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MAIN FEATURES

The recorded value of imports in July 1986 was \$3,065m, an increase of 12% compared with \$2,736m for June 1986. For July, the major sources of Australian imports, with the corresponding percentages for June in brackets, were: EEC \$775m, 25% (25%); Japan \$747m, 24% (24%); and the USA \$608m, 20% (21%).

The recorded value of imports in July 1986 decreased by \$156m, or 5%, compared with imports in July 1985. The States and Territory contributing most to this decrease were: New South Wales, down \$111m (8%); South Australia, down \$52m (28%); and the Northern Territory, down \$24m (62%). Western Australia showed an increase over the same period of \$20m (11%).

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This publication contains monthly and year-to-date statistics of Australia's imports classified by Divisions (2 digits) and Items (5 digits) of the Australian Import Commodity Classification (AICC) (1204.0). Statistics at the Section (1 digit) level are available in the ABS publication Imports by Commodity Divisions (5405.0). Statistics for 1985-86 and 1986-87 may be amended as a result of continuing quality checks on foreign trade data. Although these amendments usually have little effect on broad aggregate statistics, they may have a significant effect on individual commodity statistics. For this reason, statistics for 1985-86 and 1986-87 should be regarded as preliminary and subject to revision.

Source of data

2. These statistics are compiled by the Australian Bureau of Statistics from information contained in import entries submitted by importers or their agents to the Australian Customs Service as required by the Customs Act.

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 recorded, they are excluded from imports and imports cleared for home consumption. The value of non-merchandise trade is shown in Table 1 (see paragraphs 11 and 12).

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 and stores supplied to ship's and to 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 agreement 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 purchase of any ship and/or aircraft intended for use on overseas routes;
- (g) fish and other sea products landed in Australia directly from the high seas by Australian ships;
- (h) entries lodged on informal clearance documents (ICD) for values not exceeding \$250. In addition, from 21 October 1985 onwards, ICD's for postal articles valued between \$250 and \$1000 are excluded.

Statistical period

6. Imports are recorded statistically in the calendar month in which the import entries are both finalised by the Australian Customs Service and passed to the ABS for further processing. Import entries may be lodged early using the check-to-arrive system or the documents may be delayed because of various validation checks carried out by Customs prior to the entries being passed to the ABS.

7. Import statistics for a particular month do not necessarily represent entries lodged or commodities actually imported during the month in question. Analysis of past data has shown that in aggregate approximately 70 per cent of import trade by value recorded for a particular month was actually imported during that month, 25 per cent was

actually imported during the previous month with the remaining 5 per cent being imported in earlier months. For individual commodities the percentage by value representing actual imports in a month may vary considerably.

Valuation

8. 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 (MTN) concluded in 1979.

9. 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 practical rules are used to determine the customs value.

10. The recording of the value of imports is on a free-on-board (f.o.b.) basis (i.e. the charges and expenses involved in delivering the goods from 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.

Imports and non-merchandise trade

11. From July 1985, non-merchandise trade is excluded from import (and export) statistics. This is in accord with UN recommendations and practices adopted by Australia's major trading partners. Statistics prior to July 1985 included in this publication have been adjusted to be comparable with data from July 1985 onwards and, consequently, will not be directly comparable with previous publications.

12. Non-merchandise imports consist primarily of re-imports of goods which were originally exported on a temporary basis or for repair, alteration or renovation, and imports of goods on a temporary basis (including goods for repair, alteration or renovation in Australia) and subsequent re-exportation.

Commodity classification

13. Imports are classified according to the items of the AICC which, from 1 July 1978, has been based on the Standard International Trade Classification Revision 2 (United Nations, Statistical Papers, Series M, No. 34, Revision 2,

1975). A detailed description of the commodity items included in this publication is contained in the AICC. Copies of, or extracts from, the classification may be obtained from offices of the ABS in Canberra and in each capital city.

Broad Economic Categories

14. Imports of merchandise in Table 6 are classified according to the nineteen categories of the United Nations' Classification, Broad Economic Categories (BEC). The BEC attempts to classify foreign trade statistics for the purposes of general economic analysis according to the main end use of the commodities traded. Figures for previous years have been compiled and are available on request.

ASIC industry of origin

15. Import statistics classified by Subdivisions of the Australian Standard Industry Classification (ASIC) are shown in Table 5. These statistics are compiled by allocating statistical items of the AICC to the ASIC industry of origin with whose main economic activities the commodities are primarily associated. A full description of ASIC Classes is contained in the publication Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Vol 1 - The Classification (1201.0).

Country

16. 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 Australian Customs provisions. External territories under Australian administration are treated separately whilst self-governing territories and dependent territories under the administration of other countries may be treated as individual countries in Australian foreign trade statistics. For imports, country refers to the country of origin of the goods which is defined as the country of production for Customs purposes.

State

17. State means the State in which the import entry was lodged with the Australian Customs Service. The port of lodgement of the import 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 import entry.

Treatment of confidential data

18. To ensure that information about the activities of particular businesses

is not disclosed, it is necessary to restrict the release of statistics of certain commodities. These restrictions do not affect total import figures but they can affect statistics at all levels of the Australian Import Commodity Classification.

19. Reference to table footnotes and Appendix A should assist in the interpretation of these differences.

Revisions to previous figures

20. Where revisions have been made to the previously published figures for earlier months of the current financial year, appropriate adjustments are made to the year-to-date figures shown in this publication. For this reason, monthly figures published in previous issues for the current financial year will not necessarily add to the year-to-date figures shown in the latest issue.

21. Statistics shown in this publication were the latest available at the time of compilation. However, revisions may have since been made to the statistics, which could result in differences between figures in this publication and those in other related publications e.g. Imports by Commodity Divisions, Australia (5405.0).

OTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE

22. Special returns service: Subscribers to this service can receive computer produced printout of foreign trade statistics at a particular commodity level in one or more of a limited number of formats, for a charge consistent with the level of detail required. This service is recommended where up to fifty specific commodity items are required on a regular basis.

23. Microfiche service: Foreign trade statistics are also available on microfiche in a variety of tabular formats. Each tabular format covers all commodities exported or imported at various levels of aggregation. This service is recommended where the subscriber wishes to obtain foreign trade details for a large number of commodities.

24. Magnetic tape service: Statistics for imports, exports and import clearances are available on 9-track magnetic tape approximately 4 weeks after the end of the reference period. This service is recommended where the subscriber wishes to obtain trade data at the most detailed level. Documentation regarding the content and structure of

these tapes is available from the ABS Trade and Shipping Section in Canberra.

25. To meet subscribers' needs special returns, microfiche and magnetic tape are available on a monthly, quarterly or less frequent basis. Relevant application forms and information papers for these services are available from the ABS Trade and Shipping Section in Canberra or any ABS State office. Payment in advance is required for each of these services.

Related publications

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

Imports by Commodity Divisions, Australia (5405.0) - issued monthly

Exports, Australia (5404.0) - issued monthly (\$1.20, \$2.10 incl. postage)

Exports and Imports, Australia: Trade with Selected Countries and Major Country Groups (5422.0) - issued quarterly (\$1.20, \$2.10 incl. postage)

Exports and Imports (Balance of Payments Basis) at Constant Prices, Australia (5332.0) - issued quarterly

Imports, Australia: Annual Summary Tables (5426.0) - issued annually (\$1.20, \$2.10 incl. postage)

27. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the Catalogue of Publications, 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.

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28. A wide range of economic, social and demographic statistics is now available on AUSSTATS, ABS' new on-line service through CSTRONET.

29. For further information phone the AUSSTATS Help Desk on (062) 526017.

Symbols and other usages

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n.e.i. not elsewhere included
n.e.s. not elsewhere specified
n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
exc. exceeding

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

TABLE 1. SUMMARY OF IMPORTS AND IMPORTS CLEARED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION
\$m.

Period	Total imports	Non-merchandise imports	Imports cleared for home consumption(a)	
			Government	Total
1980-81	18,790	176	324	18,621
1981-82	22,767	238	317	22,611
1982-83	21,216	590	443	21,256
1983-84	23,540	521	542	23,425
1984-85	29,050	971	648	28,934
1985-86	34,667	1,069	1,434	34,303
1984-85 -				
May	2,967	111	70	2,924
June	2,615	270	80	2,626
1985-86 -				
July	3,221	46	86	3,173
August	3,072	75	55	3,042
September	2,805	128	57	2,792
October	3,133	41	121	3,113
November	2,675	39	64	2,606
December	2,844	104	53	2,744
January	3,273	224	169	3,267
February	2,625	187	137	2,635
March	2,604	26	177	2,580
April	2,963	36	173	2,907
May	2,717	98	151	2,700
June	2,736	65	191	2,724
1986-87 -				
July	3,065	73	168	3,071

(a) See paragraph 3 of the Explanatory Notes.

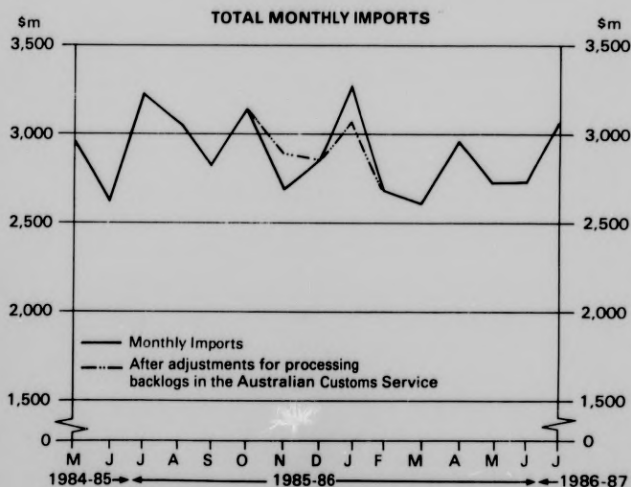
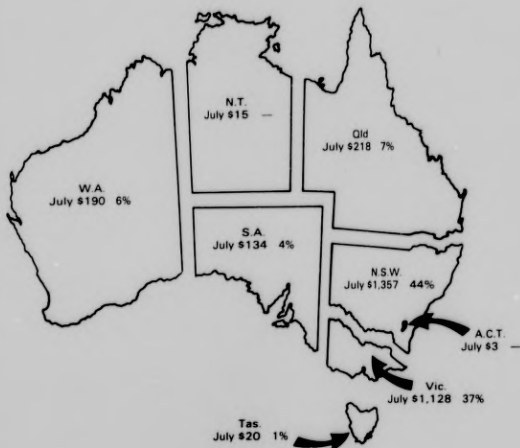


TABLE 2. IMPORTS BY STATE(a)
\$'000

State	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
				1985	1986
New South Wales	1,319,304	1,160,657	1,239,474	1,467,854	1,357,120
Victoria	1,089,743	1,018,908	986,381	1,120,335	1,127,664
Queensland	196,457	217,564	177,480	213,079	217,826
South Australia	136,887	128,609	123,466	185,851	134,145
Western Australia	175,030	152,566	147,089	170,674	190,281
Tasmania	23,128	19,906	19,537	23,002	20,490
Northern Territory	17,695	16,230	18,303	38,501	14,507
Australian Capital Territory	5,025	2,467	4,425	1,746	2,833
Total imports	2,963,267	2,716,847	2,736,154	3,220,841	3,064,876

(a) State in which import entry was lodged. The State of lodgement is not necessarily the State in which the goods were discharged (see paragraph 17 of the Explanatory Notes).

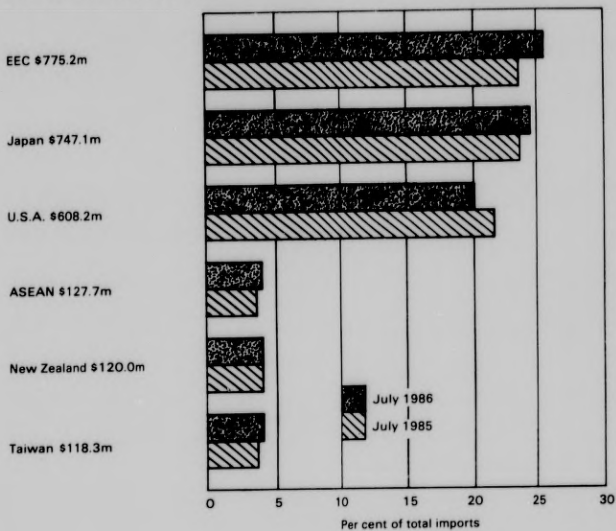
DISTRIBUTION OF IMPORTS BY STATE(a)
\$m



(a) Percentages (%) relate to the monthly State contributions to total monthly imports.

DISTRIBUTION OF IMPORTS FROM MAJOR COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS(a)

JULY 1986—Total imports \$3064.9m



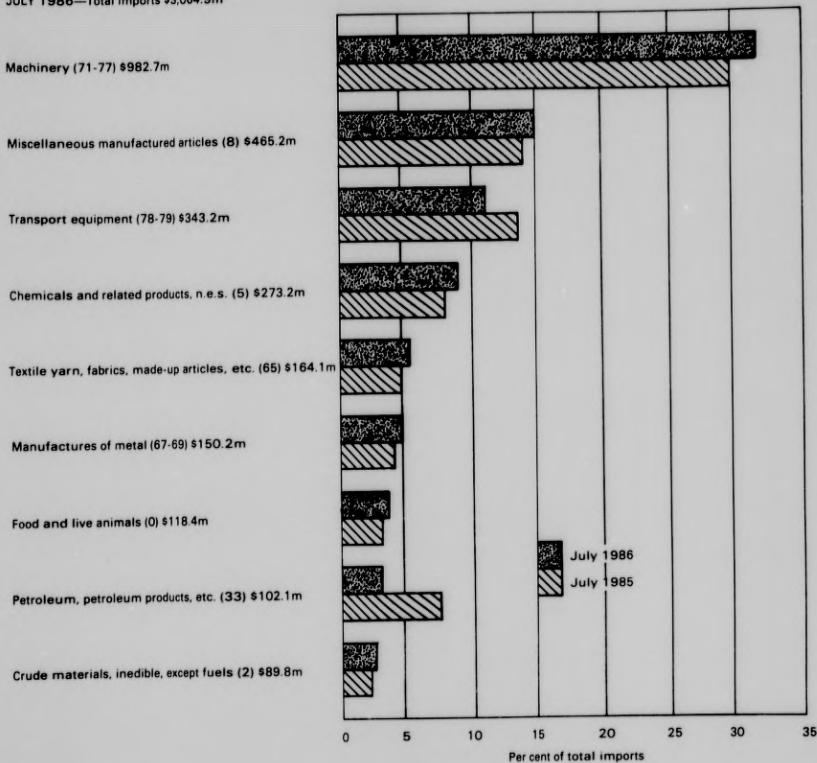
(a) Imports from the countries and country groups shown in this chart represent 81% of total imports for July 1986.

TABLE 3. IMPORTS FROM COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS
\$'000

Country or country group	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
				1985	1986
Argentina (Argentine Republic)	2,837	1,260	3,578	4,914	1,736
Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) -					
Brunei Darussalam	-	-	-	-	1
Indonesia, Republic of	10,725	38,953	15,054	7,864	17,995
Malaysia	25,348	31,843	24,302	26,419	28,961
Philippines, Republic of the	10,126	9,241	7,689	11,754	8,339
Singapore, Republic of	46,518	59,148	46,498	54,399	51,034
Thailand, Kingdom of	22,584	14,784	21,542	17,918	21,413
Total ASEAN	115,302	153,968	115,084	118,354	127,733
Australia (re-imported)	1,122	1,464	1,046	2,374	1,888
Austria, Republic of	14,352	12,221	7,680	9,181	9,027
Bahamas, Commonwealth of the	-	-	-	693	95
Bahrain, State of	-	713	38	5,426	1,140
Bangladesh, People's Republic of	1,339	1,604	1,318	1,604	1,458
Bermuda	-	-	1	-	25
Brazil, Federal Republic of	16,699	14,105	28,241	31,061	20,590
Bulgaria, People's Republic of	61,547	52,103	51,047	8,703	183
Canada	61,547	52,103	51,047	49,067	58,993
Chile, Republic of	690	941	256	741	550
China, People's Republic of	34,057	36,351	32,226	35,046	47,367
Christmas Island	9,127	999	999	1,745	1,784
Columbia, Republic of	740	1,063	977	304	304
Czechoslovakia (Czechoslovak Socialist Republic)	2,926	2,255	2,139	2,830	1,828
Ecuador, Republic of	427	232	1,244	682	745
European Economic Community (EEC) -					
Belgium-Luxembourg	23,272	23,577	22,103	25,525	27,794
Denmark, Kingdom of	12,433	10,828	14,157	18,682	17,637
France (French Republic)	61,610	75,348	63,471	72,128	74,177
Germany, Federal Republic of	263,964	235,520	235,918	222,360	249,978
Greece (Hellenic Republic)	14,009	8,916	5,109	1,534	2,988
Ireland (Irish Republic)	12,348	6,956	14,700	15,445	14,878
Italy (Italian Republic)	94,108	81,512	72,054	96,258	100,702
Netherlands, Kingdom of the	33,421	35,011	34,713	53,645	44,472
Portugal (Portuguese Republic)	3,038	1,608	2,611	3,682	3,739
Spain (Spanish State)	13,032	12,012	8,473	14,529	11,118
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	221,860	189,846	214,509	227,374	229,718
Total EEC	753,394	681,135	685,019	751,161	775,202
Fiji	5,581	4,600	4,573	4,234	6,356
Finland, Republic of	17,065	16,488	16,479	17,338	17,553
German Democratic Republic	660	857	737	721	888
Hong Kong	50,749	52,023	49,867	63,171	65,858
Hungary (Hungarian People's Republic)	855	844	817	772	848
India, Republic of	13,596	12,552	15,718	14,328	18,737
Iran, Islamic Republic of	421	338	275	289	561
Israel, State of	6,211	9,326	7,491	10,766	7,405
Ivory Coast, Republic of the	514	308	1,396	150	197
Japan	693,027	625,136	651,000	763,389	747,072
Kenya, Republic of	1,027	641	326	668	537
Korea, Republic of	48,251	38,072	58,362	50,407	54,424
Kuwait, State of	18,780	9,080	14,376	53,197	12,911
Macau	2,769	2,443	4,329	3,144	4,225
Malawi, Republic of	58	93	29	24	49
Mexico (United Mexican States)	5,861	5,031	6,300	8,596	5,529
Morocco, Kingdom of	321	228	1,580	230	648
Nauru, Republic of	8,520	4,215	4,991	4,996	5,042
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	123,234	124,600	103,505	133,508	119,890
Norway, Kingdom of	6,322	5,604	8,834	5,292	6,233
Pakistan, Islamic Republic of	3,986	2,887	3,225	1,166	4,366
Papua New Guinea	18,478	22,276	9,750	9,271	17,209
Peru, Republic of	1,499	235	578	207	207
Poland (Polish People's Republic)	1,299	1,315	1,926	1,004	1,463
Puerto Rico	1,597	1,319	16,499	1,830	7,173
Qatar, State of	4,888	4,888	4,799	8,943	5,177
Romania, Socialist Republic of	1,019	680	526	417	578
Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	44,753	27,537	13,393	73,275	19,786
South Africa, Republic of	11,489	9,786	12,855	15,844	10,644
Sri Lanka, Democratic Socialist Republic of	1,584	1,219	1,328	1,384	1,183
Sweden, Kingdom of	60,937	53,052	57,003	56,617	67,056
Switzerland (Swiss Confederation)	35,439	35,598	39,626	40,507	45,403
Taiwan	92,078	87,170	93,172	120,121	118,278
Tanzania, United Republic of	598	6	344	64	71
Tonga, Kingdom of	120	108	108	218	148
Turkey, Republic of	1,507	750	947	920	1,265
Uganda, Republic of	1,931	458	64	1,142	592
United Arab Emirates	4,035	10,045	6,611	9,705	13,824
United States of America	649,586	572,753	578,457	694,829	608,221
Uruguay, Eastern Republic of	785	70	150	688	56
U.S.S.R. (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics)	785	500	797	546	1,294
Viet Nam, Socialist Republic of	734	1,657	984	1,630	675
Yugoslavia, Socialist Federal Republic of	3,233	3,271	2,117	2,830	2,112
Zambia	89	43	16	8	596
Zimbabwe	680	216	203	473	604
Origin unknown	2,851	280	1,922	584	169
Other countries	4,520	6,729	6,872	17,529	10,562
Total imports	2,963,267	2,716,847	2,736,154	3,220,841	3,064,876

DISTRIBUTION OF IMPORTS BY MAJOR COMMODITIES(a)

JULY 1986—Total imports \$3,064.9m



(a) Imports of the 'major commodities' shown in this chart are significant imports by particular Sections (1 digit) and Divisions (2 digits) of the *Australian Import Commodity Classification* (figures in brackets following commodity descriptions denote the relevant Sections and Divisions) and represent 88% of total imports for July 1986.

TABLE 4. IMPORTS OF COMMODITY ITEMS AT THE SITC ITEM LEVEL OF THE AUSTRALIAN IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION \$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
00	Live animals					
00111	Cattle, pure bred, for breeding	30	987	17	46	-
00119	Cattle, other than pure bred breeding stock	-	-	-	-	-
00121	Sheep and lambs	1	1	-	-	-
00122	Goats	-	3	-	-	3
00130	Pigs	-	-	15	-	-
00150	Horses, asses, mules and hinnies	6,364	8,082	5,568	2,063	4,328
	Division total	6,395	9,073	5,600	2,109	4,333
01	Meat and meat preparations					
01111	Meat of bovines, with bone-in	-	-	89	92	159
01112	Meat of bovines, boneless	8	297	1,048	758	1,164
01120	Meat of sheep, lambs and goats	12	179	236	81	442
01160	Edible offals of animals of headings 001.11 - 001.30 and 001.55 (excl. guts, bladders and stomachs - see heading 291.93)	-	36	21	52	20
01189	Meat and edible offals (except poultry liver), fresh, chilled or frozen, nes	48	184	68	121	40
01290	Meat and edible offals (except poultry liver), salted, in brine, dried or smoked, nes	17	9	20	22	12
01410	Meat extracts and juices; fish extracts	13	27	184	27	9
01420	Sausages and the like, of meat, meat offal or animal blood	4	1	11	2	6
01490	Prepared or preserved meat or meat offal, nes	844	427	433	493	451
	Division total	946	1,160	2,131	1,647	2,303
02	Dairy products and birds eggs					
02230	Milk and cream, fresh	5	-	-	-	-
02241	Whey, preserved, concentrated or sweetened	309	101	197	192	102
02242	Milk (other than whey) in powder or granules containing not more than 1.5% by weight of fat	75	60	3	74	155
02243	Milk (other than whey) and cream, in powder or granules containing more than 1.5% by weight of fat	121	76	-	84	224
02249	Milk (other than whey) and cream, preserved, concentrated or sweetened, not powder or granules	790	569	28	79	47
02300	Butter	1	-	-	10	-
02400	Cheese and curd	6,377	6,659	5,746	6,537	7,660
02520	Eggs and egg yolks not in shell	5	3	6	18	9
	Division total	7,684	7,467	5,980	6,993	8,197
03	Fish, crustaceans and molluscs, and preparations thereof					
03410	Fish, fresh or chilled (excl. fillets)	944	648	506	496	443
03420	Fish, frozen (excl. fillets)	1,790	1,066	1,075	873	833
03430	Fish fillets, fresh or chilled	9	63	13	8	4
03440	Fish fillets, frozen	7,574	4,949	5,288	7,317	4,202
03501	Fish meal fit for human consumption	-	27	1	-	-
03502	Cod, not in fillets, dried	29	5	72	25	55
03503	Fish, dried, salted or in brine (excl. cod of heading 035.02)	328	281	345	222	418
03504	Fish, smoked	865	879	856	696	824
03600	Crustaceans & molluscs, fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, in brine or dried; crustaceans in shell, simply boiled in water	5,842	5,343	6,963	6,903	5,698
03710	Caviar and caviar substitutes; fish	7,317	4,793	5,181	6,149	6,447
03720	Crustaceans and molluscs, prepared or preserved, nes	6,400	4,987	5,062	3,276	6,185
	Division total	31,099	23,039	25,361	25,966	23,310
04	Cereals and cereal preparations					
04211	Rice, in the husk	-	27	40	-	21
04212	Rice, husked but not further prepared	52	62	110	28	116
04221	Rice, semi or wholly milled (excl. broken rice)	425	709	509	550	942
04222	Rice, broken	10	10	11	27	2
04300	Barley, unmilled	-	1	2	2	1
04400	Maize (corn), unmilled	1,391	720	796	809	548
04520	Oats, unmilled	7	3	1	6	25
04591	Millet, unmilled	34	32	22	8	3
04599	Cereals, nes, unmilled	6	3	13	6	17
04601	Wheat flour: meslin flour	-	-	-	-	-
04602	Wheat groats, meal and pellets	57	47	31	59	52
04701	Cereal flours (other than of wheat or of meslin)	1	26	22	34	33
04702	Cereal groats, meal and pellets (other than of wheat)	53	14	29	5	19
04811	Worked cereal grain, nes; perm of cereals	-	-	-	-	-
04812	Cereal preparations obtained from the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products	66	37	20	33	5
04820	Malt	17	10	-	13	11
04830	Pasta and similar products, in paste or dry form, uncooked	1,082	625	714	789	989
04841	Bread, ordinary bakers' wares, without added sugar, eggs, fats, cheese, fruit; empty pharmaceutical cachets, wafers, etc	-	-	-	-	-
04842	Pantry, biscuits, cakes and other fine bakers' wares	331	317	325	150	389
		2,256	2,119	1,979	3,356	3,119

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04	Cereals and cereal preparations					
04880	Malt extract; prep. of flour, meal, or malt extract, used for infant food or culinary purposes, less than 50% cocoa	687	599	698	327	613
	Division total	6,475	5,360	5,324	6,208	6,906
05	Vegetables and fruit					
05410	Potatoes, fresh or chilled (excl. sweet potatoes)	-	3	-	-	-
05420	Leguminous vegetables (eg. beans, peas, lentils, etc) dried, shelled	1,260	1,399	1,062	767	1,120
05440	Tomatoes, fresh or chilled	-	-	-	15	7
05451	Alliaceae vegetables (eg. onions, shallots, garlic, leeks, etc) fresh or chilled	363	397	579	329	474
05459	Vegetables, fresh or chilled, nes	190	221	224	209	312
05461	Vegetables, preserved by freezing	1,209	1,272	943	1,203	1,403
05462	Vegetables, provisionally preserved in preservative solutions, but not specially prepared for immediate consumption	143	125	33	144	35
05481	Roots and tubers, fresh or dried, sago pith	86	27	65	65	67
05484	Hop cones and lupulin	11	47	-	-	-
05488	Vegetable products, of a kind used chiefly for human food, nes	35	10	55	19	31
05610	Vegetables, dried, dehydrated or evaporated (excl. leguminous) whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder	1,318	1,298	1,349	1,360	1,134
05641	Potato, flour, meals and flakes	15	18	-	3	17
05642	Sago and tapioca	51	19	24	22	41
05649	Flours of the leguminous vegetables of item 054.20, the fruits of group 057, the roots in item 054.81	25	24	17	16	9
05651	Fruit and vegetables, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid	626	425	477	415	453
05659	Vegetables otherwise prepared or preserved, nes	4,072	4,549	6,288	4,308	4,832
05711	Oranges, fresh or dried	183	-	-	1	-
05712	Mandarins (incl. tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and other similar citrus hybrids, fresh or dried	-	11	-	1	1
05722	Grapefruit, fresh or dried	7	3	-	-	-
05729	Citrus fruit, nes, fresh or dried	-	-	-	-	-
05730	Bananas (incl. plantains) fresh, chilled or dried	319	150	111	278	635
05752	Grapes, dried	108	94	92	49	42
05760	Figs, fresh, chilled or dried	739	602	786	1,271	449
05771	Coconuts (excl. copra)	189	219	176	284	278
05772	Brazil nuts	1,204	2,277	3,556	1,481	3,447
05773	Cashew nuts	632	423	544	720	718
05774	Almonds	731	912	405	747	546
05775	Hazelnuts	1,686	1,416	1,414	1,529	1,126
05779	Walnuts	23	-	4	4	-
05793	Stone fruit, nes, fresh, chilled or dried	52	292	520	11	245
05794	Berries, fresh, chilled or dried	72	45	10	19	13
05795	Pineapples, fresh, chilled or dried	274	310	373	546	256
05796	Dates, fresh, chilled or dried	-	-	-	-	-
05797	Avocados, mangoes, guavas and mangosteens, fresh, chilled or dried	90	99	88	87	76
05798	Fresh or chilled fruit, nes	87	433	437	574	281
05799	Dried fruit, nes	378	202	516	369	497
05820	Fruit and parts of plants preserved by sugar	11	199	295	62	289
05830	Fruit, jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit puree and pastes, being cooked preparations	256	469	302	383	273
05851	Orange juice	248	52	160	55	65
05852	Grapefruit juice	84	27	28	11	2
05853	Citrus fruit juice, nes	75	-	21	-	39
05854	Pineapple juice	-	-	-	-	-
05857	Juice of any fruit or vegetable, nes	625	435	376	485	504
05858	Mixtures of fruit or vegetable juices	2	37	48	-	670
05861	Fruit, preserved by freezing, with added sugar	559	530	603	559	520
05862	Fruit, preserved by freezing, with added sugar	101	150	38	15	60
05863	Fruit, provisionally preserved, but unsuitable in that state for immediate consumption	159	78	-	44	7
05864	Peel of melons or citrus fruit; fresh, frozen, dried or previously preserved in preservative solutions	2	5	1	22	4
05891	Nuts, roasted	68	180	96	288	62
05899	Fruit and nuts, prepared, preserved, nes	1,249	1,291	1,048	1,257	1,356
	Division total	19,632	20,800	23,265	20,055	21,877
06	Sugar, sugar preparations and honey					
06110	Sugars, beet and cane, raw, solid	6	4	1	6	4
06120	Sugars, refined, and other products of refining beet and cane sugar, solid	3	4	4	1	4
06150	Molasses	47	1	3	2	1
06160	Honey, natural	3	13	19	50	15
06190	Honey, artificial, whether or not mixed with natural honey; caramel; sugars in solid form	554	351	201	384	578
06200	Sugar confectionery, not containing cocoa	1,655	1,587	1,272	1,664	1,682
	Division total	2,265	1,960	1,500	2,106	2,284
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof					
07111	Coffee, not roasted; coffee husks and skins	22,984	25,546	14,923	14,198	9,792
07112	Coffee, roasted	777	844	684	456	651
07113	Coffee substitutes containing coffee	-	2	1	4	-

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07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof					
07120	Extracts of coffee and preparations thereof; roasted chicory and roasted coffee substitutes and extracts thereof	3,703	4,621	9,260	5,716	5,603
07210	Cocoa beans, whole or broken, raw or roasted	499	61	864	983	2
07231	Cocoa powder, unsweetened	828	1,004	641	993	1,013
07232	Cocoa paste (in bulk or block), whether or not defatted	2,571	3,204	2,516	2,458	2,534
07300	Cocoa butter (fat or oil)	7,070	5,256	5,550	3,686	6,223
07410	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa, nes	2,519	1,668	1,631	1,850	1,930
07420	Tea	5,632	3,088	4,240	3,623	4,421
07510	Mate	11	29	19	-	-
07521	Pepper of the genus 'piper', pimento of the genus 'capsicum' or of the genus 'pimenta'	1,307	1,088	1,121	870	931
07522	Vanilla	20	59	8	11	58
07523	Cinnamon and cinnamon-tree flowers	69	21	32	10	24
07524	Cloves (whole fruit, cloves and stems)	3	60	27	14	33
07525	Nutmeg, mace and cardamoms	31	55	146	54	80
07526	Anise, badian, fennel, coriander, cumin, caraway and juniper seeds	58	46	9	31	18
07528	Ginger (excl. ginger preserved in sugar or conserved in syrup)	35	5	3	18	16
07528	Thyme, saffron, bay leaves; other spices, nes	212	267	185	187	300
	Division total	49,129	47,125	41,058	36,442	33,630
08	Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)					
08112	Forage products, mangolds, swedes, fodder roots, hay and the like	5	-	-	1	-
08119	Vegetable products, nes	-	-	80	-	1
08121	Bran, sharps and other residues derived from maize or rice	-	-	-	22	1
08122	Bran, sharps and other residues derived from leguminous vegetables	-	-	-	-	7
08131	Soya bean oil-cake and other residues from extraction of vegetable oils	1,376	18	12	26	30
08136	Rape or colza seed oil-cake and other residues from extraction of vegetable oils	-	-	-	2	-
08139	Oil-cake and residues resulting from the extraction of vegetable oil from other oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, nes	15	15	18	-	-
08141	Flours and meals of meat or offal unfit for human consumption, greaves	21	-	-	1	42
08142	Flours and meals of fish, crustaceans or molluscs, unfit for human consumption	233	289	154	487	112
08193	Beet-pulp; bagasse & other waste of sugar manufacture; brewing & distilling dregs & waste; residue of starch manufacture	3	-	5	-	7
08199	Forage, sweetened; other preparations of a kind used in animal feeding	2,249	1,841	1,844	2,434	2,763
	Division total	3,903	2,163	2,114	2,973	2,962
09	Miscellaneous edible products and preparations					
09130	Lard and other pig fat or poultry fat, rendered or solvent-extracted	1	-	-	-	-
09141	Margarine	28	25	37	133	82
09149	Prepared edible fats, nes	11	-	35	13	86
09801	Homogenised composite food preparations	8	31	30	6	50
09802	Mate or tea extracts, essences or concentrates and preparations with a basis thereof	32	3	30	13	111
09803	Mustard flour and prepared mustard	145	77	135	148	111
09804	Sauces; mixed condiments and seasonings	2,109	1,624	1,713	1,798	1,717
09805	Soups and broths	363	290	210	540	312
09806	Yeasts, natural; prepared baking powders	233	269	155	231	217
09807	Vinegar and substitutes of vinegar	50	50	46	56	60
09808	Edible products of animal origin, nes	-	-	-	83	-
09809	Food preparations, nes	3,955	3,050	17,919	3,770	9,963
	Division total	6,873	5,410	20,282	6,902	12,598
11	Beverages					
11101	Waters (including spa and aerated waters), ice and snow	242	87	292	289	94
11102	Lemonade; flavoured spa waters; flavoured aerated beverages; non-alcoholic beverages, nes	304	231	208	531	137
11212	Wine of fresh grapes; grape must with fermentation arrested by addition of alcohol	3,484	4,133	3,659	5,533	4,577
11213	Vermouths and the like	149	37	32	47	48
11220	Fermented beverages, nes	102	98	30	47	51
11241	Beer, made from malt (incl. ale, stout and porter)	532	665	489	527	880
11242	Whisky	6,168	4,605	4,295	4,651	4,855
11249	Spirits and distilled alcoholic beverages, nes; compound alcoholic preparations for manufacture of beverages	686	1,103	1,193	1,027	1,191
	Division total	17,861	15,915	13,429	17,046	17,308

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12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures					
12111	Tobacco, not stripped, flue-cured of the Virginia type	243	466	669	-	588
12119	Tobacco, not stripped, nes	1,344	-	-	23	475
12121	Tobacco, wholly or partly stripped, flue-cured, of the Virginia type	5,715	2,176	4,414	1,196	4,356
12129	Tobacco, wholly or partly stripped, nes	15	330	93	-	24
12130	Tobacco refuse	-	68	14	17	24
12210	Cigars, cigarettos and cheroots	749	504	1,397	832	671
12220	Cigarettes	367	3,117	562	696	937
12230	Tobacco, manufactured; extracts and essences of tobacco	1,182	962	869	724	673
	Division total	9,614	7,623	8,020	3,488	7,733
21	Hides, skins and furskins, raw					
21110	Bovine and equine hides (other than calf skins)	10	45	85	9	-
21120	Calf skins	-	-	32	-	-
21160	Sheep and lamb skins with the wool on (excl. astrakhan, caracul, Persian lamb, broadtail and similar skins)	46	68	-	15	43
21170	Sheep and lamb skins without the wool	84	59	102	80	-
21199	Hides and skins, nes	222	15	325	178	138
21201	Mink skins	-	-	-	-	-
21209	Furskins, nes (incl. astrakhan, caracul, Persian lamb, broadtail and similar skins)	156	56	83	64	63
	Division total	518	244	645	345	244
22	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruit					
22210	Peanuts (groundnuts), green	114	169	179	146	302
22220	Soya beans	5	-	1	9	11
22240	Sunflower seeds	1	10	31	-	-
22250	Sesame (sesamum) seeds	608	409	322	430	473
22320	Palm nuts and kernels	-	2	66	-	-
22340	Linseed	-	3	-	-	-
22380	Oilseeds and oleaginous fruit, nes	97	12	28	15	78
22390	Flour or meal of oilseeds or oleaginous fruit, non-defatted (excl. mustard flour)	48	2	32	2	12
	Division total	874	607	657	603	877
23	Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)					
23201	Rubber latex, natural, whether or not with added synthetic rubber latex	454	444	437	522	423
23202	Rubber, natural (other than latex)	3,970	3,033	2,929	3,124	4,410
23203	Balata, gutta-percha and similar natural gums	490	118	67	46	238
23111	Latex, polybutadiene-styrene latex	153	78	223	359	207
23312	Rubber latex, synthetic, nes	100	527	82	96	196
23113	Rubber, polybutadiene (BR)	140	328	13	155	196
23314	Rubber, polychlorobutadiene (GR)	461	591	227	346	312
23315	Rubber, polybutadiene-styrene (SBR)	221	197	288	426	318
23316	Rubber, butyl (IIR)	644	294	426	566	842
23319	Rubbers, synthetic, nes; factice derived from oils	2,015	1,324	1,463	1,487	1,391
23321	Rubber, reclaimed	11	51	-	71	29
23322	Rubber waste, scrap and parings of unhardened rubber; powder from waste and scrap of unhardened rubber	-	1	-	7	-
	Division total	8,679	6,986	6,157	7,406	8,562
24	Cork and wood					
24401	Cork, natural, unworked, crushed, granulated or ground; waste cork	29	4	32	4	6
24402	Cork, natural, in blocks, plates or strips	-	-	-	1	2
24501	Fuel wood in logs, billets, twigs or faggots (excl. wood waste)	1	10	-	-	-
24502	Wood charcoal (incl. shell and nut charcoal), agglomerated or not	-	3	2	-	3
24603	Wood waste (incl. sawdust)	2	-	3	8	-
24712	Sawlogs and veneer logs, coniferous, roughly squared or half-squared	-	-	-	-	12
24722	Sawlogs and veneer logs, non-coniferous, roughly squared or half-squared	39	26	37	4	9
24790	Pitprops, poles, piling, posts and other wood in the rough, nes	37	3	8	-	26
24810	Railway or tramway sleepers	-	-	-	-	405
24821	Wood, coniferous, sawn lengthwise, sliced or peeled, but not further prepared, thickness exceeding 5 mm	16,593	12,575	13,316	18,297	18,378
24822	Wood, coniferous, planed, tongued, grooved, rebated, chamfered, V-jointed and the like	5,386	4,906	4,122	5,483	4,392
24831	Wood, non-coniferous, sawn lengthwise, sliced or peeled, but not further prepared, of a thickness exc 5 mm	4,149	4,262	3,582	5,670	5,582
24832	Wood, non-coniferous, planed, tongued, grooved, rebated, chamfered, V-jointed and the like	1,657	1,516	1,566	2,595	2,164
	Division total	27,892	23,305	22,448	32,063	30,980
25	Pulp and waste paper					
25110	Waste paper and paperboard; scrap articles of paper or paperboard fit only for use in paper-making	12	-	12	-	2

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25	Pulp and waste paper					
25171	Chemical wood pulp, soda and sulphate, unbleached	3,417	1,384	1,178	709	1,639
25172	Chemical wood pulp, soda and sulphate, bleached or semi-bleached	5,963	11,456	2,830	3,844	6,879
25181	Chemical wood pulp, sulphite, unbleached	274	-	3	-	157
25182	Chemical wood pulp, sulphite, bleached and semi-bleached	1,323	63	1,755	564	810
25191	Semi-chemical wood pulp	208	177	-	31	163
25192	Pulp, except wood pulp	1	-	1,021	21	-
	Division total	11,197	13,080	6,800	5,169	9,751
26	Textile fibres (other than wool tops) and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)					
26142	Silk waste, silk noils and pulled or garnetted rags	-	2	-	-	1
26110	Cotton, not carded or combed	302	1	292	103	-
26320	Cotton linters	-	1	-	-	-
26330	Cotton waste, not carded or combed	127	89	91	127	99
26340	Cotton, carded or combed	1	-	1	36	-
26400	Jute and other textile bast fibres, nes, not spun; tow and waste thereof	271	147	155	349	108
26512	Flax, broken, scutched, hackled but not spun	-	-	2	9	-
26540	Sisal, other fibres of the agave family, raw or processed but not spun; waste thereof	88	56	98	58	70
26591	Coir (coconut fibres) and coir waste	55	5	50	37	90
26599	Vegetable fibres, nes, raw or processed but not spun; waste thereof	43	-	4	-	17
26651	Polyamide fibres, not prepared for spinning	932	744	1,045	879	1,175
26652	Polyester fibres, not prepared for spinning	1,989	1,448	1,931	1,904	1,874
26653	Acrylic fibres, not prepared for spinning	956	1,012	835	607	901
26659	Synthetic fibres, not prepared for spinning	332	407	225	202	259
26661	Tow, continuous filament, for the manufacture of synthetic fibres of polyamide	64	89	33	30	36
26662	Tow, continuous filament, for the manufacture of synthetic fibre of polyester	33	-	34	36	-
26663	Tow, continuous filament, for the manufacture of synthetic fibres of acrylic	114	166	169	31	144
26669	Tow, continuous filament, for the manufacture of synthetic fibres of other materials, nes	-	338	579	1,117	309
26671	Polyamide fibres, prepared for spinning	178	174	40	154	218
26672	Polyester fibres, prepared for spinning	31	121	23	38	61
26673	Acrylic fibres, prepared for spinning	24	-	-	48	-
26679	Synthetic fibres, nes, prepared for spinning	25	24	3	18	4
26711	Fibres, regenerated, not prepared for spinning	1,140	999	773	925	1,202
26712	Tow, continuous filament, for manufacture of regenerated fibres	733	884	666	755	671
26721	Man-made fibre waste, not prepared for spinning, synthetic	9	17	8	6	29
26810	Sheep's or lambs' wool, greasy or fleece-washed	-	-	-	159	-
26820	Sheep's or lambs' wool, degreased, not carded or combed	5,825	4,023	2,990	3,702	5,291
26830	Fine animal hair (excl. wool), not carded or combed	42	112	-	38	66
26851	Horsehair and horsehair waste	-	24	-	46	27
26859	Coarse animal hair, not carded or combed, nes	239	256	164	51	186
26861	Waste of sheep's or lambs' wool or of other animal hair, nes, not pulled or garnetted	-	3	-	2	-
26862	Waste of sheep's or lambs' wool or of other animal hair, nes, pulled or garnetted	-	10	21	16	10
26870	Sheep's or lambs' wool or other animal hair, carded or combed	91	48	9	51	-
26901	Old clothing and textile articles, footwear and headgear showing signs of appreciable wear and traded in bulk packings	95	59	157	71	76
26902	Rags, scrap, twine, cordage, rope and cables and worn out articles of twine, cordage, rope or cables	69	33	55	54	24
	Division total	13,807	11,292	10,454	11,733	12,886
27	Crude fertilisers and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)					
27110	Animal fertilisers, natural; vegetable fertilisers, natural	4	-	-	5	3
27120	Sodium nitrate, natural, containing not more than 16.3% by weight of nitrogen	37	87	16	50	42
27131	Crude fertilisers, unground, nes	14,673	4,860	8,571	7,837	6,817
27132	Crude fertilisers, ground, nes	-	-	-	10	1
27111	Slate	740	784	552	709	670
27312	Marble, travertine, calcassine and other calcareous building stone	215	219	112	214	114
27313	Granite, porphyry, basalt, sandstone and other building stone, nes	192	130	119	245	120
27322	Limestone flux and calcareous stone used for manufacture of lime or cement	582	971	946	462	927
27323	Gypsum and anhydrite	9	5	45	25	21
27324	Plasters with a base of calcium sulphate (excl. plasters for dentistry); calcium gypsum	36	36	61	26	71
27330	Sands, natural, of all kinds (excl. metal bearing sand)	38	32	25	42	24
27340	Pebbles and crushed or broken stone, gravel, scaldas, flint and shingle	18	385	334	12	191

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27	Crude fertilisers and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)					
27410	Sulphur	10,460	3,159	14,310	5,204	4,413
27710	Industrial diamonds	257	375	167	378	306
27721	Dust and powder, natural or synthetic precious or semi-precious stones	486	512	471	406	574
27722	Natural abrasives, nes	64	73	58	31	68
27821	Clay (excl. expanded), andalusite, kyanite	1,681	287	721	963	634
27822	Graphite, natural	59	48	49	16	114
27823	Dolomite; agglomerate dolomite	7	20	8	3	24
27824	Magnesium carbonate, natural; fixed magnesia, dead-burned magnesia; other magnesia oxide	148	328	101	2,169	489
27830	Salt, common; pure sodium chloride; salt liquors; sea water	42	47	59	48	61
27840	Asbestos	431	694	1,217	1,470	725
27851	Quartz (other than natural sands), quartzite	9	-	-	9	22
27852	Nica and mica waste	8	46	16	6	37
27853	Cryolite and thioite, natural	4	-	-	-	4
27854	Felspar, leucite, nepheline, nepheline syenite; fluorasper	20	94	178	123	179
27861	Slag, dross, scalings and similar waste, nes	-	20	-	-	21
27862	Slag and ash, nes (incl. kelp)	11	9	1	25	27
27891	Chalk	11	17	10	31	24
27892	Barium sulphate, natural; barium carbonate, natural	6	13	4	134	7
27893	Steatite, natural; talc	6	90	6	-	284
27894	Borates, natural, crude, and concentrates thereof	207	120	157	165	147
27895	Siliceous fossil shells and similar siliceous earths	27	-	55	59	48
27896	Siltstone and asphalt; bituminous shale and tar sands	114	260	265	258	200
27899	Mineral substances, nes					
	Division total	30,750	13,675	28,651	21,151	17,410
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap					
28140	Roasted iron pyrites (pyrite cinders)	1	9	-	1	7
28160	Iron ore agglomerates	-	41	-	1	-
28202	Alloy steel waste and scrap	-	-	2	-	2
28209	Iron and steel waste and scrap	-	31	18	2	2
28212	Copper matte; cement copper (precipitated copper)	-	-	20	56	55
28221	Nickel ores and concentrates	-	-	-	3	-
28222	Nickel mattes, nickel sinters and other intermediate products of nickel metallurgy	120	-	894	257	191
28231	Aluminium ores and concentrates	-	118	198	80	-
28232	Alumina (aluminium oxide)	189	280	214	287	363
28240	Lead ores and concentrates	-	-	1,528	-	-
28260	Tin ores and concentrates	-	-	-	213	-
28270	Manganese ores and concentrates	47	50	29	127	233
28291	Chromium ores and concentrates	2	8	2	45	41
28292	Tungsten (or wolfram) ores and concentrates	-	-	12	-	-
28293	Ores and concentrates of silybdenum, niobium, tantalum, titanium, vanadium and zirconium	16	195	25	-	-
28299	Base metals ores and concentrates, nes	195	542	125	106	483
28310	Ash residues (non-ferrous) containing metals or metallic compounds, nes	27	41	422	45	323
28321	Copper waste and scrap (incl. copper alloys)	20	75	81	73	106
28322	Nickel waste and scrap	42	28	-	60	-
28323	Aluminium waste and scrap (incl. aluminium alloys)	146	372	577	339	411
28325	Zinc waste and scrap	-	-	23	-	-
28301	Precious metal ores and concentrates	-	-	-	1	-
28302	Goldsmiths', silversmiths' and jewellers' sweepings and other waste and scrap of precious metal (excl. gold)	-	-	-	-	289
	Division total	806	1,791	4,172	1,696	2,504
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.					
29111	Bones and horn-cores, unworked or simply prepared; powder and waste thereof	-	-	-	4	-
29115	Coral, shells and similar substances; powder and waste of shells	10	17	71	26	34
29116	Ivory, tortoise shell, horn, antlers, hooves, nails, claws, beaks, whale-bone, and similar products	1	-	-	-	-
29192	Bristle or hair, pigs', hogs', boars'; badger and other brush made of hair; waste thereof	196	554	210	235	103
29193	Guts, bladders, stomachs	658	833	515	365	707
29194	Fish waste	179	743	112	57	136
29196	Skins and other parts of birds, with feathers or down; feathers, parts of feathers, powder and waste thereof	227	513	469	374	543
29197	Natural sponges	3	1	6	37	18
29198	Ambergris, castoreum, musk; cantharides; bile; animal products used in the preparation of pharmaceutical products	-	23	-	30	-
29199	Animal products, nes; dead animals unfit for human consumption	371	935	429	574	721
29220	Shellac, seed lac, stick lac and other lacs; gums, resins, gum-resins and balsams, natural	293	339	371	350	361
29230	Vegetable materials used for plaiting	87	180	213	165	171
29240	Trees, bushes, shrubs, etc. used in perfumery, pharmacy or for insecticidal or fungicidal purposes	781	572	597	612	393
29250	Seeds, fruit or spores, nes, for sowing	1,459	1,145	971	1,388	808

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.					
29261	Bulbs, tubers, tuberous roots, corms, crowns and rhizomes, dormant, in growth or in flower					
29269	Live plants not being bulbs, tubers and the like (incl. trees, shrubs, bushes, roots, cuttings and slips)	4	7	10	9	1
29271	Flowers and flower buds, suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes	34	25	17	29	52
29272	Foliage, etc. of trees, shrubs, etc. for ornamental purposes, mosses, lichens & grasses for bouquets, ornamental purposes	421	614	330	639	441
29291	Vegetable saps and extracts; pectic substances; agar-agar and other mucillages derived from vegetable products	17	26	38	15	6
29292	Vegetable products of a kind primarily used as stuffing or as padding	2,041	2,140	2,077	1,482	1,959
29293	Vegetable materials of a kind used primarily in brushes or brooms	7	13	6	-	28
29298	Vegetable materials and products, nes	58	65	77	191	66
		47	71	60	80	49
	Division total	6,894	8,824	6,579	6,664	6,596
32	Coal, coke and briquettes					
32510	Coal, briquettes and similar solid fuels from coal	29	36	-	34	10
32530	Peat and briquettes of peat	165	102	143	150	228
	Division total	195	138	143	184	238
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials					
33300	Petroleum oils, crude, and crude oils from bituminous minerals	17,914	64,315	20,067	60,226	41,740
33411	Aviation spirit (ie. avgas); automotive gasoline (Petrol)	18,194	15,087	7,166	12,020	1,884
33412	Spirit type jet fuel (wide-cut jet fuel)	-	1	-	3	-
33419	Light oils of petroleum and bituminous minerals, nes; preparations, nes, with not less than 70% by weight of these oils	8	1	4	256	1
33421	Kerosene	2,695	1,241	3,603	3,991	4,088
33429	Medium oils of petroleum & bituminous minerals, nes (excl. crude); prep, nes, with 70% or more by weight of these oils	62	138	13	3	124
33435	Diesel oil, automotive	5,552	6,480	3,576	23,366	12,954
33439	Diesel fuel, industrial and marine	99	90	581	257	513
33441	Fuel oil	14,512	6,572	3,382	22,131	8,768
33443	Topped crudes	8,550	-	1	-	7,151
33445	Spiked (enriched) crude oils	-	-	-	30,201	-
33447	Solvents, nes	-	2	-	-	-
33449	Refined oil products for further processing or blending	30,712	23,614	18,251	68,513	12,199
33451	Lubricating and heavy oils of petrol and bitumen (excl. crude) and blends, nes, not less than 70% by weight of oil	2,247	3,731	2,351	1,344	1,447
33452	Lubricating preparations and the like used for oil or grease treatment of textiles and other materials	1,227	1,195	1,217	990	983
33511	Petroleum jelly	75	82	115	66	79
33512	Paraffin wax, micro-crystalline wax, slack wax and other mineral waxes	382	633	471	656	275
33521	Tar distilled from coal, lignite, peat and other mineral tars	7	1,706	8	7	2,629
33522	Benzole	1,366	604	723	2,447	923
33523	Toluole	2	54	-	84	-
33524	Xylole	61	100	132	83	581
33525	Oils and other products, nes, of the distillation of high temperature or low temperature coal tars or mineral tars	19	2,456	17	585	387
33531	Pitch from coal tar or other mineral tars	17	1,348	10	8	1,311
33541	Petroleum bitumen and other residues of petroleum oils or of oils obtained from bituminous minerals	35	14	-	17	1
33542	Petroleum coke	5,187	5,730	4,366	9,641	3,851
33543	Bituminous mixtures based on natural asphalt, natural bitumen, petroleum bitumen, mineral tar or mineral tar pitch	120	152	52	87	26
	Division total	109,044	135,347	66,108	236,982	102,127
34	Gas, natural and manufactured					
34131	Liquefied propane and butane	22	3	20	38	957
34139	Liquefied gaseous hydrocarbons, nes	2	1	1	1	50
34140	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons, nes, in the gaseous state	1	24	2	3	4
	Division total	24	28	39	42	1,011
41	Animal oils and fats					
41111	Fish liver oil	57	12	68	4	51
41112	Fish oils and fats (other than fish liver oil)	50	26	17	36	42
41113	Oils and fats of marine mammals	6	-	13	8	22
41132	Bovine cattle fat and sheep or goat fat, unrendered; rendered or solvent-extracted fats obtained from unrendered fats	-	-	-	10	482
41133	Lard stearin, oleostearin and tallow stearin; lard oil, olive-oil and tallow oil, not emulsified or prepared in any way	-	3	-	-	-
41134	Wool grease and fatty substances derived therefrom	34	6	33	5	26

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
41	Animal oils and fats					
41139	Animal oils and fats, nes	1	8	-	4	2
	Division total	150	55	143	67	626
42	Fixed vegetable oils and fats					
42320	Soya bean oil	957	20	47	1,427	21
42340	Peanut (groundnut) oil	20	63	81	27	64
42350	Olive oil	1,489	901	583	1,668	2,035
42360	Sunflower seed oil	300	6	4	11	13
42391	Rape, colza and mustard oils	1	2	133	2	2
42392	Senaw (sesamum) oil	64	41	77	102	154
42410	Linseed oil	172	1	15	1	1
42420	Palm oil	923	438	149	5	369
42430	Cocunut (copra) oil	1,087	539	65	1,497	389
42440	Palm kernel oil	114	171	85	121	10
42450	Castor oil	79	36	88	104	74
42490	Fixed vegetable oils, nes	534	326	233	241	278
	Division total	5,738	2,745	1,561	5,206	3,409
43	Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed, and waxes of animal or vegetable origin					
43110	Oils, animal and vegetable, boiled, oxidised, dehydrated, sulphurised, or otherwise modified	1,319	689	2,216	3,271	476
43120	Animal or vegetable oils and fats, wholly or partly hydrogenated, or hardened by any other process	1,661	2,037	1,367	2,716	1,594
43131	Fatty acids; acid oils from refining or vegetable waxes; degra	154	291	306	285	296
43143	Vegetable waxes	24	19	36	44	47
43144	Spermaceti, crude, pressed or refined; beeswax and other insect waxes	3	13	-	7	11
	Division total	3,162	3,050	3,925	6,327	2,425
51	Organic chemicals					
51111	Ethylene	-	-	1,821	-	-
51113	Butylenes, butadienes and methylbutadienes(a)	56	56	39	58	-
51119	Hydrocarbons, acyclic, nes	45	282	215	374	70
51121	Cyclohexane	-	9	-	4	1
51122	Benzene, chemically or commercially pure	2,571	1,038	539	2,189	1,417
51123	Toluenes, chemically or commercially pure	824	358	128	261	602
51124	Xylenes, chemically or commercially pure	864	206	128	205	120
51129	Cyclic hydrocarbons, nes	108	170	147	329	442
51131	Vinyl chloride (chloroethylene)	2,812	4,131	5,325	3,816	3,068
51132	Trichloroethylene	142	2	144	80	12
51133	Tetrachloroethylene (perchloroethylene)	-	1,926	2,111	2,656	2,057
51139	Hydrocarbons, halogenated derivatives thereof(a)	2,615	595	640	568	3
51211	Methyl alcohol (methanol)	735	190	384	309	488
51212	Propyl and isopropyl alcohols (propanols)	147	31	563	53	6
51213	Butyl alcohols (butanols)	-	-	-	-	-
51214	Octyl alcohols (octanols) (2-ethylhexanol; isooctyl alcohol; nonyl alcohol)	285	-	-	257	-
51215	Ethylene glycol (ethanediol)	171	30	1	11	14
51216	Ethyl alcohol (ethanol) or neutral spirits, undenatured, of a strength of 80% or higher; denatured spirits	1	8	163	-	-
51217	Alcohols, fatty(a)	38	138	-	808	-
51218	Glycerol (glycerin) and glycerol lyes	128	738	91	1,279	228
51219	Alcohols, acyclic, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	1,382	631	1,575	821	1,294
51220	Alcohols, cyclic, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	263	107	157	227	210
51224	Phenol, chemically pure, and its salts	89	8	808	59	205
51225	Cresols, nes, and their salts	-	16	10	36	10
51236	Phenols and phenol-alcohols, nes	559	823	760	737	603
51237	Phenols or phenol-alcohols, halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives thereof	84	192	72	110	173
51371	Acetic acid and its salts	26	53	116	43	61
51372	Acetic acid, esters thereof	239	394	275	256	223
51373	Methacrylic acid and its salts and esters	1,587	288	167	398	1,105
51379	Monocarboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their derivatives, nes(a)	4,297	1,543	1,724	3,880	3,568
51381	Maleic anhydride	769	520	486	420	568
51382	Phthalic anhydride	86	82	-	-	-
51383	Dicycyl orthophthalates	340	45	44	448	-
51384	Terephthalic acid, esters thereof	171	40	40	181	-
51389	Polycarboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their derivatives, nes	1,376	1,578	1,010	1,168	539
51390	Carboxylic acids, single or complex oxygen-function, and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids(a)	1,898	1,687	1,041	1,201	1,409
51450	Asine-function compounds	1,703	1,576	3,512	1,816	1,923
51460	Oxygen-function amino-compounds, single or complex	3,734	3,493	4,215	3,132	4,339
51470	Carboxamide-function compounds; amide-function compounds of carbonic acid	2,329	1,481	1,838	2,928	5,001
51481	Ammonium salts and hydroxides, quaternary; lecithins and other phosphatidolipins	489	341	499	618	744
51482	Carboxylamide-function compounds and imine-function compounds	412	377	597	1,204	1,072
51483	Acrylonitrile	-	519	514	-	457

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
51	Organic chemicals					
51484	Nitrile-function compounds, nes	804	1,944	660	1,180	763
51485	Diazo-, azo-, and azoxy-compounds	76	153	110	193	105
51486	Organic derivatives of hydrazine or hydroxylamine	242	131	596	653	228
51489	Nitrogen-function compounds, nes	1,254	2,318	1,030	1,666	2,773
51540	Organo-sulphur compounds	2,064	3,508	3,424	2,522	4,610
51551	Organo-mercury compounds	22	-	26	2	21
51559	Organo-ironic compounds, nes	5,574	2,557	2,503	3,560	1,252
51561	Lactams	1	-	6	3	39
51569	Heterocyclic compounds, nes; nucleic acids	17,967	13,968	10,191	21,547	15,574
51571	Sulphonamides	3,317	1,826	168	1,385	204
51572	Sultones and sultams	38	8	1	14	7
51611	Ethers, alcohol peroxides, ether peroxides, epoxides, acetals or hemiacetals and their derivatives	630	467	401	645	821
51612	Acetals and hemiacetals and single or complex oxygen-function acetals and hemiacetals and their derivatives	1	34	43	8	22
51613	Ethylene oxide	2	-	-	-	-
51614	Propylene oxide	-	6,496	1,115	3,016	-
51619	Epoxides, epoxyalcohols, epoxyphenols and epoxyethers, with a three or four member ring, and their derivatives	28	119	138	143	415
51621	Aldehydes, aldehyde-alcohols, aldehyde-ethers, aldehyde-phenols and other single or complex oxygen-function aldehydes	304	344	488	247	301
51622	Halogenated, sulphated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives of aldehydes, aldehyde-alcohols, and other aldehydes	-	3	5	-	-
51623	Acetone	94	8	2	1	3
51624	Ethyl methyl ketone	94	707	125	264	743
51629	Halogenated, sulphated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives of ethyl methyl ketone, acetone, ketones or quinones	311	933	922	476	1,199
51631	Phosphoric esters, their salts (including lacto-phosphorates) and their derivatives	212	323	144	205	267
51639	Esters, inorganic, their salts and derivatives	269	113	1,317	1,557	845
51691	Enzymes; prepared enzymes, nes	852	549	678	735	593
51692	Sugars, chemically pure (excl. sucrose, glucose and lactose); sugar ethers and sugar esters and their salts, nes	271	6	68	126	11
51699	Organic compounds, nes	33	45	45	134	27
	Division total(a)	67,772	62,124	55,982	72,125	62,955
52	Inorganic chemicals					
52211	Gases, oxygen, nitrogen, hydrogen and rare gases	166	19	169	111	45
52212	Selenium, tellurium, phosphorus, arsenic, silicon and boron	1,417	1,338	1,079	1,289	1,332
52214	Fluorine, bromine and iodine	6	53	21	86	50
52215	Sulphur, sublimed or precipitated; colloidal sulphur	5	10	1	-	18
52216	Mercury	110	5	38	56	155
52217	Alkali and alkaline-earth metals; rare earth metals; yttrium and scandium and intermixtures or alloys thereof	14	60	48	86	31
52218	Carbon (incl. carbon black), nes	204	150	189	199	213
52221	Hydrochloric acid and chlorosulphuric acid	5	16	12	48	3
52222	Sulphuric acid; oleum	15	2	11	12	3
52223	Nitric acid; sulphonic acid	3	-	1	5	10
52224	Phosphorus pentoxide and phosphoric acids (meta-, ortho- and pyro-)	54	34	43	6	70
52225	Boric oxide and boric acid	290	122	77	89	87
52229	Inorganic acids and oxygen compounds of non-metals, nes	846	1,219	816	1,015	791
52231	Halides, oxyhalides and other halogen compounds of non-metals	125	56	42	40	52
52232	Sulphides of non-metals; phosphorus trisulphide	1	1	1	2	-
52241	Zinc oxide and zinc peroxide	60	192	1	86	176
52242	Chromium oxides and hydroxides	312	325	137	237	318
52243	Manganese oxides	230	98	102	379	195
52244	Earth colours containing 70% or more by weight of combined iron evaluated as Fe2O3; iron oxides and hydroxides	1,053	1,381	996	1,176	1,211
52245	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides	215	123	34	212	-
52246	Titanium oxides	351	135	208	444	99
52247	Lead oxides, red lead and orange lead	26	13	-	3	23
52251	Ammonia, anhydrous, or in aqueous solution	63	8	-	1	3
52252	Sodium hydroxide, solid	8	108	61	236	27
52253	Sodium hydroxide in aqueous solution	6	2,752	2,998	1,369	889
52254	Potassium hydroxide and peroxide; sodium peroxide	258	101	72	94	222
52255	Magnesium hydroxide and peroxide; oxides, hydroxides and peroxides of strontium or barium	84	11	10	16	12
52256	Aluminium hydroxide	94	143	57	86	124
52257	Artificial corundum	520	370	509	410	344
52259	Hydrazine and hydroxylamine & their inorganic salts; inorganic bases & metallic oxides, hydroxides & peroxides, nes	213	479	384	764	274
52311	Fluorides, fluorosilicates, fluoroborates and other complex fluorine salts	2,956	378	738	404	5,119
52312	Chlorides, oxychlorides and hydroxychlorides; Bromides and oxybromides; iodides and oxyiodides	695	643	518	759	634
52313	Hypochlorites; commercial calcium	409	81	93	479	290
52314	Chlorates and perchlorates; bromates and perbromates; iodates and periodates	39	79	52	94	55
52315	Sulphides; polysulphides	118	230	157	353	397
52316	Dithionites (including those stabilised with organic substances); sulphydates	100	140	140	70	117
52317	Sulphites and thiosulphates	211	143	199	232	211

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
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52	Inorganic chemicals					
52318	Sodium sulphate, sodium hydrogen sulphate and sodium pyrosulphate			2,139	952	366
52319	Sulphates and persulphates, nes, including alums	64	359	467	400	418
52321	Nitrites and nitrates	415	1,676	112	202	130
52322	Phosphites, hypophosphites and phosphates	487	927	603	743	757
52323	Sodium carbonate, neutral	4	2	5	6	2,586
52324	Carbonates (excl. neutral sodium carbonate) and percarbonates; commercial ammonium carbonate cntg ammonium carbonate					
52325	Cyanides and complex cyanides	382	455	328	377	324
52326	Fulminates, cyanates and thiocyanates	4,217	2,978	2,123	2,682	3,076
52327	Silicates; commercial sodium and potassium silicates	160	170	130	206	165
52328	Borates and perborates	313	472	582	552	498
52329	Salts and peroxysalts of inorganic acids, nes	8	9	33	52	72
52331	Salts of metallic acids, eg. chromates, permanganates, stannates	506	300	432	523	176
52332	Colloidal precious metals; amalgams of precious metals; salts and other compounds of precious metals	113	108	170	52	84
52391	Hydrogen peroxide	2	11	9	5	18
52392	Phosphides, whether or not chemically defined	121	21	84	66	218
52393	Calcium carbide	391	214	405	454	740
52394	Carbides (excl. calcium carbide)	367	179	335	147	306
52395	Hydrides, nitrides and oxides; silicides and borides	36	44	73	91	8
52399	Inorganic compounds, nes; amalgams; liquid air; compressed air	108	165	16	348	79
52410	Fissile or radio-active elements and isotopes; alloys; dispersions, cermetes or compounds thereof	1,096	1,162	943	1,705	1,380
52491	Isotopes and their compounds, inorganic or organic (excl. those falling within heading 524.10)	47	23	31	20	21
52492	Compounds of thorium, of uranium depleted in U235, rare earth metals, yttrium or scandium, or mixtures thereof	15	87	52	187	54
	Division total(a)	20,795	20,412	19,186	20,777	25,882
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials					
53110	Synthetic organic pigment dyestuffs and preparations (based thereon); azo (di- and mono-) and phthalocyanine dyes	5,362	4,472	3,957	5,375	6,447
53121	Synthetic organic products of a kind used as luminophores; products of a kind known as optical bleaching agents	657	683	920	367	1,117
53122	Colour lakes prepared from synthetic organic dyestuffs	63	42	111	87	85
53221	Tanning extracts of vegetable origin; tannin (tannic acids), including water-extracted gall-nut tannin	145	324	137	309	363
53222	Colouring matter of vegetable origin (incl. dyewood and other veg. dyeing extracts, but excl. indigo) or animal origin	80	76	65	20	88
53230	Tanning substances, organic, synthetic, and inorganic (tanning substances); enzymatic preparations for pre-tanning	337	455	179	352	292
53310	Luminophores of inorganic products; other colouring matter	1,147	912	1,020	1,014	844
53320	Printing ink	1,136	832	774	953	1,154
53361	Paints, water-thinned	26	56	1	127	17
53362	Paints and enamels, nes; varnishes and lacquers	1,722	1,380	1,207	1,704	1,759
53363	Plastics in solution, nes	79	104	90	65	105
53364	Pigments in paint or enamel media	754	845	775	702	813
53364	Dispersers					
53351	Prepared pigments, opacifiers, colours, enamels, glasses & the like used in the ceramic, enamelling and glass industries	325	259	606	348	213
53352	Colours, artists', students' & signboard painters', modifying tints, and the like, in tablets, tubes, jars etc.	333	466	318	347	406
53353	Prepared driers	7	3	20	43	21
53354	Putty, glaziers'; grafting putty, painters' fillings; non-refractory surfacing preparations; stoppings; sealing mastics	1,497	1,702	1,315	1,753	2,096
	Division total	13,691	12,712	11,497	13,565	15,820
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products					
54110	Vitamins and provitamins	2,320	1,522	1,379	2,251	1,872
54131	Penicillins and their derivatives	2,396	2,271	1,814	2,594	2,824
54132	Streptomycins and their derivatives			1,021	1,266	-
54133	Tetracyclins and their derivatives	586	451	785	552	229
54139	Antibiotics, nes	2,092	1,542	2,138	1,836	1,773
54140	Vegetable alkaloids	450	982	234	561	932
54151	Insulin	298	-	7	1,927	1,239
54152	Pituitary (anterior) and similar hormones					
54153	Adrenal cortex hormones	464	302	527	235	315
54159	Hormones, hormone derivatives, other steroids	250	373	239	243	321
54161	Glycosides	27	101	34	70	29
54162	Organo-therapeutic glands, other organs, dried; organo-therapeutic extracts of glands, other organs or their secretions	19	73	189	55	79
54164	Antisera and microbial vaccines	1,250	851	971	482	899
54165	Toxins, microbial cultures and similar products	276	229	206	247	288
54171	Medicaments containing antibiotics or derivatives thereof	632	471	654	983	58
54172	Medicaments containing hormones or products with a hormone function	13	9	87	13	-
54173	Medicaments containing alkaloids or derivatives thereof	-	30	-	-	-

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products					
54179	Medicaments containing substances other than antibiotics, hormones, alkaloids or derivatives thereof	21,074	22,339	17,280	21,188	22,276
54191	Bandages, gauze, wadding and similar articles, nes	2,370	2,928	2,452	3,313	3,500
54199	Pharmaceutical goods, nes	2,184	1,254	2,403	2,534	2,183
	Division total	36,909	35,737	32,418	40,351	38,819
55	Essential oils and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations					
55130	Essential oils, conc, in fats, fixed oils, waxes etc, obtained by cold absorption or maceration; terpenic by-products	892	888	769	995	678
55140	Mixtures of odoriferous substances and mixtures with a basis of these substances, used as raw materials in industry	3,161	2,545	2,034	2,435	3,063
55300	Perfumery, cosmetic and toilet preparations (excl. soaps); aqueous distillates and solutions of essential oils	8,619	9,354	8,606	8,864	11,246
55410	Soaps; organic surface-active preparations for use as soap, in the form of bars, cakes or moulded pieces or shapes	706	765	1,043	1,744	1,307
55420	Surface-active and washing preparations, nes; organic surface-active agents	4,614	4,834	4,906	3,989	4,728
55430	Polishes and creams, for footwear, furniture or floors, metal polishes, scouring powders and the like	582	200	440	493	276
	Division total	18,374	18,585	17,799	18,521	21,299
56	Fertilisers, manufactured					
56211	Ammonium nitrate	13	24	2	81	831
56213	Ammonium sulphate	-	31	-	9	895
56214	Calcium nitrate containing less than 16% by weight nitrogen; calcium nitrate-magnesium nitrate	47	207	1	172	520
56215	Calcium cyanamide containing less than 25% by weight of nitrogen	-	-	-	-	47
56216	Urea	954	3,028	2,813	2,832	1,980
56219	Nitrogenous mineral or chemical fertilisers, nes	4,466	-	1,432	-	416
56222	Superphosphates	-	-	46	5	24
56228	Phosphatic, mineral or chemical fertilisers, nes	2,931	2,264	1,203	60	4,385
56231	Potassium chloride	-	-	-	-	-
56232	Potassium sulphate, containing less than 52% by weight of K ₂ O	13	29	701	13	105
56239	Potassic, mineral or chemical fertilisers thereof	15	1	8	161	129
56291	Fertilisers containing the three substances nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium	212	209	160	209	501
56292	Fertilisers containing the two substances nitrogen and phosphorus	17,299	9,828	6,563	4,353	955
56293	Fertilisers containing the two substances nitrogen and potassium	25	6	-	-	17
56299	Fertilisers, nes	70	28	116	42	149
	Division total	26,082	15,728	13,057	7,185	10,958
57	Explosives and pyrotechnic products					
57211	Propellant powders	378	-	-	226	-
57212	Explosives, prepared (excl. propellant powders)	13	9	-	155	3
57220	Safety fuses; detonating fuses; percussion and detonating caps; igniters; detonators	1,355	118	320	437	669
57230	Pyrotechnic articles	679	416	111	228	187
	Division total	2,424	543	432	1,046	859
58	Artificial resins and plastic materials, and cellulose esters and ethers					
58211	Phenoplasts in primary forms	221	258	259	217	372
58212	Phenoplasts in the form of plates, sheets, film, foil or strip	282	27	219	325	194
58219	Phenoplasts, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	62	466	74	73	98
58221	Aminoplasts in primary forms	-	-	-	-	-
58222	Aminoplasts in the form of plates, sheets, foil, film or strip	393	145	290	282	97
58229	Aminoplasts, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	11	-	-	4	-
58231	Alkyds and other polyesters in primary forms	1,141	1,480	1,619	661	1,853
58232	Alkyds and other polyesters in the form of plates, sheets, film, foil or strip	3,123	2,563	2,508	3,684	3,523
58239	Alkyds and other polyesters, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	97	908	302	120	134
58241	Polyamides in primary forms	4,698	4,591	5,699	4,837	4,411
58242	Polyamides in the form of plates, sheets, film, foil or strip	308	412	303	612	825
58249	Polyamides, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	307	244	222	152	135
58251	Polyurethanes in primary forms	521	683	432	989	1,518
58259	Polyurethanes, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	864	850	877	748	680
58261	Epoxy resins in primary forms	215	3,731	667	241	1,059
58269	Epoxy resins, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	25	35	64	25	38
58270	Silicones(a)	878	1,095	1,400	1,248	1,188
58280	Ion exchangers of the condensation, polycondensation or polyaddition type	-	-	-	-	7
58290	Condensation, polycondensation or poly-addition products, nes	6,463	6,540	6,747	6,008	6,471
58311	Polyethylene in primary forms	2,110	598	1,262	576	2,359
58313	Polyethylene in the form of plates, sheets, film, foil or strip	2,788	2,477	2,793	1,977	2,418

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
58	Artificial resins and plastic materials, and cellulose esters and others					
58318	Polyethylene, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	742	404	424	521	736
58321	Polypropylene in primary forms	127	204	58	87	343
58322	Polypropylene in the form of plates, sheets, film, foil or strip	2,215	1,901	1,926	2,899	2,949
58329	Polypropylene, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	76	14	61	48	55
58331	Polystyrene and its copolymers in primary forms	1,595	1,344	2,142	819	1,552
58333	Polystyrene and its copolymers in the form of plates, sheets, foil, film or strip	548	553	737	521	570
58338	Polystyrene and its copolymers, nes (incl. waste and scrap)	99	60	48	38	79
58341	Polyvinyl chloride, in primary forms	1,833	1,204	1,118	1,011	1,152
58342	Polyvinyl chloride in the form of monofil, seamless tubes, rods, sticks or profile shapes	564	622	287	735	646
58343	Polyvinyl chloride, in plates, sheets, strips, film or foil	4,758	5,616	5,133	5,220	5,822
58349	Polyvinyl chlorides in the form of waste or scrap	12	12	6	14	21
58351	Copolymers of vinyl chloride and vinyl acetate in primary forms	527	238	208	683	200
58353	Copolymers of vinyl chloride and vinyl acetate in the form of plates, sheets, strip, film or foil	1,359	1,034	1,145	1,106	1,075
58358	Copolymers of vinyl chloride and vinyl acetate, nes	14	40	110	71	95
58361	Acrylic polymers, methacrylic polymers and acrylonitrile-acrylic copolymers in primary forms	2,629	1,910	1,761	2,070	2,102
58362	Acrylic, methacrylic polymers and acrylonitrile-acrylic copolymers in the form of plates, sheets, strip, film or foil	2,392	1,801	1,336	2,498	1,543
58369	Acrylic polymers, methacrylic polymers and acrylonitrile-acrylic copolymers in other forms, nes	5	-	5	6	-
58370	Polyvinyl acetate	13	19	3	55	19
58380	Ion exchangers of the polymerisation or copolymerisation type	185	36	116	146	97
58390	Polymerization and copolymerization products, nes	6,598	7,460	7,237	6,894	8,722
58410	Cellulose, regenerated	2,197	2,429	2,813	2,916	3,132
58411	Cellulose nitrates, non-plasticised	77	51	20	53	18
58422	Cellulose nitrates, plasticised	121	77	64	81	67
58431	Cellulose acetates, non-plasticised	234	513	383	234	395
58432	Cellulose acetates, plasticised	956	1,135	905	1,091	1,021
58491	Cellulose, other chemical derivatives, nes, non-plasticised, in primary forms	927	982	803	1,000	944
58492	Cellulose, other chemical derivatives, nes, plasticised, in primary forms	114	245	139	64	138
58493	Vulcanised fibre	25	41	84	76	61
58510	Resins, artificial, from by esterification of natural resins or resinic acids; chemical derivatives of natural rubber	163	225	99	100	179
58521	Hardened proteins	303	274	831	333	302
58522	Alginate acid, its salts and esters	222	620	462	405	208
58529	High polymers, artificial resins and artificial plastic materials, nes	595	493	685	742	586
	Division total(a)	56,549	58,489	56,907	55,316	62,243
59	Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.					
59110	Insecticides	361	179	393	530	344
59120	Fungicides	445	432	746	554	1,537
59130	Herbicides	511	171	447	213	154
59141	Disinfectants	183	185	45	116	98
59149	Rat poisons, anti-sprouting products, plant growth regulators and similar products, nes	803	481	252	610	940
59211	Starches; inulin	338	343	272	226	366
59212	Wheat gluten	1	-	-	1	-
59221	Casein caseinates and other casein derivatives; casein glues	93	35	42	150	75
59222	Albumins, albuminates and other albumin derivatives	3	3	6	5	38
59223	Gelatin and gelatin derivatives, glues derived from bones, hides, nerves or similar products; fish glues; isinglass	1,208	1,173	782	652	637
59224	Peptones and other protein substances and their derivatives (excl. enzymes of heading 516.91); hide powder	330	570	429	676	957
59225	Dextrins and dextrin glues; soluble or roasted starches; starch glues	168	45	16	143	54
59229	Glues, prepared, nes; products suitable for use as glues put up for sale as glues in packages not exceeding 1kg	1,140	1,250	687	900	1,036
59811	Tall oil, wood and resin based	22	29	50	31	73
59812	Sulphite lye, concentrated	54	46	29	76	37
59813	Turpentine (gum, wood and sulphate) and spirits thereof and other terpene solvents; pine oil; crude dipentene	81	102	94	111	26
59814	Rosin and resin acids, and derivatives thereof (excl. ester gums in heading 585.1); rosin spirit and oils	317	332	360	497	335
59819	Wood tar; wood tar oils (excl. composite solvents and thinners of heading 598.97); wood creosote, naphthacetone oil; etc.	1	25	2	9	15
59820	Anti-knock preparations, oxidation inhibitors, gum inhibitors, viscosity improvers, anti-corrosive preparations	22,210	5,529	19,455	9,240	8,524
59831	Waxes, artificial; prepared waxes, not emulsified or containing solvents	905	853	633	743	1,196
59832	Graphite, artificial; colloidal graphite (other than suspensions in oil)	324	257	199	208	334
59833	Rubber accelerators, prepared	81	197	156	127	75
59891	Glassing, drenching and mordants, prepared, used in the textile, paper, leather and like industries	761	810	485	1,374	541
59892	Activated carbon; activated natural mineral products; animal black	1,345	742	1,469	775	1,525

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
59	Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.					
59893	Culture media, prepared	187	206	240	199	393
59894	Preparations and charges for fire extinguishers; charged fire extinguishing agents	273	66	76	117	170
59895	"Dental wax" or "dental impression compounds", in plates, horse shoe shapes, stick and similar forms; modelling pastes	120	188	154	241	181
59896	Fluxes and other auxiliary preparations for soldering, brazing or welding; soldering, brazing or welding powders	139	163	146	222	115
59897	Composite solvents and thinners for varnishes and similar products	163	112	122	137	127
59898	Compound catalysts	1,182	1,362	432	1,174	441
59899	Chemical products and preparations, nes	9,957	12,223	9,206	11,594	14,068
	Division total	43,725	28,269	37,426	31,451	34,414
61	Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s. and dressed furskins					
61120	Composition leather with a basis of leather or leather fibre, in slabs, sheets or rolls	36	175	39	111	116
61130	Calf leather, (excl. leather of heading 611.8)	901	1,078	1,003	1,551	1,538
61140	Bovine cattle and equine leather (excl. leather of heading 611.8)	4,201	4,840	4,897	4,466	6,795
61150	Sheep and lamb skin leather (excl. leather of heading 611.8)	898	859	821	507	978
61161	Goat and kid skin leather (excl. leather of heading 611.8)	1,184	855	825	1,295	1,244
61169	Leather, nes	517	230	189	301	475
61181	Chamois-dressed leather	38	27	8	33	203
61183	Patent leather and imitation patent leather; metallised leather	76	319	264	310	250
61210	Articles of leather or composition leather used in machinery or mechanical appliances or for other industrial purposes	18	15	10	43	47
61220	Saddlery and harness, of any material	718	566	1,390	837	437
61230	Parts of footwear of any material except metal and asbestos	1,151	1,420	1,168	1,869	1,375
61290	Articles of leather or composition leather	593	236	493	795	308
61300	Furskins, tanned or dressed; pieces or cuttings of furskins, tanned or dressed	496	221	526	491	218
	Division total	10,826	10,841	11,634	12,829	13,984
62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.					
62101	Rubber, unvulcanised, compounded before or after coagulation with carbon black or silica (master batch)/granulated thereof	118	367	255	182	135
62102	Rubber, unvulcanised in other forms or states; articles of unvulcanised rubber	98	40	69	144	165
62103	Rubber thread and cord, vulcanised, and textile thread covered or impregnated with vulcanised rubber	190	238	59	212	110
62104	Rubber plates, sheets, strip, rods and profile shapes, vulcanised, unhardened	2,012	1,890	2,331	2,062	2,400
62105	Rubber piping and tubing, vulcanised, unhardened	3,895	3,005	2,956	2,954	3,894
62106	Rubber, hardened, in bulk, plates, sheets, strip, rods, profile shapes or tubes; scrap, waste and powder	5	9	4	7	1
62510	Tyres, pneumatic, new, for motor cars	8,418	6,214	6,416	8,647	6,469
62520	Tyres, pneumatic, new, for buses and lorries	5,967	5,912	6,515	8,459	7,161
62530	Tyres, pneumatic, new, for aircraft	69	238	75	97	107
62540	Tyres, pneumatic, new, for motorcycles and bicycles	1,017	933	832	1,288	945
62591	Inner tubes	1,481	989	1,268	1,912	1,534
62599	Tyres, nes; tyre cases, tyre flaps, retreaded tyres, interchangeable tyre treads	5,551	7,396	6,062	5,992	6,228
62810	Rubber hygienic and pharmaceutical articles, of unhardened vulcanised rubber	455	253	425	240	413
62820	Rubber transmission, conveyor or elevator belts or belting of vulcanised rubber	2,547	2,274	2,550	3,903	4,326
62898	Articles of unhardened vulcanised rubber, nes	5,701	5,540	6,000	6,017	5,580
62899	Articles of hardened rubber, nes	27	14	140	74	15
	Division total	37,552	35,312	35,958	42,190	39,483
63	Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)					
63301	Articles of natural cork	763	335	749	821	1,236
63302	Agglomerated cork (being cork agglomerated with or without a binding substance) and articles of natural cork	617	777	660	822	998
63410	Wood sawn lengthwise, sliced or peeled, veneer sheets and sheets of plywood, thickness not exceeding 5mm	1,925	1,112	1,216	2,064	1,545
63420	Plywood consisting solely of sheets of wood	3,115	2,692	2,673	4,323	3,755
63431	'Improved' wood in sheets, blocks or the like	10	6	82	159	116
63432	Reconstituted wood in sheets, blocks or the like	81	106	8	12	78
63441	Blockboard, laminboard, battenboard and similar laminated wood products	188	147	510	139	187
63443	Cellular wood panels	-	5	-	-	1
63491	Hoopwood; split poles; piles, pickets and stakes of wood; chipwood; drawn wood; etc	97	57	113	57	108
63492	Headings and mouldings of wood	1,881	1,776	1,500	2,171	2,510
63493	Wood wool and wood flour	9	10	8	-	-
63510	Packing cases and similar packings, of wood, complete cases, barrels, vats and other coopers' products and parts thereof, of wood	14	1	1	4	-
63520	Articles of wood	434	219	137	85	292
63530	Wooden builders' carpentry and joinery articles	2,011	1,922	1,918	2,282	2,344

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					1985	1986
63	Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)					
63541	Wooden picture frames, photograph frames, mirror frames and the like	196 562	286 614	197 492	334 696	458 592
63542	Household utensils of wood					
63549	Standard lamps, table lamps, caskets, cases, boxes, trays and bowls of wood, articles or furniture of wood	937	688	697	1,116	922
63591	Wooden tools, tool handles, broom and brush handles, boot and shoe trees of wood	167	126	168	203	201
63592	Spools, bobbins, sewing thread reels and the like of turned wood	1	4	1	7	1
63599	Articles of wood, nes	902	1,052	984	1,498	953
	Division total	13,930	11,933	12,116	16,792	16,299
64	Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard					
64110	Newsprint	14,113	16,238	12,370	10,456	13,773
64121	Printing and writing paper, uncoated, in rolls or sheets	2,875	3,362	5,602	5,085	2,440
64122	Printing and writing paper, coated, impregnated, surface-coloured, surface-decorated or printed (excl. of group 892)	14,646	11,765	12,101	17,417	17,333
64131	Kraft liner, in rolls or sheets	1,189	577	445	1,031	2,264
64139	Kraft paper and paperboard, in rolls or sheets, nes	1,252	748	799	921	1,089
64151	Semi-chemical fluting paper, in rolls or sheets	105	186	311	138	511
64152	Sulphite wrapping paper, in rolls or sheets	44	45	54	44	-
64153	Parchment or greaseproof paper and paperboard, and imitations thereof, and glazed transparent paper, in rolls or sheets	73	-	-	78	71
64159	Paper and paperboard, in rolls or sheets, nes	1,306	1,289	1,425	1,467	1,528
64161	Fibre building board of vegetable material, compressed	10,715	6,512	5,079	7,959	8,578
64162	Fibre building board of vegetable material, non-compressed	180	132	93	176	56
64171	Kraft paper	852	672	391	673	496
64172	Paper for household or toilet use	84	130	159	230	224
64173	Paper, nes, greaseproof paper, parchment, glazed transparent paper	278	632	810	434	470
64174	Paper, coloured, embossed or perforated	567	594	591	689	614
64182	Paper and paperboard, tarred, bituminised or asphalted, in rolls or sheets	565	413	392	329	414
64185	Paper and paperboard, impregnated, coated, coloured, decorated or printed (excl. 641.22, 892), nes, in rolls or sheets	5	-	-	2	-
64192	Composite paper or paperboard, not surface-coated or impregnated, in rolls or sheets	16,083	14,358	13,963	13,426	16,238
64196	Filter blocks, slab and plates, of paper pulp	570	684	512	484	1,054
64197	Wallpaper and linstrat; window transparencies	-	1	107	-	-
64198	Boxes, bags and other packing containers, box files, letter trays and the like, of paper and paperboard	151	233	1	289	237
64210	Writing blocks, envelopes, letter cards, plain post cards, correspondence cards; boxes, pouches, of paper or paperboard	957	1,072	864	1,156	1,102
64220	Stationery of paper or paperboard, eg. registers, exercise books, etc; sample, other albums, of paper or paperboard	449	381	576	952	772
64241	Cigarette paper, cut to size	2,165	1,982	2,197	2,328	3,506
64242	Carbon and other copying papers	1,285	932	649	929	822
64243	Toilet paper	189	28	77	67	43
64244	Paper, gummed or adhesive, in strips or rolls	61	176	16	41	29
64249	Paper and paperboard, nes, cut to size	665	676	842	723	425
64281	Bobbins, spools, cops and similar supports of paper or paperboard	2,297	2,496	2,753	2,622	2,571
64282	Paper cards for punched card machines	77	33	26	42	25
64283	Paper trays, dishes, plates, cups and the like	116	207	40	212	302
64284	Paper handkerchiefs, cleansing tissues, towels, table napkins, tablecloths, bed sheets and other paper linen	201	157	347	470	385
64285	Paper sanitary towels and tampons; baby napkins of paper or cellulose wadding	392	31	271	172	257
64289	Paper articles, nes; paper patterns, paper sticks, paper magnetic cards	1,311	1,311	1,351	1,340	1,698
	Division total	75,742	68,252	65,235	72,394	79,331
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s. and related products					
65111	Silk yarn (excl. yarn of waste silk), not for retail sale	-	2	1	1	1
65116	Silk yarn, spun from nonil or other waste silk, not for retail sale	-	-	2	-	5
65117	Silk yarn and yarn spun from waste silk, for retail sale; silkworm gut; imitation catgut of silk	13	12	3	19	14
65121	Wool tops	206	49	42	177	90
65122	Yarn containing 85% or more by weight of carded wool, not for retail sale	2,605	2,327	4,292	2,988	3,094
65123	Yarn containing 85% or more by weight of combed wool, not for retail sale	906	542	386	1,092	1,058
65124	Yarn of fine animal hair, not for retail sale	40	42	109	104	53
65125	Yarn of horsehair or of other coarse animal hair, not for retail sale	2	-	-	-	-
65126	Yarn containing 85% or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair, for retail sale	832	297	250	391	134
65127	Yarn of carded wool containing less than 85% by weight of carded wool, not for retail sale	1,585	898	1,096	1,492	1,576

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s. and related products					
65128	Yarn of combed wool containing less than 85% by weight of combed wool, not for retail sale	345	312	136	73	218
65129	Yarn of wool or fine animal hair, with less than 85% by weight wool or fine animal hair, for retail sale	1,137	1,453	619	682	716
65131	Cotton yarn, measuring, per single yarn, less than 14000 m per kg, not for retail sale	48	13	28	62	10
65132	Cotton yarn, measuring, per single yarn, more than 14000 m per kg but less than 40000 m per kg, not for retail sale	1,003	991	1,035	1,107	803
65133	Cotton yarn, measuring, per single yarn, more than 40000 m per kg but less than 80000 m per kg, not for retail sale	917	943	1,726	1,789	1,745
65134	Cotton yarn, measuring, per single yarn, more than 80000 m per kg, not for retail sale	136	171	385	444	636
65135	Cotton yarn, for retail sale	266	293	354	953	723
65141	Yarn, textured, of continuous polyamide fibres, not for retail sale	4,290	3,593	2,953	3,584	4,650
65142	Yarn, non-textured, of continuous polyamide fibres, not for retail sale, untwisted	508	647	903	638	722
65143	Yarn, non-textured, of continuous polyamide fibres, nes, not for retail sale	429	63	649	117	671
65144	Yarn, textured, of continuous polyester fibres, not for retail sale	1,352	1,614	1,252	1,694	1,982
65145	Yarn, non-textured, of continuous polyester fibres, not for retail sale, untwisted	938	516	777	945	651
65146	Yarn, non-textured, of continuous polyester fibres, nes, not for retail sale	636	945	465	720	941
65147	Yarn of other continuous synthetic fibres, nes, not for retail sale	2,648	1,876	1,718	2,624	2,324
65148	Yarn containing 85% or more by weight of discontinuous synthetic fibres, not for retail sale	4,712	5,030	4,619	4,588	5,371
65149	Monofil, strip and imitation catgut, of synthetic fibre materials, not for retail sale	437	291	304	327	299
65151	Synthetic continuous fibre yarn, for retail sale, containing 85% or more by weight of such fibres	162	39	112	47	93
65152	Synthetic discontinuous fibre yarn, for retail sale, containing 85% or more by weight of such fibres	906	721	595	702	676
65166	Discontinuous fibres, mixed with cotton, not for retail sale	8,488	8,361	9,460	9,157	13,214
65167	Yarn containing less than 85% by weight discontinuous fibres, mixed with wool or fine animal hair, not for retail sale	1,034	643	506	968	1,243
65168	Yarn containing less than 85% by weight discontinuous fibres, mixed with fibres nes, not for retail sale	1,517	824	1,168	1,844	1,720
65169	Yarn containing less than 85% by weight discontinuous fibres, for retail sale	200	120	78	73	70
65171	Yarn of continuous viscose rayon, not for retail sale	256	187	489	193	93
65172	Yarn of any continuous acetate fibres, not for retail sale	330	336	639	259	280
65173	Yarn of other continuous regenerated textile fibres, not for retail sale	765	459	523	326	521
65174	Yarn containing 85% or more by weight of discontinuous regenerated fibres, not for retail sale	123	348	135	54	218
65175	Yarn of discontinuous regenerated fibres, with less than 85% of such fibres, mixed with cotton, not for retail sale	83	1	81	48	77
65176	Yarn of discontinuous regenerated fibres, with less than 85% of such fibres, mixed with wool or hair, not for retail sale	-	-	1	-	-
65177	Yarn containing less than 85% discontinuous regenerated fibres, mixed with fibres, nes, not for retail sale	24	68	87	8	64
65178	Regenerated fibre materials, monofil, strip and imitation catgut thereof	-	2	-	14	2
65181	Regenerated continuous fibre yarn, for retail sale	18	-	-	1	2
65182	Regenerated discontinuous fibre yarn, for retail sale	26	3	7	66	11
65191	Metallised yarn	273	624	410	263	538
65195	Yarn silvers and rovings of glass fibre	54	75	4	44	8
65196	Flax or ramie yarn, not for retail sale	3	4	1	4	6
65197	Flax or ramie yarn, for retail sale	54	75	4	44	8
65198	Yarn of jute or of other textile bast fibres of group 264	103	58	40	168	140
65199	Yarn of vegetable fibres, nes; paper yarn	-	12	6	6	2
65211	Cotton gauze, unbleached, not mercerised	-	-	-	-	-
65214	Fabrics, woven, of cotton, nes, with 85% or more by weight of cotton, unbleached, not mercerised	1,426	1,410	990	1,733	1,734
65215	Fabrics, woven, of cotton, nes, with less than 85% by weight of cotton, bleached, not mercerised	117	115	34	253	155
65221	Cotton gauze, bleached, mercerised, dyed, printed or otherwise finished	241	56	36	299	233
65222	Terry towelling and similar terry fabrics, of cotton, bleached, mercerised, dyed, printed or otherwise finished	-	-	-	1	-
65223	Pile and chenille fabrics, woven, of cotton (excl. fabrics falling within headings 652.12, 652.22 and 656.01)	1,373	667	888	1,251	815
65224	Fabrics, woven of cotton, nes, with 85% or more by weight of cotton, bleached or otherwise worked	25,336	25,676	22,478	25,182	26,906
65225	Fabrics, woven of cotton, nes, with less than 85% by weight of cotton, dyed or otherwise worked	1,562	2,347	2,521	2,105	2,427
65314	Tyre cord fabric of continuous textile materials	-	26	18	13	73
65315	Fabrics, woven, with 85% or more by weight of continuous synthetic textile materials	8,520	7,611	7,495	8,235	9,488
65316	Fabrics, woven, with less than 85% by weight of continuous synthetic textile materials	342	181	160	375	359
65320	Fabrics, woven, with more than 85% by weight of discontinuous synthetic fibres	2,213	2,731	1,78	2,483	2,448

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s. and related products					
65341	Fabrics, woven, of discontinuous synthetic fibres, with less than 85% by weight of such fibres, mixed with cotton	9,483	9,355	8,360	11,031	8,886
65342	Fabrics, woven, of discont synthetic fibres, with less than 85% of such fibres, mixed with wool or fine animal hair	301	434	381	612	418
65343	Fabrics, woven, of discontinuous synthetic fibres, with less than 85% of such fibres, mixed with man-made textiles	140	483	205	348	340
65349	Fabrics, woven, of discontinuous synthetic fibres, with less than 85% of such fibres, mixed with textiles, nes	946	832	1,099	433	977
65354	Tyre cord fabric of continuous regenerated textile materials	18	-	11	-	-
65355	Fabrics, woven, with 85% or more by weight of continuous regenerated textile materials	641	629	512	715	658
65356	Fabrics, woven, with less than 85% by weight of continuous regenerated textile materials	509	385	369	500	541
65360	Fabrics, woven, with more than 85% by weight of discontinuous regenerated fibres (excl. pile and chenille fabrics)	749	500	532	354	546
65381	Fabrics, woven, of discont regenerated fibres, containing less than 85% by weight of such fibres, mixed with cotton	105	148	111	33	146
65382	Fabrics, woven, of discontinuous fibres, containing less than 85% by weight of such fibres, mixed with wool, etc.	4	17	1	7	99
65383	Fabrics, woven, of discontinuous fibres, with less than 85% by weight of such fibres, mixed with man-made textiles	154	115	155	253	78
65389	Fabrics, woven, of discontinuous fibres, with less than 85% by weight of such fibres, mixed with fibres, nes	123	142	253	76	112
65397	Pile and chenille fabrics, woven, of synthetic fibres (excl. fabrics falling within heading 656.01)	2,804	2,353	1,621	3,898	2,134
65398	Pile and chenille fabrics, woven, of regenerated fibres (excl. fabrics falling within heading 656.01)	514	222	292	154	447
65410	Silk, non or other waste silk, woven fabric	1,028	1,038	1,134	1,115	1,491
65421	Fabrics, woven, containing more than 85% by weight of carded wool of fine animal hair	430	183	187	152	147
65422	Fabrics, woven, containing more than 85% by weight of combed wool of fine animal hair	607	517	525	535	679
65431	Fabrics, woven, of wool or fine animal hair, containing less than 85% of such hair, mixed with cont synthetic fibres	102	26	41	8	23
65432	Fabrics, woven, wool or fine animal hair, containing less than 85% of such hair, mixed with discont synthetic fibre	158	105	42	111	163
65433	Fabrics, woven, of wool or fine animal hair, with less than 85% of such hair, mixed with fibres, nes	141	85	168	81	52
65434	Pile and chenille fabrics, woven of wool or fine animal hair (excl. fabrics falling within heading 656.01)	82	234	300	208	151
65440	Flax or ramie fabrics	1,016	1,514	1,096	1,349	1,648
65450	Jute or other textile bast fibres, woven fabrics	715	1,041	958	1,252	1,382
65481	Glass fibre fabrics	811	788	747	615	520
65491	Fabrics, woven, of metal thread or metallised yarn	41	90	34	5	21
65492	Fabrics, woven, of horsehair or other coarse animal hair	-	-	2	1	-
65498	Fabrics, woven, of other vegetable fibres, nes, or of paper yarn	-	2	12	1	20
65499	Fabrics, woven, nes; pile and chenille fabrics	312	145	313	64	429
65510	Knitted or crocheted fabrics, not elastic or rubberised, of synthetic fibres	3,731	3,347	3,095	3,151	3,683
65521	Fabrics, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberised, of wool or fine animal hair	50	3	2	16	1
65522	Fabrics, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberised, of cotton	657	423	447	505	665
65523	Fabrics, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberised, of regenerated fibres	141	218	155	352	387
65529	Fabrics, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberised, of other fibres, nes	256	179	279	222	370
65530	Knitted or crocheted fabrics, elastic or rubberised	195	553	528	320	468
65601	Fabrics, narrow woven, and narrow fabrics of warp without weft, assembled by an adhesive (other than goods in 656.02)	1,119	1,200	987	1,010	1,030
65602	Labels, badges, and the like, woven, not embroidered, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size	148	149	156	227	203
65603	Chenille yarn, gimped yarn; braids and ornamental trimmings; tassels, pompons and the like	186	415	297	269	346
65604	Tulle and other net fabrics (excl. woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), plain	18	38	43	22	15
65605	Tulle and other net fabrics (excl. woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), figured; lace	481	477	403	741	626
65606	Embroidery	1,315	1,697	1,469	2,229	2,259
65710	Felt and articles of felt, nes	1,539	805	1,157	694	986
65720	Bonded fibre fabrics, similar bonded yarn fabrics, and articles of such fabrics, whether or not impregnated or coated	4,746	3,104	3,548	2,812	3,291
65731	Gum or amylose covered textile fabrics, of a kind used for outer covers of books and the like; tracing cloth	217	192	76	108	167
65732	Artificial plastic material impregnated, coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics	1,802	1,638	1,165	2,474	1,624
65733	Rubberised textile fabrics (excl. rubberised knitted or crocheted goods)	764	1,015	1,173	866	1,242
65739	Textile fabrics, impregnated or coated, nes; painted canvas being theatrical scenery or studio backcloths	769	527	1,048	662	988

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s. and related products					
65740	Elastic fabrics and trimmings (excl. knitted and crocheted goods) of textile materials combined with rubber threads	327	342	437	374	395
65751	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables	866	785	1,155	914	1,200
65752	Nets and netting of twine, cordage or rope, and made up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope	386	609	335	277	497
65759	Articles of yarn, twine, cordage, rope or cables, nes	97	66	161	254	99
65761	Hat-forms, hat bodies and hoods of felt, neither blocked to shape nor with made brims; plateaux and manchons	12	142	74	8	95
65762	Hat-shapes, plaited or made from plaited or other strips, neither blocked to shape nor with made brims	18	40	20	31	21
65771	Textile flock and dust and mill nets; wadding and articles of wadding	505	526	382	850	633
65772	Wicks, of woven, plaited or knitted textile materials, for lamps, stoves, candles and the like; incandescent gas mantles	15	41	16	53	23
65773	Textile fabrics and articles, commonly used in machinery or plant	1,876	1,855	1,719	1,585	1,956
65791	Hose-piping and similar tubing of textile material, armour or accessories of other materials	37	105	71	112	52
65792	Transmission, conveyor or elevator belts or belting of textile material	129	148	230	115	140
65810	Bags and sacks, of textile materials, used for packing of goods	4,671	4,299	3,983	4,607	4,211
65821	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings, sunblinds, tents and camping goods of cotton	352	53	166	120	162
65829	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings, sunblinds, tents and camping goods, of textile fabric, other than cotton	463	398	589	976	777
65831	Blankets and travelling rugs, not knitted or crocheted, of wool or fine animal hair	9	1	3	33	26
65832	Blankets and travelling rugs, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton	56	146	101	139	145
65833	Blankets and travelling rugs, not knitted or crocheted, of synthetic fibres	456	495	260	286	414
65839	Blankets and travelling rugs, not knitted or crocheted, of other fibres, nes	2	2	-	-	-
65841	Bed linen of cotton	372	229	153	312	430
65842	Bed linen of fibres other than cotton	64	604	863	1,375	599
65843	Table linen of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	657	819	522	867	720
65844	Table linen of fibres other than cotton, not knitted or crocheted	417	148	422	253	349
65845	Toilet and kitchen linen of cotton	1,779	1,474	1,243	2,468	2,542
65846	Toilet and kitchen linen of fibres other than cotton	182	245	335	376	297
65848	Cotton furnishing articles, nes	488	325	287	496	353
65849	Furnishing articles of fibres other than cotton	801	662	577	1,111	498
65891	Tapestries, handmade	131	107	112	138	132
65898	Made-up textile articles, nes, knitted or crocheted but not elastic or tubed	867	1,085	971	990	863
65899	Made-up textile articles, not knitted or crocheted	917	765	839	1,155	1,330
65911	Floor coverings prepared on a base of paper or paperboard, with or without a coating of linoleum compound	14	-	-	14	1
65912	Floor coverings consisting of a covering applied to a textile base	116	106	179	210	484
65921	Carpets, carpeting and rugs, knotted, of wool or fine animal hair	911	495	1,196	832	807
65929	Carpets, carpeting and rugs, knotted, of other textile materials	341	534	299	17	10
65930	"Falem", "Schumacks" and "Karamanie" rugs and the like	861	651	509	790	760
65941	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of wool or fine animal hair, tufted	5,856	5,959	3,839	6,129	5,014
65942	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of wool or fine animal hair, woven	986	1,756	2,372	2,211	1,777
65949	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of wool or fine animal hair, other than knotted, tufted, woven or of felt	353	34	125	46	26
65951	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of man-made textile materials, tufted	787	1,079	1,018	1,516	1,303
65952	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of man-made textile materials, woven	99	126	159	80	171
65959	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of man-made textile materials, other than knotted, tufted, woven or of felt	219	353	111	193	625
65961	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of other textile materials, nes, tufted	205	154	101	97	88
65962	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of other textile materials, nes, other than knotted, tufted or of felt	483	445	347	427	655
65963	Carpets, carpeting, rugs and matting, of other textile materials, nes, of felt, tufted felt, needleloom felt	166	114	178	149	155
65970	Plaits and similar products of plaiting materials; plaiting materials; straw envelopes for bottles	191	245	258	488	644
	Division total	150,852	141,992	136,925	156,849	164,148
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.					
66110	Lime, slaked, quicklime and hydraulic lime (excl. calcium oxide and hydroxide)	2	-	5	27	5
66120	Cement, portland, cement fondu, slag cement, superaluminat cement and similar hydraulic cements(a)	650	327	552	391	196
66131	Road and paving setts, curbs and flagstones, of natural stone (except slate)	-	13	-	32	3

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AICC Item	Description	1986			July	
		April	May	June	1985	1986
		1986	1986	1986		
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.					
66132	Building and nonmetallic stone, worked, and articles thereof, excl. goods of heading 66.11 or group 662	1,682	2,039	1,574	1,318	2,840
66133	Slate, worked, and articles of slate	122	85	7	128	140
66181	Asphalt articles and other similar material articles	205	530	284	131	225
66182	Panels, boards and the like of vegetable fibre, wood fibre, shavings, etc. agglomerated with mineral binding substances	182	24	110	12	62
66183	Asbestos-cement articles, cellulose fibre-cement articles or articles of other similar materials	160	83	55	56	166
66231	Heat-insulating bricks, blocks and other heat-insulating goods of siliceous earths	7	9	12	-	21
66232	Refractory bricks, blocks, tiles and similar refractory construction materials	3,138	1,775	1,190	693	2,402
66233	Refractory cements, mortars and similar compositions	445	487	977	162	1,002
66241	Building bricks	-	11	7	1	42
66242	Roofing tiles, chimney pots, cowls, chimney-liners, curries and other ceramic construction goods	87	82	5	68	107
66243	Ceramic piping, conduits and guttering	1	1	-	-	1
66244	Unglazed ceramic setts, flags and paving, hearth and wall tiles	427	571	585	444	687
66245	Glazed ceramic setts, flags and paving, hearth and wall tiles	8,850	6,507	6,240	6,910	8,422
66310	Crinidstones, millstones, etc. hand polishing stones, whetstones, etc.; finished parts of such stones and wheels	1,807	1,836	1,991	1,541	1,308
66320	Abrasive powder or grain, natural or artificial, on a base of woven fabric, paper, paperboard or other materials	1,190	1,191	858	1,603	1,451
66331	Plastering material, articles thereof	37	58	91	60	85
66332	Cement, concrete or artificial stone, articles thereof	240	260	180	349	318
66333	Mica, worked and articles of mica	65	81	142	89	128
66339	Stone or other mineral substances, articles thereof, nes	492	761	624	742	957
66350	Slag wool, rock wool, etc; exfoliated vermiculite, expanded clays, foamed slag and the like; insulating mineral mixtures	1,208	1,447	1,388	1,097	1,323
66370	Refractory goods, nes	2,151	857	890	575	
66381	Fabricated asbestos and articles thereof; mixtures with a basis of asbestos or asbestos and MgCO ₃	382	383	608	472	591
66382	Friction material for brakes, clutches or the like, with a basis of asbestos, other mineral substances or of cellulose	640	603	799	977	1,077
66391	Ceramic laboratory, chemical or industrial wares, non-refractory; ceramic receptacles for agriculture or packing of goods	368	448	381	461	989
66392	Articles of ceramic materials, nes	251	246	373	289	328
66414	Glass in the mass (excl. optical glass); waste glass	-	-	-	13	-
66415	Glass in balls, rods and tubes, unworked (excl. optical glass)	360	262	365	88	161
66420	Optical glass and elements of optical glass (excl. optically worked elements); blanks for corrective spectacle lenses	3,182	2,039	2,221	777	902
66430	Glass, drawn or blown, unworked, in rectangles	370	359	247	251	314
66440	Glass, cast, rolled, drawn or blown in rectangles, surface ground or polished but not further worked	2,896	2,424	3,096	2,962	3,581
66450	Glass, cast or rolled, unworked, in rectangles	254	347	206	414	225
66460	Glass, pressed or moulded, used in building; multi-cellular glass in blocks, slabs and the like	162	125	140	102	174
66470	Safety glass, of toughened or laminated glass	1,395	1,475	1,611	1,565	1,958
66480	Glass mirrors, unframed, framed or backed	1,211	1,203	1,455	1,365	1,334
66491	Glass, cast, rolled, drawn or blown, shaped, or bent or otherwise worked; multiple walled insulating glass; leaded lights	745	781	944	765	622
66492	Glass envelopes for electric lamps, electronic valves and the like	84	23	95	23	92
66493	Clock & watch glasses & similar glasses, glass spheres & segments of spheres, used for clock and watch glasses, etc.	69	44	34	60	46
66494	Glass fibre (incl. wool) and articles made therefrom, nes	1,007	1,197	993	747	1,006
66511	Bottles, carboys, jars, pots, tubular containers and similar containers, of glass; glass stoppers and closures	1,367	1,254	1,477	1,323	1,594
66512	Glass liners for vacuum flasks or other vacuum vessels	1	16	39	23	26
66520	Glassware (excl. articles of 665.82) used for table, kitchen, toilet or office purposes	7,649	6,331	6,018	8,233	8,079
66581	Glassware, laboratory, hygienic and pharmaceutical; glass apophyses	617	620	401	669	919
66582	Glass beads, imitation stones, and similar decorative glass smallwares and articles thereof	257	394	219	333	401
66589	Articles of glass, nes	1,123	720	1,007	632	1,172
66640	Porcelain or china, tableware and other articles used for domestic or toilet purposes	2,738	2,547	1,967	3,735	4,526
66650	Pottery (excl. porcelain and china), tableware and other articles used for domestic or toilet purposes	3,733	3,129	2,103	3,790	2,703
66660	Ornaments of pottery; articles of furniture, of porcelain, china or other ceramic materials, nes	2,254	1,529	1,429	2,146	2,136
66710	Pearls, not mounted, set or strung or being ungraded pearls temporarily strung for transport	483	233	292	142	686
66722	Diamonds, sorted (excl. industrial diamonds), rough or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	-	95	333	-	517
66729	Diamonds (excl. industrial diamonds), cut or otherwise worked, but not mounted or set	2,904	3,160	5,423	6,678	5,329
66730	Precious and semi-precious stones, unworked, cut or otherwise worked, but not mounted or set	662	1,367	1,125	1,145	1,012

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					1985	1986
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.					
66740	Precious or semi-precious stones, synthetic or reconstructed	112	31	47	70	39
	Division total(a)	60,423	52,599	53,330	56,201	66,652
67	Iron and steel					
67120	Iron, being pig iron, cast iron and spiegeleisen, in pigs, blocks, lumps and similar forms	-	26	25	1	-
67131	Iron or steel shot, angular grit or wire pellets	82	28	60	60	113
67132	Iron or steel powders (incl. sponge iron powder)	283	206	367	257	374
67133	Sponge, iron or steel, not in powder form	28	-	-	-	-
67161	Steel, ferro-manganese (excl. spiegeleisen)	1,777	284	1,881	24	27
67162	Ferro-silicon	153	813	605	321	375
67169	Steel, ferro-alloys (excl. ferro-manganese, spiegeleisen, ferro-silicon), nes	842	949	1,504	2,721	1,727
67244	Steel, alloy, nes, in ingots	24	-	-	-	-
67251	Iron or steel blooms, billets, slabs, sheet bars, etc. roughly shaped by forging, other than high carbon or alloy steel	21	80	44	102	27
67254	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, in the form of blooms, billets, slabs, sheet bars, etc. roughly shaped by forging	6	3	-	31	14
67255	Steel, alloy, nes, in the form of blooms, billets, slabs and sheet bars; pieces roughly shaped by forging	29	49	25	6	-
67271	Steel, other than high carbon or alloy steel, in the form of coils for re-rolling	120	51	50	903	-
67272	Steel, high carbon, in the form of coils for re-rolling	-	-	-	-	9
67274	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, in the form of coils for re-rolling	55	-	-	30	-
67311	Iron or steel wire rod, other than high carbon or alloy steel	195	168	227	215	329
67312	Steel, high carbon, in the form of wire rod	25	336	639	214	164
67314	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, in the form of wire rod	286	95	83	-	68
67315	Steel, alloy, nes, in the form of wire rod	131	49	204	167	113
67322	Steel, high carbon, in the form of bars and rods (excl. wire rod); hollow mining drill steel of high carbon steel	174	121	119	211	80
67324	Steel, stainless or heat resisting in the form of bars and rods (excl. wire rod); hollow mining drill steel	1,576	771	1,310	1,162	763
67325	Steel, alloy, nes, in the form of bars and rods (excl. wire rod); hollow mining drill steel of other alloy steel	2,689	1,792	1,869	2,525	2,221
67326	Iron or steel bars and rods, not further worked than hot rolled or extruded (excl. high carbon or alloy steel)	1,417	262	1,204	1,180	778
67327	Iron or steel bars or rods, forged, cold formed or finished; hollow mining drill steel (excl. high carbon or alloy steel)	494	424	532	610	570
67331	Iron or steel sections, U, I or H, hot-rolled or extruded, less than 80 mm (excl. high carbon, alloy steel)	14	18	-	-	116
67332	Iron or steel sections, U, I or H, than hot-rolled or extruded, 80 mm or more; forged angles, shapes and sections	186	197	732	462	367
67333	Iron or steel angles, shapes and sections, nes, hot-rolled or extruded (excl. high carbon or alloy steel)	1,663	513	1,227	490	1,317
67334	Iron or steel angles, shapes and sections cold-formed or finished (excl. high carbon or alloy steel)	170	544	76	60	150
67335	Iron or steel angles, shapes and sections, nes (excl. high carbon or alloy steel)	143	56	113	251	1,101
67336	Iron or steel sheet piling (excl. high carbon or alloy steel)	62	193	2	44	265
67337	Steel, high carbon, in the form of angles, shapes and sections	56	8	12	-	-
67338	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, in the form of angles, shapes and sections	131	122	104	167	204
67339	Steel, alloy, in the form of angles, shapes and sections	22	35	66	42	41
67414	Iron or steel, other than high carbon or alloy steel, in the form of universal plates	-	4	-	-	-
67415	Steel, high carbon, in the form of universal plates	32	-	12	22	76
67441	Iron or steel, other than high carbon or alloy steel, in sheets or plates, rolled, more than 4.75 mm in thickness	897	829	1,841	1,122	1,673
67443	Steel, stainless or heat resisting, in the form of sheets and plates, rolled, more than 4.75 mm in thickness	336	473	685	1,245	388
67444	Steel, alloy, nes, in the form of sheets and plates, rolled but not further worked, more than 4.75 mm in thickness	88	56	111	52	323
67451	Iron or steel, other than high carbon or alloy steel, sheets or plates, rolled, between 3 mm and 4.75 mm in thickness	463	161	337	377	268

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
67	Iron and steel					
67452	Steel, high carbon, in the form of sheets and plates, rolled, greater than 3 mm but less than 4.75 mm in thickness	-	2	-	2	-
67453	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, in the form of sheets or plates, rolled, between 3 mm and 4.75 mm in thickness	286	33	115	333	280
67454	Steel, alloy, nes, in the form of sheets and plates, rolled, greater than 3 mm but less than 4.75 mm in thickness	9	8	-	12	10
67461	Iron or steel, other than high carbon or alloy steel, in sheets and plates, rolled, less than 3 mm in thickness	4,075	4,566	6,978	6,551	5,231
67482	Steel, high carbon, in the form of sheets and plates, rolled but not further worked, less than 3 mm in thickness	-	20	10	29	-
67483	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, in the form of sheets and plates, rolled, less than 3 mm in thickness	2,974	355	476	643	724
67464	Steel, other than alloy steel, in the form of sheets and plates, rolled, less than 3 mm in thickness	33	105	32	8	94
67470	Steel, in the form of tinne sheets and plates (excl. high carbon or alloy steel)	57	-	16	38	44
67491	Iron or steel, other than high carbon or alloy steel, in the form of sheets and plates, worked	7,685	5,500	8,204	9,660	7,570
67493	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, in the form of sheets and plates, nes, worked	378	128	193	67	163
67494	Steel, alloy, nes, in the form of sheets and plates, nes, worked	698	917	682	1,035	1,089
67501	Steel, other than high carbon or alloy steel, hot-rolled or cold-rolled, in the form of hoop and strip	1,081	998	1,184	1,434	894
67502	Steel, high carbon, hot-rolled or cold-rolled, in the form of hoop and strip	335	125	262	205	233
67504	Steel, stainless or heat-resisting, hot-rolled or cold-rolled, in the form of hoop and strip	350	437	363	261	999
67505	Steel, alloy, nes, hot-rolled or cold-rolled, in the form of hoop and strip	753	498	724	625	844
67601	Iron or steel rails (excl. check-rails and rack-rails)	94	178	18	134	101
67602	Iron or steel railway and traway track construction material, nes	22	273	-	-	61
67701	Iron or steel wire (excl. wire rod), not insulated, other than high carbon or alloy steel	2,069	1,420	867	1,508	1,199
67702	Iron or steel wire (excl. wire rod), not insulated, of high carbon steel	230	151	139	281	226
67704	Iron or steel wire (excl. wire rod), not insulated, of stainless or heat-resisting steel	416	305	337	437	382
67705	Iron or steel wire (excl. wire rod), not insulated, of other alloy steel	410	544	575	508	400
67810	Iron, cast, tubes and pipes thereof	2	1	-	-	-
67818	Iron or steel tubes and pipes, "seamless"; blanks for tubes and pipes	4,273	9,488	5,049	9,227	5,942
67830	Iron or steel tubes and pipes, nes, of iron or steel (excl. cast iron and high pressure hydro-electric conduits)	4,485	2,112	5,472	2,928	3,533
67850	Iron or steel tubes and pipe fittings	4,860	4,246	6,153	5,410	6,058
67930	Iron or steel forgings and stampings in the rough state	51	15	20	63	67
67941	Iron castings in the rough state	27	26	51	60	22
67942	Steel castings in the rough state	33	-	-	5	1
	Division total	50,295	42,168	53,988	56,539	50,207
68	Non-ferrous metals					
68112	Silver, rolled, unwrought or semi-manufactured	-	-	7	1	-
68113	Silver, unwrought	5	4	177	23	11
68114	Silver, semi-manufactured	201	29	69	146	6
68123	Platinum and platinum alloys, unwrought	57	65	271	127	100
68125	Platinum and other metals of the platinum group and alloys thereof, semi-manufactured	209	447	160	151	733
68212	Copper, refined, (incl. copper alloys other than master alloys), unwrought	-	1	16	38	8
68213	Copper, master alloys thereof	-	-	39	17	29
68221	Copper bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections; copperwire	867	685	562	710	725
68222	Copper plates, sheets and strip	841	921	410	911	555
68223	Copper foil, thickness (excl. any backing) not exceeding 0.15 mm	548	862	676	1,109	587
68224	Copper powder and flakes	58	41	93	157	128
68225	Copper, tubes and pipes and blanks thereof; hollow bars of copper	704	910	799	351	483
68226	Copper tube and pipe fittings	490	510	703	684	557
68310	Nickel and nickel alloys, unwrought	11	118	121	624	1,487
68321	Nickel and nickel alloy bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections	268	201	545	223	484
68322	Nickel and nickel alloy plates, sheets and strip, foil, powders and flakes	194	248	284	537	300

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
68	Non-ferrous metals					
68323	Nickel and nickel alloy tubes, pipes and blanks therefor; hollow bars of nickel or nickel alloys	137	11	21	14	19
68324	Nickel and nickel alloy electro-plating anodes	131	133	1	1	238
68410	Aluminium and aluminium alloys, unwrought	276	652	293	224	810
68421	Aluminium bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections; aluminium wire	1,149	1,842	1,403	906	1,320
68422	Aluminium plates, sheets and strip	1,456	931	961	606	894
68423	Aluminium foil, thickness (excl. any backing) not exceeding 0.20 mm	3,274	1,644	2,584	1,650	2,461
68424	Aluminium powder and flakes	101	69	106	94	16
68425	Aluminium tubes and pipes and blanks therefor; hollow bars of aluminium	333	525	328	174	193
68426	Aluminium tube and pipe fittings	179	201	192	195	120
68511	Lead, unrefined	5	-	-	-	7
68512	Lead, refined, unwrought	-	-	-	-	7
68513	Lead alloys, unwrought	75	79	-	74	5
68521	Lead bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections; lead wire	22	6	5	14	7
68522	Lead plates, sheets and strip	-	16	2	2	10
68523	Lead foil, weight (excl. any backing) not exceeding 1,700 gsm; lead powders and flakes	6	2	1	4	10
68524	Lead tubes and pipes and blanks therefor; hollow bars and tube and pipe fittings, of lead	19	5	7	3	6
68610	Zinc and zinc alloys, unwrought	-	-	-	112	-
68631	Zinc bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections; zinc wire	19	6	20	6	20
68632	Zinc plates, sheets and strip; zinc foil	12	40	41	54	41
68633	Zinc powders, dust (blue powder) and flakes	189	220	235	219	112
68634	Zinc tubes and pipes and blanks therefor; hollow bars and tube and pipe fittings, of zinc	9	9	18	6	69
68710	Tin and tin alloys, unwrought	430	234	478	645	1,297
68721	Tin and tin alloy bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections	43	351	97	93	147
68722	Tin and tin alloy plates, sheets and strip	-	2	-	-	1
68723	Tin and tin alloy foil, powders and flakes	16	5	-	23	1
68800	Uranium depleted in ²³⁵ and thorium, and their alloys, and articles thereof, new, waste and scrap thereof	-	-	2	-	-
68915	Magnesium, unwrought	1,581	1,623	1,052	394	1,677
68999	Base metals, new, and cermet, unwrought	359	853	235	238	427
	Division total	14,293	14,503	13,014	11,562	16,081
69	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.					
69110	Iron or steel structures and parts of structures(a)	1,684	1,405	912	789	1,402
69120	Aluminium structures and parts of structures	795	602	518	581	666
69211	Iron or steel reservoirs, tanks, etc. exceeding 300 l, without mechanical or thermal equipment (excl. those of 692.43)	71	47	31	213	100
69241	Iron or steel casks, drums, cans, boxes and similar containers of sheet or plate iron or steel	334	211	187	112	313
69242	Aluminium casks, drums, cans, boxes and similar containers commonly used for conveyance or packing of goods	773	482	829	734	607
69243	Iron or steel containers, for compressed or liquefied gas	2,271	813	698	375	764
69244	Aluminium containers for compressed or liquefied gas	12	14	19	15	124
69311	Wire, stranded, cables, cordage, ropes, etc. iron, steel, copper or aluminium wire (excl. insulated elec wire, cables)	2,421	1,985	2,740	1,659	3,113
69312	Wire, cables, cordage, ropes, slings and the like, of copper	70	79	79	27	47
69313	Wire, cables, cordage, ropes, slings and the like, of aluminium	4	332	26	10	22
69320	Barbed wire, twisted hoop or single flat wire, loosely twisted double wire, for fences, of iron or steel	25	134	80	71	76
69351	Grill, gauze, cloth, netting, etc. of iron or steel; expanded metal of iron or steel	397	560	490	416	815
69352	Grill, gauze, cloth, netting, etc. of copper; expanded metal of copper	44	89	45	45	10
69401	Nails, tacks, staples, hook-nails, corrugated nails, spikes, cramps, etc. of iron or steel (excl. copper head types) (a)	1,097	1,093	651	999	822
69402	Bolts, nuts and screws, of iron or steel; rivets, cotters, cotter-pins, washers and spring washers of iron or steel	7,904	7,646	7,297	7,967	8,025
69403	Bolts, nuts and screws, of copper; rivets, cotters, cotter-pins, washers and spring washers of copper	192	212	159	305	264
69510	Hand tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry	536	428	477	965	687
69531	Saws (non-mechanical) and blades for hand or machine saws	2,102	2,620	1,603	2,437	2,650
69532	Wrenches and spanners	1,706	1,649	1,345	1,820	1,727
69533	Files and rasps	282	242	275	426	315
69534	Hand tools (ie. pliers, pincers, tweezers, timmen's snips, bolt croppers & the like; perforating punches; pipe cutters)	905	1,775	1,015	1,475	1,361
69539	Hand tools, new, blow lamps, anvils, vices and clamps; portable forges; grinding wheels with frameworks(a)	1,895	2,215	1,676	2,452	2,388

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
69	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.					
69541	Tools, interchangeable, for hand, machine & power-operated hand tools; incl. dies for wire drawings, rock drilling bits					
69542	Knives and cutting blades for machines or mechanical appliances	9,331	11,661	13,156	7,903	11,217
69543	Tool tips and plates, sticks and the like for tool tips, unmounted, of sintered metal carbides	1,138	941	964	1,101	1,158
69603	Razors and razor blades (incl. razor blade blanks)	1,808	1,252	1,611	1,865	1,741
69604	Scissors, and blades therefor	605	642	553	750	578
69605	Cutlery articles, nes; manicure and chiropody sets and appliances	787	727	707	1,033	1,017
69606	Spoons, forks, fish-eaters, butter-knives, ladies and similar kitchen or tableware	1,693	1,847	1,999	1,799	2,131
69607	Handles of base metal for articles of S.I.T.C. Items 696.05, 696.06 and 696.08	1	29	5	17	9
69608	Knives with cutting blades, other than knives of S.I.T.C. Item 695.42 and blades therefor	1,304	1,704	1,485	1,504	1,711
69731	Cooking apparatus and plate warmers with burners, domestic, not electrically operated, of iron and steel	558	909	696	2,069	1,448
69732	Stoves, grates, fires, etc, nes, wash boilers with heating elements, etc, domestic, non-electric, of iron or steel	4,802	3,121	1,833	2,332	1,165
69733	Parts, nes, of iron or steel, of apparatus of S.I.T.C. Items 697.31 and 697.32	1,288	1,161	814	835	876
69734	Cooking and heating apparatus, domestic, not electrically operated, and parts thereof, nes, of copper	35	51	3	90	12
69735	Instantaneous or storage water heaters, domestic, non-electrical, and parts thereof, nes	185	293	148	549	645
69741	Domestic articles and parts thereof, nes, of iron or steel	3,135	2,773	2,598	3,465	2,703
69742	Domestic articles and parts thereof, nes, of copper	603	817	518	575	895
69743	Domestic articles and parts thereof, nes, of aluminium	389	306	293	427	260
69751	Sanitary ware for indoor use and parts thereof, nes, of iron or steel	436	336	647	527	498
69752	Sanitary ware for indoor use and parts thereof, nes, of copper	248	183	299	389	212
69753	Sanitary ware for indoor use and parts thereof, nes, of aluminium	2	13	1	4	5
69781	Household appliances, mechanical, not exceeding 10kg, for preparation, serving or conditioning of food or drink	628	420	444	830	399
69782	Ornaments used indoors, of base metal; photograph, picture and similar frames, of base metal; mirrors of base metal	1,656	1,056	1,611	1,528	1,140
69911	Locks, frames with locks for handbags or the like, and parts, of base metal; keys of any of the foregoing, of base metal	1,742	1,878	1,485	2,031	1,951
69912	Safes, reinforced strong-rooms, strong-room linings and doors and cash and deed boxes and the like, of base metal	134	111	78	258	93
69913	Fittings & mountings of base metal, for furniture, doors, suitcases, windows, blinds, saddlery, trunks, hat racks, etc.	4,911	6,351	6,152	8,334	7,026
69920	Chain and parts thereof of iron or steel	2,532	4,326	2,210	2,871	2,587
69931	Needles, hand sewing, carpet and knitting bodkins, crochet hooks, etc, and embroidery stiletons, of iron or steel	96	101	69	66	80
69932	Pins (excl. hatpins and other ornamental pins and drawing pins), hair pins and curling grips, of iron or steel	238	191	221	243	340
69933	Clasps, frames with clasps for handbags, etc, buckles, hooks, eyes, etc, of base metal, for clothing, travel goods, etc.	997	814	816	993	1,020
69941	Springs and leaves for springs, of iron or steel	1,190	1,389	1,258	1,402	1,343
69942	Springs of copper	113	8	2	1	4
69961	Tubing and piping, flexible, of base metal	217	1,522	216	228	393
69962	Bells and gongs, non-electric, of base metal and parts thereof of base metal	47	35	75	58	30
69963	Stoppers, crown corks, bottle caps, capsules, bung covers, seals & plombs, & other packing accessories, of base metal	669	746	909	597	871
69964	Sign-plates, name-plates, numbers, letters and other signs, of base metal	252	294	230	270	201
69965	Wire, rods, tubes, etc, of base metal or metal carbides, coated or cored with flux, for soldering, brazing	831	1,569	648	544	902
69971	Anchors and grapnels and parts thereof, of iron and steel	17	675	47	20	5
69979	Iron or steel articles, nes (excl. castings, forgings and stampings, in the rough state)	5,664	6,600	4,882	4,493	5,769
69981	Copper articles, nes	928	922	839	886	912
69982	Nickel articles, nes	72	159	80	10	39
69983	Aluminium articles, nes	1,793	1,700	1,558	1,778	1,830
69984	Lead articles, nes	35	4	51	47	70
69985	Zinc articles, nes	96	111	74	27	25
69986	Tin articles, nes	187	150	346	189	188
69991	Tungsten, wrought, and articles of tungsten, nes	158	105	74	4	16
69992	Molybdenum, wrought, and articles of molybdenum, nes	63	83	24	5	19
69993	Tantalum, wrought, and articles of tantalum, nes	57	-	-	951	394
69994	Magnesium, wrought, and articles of magnesium, nes	22	289	249	45	2
69995	Beryllium, wrought, and articles of beryllium, nes	-	-	-	-	-
69999	Base metals, nes, wrought, and articles of such metals, nes, cermets, wrought, and articles of cermets, nes	554	803	598	416	433
	Division total (A)	83,313	86,945	75,645	81,469	83,926

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71	Power generating machinery and equipment					
71110	Steam and other vapour generating boilers; super-heated water boilers	19	18	70	48	52
71120	Auxiliary plant for use with boilers of heading 711.10; condensers for vapour engines and power units	258	12	100	42	34
71191	Parts, nes, of boilers of heading 711.10	2,195	30	52	3	-
71199	Parts, nes, of apparatus and appliances of heading 711.20	5,762	18	1	12	7
71260	Steam and other vapour power units, whether or not incorporating boilers	31	44	-	1	20
71250	Parts, nes, of power units of heading 712.60	133	2,057	444	1,066	394
71311	Internal combustion piston engines for aircraft	220	103	941	81	238
71319	Parts, nes, of aircraft engines of heading 713.11	206	163	58	155	104
71320	Internal combustion piston engines for propelling vehicles of division 78, groups 772 and 951 and item 744.11	24,622	25,622	23,126	11,541	27,618
71331	Outboard motors, internal combustion piston engines, marine propulsion	1,259	1,496	1,667	3,175	2,584
71332	Motors other than outboard motors, internal combustion piston engines, marine propulsion	3,338	1,882	2,083	2,189	2,220
71380	Internal combustion piston engines, nes	11,469	6,658	6,271	11,798	6,451
71390	Parts, nes, of internal combustion piston engines of headings 713.20, 713.31, 713.32 and 713.80	14,278	12,500	11,680	16,010	14,541
71440	Reaction engines	-	-	-	27	-
71481	Turbo-propellers	1,054	992	318	896	3,593
71488	Gas turbines, nes	-	79	393	-	2
71491	Parts, nes, of reaction engines or turbo-propellers	1,020	1,606	740	413	997
71499	Parts, nes, of engines and motors of headings 714.88 and 714.89	7,196	7,384	7,991	7,461	9,159
71610	Motors and generators, direct current	3,084	2,776	2,772	1,771	5,421
71621	Electric motors, other than direct current	5,984	5,464	3,454	5,510	7,759
71622	Generators, alternating current	1,891	932	15,790	2,082	674
71623	Generating sets with internal combustion piston engines	2,027	2,586	803	1,694	812
71630	Rotary converters	183	303	753	260	2,995
71690	Parts, nes, of rotating electric plant	2,201	4,753	15,350	3,459	2,620
71881	Water turbines	-	-	-	12	-
71882	Hydraulic engines and motors, nes (incl. water wheels)	1,845	1,711	1,320	1,832	1,231
71888	Engines and motors, nes	6,659	4,523	2,030	2,200	7,483
71889	Regulators and parts of water turbines, hydraulic engines and motors (incl. water wheels)	331	271	342	2,100	324
	Division total	97,453	84,165	98,729	76,018	97,462
72	Machinery specialised for particular industries					
72111	Ploughs	15	66	2	44	68
72112	Seeders, planters, transplanters; fertiliser distributors and manure spreaders (excl. hand tools)	184	166	87	423	158
72113	Cultivators, scarifiers, hoes and harrows (excl. hand tools)	589	888	202	425	246
72118	Agricultural and horticultural machinery for soil preparation or cultivation, nes; lawn and sports ground rollers	133	67	120	7	126
72119	Parts, nes, of the machinery of items 721.11, 721.12, 721.13 and 721.18	323	237	207	660	249
72121	Lawn mowers	837	757	1,108	2,446	711
72122	Combined harvester-threshers	242	290	-	10,940	4,602
72123	Harvesting and threshing machinery, nes; mowers (other than lawn mowers); straw and fodder presses	784	1,048	949	1,132	1,567
72124	Winnowing and similar cleaning machines for seed, grain or leguminous vegetables (excl. those of heading 727.11)	345	123	165	383	67
72129	Parts, nes, of machines of heading 721.2	835	930	691	2,528	2,860
72131	Milking machines	-	-	-	12	-
72138	Dairy machinery, nes	69	76	93	131	78
72139	Parts, nes, of machinery of heading 721.3	144	102	659	242	197
72191	Presses, crushers and other machinery used in wine-making, cider-making, fruit juice preparation or the like	63	142	79	22	91
72197	Germination plant having mechanical or thermal equipment; poultry incubators, brooders; other agricultural machinery	542	1,262	1,561	972	638
72198	Parts, nes, of machinery of heading 721.91	6	46	17	6	-
72199	Parts, nes, of machinery and appliances of heading 721.97	43	141	79	66	142
72230	Tractors, track-laying	609	199	49	35	450
72240	Tractors, wheeled (excl. those of headings 744.11 and 783.2)	9,513	5,952	6,610	22,800	7,163
72330	Road rollers, mechanically propelled(s)	155	107	248	634	235
72341	Bulldozers and levellers, self-propelled	6,195	3,974	6,986	6,198	11,471
72342	Mechanical shovels and excavators, self-propelled	14,575	13,544	16,486	13,565	15,622
72343	Excavating, levelling, tamping, boring and extracting machinery for earth, minerals or ores, self-propelled, nes	3,145	1,879	1,710	3,253	3,561
72344	Boring and sinking machinery, not self-propelled	286	537	467	2,168	7,874
72345	Snow ploughs, not self-propelled (incl. attachments)	287	46	208	463	27
72346	Excavating, levelling, tamping and extracting machinery for earth, minerals or ores, not self-propelled, nes	4,855	1,786	4,306	1,231	1,910
72348	Machines and mechanical appliances for public works, building and the like, nes	728	329	153	372	163
72390	Parts, nes, of machinery and equipment of headings 721.41 to 721.46	12,181	8,115	9,209	40,023	11,835
72431	Sewing machines	7,937	5,979	4,309	6,944	6,645
72439	Sewing machine needles; furniture designed for sewing machines; parts, nes, of machines and furniture of heading 724.3	544	648	586	686	631

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AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
72	Machinery specialised for particular industries	-	-	-	-	-
72441	Machines for extruding man-made textiles	-	807	-	-	-
72442	Machines for processing natural or man-made textile fibres, nes	678	2,690	5,639	168	1,350
72443	Textile spinning or twisting machines; textile	974	412	297	483	1,487
72449	Parts, nes, of and accessories for use with machines of heading 724.4	418	540	550	402	600
72451	Weaving machines (looms)	182	279	231	1,471	2,132
72452	Knitting machines	1,895	856	621	529	1,258
72453	Machines for making gimped yarn, tulle, lace, embroidery, trimmings, braid or net	320	91	149	207	312
72454	Machinery for manufacture or finishing of felt in the piece or in shapes, and parts thereof, nes	5	165	11	-	7
72461	Machinery for use with machines of headings 724.51, 724.52 and 724.53	220	100	123	5	-
72469	Parts, nes, of and accessories for use with machines of headings 724.51, 724.52, 724.53 and 724.61	1,472	981	1,172	810	1,435
72471	Clothes-washing machines, exceeding 6 kg dry linen capacity	817	813	522	483	431
72472	Dry-cleaning machines	312	313	200	304	104
72473	Drying machines, industrial (excl. those of headings 741.6 and 743.5)	713	1,259	187	165	187
72474	Textile and leather machinery, nes	4,781	2,662	3,428	2,587	2,270
72479	Parts, nes, of machines of headings 724.7 and 775.1	199	210	308	603	239
72480	Machinery (excl. sewing machines) for preparing, tanning or working hides, skins or leather, and parts thereof, nes	521	718	397	553	914
72511	Machinery for making cellulose pulp	213	621	45	-	-
72512	Machinery for making or finishing paper or paperboard	1,816	4,136	443	1,275	4,333
72520	Paper and paperboard cutting machines; other machinery for making up paper, pulp, paper or paperboard	1,851	1,550	4,465	2,406	3,808
72591	Parts, nes, of machines of headings 725.11 and 725.12	1,435	452	791	598	1,464
72599	Parts, nes, of machines of heading 725.20	1,954	397	394	1,370	1,136
72631	Printing plates, cylinders (excl. machine-tools of heading 728.1 or 736)	897	1,349	1,739	1,023	1,384
72632	Printing type, impressed fongs and matrices, printing blocks, plates and cylinders	227	349	898	217	560
72641	Rotary printing presses	22,174	4,943	12,596	3,016	18,445
72671	Printing machinery, nes	1,534	1,464	4,192	4,192	2,286
72672	Machines for use ancillary to printing	761	1,360	638	1,332	3,718
72681	Book binding machinery, incl. book sewing machines	626	1,023	648	417	1,238
72689	Book binding machinery parts, nes	720	144	60	86	77
72691	Parts, nes, of machines of heading 726.31	425	898	752	1,207	647
72699	Parts, nes, of machines of headings 726.41, 726.42, 726.71 and 726.72	1,978	997	1,784	6,978	2,592
72711	Bread grain milling machinery; other machinery for working cereals or dried leguminous vegetables	42	2,337	40	1	167
72719	Parts, nes, of bread grain milling machinery or machinery for working cereals or dried leguminous vegetables	35	25	160	144	169
72721	Fats and oils (animal and vegetable) industry machines and mechanical appliances	-	-	-	258	-
72722	Machinery, nes, used in baking, confectionery, pasta or sugar manufacture, preparing meat, fish, fruit, etc., brewing	5,408	3,765	2,913	4,123	2,792
72729	Parts, nes, of food-processing machinery of heading 727.22	449	724	360	647	591
72811	Machine-tools for working glass, stone, concrete, asbestos-cement and like mineral materials	1,054	712	1,550	914	1,200
72812	Machine-tools for working wood, cork, bone or other hard carving materials (excl. machines of heading 745.11)	5,979	2,281	3,724	4,566	3,078
72819	Parts, nes, of and accessories for use with machine-tools of 728.11 and 728.12	724	471	405	120	512
72831	Machinery for sorting, screening, separating or washing earth, stone, ores or other mineral substances in solid form	548	438	273	355	67
72832	Machinery for crushing or grinding earth, stone, ores or other mineral substances in solid form	5,062	2,286	566	857	4,478
72833	Machinery for mixing, kneading, earth, stone, ores or other mineral substances in solid form	79	187	54	361	22
72834	Machinery for agglomerating, moulding or shaping mineral products in powder or paste; for forming foundry moulds of sand	337	300	-	67	15
72839	Parts, nes, of machinery of heading 728.3	1,271	2,010	1,147	569	2,244
72841	Machines for assembling electric filament and discharge lamps and electronic and similar tubes and valves; parts, nes	1,309	961	429	572	1,403
72842	Machines and mechanical appliances for rubber and plastic materials industries, nes	6,728	6,306	7,048	4,755	4,398
72843	Machines and mechanical appliances for the tobacco industry, nes	868	928	700	147	-
72844	Machines and mechanical appliances for treating wood, nes	96	-	51	-	239
72845	Machines and mechanical appliances for treating metal or metal carbides, nes	244	101	4	19	-
72848	Machines and mechanical appliances, having individual functions; vacuum cleaners; wire coiling machines	15,890	18,935	16,069	14,023	20,695
72849	Parts, nes, of machines of headings 723.48, 721.21 and 728.42 to 728.48	6,917	6,782	5,472	4,808	7,207
	Division total(a)	167,074	131,633	139,476	188,788	182,723

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					1985	1986
73	Metalworking machinery					
73611	Machine-tools, electric or electronic; ultrasonic machine-tools; for working-metal or metal carbides	60	414	212	828	886
73612	Gear-cutting machines	295	13	42	77	3,480
73613	Lathes, metal-working	2,650	2,180	5,215	5,681	3,322
73614	Reaming or milling machines, metal-working	3,686	2,764	1,247	1,975	1,414
73615	Drilling and boring machines, metal-working	390	660	946	1,288	1,190
73616	Sawing machines, metal-working	794	931	754	-	-
73617	Planing machines, metal-working	-	-	5	12	10
73618	Tapping or screw-cutting machines	-	100	5	-	-
73619	Sharpening, trimming, grinding, machines, etc. for working metal or metal carbides with abrasives of polishing products	1,933	6,002	2,392	1,679	2,906
73621	Forging and stamping machines, metal-working	23	54	-	143	-
73622	Bending, forming or flattening machines, metal-working	2,259	1,983	1,528	319	1,055
73623	Shearing, punching or notching machines, metal-working	1,036	1,825	1,184	881	838
73628	Metal-working presses, nes	377	1,881	2,203	2,112	1,279
73670	Machine-tools for working metal or metal carbides, nes	3,943	4,142	4,467	4,018	7,432
73680	Work holders, self-opening dieheads and dividing heads for machine tools; tool holders	1,301	1,120	898	1,150	1,378
73690	Parts, nes, of and accessories for use with machine-tools of heading 736	848	1,054	721	5,681	1,289
73711	Converters, ladles, ingot moulds and casting machines used in metallurgy and metal foundries	292	4,566	3,205	641	4,181
73719	Parts, nes, of machines and appliances of heading 73711	1,362	3,650	2,511	97	2,964
73721	Rolling mills	252	860	504	759	573
73729	Rolls for and parts, nes, of rolling mills	232	232	258	5	169
73731	Gas-operated welding, brazing, cutting and surface-tempering appliances, and parts thereof, nes	455	346	284	477	945
73732	Electric or laser-operated welding, brazing, soldering or cutting machines and apparatus, and parts thereof, nes	2,950	2,633	2,437	2,739	2,694
	Division total	25,138	36,179	30,787	34,573	38,005
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.					
74110	Gas generators, producer & water; acetylene gas generators & similar gas generators; & parts, nes, of gas generators	21	203	38	33	5
74120	Furnace burners for liquid fuel, pulverised solid fuel or gas; mechanical stokers, grates and the like; parts thereof	525	294	1,899	234	302
74131	Electric furnaces; ovens, induction and dielectric heating equipment, industrial and laboratory, and parts thereof, nes	483	1,397	363	540	1,350
74132	Non-electric furnaces and ovens, industrial and laboratory, and parts thereof, nes	782	91	1,527	219	427
74141	Refrigerators and refrigerating equipment (excl. domestic refrigerators and freezers)	2,242	1,534	1,478	2,514	2,213
74149	Refrigerators and refrigerating equipment (incl. domestic equipment) parts, nes	1,007	1,132	735	2,820	1,178
74150	Air-conditioning machines comprising a motor-driven fan and elements for changing the temperature of air, and parts	1,334	1,375	1,300	1,823	1,976
74160	Machinery for cleaning or drying bottles, etc; for aerating beverages, for treatment of materials, and parts thereof	6,884	6,378	6,835	6,987	7,699
74210	Reciprocating pumps (excl. those of heading 742.80)	2,480	2,331	2,499	2,126	2,737
74220	Centrifugal pumps (excl. those of heading 742.80)	1,461	1,710	1,516	1,413	1,961
74230	Rotary pumps (excl. those of heading 742.80)	1,359	1,280	1,428	1,174	1,061
74281	Pumps for dispensing fuel or lubricants fitted or designed to be fitted with a measuring device	236	374	2,777	205	363
74288	Pumps for liquids, nes, and liquid elevators	3,144	3,032	2,777	3,145	3,968
74290	Parts, nes, of pumps and liquid elevators of heading 742	2,931	2,883	2,732	2,476	2,949
74310	Air pumps, vacuum pumps and air or gas compressors	13,400	14,845	9,550	14,528	12,679
74320	Parts, nes, of pumps and compressors of heading 74310	1,552	1,833	1,281	1,886	2,176
74330	Free-piston generators for gas turbines, and parts thereof, nes	25	35	105	2	2
74340	Fans, blowers and the like, and parts thereof, nes	2,940	2,434	2,460	2,496	2,826
74350	Centrifuges (incl. cream separators and milk clarifiers)	992	1,017	738	664	933
74360	Filtering and purifying machinery and apparatus (excl. filter funnels, milk strainers, etc), for liquids and gases	8,022	7,130	5,775	7,850	7,325
74390	Parts, nes, of the machines and apparatus of headings 743.5 and 743.6	2,444	2,341	2,540	2,341	3,145
74411	Works trucks, mechanically propelled, for short distance transport of goods; tractors used on railway station platforms	7,416	8,999	4,650	6,899	8,232
74419	Parts, nes, of trucks and tractors of heading 744.11	1,937	1,151	1,161	1,450	1,515
74421	Pulley tackle and hoists (excl. ship hoists); winches and capstans	1,045	926	1,601	1,455	3,790
74422	Cranes (excl. cable cranes); mobile lifting frames; ships' derricks	1,888	1,845	1,119	1,142	1,213
74423	Elevators and conveyors, pneumatic	1	101	63	269	284
74424	Lifts and skip hoists	305	279	61	2	331
74425	Escalators and moving pavements	458	325	2,257	-	-
74428	Lifting, handling, loading and unloading machinery, nes	11,230	9,855	10,842	5,516	10,453
74490	Parts, nes, of machinery of heading 744.2	4,466	3,818	2,916	2,418	4,364
74511	Hand tools, pneumatic or with self-contained non-electric motor	4,529	5,275	3,128	6,355	3,944

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74	General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.					
74519	Parts, new, of tools of heading 745.11	807	551	782	868	582
74521	Calendering and rolling machines (excl. metal-working and rolling machines and glass-working machines) and parts, new	512	117	267	527	911
74522	Dish washing machines (excl. domestic dish washers)	8,392	7,024	8,949	8,518	12,254
74523	Parts, new, of machinery of headings 745.22 and 775.3	1,484	1,287	1,032	1,442	2,008
74524	Vending machines, automatic, not being games of skill or chance; and parts thereof, nes	837	690	828	2,120	391
74525	Weighing machinery (excl. balances of sensitivity of 1kg or better); incl. weight-operated counting or checking machines	2,202	1,882	1,621	2,368	2,476
74526	Weighing machine weights; parts, nes, of weighing machinery of heading 745.25	244	223	158	309	161
74527	Mechanical appliances for dispersing liquids or powders; fire extinguishers; jet projecting machines; and parts thereof	4,679	6,031	5,405	6,137	4,672
74910	Bearings, ball, roller or needle roller(a)	10,282	9,520	8,341	7,959	10,423
74920	Taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances, for pipes, boiler shells, tanks and the like	20,148	17,129	18,746	16,589	18,990
74930	Transmission shafts, cranks, bearings and bearing housings, gears, flywheels, pulleys, clutches and shaft couplings	14,937	15,224	14,367	13,798	14,643
74991	Moulding boxes for metal foundry; moulds (excl. ingot moulds) used for metal, metal carbides, glass, or other materials	2,684	1,954	2,096	1,901	2,579
74992	Gaskets & similar joints; assortments thereof dissimilar in composition, for engines, pipes, etc, put up in pouches, etc.	2,209	1,852	1,988	2,236	2,155
74999	Parts of machinery, not containing electrical connectors, insulators, coils, contacts or other electrical features, nes	3,674	3,047	3,162	3,640	4,179
	Division total(s)	161,228	152,754	143,281	149,626	160,398
75	Office machines and automatic data processing equipment					
75111	Typewriters, electric	3,979	2,422	3,000	3,118	5,040
75112	Typewriters, non-electric	32	73	57	504	-
75118	Cheque-writing machines (incl. cheque signing and projecting machines); typewriters, nes	297	122	132	10	389
75121	Calculating machines (incl. electronic desk calculators)	2,521	1,614	1,286	1,190	1,475
75122	Accounting machines (incl. book-keeping machines)	62	-	-	524	39
75123	Cash registers with a calculating device	1,081	897	1,834	2,614	1,563
75128	Postage franking, ticket-issuing and similar machines, incorporating a calculating device	228	195	131	555	473
75181	Duplicating machines, hectograph or stencil	121	98	38	754	139
75182	Photo-copying apparatus and thermo-copying apparatus	9,052	7,728	9,804	10,462	6,574
75188	Office machines, nes; addressing, stapling, perforating, coin-sorting machines and the like	7,587	4,960	6,144	15,967	7,780
75210	Analogue and hybrid (analogue/digital) data processing machines	318	2,489	1,632	612	973
75221	Digital data processing machines, comprising at least one input and one output unit, and the central processing unit	26,959	26,659	33,585	33,300	31,798
75231	Digital central processing units; digital processors consisting of arithmetic, logic and control elements	17,580	12,703	36,900	27,876	16,516
75240	Digital central (main) storage units	645	480	565	602	315
75250	Peripheral units connectable to the central processing unit, for data processing equipment	53,770	55,461	74,351	72,661	66,644
75280	Off-line data processing equipment, nes	5,235	1,432	3,291	922	1,896
75911	Parts, nes, of and accessories for typewriters of heading 751.1	478	302	354	514	351
75915	Parts, nes, of and accessories for machines of headings 751.81 and 751.88 and cheque-writing machines	1,422	1,382	1,969	1,301	1,771
75919	Parts, nes, of and accessories for use with photo-copying and thermo-copying apparatus of heading 751.82	5,045	4,084	3,843	3,332	4,420
75990	Parts, nes, of and accessories for machines of heading 751.2 or group 752	37,354	33,040	40,912	46,767	39,937
	Division total	174,636	156,140	219,855	223,684	188,312
76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment					
76110	Television receivers, colour	7,498	7,513	7,418	6,347	7,108
76120	Television receivers, monochrome	264	104	54	224	144
76210	Radio-broadcast receivers, for fitting to motor vehicles (incl. receivers incorporating sound recorders or reproducers)	5,797	5,050	4,682	8,079	6,969
76220	Radio-broadcast receivers, portable (incl. receivers incorporating sound recorders or reproducers)	5,503	3,716	4,164	7,970	4,177
76280	Radio broadcast receivers, nes	3,718	3,520	2,607	5,074	3,605
76311	Gramophones, electric, coin operated	60	-	80	46	17
76318	Gramophones, record players, nes	3,303	1,723	1,851	1,788	1,583
76381	Television sets and sound recorders or reproducers	21,225	14,787	17,942	23,170	17,931
76388	Sound recorders and reproducers, nes; dictating machines	5,013	4,182	3,373	6,477	4,136
76410	Electrical line telephonic and telegraphic apparatus	18,567	13,305	12,715	16,450	16,039
76420	Microphones; loudspeakers; audio-frequency electric amplifiers	4,963	4,068	3,859	6,510	4,731
76430	Television, radio-broadcasting, radiotelegraphic and radiotelephonic transmitters and transmitter-receivers	10,903	10,937	11,598	10,051	15,013
76481	Radiotelephonic or radiotelegraphic receivers	1,212	2,573	1,465	2,223	2,033

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76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment					
76482	Television cameras	4,204	3,414	2,505	3,299	3,914
76483	Radio navigational aid apparatus; radio remote control apparatus; radar apparatus	1,158	3,442	1,775	4,625	2,180
76491	Parts, nes, of apparatus falling within heading 764.10	22,423	21,296	17,169	16,862	25,800
76492	Parts, nes, of apparatus and equipment falling within heading 764.20	344	316	299	486	360
76493	Parts, nes, of apparatus and equipment falling within headings 761, 762, 764.3 and 764.8	16,035	12,071	15,267	11,884	15,153
76499	Parts, nes, of and accessories for apparatus falling within heading 763	1,091	937	1,125	1,415	1,463
	Division total	133,279	112,954	109,238	133,799	132,451
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s. and electrical parts thereof					
77111	Transformers, liquid dielectric	1,864	1,406	3,914	3,292	725
77118	Transformers, other than liquid dielectric	1,932	1,087	2,120	1,667	1,411
77121	Rectifiers and rectifying apparatus, static converters	3,841	4,125	3,884	8,098	3,430
77122	Inductors	1,518	826	578	624	876
77123	Parts, nes, of electric power machinery falling within heading 771	889	700	1,040	964	1,012
77210	Electrical apparatus for making, breaking or protecting electrical circuits, parts thereof, nes; switchboards	31,639	32,341	27,378	28,788	37,325
77220	Resistors, fixed or variable, other than heating resistors, and parts thereof, nes	1,348	1,350	1,801	1,831	1,459
77310	Insulated electric wire, cable, bays and the like	2,240	1,948	1,733	3,220	1,914
77321	Conduit tubing and joints therefore, of base metal lined with insulating material	7,510	9,219	8,649	7,822	14,831
77322	Insulators of glass	22	42	8	28	19
77323	Insulators of ceramic material	313	452	146	40	23
77324	Insulators other than of glass or ceramic materials	970	2,391	881	1,144	1,382
77325	Insulating fittings of glass (excl. insulators falling within heading 773.22)	194	89	119	188	650
77326	Insulating fittings of ceramic material (excl. insulators falling within heading 773.23)	-	-	1	2	1
77327	Insulating fittings other than of glass or ceramic materials (excl. insulators within heading 773.24)	102	485	210	323	652
77410	Medical apparatus (excl. radiological apparatus)	846	761	600	472	763
77420	X-ray or radioluminescent apparatus; parts thereof, nes, and accessories	5,301	4,853	4,121	5,457	4,036
77511	Clothes washing machines, not exceeding 6 kg dry linen capacity	6,145	5,880	7,164	8,588	9,243
77512	Clothes drying machines, other than industrial (excl. those in heading 741.5)	1,322	1,193	807	4,951	744
77521	Refrigerators, domestic	50	123	40	144	104
77522	Deep-freezers, domestic	2,484	2,451	1,319	3,988	2,710
77530	Dishwashing machines, domestic	301	208	77	379	140
77540	Shavers and hairclippers and parts thereof, nes	1,027	961	937	1,430	477
77571	Vacuum cleaners, domestic; floor polishers	787	305	1,373	1,256	826
77572	Vented hoods and room fans, domestic	2,559	2,339	1,452	3,156	2,441
77573	Food grinders and mixers and fruit-juice extractors, domestic	402	397	619	619	508
77578	Domestic appliances, electro-mechanical, nes, with self-contained electric motor	2,354	1,091	1,021	1,937	1,848
77579	Parts, nes, of electro-mechanical domestic appliances falling within heading 775.7	812	724	609	797	369
77581	Water heaters, instantaneous, storage or immersion	689	526	398	700	670
77582	Soil heating and space heating apparatus	84	96	56	60	102
77583	Hair dressing apparatus	4,499	2,420	1,346	356	389
77584	Irons	1,492	1,027	654	964	924
77586	Domestic appliances, electro-thermic, nes(a)	710	441	752	365	917
77587	Resistors, heating	16,373	9,316	6,683	8,862	12,239
77589	Parts, nes, of electro-thermic appliances falling within headings 775.81 to 775.84, 775.86 and 775.87	874	944	444	907	517
77610	Television picture tubes, cathode ray	646	469	454	689	347
77620	Valves and tubes other than television picture tubes and cathode ray tubes	4,804	2,835	1,882	2,364	2,327
77630	Diodes, transistors and similar semi-conductor devices, photocells; light-emitting diodes	1,225	878	1,039	1,244	1,387
77640	Microcircuits, electronic	3,658	3,963	3,942	3,178	4,684
77681	Piezo electric crystals, mounted	11,448	11,310	11,595	9,609	11,852
77689	Parts, nes, of electronic components falling within heading 776	416	301	241	343	227
77811	Primary cells and batteries and parts thereof, nes	480	416	461	702	373
77812	Electric accumulators	2,084	1,884	2,098	2,035	2,962
77819	Parts, nes, of electric accumulators	4,695	5,498	6,551	5,580	3,103
77821	Filament lamps (other than infra-red and ultra-violet lamps)	285	520	354	298	366
77822	Discharge lamps (other than ultra-violet lamps)	3,258	2,678	2,565	2,564	2,663
77824	Infra-red lamps; ultra-violet and arc lamps	2,595	1,639	1,865	1,346	2,088
77829	Parts, nes, of lamps falling within heading 778.2	260	131	216	123	157
77839	Starting and ignition equipment for internal combustion engines and cut-outs for use with such engines; and parts, nes	479	425	511	559	274
77832	Light and signaling equipment, windscreen wipers, defrosters and demisters for cycles or motor vehicles, and parts, nes	4,134	4,351	4,127	4,769	4,477
77840	Hand tools, with self contained electric motors; and parts thereof, nes	2,860	2,789	3,186	3,323	4,068
77881	Magnets, electric or permanent, and equipment thereof	7,001	6,124	6,783	6,547	9,673
77882	Traffic control equipment	917	817	711	935	1,436
77883	Signalling apparatus, sound or visual	698	967	1,228	486	333
		3,740	2,892	3,542	2,585	2,916

TABLE 4. IMPORTS OF COMMODITY ITEMS AT THE SIX ITEM LEVEL OF THE AUSTRALIAN IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION - CONTINUED
\$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s. and electrical parts thereof					
77884	Capacitors (condensers), fixed or variable	2,431	2,600	2,644	2,512	3,658
77885	Particle accelerators, and parts thereof, nes	13	13	3	677	10
77886	Electric appliances and apparatus having individual functions, nes	5,626	5,716	8,134	8,064	6,275
77887	Carbon brushes, arc-lamp carbons, battery carbons and other carbon articles used for electrical purposes	1,371	2,891	672	1,438	3,136
77889	Electrical parts of machinery and apparatus, nes	188	148	422	149	233
	Division total(a)	169,454	155,085	147,908	165,672	175,335
78	Road vehicles (including air cushion vehicles)					
78100	Passenger motor cars (other than public-service type vehicles), incl. those for transport of both passengers and goods	143,564	117,187	125,910	164,021	129,460
78210	Motor vehicles for transport of goods	93,373	73,300	58,966	117,582	62,272
78220	Special purpose motor lorries and vans	1,460	262	932	543	525
78310	Public-service type passenger motor vehicles	3,708	3,075	3,103	4,232	5,364
78320	Road tractors for semi-trailers	8,990	4,384	4,346	3,253	4,860
78410	Chassis fitted with engine for motor vehicles falling within heading 722, 781, 782 or 783	3,480	4,074	3,723	490	3,778
78420	Bodies for motor vehicles falling within heading 722, 781, 782 or 783	236	218	676	622	346
78490	Parts and accessories, nes, for motor vehicles falling within heading 722, 781, 782 or 783	53,012	56,228	52,876	59,823	63,649
78510	Motor cycles, auto-cycles and cycles fitted with an auxiliary motor; side cars of all kinds	7,034	6,747	5,773	10,773	5,384
78520	Cycles, not motorised	1,001	702	319	1,842	965
78531	Invalid carriages	198	129	232	191	122
78539	Parts, nes, of and accessories for articles falling within heading 785	3,251	3,529	4,082	5,067	5,120
78611	Trailers and semi-trailers of the caravan type for housing or camping	54	27	23	30	44
78612	Trailers and semi-trailers for transport of goods	271	247	283	93	325
78613	Containers specially designed for carriage by one or more modes of transport	21	59	31	602	56
78681	Vehicles, not mechanically propelled, nes	817	380	361	631	490
78689	Parts, nes, of trailers falling within headings 786.11 and 786.12 and vehicles falling within heading 786.81					
	Division total	322,519	272,245	262,540	371,944	283,895
79	Other transport equipment					
79191	Railway and tramway track fixtures and fittings and parts, nes, thereof; mechanical equipment, for signalling vehicles	5	3	394	78	-
79199	Parts, nes, of railway and tramway locomotives and rolling stock falling within heading 791.1 to 791.5	2,748	1,927	1,091	1,455	3,394
79210	Helicopters	681	4,375	675	2,692	961
79220	Aircraft, mechanically propelled (excl. helicopters), of an unladen weight not exceeding 2,000 kg					
79230	Aircraft, mechanically propelled (excl. helicopters), of an unladen weight exceeding 2,000 kg but not 15,000 kg	408	2,774	85	1,147	18
79240	Aircraft, mechanically propelled (excl. helicopters), of an unladen weight exceeding 15,000 kg	783	21,153	13,685	182	18,393
79281	Aircraft not fitted with means of mechanical propulsion; gliders, kites; rotochutes	-	-	-	14,524	-
79282	Balloons and airships	-	-	-	110	87
79283	Catapults and similar aircraft launching gear; ground flying trainers; parts, nes, of the foregoing articles	51	38	14	8	9
79290	Parts, nes (excl. tyres, engines and electrical parts), of aircraft falling within heading 792	78	130	120	163	225
79321	Yachts and other vessels for sport and pleasure	19,199	14,708	18,701	18,099	23,077
79322	Tankers	1,991	921	831	1,579	1,422
79323	Vessels for transport of goods (incl. vessels for transport of passengers and goods)	-	-	-	-	11,425
79324	Trawlers and other fishing vessels; factory ships and other ships directly connected with fishing operations	68	68	47,592	2	68
79328	Ships, boats and other vessels, nes	-	-	8,117	-	-
79382	Light vessels, fire-floats, dredgers, floating cranes, etc; floating docks	137	302	30	24,900	3
79383	Floating structures other than vessels	-	1,376	-	-	-
	Division total	29	565	70	18	232
	Division total	26,177	48,647	91,511	64,956	59,315
81	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.					
81210	Boilers and radiators, for heating, non-electric, and parts, nes, of iron or steel; air heaters & hot air distributors					
81220	Sinks, wash basins, bidets and like sanitary fixtures, of ceramic materials	2,113	1,261	1,121	978	1,233
	Division total	98	60	88	60	91

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\$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
81	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.					
81241	Illuminating glassware, signalling glassware and optical elements of glass, not optically worked nor of optical glass	973	1,112	947	1,115	1,118
81242	Lighting fittings and lamps, and parts thereof, of base metal, nes	4,148	3,045	3,235	3,506	3,206
81243	Portable electric battery and magneto lamps	663	800	781	948	771
	Division total	7,995	6,278	6,172	6,607	6,420
82	Furniture and parts thereof					
82111	Chairs and other seats (excl. those of heading 821.21), whether or not convertible into beds	5,835	4,281	4,981	6,565	6,745
82119	Parts, nes, of chairs and seats falling within heading 821.21	3,463	3,469	2,479	2,583	3,120
82121	Medical, dental, surgical or veterinary furniture, parts thereof	632	674	259	692	495
82122	Bedding; similar furnishings with springs, stuffed or filled with any material, or of expanded foam or sponge rubber					
82191	Metal furniture, nes	1,140	1,147	722	1,177	875
82192	Wood furniture, nes	2,658	2,271	1,532	2,164	3,108
82199	Furniture of other materials, nes; parts, nes, of furniture falling within headings 821.91 and 821.92	4,746	4,984	2,935	4,977	4,595
	Division total	2,266	3,038	2,488	2,470	2,625
	Division total	20,740	19,864	15,397	20,628	21,563
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers					
83101	Handbags (excl. those of wickerwork or basketwork), complete or finished	279	147	258	467	443
83102	Travel goods and toilet cases, incl. suitcases, overnight bags, trunks, etc.	3,016	2,209	2,689	3,602	4,523
83103	Satchels and briefcases	416	390	511	786	871
83109	Cases and purses, nes; cigar cases; pencil cases; wallets; key cases; camera cases; and the like	7,724	6,509	8,518	9,469	10,596
	Division total	11,434	9,255	11,975	14,324	16,433
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories					
84201	Garment parts and fabric cut to shape for outer garments falling within group 842	1	5	9	2	33
84215	Overcoats and other coats, jackets, blazers etc, men's and boys', of wool or fine animal hair, not knitted or crocheted	168	89	125	521	289
84218	Overcoats and other coats, jackets, blazers etc, men's and boys', of other fibres, nes, not knitted or crocheted	1,897	1,532	1,002	1,871	1,645
84221	Suits, men's and boys', of wool or fine animal hair, not knitted or crocheted	188	143	196	989	1,150
84222	Suits, men's or boys', of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	4	1	8	53	24
84223	Suits, men's or boys', of man-made fibres	15	67	312	502	355
84229	Suits, men's or boys', of other fibres, nes	5	30	81	20	145
84231	Trousers, breeches and the like, men's and boys', of wool or fine animal hair	106	44	93	236	101
84232	Trousers, breeches and the like, men's and boys', of cotton	826	821	1,965	2,744	3,103
84233	Trousers, breeches and the like, men's and boys', of man-made fibres	722	591	767	1,530	2,305
84239	Trousers, breeches and the like, men's and boys', of other fibres, nes	66	12	109	48	127
84292	Garments, being outer garments, nes, of wool or fine animal hair, not knitted or crocheted	63	89	25	64	70
84293	Garments, being outer garments, nes, of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	366	367	627	314	589
84294	Garments, being outer garments, nes, of man-made fibres, not knitted or crocheted	309	301	330	865	389
84299	Garments, being outer garments, nes, of other fibres nes, not knitted or crocheted	33	4	15	28	39
84301	Garment parts and fabric cut to shape for outer garments falling within group 843	7	-	2	4	2
84311	Coats and jackets, women's and girls', of wool or fine animal hair	143	28	20	59	49
84312	Coats and jackets, women's and girls', of cotton	126	135	186	205	281
84313	Coats and jackets, women's and girls', of man-made fibres	1,144	460	437	208	166
84319	Coats and jackets, women's and girls', of other fibres, nes	120	216	52	52	49
84321	Suits and costumes, women's and girls', of wool or fine animal hair, not knitted or crocheted	54	10	26	32	17
84322	Suits and costumes, women's and girls', of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	41	192	313	534	452
84323	Suits and costumes, women's and girls', of man-made fibres, not knitted or crocheted	57	60	180	230	130
84329	Suits and costumes, women's and girls', of other fibres, not knitted or crocheted	19	16	30	42	49
84331	Dresses, women's and girls', of wool or fine animal hair, not knitted or crocheted	24	8	3	24	6
84332	Dresses, women's and girls', of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	252	209	296	1,028	580
84333	Dresses, women's and girls', of man-made fibres, not knitted or crocheted	284	283	354	857	701
84339	Dresses, women's and girls', of other fibres, nes, not knitted or crocheted	198	84	103	119	141
84341	Slirts, women's and girls', of wool or fine animal hair	69	35	15	57	45

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\$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories					
84342	Skirts, women's and girls', of cotton	229	198	375	428	477
84343	Skirts, women's and girls', of man-made fibres	107	115	88	89	136
84349	Skirts, women's and girls', of other fibres, nes	73	215	50	54	47
84351	Blouses, women's and girls', of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	540	412	474	1,281	916
84352	Blouses, women's and girls', of man-made fibres, not knitted or crocheted	364	233	849	1,295	1,160
84359	Blouses, women's and girls', of other fibres, nes, not knitted or crocheted	202	259	193	239	229
84392	Outer garments, nes, women's, girls' and infants', of wool or fine animal hair, dressing gowns, kimonos, swimwear, etc	62	26	8	71	34
84393	Outer garments, nes, women's, girls' and infants', of cotton; dressing gowns, kimonos, swimwear and the like	1,567	1,110	1,931	2,580	2,190
84394	Outer garments, nes, women's, girls' and infants', of man-made fibres; dressing gowns, kimonos, swimwear and the like	1,057	1,180	1,091	1,537	1,564
84399	Outer garments, nes, women's, girls' and infants', of other fibres, nes; dressing gowns, swimwear and the like	67	220	69	113	235
84401	Garment parts and fabric cut to shape for under garments of group 844	-	-	6	2	2
84411	Shirts, men's and boys', of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	448	216	848	1,017	1,200
84412	Shirts, men's and boys', of synthetic fibres, not knitted or crocheted	569	891	805	2,641	1,413
84419	Shirts, men's and boys', of other fibres, not knitted or crocheted	3	26	7	20	9
84421	Under garments, men's and boys', of cotton (excl. shirts but incl. collars, shirt fronts and cuffs)	178	204	11	74	66
84422	Under garments, men's and boys', of synthetic fibres (excl. shirts but incl. collars, shirt fronts and cuffs)	47	-	61	117	316
84429	Under garments, men's and boys', of other fibres, nes (excl. shirts but incl. collars, shirt fronts and cuffs)	-	-	-	2	3
84431	Under garments, women's, girls' and infants', of cotton	146	169	73	41	38
84432	Under garments, women's, girls' and infants', of synthetic fibres	189	295	274	794	379
84439	Under garments, women's, girls' and infants', of other fibres, nes	29	48	15	52	56
84501	Garment parts and fabric cut to shape for outer garments falling within group 845	32	7	7	7	1
84511	Jerseys, pull-overs, slip-overs, twin-sets, cardigans and bed-jackets of knitted or crocheted wool or fine animal hair	2,890	1,284	413	378	340
84512	Jerseys, pull-overs, slip-overs, twin-sets, cardigans, bed-jackets and jumpers of knitted or crocheted cotton	977	1,196	2,541	2,364	3,170
84516	Jerseys, pull-overs, slip-overs, cardigans and jumpers, of man-made fibres	2,557	1,365	2,410	878	1,359
84519	Jerseys, pull-overs, slip-overs, cardigans, and jumpers, of other fibres, nes	27	199	62	122	157
84521	Dresses, suits, skirts and costumes, women's, girls' and infants', of wool or fine animal hair, knitted or crocheted	256	152	17	27	10
84522	Dresses, skirts, suits and costumes, women's, girls' and infants', of cotton, knitted or crocheted	109	182	372	492	614
84526	Dresses, skirts, suits and costumes, women's, girls' and infants', of man-made fibres	220	71	381	843	269
84529	Dresses, skirts, suits and costumes, women's, girls' and infants', of other fibres	23	16	27	33	64
84591	Outer garments and clothing acc. (excl. gloves, stockings, etc) nes, of wool or fine animal hair, knitted or crocheted	565	338	62	58	205
84592	Outer garments and clothing accessories (excl. gloves, stockings and the like) nes, of cotton, knitted or crocheted	789	1,641	2,467	3,897	5,715
84597	Outer garments and clothing accessories of man-made fibres, nes	2,692	2,021	2,933	6,288	6,185
84599	Outer garments and clothing accessories of other fibres, nes (excl. gloves, stockings and the like)	187	74	60	166	262
84601	Garment parts and fabric cut to shape for under garments falling within group 846	-	-	-	53	-
84619	Under garments of wool or fine animal hair, not elastic or rubberised (excl. pantyhose)	13	28	6	4	1
84621	Under garments of cotton, not elastic or rubberised, being men's and boys' shirts	4	5	98	199	162
84629	Under garments of cotton, not elastic or rubberised, nes	824	642	472	768	620
84631	Pantyhose of synthetic fibres, not elastic or rubberised	131	158	147	153	493
84632	Under garments of synthetic fibres, not elastic or rubberised, being men's and boys' shirts	4	65	624	1,204	1,711
84633	Under garments of synthetic fibres, men's and boys' (excl. shirts and foundation garments)	109	118	116	94	74
84634	Under garments of synthetic fibres, women's, girls' and infants' (excl. pantyhose and foundation garments)	424	343	380	848	1,127
84640	Under garments of fibres other than wool, fine animal hair, cotton or synthetic fibres, not elastic or rubberised	67	118	4	53	88
84651	Brassieres	345	441	587	645	452
84652	Corsets, corset-belts, suspenders, suspender-belts, braces, garters and the like	275	254	181	291	337

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\$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories					
84711	Handkerchiefs	572	369	618	565	732
84712	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, of textile fabrics	439	297	277	687	739
84713	Ties, bow ties and cravats, of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted (incl. those cut to shape or partly made-up)	182	152	195	251	186
84714	Gloves, mittens, stockings, socks and sockettes, of textile fabrics	455	350	269	174	287
84719	Made-up accessories, nes, for articles of apparel of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	517	360	562	703	624
84721	Gloves, mittens and socks, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberised	997	324	463	435	539
84722	Stockings, socks, and the like (excl. pantyhose (lights)) knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberised	326	301	379	442	360
84723	Articles, nes, of knitted or crocheted fabric, elastic or rubberised	341	279	133	574	310
84810	Clothing and clothing accessories of leather or composition leather	3,583	3,080	2,920	2,449	3,168
84821	Apparel and clothing accessories of artificial plastic materials	689	554	701	843	916
84822	Apparel and clothing accessories of unhardened vulcanised rubber	394	289	378	237	351
84831	Fur clothing (excl. head gear) and other articles of fur	741	673	331	843	358
84832	Fur, artificial, and articles thereof, nes	14	183	29	11	9
84841	Hats, felt, and other felt headgear	111	11	35	11	33
84842	Hats and other headgear, plaited or made from plaited or other strips of any material, whether or not lined or trimmed	35	142	389	680	674
84843	Hats and other headgear, knitted or crocheted, or made up from lace, felt or other textile fabrics in the piece	967	672	1,022	1,561	1,710
84848	Head-bands, linings, covers, hat foundations, hat frames, peaks and chinstraps for headgear	72	44	41	63	61
84849	Headgear, nes	771	645	1,054	1,190	730
	Division total	37,913	31,093	39,068	57,222	58,683
85	Footwear					
85101	Footwear with outer soles and upper of rubber or artificial plastic material	2,754	2,530	2,644	4,821	5,443
85102	Footwear (excl. heading 851.01) with outer soles of rubber, artificial plastic material, leather or composition leather	9,013	9,707	10,468	23,392	25,695
85103	Footwear with outer soles of wood or cork	-	-	-	2	9
85104	Footwear with outer soles of other materials, nes	133	1	60	7	25
85105	Gaiters, spats, leggings, puttees, cricket pads, shin-guards and similar articles, and parts thereof	121	38	165	136	122
	Division total	12,021	12,276	13,337	28,381	31,493
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.					
87101	refracting telescopes(monocular and binocular),prismatic or not	286	510	364	438	470
87102	Astronomical instruments,n.e.s.,(e.g. reflecting, equatorial telescopes) & mountings,not incl. radio-astronomy instrum	81	31	118	138	67
87103	Microscopes and diffraction apparatus, electron and proton	177	361	400	282	414
87104	Microscopes, compound, optical	636	537	813	851	1,163
87109	Optical appliances, & instruments, nes (excl. lighting appliances other than searchlights); lasers (excl. laser diodes)	1,130	946	814	1,648	992
87201	Dental instruments and appliances	1,084	822	903	1,634	1,073
87202	Medical, surgical and veterinary instruments (incl. ophthalmic) and appliances (excl. electro-medical apparatus)	7,998	7,898	8,029	8,477	9,974
87203	Mechano-therapy appliances; massage apparatus; aptitude testing apparatus; therapy apparatus; breathing appliances	1,319	1,197	813	1,957	1,246
87310	Meters, gas, liquid and electricity supply or production	999	683	1,070	1,006	551
87320	Counters, revolution & production, taximeters, tachometers (excl. headings 874.11, 874.12), non-electrical; stroboscopes	471	459	652	603	629
87411	Navigational instruments, non-electrical; compasses	424	378	447	423	425
87412	Geophysical, surveying, hydrographic, meteorological and hydrological apparatus, non-electrical; range finders	1,002	956	775	1,565	880
87421	Drawing, marking-out & mathematical calculating instruments, drafting machines, pantographs, etc; measuring instruments	2,484	2,020	3,394	4,372	3,077
87429	Parts, nes, of and accessories for instruments, appliances and machines of heading 874.21	571	487	653	876	658
87430	Apparatus, non-electric, to measure or control the flow or other variables of liquid, gases	4,581	5,282	4,238	4,046	4,108
87440	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking quantities of heat; for physical or chemical analysis; microtomes	3,096	3,004	4,311	4,045	3,408
87451	Balances, non-electric, of a sensitivity of 5 cg or better	13	38	21	66	167
87452	Instruments, apparatus or models for demonstrational purposes, unsuitable for other uses	585	613	394	339	474

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\$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.					
87453	Machines, non-electric, for testing mechanically the hardness, strength, and like properties of industrial materials	188	121	169	397	242
87454	Hydrometers, thermometers, pyrometers, barometers, psychrometers, non-electric; combinations thereof	506	367	463	547	599
87481	Electronic automatic regulators	4,157	2,048	1,932	948	3,134
87482	Electronic instruments and apparatus for measuring or detecting ionising radiations	85	662	52	127	159
87483	Electronic measuring, checking, analysing and automatically controlling instruments and apparatus, nes	19,855	16,017	14,092	17,454	19,344
87484	Electro-mechanical (non-electronic) automatic regulators	2,744	2,100	2,379	1,316	2,496
87489	Electrical (non-electronic) measuring, checking, analysing or automatically controlling instruments and apparatus, nes	11,593	9,487	9,691	8,554	10,431
87490	Parts, nes, of and accessories suitable for use principally articles of headings 873, 874.30, 874.54 to 874.89	13,778	10,428	10,732	12,276	13,032
	Division total	79,845	68,444	67,717	74,185	79,214
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks					
88111	Cameras (other than cinematographic)(a)	3,615	4,045	4,465	5,735	5,043
88112	Flashlight apparatus and flash bulbs	819	501	328	741	337
88119	Flashlight apparatus parts and accessories, nes; camera parts and accessories	1,215	529	915	659	954
88121	Cinematographic cameras, projectors, sound recorders and sound reproducers for film of less than 16 mm width	1	3	7	-	26
88122	Cinematographic cameras, projectors, sound reproducers and sound recorders for film of 16 mm width or greater	308	420	393	330	297
88129	Parts and accessories for cinematographic cameras, projectors, sound recorders and sound reproducers	349	309	117	177	191
88131	Image projectors; photographic enlargers and reducers	1,050	1,249	997	1,486	1,035
88139	Apparatus and equipment used in photographic or cinematographic laboratories, nes; projector screens	2,470	5,739	4,530	4,961	4,910
89210	Chemical products and flashlig materials suitable for use in photography	3,087	2,048	2,399	2,192	3,434
89221	Plates and film in the flat, sensitised, unexposed (other than those of paper, paperboard or cloth)	5,733	4,460	5,628	5,463	8,100
89222	Film in rolls, sensitised, unexposed	6,219	7,749	6,308	9,054	6,725
89223	Paper, paperboard and cloth, sensitised but not developed, photographic	4,703	5,157	3,395	4,194	4,460
89224	Plates and film, sensitised, exposed but not developed	48	91	87	37	27
89225	Plates and film, exposed and developed	560	462	470	612	634
89300	Cinematographic film, exposed and developed	600	368	449	524	682
89411	Lenses, prisms, mirrors and other optical instruments, unmounted; sheets of polarising material	2,278	1,703	1,309	2,091	2,872
89412	Lenses, prisms, mirrors and other optical instruments, mounted, being parts or fittings	2,041	2,165	1,777	2,102	2,173
89421	Frames and mountings, and parts thereof, for spectacles, pince-nez and the like	3,795	3,010	2,530	2,857	4,484
89422	Spectacles, pince-nez and the like, corrective, protective or other	2,269	1,662	1,752	1,498	2,571
89511	Watches	7,212	5,055	6,584	6,929	6,430
89512	Clocks with watch movements	42	87	74	144	81
89513	Watch movements, assembled	162	148	476	107	97
89514	Watch cases and parts thereof	107	54	117	76	72
89521	Clocks, instrument panel and similar types, for vehicles, aircraft or vessels	201	136	165	94	194
89522	Clocks, nes, incl. marine chronometers	1,640	882	1,221	1,546	1,593
89523	Time of day recording apparatus, apparatus for measuring, recording or indicating intervals of time	431	301	264	367	266
89524	Time switches with clock or watch movement or with synchronous motor	1,032	640	479	942	661
89525	Clock movements, assembled	113	165	131	203	174
89526	Clock cases and similar cases, parts thereof	1	1	25	13	20
89529	Clock and watch parts, nes	325	331	273	314	268
	Division total (a)	52,423	49,470	47,663	55,468	58,613
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.					
89211	Printed books, booklets, brochures, pamphlets and leaflets	28,465	33,599	25,834	33,237	33,829
89212	Children's picture and painting books	157	393	256	440	291
89213	Maps and hydrographic and similar charts; printed globes	126	236	151	774	388
89220	Newspapers, journals and periodicals	9,108	8,992	8,364	9,505	7,587
89241	Transfers (decalcomanias)	273	448	360	462	491
89242	Post cards, Christmas and other picture greeting cards, printed	469	585	446	745	764
89281	Labels of paper or paperboard	495	679	443	594	653
89282	Plans or drawings, for industrial, engineering, commercial etc. purposes, on sensitised paper; manuscripts & typescripts	56	164	36	62	98
89283	Postage, revenue and similar stamps; stamp-impressed paper; share certificates	395	342	519	151	345
89284	Calendars, of paper or paperboard	287	272	272	517	389
89285	Music, printed or in manuscript	264	355	281	409	367
89286	Advertising material for trade, commercial catalogues and the like	999	941	949	951	1,018

TABLE 4. IMPORTS OF COMMODITY ITEMS AT THE SITC ITEM LEVEL OF THE AUSTRALIAN IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION - CONTINUED
\$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.					
89289	Printed matter (incl. printed pictures and photographs), nes					
89310	Articles for conveyance or packing of goods: stoppers, lids, caps and other closures of materials in division 58	1,362	1,289	1,234	1,401	1,503
89320	Sanitary and toilet articles, of materials falling in division 58	5,498	4,898	4,351	4,889	5,425
89330	Ornamental articles and objects of personal adornment, of materials in division 58	811	807	695	470	522
89350	Articles of electric lighting, of materials in division 58	267	346	308	394	460
89393	Venetian and roller blinds and similar articles, and parts thereof, of materials falling in division 58	1,022	733	632	674	541
89394	Office or school supplies, of materials falling in division 58	95	50	70	34	76
89395	Flooring of plastes, tiles or strip, of polyvinyl chloride and copolymers of vinyl acetate	1,222	1,191	1,044	1,275	1,201
89399	Articles, nes, of material falling in division 58	1,735	2,757	2,387	3,326	2,815
89410	Baby carriages and parts thereof, nes	14,651	15,529	13,233	13,995	15,365
89421	Toys, wheeled, designed to be ridden by children; dolls' prams & dolls' push chairs	928	892	862	931	1,199
89422	Dolls	168	298	444	368	779
89423	Toys, nes; working models used for recreational purposes	1,836	2,002	3,903	3,060	1,602
89424	Equipment for parlour, table and funfair games for adults or children	11,954	14,255	15,795	17,105	18,341
89425	Carnival articles; entertainment articles (eg conjuring tricks and novelty jokes); Christmas tree decorations	1,890	2,736	2,393	5,068	3,397
89461	Firearms, non-military, nes	158	200	601	1,932	2,294
89462	Arm, non-military, nes	800	844	524	735	872
89463	Ammunition, sporting, hunting and target-shooting and parts thereof	92	25	135	64	24
89471	Fish-hooks, line fishing rods and tackle; fish and butterfly nets; decoy "birds" and similar hunting requisites	513	414	195	764	488
89472	Appliances, apparatus and accessories for gymnastics, athletics, sports and outdoor games	1,195	878	1,118	1,344	1,143
89473	Fairground amusements, eg roundabouts, shooting galleries etc; circuses, menageries and theatres, travelling theatres	9,370	6,185	6,623	8,193	8,240
89511	Filing cabinets, racks, sorting boxes etc. (excl. office furniture of S.I.T.C. Items 821.91, 821.92 and 821.93)	30	-	1,671	1,180	58
89512	Fittings for loose-leaf binders, for files or stationery books; letter and paper clips; staples, etc	122	160	207	58	71
89521	Fountain pens and other pens; pen holders; propelling pens and pencils; parts (excl. S.I.T.C. Items 895.22 and 895.23)	443	468	607	386	487
89522	Pen nibs and nib points	3,080	3,657	2,667	3,553	3,868
89523	Pencils (excl. S.I.T.C. Item 895.21), pencil leads, slate pencils, crayons and pastels, drawing charcoals, chalks	48	22	32	17	39
89591	Writing ink and other inks (excl. printing ink)	528	502	545	849	691
89592	Slates and boards, with writing or drawing surfaces	166	227	162	162	267
89593	Stamps being date, sealing or number & the like, hand-operated composing sticks & hand printing sets with such sticks	75	58	25	87	137
89594	Typewriter and similar ribbons; ink pads	365	480	335	430	469
89595	Sealing wax in sticks, cakes or similar forms, copying pastes with a basis of gelatin	2,315	1,962	1,404	2,041	2,419
89601	Paintings, drawings and pastels, done by hand (encl. industrial drawings of S.I.T.C. Item 892.82 and hand-printed articles)	-	1	2	-	2
89602	Prints, engravings and lithographs, original	1,252	1,698	2,482	5,698	5,721
89603	Sculptures and statuary, original	112	105	385	157	266
89604	Postage revenue and similar stamps, used	279	173	162	113	242
89605	Collections or pieces of zoological, botanical, mineralogical, historical, palaeontological, or numismatic interest	65	124	29	2	385
89606	Antiques of an age exceeding 100 years, nes	2,486	2,918	3,750	5,282	5,731
89720	Jewellery, imitation	2,486	1,945	2,772	788	3,510
89731	Articles of jewellery and parts thereof, of precious metal or rolled precious metal (excl. watches and watch cases)	4,531	5,711	4,319	4,598	4,871
89732	Articles of goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares, of precious or rolled precious metal (excl. goods of heading 897.31)	71	80	59	94	134
89733	Articles consisting of, or incorporating, pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, nes	114	87	252	335	198
89740	Articles of precious metal or rolled precious metal, nes	462	74	176	24	71
89811	Pianos; harpsichords; other keyboard stringed instruments; harps (excl. arched harps)	1,041	1,193	823	1,452	2,160
89819	Stringed musical instruments, nes (incl. guitars, ukuleles, banjos and the like)	261	280	166	304	249
89821	Pipe and reed organs (incl. harmoniums and the like)	-	8	748	1	559
89822	Accordions, concertinas and similar musical instruments; mouth organs	30	20	37	20	38
89823	Musical instruments, wind, nes	506	605	253	522	705
89824	Percussion musical instruments (eg. drums, xylophones, castanets, cymbals)	238	393	146	270	366
89825	Electro-magnetic, electrostatic, electronic and similar musical instruments (eg. pianos, organs, accordians)	1,757	2,023	1,144	2,233	2,427
89829	Musical instruments, nes (eg. fairground organs, musical boxes, musical saws); whistles; recording prepared media for sound or similar recording	181	184	33	154	174
89831	Prepared media for sound or similar recording	10,515	12,240	9,571	11,920	15,932

TABLE 4. IMPORTS OF COMMODITY ITEMS AT THE SIXT ITEM LEVEL OF THE AUSTRALIAN IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION - CONTINUED
\$'000

AICC Item	Description	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
					1985	1986
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.					
89832	Gramophone records, recorded tapes and other sound (or similar) recorded media	9,083	9,034	9,628	8,695	10,570
89890	Musical instrument parts, nes, of and accessories; metronomes, tuning forks and pitch pipes	580	664	602	721	652
89911	Animal carving materials, worked, eg. tortoise-shell, mother of pearl, ivory, bone, etc./articles of those materials, nes	66	94	80	160	87
89919	Vegetable and mineral carving materials, and articles; moulded or carved articles of wax, natural gums, modelling paste	518	337	290	512	302
89931	Candles, tapers, night lights and the like(a)	220	165	86	314	186
89932	Matches (excl. Bengal matches)	118	139	131	153	110
89934	Lighters, mechanical; similar lighters (incl. chemical and electrical lighters); parts thereof (excl. flints and wicks)	1,042	1,174	1,175	1,124	1,341
89935	Smoking pipes; pipe bowls, and other parts; cigar or cigarette holders	79	9	54	42	94
89939	Pyrophoric alloys in all forms; articles of combustible materials, nes	116	131	90	78	75
89941	Umbrellas and sunshades	752	570	564	553	727
89942	Making sticks, canes, whips, riding crops and the like	91	27	26	38	82
89949	Parts, fittings, trimmings and accessories of articles of headings 899.41 or 899.42	23	9	20	61	2
89961	Hearing aids	1,025	946	456	806	632
89962	Artificial body parts; items worn or carried in the body to compensate for a disability (excl. hearing aids);splints	3,919	3,372	3,299	6,069	4,708
89971	Basketwork and other articles of plaiting materials, nes; articles of joojah or goods of heading 659.71	1,139	1,096	975	1,315	1,737
89972	Brooms and brushes; prepared knots and tufts for broom or brush making; paint rollers; squeegees (excl. rollers) and mops	2,060	2,088	1,660	2,299	1,965
89981	Sieves and riddles, for hand use	26	16	5	17	30
89982	Powder puffs and pads for applying cosmetics and the like	74	37	61	76	38
89983	Buttons and button moulds, studs, cuff-links and press-fasteners; blanks and parts of such articles	524	531	486	594	625
89984	Slide fasteners and parts thereof	340	398	263	436	469
89985	Combs, hair slides and the like	268	307	227	453	372
89986	Scent and similar sprays used for toilet purposes, and mousses and heads thereof	260	199	297	376	448
89987	Tailors' dummies and lay figures; automata and other animated displays used for shop window dressing	115	150	88	327	254
89991	Articles made from gut (excl. silkworm gut) goldbeater's skin, bladders or tendons	114	99	117	134	131
89992	Bird skins with feathers or down (excl. goods of heading 291.95 and quills and scapes)	236	13	67	74	31
89993	Artificial flowers, foliage or fruit and parts thereof; articles thereof	1,357	963	1,282	1,024	1,014
89994	Human hair; animal hair and textile materials prepared for making wigs and the like	-	2	5	-	-
89995	Wigs, false beards, eyebrows and the like, of human or animal hair or of textiles; other articles of human hair, nes	165	141	121	144	170
89997	Vacuum vessels complete with cases; parts thereof (excl. glass innets)	523	584	648	604	751
89998	Parachutes and parts thereof and accessories	16	77	36	24	45
	Division total(a)	155,753	165,790	152,418	187,411	192,803
9A	Commodities and transactions of merchandise trade, not elsewhere classified(b)	142,230	118,564	122,990	133,800	127,315
	Total imports	2,963,247	2,716,847	2,736,154	3,220,841	3,064,876

(a) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 9A. See Appendix A for details. (b) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See Appendix A for details.

TABLE 5. IMPORTS BY AUSTRALIAN STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION
\$'000

A.S.I.C. Division/Sub-division	April 1986	May 1986	June 1986	July	
				1985	1986
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting					
Agriculture	56,164	56,197	45,261	34,769	38,832
Forestry and logging	375	378	415	355	408
Fishing and hunting	560	238	650	597	575
Total	57,075	56,813	46,326	35,721	39,814
Mining					
Metallic minerals	260	955	1,920	576	758
Coal	29	36	-	34	10
Oil and gas	17,938	64,343	20,106	60,748	42,751
Construction materials	1,174	1,524	1,118	1,189	1,117
Other non-metallic minerals	29,106	11,584	27,046	19,511	15,783
Total	48,509	78,442	50,191	81,578	60,418
Manufacturing					
Confidential items falling within ASIC classes 0124 to 2963 incl.	242	1	8	29	-
Food, beverages and tobacco	127,023	108,614	124,894	117,556	121,961
Textiles	154,740	144,584	138,878	158,448	167,526
Clothing and footwear	53,960	47,450	55,315	90,451	94,118
Wood, wood products and furniture (including sheet metal furniture (3152))	62,803	54,587	49,354	69,379	69,158
Paper, paper products, printing and publishing	128,277	129,002	110,998	129,372	140,502
Chemical, petroleum and coal products	351,629	297,712	264,675	409,267	304,175
Non-metallic mineral products	55,544	49,786	45,735	48,184	59,364
Basic metal products	79,789	74,947	77,759	76,361	87,516
Fabricated metal products (excluding sheet metal furniture (3152))	86,557	77,131	71,290	77,786	78,148
Transport equipment	306,522	365,499	399,747	465,452	405,399
Other machinery and equipment	1,048,491	938,204	991,185	1,111,045	1,096,799
Miscellaneous manufacturing	185,390	177,861	178,795	203,602	212,243
Total	2,720,979	2,465,187	2,508,635	2,957,142	2,830,507
Other industries					
Wholesale and retail trade, business services	7,523	9,560	12,452	16,702	16,231
Waste and scrap n.e.c., secondhand goods, special goods	129,181	106,846	118,551	129,698	109,906
Total	136,705	116,406	131,003	146,400	126,137
Total Imports	2,963,267	2,716,847	2,736,154	3,220,841	3,064,876

TABLE 6. IMPORTS BY BROAD ECONOMIC CATEGORIES
\$'000

Broad Economic Category	April 1966	May 1966	June 1966	July	
				1965	1966
Food and beverages	150,065	134,001	144,275	133,328	134,463
Primary	47,920	47,155	41,406	37,309	33,800
Mainly for industry	25,480	27,219	17,500	16,656	11,318
Mainly for household consumption	22,440	19,936	23,906	20,653	22,482
Processed	102,145	86,846	102,869	96,019	100,564
Mainly for industry	19,308	15,219	14,332	17,690	14,723
Mainly for household consumption	82,757	71,627	88,537	78,329	85,841
Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified	827,489	741,457	732,140	749,727	843,929
Primary	59,224	35,953	52,541	39,540	44,325
Processed	768,463	705,504	679,620	710,187	799,604
Fuels and lubricants	101,956	122,749	60,387	223,479	93,200
Primary	17,946	84,385	20,069	80,263	41,754
Processed	84,010	58,364	40,318	143,216	51,446
Rotor spirit	18,194	15,087	7,188	12,020	1,804
Other	65,816	43,277	33,130	131,196	49,542
Capital goods (except transport equipment), and parts and accessories thereof	858,878	774,553	838,484	901,269	913,522
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	581,259	527,425	584,256	606,727	627,057
Parts and accessories	277,618	247,128	254,228	294,542	286,465
Transport equipment and parts and accessories thereof	436,186	406,175	437,708	518,791	438,109
Passenger motor cars(a)	108,557	74,500	94,133	125,977	70,294
Other	84,194	85,495	126,494	153,239	99,736
Industrial	72,249	72,392	117,458	134,394	77,675
Non-industrial	11,945	13,103	9,035	18,845	22,061
Parts and accessories(a)	243,435	246,179	216,901	239,575	267,778
Consumer goods not elsewhere specified	457,290	429,907	405,293	544,339	530,445
Durable	173,134	150,537	134,007	195,774	149,107
Semi-durable	149,407	156,459	144,352	215,342	228,519
Non-durable	115,748	122,911	166,933	133,222	133,819
Goods not elsewhere specified	131,204	104,006	117,447	129,908	111,007
Total Imports	2,963,267	2,716,847	2,736,154	3,220,841	3,064,874

(a) Unassembled road motor vehicles are included with parts and accessories of transport equipment.

Appendix A : Confidential Commodity Listing

Restrictions are placed on the release of statistics for certain commodities for reasons of confidentiality. Commodities covered by the item codes listed below are subject to the 'No Commodity Details' restriction and are, therefore, COMPLETELY EXCLUDED from the relevant Sections and Divisions and INCLUDED in Division 9A in Table 4.

Import Commodity Classification			Restriction			
Section	Division	Item	Started	Finished		
5	51	511.13.01	01.10.83	-		
		511.39.01	01.06.86	-		
		511.39.07	01.04.86	-		
		511.40.01	01.08.84	-		
		512.17.02	01.06.86	-		
		512.17.15	01.06.86	-		
		513.79.13	01.07.69	31.07.85		
		513.90.01	01.04.86	-		
		513.90.13	01.10.84	30.11.85		
		513.90.15	01.08.82	-		
		513.90.39	01.10.84	-		
			52	522.13.00	01.03.84	-
				58	582.70.04	01.09.80
6	66	661.20.01	01.06.86	-		
		69	691.10.05	01.05.83	-	
		694.01.02	01.07.80	-		
		695.39.60	01.03.82	-		
7	72	723.30.01	01.09.81	-		
		74	749.10.70	01.08.82	-	
			749.10.76	01.08.82	-	
	77	775.86.01	01.06.81	-		
8	88	881.11.45	01.07.80	-		
		89	899.31.09	01.12.85	-	