,582
65360	Woven fabrics with 85% or more by weight of artificial staple fibres (excl. pile and chenille fabrics)	17,340	38,751
65381	Woven fabrics, 85% by wt of artificial staple fibres, mixed mainly with cotton (excl. pile, chenille)	2,101	3,433
65382	Woven fabric, 85% of artificial staple fibres, mixed mainly with wool, fine animal hair (excl. pile, chenille)	1,089	980
65383	Woven fabric, 85% of artificial staple fibres, mixed mainly with man-made filaments (excl. pile, chenille)	7,836	13,228
65389	Woven fabric, 85% of artificial staple fibres, mixed mainly with fibres nes, (excl. pile and chenille fabrics)	2,168	2,818
65391	Uncut woven pile fabrics of man-made fibres	15	4
65393	Woven chenille or cut pile fabrics of man-made fibres	11,870	16,878
65411	Woven fabrics of noil silk	1,015	994
65413	Woven silk fabrics containing 85% or more by weight of silk or of silk waste (excl. noil silk)	22,915	19,726
65419	Woven silk fabrics (excl. noil silk fabrics & silk fabrics of 85% or more by weight of silk or of silk waste)	3,603	1,812

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65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, nes, and related products		
65421	Woven fabrics containing 85% or more by weight of carded wool/fine animal hair (excl. pile and chenille)	3,840	2,530
65422	Woven fabrics containing 85% or more by weight of combed wool/fine animal hair (excl. pile and chenille)	14,431	16,794
65431	Woven fabrics of 85% carded wool or fine animal hair, mixed mainly with man-made filaments or staple fibres	1,007	1,537
65432	Woven fabrics of 85% combed wool or fine animal hair, mixed mainly with man-made filaments or staple fibres	1,654	2,853
65433	Woven fabrics of less than 85% carded wool, fine animal hair, mixed mainly with fibres (excl. man-made)	387	400
65434	Woven fabrics of less than 85% combed wool, fine animal hair, mixed mainly with fibres (excl. man-made)	545	641
65435	Woven pile and chenille fabrics, of wool or fine animal hair, nes	2,164	1,790
65441	Woven fabrics containing 85% or more by weight of flax	10,698	8,215
65450	Woven fabrics of textile bast fibres (incl. jute)	20,056	16,784
65460	Woven fabrics of glass fibre (incl. narrow fabrics)	12,758	11,260
65491	Woven fabrics of metal thread or of metallised yarn for use in furnishing fabrics, apparel or similar purposes	17,965	21,844
65492	Woven fabrics of coarse animal hair or of horsehair	292	321
65493	Woven fabrics of vegetable textile fibres (excl. flax and textile bast fibres), or of paper yarn	14	9
65494	Gauze (excl. narrow fabrics) of textile materials (excl. cotton)	7,820	3,440
65495	Pile and chenille fabrics, nes, of textile materials (excl. wool, cotton and man-made fibres)	1	5
65496	Terry towelling and similar woven terry fabrics of textile materials (excl. cotton)	1,210	846
65497	Tufted textile fabrics	2	—
65511	'Long pile' textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	996	1,338
65512	Looped pile textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	780	1,182
65519	Knitted or crocheted pile textile fabrics (excl. 'long pile' and looped pile fabrics)	361	379
65521	Knitted or crocheted textile fabrics not exc 30 cm wide, not impregnated, coated, covered or laminated, nes	943	1,264
65522	Knitted or crocheted fabrics of 5% or more elastomeric yarn or rubber thread, exc 30 cm wide, not coated etc	16,892	20,126
65523	Warp knit textile fabrics (incl. those made on galoon knitting machines)	17,324	14,637
65529	Knitted or crocheted textile fabrics, nes	12,412	14,178
65611	Narrow woven pile fabrics (incl. terry towelling and similar woven terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics	22,383	21,721
65612	Narrow woven fabrics containing 5% or more by weight of elastomeric yarn or rubber thread nes	2,027	1,224
65613	Narrow woven fabrics (excl. pile, chenille and fabrics with 5% or more of elastomeric yarn or rubber thread)	5,771	5,620
65614	Warp without weft narrow fabrics assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs)	12,877	14,169
65621	Woven labels, badges & the like of textile materials, in the piece, in strips, cut to shape/size, not embroid.	261	366
65629	Labels, badges and similar articles of textile materials, (excl. woven or embroidered)	4,381	4,608
65631	Gimped yarn, strip and the like of synthetic monofilament (excl. metallised, horsehair); chenille, loop-wale	186	196
65632	Braids and ornamental trimmings in the piece (excl. embroidery, knitted, crocheted); tassels, pompons etc	1,466	2,086
65641	Net textile fabrics (incl. tulles but excl. woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics)	2,731	3,665
65642	Mechanically made lace in the piece, in strips or in motifs	562	379
65643	Hand made lace in the piece, in strips or in motifs	5,379	7,890
65651	Embroidery without visible ground, in the piece, in strips or in motifs	110	54
65659	Embroidery (excl. without visible ground), in the piece, in strips or in motifs	1,984	2,741
65711	Needleloom felt and stitch-bonded fibre fabrics	19,611	17,638
65712	Felt (excl. needleloom felt), not impregnated, coated, covered or laminated	4,955	6,363
65719	Felt (excl. needleloom felt), impregnated, coated, covered or laminated	5,759	5,018
65720	Nonwovens, nes	1,367	990
65731	Textile fabrics coated with gum etc used for book covers etc; tracing cloth; prepainting canvas; buckram etc	30,781	32,972
65732	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with plastics nes	1,790	1,852
65733	Rubberised textile fabrics nes	20,995	24,563
65734	Textile fabrics impregnated and the like, nes; painted theatrical canvas, studio backcloths etc	9,634	11,098
65735	Textile wall coverings	13,152	11,215
65740	Quilted textile products in the piece, of one or more layers of textile materials assembled with padding	1,384	1,307
65751	Twine, cordage, rope and cables	170	145
		16,702	19,307

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65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, nes, and related products		
65752	Knotted netting of twine, cordage or rope; made up nets (incl. fishing nets) of textile materials	9,087	8,434
65759	Articles of yarn, strip or the like of man-made monofilaments, twine, cordage, rope or cables nes	1,408	1,277
65761	Hat-forms, hat bodies and hoods of felt, not blocked nor with made brims; plateaux and manchons of felt	1,914	2,401
65762	Hat-shapes, made by assembling strips of any material, not blocked, nor made with brims, lined or trimmed	128	238
65771	Wadding of textile materials & articles thereof; textile flock not exc 5mm in length, textile dust, mill nepe	9,461	9,729
65772	Textile wicks, woven, plated etc for lamps, candles etc; incandescent gas mantles, tubular fabric thereof	305	440
65773	Textile products and articles, for technical uses	25,268	26,533
65781	Textile covered rubber thread and cord	1,120	834
65785	High tenacity yarn of polyester, viscose rayon, polyamides; impregnated or coated with rubber or plastics	73	35
65789	Syn monofilament textile strip etc and low tenacity yarn impregnated, coated, covered etc with rubber, plastic	8	31
65791	Textile tubing (incl. hose-piping)	1,144	1,456
65792	Textile transmission or conveyor belts or belting	4,529	4,728
65793	Tyre cord fabric of high tenacity yarn of polyamides (incl. nylon), polyesters or viscose rayon (b)	4,830	9,453
65811	Textile bast fibre (incl. jute) bags and sacks	14,891	15,624
65812	Cotton bags and sacks	1,725	2,527
65813	Bags and sacks of man-made textile materials	43,808	43,404
65819	Textile bags and sacks (excl. jute, cotton and man-made textiles)	32	29
65821	Tarpaulins, awnings and sunblinds of textile materials	725	795
65822	Tents of textile materials	13,050	12,787
65823	Sails of textile materials for boats, sailboards or landcraft	2,146	1,690
65824	Pneumatic mattresses of textile materials	3,868	3,989
65829	Camping goods of textile materials, nes	338	301
65831	Wool or fine animal hair blankets and travelling rugs (excl. electric)	634	956
65832	Cotton blankets and travelling rugs (excl. electric)	3,025	3,609
65833	Synthetic fibre blankets and travelling rugs (excl. electric)	1,130	1,693
65839	Blankets & travelling rugs (excl. electric) of textile mat (excl. wool, fine animal hair, cotton, syn)	2,708	3,279
65841	Knitted or crocheted bed linen of textile materials	7	106
65842	Cotton bed linen (excl. knitted or crocheted)	6,034	8,007
65843	Bed linen of textile materials (excl. cotton, and knitted or crocheted)	14,452	14,780
65844	Knitted or crocheted table linen of textile materials	4,052	4,551
65845	Cotton table linen (excl. knitted or crocheted)	7,731	7,560
65846	Table linen (excl. cotton, and knitted or crocheted) of textile materials	7,410	8,512
65847	Cotton toilet and kitchen linen	36,725	38,789
65848	Toilet and kitchen linen of textile materials (excl. cotton)	3,308	3,387
65851	Curtains (incl. drapes) and interior blinds; curtain or bed valences of textile materials	6,702	6,288
65852	Bedspreads of textile materials	2,220	2,220
65859	Furnishing articles (excl. curtains, drapes, interior blinds, curtain or bed valences, bedspreads) of textiles	9,515	11,173
65891	Handwoven tapestries (incl. Gobelins, Flanders, Aubusson and the like) and needle-worked tapestries	511	1,023
65892	Cleaning cloths (incl. floor-cloths, dish-cloths, dusters and the like)	2,042	2,710
65893	Made up articles of textile materials (incl. life-jackets, life-belts and dress patterns) nes	23,894	28,491
65899	Sets consisting of woven fabric and yarn, for making into rugs, tapestries, tablecloths etc, for retail sale	1,842	2,941
65911	Floor coverings on a base of paper or of paperboard	2	437
65912	Linoleum; floor coverings consisting of a coating or covering applied to a textile backing	1,277	1,134
65921	Knotted textile floor coverings (incl. carpets), of wool or fine animal hair	15,149	18,374
65929	Knotted textile floor coverings (incl. carpets but excl. of wool or fine animal hair)	1,551	4,159
65930	Hand woven rugs (incl. 'Kelem', 'Schumacks', 'Karamanie', and the like)	3,021	1,703
6594	Tufted, textile floor coverings (incl. carpets) of wool or fine animal hair	40,495	42,886
659	Tufted, textile floor coverings (incl. carpets), of polyamides (incl. nylon)	11,329	15,512
65943	Tufted, textile floor coverings (incl. carpets), of man-made fibres (excl. polyamides)	8,127	9,109
65949	Tufted textile floor coverings (incl. carpets but excl. wool, fine animal hair or man-made fibres)	993	3,021
65951	Woven, textile floor coverings (incl. carpets) of wool or fine animal hair, nes	19,866	23,958
65952	Woven, textile floor coverings (incl. carpets) of man-made textile materials	6,918	8,655

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65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, nes, and related products		
65959	Woven, textile floor coverings (incl. carpets but excl. wool, fine animal hair and man-made textiles)	6,372	5,636
65961	Felt floor coverings (incl. carpets, not tufted or stocked)	3,776	3,614
65969	Textile floor coverings (incl. carpets but excl. knotted, tufted or of felt)	9,423	6,778
•	DIVISION 65 TOTAL (b)	1,999,161	1,954,488
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, nes		
66111	Quicklime	119	86
66112	Slaked lime	136	246
66113	Hydraulic lime	21	40
66121	Cement clinkers (b)	9,088	6,760
66122	Portland cement	8,160	11,605
66123	Aluminous cement ('ciment fondu')	4,528	4,613
66129	Hydraulic cements (excl. portland and aluminous cements and cement clinkers)	324	283
66131	Natural stone (excl. slate) sets, curbstones and flagstones	80	55
66132	Worked slate and articles of slate or of agglomerated slate	2,906	3,259
66133	Natural stone tiles, cubes and the like, less than 7 cm a side, coloured granules etc. of natural stone	1,077	1,786
66134	Marble, travertine and alabaster and articles thereof, simply cut or sawn, with a flat or even surface	11,093	12,392
66135	Monumental or build stone (excl. slate), articles thereof, nes simply cut/sawn, with a flat or even surface	7,733	9,952
66136	Marble, travertine and alabaster, articles thereof, worked (eg moulded, turned, polished, decorated or carved)	19,808	23,785
66139	Monumental or building stone (excl. slate), nes; articles thereof, worked (moulded, turned, polished, etc)	11,975	24,780
66181	Articles of asphalt or of similar material (eg petroleum bitumen or coal tar pitch)	3,185	2,627
66182	Panels, tiles, etc. of veg fibre, straw, wood waste, agglomerated with mineral binders (eg cement, plaster)	2,068	1,728
66183	Articles of asbestos-cement, of cellulose fibre-cement or the like	666	956
66231	Refractory bricks, blocks etc. of siliceous fossil meals (eg kieselguhr) or of similar siliceous earths	303	481
66232	Refractory bricks, blocks, tiles etc (excl. of siliceous earths, fossil meals)	39,119	47,455
66233	Refractory cements, mortars, concretes and similar compositions, nes	11,624	12,167
66241	Non-refractory ceramic building bricks, flooring blocks, support or filler tiles and the like	346	353
66242	Non-refractory ceramic constructional goods (incl. roofing tiles, chimney-pots, architectural ornaments)	2,089	2,337
66243	Non-refractory ceramic pipes, conduits, guttering and pipe fittings	128	32
66244	Non-refractory unglazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles; unglazed ceramic mosaic cubes, etc	14,019	13,544
66245	Non-refractory glazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles; glazed ceramic mosaic cubes and the like	152,779	164,195
66311	Millstones, grindstones for milling, grinding or pulping, parts thereof, of natural stone, abrasives, ceramics	552	602
66312	Millstones, grindstones, grinding wheels etc (excl. for milling, pulping), of natural stone, abrasives, ceramics	22,563	26,407
66313	Hand sharpening or polishing stones, of natural stone, abrasives or ceramics	1,106	1,114
66321	Natural or artificial abrasive powder or grain on a base of woven textile fabric only	6,966	7,558
66322	Natural or artificial abrasive powder or grain on a base of paper or paperboard only	5,226	5,879
66329	Natural or artificial abrasive powder/grain on a base of material (excl. woven textile fabric, paper, paperboard)	5,009	5,729
66331	Articles of plaster or of compositions based on plaster	1,678	2,438
66332	Building blocks and bricks, tiles, flagstones and similar articles of mineral materials, (excl. ceramics) nes	1,587	1,758
66333	Prefabricated structural components for building or civil engineering, of mineral materials, (excl. ceramics)	21	153
66334	Articles of cement, of concrete or of artificial stone (excl. ceramic), nes	1,159	2,473
66335	Worked mica and articles of mica (incl. agglomerated or reconstituted mica)	1,577	1,458
66336	Non-electrical articles of carbon (incl. graphite)	4,172	5,503
66337	Articles of peat	276	547
66338	Articles blmineral substances, containing magnesite, dolomite or chromite	649	1,022
66339	Articles of stone or other mineral substances (excl. ceramics) nes	6,292	7,531
66351	Slag wool, rock wool and similar mineral wools (incl. intermixtures thereof), in bulk, sheets or rolls	1,515	2,053
66352	Exfoliated vermiculite, expanded clays, foamed slag & similar expanded mineral materials (incl. intermixtures)	596	644

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, nes		
66353	Mixtures and articles of heat-insulating, sound insulating or sound-absorbing mineral materials	16,825	17,316
66370	Refractory ceramic goods (eg retorts, crucibles, nozzles, plugs, supports, tubes, rods and the like), nes	28,503	31,494
66381	Fabricated asbestos fibers; mixtures with a basis of asbestos and/or magnesium carbonate; articles thereof	4,275	4,679
66382	Friction material, articles thereof, not mounted, for brakes etc, based on mineral substances or cellulose	9,347	9,431
66391	Non-refractory ceramic wares for technical use; ceramic troughs, etc for agricult; ceramic jars, pots, etc	9,623	10,787
66399	Ceramic articles (excl. non-refractory for technical, agricultural use etc; containers to pack/convey goods)	6,168	7,519
66411	Glass in the mass; waste and scrap (incl. cullet) of glass	112	16
66412	Unworked glass in balls (excl. microspheres not exc 1 mm in diameter), rods or tubes	3,601	3,925
66431	Blown, drawn sheet glass, coloured in the mass (tinted), opacified, flashed or with an absorbent/reflecting layer	200	171
66439	Blown, drawn sheet glass (excl. tinted, opacified, flashed or having an absorbent or reflecting layer)	4,984	3,118
66441	Float, surface ground or polished sheet glass, not otherwise worked, non-wired	60,607	58,018
66442	Float, surface ground or polished sheet glass, not otherwise worked, wired	581	842
66451	Cast and rolled glass, in non-wired sheets, not otherwise worked	3,233	3,686
66452	Cast and rolled glass, in wire sheets, not otherwise worked (b)	366	1,338
66453	Cast and rolled glass, in profiles, not otherwise worked	1	3
66471	Toughened (tempered) safety glass	11,058	16,485
66472	Laminated safety glass	15,985	19,881
66481	Rear-view mirrors for vehicles	5,054	5,773
66489	Glass mirrors (excl. rear-view mirrors)	13,359	13,414
66491	Drawn, blown, cast, rolled, float & surface ground or polished glass, worked (eg bent, edge-worked, engraved)	4,203	5,306
66492	Multiple-walled insulating units of glass	2,750	4,026
66493	Open glass envelopes (incl. bulbs, tubes), glass parts thereof without fittings, for electric lamps, etc	1,123	1,700
66494	Clock and watch glasses, glass for spectacles, not optically worked; hollow glass spheres, segments thereof	1,022	861
66495	Glass fibres (incl. glass wool) & articles thereof, nes	7,870	7,911
66496	Bricks etc of pressed, moulded glass for building; leaded lights etc; panels etc of multicellular, foam glass	3,848	3,651
66511	Glass containers for conveying, packing of goods; glass preserving jars; closures of glass (eg stoppers, lids)	21,776	23,598
66512	Glass inners for vacuum vessels (incl. vacuum flasks)	55	210
66521	Glassware for table, office, indoor decoration and the like nes, of glass-ceramics	3,367	4,488
66522	Drinking glasses (excl. glass ceramics)	28,362	29,838
66523	Glassware of a kind used for table or kitchen purposes (excl. drinking glasses and of glass-ceramics)	37,256	37,096
66529	Glassware, nes	18,164	19,035
66591	Laboratory, hygienic or pharmaceutical glassware	6,755	7,615
66592	Glass ampoules	478	389
66593	Glass smallwares (incl. imitation pearls); articles thereof; glass eyes (excl. prosthetic); ornaments, microspheres	4,000	2,858
66594	Glass smallwares (incl. glass cubes), for mosaics or similar decorative purposes	553	953
66595	Signalling glassware and optical elements of glass (excl. spectacle glass), not optically worked	5,072	5,659
66599	Glass articles, nes	9,332	11,250
66611	Tableware and kitchenware of porcelain or china	44,033	44,234
66612	Household or toilet articles of porcelain or china (excl. tableware and kitchenware)	1,051	1,285
66613	Ceramic household articles (incl. table and kitchenware) and toilet articles (excl. of porcelain or china)	38,925	45,623
66621	Ceramic ornamental articles (incl. statuettes) of porcelain or china	13,902	14,427
66629	Ceramic ornamental articles (incl. statuettes) of other than porcelain or china	14,987	18,068
66711	Natural pearl, not strung, mounted or set; ungraded pearls, temporarily strung for convenience of transport	289	557
66712	Unworked cultured pearls, not strung, mounted or set; ungraded, temporarily strung for convenience of transport	1,566	2,970
66713	Worked cultured pearls not strung, mounted or set; ungraded, temporarily strung for convenience of transport	2,123	8,445
66721	Unsorted rough diamonds	3,883	4,755
66722	Sorted diamonds (excl. industrial diamonds), unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	1,283	308
66729	Diamonds (excl. industrial diamonds), worked, but not mounted or set	99,925	109,860
66731	Precious/semi-precious stones (excl. diamonds), unworked, simply sawn or roughly shaped, not strung, mounted, set	3,793	1,502

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, nes		
66739	Precious/semi-precious stones (excl. diamonds), worked (excl. simply sawn, roughly shaped) not strung, mounted, set	24,249	23,214
66741	Piezo-electric quartz not strung mounted or set	139	82
66742	Synthetic or reconstructed precious/semi-precious stones (excl. piezo-electric quartz), unworked	85	49
66749	Synthetic or reconstructed precious/semi-precious stones (excl. piezo-electric quartz), worked	701	719
	DIVISION 66 TOTAL (b)	965,124	1,068,825
67	Iron and steel		
67121	Non-alloyed pig iron containing 0.50% or less by weight of phosphorus, in primary forms (incl. pigs, blocks)	1,015	6,248
67122	Non-alloyed pig iron containing 0.50% or less by weight of phosphorus, in pigs, blocks or other primary forms	—	—
67123	Alloy pig iron and spiegeleisen, in pigs, blocks or other primary forms	1,938	3
67131	Granules of pig iron, spiegeleisen, iron or steel	1,020	1,099
67132	Powders of pig iron, spiegeleisen, iron or steel	4,756	5,629
67133	Ferrous prod from direct reduction of iron ore; spongy ferrous products, 99.94% or more pure iron, in lumps, etc	—	32
67141	Ferro-manganese containing more than 2% of carbon by weight	402	1,449
67149	Ferro-manganese containing 2% or less of carbon by weight	3,577	4,532
67151	Ferro-silicon alloys (excl. radio-active ferro-alloys)	12,065	18,566
67152	Ferro-silico-manganese alloys (excl. radio-active ferro-alloys)	401	308
67153	Ferro-chromium alloys (excl. radio-active ferro-alloys)	15,344	6,901
67154	Ferro-silico-chromium alloys (excl. radio-active ferro-alloys)	12	—
67159	Ferro-nickel alloys (excl. those containing manganese, silicon, chromium or nickel and radio-active ferro-alloys)	7	6
67245	Primary forms, (excl. ingots) of iron (excl. of 99.94% or more purity) or non-alloy steel	11,424	11,193
67247	Ingots and other primary forms, of stainless steel	7,412	17
67249	Ingots and other primary forms of alloy steel (excl. stainless)	1	57
67261	Semi-finish iron/non-alloy steel prod., 0.25% carbon, rect cross-section, width less than twice thickness	5	6
67262	Semi-finished iron/non-alloy steel products emg less than 0.25% of carbon, rectangular in cross-section	12,865	38,662
67269	Semi finished iron/non-alloy steel products emg less than 0.25% of carbon (excl. rectangular cross-section)	16,092	1,888
67270	Semi-finished iron/non-alloy steel products containing 0.25% or more by weight of carbon	227	1,287
67281	Semi-finished stainless steel products	11,050	1,815
67282	Semi-finished alloy steel products (excl. stainless steel)	11,995	16,043
67311	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel in coils, not clad etc, 600 mm plus wide, 4.75 mm plus thick, myp 355 MPa	276	246
67312	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel in coils, not clad etc, 600 mm plus wide, 4.75 mm or less thick, myp 355 MPa	1,930	523
67314	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel not in coils, 600 mm or more wide, 4.75 mm or more thick, myp 355 MPa, nes	4,204	3,219
67315	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel not in coils, 600 mm or more wide, less than 4.75 mm thick, not clad etc, nes	1,806	1,599
67317	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel less than 600 mm wide; 4.75 mm plus thick, not clad etc, myp 355 MPa, no pattern	667	485
67319	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, not exc 600 mm wide or 4.75 mm thick, not clad, plated or coated, nes	92	287
67321	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, in coils, 600 mm or more wide, 4.75 mm or more thick, not clad, etc	545	1,088
67322	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, in coils, 600 mm or more wide, less than 4.75 mm thick, not clad, etc	403	858
67323	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, in coils, 600 mm or more wide, 4.75 mm or more thick, not clad, etc	54,648	7,608
67324	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel rolled on four faces, 600 to 1250 mm wide, 4 mm or more thick, not patterned	—	11
67324	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, not in coils 600 mm or more wide, 4.75 mm or more thick, not clad etc	8,308	7,085
67325	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide, less than 4.75 mm thick, not clad etc	361	234
67326	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel rolled on four faces; 150-600 mm wide, 4 mm or more thick, not clad, patterned	23	14
67327	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel less than 600 mm wide, 4.75 mm or more thick, not clad, plated, coated, nes	718	403

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
67	Iron and steel		
67329	Flat hot-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, less than 600 mm wide, under 4.75 mm thick, not clad, plated, coated, nes	802	505
67331	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel coils, 600 mm or more wide, 3 mm plus thick, not clad, etc, mtyp 355 MPa	83	—
67332	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel coils, 600 mm or more wide, 1 to 3 mm thick, not clad etc, mtyp 275 MPa	10,209	7,339
67333	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel coils, 600 mm or more wide, 0.50 mm to 1 mm thick, not clad etc, mtyp 275 MPa	9,542	11,932
67334	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel coils, 600 mm or more wide, less than 0.50 mm, not clad etc, mtyp 275 MPa	100	96
67335	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more wide, 3 mm plus thick, not coils, not clad etc, mtyp 355 MPa	1	7
67336	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more wide, 1 mm to under 3 mm thick, not in coils, not clad etc	289	422
67337	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, not in coils, 600 mm plus wide, 0.50 mm-1 mm thick, not clad etc, mtyp 275 MPa	1,225	1,466
67338	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, not in coils, 600 mm plus wide, less than 0.50 mm thick, not clad, mtyp 275 MPa	—	13
67339	Flat cold-rolled iron/non-alloy steel, less than 600 mm wide, mtyp 275 MPa below 3 mm, 355 MPa if 3 mm plus thick	1,617	1,699
67341	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, in coils, 600 mm or more wide, 3 mm or more thick, not clad, plated etc	—	270
67342	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, in coils, 600 mm or more wide, 1 mm to under 3 mm thick, not clad, etc	10,729	13,987
67343	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, in coils, 600 mm or more wide, 0.50 to 1 mm thick, not clad, plated etc	19,417	25,548
67344	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, in coils, 600 mm or more wide, less than 0.50 mm thick, not clad, etc	51	3,504
67345	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more wide, 3 mm or more thick, not in coils, not clad, etc	113	126
67346	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide 1 to 3 mm thick, not clad, plated etc	537	3,311
67347	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, not in coils 600 mm or more wide, 0.50 to 1 mm thick, not clad, plated etc	12,439	12,581
67348	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide, less than 0.50 mm thick, not clad etc	—	3,312
67349	Flat cold-rolled iron, non-alloy steel, less than 600 mm in width, not clad, plated or coated	3,789	3,527
67351	Flat rolled iron, non-alloy steel further worked than hot rolled, 600 mm or more wide, not clad, plated etc	11	107
67352	Flat rolled iron, non-alloy steel, further worked than cold rolled, 600 mm or more wide, not clad plated etc	25	380
67353	Flat rolled iron, non-alloy steel, further worked than hot/cold rolled, less than 600 mm wide, not clad, etc	816	519
67411	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more wide, electrolytically plated or coated with zinc	34,455	112,765
67412	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel less than 600 mm wide, electrolyt, plated or coated with zinc	3,437	2,909
67413	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel 600 mm plus wide; plated/coated with zinc (excl. electrolytically)	55,643	69,367
67414	Flat-rolled prods of iron/non-alloy steel less than 600 mm wide, plated, coated with zinc (excl. electrolytically)	4,402	3,485
67421	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel 600 mm or more in width, plated or coated with tin	102	19
67422	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel less than 600 mm in width, plated or coated with tin	63	140
67431	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel 600 mm or more wide, painted, varnished or plastic coated	17,421	22,982
67432	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel less than 600 mm wide, painted, varnished or plastic coated	2,615	2,159
67441	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more wide, plated/coated with lead, (incl. terre-plate)	—	1
67442	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more wide, plated/coated with chromium, & for its oxides)	1,290	775
67443	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more in width, plated or coated with aluminium	20,704	18,265
67444	Flat-rolled products of iron/non-alloy steel, 600 mm or more wide, clad, plated or coated, nes	4,012	4,475
67451	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, less than 600 mm wide, plated/coated (excl. by electrolysis) nes	3,585	4,076

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
67	Iron and steel		
67452	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, less than 600 mm wide, clad (excl. with tin, zinc, plastics)	128	107
67511	Flat-rolled products of silicon-electrical steel 600 mm or more in width	7,119	7,690
67512	Flat-rolled products of silicon-electrical steel less than 600 mm in width	10,273	13,682
67521	Flat-rolled products of high speed steel, 600 mm or more in width	35	39
67522	Flat-rolled products of high speed steel, less than 600 mm in width	442	347
67531	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, in coils, 600 mm or more wide and 4.75 mm or more thick	19,671	5,469
67532	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, in coils 600 mm or more wide and 3 mm to 4.75 mm thick	69,499	36,993
67533	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, in coils 600 mm or more wide but less than 3 mm in thickness	5,438	2,681
67534	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide and 4.75 mm or more thick	11,107	9,424
67535	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, not in coils, 600 mm plus wide and 3 to 4.75 mm thick	749	502
67536	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide and less than 3 mm thick	456	305
67537	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, less than 600 mm wide and 4.75 mm or more thick	945	635
67538	Stainless steel not further worked than hot-rolled, less than 600 mm in width and less than 4.75 mm thick	600	283
67541	Alloy steel (excl. stainless, silicon-electrical and high speed), hot-rolled, in coils, 600 mm or more wide	86	267
67542	Alloy steel (excl. stainless, silicon-electrical and high speed), hot-rolled, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide	5,671	8,950
67543	Alloy steel (excl. stainless, silicon-electrical and high speed), hot-rolled, less than 600 mm wide	962	994
67551	Stainless steel not further worked than cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide and 4.75 mm or more thick	1,908	1,163
67552	Stainless steel not further worked than cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide & thickness of 3mm or more but less than 4.75mm	4,800	2,664
67553	Stainless steel not further worked than cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide and thickness exc 1 mm but less than 3 mm	19,818	12,469
67554	Stainless steel not further worked than cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide and between 0.50 mm and 1 mm thick	10,053	11,048
67555	Stainless steel not further worked than cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide and less than 0.50 mm thick	384	535
67556	Stainless steel not further worked than cold-rolled, less than 600 mm wide	15,350	12,214
67561	Alloy steel (excl. stainless) not further worked than cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide	847	1,295
67562	Alloy steel (excl. stainless) not further worked than cold-rolled, less than 600 mm wide	498	700
67571	Stainless steel further worked than hot or cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide	9,619	4,860
67572	Stainless steel further worked than hot or cold-rolled, less than 600 mm wide	888	936
67573	Alloy steel (excl. stainless) further worked than hot or cold-rolled, 600 mm or more wide	1,362	984
67574	Alloy steel (excl. stainless) further worked than hot or cold-rolled, less than 600 mm wide	991	1,369
67611	Hot-rolled bars, rods of iron/non-alloy steel containing deformations produced during rolling, in irreg. coils	39	1
67612	Hot-rolled bars and rods of free cutting steel, in irregularly wound coils	61	273
67613	Hot-rolled bars/rods of iron or non-alloy steel, cntg less than 0.60% of carbon, in irregularly wound coils, nes	19,696	16,736
67614	Hot-rolled bars/rods of iron or non-alloy steel, cntg 0.60% or more of carbon, in irreg wound coils, nes	7,515	9,865
67615	Hot-rolled bars and rods of stainless steel, in irregularly wound coils	12,031	10,222
67617	Hot-rolled bars and rods of high speed steel, in irregularly wound coils	—	2
67619	Hot-rolled bars and rods of alloy steel (excl. stainless and high speed steel), in irregularly wound coils	4,881	4,069
67621	Hot-rolled, drawn, extruded bars, rods iron/non-alloy steel cntg ribs etc or twists, not in irregular coils	438	14,680
67622	Hot-rolled, drawn, extruded or twisted bars and rods of free cutting steel, not in irregular coils	1	32
67623	Hot-rolled, drawn, extruded or twisted bars and rods of iron/non-alloy steel, less than 0.60% carbon by wt, nes	32,930	16,704
67624	Hot-rolled, drawn, extruded or twisted bars and rods of iron/non-alloy steel, 0.60% or more carbon by wt, nes	1,960	812
67625	Hot-rolled, drawn, extruded or twisted bars and rods of stainless steel, not in irregularly wound coils	8,807	6,845

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67	Iron and steel		
67629	Hot-rolled, drawn, extruded or twisted bars and rods of alloy steel, nes, not in irregularly wound coils	12,126	13,197
67631	Cold-formed or finished bars and rods of free cutting steel, not in irregularly wound coils	362	319
67632	Cold-formed or finished bars and rods of iron/non-alloy steel cmtg less than 0.60% carbon by wt, not in coils	3,891	4,259
67633	Cold-formed or finished bars and rods of iron/non-alloy steel cmtg 0.60% or more carbon by weight, not in coils	360	294
67634	Cold-formed or finished bars and rods of stainless steel, not in irregularly wound coils	6,498	5,738
67639	Cold-formed or finished bars and rods of alloy steel, nes, not in irregularly wound coils	2,287	2,650
67641	High speed steel bars and rods, nes	6,572	6,553
67642	Silico-manganese steel bars and rods, nes	61	30
67643	Bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel, not further worked than forged	271	115
67644	Bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel (excl. not further worked than forged), nes	2,507	3,185
67645	Bars and rods of stainless steel, nes	3,737	3,049
67646	Bars and rods of alloy steel (excl. high speed or silico-manganese steel), not further worked than forged	3,702	3,428
67647	Bars and rods of alloy steel, nes	5,474	4,800
67648	Hollow drill bars and rods of alloy or non-alloy steel	4,715	6,532
67681	Hot-rolled/drawn or extruded U, J, H, L or T sections of iron/non-alloy steel (excl. rails), height less than 80 mm	2,078	2,601
67682	Hot-rolled/drawn or extruded U, J, H, L or T sections of iron/non-alloy steel (excl. rails), height 80 mm or more	6,193	8,754
67683	Hot-rolled/drawn or extruded, angles, shapes, sections (excl. U, J, H, L or T sections) of iron/non-alloy steel	4,512	3,103
67684	Cold-formed or cold-finished, angles, shapes and sections, of iron or non-alloy steel (excl. rails)	690	444
67685	Angles, shapes and sections, of iron or non-alloy steel (excl. rails), nes	1,515	1,096
67686	Iron or steel sheet piling: welded angles, shapes and sections, of iron or steel	3,603	4,219
67687	Angles, shapes and sections, of stainless steel	4,674	2,322
67688	Angles, shapes and sections, of alloy steel (excl. stainless)	1,853	2,240
67701	Rails (excl. check-rails and rack rails) of iron or steel	1,222	764
67709	Railway and tramway track construction material of iron or steel (excl. rails but incl. check-rails, ties etc)	747	404
67811	Iron or non-alloy steel wire containing: less than 0.25% of carbon by weight	24,154	14,469
67812	Iron or non-alloy steel wire containing: from 0.25% to less than 0.60% of carbon by weight	4,279	4,339
67813	Iron or non-alloy steel wire containing: 0.60% or more of carbon by weight	4,917	5,757
67821	Stainless steel wire	6,345	6,920
67829	Alloy steel (excl. stainless) wire	8,883	9,191
67911	Seamless tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, of cast iron	113	94
67912	Seamless line pipe of iron or steel (excl. cast iron) of a kind used for oil or gas pipelines	32,503	7,609
67913	Seamless casing, tubing, drill pipe of iron/steel (excl. cast iron) of a kind used in drilling for oil or gas	53,575	44,267
67914	Seamless tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, of iron or non-alloy steel, with circular cross-section, nes	30,084	26,777
67915	Seamless, stainless steel pipes tubes and hollow profiles of circular cross-section	13,221	14,423
67916	Seamless, alloy steel (excl. stainless) tubes, pipes and hollow profiles of circular cross-section	13,864	18,362
67917	Seamless iron or steel tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, nes	1,872	2,153
67931	Iron or steel line pipe of a kind used for oil/gas pipelines, external circular cross-section exc 406.4 mm, nes	3,228	2,345
67932	Iron or steel casing of a kind used in the drilling for oil or gas, external circular cross-section exc 406.4 mm	1,441	1,131
67933	Welded iron or steel tube or pipe, circular cross-section exc 406.4 mm (excl. line pipe and casing)	2,239	4,402
67939	Iron and steel tube and pipe, external cross-section exc 406.4 mm, nes	57	25
67941	Welded, open seam, riveted or similarly closed iron/steel line pipe, of a kind used for oil/gas pipelines, nes	2,873	3,601
67942	Welded, open seam, riveted or similarly closed iron/steel casing/tubing of a kind used in oil/gas drilling, nes	120	29
67943	Welded, tubes, pipes and hollow profiles of iron or steel, with circular cross-section, nes	26,182	23,580
67944	Welded, tubes, pipes and hollow profiles of iron or steel, with non-circular cross-section, nes	8,545	4,403
67949	Open seam, riveted or similarly closed, iron or steel, tubes pipes and hollow profiles, nes	1,347	2,397
67951	Cast tube or pipe fittings of non-malleable cast iron	575	514

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
67	Iron and steel		
67952	Cast tube or pipe fittings of iron or steel (excl. of non-malleable cast iron)	5,284	7,637
67953	Stainless steel flanges for tubes or pipes	1,090	1,509
67954	Stainless steel threaded elbows, bends and sleeves for tubes and pipes	837	957
67955	Stainless steel butt welding fittings for tubes and pipes	2,747	3,078
67956	Stainless steel tube or pipe fittings (excl. flanges, threaded elbows, bends, sleeves, butt welding fittings)	8,820	10,201
67959	Iron and steel tube or pipe fittings (excl. cast and of stainless steel), nes	46,085	47,904
	DIVISION 67 TOTAL	1,078,102	1,038,486
68	Non-ferrous metals		
68112	Base metals clad with silver, not further worked than semi-manufactured, unwrought	111	4,295
68113	Unwrought silver (incl. silver plated with gold or platinum)	2,352	17,067
68114	Semi-manufactured or powdered silver (incl. silver plated with gold or platinum)	2,314	2,258
68122	Base metals, silver or gold clad with metals of the platinum group, not further worked than semi-manufactured	3	—
68123	Unwrought or powdered platinum and platinum alloys	6,983	5,497
68124	Unwrought or powdered metals of the platinum group (excl. platinum) and alloys thereof	3,347	2,135
68125	Platinum and other metals of the platinum group and alloys thereof, semi-manufactured, nes	64,702	45,905
68211	Unrefined copper (incl. blister copper but excl. cement copper); copper anodes for electrolytic refining	29	143
68212	Refined copper	1,871	7,814
68213	Copper master alloys	743	888
68214	Copper alloys (excl. master alloys)	1,933	6,118
68231	Refined copper bars, rods and profiles	2,194	2,417
68232	Bars, rods and profiles of copper alloys	9,803	10,982
68241	Refined copper wire	266	268
68242	Copper alloy wire	4,004	3,123
68251	Refined copper plates, sheet and strip exc 0.15 mm thick	1,826	2,124
68252	Copper alloy plates, sheet and strip exc 0.15 mm thick	7,541	7,393
68261	Copper foil of a thickness (excl. any backing) not exc 0.15 mm	10,930	14,837
68262	Copper powders and flakes	1,571	1,611
68271	Copper tubes and pipes	23,498	26,702
68272	Copper tube or pipe fittings (eg couplings, elbows, sleeves)	12,780	14,296
68311	Unwrought nickel (excl. alloy and electro-plating anodes)	1,507	2,740
68312	Unwrought nickel alloys (excl. electro-plating anodes)	2,186	4,631
68321	Nickel and nickel alloy bars, rods, profiles and wire (excl. electro-plating anodes)	14,039	7,560
68322	Nickel and nickel alloy tubes, pipes and tube or pipe fittings (eg couplings, elbows, sleeves)	1,023	1,684
68323	Nickel and nickel alloy powder and flakes	1,054	1,183
68324	Nickel and nickel alloy plates, sheets, strip and foil (excl. electro-plating anodes)	4,270	4,856
68411	Unwrought aluminium (excl. alloys)	2,743	3,659
68412	Unwrought aluminium alloys	8,755	4,340
68421	Aluminium and aluminium alloy bars, rods and profiles	31,345	34,678
68422	Aluminium and aluminium alloy wire	4,683	3,476
68423	Aluminium and aluminium alloy plates, sheet and strip, of a thickness exc 0.20 mm	24,447	41,949
68424	Aluminium and aluminium alloy foil of a thickness (excl. any backing) not exc 0.20 mm	39,674	47,277
68425	Aluminium and aluminium alloy powders and flakes	3,245	3,458
68426	Aluminium and aluminium alloy tubes and pipes	5,493	4,131
68427	Aluminium and aluminium alloy tube and pipe fittings (eg couplings, elbows, sleeves)	4,746	5,810
68511	Unwrought unrefined lead and lead alloys	163	212
68512	Unwrought refined lead	4	1
68521	Lead and lead alloy bars, rods, profiles and wire	389	105
68522	Lead and lead alloy plates, sheets, strip, foil; powders and flakes	574	497
68524	Lead and lead alloy tubes, pipes and tube or pipe fittings (eg couplings, elbows, sleeves)	33	13
68611	Unwrought zinc (not alloyed)	8	2
68612	Unwrought zinc alloys	35	—
68631	Zinc and zinc alloy bars, rods, profiles and wire	409	239
68632	Zinc and zinc alloy plates, sheet, strip and foil	465	548
68633	Zinc dust (blue powder), powders and flakes (incl. alloy)	1,712	2,047
68634	Zinc and zinc alloy tubes, pipes and tube or pipe fittings (eg couplings, elbows, sleeves)	141	143
68711	Unwrought tin, not alloyed	2,297	4,868
68712	Unwrought tin alloys	3,520	2,161
68721	Tin and tin alloy bars, rods, profiles and wire	6,348	2,660

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
68 Non-ferrous metals			
68722	Tin and tin alloy plates, sheet and strip exc 0.20 mm thick	267	57
68723	Tin and tin alloy foil not exc 0.20 mm thick (excl. any backing); tin and tin alloy powders and flakes	149	73
68724	Tin and tin alloy tubes, pipes and tube or pipe fittings (eg couplings, elbows, sleeves)	—	—
68911	Unwrought tungsten (wolfram); tungsten waste and scrap	1,178	1,522
68912	Unwrought molybdenum; molybdenum waste and scrap	1,033	593
68913	Unwrought tantalum (incl. bars and rods obtained simply by sintering); waste and scrap; powders	2	7
68914	Magnesium waste and scrap	43	20
68915	Unwrought magnesium	20,430	23,801
68981	Cobalt matters and other intermediate products of cobalt metallurgy; unwrought cobalt; cobalt waste/scrap; powders	573	730
68982	Unwrought cadmium; cadmium waste and scrap; powders	26	1
68983	Unwrought titanium; titanium waste and scrap; powders	303	383
68984	Unwrought zirconium; zirconium waste and scrap; powders	2	9
68991	Unwrought beryllium; beryllium waste and scrap; powders	2	10
68992	Bismuth and articles thereof (incl. waste and scrap)	144	210
68993	Antimony and articles thereof (incl. waste and scrap)	549	157
68994	Manganese and articles thereof (incl. waste and scrap)	6,404	4,101
68995	Chromium and articles thereof (incl. waste and scrap)	764	864
68996	Germanium and articles thereof (incl. waste and scrap)	1	5
68997	Vanadium and articles thereof (incl. waste and scrap)	1,081	2,369
68998	Unwrought non-ferrous base metals, waste, scrap, powders nes	26	7
68999	Cermet and articles of unwrought non-ferrous base metals, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	140	227
DIVISION 68 TOTAL		357,224	395,949
69 Manufactures of metals, nes			
69111	Iron or steel bridges and bridge-sections	893	778
69112	Iron or steel towers and lattice masts	831	1,385
69113	Iron or steel doors and thresholds for doors, windows and their frames	2,726	3,244
69114	Iron or steel props and similar equipment for scaffolding, shuttering or pit-propping	5,918	4,600
69119	Iron or steel structures and parts thereof nes; plates, rods, angles etc prepared for use in structures (b)	2,813	20,871
69121	Aluminium doors and thresholds for doors; windows and their frames	2,276	4,201
69129	Aluminium structures and parts of structures, nes; plates, rods, angles and the like for use in structures	8,615	13,518
69211	Iron or steel tanks, vats etc, exc 300 l capacity, without mech or thermal equip (excl. for compressed etc gas)	1,424	4,611
69212	Aluminium tanks, vats etc, exc 300 l capacity, without mech or thermal equip (excl. for compressed etc gas)	404	447
69241	Iron or steel boxes, casks etc, not exc 300 l, without mech or thermal equip (excl. for compressed etc gas)	7,164	13,058
69242	Aluminium casks, drums etc, not exc 300 l, without mech or thermal equipment (excl. for compressed etc gas)	6,856	7,337
69243	Iron or steel containers for compressed or liquefied gas	18,807	18,667
69244	Aluminium containers for compressed or liquefied gas	555	1,195
69311	Iron or steel stranded wire, ropes, cables, plaited bands, slings etc (excl. insulated electrical wire)	35,910	46,727
69312	Copper stranded wire, ropes, cables, plaited bands, slings and the like (excl. insulated electrical wiring)	3,039	1,303
69313	Aluminium stranded wire, ropes, cables, plaited bands, slings and the like (excl. insulated electrical wiring)	1,147	1,029
69320	Iron or steel barbed wire; twisted hoop or single flat wire, and loosely twisted double wire for fencing	2,268	2,003
69351	Iron or steel cloth (incl. endless bands), grill, netting and fencing wire; expanded metal	7,351	8,047
69352	Copper cloth (incl. endless bands), grill, netting and fencing wire; expanded metal	517	567
69410	Iron or steel nails, tacks, drawing pins, staples etc (excl. staples in strips, articles with copper heads) (b)	11,218	12,853
69421	Iron or steel threaded articles (eg screws, bolts, nuts, coach screws, screw hooks)	107,324	125,945
69422	Iron or steel non-threaded articles (eg rivets, cotters, cotter-pins, washers and the like)	24,574	31,129
69431	Nails, tacks, drawing pins, staples (excl. in strips) etc, of copper, or iron or steel with heads of copper	115	160
69432	Washers (incl. spring) and similar articles of copper, unthreaded	825	937
69433	Copper screws, bolts, nuts, screw hooks and similar threaded articles	2,133	2,344

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
69	Manufactures of metals, nes		
69440	Aluminium nails, tacks, staples (excl. in strip), screws, bolts, nuts, screw hooks, rivets and similar articles	636	1,159
69510	Spades, picks, rakes and similar hand tools; hewing tools (eg axes); tools used in agriculture, forestry, etc	12,283	12,376
69521	Hand saws	5,254	4,100
69522	Files, rasps and similar hand tools	2,556	3,148
69523	Pliers, pinners, tweezers, metal-cutting shears, pipe cutters, bolt croppers, perforating punches etc	17,619	18,607
69530	Hand-operated spanners and wrenches (incl. torque but excl. tap wrenches); interchangeable spanner sockets	25,420	32,210
69541	Hand-operated drilling, threading and tapping tools	724	892
69542	Hand-held hammers and sledge hammers	4,438	4,679
69543	Hand-held planes, chisels, gouges and similar cutting tools for working wood	1,974	1,847
69544	Hand-held screwdrivers	4,107	5,238
69545	Hand-held household tools, nes	5,425	5,682
69546	Hand tools (incl. glaziers' diamonds) nes, blow lamps (b)	20,725	34,414
69547	Vices, clamps and the like (excl. accessories for and parts of machine tools)	6,552	7,493
69548	Anvils; portable forges; hand or pedal-operated grinding wheels with frameworks	63	86
69549	Sets of hand-held or operated tools	663	969
69552	Circular saw blades (incl. slitting or slotting saw blades) with steel working parts	4,453	3,914
69553	Circular saw blades (incl. slitting or slotting saw blades) with non steel working parts	5,610	5,362
69554	Chain saw blades	2,219	3,239
69555	Metal working straight saw blades	4,362	4,034
69559	Saw blades (excl. bandsaw, circular, chain or metal working straight saw blades)	3,914	3,748
69561	Knives and cutting blades for machine or mechanical appliances	2,449	3,066
69562	Unmounted plates, sticks, tips and the like for tools, of sintered metal carbide or cermets	15,648	17,405
69563	Rock drilling or earth boring tools	53,818	58,699
69564	Interchangeable tools for hand tools or machine tools, dies for extruding or drawing metal	89,966	56,472
69570	Sets of two or more hand tools for retail sale (eg saws and blades, files, spanners, punches, drills etc)	2,587	2,906
69631	Razors (excl. electric razors)	13,297	15,917
69635	Safety razor blades (incl. razor blade blanks in strips)	5,645	10,028
69638	Parts of non-electric razors (excl. safety razor blades, razor blade blanks in strips and those parts of plastic)	449	46
69640	Scissors, tailors' and similar shears and blades therefor	8,412	9,098
69651	Paper knives, letter openers, erasing knives, pencil sharpeners and blades therefor	1,353	1,509
69655	Manicure or pedicure sets or instruments (incl. nail files)	2,513	2,021
69659	Articles of cutlery nes	2,290	1,884
69661	Sets of kitchen or tableware containing at least one article plated with precious metal	1,261	1,599
69662	Sets of assorted kitchen or tableware (excl. containing at least one article plated with precious metal)	10,987	13,810
69663	Kitchen or tableware plated with precious metal (excl. sets)	1,801	1,832
69669	Kitchen or tableware (excl. sets and articles plated with precious metal)	14,822	11,142
69680	Knives (excl. knives for machines) and blades therefor	26,145	24,931
69731	Non-electric domestic cooking appl. of iron or steel (eg kitchen stoves, barbecues, gas rings); plate warmers	15,674	19,028
69732	Non-electric iron or steel domestic stoves (excl. cooking appliances), grates and similar space heaters	7,893	10,052
69733	Iron or steel parts for non-electric, domestic cooking appl., plate warmers, stoves, grates etc; space heaters	5,317	6,413
69734	Non-electric copper domestic cooking or heating apparatus and parts thereof	249	85
69741	Iron and steel household articles and parts thereof, nes	42,871	45,915
69742	Copper household articles and parts thereof, nes	6,323	4,867
69743	Aluminium household articles and parts thereof, nes	5,374	5,624
69744	Iron or steel wool, pot scourers and scouring or polishing pads, gloves and the like	750	971
69751	Iron or steel sanitary ware and parts thereof, nes	6,789	7,137
69752	Copper sanitary ware and parts thereof, nes	7,396	7,269
69753	Aluminium sanitary ware and parts thereof, nes	81	127
69781	Hand-operated household mechanical appliances not exc 10 kg for preparing, conditioning, serving food/drink	9,325	8,793
69782	Base metal ornaments (incl. statuettes); photograph, picture or similar frames; mirrors of base metal	16,525	16,935
69911	Base metal padlocks and locks, clasps and frames with clasps incorporating locks; keys therefor	33,855	47,789
69912	Armoured or reinforced base metal safes, strong-boxes, doors, safe deposit lockers, cash and deed boxes etc	1,500	2,638

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
69	Manufactures of metals, nes		
69913	Base metal hinges	27,436	29,305
69914	Base metal castors	4,632	4,481
69915	Base metal mountings, fittings and similar articles suitable for motor vehicles	15,644	21,270
69916	Base metal mountings, fittings and similar articles suitable for buildings	13,880	16,595
69917	Base metal mountings, fittings and similar articles suitable for furniture	22,387	19,884
69919	Base metal mountings, fittings nes; hat racks, hat pegs, brackets & similar fixtures; automatic door closers	40,561	49,337
69921	Iron or steel skid chain and parts thereof	919	1,518
69922	Iron or steel chain (excl. articulated link or skid) and parts thereof	13,445	14,385
69931	Iron or steel sewing and knitting needles, bodkins, crochet hooks, embroidery stilettes etc for hand use	1,920	1,086
69932	Iron or steel pins (incl. safety)	2,415	2,507
69933	Base metal clasps, buckles and the like for made-up articles; tubular or bifurcated rivets; heads, spangles	14,116	15,994
69941	Iron or steel springs and leaves for springs	17,070	23,235
69942	Copper springs	116	92
69951	Flexible tubing of base metal	5,081	21,547
69952	Non-electric base metal bells, gongs and the like, and parts thereof	780	780
69953	Base metal stoppers, caps and lids, packing accessories (eg bung covers, seals, capsules for bottles)	10,873	10,089
69954	Base metal sign, name, address and similar plates, numbers, letters and other symbols	3,234	3,719
69955	Products, nes, of base metal or carbides (incl. flux) for soldering, brazing; powder for spraying metal	10,413	9,812
69961	Iron or steel anchors, grapnels and parts thereof	364	1,049
69962	Cast articles of non-malleable cast iron, nes	1,339	2,576
69963	Cast articles of iron or steel, nes	5,987	5,300
69965	Forged or stamped articles of iron or steel, nes	4,412	3,392
69967	Iron or steel wire articles, nes	4,600	5,476
69969	Iron or steel articles, nes	69,623	92,056
69971	Copper chain and parts thereof	930	1,060
69973	Copper articles, nes	11,991	11,253
69975	Nickel articles, nes	6,440	6,821
69976	Lead articles, nes	224	875
69977	Zinc articles, nes	1,133	1,428
69978	Tin articles, nes	20,582	15,633
69979	Aluminium articles, nes	26,987	29,065
69981	Wrought cobalt and articles of cobalt, nes	576	941
69983	Wrought cadmium and articles of cadmium, nes	1	2
69985	Wrought titanium and articles of titanium, nes	12,453	6,695
69987	Wrought zirconium and articles of zirconium, nes	354	155
69991	Wrought tungsten and articles of tungsten, nes	1,189	1,488
69992	Wrought molybdenum and articles of molybdenum, nes	784	648
69993	Wrought tantalum and articles of tantalum, nes	79	38
69994	Wrought magnesium and articles of magnesium, nes	3,135	2,532
69995	Semi-manufactures and articles of beryllium, nes	3	41
69999	Wrought base metals and articles of base metals, nes	214	136
DIVISION 69 TOTAL (b)		1,191,975	1,349,790
71	Power generating machinery and equipment		
71111	Vapour generating boilers (incl. steam but excl. central heating low pressure steam boilers)	808	804
71112	Super-heated water boilers	2	48
71121	Auxiliary plant for use with vapour generating or super-heated boilers	234	2,122
71122	Condensers for vapour power units (incl. steam)	4	393
71191	Parts for vapour generating and super-heated water boilers	257	1,704
71192	Parts for auxiliary plant of boilers	338	451
71211	Vapour turbines (incl. steam) for marine propulsion	10	31
71219	Vapour turbines (incl. steam) (excl. for marine propulsion)	1,547	530
71280	Parts for vapour turbines (incl. steam), nes	8,037	8,132
71311	Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines for aircraft	16,254	31,948
71319	Parts nes for spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines for aircraft	8,005	13,167
71321	Reciprocating piston engines not exc 1000 cc capacity	5,095	7,457
71322	Reciprocating piston engines exc 1000 cc capacity	59,044	113,702
71323	Compression-ignition engines (diesel or semi-diesel)	86,720	78,024
71331	Internal combustion piston outboard motors for marine propulsion	36,756	31,064

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
71 Power generating machinery and equipment			
71332	Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary engines for marine propulsion (excl. outboard motors)	5,952	5,796
71333	Compression-ignition engines for marine propulsion (excl. outboard motors)	37,107	37,292
71381	Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines, nes	54,626	49,397
71382	Compression-ignition internal combustion engines, nes	65,513	76,661
71391	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with spark-ignition internal combustion piston engines	127,441	166,781
71392	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines	104,825	109,572
71441	Turbo jets	35,089	64,108
71449	Reaction engines (excl. turbo-jets)	235	1
71481	Turbo-propeller gas turbines	18,068	33,249
71489	Gas turbines (excl. turbo-propellers)	60,227	50,171
71491	Turbo-jet or turbo-propeller engine parts	96,133	82,377
71499	Gas turbine engine parts (excl. turbo-propeller and turbo-jet)	12,414	14,198
71610	Electric motors of an output not exc 37.5 W	36,499	36,582
71620	Direct current motors (excl. motors not exc 37.5 W output) and generators	22,555	25,829
71631	Alternating current motors (incl. universal (ac/dc) motors but excl. motors with output not exc 37.5 W)	71,004	83,001
71632	Alternating current generators	13,364	18,053
71640	Electric rotary converters	783	1,045
71651	Electric generating sets with internal combustion piston engines	24,395	32,907
71652	Generating sets (excl. with internal combustion piston engines)	39,634	108,750
71690	Parts, used solely or principally with rotating electric plants, nes	22,114	28,857
71811	Hydraulic turbines and water wheels	57	1,018
71819	Parts (incl. regulators), for hydraulic turbines and water wheels	39	154
71871	Nuclear reactors	—	—
71878	Nuclear reactor parts	44	—
71891	Linear acting hydraulic power engines and motors	10,537	18,247
71892	Linear acting pneumatic power engines and motors (cylinders)	2,968	4,404
71893	Engines and motors, nes	26,601	30,161
71899	Parts for reaction (excl. turbo-jet), hydraulic (excl. turbines) & pneumatic engines & motors & for engines, nes	14,888	15,601
DIVISION 71 TOTAL		1,126,232	1,383,786
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries			
72111	Ploughs	1,122	908
72112	Seeders, planters, transplanters; fertilizer distributors and manure spreaders (excl. hand tools)	5,567	5,913
72113	Scarifiers, cultivators, weeder, hoes and harrows, (excl. hand tools)	9,331	14,719
72118	Soil preparation or cultivation mach for forestry, agriculture, horticulture nes; sports ground and lawn rollers	2,804	6,470
72119	Parts, for soil preparation or cultivation machinery, nes (b)	1,889	11,644
72121	Lawn, park or sports ground mowers	38,939	54,930
72122	Combine harvester-threshers	37,786	42,960
72123	Harvesting & threshing machinery (excl. combine harvester-threshers) mowers (excl. lawn, park, sports ground)	48,455	53,346
72126	Machinery for cleaning, grading and sorting agricultural produce (incl. eggs and fruit)	2,159	3,424
72127	Machines for cleaning, sorting or grading seed, grain or dried leguminous vegetables (excl. milling machines)	648	1,047
72129	Parts, for harvesting or threshing machinery, cleaning, sorting or grading machinery and mowers, nes	16,491	18,873
72131	Milking machines	24	4
72138	Dairy machinery (excl. milking machines)	3,079	2,312
72139	Milking machine and dairy machinery parts	3,441	3,907
72191	Presses, crushers and similar machinery for wine, cider, fruit juices or similar beverages	2,695	2,519
72195	Poultry-keeping machinery; poultry incubators and brooders	3,095	2,497
72196	Agricultural, horticultural, forestry and bee-keeping machinery nes (incl. germination plant)	12,782	11,205
72198	Parts for presses, crushers and similar machinery used in beverage production	383	274
72199	Parts for agriculture, horticulture, forestry, bee keeping and poultry-keeping machinery	1,926	3,007
72230	Track-laying tractors	13,813	3,349
72241	Pedestrian controlled wheeled tractors	27	46
72249	Wheeled tractors (excl. pedestrian controlled tractors)	237,244	280,958
72311	Self-propelled bulldozers and angledozers	82,109	111,635
72312	Self-propelled graders and levellers	12,550	26,202

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
72	Machinery specialised for particular industries		
72321	Self-propelled front-end shovel-loaders	163,323	188,045
72322	Self-propelled mechanical shovels, excavators and shovel loaders with a 360 degree revolving superstructure	163,433	167,319
72329	Self-propelled mechanical shovels, excavators and shovel loaders, nes	25,333	26,670
72331	Self-propelled scrapers	15,792	23,901
72333	Self-propelled tamping and road rolling machines (b)	8,855	20,764
72335	Self-propelled coal or rock cutters and tunnelling machinery	7,613	14,840
72337	Self-propelled boring or sink machinery	46,382	56,006
72339	Self-propelled moving, grading, levelling, excavating or compacting etc machinery for earth, minerals, ores	1,998	4,954
72341	Pile-drivers and pile extractors	2,115	2,481
72342	Snow-ploughs and snow-blowers	120	26
72343	Non-self-propelled coal or rock cutters and tunnelling machinery	1,078	2,025
72344	Non-self-propelled boring and sinking machinery, nes	5,136	3,790
72345	Non-self-propelled tamping or compacting machinery	1,422	1,973
72346	Non-self-propelled scrapers	1	—
72347	Non-self-propelled moving, grading, levelling and the like machinery for earth, minerals or ores, nes	2,120	5,813
72348	Machinery for public works, building or the like, nes	3,983	8,126
72391	Buckets, shovels, grabs and grips, being parts for civil engineering and contractors' plant and equipment	4,768	5,017
72392	Bulldozer or angledozer blades	589	877
72393	Parts for boring or sinking machinery	57,427	60,255
72399	Parts for derricks, cranes, civil engineering and contractors' plant and equipment, nes	84,008	100,034
72433	Domestic sewing machines	43,874	51,080
72435	Sewing machines (excl. domestic and book sewing machines)	38,876	35,918
72439	Sewing machine needles; furniture, bases & covers for sewing machines; parts for sewing machines & furniture	7,218	6,834
72441	Extruding, drawing, texturing or cutting man-made textile material machines	7,163	1,692
72442	Textile fibre preparing machines, nes	21,140	31,276
72443	Textile spinning, doubling or twisting machines; textile winding (incl. self-winding) or reeling machines	15,742	11,390
72449	Parts and accessories of textile processing machines or their auxiliary machinery	9,523	16,564
72451	Weaving machines (looms)	12,711	13,581
72452	Knitting machines and stitch-bonding machines	21,201	17,084
72453	Machines for making gimped yarn, tulle, lace, embroidery, etc and machines for tufting or making nonwovens	6,387	7,239
72454	Machines for preparing textile yarns for weaving, knitting, making tulle, lace, nonwovens and the like	3,163	1,972
72455	Machines for making, finishing felt, in the piece or in shapes (incl. felt hat making machines); hat blocks	1,030	1,227
72461	Machines auxiliary to those for extruding, spinning, weaving or prep textile fibres, lace making and the like	4,331	3,922
72467	Parts and accessories of weaving machines (looms), or their auxiliary machinery, nes	7,040	5,969
72468	Parts and accessories of knitting, lace, net making machines and the like or of their auxiliary equipment, nes	7,171	7,347
72471	Household laundry clothes washing machines (incl. those which both wash & dry) of dry linen capacity exc 10 kg	2,223	3,690
72472	Dry cleaning machines	3,090	1,928
72473	Drying machines of dry-linen capacity exc. 10 kg nes	10,598	4,162
72474	Machines for cleaning, dressing, coating textile yarns, fabrics, etc & for reeling, cutting, folding fabric	38,110	34,970
72481	Machinery for preparing, tanning, working hide, skin or leather (excl. sewing machines)	1,709	1,578
72483	Machinery for making or repairing hides, skins or leather footwear (excl. sewing machines)	4,444	2,694
72485	Machinery for making or repairing articles of hides, skins or leather (excl. footwear and sewing machines)	321	114
72488	Parts of mach to prepare, tan or work hides, skins, leather and to make or repair articles thereof, nes	1,291	1,139
72491	Parts of household or laundry type washing machines	790	887
72492	Parts of dry-cleaning, drying, ironing, bleaching, folding and similar machinery for textiles	2,338	2,860
72511	Machinery for making pulp of fibrous cellulosic material	9,957	8,094
72512	Machinery for making or finishing paper or paperboard	21,650	31,488
72521	Machinery for cutting paper pulp, paper or paperboard	21,859	17,549
72523	Machines for making paper or paperboard bags, sacks or envelopes	3,652	4,426
72525	Machines for making paper or paperboard cartons, cases, tubes, drums or similar containers (excl. mouldings)	15,113	6,818
72527	Machines for moulding articles in paper pulp, paper or paperboard	842	540

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
72	Machinery specialised for particular industries		
72529	Machines for making up paper pulp, paper or paperboard (excl. cutting, container making or moulding machines)	9,608	9,741
72591	Parts of machinery for making pulp of cellulosic fibres or for making or finishing paper or paperboard	14,405	27,594
72599	Parts of machinery for making up paper pulp, paper or paperboard (incl. cutting machines of all kinds)	6,532	7,612
72631	Machinery, apparatus and equipment for type-founding, type-setting, preparing or making printing components	21,455	14,386
72635	Printing components (incl. type, plates and the like); lithographic stones and the like prepared for printing	6,004	5,242
72651	Reel fed offset printing machinery	17,107	10,532
72655	Sheet fed, office type offset printing machinery (sheet size not exc 22 x 36 cm)	5,436	1,440
72659	Offset printing machinery (excl. reel fed and office type sheet fed (sheet size not exc 22 x 36 cm))	90,167	84,102
72661	Letterpress printing machinery (excl. flexographic printing)	6,118	4,095
72663	Flexographic printing machinery	2,810	6,005
72665	Gravure printing machinery	1,376	5,411
72667	Printing machinery (excl. offset, letterpress, flexographic and gravure)	24,827	27,563
72668	Machines for uses ancillary to printing	10,216	9,984
72681	Bookbinding machinery (incl. book-sewing machines)	16,303	12,208
72689	Parts for bookbinding machinery	1,519	1,477
72691	Parts for type-founding or type-setting machines	6,119	6,639
72699	Parts for offset, letterpress, flexographic, gravure and the like printing and ancillary machinery	37,469	38,462
72711	Milling industry machinery or for working cereals or dried leguminous vegetables (excl. farm type machinery)	2,929	3,792
72719	Parts for machinery for the milling industry and for working cereals or dried leguminous vegetables	1,341	1,696
72721	Machinery for the extraction or preparation of animal or fixed vegetable fats and oils	864	1,675
72722	Machinery for the industrial preparation or manufacture of food or drink, nes	46,344	49,887
72729	Parts for industrial food or drink processing machinery	7,560	7,500
72811	Machine tools for working stone, ceramic, concrete, etc & glass (excl. non-electric hand tools & lasers, etc)	14,959	17,362
72812	Machine tools for working wood, bone, hard rubber and the like (excl. non-electric hand tools and lasers, etc)	58,357	77,981
72819	Parts and accessories of machine tools for working stone, ceramics, wood, bone, hard rubber and the like	4,720	6,810
72831	Machinery for sorting, screening, separating or washing earth, stone, ores and the like	4,383	7,465
72832	Machinery for crushing or grinding earth, stone, ores and the like	22,126	26,002
72833	Machinery for mixing or kneading earth, stone, ores and the like	2,894	4,446
72834	Machinery for agglomerating, shaping or moulding solid mineral fuels, foundry sand, mineral powders & pastes	8,018	14,049
72839	Parts for machines for sorting, washing, crushing, agglomerating, shaping mineral substances	19,204	22,907
72841	Machines for mfg or hot working glass, glassware, or assembling lamps, tubes, valves or flashbulbs in glass	4,707	14,871
72842	Machinery for working rubber or plastics, or manufacturing products thereof, nes	89,383	113,055
72843	Machinery for preparing or making up tobacco, nes	1,371	12,672
72844	Presses for manufacturing particle or fibre building board and machinery for treating wood or cork	460	17,284
72846	Metal treating machinery (incl. electric wire coil-winders), nes	6,623	9,400
72847	Isotopic separation machinery and apparatus, and parts thereof, nes	—	1
72849	Machinery specialised for particular industries having individual functions, nes	226,230	279,529
72851	Parts of machines for the assembly and manufacture of glass products (incl. lamps, tubes, valves etc)	10,472	16,075
72852	Parts of machines for working or manufacturing products from rubber or plastics	15,697	18,901
72853	Parts of machines for making up or preparing tobacco	2,108	2,001
72855	Parts of machines specialised for particular industries having individual functions, nes	52,198	66,894
	DIVISION 72 TOTAL (b)	2,358,833	2,755,848
73	Metal working machinery		
73111	Machine-tools operated by laser or other light or photon beam, for working material by removal of material	782	1,040
73112	Machine-tools operated by ultra-sonic processes for working of any material by removal of material	418	68

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
73	Metal working machinery		
73113	Machine-tools operated by electro-discharge processes for working of any material by removal of material	4,617	3,817
73114	Machine-tools operated by electro-chemical, electron beam, ionic-beam or plasma jet for removing material	5,725	2,018
73121	Machining centres for working metal	24,158	20,421
73122	Unit construction machines (single station) for working metal	696	1,439
73123	Multi-station transfer machines for working metal	11,287	837
73131	Numerically controlled horizontal lathes for removing metal, nes	22,540	25,222
73135	Numerically controlled lathes (excl. horizontal) for removing metal, nes	2,628	2,167
73137	Horizontal lathes (excl. numerically controlled) for removing metal, nes	16,875	16,762
73139	Lathes for removing metal (excl. numerically controlled, horizontal and operated by light, photon beam etc)	5,611	5,312
73141	Way-type unit head machines for drilling or boring	6,335	202
73142	Numerically controlled drilling machines (excl. way-type unit head)	1,210	1,830
73143	Drilling machines (excl. numerically controlled and way-type unit head)	7,774	7,379
73144	Numerically controlled boring-milling machines (excl. drilling machinery)	1,311	2,613
73145	Boring-milling machines (excl. numerically controlled and drilling machinery)	2,119	3,012
73146	Boring machines (excl. boring-milling machines and drilling machinery)	4,102	4,594
73151	Numerically controlled knee-type milling machines (excl. lathes and machines for drilling or boring)	1,253	892
73152	Knee-type milling machines (excl. numerically controlled and lathes and machines for drilling or boring)	4,215	2,702
73153	Numerically controlled milling machines (excl. knee-type and lathes and machines for drilling or boring)	4,938	8,833
73154	Milling machines (excl. numerically controlled, knee-type and lathes and machines for drilling or boring)	8,571	5,484
73157	Threading or tapping machines (excl. lathes and machines for drilling or boring)	2,041	1,334
73161	Numerically controlled flat-surface grinding machines, with an accuracy of at least 0.01 mm on any axis	1,189	1,277
73162	Non-numerically controlled flat-surface grinding machines, with an accuracy of at least 0.01 mm on any axis	2,513	2,100
73163	Numerically controlled grinding machines with an accuracy of at least 0.01 mm on any axis (excl. flat-surface)	2,889	1,005
73164	Grinding machines with an accuracy of at least 0.01 mm on any axis, nes	2,770	5,375
73165	Numerically controlled sharpening machines (tool or cutter grinding)	140	577
73166	Sharpening machines (tool or cutter grinding) (excl. numerically controlled)	5,257	5,969
73167	Honing or lapping machines	781	1,411
73169	Machine tools for deburring, polishing or finishing metal, carbides or cermets by abrasives	5,682	8,740
73171	Shaping or slotting machine-tools for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets	784	698
73173	Broaching machines for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets	484	255
73175	Gear cutting, gear grinding or gear finishing machines for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets	1,412	3,367
73177	Sawing or cutting-off machines for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets	15,993	17,728
73178	Metal-working planing machines	14	3
73179	Machine-tools working by removing metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets, nes	5,849	5,867
73311	Forging or die-stamping machines (incl. presses) and hammers for working metal, metal carbides or cermets	6,032	7,434
73312	Numerically controlled bending, straightening or flattening machines (incl. presses) for working metal etc	8,403	6,081
73313	Non-numerically controlled bending, straightening or flattening machines (incl. presses) for working metal etc	19,802	23,398
73314	Numerically controlled shearing machines (incl. presses, excl. combined punch/shearing) for working metal, etc	849	3,114
73315	Non-numerically controlled shearing machines (incl. presses, excl. combined punch/shearing) for working metal	4,693	11,146
73316	Numerically controlled punching/notching machines (incl. presses, combined punch/shearing) for working metal	7,878	7,043
73317	Non-numerically controlled punching/notching machines (incl. presses, combined punch/shear) for metal etc	7,571	7,124
73318	Presses for working metal or metal carbides, nes	11,275	13,413
73391	Draw benches for bars, tubes, profiles, wire and the like of metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets	1,268	2,614
73393	Thread rolling machines for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets	601	701
73395	Machines for working wire of metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets, nes	6,859	5,856
73399	Machine-tools for working metals, sintered metal carbides or cermets, without removing material, nes	4,740	5,380
73511	Tool holders and self-opening dieheads for machine tools	7,716	9,168
73513	Work holders for machine tools	3,912	3,139
73515	Special attachments (incl. dividing heads) for machine-tools	1,975	1,377

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
73	Metal working machinery		
73591	Parts for machine tools for working metal or other material by removal of material	11,248	10,069
73595	Parts for machine tools for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets, without removing material	14,137	19,660
73711	Converters, ingot moulds and ladles of a kind used in metallurgy or in metal foundries	1,186	182
73712	Casting machines of a kind used in metallurgy or in metal foundries	6,865	7,604
73719	Parts for converters, ingot moulds, ladles and casting machines of a kind used in metallurgy or in foundries	4,049	5,077
73721	Metal-rolling mills	5,767	5,142
73729	Parts (incl. rolls), of metal-rolling mills	11,857	18,296
73731	Soldering irons and guns (incl. electric, laser or other photon beam, ultra-sonic or plasma-arc)	537	781
73732	Brazing or soldering machines and apparatus (excl. soldering irons and guns)	2,196	3,171
73733	Fully or partly automatic resistance welding machines and apparatus for metal	8,592	8,362
73734	Machines and apparatus for resistance welding of metal (excl. fully or partly automatic)	2,231	1,163
73735	Fully or partly automatic machines and apparatus for arc welding of metals (incl. plasma arc)	5,401	7,985
73736	Machines and apparatus for arc welding metal (excl. fully or partly automatic)	7,204	8,076
73737	Electric machines and apparatus for hot spraying of metals or sintered metal carbides	4,225	3,691
73739	Parts for soldering, brazing, welding and the like machines & apparatus & for machines for hot spraying metal	7,603	9,050
73741	Hand-held blow pipes	47	40
73742	Gas-operated machinery and apparatus for soldering, brazing or welding (incl. hand held blow pipes), nes	1,963	2,006
73743	Machinery and apparatus for soldering, brazing or welding (excl. gas operated, electric, laser, electron beam)	423	981
73749	Parts for machinery and apparatus for soldering, brazing or welding, nes	1,517	1,481
	DIVISION 73 TOTAL	375,587	392,155
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, nes and machine parts, nes		
74121	Furnace burners for liquid fuel	424	398
74123	Furnace burners (incl. combination burners but excl. for liquid fuel)	3,648	5,232
74125	Mechanical stokers, grates, ash dischargers and similar appliances	479	280
74128	Parts for furnace burners, mechanical stokers, grates, ash dischargers and similar appliances	1,640	1,659
74131	Resistance heated industrial or laboratory furnaces and ovens	1,158	3,439
74132	Induction or dielectric industrial or laboratory furnaces and ovens	287	532
74133	Laboratory or industrial furnaces and ovens (excl. resistance, induction or dielectric)	2,791	3,503
74134	Induction or dielectric industrial or laboratory heating equipment (excl. furnaces and ovens)	749	1,019
74135	Parts for industrial or laboratory furnaces and ovens	4,991	2,289
74136	Furnaces & ovens for the heat-treatment (incl. roasting, melting) of ores, pyrites or of metals, non-electric	376	109
74137	Bakery ovens (incl. biscuit ovens), non-electric	2,926	4,335
74138	Furnaces and ovens (incl. incinerators) nes	1,570	6,947
74139	Parts for furnaces and ovens	7,191	4,277
74143	Refrigerating or freezing display counters, cabinets, show-cases and the like	6,530	12,464
74145	Refrigerating or freezing equipment (excl. display counters, cabinets, showcases and the like); heat pumps	24,424	24,250
74149	Parts of refrigerators, freezers and refrigerating or freezing equipment (excl. domestic), nes	32,819	37,776
74151	Self-contained window or wall type air conditioning machines	39,636	48,593
74155	Air conditioning machines (excl. self contained window or wall types), containing motor driven fan	56,239	62,233
74159	Parts for air conditioning machines containing motor driven fan	13,660	16,109
74171	Producer or water gas generators; acetylene gas generators and similar water process gas generators	356	251
74172	Parts for producer, water and acetylene gas generators (incl. for similar water process gas generators)	135	89
74173	Distilling or rectifying plant	1,416	3,907
74174	Heat exchange units	10,719	9,981
74175	Machinery for liquefying air or gas	4,035	4,403
74181	Non-electric instantaneous gas water heaters	2,408	2,574
74182	Non-electric instantaneous or storage water heaters (excl. gas)	748	725
74183	Medical, surgical or laboratory sterilisers	1,000	1,267
74184	Dryers for agricultural products	1,548	1,262

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, nes and machine parts, nes		
74185	Dryers for wood, paper pulp, paper or paperboard	3,605	5,248
74186	Non-domestic dryers (excl. for wood, paper pulp, paper or paperboard or agricultural products)	6,912	11,032
74187	Non-domestic machinery for making hot drinks or for cooking or heating food	26,656	33,621
74189	Non-domestic machinery, plant or equipment for treating materials by a process involving a temperature change	26,790	33,331
74190	Parts for non-domestic equipment for temperature treat, electric water heaters, gas generators etc	13,763	18,437
74211	Fuel or lubricant dispensing pumps, fitted or designed to be fitted with a measuring device	2,687	5,081
74219	Pumps fitted or designed to be fitted with a measuring device (excl. fuel or lubricant dispensing pumps)	1,659	1,783
74220	Pumps for internal combustion piston engines (incl. fuel, lubricating or cooling medium pumps)	37,783	39,795
74230	Concrete pumps	1,973	2,665
74240	Reciprocating positive displacement pumps, nes	28,244	35,787
74250	Rotary positive displacement pumps, nes	24,305	34,589
74260	Centrifugal pumps, nes	19,405	22,672
74271	Pumps for liquids, nes	34,432	38,082
74275	Liquid elevators	73	44
74291	Parts of pumps, nes	43,594	49,772
74295	Parts of liquid elevators	175	144
74311	Vacuum pumps	6,280	7,121
74313	Hand or foot-operated air pumps	2,440	2,699
74315	Compressors of a kind used in refrigerating equipment	165,846	151,018
74317	Air compressors mounted on a wheeled chassis for towing	5,024	5,474
74319	Ventilating or recycling hoods (excl. cooker) incorporating a fan, air pumps or compressors, nes	60,097	82,556
74341	Table, floor, wall, window, ceiling or roof fans with self-contained electric motor of an output not exc 125 W	26,085	30,051
74343	Fans, nes	34,620	41,620
74345	Cooker hoods incorporating a fan, having a maximum horizontal side not exc 120 cm	7,792	7,277
74351	Centrifugal cream separators	637	333
74355	Centrifugal clothes-dryers	38	21
74359	Centrifuges (incl. centrifugal dryers but excl. cream separators and clothes-dryers)	10,263	9,171
74361	Machinery and apparatus for filtering and purifying water	17,092	17,767
74362	Machinery and apparatus for filtering and purifying beverages (excl. water)	1,220	1,674
74363	Oil or petrol filters for internal combustion engines	25,326	29,441
74364	Intake air filters for internal combustion engines	9,119	8,725
74367	Filters and purifying machinery and apparatus for liquids (excl. those for water, beverages & engines), nes	32,234	34,711
74369	Filters and purifying machinery and apparatus for gases, nes	26,770	39,078
74380	Parts of air and vacuum pumps, compressors, fans, ventilating and recycling hoods	33,633	33,770
74391	Parts of centrifuges (incl. centrifugal dryers, cream separators, clothes dryers)	3,855	4,071
74395	Parts of filtering and purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases	34,150	54,701
74411	Self-propelled works trucks powered by an electric motor, fitted with lifting or handling equipment	24,307	29,030
74412	Self-propelled works trucks fitted with lifting or handling equipment (excl. electric motor powered)	97,778	113,162
74413	Works trucks fitted with lifting or handling equipment (excl. self-propelled)	5,535	8,611
74414	Self-propelled, electric works trucks, not fitted with lifting or handling equipment	766	349
74415	Self-propelled, non-electric works trucks without lifting/handling equipment; tractors used by railways	3,048	1,735
74419	Parts of self-propelled works trucks without lifting/handling equipment and tractors used by railways	857	820
74421	Pulley tackle and hoists (excl. skip hoists)	14,285	16,513
74423	Pit-head winding gear; winches specially designed for use underground	198	44
74425	Winches (excl. for use underground); capstans	14,751	13,647
74431	Overhead travelling cranes on fixed supports	—	100
74432	Mobile lifting frames on tyres and straddle carriers	2,272	45
74433	Overhead travelling cranes (excl. on fixed supports), mobile lifting frames, nes	147	1,320
74434	Tower cranes	238	359
74435	Portal or pedestal jib cranes	1,148	2,802
74437	Self-propelled machinery, nes	3,266	10,974
74439	Machinery not self-propelled, nes	12,446	13,892
74441	Built-in jacking systems of a type used in garages	133	64
74443	Hydraulic jacks and hoists (excl. built in jacking systems used in garages)	8,808	11,528
74449	Jacks; hoists of a kind used for raising vehicles (excl. built-in and hydraulic systems)	1,560	5,146
74471	Continuous-action pneumatic elevators and conveyors	3,412	4,118
74472	Continuous-action elevators and conveyors specially designed for underground use	173	55

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — continued
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, nes and machine parts, nes		
74473	Continuous-action bucket type elevators/conveyors (excl. pneumatic or specially designed for underground use)	832	440
74474	Continuous-action belt type elevators/conveyors (excl. pneumatic or specially designed for underground use)	3,498	11,688
74479	Continuous-action elevators and conveyors for goods or materials, nes	6,001	11,155
74481	Lifts and skip hoists	3,808	3,533
74485	Escalators and moving walkways	12,655	17,468
74489	Lifting, handling, loading or unloading machinery, nes	66,499	86,582
74491	Parts for pulley tackle, hoists (excl. skip hoists), winches, capstans, jacks & hoists for raising vehicles	4,651	5,730
74492	Parts for work trucks fitted with lifting or handling equipment	16,748	21,647
74493	Parts for lifts, skip hoists or escalators	13,015	16,611
74494	Parts for lifting, handling, loading or unloading machinery, nes	12,759	20,646
74511	Hand tools, pneumatic	30,548	30,698
74512	Hand tools with self-contained non-electric motor (excl. pneumatic)	46,142	53,798
74519	Parts for hand tools with self-contained non-electric motor or pneumatically operated	8,965	11,399
74521	Dish washers (excl. of the household type)	1,723	2,083
74523	Machinery for cleaning or drying bottles or other containers	1,656	2,362
74527	Machinery for filling, closing, sealing, packing or wrapping containers; machinery for aerating beverages	108,705	136,896
74529	Parts for dish washing, bottle cleaning or drying, filling, sealing, packing or beverage aerating machinery	17,983	21,993
74531	Weighing machinery (incl. weight-operated counting/checking but excl. sensitive balances, household scales)	22,070	19,692
74532	Personal weighing machines (incl. baby scales); household scales	5,165	4,618
74539	Weighing machine weights of all kinds; parts of weighing machinery (excl. sensitive balances, household scales)	3,734	3,699
74561	Fire extinguishers	4,470	4,584
74562	Spray guns and similar appliances	15,045	14,934
74563	Steam or sand blasting machines and similar jet projecting machines	4,030	10,842
74564	Agricultural or horticultural appliances for projecting, dispersing or spraying liquids or powders	16,080	19,300
74565	Mechanical appliances for projecting, dispersing or spraying liquids or powders, nes	27,446	33,441
74568	Parts of mechanical appliances for projecting, dispersing, or spraying liquids or powders	19,982	21,118
74591	Non-electric rolling machines (incl. calendars but excl. those for metals or glass)	10,877	5,499
74593	Parts (incl. cylinders) for non-electric rolling machines (excl. for metal, glass)	809	599
74595	Non-electric automatic goods-vending machines (eg stamp, cigarette, food, beverage) & money changing machines	10,983	14,353
74597	Parts for non-electric automatic goods-vending machines	4,600	4,848
74610	Ball bearings	66,278	74,482
74620	Tapered roller bearings (incl. cone and tapered roller assemblies)	30,403	36,931
74630	Spherical roller bearings	17,003	19,224
74640	Needle roller bearings	7,219	8,782
74650	Cylindrical roller bearings (excl. tapered and needle roller bearings)	15,244	21,790
74680	Ball or roller bearings (incl. combined ball/roller bearings but excl. ball, tapered, spherical, cylindrical)	8,521	8,585
74691	Parts of ball or roller bearings being balls, needles and rollers (b)	1,249	5,413
74699	Parts of ball or roller bearings (excl. balls, needles and rollers) (b)	4,339	17,942
74710	Pressure-reducing valves for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats and the like	7,051	8,505
74720	Valves for dehydraulic or pneumatic transmissions	656	2,187
74730	Check valves for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats and the like	5,670	6,395
74740	Safety or relief valves for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats and the like	10,233	14,600
74780	Taps, cocks, valves and the like for pipes, tanks, vats, etc, nes	238,106	271,041
74790	Parts for taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats and the like	37,685	43,108
74810	Transmission shafts (incl. cam and crank shafts) and cranks	41,022	49,824
74821	Bearing housings, incorporating ball or roller bearings	2,959	3,994
74822	Bearing housings, not incorporating ball or roller bearings; plain shaft bearings	29,109	36,316
74831	Roller chain (being articulated link chain) of iron or steel	17,376	18,118
74832	Articulated link chain (excl. roller chain) of iron or steel	3,719	4,202
74839	Parts for articulated link chain of iron or steel	1,842	2,410
74840	Gears and gearing (excl. gear elements presented separately); ball screws; speed changers (incl. gearboxes)	85,470	99,707
74850	Flywheels and pulleys (incl. pulley blocks)	13,205	16,932
74860	Clutches and shaft couplings (incl. universal joints)	16,977	23,770
74890	Parts for transmission shafts; bearing housings, shaft bearings; gearing; screws; flywheels, pulleys, clutches etc	42,388	64,781
74911	Moulding boxes for metal foundry	1,569	123
74912	Mould bases	132	73

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — continued
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, nes and machine parts, nes		
74913	Moulding patterns	863	693
74914	Injection or compression types of moulds for metals or metal carbides	981	1,569
74915	Moulds for metal or metal carbide (excl. injection, compression types of moulds)	4,213	5,403
74916	Moulds for glass	4,668	3,304
74917	Moulds for mineral material	1,180	2,159
74918	Injection or compression types of moulds for rubber or plastics	15,900	17,143
74919	Moulds for rubber or plastics (excl. injection or compression types)	5,851	3,246
74920	Gaskets and similar joints; sets thereof, in packs	36,874	37,814
74991	Ships' propellers and blades thereof	3,013	1,827
74999	Machinery parts without electrical connectors, coils, insulators, contacts or other electrical features, nes	43,643	49,776
DIVISION 74 TOTAL (b)		2,517,700	2,976,003
75	Office machines and automatic data processing machines		
75113	Automatic typewriters; word-processing machines	29,623	20,420
75115	Electric typewriters not exc 12 kg in weight (excl. case and automatic or word processing typewriters)	9,124	14,389
75116	Electric typewriters exc 12 kg in weight (excl. case and automatic or word processing typewriters)	5,616	4,824
75118	Non-electric typewriters not exc 12 kg in weight (excl. case)	952	590
75119	Non-electric typewriters exc 12 kg in weight (excl. case)	245	1,483
75121	Electronic calculators capable of operation without an external source of power	21,963	20,251
75122	Calculating machines (excl. electronic calculators capable of operation without an external source of power)	8,729	5,028
75123	Accounting (incl. bookkeeping) machines	3,784	6,279
75124	Cash registers incorporating a calculating device	34,246	28,857
75128	Postage-franking, ticket-issuing and similar machines, incorporating a calculating device	4,494	7,222
75131	Electrostatic photo-copying apparatus operating by reproducing directly onto the copy (direct process)	10,291	4,468
75132	Electrostatic photo-copying apparatus operating by reproducing indirectly onto the copy (indirect process)	141,139	133,949
75133	Photo-copying apparatus incorporating an optical system (excl. electrostatic)	15,135	17,406
75134	Contact type photo-copying apparatus (excl. electrostatic)	1,493	2,144
75135	Thermo-copying apparatus	5,000	8,385
75191	Duplicating machines (eg hectograph or stencil)	2,110	2,840
75192	Addressing machines and address plate embossing machines	283	835
75193	Machines for mail sorting, folding, inserting, opening/closing, sealing & postage stamp affixing or cancelling	2,826	4,966
75199	Machines for automatic banknote dispensing, coin sorting, coin counting or wrapping; office machines, nes	52,095	58,495
75210	Analogue or hybrid (analogue-digital) data processing machines	29,403	45,269
75220	Digital auto data processing machinery cntg at least a central processing unit and input and output units	691,747	732,677
75230	Digital processing units with one or two of the following types of unit: storage, input, output units	419,959	385,617
75260	Input or output units used with automatic data processing machines	385,005	388,837
75270	Storage units used with automatic data processing machines	363,115	388,824
75290	Data processing equipment (excl. analogue or digital processing machines, storage, input or output units)	71,865	75,694
75910	Parts and accessories of photo-copying and thermo-copying machines	84,814	85,698
75991	Parts & accessories for typewriter & word processing machines (excl. covers, carrying cases and the like)	9,747	7,840
75993	Parts & accessories of office machines (excl. typewriters, calculating/accounting machines, etc, copiers) nes	8,058	12,500
75995	Parts and accessories of machines incorporating a calculating device	14,457	14,757
75997	Parts and accessories for machines for reading, transcribing and processing data and ADP machines	899,401	1,076,459
DIVISION 75 TOTAL		3,326,717	3,557,003
76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment		
76110	Colour television receivers (incl. video monitors and video projectors)	200,528	205,331
76120	Monochrome (incl. black and white) television receivers (incl. video monitors and video projectors)	5,872	5,004
76211	Radio receivers combined with sound recording or reproducing apparatus, of a kind used in motor vehicles	82,511	95,071

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment		
76212	Radio receivers of a kind used in motor vehicles (excl. combined with recording or reproducing apparatus)	7,030	1,535
76221	Radio-broadcast receivers combined with recording/reproducing apparatus, usable without external power source	63,781	56,798
76222	Radio-broadcast receivers, usable without external power, not combined with recording/reproducing apparatus	11,624	10,362
76281	Radio-broadcast receivers, combined with sound recording or reproducing apparatus, nes	39,120	51,093
76282	Radio-broadcast receivers not combined with recording or reproducing apparatus but combined with a clock, nes	8,423	9,403
76289	Radio-broadcast receivers, not combined with sound recording or reproducing apparatus with a clock, nes	17,750	13,314
76331	Coin- or disc-operated record-players not incorporating a sound recording device	1,545	782
76333	Record players not incorporating a sound recording device (excl. coin- or disc-operated)	1,666	840
76335	Turntables (record-decks) not incorporating a sound recording device	7,821	6,518
76381	Video recording or reproducing apparatus	258,831	227,290
76382	Sound transcribing machines	768	519
76383	Sound reproducing apparatus (excl. record players and transcribing machines)	66,661	82,265
76384	Sound recording apparatus	38,445	41,741
76411	Telephone sets	54,988	66,782
76413	Teleprinters	1,843	318
76415	Telephonic or telegraphic switching apparatus	33,410	53,162
76417	Apparatus for carrier-current line systems, nes	44,513	49,354
76419	Telephonic or telegraphic apparatus nes	141,762	104,678
76421	Microphones and stands therefor	9,496	10,495
76422	Loudspeakers, mounted in their enclosures	33,683	32,015
76423	Loudspeakers, not mounted in their enclosures	10,665	15,658
76424	Headphones, earphones and combined microphone/speaker sets	8,682	11,525
76425	Audio-frequency electric amplifiers	22,426	20,995
76426	Electric sound amplifier sets	3,669	3,103
76431	Radio or television transmission apparatus not incorporating reception apparatus	22,874	29,713
76432	Radio or television transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus	121,923	157,518
76481	Radiotelephony or radiotelegraphy reception apparatus, nes	25,737	16,969
76482	Television cameras	96,034	111,223
76483	Radar, radio navigational aid and radio remote control apparatus	48,030	38,108
76491	Parts for electrical line telephony or telegraphy apparatus	107,441	140,681
76492	Parts for microphones and stands, loudspeakers, headphones, etc; for microphone speaker sets & amplifiers	3,362	5,379
76493	Parts for television and radio receiver and transmission equipment and other telecommunications equipment	98,637	112,721
76499	Parts for television image and sound recorders or reproducers; prepared unrecorded media, nes	15,718	17,010
DIVISION 76 TOTAL		1,717,269	1,805,475
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (incl. non-elec. counterparts of electrical domestic equip)		
77111	Liquid dielectric transformers	9,740	5,008
77119	Electric transformers (excl. liquid dielectric)	30,050	33,199
77121	Static converters (eg rectifiers)	61,295	76,196
77123	Ballasts for discharge lamps or tubes	1,449	1,086
77125	Inductors (excl. transformers, static converters, ballasts for discharge lamps and tubes)	13,361	11,431
77129	Parts designed for electric power machinery (excl. rotating electric plant)	9,188	12,272
77220	Printed circuits	28,207	35,777
77231	Composition or film type fixed carbon resistors (excl. heating resistors)	1,162	2,562
77232	Fixed resistors (excl. composition or film type fixed carbon resistors and heating resistors)	13,180	12,186
77233	Wirewound variable resistors (incl. rheostats and potentiometers but excl. heating resistors)	1,851	2,313
77235	Variable resistors (incl. rheostats and potentiometers but excl. wire wound and heating resistors)	10,079	15,381
77238	Parts for electrical resistors (incl. rheostats and potentiometers but excl. heating resistors)	233	344
77241	Fuses for a voltage exc 1000 volts	1,847	2,218
77242	Automatic circuit breakers for a voltage exc 1 kV but less than 72.5 kV	8,337	7,139
77243	Automatic circuit breakers for a voltage 72.5 kV or more	3,820	2,283
77244	Isolating and make-and-break switches	4,440	8,978
77245	Lightning arresters, voltage limiters and surge suppressors	1,322	1,441

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (incl. non-elec. counterparts of electrical domestic equip)		
77249	Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting circuits or making connections, for circuits exc 1000 V, nes	12,188	14,551
77251	Fuses for a voltage not exc 1000 volts	11,422	10,378
77252	Automatic circuit breakers for voltages not exc 1000 volts	22,339	30,302
77253	Apparatus for protecting electrical circuits not exc 1000 volts, nes	9,153	11,379
77254	Relays for voltages not exc 1000 volts	66,121	71,087
77255	Switches for circuits not exc 1000 volts, nes	80,775	89,640
77257	Lampholders not exc 1000 volts	5,658	6,322
77258	Plugs and sockets for electrical apparatus not exc 1000 volts	37,563	47,153
77259	Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting circuits not exc 1000 volts or for making connections, nes	77,660	85,861
77261	Boards, panels, consoles etc for control or distribution of electricity, not exc 1000 volts	20,381	65,531
77262	Boards, panels, consoles etc for control or distribution of electricity, exc 1000 volts	3,661	6,314
77281	Bases (eg boards, consoles etc) as parts for equipment for control/distribution of electricity not exc 1 kV	9,401	8,452
77282	Parts for equipment for control/distribution of electricity exc 1000 V (excl. bases, boards, consoles, etc)	49,649	60,096
77311	Insulated winding wire (incl. enameled or anodised)	2,093	2,444
77312	Insulated (incl. enameled or anodised) co-axial conductors and cables	19,124	18,005
77313	Wiring sets (incl. ignition) of a kind used in vehicles, aircraft or ships	19,644	51,162
77314	Electric conductors (excl. co-axial and wire), for a voltage not exc 80 volts	29,059	41,392
77315	Electric conductors (excl. co-axial and wire), for a voltage exc 80 but not exc 1000 volts	51,859	58,615
77317	Electric conductors (excl. co-axial and wire), for a voltage exc 1000 volts	8,132	12,580
77318	Optical fibre cables	344	2,068
77322	Glass electrical insulators	1,045	1,920
77323	Ceramic electrical insulators	13,004	10,791
77324	Electrical insulators (excl. glass or ceramics)	1,473	1,886
77326	Ceramic insulating fittings for electrical machines, appliances etc being wholly ceramic (excl. insulators)	2,571	5,158
77328	Plastic insulating fittings for electrical machines, appliances etc being wholly plastic (excl. insulators)	2,645	3,398
77329	Insulating fittings for electrical machinery, appliances or equipment, being wholly of one material, nes	5,718	6,209
77411	Electro-cardiographs	4,904	4,127
77412	Electro-diagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences (excl. electro-cardiographs)	45,909	62,573
77413	Ultra-violet or infra-red ray apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences	356	543
77421	Apparatus based on the use of x-rays, (incl. radiography or radiotherapy apparatus)	31,995	54,637
77422	Apparatus based on the use of alpha, beta or gamma radiations (incl. radiography or radiotherapy apparatus)	5,804	4,302
77423	X-ray tubes	7,986	8,468
77429	Electro-diagnostic apparatus and parts and accessories for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary use, nes	26,083	22,571
77511	Household or laundry clothes-washing machines (incl. machines which wash and dry), dry linen capacity not exc 10 kg	29,229	36,173
77512	Household or laundry clothes-drying machines, dry linen capacity not exc 10 kg (excl. centrifugal)	4,919	5,498
77521	Household type refrigerators with or without a deep-freeze compartment	40,633	43,720
77522	Household type deep-freezers	6,441	7,873
77530	Household type dish washing machines	13,830	16,386
77541	Shavers, with self-contained electric motor	15,669	12,598
77542	Hair clippers, with self-contained electric motor	1,395	1,625
77549	Parts for electric shavers and hair clippers with self-contained electric motor (excl. blades/cutting heads)	3,377	4,268
77571	Domestic electro-mechanical vacuum cleaners and floor polishers with self-contained electric motor	35,639	44,914
77572	Domestic electro-mechanical food grinders and mixers; fruit or vegetable juice extractors	24,391	26,472
77573	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, nes	18,893	17,379
77579	Parts of electro-mechanical domestic appliances with self-contained electric motor (incl. dishwashers), nes	7,403	8,025
77581	Electric instantaneous or storage water heaters and immersion heaters	1,816	1,950
77582	Electric space heating and soil heating apparatus	8,794	11,832
77583	Electro-thermic hair-dressing or hand-drying apparatus	14,676	17,284
77584	Electric smoothing irons	9,118	10,569
77585	Electric blankets	1,486	807

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (incl. non-elec. counterparts of electrical domestic equip)		
77586	Electric ovens and cookers, cooking plates, boiling rings, grillers and roasters	131,242	128,239
77587	Electro-thermic domestic appliances, (excl. heaters, hair-dressing, blankets, cooking and the like), nes	41,044	41,723
77588	Electric heating resistors (excl. carbon)	15,112	12,890
77589	Parts of electro-thermic appliances, nes	4,641	4,052
77611	Colour television picture cathode ray tubes (incl. video monitor)	26,321	24,863
77612	Monochrome (incl. black and white) television picture cathode ray tubes (incl. video monitor)	210	230
77621	Television camera tubes; image converters and intensifiers; photo-cathode tubes	1,253	1,111
77623	Cathode-ray tubes (excl. photo-cathode tubes, television picture and camera tubes, image converters, etc)	2,471	2,663
77625	Microwave tubes (excl. grid-controlled tubes)	3,973	10,867
77627	Electronic valves and tubes, nes	5,574	5,605
77629	Parts for electronic valves and tubes (excl. lighting)	2,113	2,654
77631	Diodes (excl. photo-sensitive and light emitting)	14,827	16,033
77632	Transistors (excl. photo-sensitive) with a dissipation rate of less than 1 watt	1,624	1,920
77633	Transistors (excl. photo-sensitive) with a dissipation rate of 1 watt or more	16,838	17,783
77635	Thyristors, diacs and triacs (excl. photo-sensitive devices)	4,838	5,716
77637	Photo-sensitive semi-conductor devices; light emitting diodes	10,526	9,736
77639	Semi-conductor devices, nes	4,550	3,257
77641	Digital monolithic integrated units	164,494	172,044
77643	Non-digital monolithic integrated units	16,206	25,022
77645	Hybrid integrated circuits	20,637	13,013
77649	Electronic integrated circuits and microassemblies (excl. monolithic and hybrid integrated circuits)	43,515	46,734
77681	Mounted piezo-electric crystals	4,347	4,470
77688	Parts of semi-conductor devices (incl. transistors, diodes, LED) and of mounted piezo-electric crystals	811	536
77689	Parts for electronic integrated circuits and microassemblies	571	412
77811	Primary cells and primary batteries	31,710	33,279
77812	Electric accumulator (storage batteries)	73,336	79,776
77817	Parts of primary cells and primary batteries	1,474	1,307
77819	Parts of electric accumulators (storage batteries), nes	2,805	4,285
77821	Filament lamps (excl. flashbulbs, infra-red and ultra-violet lamps and sealed beam lamp units)	51,867	46,118
77822	Discharge lamps (excl. ultra-violet lamps)	34,440	31,626
77823	Sealed beam lamp units	6,367	6,357
77824	Ultra-violet or infra-red lamps; arc lamps	3,523	3,639
77829	Parts of electric filament or discharge lamps and arc lamps, nes	6,307	6,643
77831	Electric ignition/starting equipment, generators, cut-outs for spark or compression-ignition engines	52,462	58,637
77833	Parts of electric starting/ignition equipment; generators, cut-outs for spark or compression-ignition engines	22,860	29,214
77834	Electrical lighting/signalling equipment; defrosters, demisters, windscreen wipers for cycles, motor vehicles	37,919	45,653
77835	Parts of electrical lighting/signalling equipment, defrosters, demisters, windscreen wipers for motor vehicles	9,368	10,150
77841	Hand-held drills with self-contained electric motor	41,454	46,541
77843	Hand-held saws with self-contained electric motor	20,328	22,432
77845	Hand-held tools with self-contained electric motor (excl. drills, saws)	47,042	59,290
77848	Parts for hand tools with self-contained electric motor	2,712	2,791
77861	Fixed capacitors designed for use in 50/60 HZ circuits with a reactive power capacity not less than 0.5 kvar	6,740	4,618
77862	Tantalum fixed capacitors	4,415	4,285
77863	Aluminium electrolytic fixed capacitors	4,302	6,220
77864	Single layer ceramic dielectric fixed capacitors	8,126	9,076
77865	Multilayer ceramic dielectric fixed capacitors	3,337	3,958
77866	Dielectric fixed capacitors of paper or plastic	9,536	10,503
77867	Fixed capacitors, nes	3,505	4,507
77868	Variable or adjustable (pre-set) capacitors	1,819	2,782
77869	Parts of fixed, variable or adjustable (pre-set) electrical capacitors	301	365
77871	Particle accelerators	82	808
77878	Electrical machines and apparatus having individual functions (excl. particle accelerators), nes	98,355	123,696
77879	Parts of particle accelerators and of machines having individual functions, nes	8,296	10,797
77881	Electro-, permanent magnets; articles for magnetisation; magnetic holding devices, brakes, lifting heads etc	15,925	18,061
77882	Electric signalling, safety or traffic control equipment for railways, roads, airfields, water-ways etc	3,962	3,543

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SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (incl. non-elec. counterparts of electrical domestic equip)		
77883	Parts of electric signalling, safety or traffic control equipment for railways, roads, airfields, etc	1,084	959
77884	Electric sound or visual signalling apparatus (incl. bells, sirens, burglar & fire alarms), nes	36,382	39,704
77885	Parts for electric sound or visual signalling apparatus (incl. bells, sirens, burglar and fire alarms)	17,654	18,713
77886	Carbon articles (incl. electrodes, brushes, lamp/hattery carbons, etc) for electrical purposes	25,545	34,706
77889	Electrical parts of machinery or apparatus, nes	1,620	5,244
DIVISION 77	TOTAL	2,357,699	2,717,959
78	Road vehicles (incl. air-cushion vehicles)		
78110	Motor vehicles specially designed for travelling on snow; golf cars and similar vehicles	2,446	3,610
78120	Motor vehicles for the transport of persons	2,228,904	2,215,111
78211	Dumpers designed for off-highway use	160,290	178,236
78219	Motor vehicles for transporting goods (excl. off-highway dumpers)	1,099,935	1,128,328
78221	Crane lorries	25,146	24,991
78223	Mobile drilling derricks	654	369
78225	Fire fighting vehicles	1	44
78227	Concrete-mixer lorries	643	416
78229	Special purpose motor vehicles, nes	5,474	6,766
78311	Public-transport type passenger motor vehicles with diesel or semi-diesel engines	33,062	29,995
78319	Public-transport type passenger motor vehicles with internal combustion engines (excl. diesel or semi-diesel)	9,090	8,959
78320	Road tractors for semi-trailers	36,930	62,607
78410	Chassis fitted with engines for motor vehicles	60,313	41,732
78421	Bodies for motor vehicles specially designed for transporting persons (excl. public transport type vehicles)	8,291	27,396
78425	Bodies (incl. cabs) for special purpose, goods, public transport type passenger motor vehicles and tractors	11,020	8,954
78431	Bumpers and parts thereof for motor cars, goods, public transport, special purpose vehicles and tractors	7,746	11,917
78432	Parts and accessories of bodies (incl. cabs) for road motor vehicles, special purpose vehicles and tractors	69,053	134,786
78433	Brakes, servo-brakes and parts thereof for road motor vehicles, special purpose vehicles and tractors	57,639	70,450
78434	Gear boxes for road motor vehicles, special purpose vehicles and tractors	125,735	172,055
78435	Drive-axles with differentials for road motor vehicles, special purpose vehicles and tractors	27,797	43,531
78436	Non-driving axles and parts thereof for road motor vehicles, special purpose vehicles and tractors	5,641	15,046
78439	Parts and accessories for road motor vehicles, special purpose vehicles and tractors, nes	586,778	597,564
78511	Motorcycles (incl. mopeds) with a reciprocating internal combustion engine not exc 50 cc	1,575	3,317
78513	Motorcycles (incl. mopeds) with a reciprocating internal combustion engine exc 50 but not exc 250 cc	54,090	53,443
78515	Motorcycles (incl. mopeds) with a reciprocating internal combustion engine exc 250 but not exc 500 cc	15,837	18,819
78516	Motorcycles (incl. mopeds) with a reciprocating internal combustion engine exc 500 but not exc 800 cc	17,387	18,629
78517	Motorcycles (incl. mopeds) with a reciprocating internal combustion engine exc 800 cc	31,097	34,154
78519	Motorcycles & cycles fitted with an auxiliary motor (excl. reciprocating internal combustion piston engine)	69	104
78520	Non-motorised cycles (incl. bicycles and delivery tricycles)	44,161	54,797
78531	Invalid carriages	2,403	3,293
78535	Parts and accessories for motorcycles (incl. mopeds)	11,378	13,648
78536	Parts and accessories for invalid carriages	409	919
78537	Parts & accessories for cycles (incl. bicycles, delivery tricycles, etc but excl. motorcycles and mopeds)	32,549	28,084
78610	Caravan type trailers and semi-trailers, for housing or camping	65	3
78621	Self-loading or self-unloading trailers and semi-trailers for agricultural purposes	1,363	1,509
78622	Tanker trailers and tanker semi-trailers	365	360
78629	Trailers and semi-trailers for the transport of goods, nes	4,302	3,705
78630	Containers (incl. for the transport of fluids) specially designed/equipped for one or more modes of transport	3,870	17,788

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — *continued*
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
78	Road vehicles (incl. air-cushion vehicles)		
78683	Non-mechanically propelled trailers and semi-trailers (excl. caravan, goods, agricultural, tanker types)	512	273
78685	Non-mechanically propelled vehicles, nes	6,815	5,396
78689	Parts of trailers and semi-trailers and other non-mechanically propelled vehicles, nes	16,582	20,823
	DIVISION 78 TOTAL	4,807,415	5,061,929
79	Transport equipment (excl. road vehicles)		
79115	Rail locomotives powered by electric accumulators	33	1
79129	Rail locomotives nes; locomotive tenders	18	228
79160	Self-propelled railway or tramway coaches, vans and trucks (excl. maintenance and service vehicles)	473	42
79170	Non-self-propelled railway or tramway passenger coaches; special purpose coaches (incl. luggage vans etc)	678	—
79181	Railway or tramway maintenance or service vehicles (eg workshops, track-liners and the like)	786	169
79182	Railway or tramway goods vans and wagons (freight cars) (excl. self-propelled)	16,860	340
79191	Railway/tramway track fixtures and fittings; signalling, safety, traffic control equipment; parts thereof	161	482
79199	Parts for railway or tramway locomotive or rolling-stock, nes	55,036	22,290
79211	Helicopters with an unladen weight not exc 2000 kg	28,611	27,772
79215	Helicopters with an unladen weight exc 2000 kg	76,528	41,931
79220	Mechanically propelled aircraft (excl. helicopters), with an unladen weight not exc 2000 kg	33,390	17,266
79230	Mechanically propelled aircraft (excl. helicopters), with unladen weight exc 2000 but not exc 15000 kg	144,818	285,793
79240	Mechanically propelled aircraft (excl. helicopters), with an unladen weight exc 15000 kg	953,170	1,264,293
79281	Glider and hang gliders	483	633
79282	Dirigibles; non-powered aircraft (incl. balloons but excl. gliders and hang gliders)	1,283	487
79283	Aircraft launching gear; deck-arrestor or similar gear; ground flying trainers; parts thereof, nes	43,668	10,330
79291	Propellers, rotors and parts thereof for aircraft	9,089	12,960
79293	Under-carriages and parts thereof for aircraft	3,584	5,161
79295	Parts of aeroplanes, helicopters, nes	246,232	303,500
79297	Parts of aircraft and spacecraft, nes	112,217	329,130
79311	Inflatable vessels (incl. rowing boats and canoes)	4,399	2,795
79312	Non-inflatable sailboats	14,657	7,113
79319	Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sport (excl. inflatable vessels, canoes, sail and rowing boats)	32,868	27,729
79322	Tankers (marine vessels) of all kinds (incl. refrigerated)	39,732	154,712
79324	Fishing vessels; vessels (incl. factory ships) for processing or preserving fishery products	43,542	50,841
79327	Vessels for the transport of goods (incl. for transport of both passengers and goods), nes	48,719	5,724
79328	Cruise ships, excursion boats and similar vessels designed primarily to transport people; ferry boats	6,985	2,311
79329	Vessels (incl. warships, lifeboats), nes	733	47,808
79351	Dredging vessels	112	4,933
79355	Floating or submersible drilling or production platforms	97,714	140,212
79359	Vessels whose navigability is subsidiary to their main function, eg light vessels, fire floats, floating cranes	6,003	22,670
79370	Tugs and pusher craft	10,180	8,887
79391	Inflatable rafts	1,707	1,555
79399	Floating structures (incl. tanks, coffer-dams, landing stages, buoys), nes	917	640
	DIVISION 79 TOTAL	2,035,387	2,806,737
81	Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, nes		
81100	Prefabricated buildings	3,731	3,113
81211	Non-electrically heated radiators for central heating, of iron or steel; parts thereof	1,270	1,548
81215	Non-electric air heaters & hot air distributors inc. a motor driven fan or blower & parts, of iron or steel	10,300	15,684
81217	Non-electric central heating boilers (excl. steam or superheated water)	869	904
81219	Parts for non-electric central heating boilers (excl. steam or superheated water)	158	131

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — continued
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
81	Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, nes		
81221	Sanitary fixtures (incl. sinks, wash basins, baths, bidets, water closet pans etc) of porcelain or china	1,354	1,888
81229	Sanitary fixtures (incl. wash basins, baths, bidets, water closet pans etc but excl. of porcelain or china)	281	751
81311	Electric ceiling and wall lighting fittings (incl. chandeliers but excl. for lighting public spaces or roads)	30,696	34,891
81312	Portable self-contained electric lamps (excl. signalling equipment)	11,453	14,835
81313	Electric table, desk, bedside or floor-standing lamps	10,111	11,803
81315	Electric lamps, light fittings, nes	34,091	35,132
81317	Non-electrical lamps and lighting fittings	3,400	4,332
81320	Illuminated signs, illuminated name plates and the like	365	575
81380	Parts of self-contained portable electric lamps (excl. signalling)	311	199
81391	Glass parts of lamps and lighting fittings (excl. public, signalling) and illuminated signs, name plates, etc	6,952	6,748
81392	Plastic parts of lamps and lighting fittings (excl. public, signalling) & illuminated signs, name plates, etc	2,699	3,307
81399	Parts (excl. of plastic, glass) of lamps/lighting fittings (excl. public, signalling); illuminated signs, etc	6,570	8,751
DIVISION 81 TOTAL		124,610	144,591
82	Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings		
82111	Seats of a kind used for aircraft	2,123	1,270
82112	Seats of a kind used for motor vehicles	5,716	6,034
82113	Seats of cane, osier, bamboo or similar materials	12,570	11,909
82114	Swivel seats with variable height adjustment (excl. dentists', barbers' chairs and the like)	3,556	6,772
82115	Seats convertible into beds (excl. garden seats or camping equipment)	808	603
82116	Wooden framed seats, nes	44,114	56,523
82117	Metal framed seats, nes	20,852	22,243
82118	Seats, nes	9,255	10,796
82119	Parts for seats (excl. dentists', barbers' and the like), nes	28,874	33,008
82121	Mattress supports	838	788
82123	Mattresses of cellular rubber or plastics	363	653
82125	Mattresses (excl. of cellular rubber or plastics)	1,224	1,260
82127	Sleeping bags	2,394	1,010
82129	Articles of bedding or similar furnishing (excl. mattress supports, mattresses, or sleeping bags)	14,129	17,998
82131	Metal furniture used in offices (excl. chairs)	6,230	9,353
82139	Metal furniture (excl. chairs and office furniture)	18,858	23,794
82151	Wooden furniture used in offices (excl. chairs)	2,476	3,721
82153	Wooden furniture used in kitchens (excl. chairs)	5,375	3,606
82155	Wooden furniture used in bedrooms	9,903	12,635
82159	Wooden furniture (excl. for office, kitchen or bedroom)	60,287	75,224
82171	Plastic furniture	6,474	6,754
82179	Furniture (excl. chairs) of materials (excl. wood, metal or plastic but incl. bamboo)	10,074	11,918
82180	Parts for furniture of wood, metal or other materials (incl. bamboo)	18,838	19,441
DIVISION 82 TOTAL		285,332	337,314
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers		
83111	Handbags with outer surface of leather, of composition or patent leather	26,115	32,275
83112	Handbags with outer surface of plastic sheet or textile materials	15,901	17,085
83119	Handbags (excl. with outer surface of leather, composition or patent leather, plastic sheet or textile)	778	884
83121	Trunks, vanity cases, brief-cases, school-satchels and the like with outer surface of leather	9,557	11,138
83122	Trunks, vanity cases, brief-cases, school satchels and the like with plastic or textile outer surface	21,620	23,438
83129	Trunks, vanity cases, brief-cases, school satchels etc (excl. of leather, plastic or textile outer surface)	1,300	1,125
83130	Travel sets for personal toilet, sewing, shoe or clothes cleaning	1,472	1,330
83191	Articles normally carried in the pocket or handbag (incl. pouches, wallets, purses, cigarette cases etc)	34,333	34,625
83199	Boxes, cases etc (incl. binocular, camera, instrument etc but excl. those normally carried in pocket, handbag)	79,414	88,105
DIVISION 83 TOTAL		190,490	210,006

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories		
84111	Men's or boys' overcoats, car-coats, cloaks etc of wool or fine animal hair not knitted or crocheted	654	465
84112	Men's or boys' overcoats, cloaks and the like of textiles (excl. wool/fine animal hair) not knitted/crocheted	2,378	2,800
84119	Men's or boys' wind-cheaters, wind-jackets and the like of textile materials not knitted or crocheted	12,521	16,269
84121	Men's or boys' suits of wool or fine animal hair not knitted or crocheted (excl. impregnated or rubberised)	9,771	9,499
84122	Men's or boys' suits of textiles (excl. wool/fine animal hair) not knitted, crocheted, impregnated, rubberised	2,370	2,162
84123	Men's or boys' ensembles not knitted or crocheted (excl. impregnated or rubberised fabrics)	489	2,672
84130	Men's or boys' jackets and blazers not knitted or crocheted (excl. impregnated or rubberised fabrics)	13,048	12,540
84140	Men's or boys' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches & shorts not knitted, crocheted (excl. impregnated)	57,437	72,154
84151	Men's or boys' cotton shirts not knitted or crocheted	24,016	28,185
84159	Men's or boys' shirts of textile fabrics (excl. cotton) not knitted or crocheted	14,560	19,184
84161	Men's or boys' underpants and briefs, of textile fabrics not knitted or crocheted	291	340
84162	Men's or boys' nightshirts and pyjamas, of textile fabrics not knitted or crocheted	3,864	5,300
84169	Men's or boys' singlets, vests, bathrobes, dressing gowns etc, of textile fabrics not knitted or crocheted	591	2,391
84211	Women's or girls' overcoats, car coats, capes, cloaks etc, not knitted or crocheted of textile fabrics	2,382	2,550
84219	Women's or girls' anoraks, wind-jackets, -cheaters etc, not knitted or crocheted of textile fabrics	6,230	6,873
84221	Women's or girls' suits of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. impregnated or rubberised)	4,716	4,508
84222	Women's or girls' ensembles of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. impregnated or rubberised)	9,976	16,481
84230	Women's or girls' jackets of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. impregnated or rubberised)	9,036	10,750
84240	Women's or girls' dresses of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. impregnated or rubberised)	16,581	18,998
84250	Women's or girls' textile skirts/divided skirts, not knitted/crocheted, (excl. impregnated or rubberised)	8,955	10,809
84260	Women's or girls' text trousers, bib/brace overalls, breeches, shorts, not knitted/crocheted, impregnated etc	28,432	30,957
84270	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts or shirt blouses, not knitted or crocheted, (excl. impregnated/rubberised)	19,845	24,214
84281	Women's or girls' slips and petticoats, of textile fabrics not knitted or crocheted	100	273
84282	Women's or girls' nightdresses and pyjamas, of textile fabrics not knitted or crocheted	6,648	7,970
84289	Women's or girls' textile singlets, briefs, negligees, dressing gowns etc, not knitted or crocheted	2,733	4,669
84310	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted textile overcoats, car-coats, capes, cloaks, anoraks, wind cheaters etc	750	1,411
84321	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted suits, of textile fabrics	97	43
84322	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted ensembles, of textile fabrics	281	771
84323	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted jackets and blazers, of textile fabrics	709	462
84324	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, of textile fabrics	4,004	5,559
84371	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted cotton shirts	6,187	9,221
84379	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted shirts of textile materials (excl. cotton)	12,042	12,580
84381	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted underpants and briefs of textile fabrics (excl. swimwear)	3,725	4,377
84382	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted nightshirts and pyjamas, of textile fabrics	1,384	1,663
84389	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted bathrobes, dressing gowns and the like, of textile fabrics	40	93
84410	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted text overcoats, car-coats, capes, cloaks, anoraks, of text fab windcheaters etc	374	792
84421	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted suits, of textile fabrics	1,396	608
84422	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted ensembles, of textile fabrics	7,930	6,571
84423	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted jackets, of textile fabrics	1,748	1,705
84424	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted dresses, of textile fabrics	4,254	4,129
84425	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted skirts and divided skirts, of textile fabrics	3,165	2,740

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories		
84426	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted trousers, bibs and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, of textile fabrics	7,546	9,585
84470	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, of textile fabrics	9,076	8,998
84481	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted slips and petticoats, of textile fabrics	721	1,158
84482	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted briefs and panties, of textile fabrics	7,868	12,137
84483	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted nightdresses and pyjamas, of textile fabrics	5,582	5,525
84489	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted negligees, bathrobes, dressing gowns and the like, of textile fabrics	1,136	1,674
84511	Babies' garments and clothing accessories, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	9,201	10,501
84512	Babies' garments and clothing accessories, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	13,511	24,938
84521	Garments made up of felt or nonwoven fabrics	847	1,457
84522	Men's or boys' garments, rubberised, impregnated, coated or covered, not knitted or crocheted	2,298	2,417
84523	Women's or girls' garments, rubberised, impregnated, coated or covered, not knitted or crocheted	608	536
84524	Knitted or crocheted garments, from fabric impregnated, coated or covered with plastics or other material	524	726
84530	Knitted or crocheted jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waistcoats and similar articles, of textile fabrics	140,399	145,454
84540	Knitted or crocheted t-shirts, singlets and other vests, of textile fabrics	21,437	26,094
84551	Brassieres, of textile fabrics	11,254	15,236
84552	Girdles, corsets, braces, suspenders, garters and similar articles, of textile fabrics	3,817	3,778
84561	Men's and boys' swimwear, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	495	533
84562	Men's and boys' swimwear, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	310	342
84563	Women's and girls' swimwear, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	966	1,468
84564	Women's and girls' swimwear, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	3,211	4,373
84581	Ski suits, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	1,008	1,168
84587	Men's or boys' apparel, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	1,370	4,023
84589	Women's and girls' apparel, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted, nes	1,250	3,203
84591	Track suits, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	12,773	12,026
84592	Ski suits, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	13	9
84599	Garments, nes, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	3,768	13,167
84611	Handkerchiefs, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. for babies)	6,388	5,545
84612	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils & the like, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. for babies)	20,978	30,916
84613	Ties, bow ties and cravats, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. for babies)	8,501	8,644
84614	Gloves, mittens and mitts, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (excl. for babies)	5,807	6,362
84619	Made-up clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted of textile fabrics nes (excl. for babies) parts of clothing, nes	7,821	9,045
84621	Panty hose and tights, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	2,636	5,448
84622	Women's full or knee-length textile hosiery, measuring less than 67 decitex/single yarn, knitted or crocheted	262	192
84629	Hosiery, textile (excl. women's full- or knee-length, less than 67 decitex per single yarn) knitted or crocheted	9,568	13,481
84691	Knitted or crocheted textile gloves, impregnated, of textile fabrics coated or covered with plastics or rubber	5,918	6,268
84692	Knitted or crocheted textile gloves, mittens and mitts (excl. impregnated, coated, etc with plastics or rubber)	5,679	6,308
84693	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, of textile fabrics knitted or crocheted (excl. for babies)	1,644	1,701
84694	Ties, bow ties and cravats, of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted (excl. for babies)	155	66
84699	Made-up clothing acc, of textile fab knitted or crocheted nes (excl. for babies); parts of garments or cloth acc, nes	1,662	1,396
84811	Articles of apparel of leather or composition leather (excl. gloves, mittens and mitts)	13,444	14,447
84812	Gloves, mittens and mitts (excl. those used for sport), of leather or composition leather	17,144	19,659
84813	Belts and bandoliers of leather or composition leather	10,466	10,641
84819	Clothing accessories of leather or composition leather (excl. gloves, mittens, mitts, belts and bandoliers)	317	284
84821	Plastic apparel and clothing accessories (incl gloves)	19,767	15,549
84822	Rubber gloves (excl. hard rubber)	8,115	23,136
84829	Apparel and clothing accessories for all purposes (excl. gloves) of vulcanised rubber (excl. hard rubber)	1,292	1,325

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories			
84831	Furskin apparel, clothing accessories and other articles of furskins (excl. headgear), nes	4,517	4,747
84832	Artificial fur and articles thereof, nes	278	654
84841	Felt headgear, made from hat bodies, hoods or plateaux of felt	2,993	2,760
84842	Headgear, plated or made by assembling strips of any material	5,926	7,135
84843	Headgear knitted, crocheted or made up from textile fabric (incl. lace) in the piece; hair-nets	14,145	17,477
84844	Safety headgear	11,082	11,649
84845	Headgear, nes, of rubber or plastics	1,820	2,184
84848	Head-bands, linings, covers, hat foundations, hat frames, peaks and chinstraps, for headgear	2,185	1,427
84849	Headgear, nes (excl. of rubber or plastics)	2,022	2,865
DIVISION 84 TOTAL		759,232	907,577
85 Footwear			
85111	Moulded waterproof footwear, outer soles and uppers of rubber or of plastics, with protective metal toe-cap	103	15
85113	Footwear with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics (excl. moulded), with protective metal toe-cap	12	5
85115	Footwear with outer soles of rubber, plastics, leather & leather uppers, with metal toe-cap (excl. waterproof)	2,128	2,742
85121	Ski-boots and cross-country ski footwear with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics	2,247	2,221
85122	Ski-boots, cross-country ski footwear with outer soles of rubber, plastics, or leather and leather uppers	321	329
85123	Sports footwear with outer soles of rubber or plastics (excl. ski-boots, cross-country ski footwear)	9,680	15,759
85124	Sports footwear with outer soles of rubber, plastics, leather, etc and uppers of leather, nes	25,738	19,686
85125	Tennis, basketball, gym, training shoes and the like with outer soles of rubber or plastics	38,595	36,211
85131	Footwear, nes, with outer soles & uppers of rubber/plastics and not assembled by stitching, nailing, etc	3,227	3,522
85132	Footwear with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics, nes	60,939	65,086
85141	Footwear with outer soles of leather, and uppers of leather straps across the instep and around the big toe	317	11
85142	Footwear made on a base or platform of wood, with leather upper; without inner sole or protective metal toe cap	122	13
85148	Footwear with uppers of leather and outer soles of leather	139,867	135,452
85149	Footwear with uppers of leather or composition leather, nes	481	163
85151	Footwear with outer soles of rubber or plastics and uppers of textile materials	21,228	24,529
85152	Footwear with outer soles of leather or composition leather and uppers of textile materials	734	1,230
85159	Footwear with uppers of textile materials (excl. with leather, rubber or plastic outer soles)	493	572
85170	Footwear, nes	1,935	5,298
85190	Parts of footwear; removable in-soles, heel cushions & similar items; gaiters, leggings, etc; parts thereof	29,945	26,101
DIVISION 85 TOTAL		338,112	338,946
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, nes			
87111	Binoculars	4,657	4,078
87115	Optical telescopes (incl. monoculars but excl. binoculars); astronomical instruments (excl. radio-astronomy)	1,268	2,786
87119	Parts and accessories for optical telescopes and astronomical instruments (excl. radio-astronomy)	447	308
87131	Microscopes (excl. optical microscopes) and diffraction apparatus	4,523	2,610
87139	Parts and accessories for microscopes (excl. optical) and diffraction apparatus	694	825
87141	Stereoscopic microscopes	468	565
87143	Compound optical microscopes for microphotography, micro-cinematography, microprojection	436	97
87145	Compound optical microscopes (excl. stereoscopic & for microphotography, microcinematography, microprojection)	4,943	5,643
87149	Parts and accessories for compound optical microscopes	3,363	4,342
87191	Telescopic sights for arms; periscopes; telescopes as parts for machinery, apparatus and instruments	1,522	2,187
87192	Lasers (excl. laser diodes)	3,044	4,388

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — *continued*
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, nes		
87193	Liquid crystal devices, optical appliances and instruments, nes	4,831	4,979
87199	Parts & accessories for liquid crystal devices; laser (excl. laser diodes); optical appliances & instruments	1,978	3,116
87211	Dental drill engines	484	467
87219	Dental instruments and appliances (excl. dental drill engines)	15,957	18,136
87221	Syringes, needles, catheters, cannulae and the like used in medical, surgical or veterinary sciences	32,160	35,650
87225	Ophthalmic instruments and appliances, nes	8,568	7,517
87229	Instruments, appliances used in medical, surgical, vet. sciences (excl. electro-diagnostic, radiological), nes	92,980	109,680
87231	Mechano-therapy appliances; massage apparatus; psychological aptitude-testing apparatus	5,870	5,494
87233	Apparatus for ozone, oxygen therapy, aerosol therapy, therapeutic respiration (incl. artificial respiration)	8,182	10,818
87235	Breathing appliances & gas masks (excl. protective masks with neither mechanical parts nor replaceable filters)	10,313	10,837
87240	Medical, dental, surgical or vet furniture; barbers' and similar chairs with reclining etc movements; parts	6,129	7,524
87311	Gas supply or production meters (incl. calibrating meters)	4,550	5,674
87313	Liquid supply or production meters (incl. calibrating meters)	6,242	5,235
87315	Electricity supply or production meters (incl. calibrating meters)	2,348	1,737
87319	Parts and accessories for gas, liquid or electricity supply or production meters	4,139	4,338
87321	Revolution counters, production counters, taximeters, mileometers, pedometers and the like	7,393	6,045
87325	Speed indicator and tachometers; stroboscopes	6,224	11,168
87329	Parts/accessories for revolution/production counters, taximeters, mileometers, tachometers, stroboscopes, etc	7,940	9,295
87411	Navigational instruments and appliances (incl. direction finding compasses)	37,441	45,069
87412	Parts/accessories for navigational instruments and appliances (incl. for direction finding compasses)	6,073	5,906
87413	Surveying, hydrographic, oceanographic, hydrological, meteorological or geophysical instruments; rangefinders	42,796	39,234
87414	Parts, etc for surveying, hydro-oceanographic, hydro-meteorological, geophysical instruments & rangefinders	7,440	8,232
87422	Drafting tables and machines; drawing, marking-out or mathematical calculating instruments	19,976	16,983
87423	Hand-held length measuring instruments (incl. measuring rods, tapes, micrometers, callipers), nes	15,312	13,328
87424	Parts etc for drawing/marking-out/mathematical calculating instruments & hand-held length measuring equipment	3,642	3,608
87425	Measuring/checking instruments (excl. hand-held length measuring) appliances, nes; profile projectors	87,299	94,392
87426	Parts etc for measuring/checking instruments, etc (excl. hand-held length measuring) or profile projectors	9,043	12,679
87431	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking flow or level of liquids	22,285	24,029
87435	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking pressure of liquids or gases	18,687	21,898
87437	Instruments & apparatus for measuring/checking variables of liquids or gases (excl. flow, level and pressure)	15,433	15,907
87439	Parts & accessories of instruments & appliances for measuring or checking flow, level, pressure and the like	16,149	19,253
87441	Gas or smoke analysis apparatus	8,568	10,354
87442	Chromatograph and electrophoresis instruments	11,052	8,723
87443	Spectrometers, spectrophotometers and spectrographs using optical radiations (UV, visible, IR)	12,795	18,463
87444	Exposure meters	587	569
87445	Instruments & apparatus using optical radiations (UV, IR, visible), nes	2,693	5,803
87446	Instruments and apparatus for physical or chemical analysis	54,833	57,602
87449	Microscopes; parts and accessories of instruments for physical or chemical analysis	32,889	31,026
87451	Balances of a sensitivity of 5 cg or better	4,362	5,283
87452	Instruments, apparatus or models, designed for demonstrational purposes (in education, exhibition, etc)	7,491	9,305
87453	Machinery and appliances for testing the mechanical properties of materials (incl. hardness, elasticity)	7,228	8,904
87454	Parts and accessories for machines and appliances for testing the mechanical properties of materials	976	1,041
87455	Hydrometers and similar instruments; thermo-, pyro-, baro-, hygro-, psychro-meters, and combinations thereof	13,209	12,739
87456	Parts and accessories of hydro-, thermo-, pyro-, baro-, hygro-, psychro-meters, and combinations thereof	4,098	3,493
87461	Thermostats	20,382	15,969
87463	Pressure regulators and controllers (manostats)	2,276	2,639

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — continued
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, nes		
87465	Automatic regulating or controlling instruments and apparatus, nes	168,869	166,819
87469	Parts and accessories for automatic regulating or controlling instruments and apparatus	55,164	56,941
87471	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or detecting ionising radiations	5,045	5,081
87473	Cathode-ray oscilloscopes and cathode-ray oscillographs	8,992	9,436
87475	Instruments, etc for measuring or checking voltage, current, resistance, power, without a recording device	22,583	27,019
87477	Instruments and apparatus designed for telecommunications (eg psychometers, cross-talk meters etc), nes	25,440	24,947
87478	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking electrical quantities, nes	26,715	39,482
87479	Parts, etc of instruments/apparatus for checking electrical quantities (excl. meters) and ionising radiations	8,864	12,818
87490	Parts and accessories for measuring, checking, analysing and controlling instruments and apparatus, nes	7,142	3,309
	DIVISION 87 TOTAL	1,065,483	1,143,724
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, nes; watches and clocks		
88111	Photographic (excl. cinematographic) cameras (b)	72,457	73,334
88112	Photographic flashbulbs, flashcubes and the like	573	408
88113	Photographic flashlight apparatus (excl. discharge lamps, flashbulbs, flashcubes and the like)	4,694	5,017
88114	Parts and accessories for photographic (excl. cinematographic) cameras	6,585	8,313
88115	Parts and accessories for photographic flashlight apparatus (excl. discharge lamps)	1,411	1,099
88121	Cinematographic cameras	3,284	2,301
88122	Cinematographic projectors	4,816	1,794
88123	Parts and accessories for cinematographic cameras	2,103	1,502
88124	Parts and accessories for cinematographic projectors	685	480
88131	Microform readers (incl. microfilm, microfiche)	6,554	7,117
88132	Image projectors, (excl. cinematographic projectors, microform readers)	5,977	5,705
88133	Photographic (excl. cinematographic) enlargers and reducers	2,477	3,805
88134	Parts/accessories for microform readers, image projectors, photographic enlargers and reducers (excl. cinema)	2,790	3,129
88135	Apparatus and equipment for photographic laboratories, nes; negatoscopes; projection screens	47,553	42,547
88136	Parts and accessories for apparatus for photographic laboratories, nes, negatoscopes, projection screens	8,966	8,962
88210	Chemical preps for photo uses (excl. varnishes, glues, etc); unmixed preps in measured portions or for retail	54,215	60,034
88220	Photographic plates, film (excl. of paper, paperboard, textiles), instant print film, flat, sensitised, unexposed	79,749	84,390
88230	Photographic (excl. of paper, paperboard, textiles) and instant print film — in rolls, sensitised, unexposed	112,286	108,626
88240	Photographic paper, paperboard and textiles, sensitised, unexposed (b)	61,222	47,007
88250	Photographic plates, film, paper, paperboard and textiles, exposed but not developed	415	432
88260	Photographic plates and film, exposed and developed (excl. cinematograph film)	8,007	9,653
88310	Cinematograph film 35 mm or more in width, exposed and developed	5,530	6,573
88390	Cinematograph film less than 35 mm in width, exposed and developed	607	502
88411	Contact lenses	3,728	4,182
88415	Spectacle lenses of glass	8,200	8,497
88417	Spectacle lenses (excl. glass)	4,614	4,995
88419	Optical fibres; polarising plates/sheets; unmounted optical elements (excl. of glass not optically worked)	10,849	13,054
88421	Frames and mountings for spectacles, goggles or the like	36,772	40,662
88422	Parts of frames and mountings for spectacles, goggles or the like	3,426	3,228
88423	Spectacles, goggles and the like (incl. corrective, protective)	28,587	36,281
88431	Objective lenses for cameras, projectors or photographic enlargers or reducers	17,104	18,723
88432	Objective lenses (excl. for cameras, projectors, photographic enlargers or reducers)	2,163	2,246
88433	Optical (incl. photographic) filters	1,444	1,902
88439	Mounted optical elements (incl. prisms, excl. objective lenses, filters) used as parts etc for instruments	3,301	3,151
88531	Wrist watches, battery or accumulator powered with a case of precious metal or metal clad with precious metal	60,512	38,509
88532	Wrist watches (excl. battery/accumulator powered) with a case of precious metal/metal clad with precious metal	3,338	2,672
88539	Watches (excl. wrist but incl. pocket, stop) with a case of precious metal or metal clad with precious metal	2,187	1,033
88541	Wrist watches, battery/accumulator powered (excl. with case of precious metal/metal clad with precious metal)	46,544	64,048

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — *continued*
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, nes; watches and clocks		
88542	Wrist watches (excl. battery/accumulator powered or with case of precious metal/metal clad therewith)	1,533	1,772
88549	Watches (incl. pocket, stop but excl. wrist and with case of precious metal or metal clad with precious metal)	2,474	1,950
88551	Complete and assembled battery or accumulator powered watch movements	1,112	1,155
88552	Complete and assembled watch movements (excl. battery or accumulator powered)	122	62
88571	Instrument panel clocks and clocks of a similar type for vehicles, aircraft, spacecraft or vessels	1,623	1,207
88572	Battery or accumulator powered clocks with watch movements (excl. instrument panel clocks)	1,337	1,322
88573	Clocks with watch movements (excl. accumulator or battery powered and instrument panel clocks)	733	1,228
88574	Alarm clocks; battery, accumulator or mains powered	4,340	4,100
88575	Alarm clocks (excl. battery, accumulator or mains powered)	1,222	1,525
88576	Wall clocks; battery, accumulator or mains powered	6,314	5,186
88577	Wall clocks (excl. battery, accumulator or mains powered)	831	707
88578	Clocks, nes, battery, accumulator or mains powered	4,249	4,020
88579	Clocks, nes	3,176	4,146
88591	Watch cases and parts thereof	916	1,233
88592	Watch straps, bands, bracelets and parts thereof, of metal	1,089	1,074
88593	Watch straps, bands and bracelets (excl. of metal) and parts thereof	2,606	3,202
88594	Apparatus for measuring/recording time of day/intervals by clock or watch movement or synchronous motor	5,680	5,384
88595	Time switches with clock or watch movement or with synchronous motor	11,666	12,065
88596	Complete and assembled clock movements (excl. watch)	2,370	2,107
88597	Cases for clocks & similar time measuring equipment and parts thereof (excl. watch cases and parts)	122	89
88598	Complete watch or clock movements, unassembled or partly assembled; incomplete, assembled, rough movements	230	271
88599	Clock or watch parts (excl. movements or cases), nes	2,830	3,554
DIVISION 88 TOTAL (b)		782,303	783,273
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, nes		
89111	Motorised armoured fighting vehicles (incl. tanks) and parts thereof	4,236	5,440
89112	Military weapons (excl. revolvers, pistols and side-arms)	60	795
89113	Side-arms (incl. swords, cutlasses and bayonets), parts & scabbards/sheaths therefor (excl. revolvers & pistols)	796	855
89114	Revolvers and pistols for military use	1,454	2,097
89121	Cartridges for riveting or similar tools or for captive-bolt humane killers and parts thereof	740	687
89122	Shotgun cartridges	806	1,082
89123	Air gun pellets and shotgun cartridge parts	800	1,173
89124	Cartridge (excl. shotgun) and parts thereof	18,789	9,490
89129	War munitions (eg bombs, grenades, torpedoes, mines, missiles and the like) and parts thereof	43,320	20,965
89131	Non-military firearms and similar devices which operate by the firing of an explosive charge, nes	7,352	9,871
89139	Non-military arms (incl. spring, air or gas guns and pistols, truncheons but excl. side arms, firearms)	714	1,374
89191	Revolvers and pistol parts and accessories, nes	249	327
89193	Shotgun barrels for non-military use	23	27
89195	Parts of non-military rifles and shotguns (excl. shotgun barrels)	718	1,002
89199	Parts & accessories of weapons and firearms, nes (excl. of pistols, revolvers & non-military rifles & shotguns)	3,841	2,698
89212	Children's picture, drawing or colouring books	5,585	5,188
89213	Maps and charts in book form	5,382	6,013
89214	Printed maps, hydrographic & similar charts (incl. wall maps, topographical plans and globes), not in book form	1,415	1,631
89215	Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter, in single sheets (excl. advertising material)	2,451	3,289
89216	Dictionaries, encyclopaedias and serial instalments thereof, not in single sheets	11,347	14,554
89219	Books, brochures and similar printed matter, not in single sheets, nes (excl. advertising material)	420,758	469,558
89221	Newspapers, journals and periodicals, appearing at least four times a week	425	565
89229	Newspapers, journals and periodicals (excl. those appearing at least four times a week)	125,600	139,773
89241	Printed transfers (decalcomanias)	4,986	4,809

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TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY COMMODITY ACCORDING TO ITEMS OF THE STANDARD INTERNATIONAL TRADE CLASSIFICATION (SITC) REV3 — *continued*
\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, nes		
89242	Printed or illustrated postcards; printed cards bearing personal greetings, messages or announcements	10,643	14,350
89281	Paper and paperboard labels of all kinds	9,919	11,680
89282	Hand-drawn originals, carbon copies and photo reproductions of architectural, etc. plans; hand-written texts	1,254	2,182
89283	Unused postage, etc, stamps; stamp-impressed paper; cheque forms; bank notes; stock, bond, etc certificates	4,601	5,751
89284	Printed calendars of any kind (incl. calendar blocks)	5,420	8,249
89285	Printed or manuscript music	3,979	4,677
89286	Trade advertising material, commercial catalogues and the like	11,269	16,630
89287	Printed pictures, designs and photographs	8,665	9,724
89289	Printed matter, nes	6,661	9,180
89311	Plastic sacks and bags (incl. cones) for the conveyance or packing of goods	102,753	87,665
89319	Plastic articles for carrying/packing goods (excl. sacks, bags); plastic closures (incl. stoppers, lids, caps)	47,382	56,752
89321	Plastic baths, shower-baths, wash-basins, bidets, lavatory pans/seats, etc, cisterns & similar sanitary ware	8,901	11,098
89329	Plastic builders' wares (excl. baths, wash-basins, lavatory pans, flushing cisterns and similar sanitary ware)	14,560	19,738
89331	Plastic floor coverings in rolls or tiles; plastic wall or ceiling coverings	45,860	44,005
89332	Plastic household and toilet articles (incl. tableware, kitchenware)	37,115	44,297
89394	Plastic articles for office or school supplies	27,208	33,216
89395	Plastic fittings for furniture, coachwork or the like	3,989	4,964
89399	Plastic articles, nes	155,209	174,778
89410	Baby carriages and parts thereof, nes	14,018	11,399
89421	Wheeled toys designed to be ridden by children (eg bicycles, tricycles, scooters, pedal cars); dolls' carriages	4,292	5,338
89422	Dolls representing only human beings	14,837	20,035
89423	Parts and accessories of dolls representing only human beings	1,712	2,310
89424	Constructional sets and constructional toys	20,488	25,409
89425	Toys representing animals or non-human creatures	44,371	43,875
89426	Toy musical instruments and apparatus	2,940	3,677
89427	Puzzles, being toys or games	3,083	4,285
89429	Toys, nes	98,970	121,073
89431	Video games of a kind used with a television receiver	7,239	17,614
89433	Articles and accessories for billiards	2,361	2,574
89435	Coin or disc operated games (excl. bowling alley equipment, video games and billiards)	10,329	8,095
89437	Playing cards	1,729	1,586
89439	Articles for funfair, table and parlour games (excl. video, billiards, coin or disc operated or card games)	24,952	32,014
89441	Christmas tree type lighting sets	1,441	3,244
89445	Articles for Christmas festivities (excl. Christmas tree type lighting sets)	9,605	17,166
89449	Festive, carnival etc articles (incl. conjuring tricks, novelty jokes but excl. articles for Christmas)	3,236	4,216
89460	Fairground amusements (incl. roundabouts, swings, shooting galleries); travelling circuses, menageries, etc	1,154	1,148
89471	Fishing rods, line fishing tackle; fish landing, butterfly, etc, nets; decoys and similar hunting requisites	25,315	26,623
89472	Ice skates and roller skates (incl. skating boots with skates attached)	1,548	1,247
89473	Snow-ski equipment (incl. snow-skis)	5,867	5,094
89474	Water sport equipment (incl. water-skis, surf-boards, sailboards)	11,464	13,046
89475	Golf equipment	30,761	28,528
89476	Tennis, badminton or similar rackets	13,999	14,475
89477	Specially designed sports gloves, mittens and mitts	5,765	6,195
89478	Gymnasium or athletics articles and equipment	20,871	20,392
89479	Sports goods, nes	37,582	38,668
89511	Base metal office or desk equipment (incl. filing cabinets, card-index cabinets, pen trays and the like)	1,541	1,738
89512	Base metal fittings for stationery supplies (incl. for loose-leaf binders, letter clips etc; staples in strips)	8,987	9,766
89521	Pens, markers (incl. ball point, fountain, etc); duplicating stylos; clutch pencils; holders; parts thereof	54,012	60,076
89522	Pen nibs and nib points	693	955
89523	Pencils (excl. clutch, etc), crayons, pencil leads, pastels, drawing charcoals, writing/drawing/tailors' chalk	11,093	12,473
89591	Inks (incl. writing or drawing but excl. printing ink)	2,265	3,261
89592	Slates and boards, with writing or drawing surfaces	1,088	1,208
89593	Hand-held date, sealing, numbering, labelling stamps and the like; hand composing sticks & hand printing sets	4,607	5,423

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, nes		
89594	Typewriter or similar ribbons, inked or otherwise prepared for giving impressions; ink pads	30,304	27,772
89611	Paintings, drawings and pastels, entirely hand-executed (excl. architectural, engineering etc plans & drawings)	164,719	63,607
89612	Collages and similar decorative plaques, entirely hand-executed	954	888
89620	Original engravings, prints and lithographs	5,747	7,110
89630	Original sculptures and statuary, in any material	11,649	7,683
89640	Stamps, postmarks, first day covers, postal stationery, used or not current or new issue	7,391	2,081
89650	Collections, collectors' pieces of historical, botanical, ethnographic, numismatic and the like interest	22,253	2,670
89660	Antiques exceeding 100 years old	101,222	85,486
89721	Imitation jewellery of base metal (incl. plated with precious metal)	20,952	25,411
89729	Imitation jewellery of non-precious materials (excl. base metal)	14,932	11,651
89731	Jewellery & parts thereof of precious metal or metal clad with precious metal (excl. watches and watch cases)	90,909	126,253
89732	Articles of gold or precious metal or of metal clad with precious metal (excl. jewellery, watches, cases)	3,404	4,775
89733	Articles of natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones (natural, synthetic or reconstructed)	5,129	4,186
89741	Wire cloth or grill catalysts of platinum and platinum group metals	3,205	6,472
89749	Articles of precious metal or metal clad with precious metal, nes	61,100	5,362
89813	Pianos (incl. automatic pianos); harpsichords and other keyboard stringed instruments	21,524	16,860
89815	Stringed musical instruments (incl. guitars, violins, harps but excl. keyboard stringed instruments)	5,134	5,337
89821	Keyboard pipe organs; harmoniums and similar keyboard instruments with free metal reeds	289	1,084
89822	Accordions and similar instruments; mouth organs	796	863
89823	Wind musical instruments (incl. clarinets, trumpets, bagpipes but excl. mouth organs)	8,642	10,339
89824	Percussion musical instruments (incl. drums, xylophones, cymbals, castanets, maracas)	4,085	5,045
89825	Keyboard instruments (excl. accordions), the sound of which is produced or must be amplified electrically	21,708	26,079
89826	Musical instruments (excl. keyboard instruments; incl. accordions), sound produced/amplified electrically	7,261	7,850
89829	Musical instruments nes (eg. musical boxes, street organs, mechanical singing birds); decoys, whistles, etc	2,344	2,754
89841	Magnetic tape for recording sound or other phenomena, not exc 4 mm in width	25,791	24,340
89843	Magnetic tape for recording sound or other phenomena, exc 4 mm but not exc 6.5 mm in width	9,077	13,962
89845	Magnetic tape for recording sound or other phenomena, exc 6.5 mm in width	88,753	93,541
89851	Prepared unrecorded magnetic discs for recording sound or other phenomena	8,632	31,916
89859	Prepared unrecorded media for recording sound or other phenomena (excl. magnetic disc/tapes; photographic)	18,433	4,075
89861	Recorded magnetic tapes not exc 4 mm wide	9,703	13,784
89865	Recorded magnetic tapes exc 4 mm but not exc 6.5 mm in width	12,428	18,109
89867	Recorded magnetic tapes, exc 6.5 mm in width	22,954	26,524
89871	Gramophone records	7,819	7,225
89879	Recorded media for sound or similarly recorded phenomena (incl. matrices and masters), nes	157,054	229,702
89890	Parts, nes and accessories of musical instruments; metronomes, tuning forks and pitch pipes of all kinds	8,360	9,051
89911	Worked animal carving material (incl. ivory, bone, tortoise-shell, coral, mother of pearl), articles thereof	1,457	2,528
89919	Worked veg or mineral carving material; articles of wax, stearin, natural gums etc; worked unhardened gelatin	4,112	4,974
89921	Plastic flowers, foliage or fruit and parts thereof; articles made of plastic flowers, foliage or fruit	6,608	5,769
89929	Artificial (excl. plastic) flowers, foliage or fruit and parts thereof; articles thereof	12,352	14,098
89931	Candles, tapers and the like (b)	—	2,218
89932	Masches (excl. fuses, igniters and similar pyrotechnic products)	2,121	2,977
89933	Cigarette and similar lighters	13,300	14,693
89934	Liquid or liquefied-gas fuels in containers for filling cigarette or similar lighters, not exc 300 cc	173	278
89935	Lighter parts and accessories, nes (excl. flints or wicks)	673	595
89937	Smoking pipes (incl. bowls), cigar or cigarette holders, and parts thereof, nes	469	500
89939	Pyrophoric alloys; metaldehyde and similar fuels, alcohol based fuels; resin torches, firelighters etc	575	616

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\$'000

SITC ITEM	DESCRIPTION	1988-89	1989-90(a)
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, nes		
89941	Umbrellas and sun umbrellas (incl. walking-stick umbrellas, garden umbrellas and similar umbrellas)	10,606	13,882
89942	Walking-sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding-crops and the like	977	784
89949	Parts, trimmings and accessories of umbrellas, parasols, walking-sticks, whips and similar articles	220	255
89961	Hearing aids (excl. parts and accessories)	4,440	5,390
89963	Orthopaedic or fracture appliances	32,797	29,691
89965	Artificial teeth and dental fittings	6,553	7,880
89966	Artificial parts of the body (excl. artificial teeth and dental fittings)	19,347	22,093
89967	Pacemakers for stimulating heart muscles (excl. parts and accessories)	4,433	5,718
89969	Appliances which are worn, or carried or implanted in the body to compensate for a defect or disability, nes	13,940	19,123
89971	Articles made directly to shape from plaiting materials (incl. basketwork, wickerwork); articles of loofah	19,067	18,691
89972	Brooms, brushes (incl. for machines), mops, feather dusters; knots and tufts; paint pads/rollers; squeegees	26,689	33,192
89973	Plaits and similar products of plaiting materials	2,088	701
89974	Mats, matting and screens of vegetable materials	1,971	1,873
89979	Plaiting materials, plaits and similar products thereof, bound in parallel strands or woven, in sheets, nes	1,843	794
89981	Hand sieves and hand riddles	175	254
89982	Powder puffs and pads for the application of cosmetics or toilet preparations	824	837
89983	Press-fasteners, snap-fasteners and press-studs and parts thereof; buttons	8,636	10,259
89984	Parts of buttons (incl. button moulds); button blanks	320	358
89985	Slide fasteners (excl. parts)	3,102	3,338
89986	Slide fastener parts	2,295	2,014
89987	Scent and similar toilet sprays, and mounts and heads thereof	3,362	3,438
89988	Ley figures (incl. tailors' dummies) animated displays (incl. automata) used for shop window dressing	2,095	1,422
89989	Combs, hair-slides; hairpins, curling pins and grips, hair-curlers etc (excl. electro-thermic), parts thereof	6,328	7,007
89991	Articles of gut (excl. silkworm gut), of goldbeater's skin, of bladders or of tendons	814	558
89992	Bird skins with feathers or down; feathers, down and articles thereof (excl. unworked skins, worked quills, etc)	2,153	1,707
89994	Worked (eg dressed etc) human hair; textile materials (incl. wool, other animal hair) for use in wigs etc	39	25
89995	Wigs, false beards, eyebrows, switches etc, of human or animal hair or textiles; articles of human hair, nes	2,219	2,480
89996	Parachutes (incl. dirigible parachutes and rotochutes); parts and accessories thereof	2,052	358
89997	Vacuum vessels (incl. vacuum flasks), complete with cases; parts thereof (excl. glass liners)	6,070	5,369
	DIVISION 89 TOTAL (b)	2,883,396	3,015,008
9	Commodities and transactions of merchandise trade, not elsewhere classified in the SITC		
95100	Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	20,127	35,056
97101	Gold, non-monetary, unwrought or semi-manufactured	150,578	284,200
98888	Combined confidential items of trade (c)	188,493	123,289
-----	Other commodities and transactions within Division 9	752,431	607,130
	SECTION 9 TOTAL (c)	1,111,629	1,049,674
	Total Imports	47,039,402	51,331,650

(a) Due to changes in Customs valuation data for periods from 1 July 1989 are not fully comparable to data for previous periods. See the note 'Change in the Valuation of Imports' at the beginning of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Section 9. (c) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See the Appendix for details.

TABLE 3. IMPORTS BY STATE (a)

STATE	1987-88		1988-89		1989-90(b)	
	\$'000	%	\$'000	%	\$'000	%
New South Wales	18,089,721	44.6	20,870,974	44.4	23,383,179	45.6
Victoria	14,020,056	34.5	15,950,582	33.9	16,790,502	32.7
Queensland	2,845,259	7.0	3,787,754	8.1	4,258,170	8.3
South Australia	1,804,785	4.4	1,861,622	4.0	2,049,952	4.0
Western Australia	3,152,545	7.8	3,568,918	7.6	3,984,818	7.8
Tasmania	282,415	0.7	348,694	0.7	352,915	0.7
Northern Territory	385,185	0.9	626,083	1.3	482,789	0.9
Australian Capital Territory	16,770	—	24,776	0.1	29,326	0.1
Total Imports	40,596,736	100.0	47,039,402	100.0	51,331,650	100.0

(a) State in which import entry was lodged. The State of lodgement is not necessarily the State in which the goods were discharged. (b) Due to changes in Customs valuation, data for periods from 1 July 1989 are not fully comparable with data for previous periods. For further details see the note 'Change in the Valuation of Imports' at the beginning of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4. IMPORTS BY INDUSTRY OF ORIGIN (a)

Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) Division/Sub-division	1987-88		1988-89		1989-90(b)	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting						
01 Agriculture	609.8	1.5	645.4	1.4	568.1	1.1
03 Forestry and logging	3.5	—	3.0	—	5.2	—
04 Fishing and hunting	11.4	—	19.8	—	24.5	—
Total	624.7	1.5	668.2	1.4	597.8	1.2
Mining						
11 Metallic minerals	37.2	0.1	47.3	0.1	109.7	0.2
12 Coal	0.7	—	8.1	—	11.9	—
13 Oil and gas	1,045.5	2.6	998.3	2.1	1,089.9	2.1
14 Construction materials	17.5	—	21.6	—	19.0	—
15 Other non-metallic minerals	228.2	0.6	259.6	0.6	205.6	0.4
Total	1,329.1	3.3	1,334.8	2.8	1,436.0	2.8
Manufacturing						
21 Food, beverages and tobacco	1,676.2	4.1	1,861.8	4.0	1,996.9	3.9
23 Textiles	2,117.9	5.2	2,301.1	4.9	2,451.7	4.8
24 Clothing and footwear	1,003.9	2.5	1,046.8	2.2	1,185.0	2.3
25 Wood, wood products and furniture	815.1	2.0	1,022.4	2.2	1,005.6	2.0
26 Paper, paper products, printing and publishing	2,013.6	5.0	2,169.8	4.6	2,277.7	4.4
27 Chemical, petroleum and coal products	4,857.8	12.0	5,610.4	11.9	6,214.0	12.1
28 Non-metallic mineral products	762.7	1.9	874.8	1.9	975.1	—
29 Basic metal products	1,238.0	3.0	1,682.8	3.6	1,833.5	3.6
31 Fabricated metal products	1,119.9	2.8	1,323.3	2.8	1,596.2	3.1
32 Transport equipment	4,754.3	11.7	7,201.7	15.3	8,190.0	16.0
33 Other machinery and equipment	13,633.0	33.6	15,561.5	33.1	17,251.9	33.6
34 Miscellaneous manufacturing	2,710.5	6.7	3,047.9	6.5	3,347.3	6.5
Total	36,702.9	90.4	43,704.2	92.9	48,325.0	94.1
Other industries						
Wholesale, retail and service industries	218.6	0.5	369.1	0.8	222.1	0.4
Confidential items; Waste and scrap nes; Second hand goods nes; Special goods (c)	1,721.4	4.2	963.0	2.0	750.8	1.5
Total	1,940.0	4.8	1,332.2	2.8	972.8	1.9
Total Imports	40,596.7	100.0	47,039.4	100.0	51,331.7	100.0

(a) Prior to 1 January 1988, data in this table are compiled by allocating statistical items of the AICC, and from 1 January 1988, the 10 digit items of the Harmonized Customs Tariff, to the appropriate ASIC code. See paragraph 16 of the Explanatory Notes for details. (b) Due to changes in Customs valuation, data for periods from 1 July 1989 are not fully comparable with data for previous periods. For further details see the note 'Change in the Valuation of Imports' at the beginning of the Explanatory Notes. (c) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See the Appendix for details.

TABLE 5. IMPORTS BY BROAD ECONOMIC CATEGORIES (BEC) (a)

BEC	1987-88		1988-89		1989-90(b)	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
Food and beverages	1,911.3	4.7	2,172.7	4.6	2,252.5	4.4
Primary	548.3	1.4	650.0	1.4	619.2	1.2
Mainly for industry	247.7	0.6	317.1	0.7	250.2	0.5
Mainly for household consumption	300.6	0.7	332.9	0.7	369.0	0.7
Processed	1,363.0	3.4	1,522.7	3.2	1,633.2	3.2
Mainly for industry	204.6	0.5	189.3	0.4	193.4	0.4
Mainly for household consumption	1,158.4	2.9	1,333.4	2.8	1,439.8	2.8
Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified	11,837.0	29.2	13,598.1	28.9	14,109.4	27.5
Primary	659.9	1.6	707.9	1.5	691.3	1.3
Processed	11,177.1	27.5	12,890.2	27.4	13,418.1	26.1
Fuels and lubricants	1,940.1	4.8	1,906.4	4.1	2,357.9	4.6
Primary	1,043.2	2.6	1,005.8	2.1	1,088.4	2.1
Processed	896.8	2.2	900.5	1.9	1,269.5	2.5
Motor spirit	165.0	0.4	230.1	0.5	302.2	0.6
Other	731.9	1.8	670.5	1.4	967.4	1.9
Capital goods (except transport equipment), and parts and accessories thereof	11,370.3	28.0	12,996.2	27.6	14,674.8	28.6
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	7,728.3	19.0	8,885.4	18.9	9,861.4	19.2
Parts and accessories	3,642.0	9.0	4,110.8	8.7	4,813.4	9.4
Transport equipment and parts and accessories thereof	5,369.6	13.2	8,048.9	17.1	9,166.4	17.9
Passenger motor cars(c)	1,151.1	2.8	2,231.3	4.7	2,218.7	4.3
Other	1,495.7	3.7	3,051.8	6.5	3,588.0	7.0
Industrial(d)	1,193.9	2.9	2,760.9	5.9	3,313.3	6.5
Non-industrial(d)	301.8	0.7	290.9	0.6	274.7	0.5
Parts and accessories(c)	2,722.8	6.7	2,765.8	5.9	3,359.6	6.5
Consumer goods not elsewhere specified	6,459.2	15.9	7,234.5	15.4	7,901.4	15.4
Durable	2,132.4	5.3	2,504.3	5.3	2,494.8	4.9
Semi-durable	2,575.3	6.3	2,788.2	5.9	3,128.6	6.1
Non-durable	1,751.4	4.3	1,942.1	4.1	2,278.0	4.4
Goods not elsewhere specified(e)	1,709.3	4.2	1,082.6	2.3	869.3	1.7
Total Imports	40,596.7	100.0	47,039.4	100.0	51,331.7	100.0

(a) Prior to 1 January 1988, data in this table are compiled by allocating statistical items of the AICC, and from 1 January 1988, the 10 digit items of the Harmonized Customs Tariff, to the appropriate BEC code. See paragraph 14 of the Explanatory Notes for details. (b) Due to changes in Customs valuation, data for periods from 1 July 1989 are not fully comparable with data for previous periods. For further details see the note 'Change in the Valuation of Imports' at the beginning of the Explanatory Notes. (c) For periods prior to 1 January 1988 unassembled road motor vehicles are included with parts and accessories of transport equipment. From 1 January 1988 they are included with passenger motor cars. (d) For periods prior to 1 January 1988 trucks of all kinds are included with non-industrial transport equipment. From 1 January 1988 they are included with industrial transport equipment. (e) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See the Appendix for details.

TABLE 6. IMPORTS FROM COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS(a)
1989

<i>Country or country group</i>	<i>1987-88</i>	<i>1988-89</i>	<i>1989-90(b)</i>
Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)			
Brunei	28,190	31,652	23,907
Indonesia	587,674	418,952	441,092
Malaysia	590,732	687,267	657,985
Philippines	127,023	165,408	150,202
Singapore	899,057	1,090,338	1,212,635
Thailand	331,077	420,008	479,358
Total ASEAN	2,563,783	2,813,625	2,965,180
European Economic Community (EEC)			
Belgium-Luxembourg	319,852	403,197	433,468
Denmark	189,662	202,409	250,626
France	892,105	1,267,259	1,165,790
Germany, Federal Republic of	2,918,062	2,949,009	3,426,319
Greece	50,256	76,569	67,506
Ireland	201,644	171,439	185,622
Italy	1,329,797	1,373,693	1,634,990
Netherlands	595,868	601,021	519,622
Portugal	47,019	57,653	60,659
Spain	190,310	208,473	217,720
United Kingdom	3,012,188	3,453,447	3,355,668
Total EEC	9,746,764	10,764,169	11,317,989
Afghanistan	306	267	544
Albania	15	3	18
Algeria	516	—	12,436
American Samoa	1,717	2,963	1,274
Argentina	64,252	103,748	171,338
Austria	156,868	177,721	189,129
Bahamas	7,820	2,416	7,827
Bahrain	30,799	26,753	15,847
Bangladesh	22,929	22,718	23,940
Barbados	222	28	223
Benin	—	2,276	—
Bermuda	47	83	239
Bhutan	2	—	—
Bolivia	3	197	290
Botswana	6	38	4
Brazil	298,517	430,360	351,928
Bulgaria	3,219	4,397	7,773
Burma	1,006	698	1,275
Burundi	98	149	—
Cameroon	61	831	682
Canada	863,267	1,066,754	1,228,410
Cayman Islands	5,406	8,911	7,082
Central African Republic	—	—	27
Chile	23,405	43,002	64,599
China	850,669	1,026,450	1,240,867
Christmas Island	15,633	1	4
Cocos (Keeling) Island	15	—	76
Colombia	5,689	7,989	9,564
Comoros, Republic of	11	20	6
Cook Islands	63	99	45
Costa Rica	1,169	2,341	1,086
Cuba	684	1,188	932
Cyprus	623	790	786
Czechoslovakia	41,078	52,243	47,074
Djibouti	—	—	14
Dominica	—	—	—
Dominican Republic	48	173	397
Ecuador	4,442	3,987	3,629
Egypt	2,197	2,829	5,475
El Salvador	40	73	346
Ethiopia	1,182	802	789
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	75	—	—
Fiji	43,802	98,714	92,672
Finland	293,470	352,226	310,868
French Antilles	6	—	—
French Polynesia	350	376	371

For footnotes see end of table.

TABLE 6. IMPORTS FROM COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS(a) — continued
\$'000

Country or country group	1987-88	1988-89	1989-90(b)
Gabon	—	4	—
Gambia	—	—	1
German Democratic Republic	13,623	20,738	15,738
Ghana	2,582	564	115
Gibraltar	—	5	60
Grenada	—	—	18
Guam	1,118	—	32
Guatemala	381	3,261	1,204
Guinea	—	606	—
Guyana	537	349	410
Haiti	273	413	328
Honduras	221	3,564	10,268
Hong Kong	845,345	888,128	846,607
Hungary	20,329	28,166	26,677
Iceland	1,098	1,701	2,850
India	228,190	246,779	278,405
Iran	17,132	9,832	11,303
Iraq	171	191	241
Israel	123,439	138,289	149,456
Ivory Coast	7,812	1,942	1,833
Jamaica	448	651	720
Japan	7,816,555	9,756,646	9,871,974
Jordan	317	4,423	3,341
Kampuchea	26	—	—
Kenya	7,692	8,473	7,762
Kiribati	88	36	7
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of	255	268	359
Korea, Republic of	1,020,270	1,262,082	1,253,532
Kuwait	121,022	89,668	123,422
Laos	—	525	52
Lebanon	2,287	2,487	1,928
Lesotho	72	43	106
Liberia	50	—	—
Libya	—	1	1
Macau	39,341	40,388	42,580
Madagascar	233	152	226
Malawi	9,490	9,831	9,424
Maldives	2	2	159
Mali	—	78	428
Malta	2,121	1,537	1,421
Mauritania	—	—	—
Mauritius	2,995	2,134	2,724
Mexico	64,868	80,510	94,071
Mongolia	—	—	15
Morocco	36,925	26,647	17,227
Mozambique	699	1,169	1,886
Namibia	1	5	1
Nauru	66,687	84,741	58,204
Nepal	449	120	568
Netherlands Antilles	2,709	671	625
New Caledonia	3,906	1,697	8,615
New Zealand	1,732,530	1,969,956	2,173,765
Nicaragua	34	342	215
Niger	—	—	8
Nigeria	2,191	65	12
Norfolk Island	118	372	62
Norway	168,113	176,820	225,499
Oman	9,717	14,614	37,927
Pakistan	64,650	79,118	82,149
Panama	341	395	276
Papua New Guinea	109,118	104,733	235,183
Paraguay	16	44	724
Peru	2,210	8,395	10,449
Poland	27,366	30,672	38,739
Puerto Rico	98,621	114,096	109,635

For footnotes see end of table.

TABLE 6. IMPORTS FROM COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS(a) — continued
\$'000

Country or country group	1987-88	1988-89	1989-90(b)
Qatar	87,967	47,785	27,046
Reunion	9	51	8
Romania	23,167	52,486	22,556
Rwanda	396	69	1
St. Lucia	—	13	—
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	418,901	457,562	675,865
Saudi Arabia	1	1,600	—
Senegal	106	1,183	—
Seychelles	2,339	3,865	5,774
Solomon Islands	—	173	—
Somalia	99,137	97,910	118,496
South Africa	27,969	27,904	34,064
Sri Lanka	450	210	389
Sudan	—	—	—
Suriname	4,029	3,639	4,336
Swaziland	776,571	840,688	895,601
Sweden	543,832	496,507	567,011
Switzerland	9,091	3,296	7,429
Syria	—	—	—
Taiwan	1,743,952	1,919,889	1,945,601
Tanzania	1,872	1,788	1,296
Togo	1,525	8,375	10,334
Tonga	2,027	2,824	2,770
Trinidad and Tobago	517	620	1,732
Trinidad and Tobago	1	—	—
Trust Territory of Pacific Islands	24	113	189
Tunisia	32,720	32,193	55,425
Turkey	59	78	114
Tuvalu	—	—	—
Uganda	2,491	1,428	2,113
United Arab Emirates	215,845	396,278	452,235
United States of America	8,532,050	10,129,475	12,372,540
United States Miscellaneous Pacific Islands	1	—	—
United States Virgin Islands	3,620	8,340	17,449
Uruguay	16,454	5,206	3,062
U.S.S.R.	21,666	53,943	37,209
Vanuatu	732	1,226	1,956
Venezuela	1,280	3,376	12,654
Vietnam	20,146	20,890	17,003
Virgin Islands (British)	7	2	20
Wake Island	25	—	—
Western Sahara	148	22	—
Western Samoa	3,253	2,113	1,270
Yemen, People's Democratic Republic of	—	8,721	5,592
Yugoslavia	49,690	56,836	58,615
Zaire	337	345	357
Zambia	3,853	2,354	1,875
Zimbabwe	179,730	8,585	8,606
Origin Unknown	8,976	18,812	21,269
Re-imports	30,743	78,988	97,138
Other countries	—	78	24
Total Imports	40,596,736	47,039,402	51,331,650

(a) See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Due to changes in Customs valuation, data for periods from 1 July 1989 are not fully comparable with data for previous periods. For further details see the note 'Changes in the Valuation of Imports' at the beginning of the Explanatory Notes.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Note: Change in the Valuation of Imports

The *Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Act 1989* (CELA Act 1989) introduced amendments, effective from 1 July 1989, intended to continue the Australian Customs Service (ACS) policy of closing down duty avoidance and minimisation practices. The changes likely to have an impact on the Australian Customs Value (ACV) recorded in imports statistics are:

- definitional changes to restrict certain practices and to provide a measure of certainty in valuing goods for Customs purposes;
- removal of the so-called "third party" inland freight option;
- removal of Canadian inland freight concession; and
- replacement of a "fair rate" of exchange for currency conversion purposes with a "ruling rate".

These changes are detailed in Australian Customs Notice No. 89/49.

Changes to the exchange rate to be used will have an indeterminate effect on valuation.

The removal of inland freight options and concessions will increase the reported customs values. Prior to 1 July 1989 the contracting arrangements for inland freight could mean that the point of valuation used in establishing the ACV could be ex-factory, excluding all subsequent freight and insurance. From 1 July 1989, all charges up to the point of loading into the international container and, for non-containerised cargo, up to the customs frontier of the exporting country, are included in the ACV. It is not expected that the changes in the point of valuation will impact significantly on import statistics.

Changes to restrict avoidance practices, and particularly the changes in penalties imposed for false or misleading practices, are likely to have resulted in some higher import valuations and some improvement in the classification of imports, although the extent of such effects is not known.

The concept and measurement of the transactions value, as distinct from the ACV, and the free on board point of shipment point of valuation which are used in compiling import statistics for inclusion in Australia's balance of payments accounts, remain unchanged by the CELA Act of 1989.

Introduction

This publication contains annual statistics of Australia's imports classified by commodity, country of origin and state of lodgement.

Source of data

2. These statistics are compiled by the Australian Bureau of Statistics from documents submitted by importers or their agents to the Australian Customs Service (ACS).

Statistical concepts

3. The statistics of imports presented in this publication are, with one exception, recorded on a general trade basis, i.e. imports comprise goods entered directly for home consumption together with goods imported into bonded warehouses. Table 1 of this publication also shows statistics of imports on a special trade basis, i.e. imports cleared for home consumption. Imports cleared for home consumption differ in scope from imports in that they include withdrawals from bonded warehouses but exclude imports into bonded warehouses.

4. Although items of non-merchandise trade are reported, they are excluded from imports and imports cleared for home consumption statistics (see paragraphs 6 to 9).

Coverage of the statistics

5. The following are excluded from recorded import statistics:

- (a) direct transit trade, i.e. goods being trans-shipped or moved through Australia for purposes of transport only;
- (b) bunkers, aviation fuel and stores supplied to ships and aircraft prior to arrival in Australia;
- (c) migrants' and passengers' effects imported and parcels post imports of small value, for which Customs entries are not required;
- (d) certain materials under inter-governmental agreements for defence and similar projects for which Customs entries are not required;
- (e) ships and aircraft engaged in the transport of passengers or goods between Australia and other countries;
- (f) the delivery of certain ships intended for use on overseas routes;
- (g) delivery of certain aircraft (and parts and components) prior to 1 July 1987 intended for use on overseas routes. From 1 July 1987, these deliveries are included in recorded imports statistics;

- (h) fish and other sea products landed in Australia directly from the high seas by Australian ships; and
- (i) entries lodged on informal clearance documents (ICDs) for values not exceeding \$250. In addition, from 21 October 1985 onwards, ICDs for postal articles valued between \$250 and \$1,000 are excluded.

Non-merchandise trade

6. In accordance with United Nations' recommendations and practices adopted by Australia's major trading partners, total imports excludes transactions classified as non-merchandise trade.

7. Merchandise imports are defined as all goods which add to the stock of material resources in Australia as a result of their movement into the country.

8. Non-merchandise imports consist primarily of re-imports of goods which were originally exported on a temporary basis and goods imported on a temporary basis (e.g. goods for public exhibition in Australia or for repair, alteration or renovation in Australia). For periods prior to 1 July 1987 trade in gold coins, whether or not they are legal tender, and other coins which are legal tender is classified as non-merchandise trade; for periods from 1 July 1987 these commodities are excluded from non-merchandise trade and are included in total imports. See Appendix A of the 1988-89 issue of this publication for details.

9. A complete list of commodities comprising non-merchandise trade may be obtained from the **Trade Classifications Manager** on (06) 252 5409. Information on the value of the commodities which comprise non-merchandise imports for the current financial year is available on microfiche MM07.

Statistical period

10. Imports are recorded statistically in the calendar month in which the import entries are finalised by the ACS. Import entries may be lodged early using the ACS check-to-arrive system or may be delayed because of various validation checks carried out by the ACS prior to the entries being passed to the ABS. Due to these factors, imports statistics for a particular month do not necessarily represent entries lodged or commodities imported during that month.

Valuation

11. The recorded value of imports is the Customs value (formerly referred to as the value for duty). On 30 November 1981, Australia adopted the GATT Agreement on Customs Valuation. The Agreement reflects one of a number of trade related codes of conduct established during the round of Multi-lateral Trade Negotiations concluded in 1979. Under the Agreement the primary basis for establishing the customs value is the price actually paid or payable, provided a number of conditions are met. The most important condition is that the buyer and seller must be independent of each other. If the conditions are

not met the GATT Agreement offers a set of practical rules which are used to determine the customs value.

12. Depending upon contractual arrangements for the payment of delivery charges, goods are valued at the place of exportation which is variously determined to be, the factory where the goods were produced, or the point of containerization of the goods, or the port of shipment, or the customs frontier of the exporting country. (Charges and expenses involved in delivering the goods beyond the place of exportation to Australia are excluded). The recorded value also includes the value of the outside package, other than international containers used for containerised cargo.

Commodity classifications

13. Commodity imports statistics in Table 2 of this publication are presented according to the codes and descriptions of the third revision of the United Nations' Standard International Trade Classification (SITC Rev3) with the addition of dummy codes to take account of Australia's treatment of gold and other legal tender coin and confidential items.

14. Imports of merchandise trade in Table 5 are classified according to the nineteen categories of the United Nations' classification, Broad Economic Categories (BEC). The BEC classifies foreign trade statistics for the purposes of general economic analysis according to the main end use of the commodities traded. Prior to 1 January 1988 the statistics are compiled by allocating statistical items of the AICC, and from 1 January 1988 the 10 digit items of the Harmonized Customs Tariff, to the appropriate BEC. The change in the commodity classification may result in some minor breaks in series, although these are not considered to be significant.

State

15. State information presented in Table 3 refers to the State in which the imports entry was lodged with the ACS. The port of lodgement of the imports entry is not necessarily the port of discharge of the goods. Goods forwarded interstate after import, whether in containers or not, are recorded as being imported at the port of lodgement of the imports entry.

Industry of origin

16. Imports statistics classified by subdivisions of the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) are shown in Table 4. A full description of ASIC Classes is contained in the publication *Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Vol. 1 - The Classification (1201.0)*.

17. Prior to 1 January 1988, the statistics are compiled by allocating statistical items of the Australian Import Commodity Classification (AICC), and from 1 January 1988, 10 digit items of the Harmonized Customs Tariff, to the ASIC industry of origin based upon the main economic activities of those industries to which the commodities are primarily associated. The change in the commodity classification may result in some minor breaks

in series, although these are not considered to be significant.

Country

18. For the purposes of foreign trade statistics, a country is defined as a geographical entity which trades, or has the potential to trade, with Australia in accordance with ACS provisions. External territories under Australian administration are treated as separate countries whilst self-governing territories and dependent territories under the administration of other countries may be treated as individual countries in Australian foreign trade statistics. A detailed list of countries together with the areas covered by each country is provided in appendixes to successive issues of the ABS publication, *Foreign Trade Australia, Imports* (5437.0). For imports, country refers to the country of origin of the goods which is defined as the country of production for ACS purposes. Where the country of origin is not known at the time of import, and where it is impossible to determine the origin, goods are recorded as "Origin Unknown".

Confidentiality

19. Restrictions are placed on the release of statistics for certain commodities for reasons of confidentiality. These restrictions do not affect total import figures, but they can affect statistics at all levels in country and commodity tables. Refer to table footnotes and the Appendix for specific details.

Foreign Trade services available on request

20. Special Returns Service. This service provides commodity-based foreign trade statistics tailored to users' requirements. The data are available on computer printout or via the electronic mail service, TELESTATS. Charges for this service depend on the level of detail required. Further details are available from the **Special Returns Managers** on Canberra (06) 252 5404 (exports) or 252 5408 (imports).

21. Microfiche service. A variety of tabular formats is available covering commodities exported or imported at various levels of aggregation. Further details are available from **Information Services** in each ABS office.

22. Magnetic tape service. Foreign trade statistics are also available on 9 track magnetic tape. This service is recommended where users wish to obtain trade data at the most detailed level. Further details are available from the **Tape Production Managers** on Canberra (06) 252 6540 (exports) or 252 5417 (imports).

23. Other foreign trade data services. A wide variety of customised data services are available on an adhoc or subscription basis. Data can be provided on printout or floppy disk or via electronic mail. Further information about these services is available from the **Dissemination Managers** on Canberra (06) 252 5400 (exports) or 252 5422 (imports).

Related publications

24. Other ABS publications which may be of interest include:

Foreign Trade, Australia, Comparative and Summary Tables (5410.0) — issued annually

Exports and Imports, Australia: Trade with Selected Countries and Major Country Groups (5422.0) — issued quarterly

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Foreign Trade, Australia, Exports (5436.0) — issued annually

Foreign Trade, Australia, Imports (5437.0) — issued annually

Shipping and Air Cargo Commodity Statistics, Australia (9206.0) — issued quarterly

Balance of Payments, Australia (5301.0) — issued monthly

Balance of Payments, Australia (5302.0) — issued quarterly

Balance of Payments, Australia (5303.0) — issued annually

Manufacturing Commodities, Principal Articles Produced, Australia (8303.0) — issued annually

Foreign Trade Statistics: An Overview (5481.0).

25. In addition, current statistics on foreign trade are contained in the *Year Book Australia* (1301.0), the *Pocket Year Book Australia* (1302.0), the *Monthly Summary of Statistics, Australia* (1304.0), and the *Digest of Current Economic Statistics, Australia* (1305.0). Additional unpublished details can be supplied on request.

26. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications and Products, Australia* (1101.0). The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice* (1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The *Catalogue and Publications Advice* are available from any ABS office.

Symbols and other usages

27. The following symbols and abbreviations are used in this publication:

— nil or rounded to zero
nes not elsewhere specified

28. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals

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APPENDIX CONFIDENTIAL COMMODITY LISTING

Restrictions are placed on the release of statistics for certain commodities for reasons of confidentiality. The SITC Rev3 items affected by the restrictions, together with the Harmonized Tariff items which are confidential, the type of restriction and the period for which it applies, are listed below.

In Table 2, commodities subject to a 'No Commodity Details' restriction are excluded from the relevant items and Divisions and included in item 98888 in Section 9.

SITC Rev3			Harmonized Tariff Item	Type of restriction	Started	Finished
Section	Division	Item				
0	09	09109	1518.00.10/20	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.08.89
4	42	42119	1507.90.00/13	No Commodity Details	01.12.89	—
		42239	1513.19.00/27	No Commodity Details	01.12.89	—
	43	43110	1518.00.10/20	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
5	51	51113	2901.24.00/05	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
		51127	2902.70.00/17	No Commodity Details	01.12.88	—
		51138	2903.40.10/02	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	30.05.88
			2903.40.10/40	No Commodity Details	01.01.89	—
		51139	2903.61.00/06	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
		51217	1519.30.00/27	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.05.89
	52	52253	2820.10.00/29	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.07.89
		52329	2827.51.00/10	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.07.88
		52491	2847.00.00/14	No Commodity Details	01.09.88	30.04.89
	53	53311	3206.10.00/34	No Commodity Details	01.07.88	31.07.89
			3206.10.10/01	No Commodity Details	01.06.88	31.12.88
	57	57593	3910.00.00/06	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.07.88
	58	58291	3921.11.00/16	No Commodity Details	01.05.89	—
	59	59841	3817.10.00/25	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.01.88
			3817.10.00/25	No Commodity Details	01.04.88	30.04.88
			3817.10.00/25	No Commodity Details	01.08.88	—
6	62	62133	4008.21.00/07	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	30.06.88
			4008.21.10/34	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
			4008.21.90/07	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	30.09.89
	64	64295	4818.40.10/04	No Commodity Details	01.05.89	—
	65	65162	5402.10.00/05	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.07.89
			5402.10.00/05	No Commodity Details	01.04.90	—
		65793	5902.10.00/03	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
	66	66121	2523.10.00/29	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.05.88
			2523.10.00/29	No Commodity Details	01.12.89	—
		66452	7003.20.00/11	No Commodity Details	01.11.88	31.07.89
	69	69119	7308.90.00/06	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.05.89
		69410	7317.00.90/15	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.12.88
			7317.00.90/46	No Commodity Details	01.07.88	31.12.88
		69546	8205.59.00/10	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	30.11.88
7	72	72119	8432.90.00/15	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
			8432.90.00/16	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
			8432.90.00/18	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
		72333	8429.40.00/29	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	30.11.88
	74	74691	8482.91.00/01	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.03.89
		74699	8482.99.00/02	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.03.89
8	88	88111	9006.40.00/17	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
		88240	3703.10.00/25	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	—
			3703.10.10/06	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	30.06.88
			3703.10.90/28	No Commodity Details	01.01.90	—
	89	89931	3406.00.00/34	No Commodity Details	01.01.88	31.08.89

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