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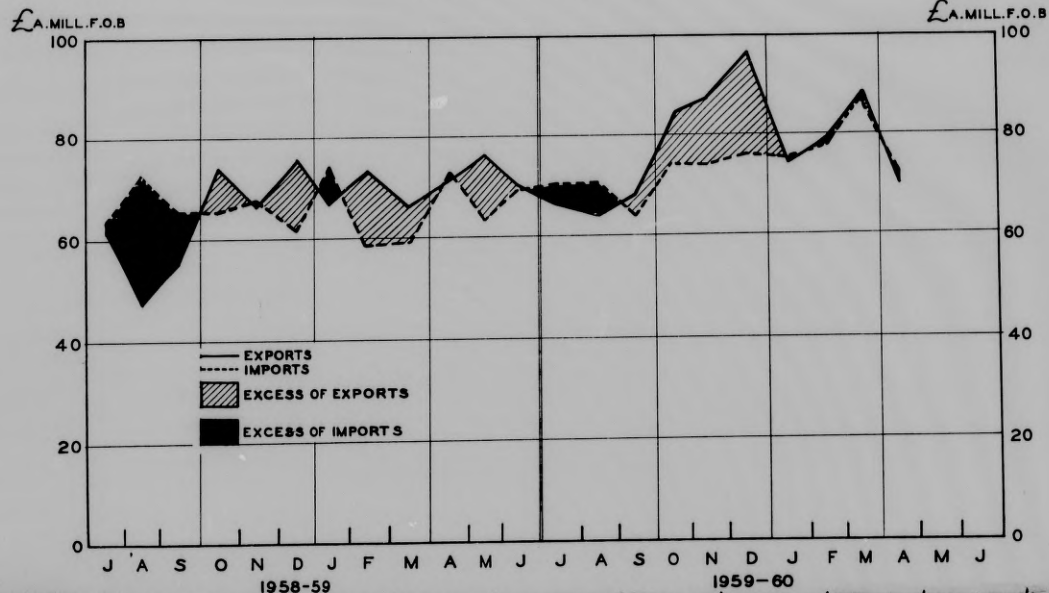
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NOTE(1) Basic Documents

The Oversea Trade Statistics published herein have been derived from documents obtained under the Customs Act by the Department of Customs and Excise and compiled by the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics. They do not include certain items for which customs entries are not recorded. See paragraph (v) of this note.

These documents are duplicate copies of export and import entries submitted by exporters and importers or their agents to the Department of Customs and Excise.

Export entries show date and port of shipment, country of consignment and the description, quantity (where required) and value of the goods. The statistical item number is inserted and verified by officers of the Department of Customs and Excise, Canberra.

Import entries show date and port of entry, country of origin, description of goods, quantity (where required), value of the goods and amount of duty paid thereon. The statistical item number is inserted by the importer or his agent, together with the tariff number under which the goods are admitted and these are verified by Statistical Officers of the Department of Customs and Excise in the local offices of the Collectors of Customs.

(ii) EXPORTS are recorded statistically in the month in which the export entries are passed by the Department of Customs and Excise. Normally this is within a few days of shipment, but shipment of some major items is at times delayed by abnormal factors affecting sales, deliveries for export and the loading of ships. When such delays occur, exports are diminished (pro tanto) and when such delays are overtaken shipments include substantial quantities of accumulated stock as well as current disposals.

In addition to the above, shipments of two major exports - wool and wheat - are affected by special factors. Wool shipments in any trade year are at times materially affected by the fact that wool auctions normally end in May or June, and there is a variable carry-over for shipment in the next trade year. New season's wheat normally becomes available for shipment from December onwards, and the quantity shipped in any trade year (ending June) depends on the size of the crop and the time spread of sales for export.

Exports are recorded with destination "For Orders" when the country of consignment has not been determined at the time of export. Where exports "For Orders" are not shown separately in the tables of Section 3(e) any such exports have been included with "Other Foreign Countries".

(iii) IMPORTS are recorded statistically in the month in which import entries are passed by the Department of Customs and Excise. Normally this is within a few days of discharge of cargoes.

(iv) Coverage. Statistics shown herein include merchandise and bullion and specie unless otherwise specified. The value of outside packages for both exports and imports is included in all tables, being recorded under each item concerned for exports and as a separate item in Class XX of imports. Export figures relate to both Australian produce and re-exports, except in Section 3(c) and 3(e), where exports of Australian produce only are shown. Exports of ships' stores and aircraft stores are excluded from overseas trade statistics, but are shown separately on page 27.

(v) Balance of Payments

Statistics relating to overseas trade only do not measure Australia's total Balance of Payments during the period shown. Particulars of other transactions entering into the balance of payments (in particular, freight and insurance charges payable overseas, current production of Australian gold, overseas payments of dividends, profits, interest and royalties, Government expenditure overseas, etc.) are shown in a printed bulletin published by the Commonwealth Statistician entitled "The Australian Balance of Payments 1928-29 to 1951-52". Current estimates for the years 1951-52 to 1958-59 and for the six months ended 31st December, 1959 have been published in mimeographed form. For items such as naval ships, merchant vessels trading overseas, aircraft for use on overseas routes and certain materials for inter-governmental defence projects, no customs entries are recorded but these transactions are taken into account in estimating Balance of Payments.

1. THE TRADE POSITION

This Bulletin relates to the recorded overseas trade of Australia (see notes on page 2) for the month of April, 1960 and the ten months ended April, 1960. Figures for these periods are subject to revision.

Imports of Merchandise in April, 1960 were valued at £A.72,682,000 compared with £A.73,082,000 in April, 1959, a decrease of £A.400,000.

Exports of Merchandise in April, 1960 were valued at £A.70,342,000 compared with £A.72,247,000 in April, 1959, a decrease of £A.1,905,000.

Imports of Merchandise for the ten months ended April, 1960 were valued at £A.744,296,000 compared with £A.661,975,000 for the ten months ended April, 1959, an increase of £A.82,321,000.

Exports of Merchandise for the ten months ended April, 1960 were valued at £A.781,393,000 compared with £A.659,305,000 for the ten months ended April, 1959, an increase of £A.122,088,000.

The table below shows the overseas trade in merchandise and in bullion and specie for the periods under review.

OVERSEA TRADE

APRIL, 1959 AND 1960 AND THE TEN MONTHS ENDED APRIL, 1959 AND 1960

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Item	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960*	1959	1960*
Merchandise - Imports ..	73,082	72,682	661,975	744,296
Exports ..	72,247	70,342	659,305	781,393
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	-835	-2,340	-2,670	+37,097
Bullion and Specie - Imports ..	137	5	1,876	1,994
Exports ..	66	100	4,619	5,972
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	- 71	+ 95	+2,743	+ 3,978
Total Trade - Imports ..	73,219	72,687	663,851	746,290
Exports ..	72,313	70,442	663,924	787,365
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	-906	-2,245	+ 73	-41,075

* Preliminary figures subject to revision.

NOTE: As to coverage of the above table, see notes on page 2.

Freight and insurance payable on imports are not included above. These were estimated at approximately £116 million in the year ended 30th June, 1959, and at approximately £61 million for the six months ended 31st December, 1959.

OVERSEA TRADE - MERCHANDISE - 1958-59 AND 1959-60

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Month	Merchandise			
	Imports		Exports	
	1958-59	1959-60*	1958-59	1959-60*
July ..	63,805	70,613	61,434	66,483
August ..	72,847	70,777	47,245	64,079
September ..	65,537	64,047	55,689	68,826
October ..	65,474	74,486	73,971	84,645
November ..	67,522	74,159	66,196	87,679
December ..	61,906	75,981	75,655	96,931
January ..	74,394	75,343	66,909	74,284
February ..	58,544	78,273	73,546	79,532
March ..	58,864	87,935	66,413	88,592
April ..	73,082	72,682	72,247	70,342
May ..	63,065		76,667	
June ..	69,348		70,733	

* Preliminary figures subject to revision.

NOTE: The notes following the preceding table apply also to this table.

THE TRADE POSITION - (Continued)

The value of Australia's trade according to monetary groups during April, 1959 and 1960 and the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960 is shown in the following table.

OVERSEA TRADE ACCORDING TO MONETARY GROUPS
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Monetary Group	April, 1959	April, 1960	Ten months ended April	
			1959	1960
<u>STERLING</u>				
<u>Imports</u>				
From - United Kingdom ..	30,503	27,308	258,759	267,930
Other Countries ..	9,167	12,169	109,968	128,116
<u>TOTAL:</u>	39,670	39,477	368,727	396,046
<u>Exports</u>				
To - United Kingdom ..	19,176	18,533	213,413	202,882
Other Countries ..	13,322	14,363	130,067	148,171
<u>TOTAL:</u>	32,498	32,896	343,480	351,053
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	-7,172	-6,581	-25,247	-44,993
<u>DOLLAR</u>				
<u>Imports</u>				
From - United States of America	10,880	10,935	90,788	118,642
Canada ..	1,776	2,799	18,925	23,193
Other Countries ..	222	364	3,745	3,690
<u>TOTAL:</u>	12,878	14,098	113,458	145,525
<u>Exports</u>				
To - United States of America	7,000	4,257	46,218	65,638
Canada ..	2,409	1,302	14,234	11,776
Other Countries ..	1,029	777	8,493	7,642
<u>TOTAL:</u>	10,438	6,336	68,945	85,056
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	-2,440	-7,762	-44,513	-60,469
<u>OTHER NON-STERLING</u>				
<u>Imports</u>				
From - E.E.C. (*) ..	9,131	8,291	70,805	86,683
O.E.E.C. (**) ..	2,950	2,312	27,374	30,900
Other Countries ..	8,590	8,509	83,487	87,136
<u>TOTAL:</u>	20,671	19,112	181,666	204,719
<u>Exports</u>				
To - E.E.C. (*) ..	12,204	13,292	110,480	155,822
O.E.E.C. (**) ..	2,454	1,347	10,671	10,727
Other Countries ..	14,719	16,571	130,348	184,707
<u>TOTAL:</u>	29,377	31,210	251,499	351,256
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	+8,706	+12,098	+69,833	+146,537
<u>ALL MONETARY GROUPS</u>				
<u>TOTAL IMPORTS:</u> ..	73,219	72,687	663,851	746,290
<u>TOTAL EXPORTS:</u> ..	72,313	70,442	663,924	787,365
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	-906	-2,245	+73	+41,075

(*) European Economic Community Countries, formerly included in O.E.E.C. Group.

(**) Organization for European Economic Co-operation Countries, excluding members of the E.E.C. Group.

2. IMPORTS

(a) Countries of Origin: Total imports into Australia from principal countries during April, 1959 and 1960 and the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960 are shown hereunder:-

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Country of Origin		April		Ten months ended April	
		1959	1960	1959	1960
United Kingdom	..	30,503	27,308	258,759	267,930
Australian Territories -					
New Guinea	..	509	529	5,552	6,035
Other	..	347	316	3,380	3,942
Borneo (British)	..	1,115	778	10,416	12,513
Canada	..	1,776	2,799	18,925	23,193
Ceylon	..	619	1,003	8,666	9,370
East Africa (British)	..	251	369	3,467	3,544
Ghana	..	26	421	906	1,552
Hong Kong	..	328	393	3,257	4,076
India	..	1,099	1,194	17,603	15,622
Malaya, Federation of	..	1,053	1,724	9,230	14,186
New Zealand	..	1,194	1,384	10,324	13,032
Pacific Is. (British)	..	182	160	2,117	2,111
Pakistan	..	103	140	1,897	2,857
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Federation of	..	104	114	3,186	3,336
Singapore	..	235	181	1,230	1,267
South Africa, Union of	..	407	537	4,472	5,910
Other Commonwealth Countries	..	194	253	3,465	3,499
<u>Total Commonwealth Countries</u>		40,045	39,603	366,852	393,975
Arabian States	..	2,327	2,862	24,682	29,398
Argentina	..	62	-	394	118
Austria	..	210	217	2,209	2,406
Belgium-Luxemburg	..	791	827	5,537	6,249
Brazil	..	76	193	575	1,400
Chile	..	2	25	172	164
China (Mainland)	..	349	334	3,064	3,563
Czechoslovakia	..	175	155	1,932	2,028
Denmark	..	176	123	1,556	1,607
Finland	..	243	123	2,387	3,104
France	..	764	1,581	9,859	10,801
Germany, Federal Republic of	..	5,107	3,939	35,646	42,912
Hungary	..	36	20	331	263
Indonesia	..	2,214	1,752	25,615	24,939
Iran	..	1,838	1,222	17,374	10,568
Italy	..	901	1,156	8,382	10,069
Japan	..	2,329	3,352	24,348	32,209
Mexico	..	185	107	2,213	1,769
Netherlands	..	1,509	1,236	9,820	15,758
Netherlands Dependencies	..	2	338	1,408	1,465
Norway	..	368	270	2,994	3,147
Poland	..	10	15	172	183
Portugal	..	84	83	676	739
Spain	..	52	205	728	1,758
Sweden	..	1,263	579	10,439	11,279
Switzerland	..	780	808	8,705	9,320
U.S.S.R.	..	50	60	346	455
United States of America	..	10,880	10,935	90,788	118,642
Venezuela	..	16	185	1,324	1,549
Other Foreign Countries	..	375	382	3,323	4,453
<u>Total Foreign Countries</u>		33,174	33,084	296,999	352,315
<u>TOTAL ALL COUNTRIES</u>		73,219	72,687	663,851	746,290

IMPORTS - (continued)

(b) Statistical Classes: Total imports during the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960 are compared hereunder according to Statistical Classes.

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Statistical Class	Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960
I. Foodstuffs of Animal Origin	6,514	8,279
II. Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-alcoholic Beverages ..	22,488	22,187
III. Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	1,900	3,339
IV. Tobacco ..	13,750	12,244
V. Live Animals, including Birds	484	531
VI. Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs	3,115	4,240
VII. Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and Man-made Fibres	16,787	16,636
VIII. Yarns and Manufactured Fibres, Textiles and Apparel -		
(a) Yarns and Manufactured Fibres	16,827	17,197
(b) Textiles ..	55,790	61,616
(c) Apparel ..	7,902	8,909
<u>Total Class VIII</u>	80,519	87,722
IX. Oils, Fats and Waxes ..	86,377	88,311
X. Pigments, Paints and Varnishes	5,560	5,503
XI. Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons	6,173	6,296
XII. Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery -		
(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures	116,019	134,645
(b) Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances and Equipment ..	30,157	35,860
(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)	96,102	111,009
<u>Total Class XII</u>	242,278	281,514
XIII. Rubber and Leather and Manufactures thereof -		
(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	13,723	19,405
(b) Leather and Leather Manufactures	747	972
<u>Total Class XIII</u>	14,470	20,377
XIV. Wood and Wicker ..	12,730	16,092
XV. Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware ..	12,058	13,328
XVI. Paper and Stationery -		
(a) Pulp, Paper and Board	29,161	32,602
(b) Paper Manufactures and Stationery	11,743	12,044
<u>Total Class XVI</u>	40,904	44,646
XVII. Sporting Materials, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces ..	7,489	8,828
XVIII. Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic goods, n.e.i.	10,256	13,007
XIX. Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers ..	33,025	38,422
XX. Miscellaneous ..	45,098	52,794
XXI. Gold and Silver; Bronze Specie	1,876	1,994
<u>TOTAL:</u>	663,851	746,290

3. EXPORTS

(a) Countries of Consignment: Total exports from Australia to Principal Countries during April, 1959 and 1960 and the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960 are shown hereunder:-

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Country of Consignment	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
United Kingdom	19,176	18,533	213,413	202,882
Aden	145	79	3,775	2,180
Australian Territories -				
New Guinea	1,085	721	8,728	9,263
Other	478	404	5,099	5,537
Borneo (British)	69	92	864	1,233
Canada	2,409	1,302	14,234	11,776
Ceylon	419	1,137	4,758	6,416
East Africa (British) ..	128	99	1,077	976
Hong Kong	619	625	9,888	7,628
India	924	1,299	8,431	13,933
Ireland, Republic of ..	318	139	2,818	1,232
Malaya, Federation of ..	885	798	11,412	10,423
Malta	72	4	607	1,184
Mauritius	156	164	1,353	1,442
New Zealand	3,516	4,859	41,265	44,228
Pacific Is. (British) ..	772	613	7,182	7,418
Pakistan	19	271	1,358	4,069
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Federation of	408	262	2,164	2,829
Singapore	860	973	8,080	9,202
South Africa, Union of ..	1,451	1,305	4,899	6,638
West Indies, Federation of ..	209	146	1,779	1,806
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	188	71	1,507	1,754
<u>TOTAL COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES</u>	<u>34,306</u>	<u>33,896</u>	<u>354,691</u>	<u>354,049</u>
Arabian States	239	188	2,541	2,246
Austria	206	58	1,302	1,349
Belgium-Luxemburg	1,049	1,611	18,280	20,861
Burma	92	190	1,223	1,719
China (Mainland)	776	684	11,663	13,062
Czechoslovakia	379	542	4,293	6,596
Denmark	262	45	1,302	1,045
Formosa	49	88	652	1,037
France	3,439	4,035	36,750	53,356
French Dependencies - New Caledonia ..	174	210	1,722	2,323
Germany, Federal Republic of ..	3,049	2,863	20,612	33,040
Indonesia	230	194	1,273	2,804
Iraq	502	74	1,158	6,542
Italy	3,379	3,992	26,566	40,693
Japan	9,968	10,172	83,321	110,600
Korea, Republic of	418	309	2,544	3,240
Mexico	479	395	3,657	2,529
Netherlands	972	489	4,866	4,544
Netherlands Dependencies	97	55	1,537	675
Philippines	345	292	3,411	4,205
Poland	759	1,125	9,400	9,340
Portugal	109	62	982	885
Sweden	714	403	2,071	1,510
Switzerland	90	203	970	1,705
Thailand	207	193	1,521	1,875
Turkey	675	406	2,037	2,339
U.S.S.R.	49	948	49	11,754
United States of America ..	7,000	4,257	46,218	65,638
U.S.A. Territories and Dependencies ..	95	83	1,056	625
Yugoslavia	98	405	2,371	3,473
Other Foreign Countries	785	1,392	9,401	12,316
"For Orders"	1,322	583	4,484	9,390
<u>TOTAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES</u>	<u>38,007</u>	<u>36,546</u>	<u>309,233</u>	<u>433,316</u>
<u>TOTAL ALL COUNTRIES</u>	<u>72,313</u>	<u>70,442</u>	<u>663,924</u>	<u>787,365</u>

EXPORTS (continued)

(b) Statistical Classes: Total exports during the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960 are compared hereunder according to Statistical Classes:-

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Statistical Class		Ten months ended April	
		1959	1960
I. Foodstuffs of Animal Origin ..		123,827	124,626
II. Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-alcoholic Beverages ..		122,667	136,478
III. Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors ..		1,679	1,845
IV. Tobacco ..		413	282
V. Live Animals, including Birds ..		1,041	1,698
VI. Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs ..		265,244	356,580
VII. Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and Man-made Fibres ..		773	1,005
VIII. Yarns and Manufactured Fibres, Textiles and Apparel -			
(a) Yarns and Manufactured Fibres ..		882	1,169
(b) Textiles ..		565	878
(c) Apparel ..		537	485
<u>Total Class VIII</u>		1,984	2,532
IX. Oils, Fats and Waxes ..		19,217	20,646
X. Pigments, Paints and Varnishes ..		787	910
XI. Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons ..		16,316	24,755
XII. Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery -			
(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures ..	58,991	59,660	
(b) Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances and Equipment ..	2,876	2,752	
(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical) ..	7,225	8,509	
<u>Total Class XII</u>		69,092	70,921
XIII. Rubber and Leather and Manufactures thereof -			
(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures ..	715	797	
(b) Leather and Leather Manufactures ..	2,980	3,902	
<u>Total Class XIII</u>		3,695	4,699
XIV. Wood and Wicker ..		3,636	3,456
XV. Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware ..		822	812
XVI. Paper and Stationery -			
(a) Pulp, Paper and Board ..	665	686	
(b) Paper Manufactures and Stationery ..	1,548	1,971	
<u>Total Class XVI</u>		2,213	2,657
XVII. Sporting Materials, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces ..		729	1,200
XVIII. Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, n.e.i. ..		1,452	1,931
XIX. Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilisers ..		6,145	6,434
XX. Miscellaneous ..		17,573	17,926
XXI. Gold and Silver; Bronze Specie ..		4,619	5,972
<u>TOTAL:</u>		663,924	787,365

(c) Exports of Wool: The following table shows the value of exports of wool, including sheepskins with wool on, of Australian produce only, in each of the months July, 1958 to April, 1960.

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Month	1958-59	1959-60	Month	1958-59	1959-60
July ..	23,395	29,504	January ..	26,034	35,307
August ..	11,786	17,609	February ..	28,291	37,469
September ..	18,691	24,661	March ..	29,013	41,384
October ..	30,302	37,628	April ..	27,464	31,413
November ..	27,665	41,283	May ..	32,432	
December ..	34,349	52,293	June ..	27,670	

EXPORTS (Continued)

(d) Total Quantities of Principal Items Exported: The following table shows the total quantities of principal items exported during the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960.

Particulars	Unit of Quantity	Ten months ended April	
		1959	1960
<u>CLASS I - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin</u>			
Butter	'000 lb.	152,299	157,468
Cheese	"	28,319	38,880
Eggs -			
In shell	'000 dozen	4,676	2,139
Not in shell	'000 lb.	8,339	13,727
Fish - Fresh or preserved by cold process	"	6,208	6,890
Infants' and invalids' foods ..	"	10,850	12,908
Meats -			
Preserved by cold process -			
Beef and veal	"	421,614	354,055
Lamb	"	89,235	55,986
Mutton	"	63,965	61,889
Offals	"	38,595	35,961
Pork	"	1,754	670
Rabbits and hares - skinned (carcasses and pieces)	"	23,910	20,942
Preserved in airtight containers ..	"	111,688	92,181
Sausage casings, natural ..	'000 bundles	2,237	2,435
Milk and cream -			
Preserved, condensed, concentrated	'000 lb.	51,775	52,810
Dried, including malted ..	"	66,781	76,884
<u>CLASS II - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin</u>			
Fruit -			
Dried -			
Currants	'000 lb.	10,580	8,052
Raisins, including sultanas ..	"	100,074	79,745
Fresh -			
Apples	bushe1	1,946,511	2,090,522
Citrus	"	355,059	537,229
Pears	"	730,685	746,262
Preserved in airtight containers ..	'000 lb.	139,838	137,995
Pulp	"	1,375	4,638
Grain or pulse -			
Prepared -			
Flour (wheaten) plain white ..	"	699,183	948,419
Oatmeal and rolled oats ..	"	8,189	5,351
Rice	cwt.	626,628	982,093
Unprepared -			
Barley	ton	537,020	529,206
Oats	"	206,463	197,688
Wheat	"	1,178,034	2,106,224
Jams and fruit jellies ..	'000 lb.	6,660	5,474
Sugar - from cane ..	ton	728,621	595,901
<u>CLASS III - Spirituous Liquors</u>			
Wine	'000 gal.	1,433	1,447
<u>CLASS VI - Animal Substances, Not Foodstuffs</u>			
Hides and Skins -			
Calf, cattle and horse ..	'000 lb.	71,766	49,193
Kangaroo and wallaby ..	"	711	1,016
Rabbit and hare ..	"	3,923	2,422
Sheep and lamb ..	'000 skins	18,719	22,748
Wool -			
Greasy	'000 lb.	975,815	1,104,802
Washed and scoured, slips, carbonized noils, tops and waste ..	"	105,744	113,294

EXPORTS - (Continued)

Particulars	Unit of Quantity	Ten months ended April	
		1959	1960
<u>CLASS IX - Oils, Fats and Waxes</u>			
Tallow, edible and inedible ..	ton	45,471	80,975
Petroleum and shale -			
Residual, heavy diesel fuel, and furnace oil	'000 gal.	155,084	110,064
Spirit ..	"	48,418	24,915
<u>CLASS XI - Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons</u>			
Coal ..	ton	512,049	824,595
Ores and concentrates -			
Lead and silver-lead ..	"	65,328	82,004
Titanium and zirconium ..	"	152,642	221,193
Zinc ..	"	217,611	185,777
<u>CLASS XII - Metals, Metal Manufactures, etc.</u>			
Iron and steel -			
Plate and sheet ..	ton	148,425	160,477
Lead -			
Pig ..	"	120,195	118,944
Bullion ..	"	51,560	24,843
Zinc, bars, blocks, etc. ..	"	33,472	29,677

(e) Exports of Principal Products of Australian Origin: Exports of principal products of Australian origin to various countries during the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960 are shown in the following table.

Country of Consignment	Ten months ended April			
	1959		1960	
	'000 lb.	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment	'000 lb.	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment
<u>BEEF AND VEAL - PRESERVED BY COLD PROCESS</u>				
United Kingdom ..	310,755	27,888	148,216	15,967
Bermuda ..	1,122	197	1,211	235
Hong Kong ..	2,237	227	1,551	185
Malta ..	1,195	129	1,181	151
Singapore ..	6,803	702	4,983	573
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	15,023	1,811	9,147	1,292
Arabian States ..	1,379	334	1,038	271
Belgium-Luxemburg ..	1,352	127	3,812	358
Italy ..	315	25	600	61
Japan ..	2,452	218	3,444	326
Philippines ..	3,249	359	2,266	282
United States of America ..	69,329	11,119	171,790	25,703
U.S.A. Territories - Hawaiian Is. ..	2,151	349	328	57
Other Foreign Countries ..	4,171	498	4,488	568
TOTAL:	421,533	43,983	354,055	46,029
<u>MUTTON AND LAMB - PRESERVED BY COLD PROCESS</u>				
United Kingdom ..	102,146	8,265	59,834	3,617
Australian Territories ..	472	49	556	54
Canada ..	8,782	798	8,625	703
Ceylon ..	256	20	261	22
Hong Kong ..	510	34	851	53
Malaya, Federation of ..	1,571	80	1,014	50
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Federation of ..	1,298	103	1,167	90
Singapore ..	2,346	151	3,296	168
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	2,112	155	2,970	206
Arabian States ..	740	81	711	78
Belgium-Luxemburg ..	796	39	699	33
United States of America ..	30,301	3,138	31,678	2,654
Other Foreign Countries ..	1,870	115	6,213	272
TOTAL:	153,200	13,028	117,875	8,000

EXPORTS - (Continued)

Country of Consignment	Ten months ended April			
	1959		1960	
	'000 lb.	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment	'000 lb.	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment
<u>BUTTER</u>				
United Kingdom ..	137,257	19,770	120,192	(*)20,183
Australian Territories -				
New Guinea ..	331	47	250	49
Papua ..	112	15	229	46
Borneo (British) ..	262	47	322	74
Ceylon ..	2,131	288	1,870	342
Cyprus ..	187	31	335	76
Ghana ..	116	21	134	30
Guiana (British) ..	243	39	207	45
Hong Kong ..	1,380	187	1,208	212
Malaya, Federation of ..	1,659	273	1,805	349
Mauritius ..	581	108	478	108
Singapore ..	1,837	266	1,508	279
West Indies, Federation of	399	68	897	178
Other Commonwealth Countries	654	105	2,264	393
Arabian States ..	905	160	884	187
Burma ..	336	62	438	101
France ..	394	53	11,709	1,880
French Dependencies - New Caledonia	436	65	520	100
Oceania (Other)	359	65	410	96
Germany, Federal Republic of	220	19	5,316	742
Italy ..	991	122	5,163	893
Japan ..	52	8	40	8
Netherlands Dependencies - Antilles	166	30	101	24
Philippines ..	166	28	182	38
Other Foreign Countries ..	1,125	184	1,006	214
<u>TOTAL:</u>	152,299	22,061	157,468	(*)26,647

FLOUR (WHEATEN), PLAIN WHITE

United Kingdom ..	75,185	1,084	69,720	943
Aden ..	60,272	857	42,720	591
Borneo (British) ..	14,052	223	19,214	268
Ceylon ..	81,744	1,227	242,077	3,306
Hong Kong ..	7,418	113	9,492	140
Malaya, Federation of ..	155,087	2,276	210,388	2,669
Mauritius ..	32,886	521	32,460	458
Pacific Is. (British) - Fiji	15,573	247	18,112	272
Singapore ..	70,119	1,079	68,537	889
Other Commonwealth Countries	40,242	638	58,320	707
Arabian States ..	53,939	766	65,987	830
Burma ..	13,502	207	13,825	204
French Dependencies ..	1,847	28	159	3
Indonesia ..	33,643	530	56,356	897
Philippines ..	8,237	129	7,106	114
Thailand ..	24,558	393	22,486	340
Other Foreign Countries ..	10,879	167	11,460	136
<u>TOTAL:</u>	699,183	10,485	948,419	12,787

SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS (**)

United Kingdom ..	11,363	1,090	11,495	1,411
Other Commonwealth Countries	14	3	124	17
Belgium-Luxembourg ..	892	97	4,469	650
France ..	84,616	8,688	105,001	14,485
Italy ..	5,203	636	9,636	1,555
Netherlands ..	2,903	224	1,398	148
Other Foreign Countries ..	8,276	927	6,022	788
<u>TOTAL:</u>	(ø)113,267	11,665	(/)138,145	19,054

(*) Preliminary - subject to revision.

(**) Excludes pickled skins.

(ø) 16,997,572 skins.

(/) 21,569,487 skins.

EXPORTS - (Continued)

Country of Consignment	Ten months ended April			
	1959		1960	
	'000 lb.	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment	'000 lb.	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment
<u>WOOL - GREASY</u>				
United Kingdom ..	258,245	55,334	234,333	60,517
Hong Kong ..	2,706	657	1,511	426
Ireland, Republic of ..	2,379	590	3,034	898
South Africa, Union of	2,069	467	3,390	946
Other Commonwealth Countries	1,152	222	2,278	562
Austria ..	4,358	1,072	3,426	992
Belgium-Luxemburg ..	78,537	11,756	90,828	16,530
China (Mainland) ..	5,101	1,356	12,568	3,891
Czechoslovakia ..	16,755	4,253	22,026	6,547
France ..	127,522	26,182	143,192	34,694
Germany, Eastern ..	473	97	2,938	865
Germany, Federal Republic of	45,407	9,538	62,624	15,951
Italy ..	94,811	21,623	113,351	31,355
Japan ..	227,851	54,544	269,494	74,050
Mexico ..	12,122	3,415	8,170	2,447
Netherlands ..	939	176	902	239
Poland ..	34,276	9,246	31,666	9,240
Portugal ..	2,897	668	2,200	645
Romania ..	1,305	315	1,095	319
Switzerland ..	2,588	575	5,309	1,379
Turkey ..	6,636	1,763	5,342	1,402
U.S.S.R. ..	-	-	36,508	11,193
United States of America	25,038	5,411	23,261	6,429
Yugoslavia ..	6,891	1,879	9,471	3,043
Other Foreign Countries	3,437	860	3,054	872
"For Orders" ..	12,240	2,642	12,831	3,343
<u>TOTAL:</u>	(*)975,735	214,641	(ø)1,104,802	288,775

WOOL - WASHED AND SCOURED, SLIPE, CARBONIZED, NOILS, TOPS AND WASTE

United Kingdom ..	22,206	5,348	21,780	6,393
Canada ..	4,050	1,036	4,774	1,482
Hong Kong ..	1,205	471	1,529	758
India ..	5,065	2,055	4,228	1,826
Ireland, Republic of ..	62	15	36	11
New Zealand ..	729	366	900	469
Pakistan ..	447	198	594	254
Other Commonwealth Countries	192	60	202	65
Belgium-Luxemburg ..	1,581	380	1,944	491
China (Mainland) ..	7,649	3,590	14,680	6,884
Denmark ..	586	145	575	192
Formosa ..	1,267	547	1,506	710
France ..	3,289	800	3,194	1,057
Germany, Federal Republic of	7,100	1,887	8,375	2,767
Greece ..	933	251	928	346
Italy ..	7,872	1,766	8,060	2,430
Japan ..	11,177	2,778	9,576	2,887
Korea, Republic of ..	4,553	2,210	5,217	2,763
Mexico ..	808	225	223	74
Netherlands ..	1,587	351	964	274
United States of America	15,318	3,942	15,700	4,873
Other Foreign Countries	5,759	1,852	6,024	2,516
"For Orders" ..	2,264	576	2,254	751
<u>TOTAL:</u>	(/)105,699	30,849	(**)113,263	40,273

(*) 3,260,328 bales. (ø) 3,763,752 bales. (/) 389,406 bales, excluding
bales of wool waste. (**) 432,843 bales, excluding bales of wool waste.

NOTE: Bales of wool are not a standard weight.

EXPORTS - (Continued)

Country of Consignment	Ten months ended April			
	1959		1960	
	Tons	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment	Tons	£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment
<u>WHEAT</u>				
United Kingdom ..	481,256	12,565	454,041	11,255
East Africa (British) ..	9,801	272	1,575	45
Hong Kong ..	43,239	1,134	45,628	1,137
India ..	20,736	537	277,396	6,679
Ireland, Republic of ..	86,359	2,261	9,265	230
Malaya, Federation of ..	15,735	464	16,203	417
New Zealand ..	185,770	4,932	177,308	4,365
Pakistan ..	19,290	512	86,170	2,193
Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Federation of	48,414	1,386	76,059	2,027
South Africa, Union of ..	30,502	854	35,679	1,014
Other Commonwealth Countries	9,232	277	38,490	926
Germany, Federal Republic of	46,987	1,204	86,072	2,075
Iran ..	4,732	133	79,536	2,148
Iraq ..	27,491	768	226,253	6,109
Japan ..	118,808	3,189	360,326	8,860
Lebanon ..	-	-	25,626	637
Philippines ..	4,142	111	19,962	510
Other Foreign Countries ..	25,540	720	90,635	2,222
<u>TOTAL:</u>	1,178,034	31,319	2,106,224	52,849

BARLEY - UNPREPARED

United Kingdom ..	74,477	1,869	78,506	1,617
Other Commonwealth Countries	5,380	144	1,119	33
Belgium-Luxemburg ..	48,919	1,375	7,817	174
Germany, Federal Republic of	75,314	2,061	169,660	3,499
Italy ..	3,395	91	81,986	1,671
Japan ..	242,640	5,838	32,213	724
Netherlands ..	58,712	1,621	53,583	1,018
Other Foreign Countries ..	28,183	724	104,322	2,190
<u>TOTAL:</u>	537,020	13,723	529,206	10,926

SUGAR - FROM CANE

United Kingdom ..	313,421	14,143	311,116	13,425
Australian Territories ..	3,397	203	6,690	186
Canada ..	164,118	6,250	103,197	3,770
Hong Kong ..	39,504	1,483	18,246	548
New Zealand ..	68,428	2,484	53,449	1,758
Other Commonwealth Countries	1,311	76	2,566	75
Japan ..	138,272	4,825	100,240	2,866
Other Foreign Countries ..	170	10	397	22
<u>TOTAL:</u>	728,621	29,474	595,901	22,650

LEAD - PIG

United Kingdom ..	56,603	4,749	74,158	4,279
India ..	3,038	260	1,137	99
New Zealand ..	4,202	376	2,818	253
Other Commonwealth Countries	2,123	178	1,940	165
Japan ..	958	82	414	149
United States of America ..	46,283	4,285	31,437	3,072
Other Foreign Countries ..	6,988	614	6,740	585
<u>TOTAL:</u>	120,195	10,544	118,944	8,602

4. VALUE OF COMMODITIES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED DURING APRIL, 1959 AND 1960
AND THE TEN MONTHS ENDED APRIL, 1959 AND 1960

TOTAL IMPORTS

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS I - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin</u>				
Cheese ..	25	45	324	386
Fish -				
Fresh or preserved by cold process	224	220	2,054	2,654
Preserved in airtight containers	164	223	2,514	3,302
Other ..	66	55	582	715
Lactose ..	17	22	190	253
Meats -				
Sausage casings, natural ..	57	57	616	601
Other ..	-	1	63	138
Other foodstuffs of animal origin	16	30	171	230
<u> Total Class I</u>	<u>569</u>	<u>653</u>	<u>6,514</u>	<u>8,279</u>
<u>CLASS II - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin</u> <u> and Non-alcoholic Beverages</u>				
Cocoa butter ..	139	52	739	997
Cocoa, beans, mass, paste or slab	96	446	2,037	2,545
Coffee and chicory ..	184	238	2,570	2,646
Confectionery, including cocoa and chocolate	23	43	206	305
Fruit, dried - dates ..	-	6	166	250
Grain and Pulse ..	23	42	472	378
Hops ..	11	-	313	-
Nuts, edible ..	133	136	1,330	1,493
Pectin ..	6	3	41	46
Pickles and sauces ..	18	10	123	145
Spices ..	57	66	590	723
Sugar and sugar syrups ..	121	8	404	267
Tea ..	886	1,093	12,682	11,376
Vegetables, fresh or frozen	2	28	44	124
Vegetables, preserved in airtight containers ..	10	12	119	124
Other foodstuffs of vegetable origin	53	66	652	768
<u> Total Class II</u>	<u>1,762</u>	<u>2,249</u>	<u>22,488</u>	<u>22,187</u>
<u>CLASS III - Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors</u>				
Ale and other beer, porter, cider and perry	2	1	23	20
Spirits (beverages) -				
Whisky ..	182	173	1,454	2,871
Other ..	34	39	320	348
Wine, fermented ..	8	11	103	100
<u> Total Class III</u>	<u>226</u>	<u>224</u>	<u>1,900</u>	<u>3,339</u>
<u>CLASS IV - Tobacco</u>				
Cigarettes ..	93	93	291	707
Cigars ..	27	20	199	290
Snuff ..	-	-	1	1
Tobacco -				
Manufactured ..	28	22	173	301
Unmanufactured ..	856	531	13,086	10,945
<u> Total Class IV</u>	<u>934</u>	<u>666</u>	<u>13,750</u>	<u>12,244</u>
<u>CLASS V - Live Animals including Birds</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>484</u>	<u>531</u>

TOTAL IMPORTS - (Continued)
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS VI - Animal Substances, Not Foodstuffs</u>				
Coarse hair and fibre ..	124	120	858	1,064
Hides and skins -				
Calf and cattle ..	5	10	40	87
Furred skins ..	64	102	370	585
Goat ..	3	5	223	273
Other ..	3	7	42	46
Shells ..	1	-	41	12
Wool ..	112	80	1,278	1,760
Other animal substances ..	17	59	263	413
<u>Total Class VI</u>	329	383	3,115	4,240
<u>CLASS VII - Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and man-made Fibres</u>				
Copra ..	338	306	2,450	2,376
Cork and manufactures ..	57	30	440	462
Fibres -				
Coir ..	17	28	189	242
Cotton, raw ..	432	296	5,168	4,648
Flax, hemp and ramie ..	15	21	114	251
Jute ..	20	36	506	503
Kapck ..	11	8	126	93
Sisal ..	119	140	1,617	1,688
Man-made fibres and filaments ..	293	97	3,227	2,822
Other ..	23	19	145	173
Gums and resins ..	160	150	1,214	1,476
Seeds -				
Gardening, agricultural and horticultural ..	111	55	937	1,164
Oil seeds and nuts (excluding copra) ..	4	18	108	98
Tanning substances ..	26	33	321	335
Other vegetable substances ..	20	15	225	305
<u>Total Class VII</u>	1,646	1,252	16,787	16,636
<u>CLASS VIII - Yarns and Manufactured Fibres, Textiles and Apparel</u>				
<u>(a) Yarns and Manufactured Fibres</u>				
Bags and sacks -				
Corn and flour ..	598	141	5,566	4,161
Woolpacks ..	73	217	1,142	1,728
Other ..	7	14	292	303
Cordage and twines and manufactures thereof ..	27	49	288	550
Sewing and other silk, cotton, etc. ..	256	214	1,847	1,805
Yarns -				
Cotton ..	259	307	2,470	2,567
Hair ..	15	8	145	82
Man-made fibre ..	481	600	4,829	5,398
Wool or chiefly of wool ..	8	21	106	309
Other ..	11	29	126	264
Waste materials and scrap textile articles ..	1	2	16	30
<u>Total Class VIII (a)</u>	1,736	1,602	16,827	17,197
<u>(b) Textiles</u>				
Blankets and blanketing ..	25	37	215	240
Floor coverings ..	840	830	6,092	6,512
Articles of furnishing, drapery and napery -				
Handkerchiefs, serviettes and tablecloths ..	70	64	1,092	1,038
Other ..	41	52	506	624
Piece-goods -				
Canvas and duck, not impregnated ..	75	62	777	834
Cotton and linen, not impregnated ..	3,155	3,316	31,388	33,756
Fabrics and felts, impregnated ..	85	75	790	836
Jute, including hessians and brattice cloth ..	122	339	2,466	2,411
Man-made fibre ..	578	524	5,271	5,578
Silk ..	101	161	982	1,321

TOTAL IMPORTS - (Continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment)

Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>(b) Textiles - (Continued)</u>				
Piece-goods - (Continued) -				
Velvets, velveteens, etc.	149	243	1,478	2,330
Wool or chiefly of wool ..	132	124	1,180	1,486
Felt ..	68	68	556	640
Other ..	155	226	1,469	2,232
Towels and towelling ..	67	86	978	1,142
Other textiles ..	56	53	550	636
<u>Total Class VIII (b)</u>	<u>5,719</u>	<u>6,260</u>	<u>55,790</u>	<u>61,616</u>
<u>(c) Apparel</u>				
Buttons, including snap fasteners	45	32	329	349
Footwear ..	69	38	741	561
Garments -				
Knitted -				
Hosiery ..	38	71	300	411
Outerwear ..	81	100	531	627
Underwear ..	7	7	41	40
Other ..	3	8	48	80
Not knitted -				
Outerwear (including blouses)	95	106	698	881
Sleeping wear, underwear, shirts and other sewn garments ..	7	4	168	238
Gloves ..	111	127	1,001	1,000
Hats and caps ..	45	52	608	716
Trimmings and ornaments -				
Embroidery in the piece ..	45	52	479	499
Lace, nets and veillings ..	123	124	1,248	1,240
Ribbons and galloons ..	14	15	182	177
Other ..	127	114	916	1,290
Other apparel ..	76	83	612	800
<u>Total Class VIII (c)</u>	<u>886</u>	<u>933</u>	<u>7,902</u>	<u>8,909</u>
<u>Total Class VIII</u>	<u>8,341</u>	<u>8,795</u>	<u>80,519</u>	<u>87,722</u>
<u>CLASS IX - Oils, Fats and Waxes</u>				
Fats, greases and waxes ..	117	72	1,167	1,288
Oils -				
Castor ..	5	14	132	236
Linseed ..	3	2	1,125	663
Olive ..	91	136	721	1,085
Peanut ..	38	26	732	581
Petroleum -				
Crude ..	4,622	5,233	56,930	60,757
Kerosene (incl. aviation turbine fuel)	734	386	4,484	4,582
Lubricating (mineral) ..	524	471	5,152	5,334
Residual and solar ..	138	125	733	908
Spirit ..	1,458	992	11,984	9,886
Turpentine substitutes ..	107	53	985	725
Other ..	62	40	655	572
Tung ..	19	13	189	192
Other oils ..	113	171	1,388	1,502
<u>Total Class IX</u>	<u>8,031</u>	<u>7,734</u>	<u>86,377</u>	<u>88,311</u>
<u>CLASS X - Pigments, Paints and Varnishes</u>				
Colour pigments -				
Black ..	208	63	1,455	1,165
Titanium oxide and titanium white	143	42	898	664
Other ..	65	64	577	675
Dyes, natural and synthetic, including lakes	313	222	2,291	2,659
Paints, colours and varnishes ..	21	30	339	340
<u>Total Class X</u>	<u>750</u>	<u>421</u>	<u>5,560</u>	<u>5,503</u>

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
CLASS XI - Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons				
Abrasives (natural) ..	69	91	410	540
Asbestos ..	97	152	2,300	2,198
Sulphur ..	237	167	1,652	1,442
Other rocks, minerals, etc. ..	176	170	1,811	2,116
Total Class XI	579	580	6,173	6,296
CLASS XII - Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery				
(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures				
Aluminium and Aluminium-base alloys (excluding wire and cable)	540	913	3,967	5,814
Bolts, nuts, rivets and washers	41	40	352	331
Chain and chains of base metal	71	68	629	664
Copper and copper-base alloys (excluding wire and cable)-				
Pigs, ingots and blocks	35	20	194	597
Other ..	61	131	771	912
Cutlery ..	126	144	1,573	1,690
Fencing posts and droppers	-	-	-	-
Heating and cooking appliances	125	64	805	813
Iron and steel (including special ferro-alloys) -				
Bars, rods, hoop, ingots, etc.	547	631	4,292	4,818
Ferro-alloys (mainly in ingot form)	34	142	1,241	1,875
Pig, scrap and powder ..	3	5	22	103
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor	153	255	1,532	1,837
Plate and sheet -				
Galvanized ..	49	72	208	469
Plain ..	231	414	2,922	2,709
Tinned, plated, polished and decorated	528	259	6,879	3,128
Structural ..	94	272	847	1,183
Kitchenware ..	32	30	300	362
Lamps and lampware ..	58	43	578	632
Leaf and foil ..	218	217	1,525	1,757
Meters and parts ..	83	93	985	944
Pins, hooks, eyes, needles and slide fasteners ..	27	37	225	292
Tin (ingots, etc. basic shapes, scrap)	90	166	856	1,174
Tools of trade ..	358	362	3,023	3,336
Vehicles -				
Aircraft and parts ..	2,962	1,499	11,682	18,316
Cycles and cycle parts ..	52	46	510	472
Motor cycles, side-cars, etc.	104	68	996	928
Motor vehicles (excl. fire engines and forklift trucks) -				
Complete ..	625	398	4,243	3,748
Bodies, chassis and parts	6,593	7,447	51,195	61,093
Railway and tramway vehicles (including trolley buses) and parts	64	21	270	109
Other and parts ..	173	218	1,789	2,267
Wire, single strand -				
Iron and steel ..	55	92	541	673
Copper and copper-base alloys	5	5	93	82
Other ..	40	27	407	358
Wire manufactures * ..				
Iron and steel ..	75	65	576	636
Other ..	10	9	66	48
Other metals and semi-manufactures ø	74	247	1,263	1,700
Other metal manufactures	1,036	760	8,662	8,775
Total Class XII (a)	15,372	15,280	116,019	134,645

* For cable and wire, covered, see Class XII (b). ø Includes all basic shapes, castings and forgings in the rough and pipes and tubes, flexible or metal-cased.

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS XII - (Continued)</u>				
<u>(b) Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances and Equipment</u>				
Batteries and accumulators	38	46	362	358
Cable and wire, covered ..	67	69	628	940
Communication equipment, including radio and television ..	672	955	7,980	9,687
Dynamo electric machines -				
Electric motors ..	384	406	2,871	3,541
Other ..	210	358	1,948	2,646
Hearing aids ..	44	38	274	333
Heating and cooking appliances	64	46	618	479
Ignition equipment for internal combustion engines	19	51	157	331
Lamps, bulbs, tubes, etc. ..	164	130	1,572	1,477
Measuring and recording instruments	109	113	753	1,149
Protective equipment ..	77	56	821	985
Regulating, starting and controlling apparatus ..	518	475	4,569	4,603
Transformers and rectifiers	382	216	3,214	2,963
Other electrical machinery and appliances	613	667	4,390	6,368
<u>Total Class XII (b)</u>	<u>3,361</u>	<u>3,626</u>	<u>30,157</u>	<u>35,860</u>
<u>(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)</u>				
Air and gas compressors ..	191	162	1,737	1,688
Agricultural, horticultural, etc. machinery -				
Harvesting ..	162	48	1,959	2,362
Other ..	58	66	806	873
Granes, hoists and other lifting machinery	57	87	880	1,517
Dairying machinery ..	53	69	587	465
Hand tools (power driven)	124	146	1,094	1,364
Household machines (except sewing and refrigerating) -				
Vacuum cleaners ..	53	49	322	495
Other ..	99	110	1,036	862
Metal-working machinery -				
Machine tools ..	1,077	528	5,615	6,756
Other ..	580	700	4,636	5,500
Motive power machinery -				
Aircraft engines and parts	532	647	4,535	6,610
Power boilers and parts ..	176	30	847	834
Tractors and parts ..	1,228	2,042	14,387	17,555
Turbines and parts ..	158	306	2,198	3,269
Other and parts ..	789	1,064	7,406	9,990
Office and accounting machines	1,053	806	9,922	8,252
Packing machinery ..	134	95	768	614
Paper-making machinery ..	114	316	587	2,167
Paper-working machinery ..	83	154	947	1,350
Printing machinery ..	417	318	3,109	3,426
Pumps ..	138	72	1,077	1,077
Refrigerating appliances ..	91	114	856	892
Roller and ball bearings ..	419	346	3,348	3,773
Sewing machines ..	263	280	2,717	2,651
Shavers, electric, and parts	51	36	415	413
Stone-cutting, road-making and mining machinery ..	761	1,022	7,269	7,868
Textile-working machinery and appliances -				
Knitting machines ..	127	102	1,116	950
Other ..	374	321	3,419	3,186
Wood working machinery ..	120	92	584	719
Other machines and machinery	1,717	1,302	11,923	13,531
<u>Total Class XII (c)</u>	<u>11,199</u>	<u>11,430</u>	<u>96,102</u>	<u>111,009</u>
<u>Total Class XII</u>	<u>29,932</u>	<u>30,336</u>	<u>242,278</u>	<u>281,514</u>

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS XIII - Rubber and Leather and Manufactures thereof</u>				
(a) <u>Rubber and Rubber Manufactures</u>				
Rubber -				
Crude, waste and masticated (including crepe) ..	944	979	7,738	11,733
Substitutes ..	359	372	3,136	4,278
Rubber Manufactures -				
Elastics and rubber thread ..	70	107	788	872
Tyres and tubes ..	119	138	1,137	1,398
Other rubber manufactures ..	114	129	924	1,124
<u>Total Class XIII (a)</u>	1,606	1,725	13,723	19,405
(b) <u>Leather and Leather Manufactures</u>				
Leather ..	49	71	318	542
Leather manufactures ..	37	48	429	430
<u>Total Class XIII (b)</u>	86	119	747	972
<u>Total Class XIII</u>	1,692	1,844	14,470	20,377
<u>CLASS XIV - Wood and Wicker</u>				
Manufactures of wood and wicker, including plywood, veneers and corestock ..	186	232	1,991	2,187
Timber -				
Dressed, bent or cut into shape ..	100	46	944	619
Undressed (including logs) ..	891	1,327	9,692	13,167
Wicker, bamboo and cane ..	9	16	103	119
<u>Total Class XIV</u>	1,186	1,621	12,730	16,092
<u>CLASS XV - Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware</u>				
Abrasives (Synthetic) ..	83	63	982	861
Cement ..	31	31	165	210
Crockery and other householdware ..	371	323	3,589	3,257
Glass ..	418	515	3,438	4,782
Glassware ..	187	180	1,887	2,014
Porcelain for electrical purposes ..	33	62	436	426
Tiles ..	100	135	895	1,117
Other earthenware, china, etc. ..	91	45	666	661
<u>Total Class XV</u>	1,314	1,354	12,058	13,328
<u>CLASS XVI - Paper and Stationery</u>				
(a) <u>Pulp, Paper and Board</u>				
Millboard and other boards ..	134	122	1,110	1,195
Paper -				
Printings -				
Newsprint ..	1,250	1,106	11,779	12,850
Other ..	416	279	2,867	3,137
Tissue and tissue cap (including cigarette)	187	186	1,882	1,987
Wrapping and bag papers ..	388	339	2,845	3,685
Writing and typewriting ..	123	63	904	880
Other ..	200	266	1,916	2,070
Pulp for manufacturing paper ..	802	721	5,858	6,798
<u>Total Class XVI (a)</u>	3,500	3,082	29,161	32,602

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS XVI - (Continued)</u>				
(b) <u>Paper Manufactures and Stationery</u>				
Books (printed), directories, etc.	818	851	8,362	8,803
Pens and pencils -				
Fountain pens and propelling pencils	90	56	724	686
Other	29	35	269	350
Other paper manufactures, stationery, etc.	265	201	2,388	2,205
<u>Total Class XVI (b)</u>	1,202	1,143	11,743	12,044
<u>Total Class XVI</u>	4,702	4,225	40,904	44,646
<u>CLASS XVII - Sporting Material, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces</u>				
Fancy goods and smokers' requisites ..	74	73	987	1,078
Jewellery -				
Precious stones, unset ..	64	124	833	1,195
Other, including imitation jewellery	118	109	832	993
Sporting materials	44	121	502	678
Timepieces -				
Clocks and clock movements ..	119	106	1,114	1,162
Watches and watch movements ..	95	118	1,209	1,334
Toys	131	177	2,012	2,388
<u>Total Class XVII</u>	645	828	7,489	8,828
<u>CLASS XVIII - Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, n.e.i.</u>				
Cameras and magic lanterns and accessories therefor	113	217	1,468	3,069
Cinematographs	19	38	281	321
Films for cinematographs	260	177	1,732	1,991
Photographic goods, n.e.i.	98	79	684	892
Scientific instruments, appliances and materials -				
Optical and ophthalmic	89	115	898	1,174
Surgical and dental	303	213	2,269	2,559
Thermostats	57	43	454	545
Other scientific instruments and appliances	276	209	2,470	2,456
<u>Total Class XVIII</u>	1,215	1,091	10,256	13,007
<u>CLASS XIX - Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers</u>				
Acids and anhydrides	100	92	985	1,095
Additives for petroleum oils	173	85	1,233	1,520
Alcohols and spirits	125	171	1,270	1,898
Calcium carbide	37	17	444	449
Drugs and medicinal preparations -				
Antibiotics	311	283	1,910	2,786
Vitamins and vitamin preparations	31	51	475	825
Other	685	799	6,330	7,325
Essential oils	82	56	535	560
Fertilizers -				
Potash salts	212	55	664	444
Rock phosphates	301	252	2,959	2,832
Other	59	36	914	507
Gases, refrigerant	58	31	389	371
Perfumery and toilet preparations	80	57	606	681
Soap and soap substitutes	40	49	451	592
Sodium carbonates	2	1	24	16
Sodium Cyanide	26	29	222	205
Styrene (monomer)	82	63	828	893
Tetraethyl lead	152	99	803	1,000
Chemical compounds, n.e.i.	1,195	1,248	9,959	12,363
Chemical materials and products, n.e.i.	216	222	2,024	2,060
<u>Total Class XIX</u>	3,967	3,696	33,025	38,422

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS XX - Miscellaneous</u>				
Antiques, paintings, works of art ..	21	16	211	215
Arms, ammunition and explosives ..	111	89	1,262	1,572
Bags, baskets, purses, wallets, etc. ..	48	81	602	872
Brushware ..	23	28	271	327
Cellulose acetate, preformed shapes ..	32	16	438	485
Imports made subject to the condition that they be re-exported ..	246	215	2,366	4,209
Military, naval and air force stores and equipment	587	755	3,467	6,679
Musical instruments and parts -				
Gramophones, etc., including records ..	98	49	886	634
Other ..	72	72	727	735
Outside packages ..	1,292	1,283	11,731	13,070
Packing for engines, boilers, etc. ..	143	108	1,093	1,140
Passengers' effects ..	387	313	3,639	3,647
Prefabricated buildings ..	-	3	32	9
Specialised equipment for large-scale projects ..	121	98	1,370	1,330
Structural steelwork for use with industrial equipment ..	1	12	45	631
Synthetic resins ..	520	742	5,883	7,866
Synthetic sausage casings ..	17	30	217	198
Vessels (ships) ..	904	61	5,565	2,282
Wall and ceiling boards, parts and decorations ..	13	12	158	109
All other articles ..	558	705	5,135	6,784
<u>Total Class XX</u>	5,194	4,688	45,098	52,794
<u>TOTAL MERCHANDISE</u>	73,082	72,682	661,975	744,296
<u>CLASS XXI - Gold and Silver; Bronze Specie</u>				
Bronze specie ..	-	-	-	1
Gold, including gold in matte ..	133	4	1,850	1,961
Silver, including silver in matte ..	4	1	26	32
<u>Total Class XXI</u>	137	5	1,876	1,994
<u>SUMMARY</u>				
<u>Importing States</u>				
New South Wales ..	31,495	30,768	292,751	334,978
Victoria ..	27,869	26,701	240,822	271,296
Queensland ..	4,499	4,228	40,857	41,667
South Australia ..	3,915	5,544	37,717	48,436
Western Australia ..	3,709	4,398	39,136	37,853
Tasmania ..	1,657	1,012	11,592	10,828
Northern Territory ..	61	28	914	1,157
Australian Capital Territory ..	14	8	62	75
<u>GRAND TOTAL:</u>	73,219	72,687	663,851	746,290

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
CLASS I - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin				
Butter ..	1,657	* 819	22,061	*26,647
Cheese ..	395	270	3,884	4,672
Eggs ..	112	269	1,638	2,103
Fish, fresh or preserved by cold process ..	388	502	2,597	3,332
Ghee ..	30	30	328	432
Honey ..	50	54	456	454
Infants' and invalids' foods ..	263	208	1,806	2,173
Meats -				
Bacon and hams, except tinned ..	6	4	89	96
Meat extracts ..	105	30	957	592
Preserved by cold process -				
Beef and veal ..	4,787	3,106	43,993	46,029
Lamb ..	100	234	7,961	4,034
Mutton ..	606	422	5,067	3,966
Offals ..	308	226	4,065	3,674
Pork ..	12	16	253	127
Poultry ..	7	12	100	58
Rabbit and hare ..	207	224	2,565	2,485
Preserved in airtight containers ..	1,074	590	13,273	11,324
Sausage casings, natural ..	177	185	1,961	1,528
Other ..	45	93	557	626
Milk and cream -				
Preserved, condensed, concentrated ..	138	118	3,574	3,682
Dried, including malted ..	423	320	4,599	5,444
Other foodstuffs of animal origin ..	276	54	2,043	1,148
Total Class I	11,166	7,786	123,827	124,626
CLASS II - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-alcoholic Beverages				
Biscuits, cakes and puddings ..	36	18	276	301
Confectionery, cocoa and chocolate ..	27	25	231	227
Food for animals ..	379	43	1,100	1,835
Fruit juices, syrups and substitutes ..	107	58	497	395
Fruit -				
Dried -				
Currants ..	85	2	643	522
Raisins ..	732	506	7,098	6,196
Other ..	157	118	401	503
Fresh and frozen -				
Apples ..	1,709	1,762	2,635	2,666
Citrus ..	1	1	569	837
Other ..	809	690	1,496	1,409
Preserved in airtight containers ..	2,012	1,901	9,343	8,629
Pulped ..	10	80	121	330
Grain and pulse -				
Prepared -				
Breakfast foods ..	32	12	162	163
Flour (wheaten) -				
Plain white ..	999	1,488	10,485	12,787
Other ..	62	33	561	574
Rice (cleaned) ..	241	288	1,928	2,401
Other ..	238	142	1,920	1,733
Unprepared -				
Barley ..	2,373	1,046	13,723	10,926
Millet ..	70	16	369	272
Oats ..	813	818	4,417	4,640
Peas (not split) ..	38	11	424	124
Rice ..	65	37	519	650
Sorghum ..	39	35	917	965
Wheat ..	3,716	3,676	31,319	52,849
Other ..	7	1	94	51

* Preliminary - subject to revision.

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS II - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-Alcoholic Beverages - (continued)</u>				
Jams and fruit jellies	38	48	462	399
Soups	41	26	300	215
Sugar - from cane	2,468	2,862	29,474	22,650
Tea	33	41	296	364
Vegetables -				
Preserved in liquid or pulped	14	11	127	145
Other	46	38	329	341
Other foodstuffs of vegetable origin	38	33	431	379
<u>Total Class II</u>	17,435	15,866	122,667	136,478
<u>CLASS III - Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors</u>				
Ale, beer, cider, etc.	44	36	477	559
Spirits (beverages)	23	9	265	244
Wine	98	91	937	1,042
<u>Total Class III</u>	165	136	1,679	1,845
<u>CLASS IV - Tobacco</u>				
Cigarettes, cigars and snuff	8	11	176	113
Tobacco	14	21	237	169
<u>Total Class IV</u>	22	32	413	282
<u>CLASS V - Live Animals including Birds</u>				
Cattle	42	5	420	387
Horses	14	100	190	587
Sheep	40	37	325	596
Other	12	10	106	128
<u>Total Class V</u>	108	152	1,041	1,698
<u>CLASS VI - Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs</u>				
Hides and skins -				
Calf, cattle and horse	716	270	5,083	5,120
Kangaroo and wallaby	3	22	185	376
Rabbit and hare	35	36	1,089	1,016
Sheep and lamb	1,392	1,742	12,028	19,337
Other (including sheepskin and lambakin pieces)	21	26	192	587
Pearl-shell	6	16	533	557
Trochus-shell	34	13	186	107
Wool -				
Greasy	22,709	26,334	214,661	288,775
Washed and scoured, slips, carbonized, noils, tops and waste	3,529	3,364	30,862	40,281
Other animal substances	53	34	425	424
<u>Total Class VI</u>	28,498	31,857	265,244	356,580
<u>CLASS VII - Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and Man-made fibres</u>				
Seeds	36	20	339	434
Tanning substances	3	56	180	321
Other vegetable substances	15	14	254	250
<u>Total Class VII</u>	54	90	773	1,005

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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
CLASS VIII - Yarns and Manufactured Fibres,				
<u>Textiles and Apparel</u>				
(a) <u>Yarns and Manufactured Fibres</u>				
Waste materials and scrap from textile articles	89	59	512	660
Yarns -				
Wool or chiefly of wool	2	1	58	37
Other, including sewing threads, etc.	16	20	176	366
Other manufactured fibres	15	10	136	106
<u>Total Class VIII (a)</u>	122	90	882	1,169
(b) <u>Textiles</u>				
Piece-goods -				
Cotton	15	24	113	221
Man-made fibre	13	17	78	126
Wool or chiefly of wool	14	7	72	69
Other	8	34	82	199
Other textiles	19	20	220	263
<u>Total Class VIII (b)</u>	69	102	565	878
(c) <u>Apparel</u>				
Footwear	13	4	211	186
Outerwear	7	9	92	102
Shirts, underwear and sleeping attire	3	5	33	35
Other apparel	12	11	201	162
<u>Total Class VIII (c)</u>	35	29	537	485
<u>Total Class VIII</u>	226	221	1,984	2,532
CLASS IX - Oils, Fats and Waxes				
Fats and waxes, etc. -				
Edible animal fats, excluding tallow	15	12	125	77
Fatty acids	22	23	183	306
Tallow - edible and inedible	592	312	3,715	4,319
Other	20	20	180	220
Oils -				
Petroleum and shale, including petroleum jelly -				
Kerosene (incl. aviation turbine fuel)	10	48	373	1,514
Lubricating (mineral)	50	180	502	528
Residual, diesel fuel and furnace oil	618	902	6,965	4,807
Spirit	17	267	3,199	1,868
Other	454	1,008	2,693	5,992
Whale oil	8	-	1,142	917
Other oils	14	7	140	98
<u>Total Class IX</u>	1,820	2,779	19,217	20,646
CLASS X - Pigments, Paints and Varnishes				
Lead oxides	19	18	158	159
Paints and enamels prepared for use	37	27	355	375
Other pigments, paints and varnishes	27	55	274	376
<u>Total Class X</u>	83	100	787	910
CLASS XI - Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons				
Asbestos, crude and fibre	380	88	661	851
Asphalt, tar and pitch	25	8	280	170
Coal	214	487	2,120	3,338
Coke	2	21	86	385
Ores and concentrates, including residues and wastes -				
Copper	235	600	1,551	4,990
Lead and silver-lead	385	65	3,794	5,153
Titanium and zirconium	438	450	4,311	4,557
Tungsten	15	104	184	670
Zinc	284	493	2,339	3,488
Other	89	40	639	738
Other rocks and minerals	44	48	351	415
<u>Total Class XI</u>	2,111	2,404	16,316	24,755

TOTAL EXPORTS - (Continued)
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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
CLASS XII - Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery				
(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures				
Metals and semi-manufactures -				
Copper ..	307	315	5,920	4,542
Copper-base alloys ..	140	60	776	1,239
Iron and steel -				
Bar and rod ..	107	110	1,145	2,316
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor	261	350	4,348	4,742
Plate and sheet ..	1,488	902	10,221	10,989
Scrap ..	253	330	2,532	2,996
Other ..	271	471	2,778	5,585
Lead -				
Bullion and silver-lead bullion	402	-	5,386	2,606
Pig ..	1,168	445	10,544	8,602
Other ..	6	11	167	111
Zinc ..	500	442	2,927	3,095
Other metals and semi-manufactures	30	35	352	578
Metal manufactures -				
Builders' and engineering hardware	48	39	345	454
Tools of trade ..	44	79	301	559
Vehicles and parts -				
Complete motor vehicles	203	334	1,643	2,148
Other vehicles and parts	293	486	5,871	4,612
Window louvres ..	44	58	542	740
Other metal manufactures	297	385	3,193	3,746
Total Class XII (a)	5,862	4,852	58,991	59,660
(b) Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Appliances and Equipment				
Batteries and accumulators	40	48	371	587
Cable and wire, covered	13	5	461	262
Communication equipment	81	36	1,032	590
Other electrical appliances	70	88	1,012	1,313
Total Class XII (b)	204	177	2,876	2,752
(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)				
Aircraft engines and parts	33	18	388	440
Agricultural, horticultural, etc. machinery ..	59	78	951	1,042
Mining and metallurgical machinery and appliances ..	72	44	599	563
Motive power machinery	112	96	1,065	1,220
Personal and massage appliances	12	22	111	72
Pumps, machinery ..	29	38	253	337
Refrigerating appliances	32	51	332	334
Other machines and machinery	388	329	3,526	4,501
Total Class XII (c)	737	676	7,225	8,509
Total Class XII	6,803	5,705	69,092	70,921
CLASS XIII - Rubber and Leather and Manufactures thereof				
(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	86	82	715	797
(b) Leather and Leather Manufactures				
Leather -				
Hide leathers -				
Sole ..	62	45	475	472
Other ..	193	136	2,047	3,058
Sheep and lamb ..	7	7	66	66
Other ..	13	10	266	196
Leather manufactures	13	12	126	110
Total Class XIII(b)	288	210	2,980	3,902
Total Class XIII	374	292	3,695	4,699

TOTAL EXPORTS - (Continued)
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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS XIV - Wood and Wicker</u>				
Sleepers, railway ..	152	6	1,945	1,736
Timber ..	93	59	1,194	1,088
Wood and wicker manufactures ..	96	51	497	632
<u>Total Class XIV</u>	341	116	3,636	3,456
<u>CLASS XV - Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware</u> ..	87	58	822	812
<u>CLASS XVI - Paper and Stationery</u>				
(a) <u>Pulp, Paper and Board</u> ..	69	59	665	686
(b) <u>Paper Manufactures and Stationery</u>				
Books (printed), periodicals, newspapers etc.	128	110	1,033	1,358
Other paper manufactures, etc.	54	58	515	613
<u>Total Class XVI (b)</u>	182	168	1,548	1,971
<u>Total Class XVI</u>	251	227	2,213	2,657
<u>CLASS XVII - Sporting Material, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces</u>				
Precious stones, unset - pearls, etc.	58	131	476	907
Sporting goods ..	14	14	140	173
Other jewellery, timepieces, etc.	13	12	113	120
<u>Total Class XVII</u>	85	157	729	1,200
<u>CLASS XVIII - Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, n.e.i.</u>				
Films for cinematographs ..	17	16	195	276
Photographic goods and materials	51	41	609	664
Other optical, surgical and scientific instruments and materials ..	74	144	648	991
<u>Total Class XVIII</u>	142	201	1,452	1,931
<u>CLASS XIX - Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers</u>				
Casein ..	146	77	1,371	1,313
Drugs and medicinal preparations -				
Acetylsalicylic acid ..	34	17	192	167
Other ..	142	121	1,531	1,559
Eucalyptus oil ..	9	5	67	71
Perfumery and toilet preparations	21	18	182	176
Soap ..	38	34	448	358
Other chemicals, elements and compounds	158	135	1,759	2,149
Miscellaneous chemical preparations (including fertilizers) ..	55	183	595	641
<u>Total Class XIX</u>	603	590	6,145	6,434

TOTAL EXPORTS - (continued)
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Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
<u>CLASS XX - Miscellaneous</u>				
Arms and ammunition	9	6	85	107
Exports by the Commonwealth Government for Australian Government projects being carried on outside Australia and for Australian representatives abroad	225	99	1,635	1,209
Other Goods exported with the intention that they be re-imported and temporary imports when subsequently exported. Goods exported by Australian companies for installation in or servicing their own aircraft abroad ..	465	519	3,860	5,693
Military, naval and air force stores and equipment	123	91	3,123	1,242
Synthetic resins	52	67	511	462
Miscellaneous exports when valued at less than £50 in any one consignment ..	356	353	3,694	4,103
Vessels (ships) transferred abroad ..	95	5	260	476
All other articles	548	433	4,405	4,634
<u>Total Class XX</u>	1,873	1,573	17,573	17,926
<u>TOTAL MERCHANDISE</u>	72,247	70,342	659,305	781,393
<u>CLASS XXI - Gold and Silver; Bronze Specie</u>				
Bronze specie	-	-	-	1
Gold, including gold in matte ..	3	14	3,266	4,578
Silver, including silver in matte ..	63	86	1,353	1,393
<u>Total Class XXI</u>	66	100	4,619	5,972
<u>SUMMARY</u>				
<u>States of Final Shipment</u>				
New South Wales	19,520	22,625	181,365	238,700
Victoria	17,174	16,952	177,486	204,798
Queensland	14,854	13,050	141,457	152,147
South Australia	8,659	6,012	74,474	78,925
Western Australia	7,591	7,067	74,169	95,217
Tasmania	4,484	4,712	14,675	17,172
Northern Territory	31	24	298	406
<u>Australian Produce</u>	71,183	69,249	650,043	772,018
<u>Re-exports</u>	1,130	1,193	13,881	15,347
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>	72,313	70,442	663,924	787,365

5. VALUE OF STORES LOADED ON OVERSEA VESSELS AND AIRCRAFT*
 (£'000)

Particulars	April		Ten months ended April	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
Value of Stores loaded	1,075	1,045	9,102	10,279

* Not included in export figures throughout this Bulletin.

6. CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE

Particulars of the Gross Revenue collected under each Statistical Class, and under various divisions or items of the Excise Tariff, together with the total Refunds and Drawbacks paid and Net Revenue, are shown in the following table for the ten months ended April, 1959 and 1960.

(£'000)

Statistical Class and Excise Division or Item			Ten months ended April	
			1959	1960
<u>GROSS CUSTOMS</u>				
Statistical Classes:				
1.	Foodstuffs of Animal Origin	299	385	
2.	Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	1,335	1,462	
3.	Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	2,751	3,906	
4.	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes and Snuff	10,169	10,665	
5.	Live Animals	-	-	
6.	Animal Substances (mainly unmanufactured), not Foodstuffs	6	5	
7.	Vegetable Substances and Fibres	194	229	
8a.	Yarns and Manufactured Fibres	424	459	
8b.	Textiles	6,126	7,020	
8c.	Apparel	1,812	2,292	
9.	Oils, Fats and Waxes	9,582	8,801	
10.	Pigments, Paints and Varnishes	172	189	
11.	Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons	31	51	
12a.	Metals and Metal Manufactures	9,171	9,938	
12b.	Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances, etc.	3,214	3,337	
12c.	Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)	6,189	7,551	
13a.	Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	533	374	
13b.	Leather and Leather Manufactures	99	140	
14.	Wood and Wicker, raw and manufactured	1,151	1,401	
15.	Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware	1,697	1,843	
16a.	Pulp, Paper and Board	478	584	
16b.	Paper Manufactures and Stationery	413	505	
17.	Sporting Materials, Toys, Jewellery and Timepieces	2,012	2,344	
18.	Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments, etc.	994	1,209	
19.	Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, etc.	1,200	1,541	
20.	Miscellaneous Goods	2,098	2,601	
Other Gross Customs Revenue:				
	Primage	1,938	1,713	
	Sundry, Undistributed Duties	270	203	
	Duties under Industries Preservation Act	6	4	
	Other Miscellaneous Customs Receipts	260	254	
<u>TOTAL GROSS CUSTOMS REVENUE</u>			64,624	71,006
<u>GROSS EXCISE</u>				
	Beer	90,866	94,720	
	Spirits	6,984	6,951	
	Tobacco	12,802	12,002	
	Cigars and Cigarettes	46,718	50,959	
	Petrol	36,528	40,320	
	Aviation Turbine Kerosene	332	658	
	Diesel Fuel	2,044	1,862	
	Playing Cards	41	43	
	Cigarette Papers and Tubes	688	646	
	Matches	920	930	
	Coal	482	353	
	Other Excise	2,326	3,275	
<u>TOTAL GROSS EXCISE REVENUE</u>			200,731	212,719
Total Gross Customs and Excise Revenue			265,355	283,725
Refunds and Drawback Paid			4,559	4,051
<u>TOTAL NET CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE</u>			260,796	279,674

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