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EXPLANATORY NOTES

(i) Basic Documents. (a) The Oversea Trade Statistics published herein have been derived from documents obtained under the Customs Act by the Department of Customs and Excise and compiled by the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics. They do not include certain items for which customs entries are not recorded. (See paragraph (v) of this note.) These documents are duplicate copies of export and import entries submitted by exporters and importers or their agents to the Department of Customs and Excise.

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

(c) Import entries show date and port of entry, country of origin, description of goods, quantity (where required), value of the goods and amount of duty paid thereon. The tariff number under which the goods are admitted and the statistical item number are inserted by the importer or his agent, and these are verified by Statistical Officers of the Department of Customs and Excise in the local offices of the Collectors of Customs. The value of imports as recorded is that laid down in the Customs Act, viz. the actual price paid by the importer, plus any special deduction, or the current domestic value in the exporting country, whichever is the higher, f.o.b. port of shipment. (See paragraph (v) of this note.)

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

(b) Wool shipments in any trade year may be materially affected by the time spread of wool auctions which normally end in July. The carry-over for shipments varies from year to year. New season's wheat normally becomes available for shipment from December onwards, and the quantity shipped in any trade year (ending June) depends on the size of the crop and the time spread of sales for export.

(c) Exports are recorded with destination "For Orders" when the country of consignment has not been determined at the time of export. Where exports "For Orders" are not shown separately in the tables of Section 3, Table 12 any such exports have been included with "Other Foreign Countries".

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

(iv) Coverage. Statistics shown herein include merchandise and bullion and specie unless otherwise specified. The value of outside packages for both exports and imports is included in all tables, being included under each item concerned for exports and as a separate item in Class XX of imports. Export figures relate to both Australian produce and re-exports, except in Section 3, Table 12, where exports of Australian produce only are shown. Exports of ships' stores and aircraft stores are excluded from overseas trade statistics, but are shown separately on page 22. For other excluded items see next paragraph.

(v) Balance of Trade. Oversea trade statistics are compiled from information recorded in customs documents. The excess of exports or imports in the recorded figures has to be adjusted for both valuation and coverage to provide estimates of the balance of trade which will be found in Statistical Bulletins on the "Balance of Payments". Imports are adjusted for the excess of recorded value for duty over the actual selling price to the importer. Recorded exports and imports of gold, government exports for armed forces and overseas projects, and certain other items are excluded; imports and exports of ships and aircraft for use on overseas routes, certain imports of defence equipment, exports of uranium and other trade items for which customs entries are not required are added.

(vi) Balance of Payments. Statistics relating to overseas trade only do not measure Australia's total balance of payments during the periods shown. Particulars of other transactions entering into the balance of payments, for example, transportation charges and investment income, are provided in the Statistical Bulletin "Balance of Payments: Quarterly Summary" issued by the Commonwealth Statistician.

I. SUMMARY OF OVERSEA TRADE

This Bulletin relates to the recorded overseas trade of Australia (see notes on page 2) for the month of March, 1964 and 1965 and nine months ended March 1964 and 1965.

Figures for 1964-65 are preliminary and are subject to revision

Imports of Merchandise in March, 1965 were valued at £A126,036,000 compared with £A92,177,000 in March, 1964 an increase of £A33,859,000.

Exports of Merchandise in March, 1965 were valued at £A116,107,000 compared with £A112,980,000 in March, 1964, an increase of £A3,127,000.

Imports of Merchandise for the nine months ended March, 1965 were valued at £A1,063,996,000 compared with £A859,879,000 for the nine months ended March, 1964 an increase of £A204,117,000.

Exports of Merchandise for the nine months ended March, 1965 were valued at £A981,657,000 compared with £A1,028,242,000 for the nine months ended March, 1964 a decrease of £A46,585,000.

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

TABLE 1. - SUMMARY OF OVERSEA TRADE
(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Item	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	* 1965	1964	* 1965
<u>Merchandise</u> - Imports	92,177	126,036	859,879	1,063,996
Exports	112,980	116,107	1,028,242	981,657
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	+ 20,803	- 9,929	+ 168,363	- 82,339
<u>Bullion and Specie</u> - Imports ..	14	127	1,637	1,306
Exports	894	515	8,134	7,172
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	+ 880	+ 388	+ 6,497	+ 5,866
<u>Total Trade</u> - Imports	92,191	126,163	861,516	1,065,302
Exports	113,874	116,622	1,036,376	988,829
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>	+ 21,683	- 9,541	+ 174,860	- 76,473

TABLE 2. - OVERSEA TRADE : MERCHANDISE - MONTHS, 1963-64
AND 1964-65

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Month	Merchandise			
	Imports		Exports	
	1963-64	* 1964-65	1963-64	* 1964-65
July	99,703	116,054	116,632	116,778
August	96,259	119,020	95,311	90,015
September	89,033	112,110	102,270	99,133
October	93,003	123,209	115,006	117,566
November	96,644	116,818	129,203	114,879
December	90,084	120,767	118,447	113,526
January	106,542	126,288	121,725	110,293
February	96,434	103,694	116,668	103,360
March	92,177	126,036	112,980	116,107
April	111,874	(a) 118,412	118,382	(a) 110,400
May	102,767		119,883	
June	109,417		114,650	

* Preliminary figures subject to revision

(a) Approximate figures for which Country and Commodity details are not yet available.

Freight and insurance payable on imports are not included in the tables above. These are estimated at approximately £A81 million in the six months ended 31st December, 1964.

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

TABLE 3. - TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN
(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of Origin	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
United Kingdom	29,797	42,729	243,621	287,276
Arabia, South	41	4	2,218	2,466
Australian Territories -				
Papua and New Guinea	410	796	6,950	7,330
Other	299	432	3,219	3,964
Austria	168	..	4,151	2,012
Canada	3,119	4,760	33,796	44,707
Ceylon	806	724	6,721	6,740
China	92	342	1,840	1,110
Hong Kong	655	1,170	7,055	9,096
India	1,366	1,287	13,122	14,872
Kenya	86	101	1,158	912
Malaysia	1,216	3,439	13,738	19,697
New Zealand	1,401	1,987	16,088	17,239
Pacific Islands	92	224	2,698	3,219
Pakistan	418	603	5,655	5,250
Papua New Guinea	175	135	2,168	2,059
Senegal	217	204	866	1,297
Other Commonwealth Countries	1,203	685	5,740	6,462
TOTAL COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES	41,561	59,622	370,804	435,708
American States	3,379	4,812	33,687	37,598
Argentina	24	4	216	135
Austria	363	341	2,726	2,830
Belgium-Luxembourg	676	1,219	5,911	7,314
Brazil	139	256	1,870	2,015
Chile	4	61	171	166
China, Republic of (Formosa)	52	182	1,127	1,693
China (Mainland)	466	956	5,848	8,901
Czechoslovakia	231	367	2,404	2,352
Denmark	219	213	3,290	2,536
Finland	505	756	4,500	6,274
France	1,389	2,472	14,822	22,932
Germany (East)	126	806	835	2,988
Norway, Kingdom of	4,945	7,797	47,564	60,129
Greece	123	52	430	484
Hungary	35	59	359	523
Indonesia	1,011	3,214	20,403	22,893
Iran	1,703	1,184	13,720	10,919
Iraq	676	13	3,950	4,410
Israel	22	90	424	478
Italy	1,414	2,210	14,873	19,999
Japan	5,929	11,797	58,623	92,479
Korea	115	156	1,732	1,325
Netherlands	1,113	1,936	11,651	14,138
Netherlands Dependencies	175	39	1,356	919
New Caledonia	21	136	426	599
Norway	231	461	2,904	3,254
Peru	30	16	421	173
Philippines	141	179	784	1,212
Poland	45	136	592	873
Portugal	127	148	1,147	1,165
South Africa	980	839	7,011	6,457
Spain	207	435	1,399	2,159
Sweden	1,595	2,520	16,893	20,132
Switzerland	1,187	382	10,918	12,000
Thailand	44	27	413	443
Turkey	16	6	167	252
U.S.S.R.	57	125	610	900
United States of America	12,848	18,120	108,601	245,071
Venezuela	500	294	2,686	2,077
Other Foreign Countries	366	1,117	3,218	6,397
TOTAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES	50,630	66,541	490,712	629,594
TOTAL ALL COUNTRIES	92,191	126,163	861,516	1,065,302

TABLE 4. - TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES OF CONSIGNMENT

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of Consignment	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
United Kingdom	21,060	19,675	186,668	197,222
Arabia, South	184	312	2,204	2,581
Australian Territories - Papua and New Guinea	1,849	2,673	17,802	21,370
Other	267	362	2,702	2,811
Canada	2,314	1,551	19,538	15,706
Ceylon	594	532	5,334	6,621
Ghana	18	9	526	535
Hong Kong	2,143	3,346	19,203	20,776
India	1,083	4,822	11,966	19,330
Ireland,	217	92	2,161	1,078
Kenya	72	101	939	789
Malaysia	2,536	3,356	25,088	31,381
Malta	48	165	1,045	1,194
Mauritius	164	112	1,533	1,742
New Zealand	6,341	7,036	63,135	60,407
Pacific Islands	717	1,094	8,234	10,818
Pakistan	173	267	3,413	3,189
West Indies	351	559	2,532	4,275
Other Commonwealth Countries	809	442	5,384	4,243
TOTAL COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES	40,940	46,506	379,407	405,568
Arabian States	406	914	4,772	5,318
Argentina	4	78	108	263
Austria	276	218	1,636	1,325
Belgium-Luxembourg	2,387	1,981	21,105	20,719
Burma	149	156	2,518	1,941
China, Republic of (Formosa)	224	1,977	2,556	4,749
China (Mainland)	7,689	5,112	62,973	46,088
Czechoslovakia	309	439	5,536	5,016
Denmark	44	49	895	841
France	4,950	5,440	52,951	41,665
Germany, Federal Republic of	5,398	3,519	32,983	29,251
Greece	281	1,070	1,191	6,020
Indonesia	644	114	3,464	2,948
Iran	158	246	1,819	8,511
Iraq	1,409	82	4,240	1,017
Italy	3,857	4,579	40,285	31,646
Japan	19,060	19,181	185,782	168,913
Korea, Republic of	64	227	2,583	1,344
Lebanon	438	402	2,597	1,572
Mexico	374	1,040	4,150	6,945
Mozambique	223	88	1,278	1,486
Netherlands	370	1,105	5,109	7,752
New Caledonia	344	421	2,821	3,311
Norway	1,003	273	2,682	2,120
Philippines	785	744	7,913	8,099
Poland	221	944	4,971	6,369
Portugal	91	211	833	870
South Africa	577	1,633	6,906	8,196
Spain	314	513	4,194	3,944
Sweden	156	443	1,215	2,518
Switzerland	140	176	1,255	1,360
Thailand	363	498	3,471	5,353
Turkey	267	668	4,534	3,523
U.S.S.R.	8,159	2,748	40,322	21,617
United Arab Republic	355	257	1,284	2,383
United States of America	8,951	10,120	110,426	100,644
U.S.A. Territories and Dependencies	67	154	1,752	1,219
Yugoslavia	1,123	809	6,392	2,827
Other Foreign Countries	567	998	8,909	7,707
"For Orders"	737	489	6,556	4,111
TOTAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES	72,934	70,116	656,969	583,261
TOTAL ALL COUNTRIES	113,874	116,622	1,036,376	988,829

TABLE 5. - OVERSEA TRADE ACCORDING TO MAJOR GROUPS OF COUNTRIES
(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Group		March		Nine months ended March	
		1964	1965	1964	1965
<u>STERLING</u>					
<u>Imports</u>					
From - United Kingdom ..	..	29,797	42,729	243,621	281,276
Other Countries ..	..	11,043	15,597	118,866	129,826
<u>TOTAL:</u>		40,840	58,326	362,487	417,102
<u>Exports</u>					
To - United Kingdom ..	..	21,060	19,675	186,668	197,222
Other Countries ..	..	18,492	27,424	185,054	205,360
<u>TOTAL:</u>		39,552	47,099	371,722	402,582
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>		- 1,288	- 11,227	+ 9,235	- 14,520
<u>NON-STERLING</u>					
<u>NORTH AMERICA</u>					
<u>Imports</u>					
From - Canada ..	..	3,119	4,760	33,796	44,707
United States of America (*) ..	..	19,851	18,129	188,611	245,097
<u>TOTAL:</u>		22,970	22,889	222,407	289,804
<u>Exports</u>					
To - Canada ..	..	2,314	1,551	19,538	15,706
United States of America (*) ..	..	9,018	10,274	112,178	101,863
<u>TOTAL:</u>		11,332	11,825	131,716	117,569
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>		- 11,638	- 11,064	- 90,691	- 172,235
<u>OTHER NON-STERLING</u>					
<u>Imports</u>					
From - European Economic Community ..	..	9,966	15,928	96,060	126,286
European Free Trade Association (A) ..	..	4,242	4,856	42,493	48,551
Other Countries -					
Eastern Europe, China (Mainland) etc.	..	981	2,462	10,853	16,788
Other ..	..	13,192	21,702	127,216	166,771
<u>TOTAL:</u>		28,381	44,948	276,622	358,396
<u>Exports</u>					
To - European Economic Community ..	..	17,622	18,209	156,894	142,974
European Free Trade Association (A) ..	..	1,950	1,499	10,062	10,771
Other Countries -					
Eastern Europe, China (Mainland) etc.	..	16,538	9,292	117,692	81,371
Other ..	..	26,880	28,698	248,290	233,562
<u>TOTAL:</u>		62,990	57,698	532,938	468,678
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>		+ 34,609	+ 12,750	+ 256,316	+ 110,282
<u>TOTAL IMPORTS:</u>		92,191	126,163	861,516	1,065,302
<u>TOTAL EXPORTS:</u>		113,874	116,622	1,036,376	988,829
<u>Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)</u>		+ 21,683	- 9,541	+ 174,860	- 76,473

(*) Includes U.S.A. Territories and Dependencies.
(A) Other than United Kingdom.

TABLE 6. - TOTAL IMPORTS AND EXPORTS ACCORDING TO STATISTICAL CLASSES

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Statistical Classes	IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
	Nine months ended March			
	1964	1965	1964	1965
I. Foodstuffs of Animal Origin ..	11,416	12,207	137,233	164,695
II. Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-Alcoholic Beverages ..	22,172	25,106	264,492	208,639
III. Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	3,451	4,059	2,030	2,315
IV. Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes and Snuff	10,124	8,825	645	713
V. Live Animals	683	1,000	1,715	1,517
VI. Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs	5,093	5,675	399,271	343,844
VII. Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and Man-made Fibres	21,428	24,035	1,481	1,602
VIII. Yarns and Manufactures Fibres, Textiles and Apparel -				
(a) Yarns and Manufactured Fibres	18,335	23,750	2,466	2,249
(b) Textiles	59,223	69,008	1,795	2,269
(c) Apparel	8,458	9,964	933	1,110
IX. Oils, Fats and Waxes ..	93,381	96,212	22,203	16,909
X. Pigments, Paints and Varnishes ..	4,373	4,890	1,033	1,046
XI. Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons	8,960	9,953	33,054	51,242
XII. Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery -				
(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures	154,540	224,200	83,702	90,134
(b) Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances and Equipment not being Machinery	42,192	51,058	5,471	6,318
(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)	138,230	181,455	14,885	18,655
XIII. Rubber and Leather and Manufactures thereof -				
(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	16,667	22,152	1,105	1,567
(b) Leather and Leather Manufactures	1,792	2,370	2,674	2,756
XIV. Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured	14,758	17,574	2,406	2,138
XV. Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware	15,417	17,553	1,187	1,343
XVI. Paper and Stationery -				
(a) Pulp, Paper and Board	34,291	39,917	1,974	2,756
(b) Paper Manufactures and Stationery	18,304	18,803	2,788	2,843
XVII. Sporting Material, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces ..	11,401	14,229	3,937	4,044
XVIII. Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, n.e.i. ..	15,803	18,517	2,723	3,354
XIX. Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers	59,628	69,519	9,188	12,078
XX. Miscellaneous	69,759	91,965	27,851	35,521
XXI. Gold and Silver; Bronze Specie	1,637	1,306	8,134	7,172
TOTAL:	861,516	1,065,302	1,036,376	988,829

TABLE 7. - VALUES OF IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE ACCORDING TO ECONOMIC CLASSES

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Economic Classes and Degree of Manufacture	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
I. Producers' Materials for use in -				
Building and construction ..	2,622	5,126	27,835	36,807
Rural industries ..	1,272	1,744	11,883	15,335
Manufacturing -				
Motor vehicle assembly ..	9,622	9,747	72,879	83,504
Other ..	33,924	48,898	330,178	396,143
TOTAL:	47,440	65,515	442,775	531,789
II. Fuels and Lubricants -				
Fuels ..	1,395	2,246	16,186	16,632
Lubricants ..	304	158	5,209	3,797
TOTAL:	1,699	2,404	21,395	20,429
III. Auxiliary Aids to Production -				
Advertising matter ..	54	61	1,111	732
Containers ..	1,701	1,991	15,082	18,073
Other ..	879	1,397	10,873	13,030
TOTAL:	2,634	3,449	27,066	31,835
Capital Equipment -				
IV. Producers' Equipment -				
Farm ..	2,689	2,144	20,654	26,223
Non-Farm (a) ..	16,391	23,215	146,089	188,827
TOTAL:	19,080	25,359	166,743	215,050
V. Transport Equipment -				
Railway equipment ..	200	418	1,294	2,285
Complete road vehicles and assembled chassis ..	2,715	3,597	19,816	29,543
Vessels ..	411	175	2,800	2,115
Aircraft ..	868	1,513	9,789	27,001
TOTAL:	4,194	5,703	33,699	60,944
VI. Finished Consumer Goods -				
Food, beverages and tobacco ..	3,964	4,326	34,394	39,343
Clothing and accessories ..	874	1,177	6,457	7,878
Other ..	11,117	16,536	116,787	140,678
TOTAL:	15,955	22,039	157,638	187,899
VII. Munitions and War Stores ..	1,175	1,567	10,563	16,050
TOTAL MERCHANDISE:	92,177	126,036	859,879	1,063,996
Degree of Manufacture				
Producers' Materials -				
Crude ..	11,920	15,719	128,880	138,974
Simply transformed ..	7,497	12,768	68,678	87,843
Elaborately transformed ..	28,023	37,028	245,217	304,972
Finished Consumer Goods -				
Crude ..	1,134	1,048	9,532	9,997
Simply transformed ..	1,696	1,676	13,720	16,492
Elaborately transformed ..	13,125	19,313	134,386	161,410
Other -				
Crude ..	..	..	..	..
Simply transformed ..	3,400	4,395	36,477	38,502
Elaborately transformed ..	25,382	34,087	222,989	305,806
Total				
Crude ..	13,054	16,767	138,412	148,971
Simply transformed ..	12,593	18,841	118,875	142,837
Elaborately transformed ..	66,530	90,428	602,592	772,188
TOTAL MERCHANDISE:	92,177	126,036	859,879	1,063,996

(a) Previously described as "Commerce". Altered to give a more appropriate description, but contents are unchanged.

II. VALUES OF COMMODITIES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED
TABLE 8. - VALUES OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES
 (£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
<u>CLASS I - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin</u>				
Cheese	70	76	719	822
Fish -				
Fresh or preserved by cold process ..	508	451	3,844	4,119
Preserved in airtight containers ..	438	605	3,816	4,618
Other	171	97	869	912
Meats -				
Sausage casings, natural	80	52	622	493
Other	17	17	916	549
Other foodstuffs of animal origin ..	61	71	630	694
<u>Total Class I</u>	1,345	1,369	11,416	12,207
<u>CLASS II - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-alcoholic Beverages:</u>				
Cocoa butter	140	326	1,127	1,139
Cocoa beans, mass paste or slab, etc. ..	136	360	2,075	1,395
Coffee and chicory	461	531	3,810	4,098
Confectionery, cocoa and chocolate ..	54	77	490	531
Fruit dried - dates	31	27	214	231
Grains and cereals	58	33	556	543
Hops	..	26	31	410
Nuts, edible	186	241	1,589	2,203
Pectin	6	11	58	65
Pickles and sauces	19	9	217	88
Spices	48	98	507	586
Sugar and sugar syrups, including lactose ..	36	46	374	437
Tea, including extracts	1,093	1,006	9,097	10,562
Vegetables -				
Fresh or frozen	67	22	438	686
Preserved in airtight containers ..	27	81	340	629
Other foodstuffs of vegetable origin ..	134	178	1,249	1,503
<u>Total Class II</u>	2,496	3,072	22,172	25,106
<u>CLASS III - Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors:</u>				
Ale and other beer, porter, cider and perry	2	1	29	13
Spirits (beverages) -				
Whisky	292	393	2,743	3,203
Other	60	50	500	597
Wine, fermented	23	25	179	246
<u>Total Class III</u>	377	469	3,451	4,059
<u>CLASS IV - Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes and Snuff:</u>				
Cigarettes	105	67	1,129	929
Cigars	29	130	419	707
Snuff	..	..	3	1
Tobacco -				
Manufactured	54	85	491	685
Unmanufactured	649	263	8,082	6,503
<u>Total Class IV</u>	837	545	10,124	8,825
<u>CLASS V - Live Animals</u>	31	487	683	1,000

TABLE 8. - VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
<u>CLASS VI - Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs</u>				
Coarse hair and fibre	79	146	1,231	1,427
Hides and skins -				
Calf and cattle	12	2	271	195
Furred skins	70	86	507	557
Goat	47	27	173	245
Other	12	13	256	197
Shells	1	..	10	6
Wool (sheep and lamb)	256	275	2,163	2,401
Other animal substances, not foodstuffs ..	47	83	482	647
<u>Total Class VI</u>	524	632	5,093	5,675
<u>CLASS VII - Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and Man-made Fibres</u>				
Copra	125	252	1,824	2,000
Cork and manufactures	37	54	415	487
Fibres -				
Coir	23	29	145	272
Cotton, raw	598	178	6,191	5,966
Flax, hemp and ramie	55	86	583	425
Jute	54	48	405	757
Kapok	2	3	87	131
Sisal	212	173	2,604	2,429
Synthetic (man-made) fibres and filaments	472	668	4,684	6,420
Other	24	27	256	256
Gums and resins	98	122	1,267	1,428
Seeds -				
Gardening, agricultural and horticultural	173	140	1,244	1,484
oil seeds and nuts, excluding copra ..	52	41	511	570
Tanning substances	40	58	338	373
Other vegetable substances, etc. ..	98	52	874	1,037
<u>Total Class VII</u>	2,063	1,931	21,428	24,035
<u>CLASS VIII - Yarns and Manufactured Fibres, Textiles and Apparel:</u>				
(a) <u>Yarns and Manufactured Fibres:</u>				
Bags and sacks -				
Corn and flour	289	593	4,766	4,802
Woolpacks	183	262	1,989	2,514
Other	28	38	345	484
Cordage and twines and manufactures thereof	28	52	433	506
Sewing and other silks, cotton, etc. ..	50	140	779	1,062
Yarns -				
Cotton	135	332	1,795	2,305
Hair	45	101	238	380
Man-made fibres	653	1,353	7,133	10,727
Wool or chiefly of wool	47	61	456	539
Other	36	31	339	366
Waste materials and scrap and textile articles	9	5	61	65
<u>Total Class VIII (a)</u>	1,503	2,968	18,335	23,750
(b) <u>Textiles:</u>				
Blankets and blanketing	77	109	463	647
Floor coverings	710	951	5,463	7,056
Articles of furnishing, drapery and napery -				
Handkerchiefs, serviettes and tablecloths	67	100	1,123	1,326
Other	67	134	879	1,193

TABLE 8. - VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
(b) <u>Textiles - (continued)</u>				
Piece-goods -				
Cotton and linen, not impregnated ..	2,594	3,622	26,271	29,841
Fabrics and felts, impregnated ..	173	221	1,164	1,912
Jute, including hessians and brattice cloth	324	264	3,133	3,363
Man-made fibre ..	682	1,009	6,664	7,958
Silk ..	221	164	1,711	1,443
Velvets, velveteens, etc. ..	231	233	1,493	1,559
Wool or chiefly of wool ..	164	249	1,430	1,849
Felt ..	77	127	576	901
Other ..	122	203	1,461	1,455
Towels and towelling ..	58	77	928	880
Trimmings, excluding narrow fabrics ..	518	628	4,322	5,293
Other textiles ..	221	276	2,142	2,332
Total Class VIII (b)	6,306	8,367	59,223	69,008
(c) <u>Apparel</u>				
Buttons, including snap fasteners ..	35	35	343	334
Footwear ..	128	236	1,641	1,965
Garments -				
Knitted -				
Hosiery ..	37	47	303	323
Outerwear ..	239	333	1,047	1,488
Underwear ..	12	11	104	85
Other ..	33	25	165	226
Not knitted -				
Outerwear, including blouses ..	126	191	970	1,133
Sleeping wear, underwear, shirts and other sewn garments ..	11	14	204	273
Gloves ..	182	222	979	1,217
Hats and caps ..	100	118	1,021	948
Other apparel ..	158	194	1,681	1,972
Total Class VIII (c)	1,061	1,426	8,458	9,964
Total Class VIII:	8,870	12,761	86,016	102,722
<u>CLASS IX - Oils, Fats and Waxes:</u>				
Fats, greases and waxes ..	203	157	1,322	1,517
Oils -				
Castor ..	3	46	212	235
Linseed ..	..	..	18	1
Olive ..	133	48	622	892
Peanut ..	143	69	1,374	804
Petroleum and shale oils -				
Crudes, residuals, furnace, industrial diesel, marine diesel fuel (*) ..	6,185	8,216	66,812	70,129
Automotive distillate ..	88	55	612	1,745
Kerosene, incl. aviation turbine fuel ..	49	382	3,147	2,349
Lubricating (mineral) ..	288	147	5,016	3,519
Spirit ..	1,204	1,764	10,276	10,543
Other ..	52	59	1,002	957
Tung ..	15	28	275	183
Other oils, fats and waxes ..	231	272	2,693	3,338
Total Class IX	8,594	11,243	93,381	96,212
<u>CLASS X - Pigments, Paints and Varnishes:</u>				
Colour pigments -				
Black ..	6	7	70	88
Titanium oxide and titanium white ..	..	3	9	16
Other ..	90	126	820	1,008
Dyes, natural and synthetic, including lakes	304	293	2,834	3,062
Paints, colours and varnishes ..	59	72	640	716
Total Class X	459	501	4,373	4,890

(*) Includes furnace fuel, industrial and marine diesel fuel month of March, 1964
 £A65,000 and 1965 £A26,000 and nine months ended March, 1964 £A968,000 and 1965
 £A2,053,000.

TABLE 8. - VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS XI - Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons:				
Abrasives (natural)	81	79	702	706
Asbestos	118	280	1,742	1,925
Sulphur	134	340	1,955	2,225
Other rocks, minerals and hydrocarbons ..	548	419	4,561	5,097
Total Class XI	881	1,118	8,960	9,953
CLASS XII - Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery:				
(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures				
Aluminium and aluminium-base alloys				
excluding wire and cable			1,674	993
Bolts, nuts, rivets and washers	93	134	694	929
Chain and chains of base metal	96	140	842	1,091
Copper and copper-base alloys, excluding wire and cable -				
Pigs, ingots and blocks	644	2,348	1,340	6,890
Other	66	311	717	1,574
Cutlery	275	431	2,693	3,229
Heating and cooking appliances	89	122	779	924
Iron and steel, including special ferro-alloys -				
Bars, rods, hoop, ingots, etc.	565	1,657	6,118	10,298
Ferro-alloys, mainly in ingot form ..	199	509	2,084	2,166
Pig, scrap and powder	10	10	121	164
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor ..	303	795	2,853	5,781
Plate and sheet -				
Tinned, plated, polished and decorated	15	379	510	2,129
Other	1,030	1,068	5,883	9,924
Structural	374	634	2,744	4,722
Kitchenware	79	120	1,068	1,618
Lamps and lampware	68	124	904	1,086
Leaf and foil	170	197	1,667	2,006
Meters and parts	141	190	1,415	1,653
Pins, hooks, eyes, needles and slide fasteners	28	50	310	346
Tin (ingots, etc., basic shapes, scrap)	281	499	1,229	1,976
Tools of trade	313	521	3,347	3,964
Vehicles -				
Aircraft and parts	1,137	2,235	13,772	33,793
Cycles and cycle parts	39	67	528	674
Motor cycles, side cars, etc.	57	97	528	716
Motor vehicles, excluding fire engines and forklift trucks -				
Complete	1,471	2,242	10,551	16,778
Components, replacement parts, etc.	9,469	9,511	71,480	81,929
Railway and tramway vehicles, including trolley-buses and parts	17	89	134	626
Other vehicles and parts	382	560	3,031	4,090
Wire, single strand -				
Iron and steel	106	230	944	1,439
Copper and copper-base alloys	6	15	88	127
Other	60	129	467	725
Wire manufactures* -				
Iron and steel	117	253	1,155	1,261
Other	2	2	25	96
Other metals and semi-manufactures ø ..	133	311	2,119	2,841
Other metal manufactures	1,105	1,723	10,726	13,642
Total Class XII (a)	18,984	27,773	154,540	224,200

* For cable and wire, insulated, see Class XII (b).

ø Includes all basic shapes, castings and forgings in the rough and pipes and tubes flexible or metal-cased.

TABLE 8. - VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS XII - Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery (continued):				
(b) <u>Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances</u>				
Batteries and accumulators ..	53	83	528	740
Cable and wire, insulated ..	293	433	1,688	2,302
Communication equipment, including radio and television ..	1,270	1,931	12,606	18,646
Dynamo electrical machines -				
Electric motors ..	352	598	3,480	4,665
Other ..	457	468	2,489	2,872
Hearing aids ..	23	38	245	274
Heating and cooking appliances ..	73	72	631	801
Ignition equipment for internal combustion engines ..	50	60	334	336
Lamps, bulbs, tubes, etc. ..	259	288	2,350	2,415
Measuring and recording instruments ..	173	229	1,752	2,115
Protective equipment ..	116	243	1,274	1,555
Regulating, starting and controlling apparatus ..	636	742	6,049	6,229
Transformers and rectifiers ..	389	284	4,050	2,517
Other electrical machinery and appliances ..	404	586	4,716	5,591
Total Class XII (b)	4,548	6,055	42,192	51,058
(c) <u>Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)</u>				
Air and gas compressors ..	371	466	2,260	2,975
Agricultural, horticultural, etc. machinery -				
Harvesting ..	164	503	3,390	5,472
Other ..	102	222	1,441	2,237
Cranes, hoists and other lifting machinery ..	228	152	1,504	1,712
Dairying machinery ..	46	61	900	887
Hand tools (power driven) ..	332	421	2,933	3,678
Household machines, except sewing and refrigerating -				
Vacuum cleaners ..	76	83	528	703
Other ..	85	131	1,006	1,349
Metal-working machinery -				
Machine tools ..	873	1,900	6,158	12,124
Other ..	644	721	5,879	7,442
Motive power machinery -				
Aircraft engines and parts ..	256	374	1,996	5,114
Power boilers and parts ..	161	198	989	1,365
Tractors and parts ..	3,385	2,356	25,926	31,039
Turbines and parts ..	195	167	344	637
Other and parts ..	2,078	2,457	16,519	20,248
Office and accounting machines ..	1,052	3,604	11,283	21,105
Packaging machinery ..	88	317	982	1,449
Paper-making machinery ..	128	198	1,465	801
Paper-working machinery ..	86	135	1,280	1,558
Printing machinery ..	444	420	5,413	4,710
Pumps (machinery) ..	132	310	1,329	1,896
Refrigerating appliances, incl. air-conditioners ..	163	204	1,818	1,940
Roller and ball bearings ..	533	521	4,244	5,722
Sewing machines ..	357	366	2,656	2,857
Shavers (electric) and parts ..	18	59	281	456
Stone-cutting, road making and mining machinery ..	1,174	1,984	11,057	14,303
Textile working machinery and appliances -				
Knitting machines ..	171	248	1,135	1,657
Other ..	302	525	3,378	4,501
Woodworking machinery ..	81	118	556	701
Other machines and machinery ..	2,576	2,154	19,580	20,817
Total Class XII (c)	16,307	21,445	138,230	181,455
Total Class XII	39,839	55,273	334,962	456,713

TABLE 8. - VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS XIII - Rubber and Leather and Manufactures thereof:				
(a) <u>Rubber and Rubber Manufactures</u>				
Rubber -				
Crude and waste, incl. crepe and reclaimed	656	1,032	6,238	7,600
Substitutes	382	350	3,888	4,482
Rubber manufactures -				
Elastics and rubber thread	74	82	819	799
Tyres and tubes	389	1,113	3,693	6,820
Other	279	317	2,029	2,451
Total Class XIII (a)	1,780	2,894	16,667	22,152
(b) <u>Leather and Leather Manufactures:</u>				
Leather	163	185	1,110	1,492
Leather manufactures	82	101	682	878
Total Class XIII (b)	245	286	1,792	2,370
Total Class XIII	2,025	3,180	18,459	24,522
CLASS XIV - Wood and Wicker:				
Manufactures of wood and wicker, including plywood, veneers and corestock	127	299	1,920	2,598
Timber -				
Dressed, bent or cut into shape	43	70	382	583
Undressed, including logs	917	1,994	12,352	14,295
Bamboo and cane	9	15	104	98
Total Class XIV	1,096	2,378	14,758	17,574
CLASS XV - Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware:				
Abrasives (synthetic)	94	100	1,080	1,317
Cement	17	62	322	401
Crockery and other householdware	296	476	2,905	3,199
Glass, including fibreglass	474	580	4,024	4,615
Glassware	282	365	3,057	3,283
Porcelainware for electrical purpose	61	113	543	660
Tiles	192	294	2,232	2,199
Other earthenware, china, etc.	104	240	1,254	1,879
Total Class XV	1,523	2,230	15,417	17,553
CLASS XVI - Paper and Stationery:				
(a) <u>Pulp, Paper and Board</u>				
Millboard and other boards	151	154	1,669	1,286
Paper -				
Printings -				
Newsprint	1,216	1,574	13,093	14,820
Other	350	416	3,550	3,707
Tissue and tissue cap	8	16	79	122
Wrapping and bag papers	189	276	1,789	2,793
Writing and typewriting	76	77	993	725
Other	474	595	4,517	5,511
Pulp for manufacturing paper	836	1,404	8,601	10,923
Total Class XVI (a)	3,300	4,512	34,291	39,917

TABLE 8. - VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
<u>CLASS XVI - Paper and Stationery - (continued)</u>				
<u>(b) Paper Manufactures and Stationery</u>				
Books (printed), magazines, newspapers, etc. ..	1,187	1,345	12,301	12,366
Pens and pencils - ..				
Fountain pens and propelling pencils ..	45	73	822	773
Other ..	25	39	403	473
Other paper manufactures and stationery ..	456	567	4,778	5,191
<u>Total Class XVI (b)</u>	1,713	2,024	18,304	18,803
<u>Total Class XVI</u>	5,013	6,536	52,595	58,720
<u>CLASS XVII - Sporting Materials, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces:</u>				
Fancy goods and smokers' requisites ..	119	134	1,669	1,842
Jewellery - ..				
Precious stones, unset ..	200	276	1,680	1,976
Other including imitation jewellery ..	124	164	1,097	1,364
Sporting material ..	75	115	1,110	1,334
Timepieces - ..				
Clocks and clock movements ..	143	239	1,305	2,390
Watches and watch movements ..	136	117	1,718	1,815
Toys ..	116	245	2,822	3,508
<u>Total Class XVII</u>	913	1,290	11,401	14,229
<u>CLASS XVIII - Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, n.e.i.</u>				
Cameras and accessories therefor ..	274	249	2,389	2,629
Cinematographs ..	63	92	494	733
Films for cinematographs ..	248	341	2,173	2,465
Photographic goods, n.e.i. ..	188	272	2,032	2,619
Scientific instruments etc., appliances and materials - ..				
Optical and ophthalmic ..	146	214	1,513	1,788
Surgical and dental ..	350	382	2,842	3,110
Thermostats ..	67	88	615	830
Other ..	366	454	3,745	4,343
<u>Total Class XVIII</u>	1,702	2,092	15,803	18,517
<u>CLASS XIX - Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers:</u>				
Acids and anhydrides ..	120	185	1,503	1,666
Additives for petroleum oils ..	217	274	1,594	2,343
Alcohols and spirits ..	295	205	1,910	2,194
Calcium carbide ..	70	56	530	955
Drugs and medicinal preparations - ..				
Antibiotics ..	73	143	2,359	1,841
Vitamin and vitamin preparations ..	68	95	633	731
Other ..	915	1,208	8,800	10,770
Essential oils ..	57	49	589	638
Fertilizers - ..				
Potash salts ..	333	65	1,162	1,353
Rock phosphates ..	374	559	4,248	6,566
Other ..	263	391	3,387	3,460
Perfumery and toilet preparations ..	184	180	1,814	1,654
Soap and soap substitutes ..	130	159	1,269	2,018
Sodium carbonates ..	13	10	110	85
Sodium cyanide ..	27	23	213	224
Tetraethyl lead ..	55	77	887	1,242
Other chemicals, etc. ..	3,120	3,918	28,620	31,779
<u>Total Class XIX</u>	6,314	7,597	59,628	69,519

TABLE 8. - VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS XX - Miscellaneous:				
Antiques, paintings, works of art, etc. ..	62	45	648	569
Arms, ammunition and explosives ..	370	216	2,341	5,332
Bags, baskets, purses, wallets, etc. ..	115	165	1,633	2,077
Brushware	62	73	585	680
Cellulose acetate, preformed shapes ..	69	42	729	688
Imports made subject to the condition that they be re-exported ..	511	2,660	7,543	15,115
Military, naval and air force stores and equipment	648	448	4,532	3,089
Musical instruments and parts -				
Gramophones, etc., including records ..	297	299	2,669	3,264
Other	79	192	922	1,343
Outside packages	1,597	1,863	14,159	16,890
Packing for engines, boilers, etc. ..	154	223	1,344	1,627
Passengers' effects	620	625	4,907	5,564
Prefabricated buildings	..	..	..	..
Specialized equipment for large-scale projects	1	56	80	1,363
Plastics materials	1,543	2,561	15,388	19,682
Synthetic sausage casings	22	30	219	299
Vessels (ships)	152	94	1,145	666
Wall and ceiling boards, parts and decorations	44	48	407	701
All other articles	929	1,692	10,508	13,016
Total Class XX	7,275	11,332	69,759	91,965
TOTAL MERCHANDISE	92,177	126,036	859,879	1,063,996
CLASS XXI - Gold and Silver; Bronze Specie				
Bronze specie	..	..	..	..
Gold, including gold in matte	4	107	1,568	1,251
Silver, including silver in matte	10	20	69	55
Total Class XXI	14	127	1,637	1,306
SUMMARY				
Importing States				
New South Wales	40,005	57,131	374,974	461,079
Victoria	32,431	42,620	303,891	388,564
Queensland	6,274	7,546	57,951	70,715
South Australia	7,280	8,991	64,929	73,625
Western Australia	4,689	7,688	44,622	54,747
Tasmania	1,444	1,746	13,443	14,225
Northern Territory	13	200	935	1,402
Australian Capital Territory	55	41	771	945
GRAND TOTAL	92,191	126,163	861,516	1,065,302

TABLE 9. - VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS I - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin:				
Butter	1,178	2,262	23,404	26,709
Cheese	280	767	5,465	5,939
Eggs	197	350	1,551	2,004
Fish, fresh or preserved by cold process ..	544	964	4,592	5,640
Ghee	37	83	397	420
Honey	176	83	1,147	487
Infants' and invalids' foods ..	235	474	2,364	2,860
Meats -				
Bacon and hams, except tinned ..	2	6	41	80
Meat concentrates and meat extracts ..	48	30	339	884
Preserved by cold process -				
Beef and veal	5,458	7,430	64,240	74,384
Lamb	178	432	3,458	4,922
Mutton	1,076	1,844	8,706	11,045
Offals	320	580	3,548	5,265
Pork	4	18	53	100
Poultry	11	15	92	134
Rabbits and hares	121	143	1,556	1,481
Preserved in airtight containers ..	521	884	4,656	6,197
Sausage casings, natural	189	250	1,998	2,085
Other	32	213	515	1,509
Milk and cream, excluding fresh or frozen -				
Preserved, condensed, concentrated ..	476	532	4,034	4,670
Dried	358	440	2,826	4,716
Other foodstuffs of animal origin ..	227	390	2,251	3,164
Total Class I	11,668	18,190	137,233	164,695
CLASS II - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-alcoholic Beverages:				
Biscuits, cakes and puddings	47	62	454	550
Confectionery, cocoa and chocolate ..	51	85	398	604
Food for animals	204	123	1,720	899
Fruit juices, syrups and substitutes ..	92	76	441	457
Fruit -				
Dried -				
Currants	16	3	331	567
Raisins	3	9	566	759
Sultanas	72	406	4,475	7,646
Other	180	173	709	698
Fresh or preserved by cold process -				
Apples	897	490	1,801	1,123
Citrus	5	7	1,353	1,549
Other	435	575	790	926
Preserved in airtight containers ..	2,022	2,042	11,455	8,862
Pulp	55	53	169	251
Grains or cereals -				
Prepared -				
Breakfast foods	12	97	173	431
Flour (wheaten) -				
Plain white	1,858	1,310	15,721	14,655
Other	66	63	603	658
Rice, cleaned, whole or broken ..	130	224	2,469	2,837
Other	557	499	4,504	4,600
Unprepared -				
Barley	1,343	1,563	7,023	5,930
Millet and panicum	45	77	264	352
Oats	255	283	3,253	5,723
Peas, not split	25	18	121	51
Rice	54	60	457	512
Sorghum	..	..	4	41
Wheat	21,798	14,385	130,552	93,781
Other	..	1	19	23

(A) Subject to adjustment.

TABLE 9. - VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
<u>CLASS II - Foodstuff of Vegetable Origin and Non-alcoholic beverages - (continued)</u>				
Jam and fruit jellies	49	98	657	586
Soups	4	6	50	42
Sugar - from cane	3,708	1,886	69,105	50,320
Tea, including extracts	41	53	349	355
Vegetables -				
Preserved in liquid or pulped	26	20	233	184
Other	59	74	697	560
Other foodstuffs of vegetable origin	256	171	3,576	2,107
<u>Total Class II</u>	34,465	24,998	264,492	208,639
<u>CLASS III - Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors:</u>				
Ale and other beer, porter, cider and perry	52	44	706	607
Spirits (beverages)	50	49	339	423
Wine, fermented	137	116	985	1,285
<u>Total Class III</u>	239	209	2,030	2,315
<u>CLASS IV - Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes and Snuff:</u>				
Cigarettes, cigars and snuff	31	46	386	431
Tobacco	28	37	259	282
<u>Total Class IV</u>	59	83	645	713
<u>CLASS V - Live Animals:</u>				
Cattle	2	15	222	300
Horses	66	22	386	186
Sheep	110	115	960	913
Other live animals	21	10	147	118
<u>Total Class V</u>	199	162	1,715	1,517
<u>CLASS VI - Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs:</u>				
Hides and skins -				
Calf, cattle and horse	469	696	3,929	5,054
Kangaroo and wallaby	66	75	588	752
Rabbit and hare	25	20	751	574
Sheep and lamb	3,005	2,623	27,662	23,381
Other, including sheepskin and lambskin pieces	108	102	1,317	889
Pearl-shell	22	25	171	180
Trochus-shell	..	1	12	8
Wool -				
Greasy	32,592	34,879	325,879	281,100
Washed and scoured, slipes, carbonized, noils, carded and combed (tops and other) and waste	4,287	3,797	37,978	30,697
Other animal substances, not foodstuffs	76	113	1,644	1,209
<u>Total Class VI</u>	40,650	42,331	399,271	343,844
<u>CLASS VII - Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and Man-made Fibres:</u>				
Seeds	58	67	753	613
Tanning substances	22	49	202	268
Other vegetable substances, etc.	38	74	526	721
<u>Total Class VII</u>	118	190	1,481	1,602

TABLE 9. - VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS VIII - Yarns and Manufactured Fibres, Textiles and Apparel:				
(a) Yarns and Manufactured Fibres				
Waste materials and scrap from textile articles	111	64	709	563
Yarns -				
Wool or chiefly of wool ..	24	12	272	175
Other, including sewing threads, etc.	154	110	1,326	1,367
Other manufactured fibres	20	11	159	144
Total Class VIII (a)	309	197	2,466	2,249
(b) Textiles				
Piece-goods -				
Cotton, not knitted ..	27	37	327	381
Man-made fibre, not knitted ..	36	29	246	395
Wool or chiefly of wool, not knitted ..	12	19	225	317
Other ..	24	27	348	324
Other textiles ..	82	76	649	852
Total Class VIII (b)	181	188	1,795	2,269
(c) Apparel				
Footwear ..	13	18	136	165
Other apparel ..	100	97	797	945
Total Class VIII (c)	113	115	933	1,110
Total Class VIII	603	500	5,194	5,628
CLASS IX - Oils, Fats and Waxes:				
Fats, greases and waxes -				
Edible animal fats, excluding tallow ..	4	17	79	116
Fatty acids ..	22	60	199	344
Tallow, edible and inedible ..	536	645	4,508	5,102
Other ..	43	98	342	480
Oils -				
Petroleum and shale oils, incl. petroleum jelly -				
Kerosene, incl. aviation turbine fuel ..	8	180	538	910
Lubricating (mineral) ..	158	485	1,897	1,785
Crudes, residuals, furnace, industrial diesel, marine diesel fuels ..	816	528	7,793	3,911
Spirit ..	185	122	2,283	1,179
Other (*) ..	633	500	4,024	2,611
Whale oil ..	..	..	404	345
Other oils, fats and waxes ..	36	19	136	126
Total Class IX	2,441	2,654	22,203	16,909
CLASS X - Pigments, Paints and Varnishes:				
Paints and enamels prepared for use ..	42	70	387	492
Other pigments, paints and varnishes ..	93	71	646	554
Total Class X	135	141	1,033	1,046
CLASS XI - Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons:				
Asbestos, crude and fibre ..	37	44	164	466
Asphalt, tar and pitch ..	8	17	102	132
Coal ..	976	2,168	11,510	18,536
Coke ..	1	14	203	485
Ores and concentrates, including residues and wastes -				
Copper ..	116	399	2,687	2,946
Lead and silver-lead ..	1,175	400	6,142	6,714
Titanium and zirconium ..	636	1,121	6,566	9,493
Tungsten ..	..	89	233	666
Zinc ..	676	417	3,818	6,682
Other ..	210	197	1,099	4,512
Other rocks, minerals and hydrocarbons ..	82	32	530	610
Total Class XI	3,917	4,898	33,054	51,242

(*) Includes automotive distillate month of March, 1964 £A630,000 and 1965 £A464,000 and nine months ended March, 1964 £A4,008,000 and 1965 £A2,490,000.

TABLE 9. - VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(EA'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS XII - Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery:				
(a) <u>Metals and Metal Manufactures</u>				
Metals and semi-manufactures -				
Copper	1,258	311	8,662	3,500
Copper-base alloys	303	30	1,766	1,019
Iron and steel -				
Bar and rod	310	254	2,499	2,349
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor	378	219	2,939	2,826
Plate and sheet	930	1,622	10,860	10,886
Scrap	511	477	3,202	4,196
Other	501	321	6,296	3,410
Lead and alloys, excluding solder -				
Bullion (lead and silver-lead)	1,109	82	6,505	6,423
Unwrought, n.e.i., excluding type, antimonial and bearing metal	1,498	1,792	11,490	16,840
Other	51	107	800	773
Zinc	1,114	1,439	6,445	8,894
Other metals and semi-manufactures	266	293	2,039	5,160
Metal manufactures -				
Builders' and engineering hardware	51	99	524	728
Tools of trade	101	77	782	811
Vehicles and parts -				
Complete motor vehicles	375	756	4,640	5,490
Other vehicles; components and parts	1,144	1,640	8,499	10,190
Window louvres	127	118	1,018	1,123
Other metal manufactures	520	725	4,736	5,516
<u>Total Class XII (a)</u>	10,547	10,362	83,702	90,134
(b) <u>Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances</u>				
Batteries and accumulators	122	67	904	937
Cable and wire insulated	55	57	353	654
Communication equipment, including radio and television	302	268	2,502	2,381
Other electrical machinery and appliances	193	311	1,712	2,346
<u>Total Class XII (b)</u>	672	703	5,471	6,318
(c) <u>Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)</u>				
Aircraft engines and parts	6	6	83	151
Agricultural, horticultural, etc. machinery	159	249	1,332	1,939
Mining and metallurgical machinery and appliances	46	107	1,004	905
Motive power machinery	229	413	2,413	3,366
Personal and massage appliances	13	14	209	277
Pumps (machinery)	67	67	506	933
Refrigerating appliances, incl. air-conditioners	64	100	603	922
Other machines and machinery	969	957	8,735	10,160
<u>Total Class XII (c)</u>	1,553	1,913	14,885	18,655
<u>Total Class XII</u>	12,772	12,978	104,058	115,107
CLASS XIII - Rubber and Leather and Manufactures thereof:				
(a) <u>Rubber and Rubber Manufactures</u>	124	166	1,105	1,567
(b) <u>Leather and Leather Manufactures</u>				
Leather -				
Hide leather	246	236	2,287	2,254
Sheep and lamb	3	1	35	25
Other	35	35	268	307
Leather manufactures	6	11	84	170
<u>Total Class XIII (b)</u>	290	283	2,674	2,756
<u>Total Class XIII</u>	414	449	3,779	4,323

TABLE 9. - VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)
(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
<u>CLASS XIV - Wood and Wicker:</u>				
Railway sleepers	14	8	899	378
Timber	211	156	1,190	1,406
Wood and wicker manufactures	27	42	317	354
<u>Total Class XIV</u>	252	206	2,406	2,138
<u>CLASS XV - Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware</u>	131	130	1,187	1,343
<u>CLASS XVI - Paper and Stationery:</u>				
(a) <u>Pulp, Paper and Board</u>	148	257	1,974	2,756
(b) <u>Paper Manufactures and Stationery</u>				
Books (printed), magazines, newspapers, etc.	159	185	1,867	1,770
Other paper manufactures and stationery	122	120	921	1,073
<u>Total Class XVI (b)</u>	281	305	2,788	2,843
<u>Total Class XVI</u>	429	562	4,762	5,599
<u>CLASS XVII - Sporting Material, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces:</u>				
Precious and semi-precious stones, unset	266	262	2,827	2,707
Sporting material	126	113	748	812
Other jewellery, timepieces, etc.	55	48	362	525
<u>Total Class XVII</u>	447	423	3,937	4,044
<u>CLASS XVIII - Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, n.e.i.:</u>				
Films for cinematographs	19	35	243	277
Photographic goods and materials	55	161	1,261	1,648
Other optical, surgical and scientific instruments, appliances and materials	161	244	1,219	1,429
<u>Total Class XVIII</u>	235	440	2,723	3,354
<u>CLASS XIX - Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers:</u>				
Casein	213	387	2,103	2,522
Drugs and medicinal preparations -				
Acetylsalicylic acid	36	23	266	233
Other	221	276	2,095	2,870
Eucalyptus oil	9	13	79	95
Perfumery and toilet preparations	24	24	250	203
Soap	98	81	633	749
Other chemicals, elements, compounds and preparations, including fertilizers	337	827	3,762	5,406
<u>Total Class XIX</u>	938	1,631	9,188	12,078

TABLE 9. - VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COMMODITIES (continued)

(£A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
CLASS XX - Miscellaneous:				
Arms, ammunition and explosives ..	185	160	1,239	1,503
Exports by the Commonwealth Government for Australian Government projects being carried on outside Australia and for Australian representatives abroad ..	216	196	2,474	3,115
Exports made subject to the condition that they be re-imported. Goods exported by Australian companies for installation in or servicing their own aircraft abroad ..	733	595	8,223	9,242
Military, naval and air force stores and equipment ..	62	291	1,573	2,709
Plastics materials ..	151	195	1,534	2,183
Miscellaneous exports when valued at less than £50 in any one consignment ..	440	544	4,702	4,938
Vessels (ships) transferred abroad ..	8	73	211	631
All other articles ..	1,073	2,878	7,895	11,200
Total Class XX	2,868	4,932	27,851	35,521
TOTAL MERCHANDISE	112,980	116,107	1,028,242	981,657
CLASS XXI - Gold and Silver: Bronze Specie:				
Bronze specie ..	..	..	1	2
Gold, including gold in matte ..	514	508	6,099	6,163
Silver, including silver in matte ..	380	7	2,034	1,007
Total Class XXI	894	515	8,134	7,172
SUMMARY				
States of Final Shipment				
New South Wales ..	34,344	37,459	299,619	299,902
Victoria ..	27,858	36,441	273,242	267,842
Queensland ..	18,619	15,470	213,500	196,469
South Australia ..	17,343	12,575	117,472	109,625
Western Australia ..	11,295	10,252	110,138	87,484
Tasmania ..	4,406	4,404	21,305	26,076
Northern Territory ..	9	21	1,099	1,431
Australian Capital Territory ..	..	..	1	..
Australian Produce	111,615	112,747	1,015,566	962,999
Re-exports	2,259	3,875	20,810	25,830
GRAND TOTAL	113,874	116,622	1,036,376	988,829

TABLE 10. - VALUE OF STORES LOADED ON OVERSEA VESSELS AND AIRCRAFT*

(£A'000)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
Value of Stores loaded ..	1,381	1,479	11,102	11,431

* Not included in export figures throughout this Bulletin.

III. QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED

TABLE 11. - TOTAL QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED

Particulars	Unit of Quantity	Nine months ended March	
		1964	1965
<u>CLASS I - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin:</u>			
Butter	'000 lb.	170,855	177,728
Cheese	"	51,954	51,778
Eggs -			
In shell	'000 dozen	2,927	2,733
Not in shell	'000 lb.	9,119	14,030
Fish, fresh or preserved by cold process	"	8,812	9,519
Infants' and invalids' foods	"	17,689	18,817
Meats -			
Preserved by cold process -			
Beef and veal	"	461,805	526,269
Lamb	"	38,095	50,469
Mutton	"	109,618	120,357
Offals	"	36,193	47,310
Rabbits and hares - skinned	"	12,336	11,839
Preserved in airtight containers	"	39,463	47,068
Sausage casings, natural	'000 bundles	2,023	2,076
Milk and cream, excluding fresh or frozen -			
Preserved, condensed, concentrated	'000 lb.	62,215	82,687
Dried	"	47,035	65,665
<u>CLASS II - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin:</u>			
Fruit -			
Dried -			
Currants	'000 lb.	5,391	8,621
Sultanas	"	71,941	108,885
Fresh or preserved by cold process -			
Apples	bushel	1,114,819	784,141
Citrus	"	874,799	989,302
Pears	"	318,109	372,367
Preserved in airtight containers	'000 lb.	190,723	147,082
Grains or cereals -			
Prepared -			
Flour (wheaten), plain white	"	1,011,218	863,131
Rice, cleaned, whole or broken	ton	37,387	59,331
Unprepared -			
Barley	"	305,851	234,649
Oats	"	154,831	261,232
Wheat	"	4,962,988	3,489,899
Sugar - from cane	"	972,096	1,119,567
<u>CLASS III - Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors:</u>			
Wine, fermented	'000 gal.	1,091	1,437
<u>CLASS VI - Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs:</u>			
Hides and skins -			
Calf, cattle and horse	'000 lb.	80,021	89,308
Rabbit and hare	"	1,743	1,600
Sheep and lamb, excluding pickled	'000 skins	21,018	20,089
Wool -			
Greasy	'000 lb.	1,050,712	1,008,629
Washed and scoured, slipes, carbonized, noils, carded and combed (tops and other) and waste	"	97,367	82,696
<u>CLASS IX - Oils, Fats and Waxes:</u>			
Petroleum and shale oils -			
Crudes, residuals, furnace, industrial diesel, marine diesel fuels, automotive distillate	'000 gal.	327,590	225,397
Kerosene, including aviation turbine fuel	"	7,923	14,171
Spirit	"	41,920	17,512
Tallow, edible and inedible	cwt.	1,555,268	1,801,902

TABLE 11. - TOTAL QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED (continued)

Particulars	Unit of Quantity	Nine months ended March	
		1964	1965
CLASS XI - Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons:			
Coal	ton	2,714,373	4,255,271
Ores and concentrates, including residues and wastes -			
Copper	cwt.	782,994	690,188
Lead and silver-lead	"	1,984,620	1,581,969
Titanium and zirconium	"	7,739,388	10,700,768
Zinc	"	3,359,764	3,163,703
CLASS XII (a) - Metals and Metal Manufactures:			
Copper, blocks, ingots, etc. ..	cwt.	602,651	241,517
Iron and steel -			
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor ..	"	809,900	712,040
Plate and sheet	"	2,964,025	2,799,168
Scrap	"	5,255,044	5,981,801
Lead and alloys, excluding solder -			
Bullion (lead and silver-lead) ..	"	1,295,004	1,694,212
Unwrought, n.e.i.	"	2,636,709	2,506,192
Zinc, blocks, ingots, etc. ..	"	1,287,237	1,224,880

TABLE 12. - EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN
ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES OF CONSIGNMENT

Countries of Consignment	Nine months ended March			
	1964		1965	
	'000 lb.	EA'000 (*)	'000 lb.	EA'000 (*)
BEEF AND VEAL - PRESERVED BY COLD PROCESS				
United Kingdom	41,125	4,856	184,074	24,659
Australian Territories	1,763	288	2,495	426
Bermuda	912	162	740	143
Canada	6,686	1,058	2,865	533
Hong Kong	2,214	270	2,010	325
Malaysia	7,474	876	6,415	864
Malta	1,881	292	2,436	417
West Indies	3,233	408	5,591	787
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	1,430	221	1,588	262
Arabian States	1,019	220	1,346	324
Greece	72	9	18,228	2,380
Japan	8,003	714	9,595	1,016
Philippines	2,368	211	1,833	250
United States of America	380,767	54,272	234,955	34,738
U.S.A. Territories and Dependencies	934	123	828	130
Other Foreign Countries	1,845	250	51,270	7,130
TOTAL:	461,726	64,230	526,269	74,384
MUTTON AND LAMB - PRESERVED BY COLD PROCESS				
United Kingdom	35,703	2,744	59,731	5,628
Australian Territories	837	97	991	126
Canada	19,755	1,914	14,330	1,535
Hong Kong	719	61	869	81
Malaysia	4,987	289	6,486	481
Malta	737	60	1,393	122
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	3,458	298	4,563	446
Arabian States	3,417	326	3,006	354
Greece	4,419	351	30,093	2,820
Japan	32,148	2,222	25,551	2,220
United Arab Republic	371	17	1,707	110
United States of America	36,095	3,448	14,225	1,459
Other Foreign Countries	4,952	326	7,850	582
TOTAL:	147,598	12,153	170,795	15,964

(*) f.o.b. port of shipment.

TABLE 12. - EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS (continued)

Country of Consignment	Nine months ended March			
	1964		1965	
	'000 lb.	EA'000 (*)	'000 lb.	EA'000 (*)
<u>BUTTER</u>				
United Kingdom ..	147,327	19,571	155,097	(A)22,444
Australian Territories ..	755	119	775	150
Bahama Island ..	419	68	220	41
Ceylon ..	2,581	407	1,975	318
Cyprus ..	119	23	71	16
Guiana (British) ..	308	60	268	56
Honduras (British) ..	147	32	103	24
Hong Kong ..	2,421	380	1,704	321
Malaysia ..	4,406	725	4,091	783
Malta ..	280	39	1,086	163
Mauritius ..	480	90	404	88
West Indies ..	508	96	657	137
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	718	117	973	189
Arabian States ..	1,110	221	1,163	251
Burma ..	409	75	671	141
China, Republic of (Formosa) ..	259	46	349	71
France ..	901	126	1,585	240
Germany, Federal Republic of ..	1,746	277	..	..
Italy ..	1,342	171	..	..
Netherlands Dependencies ..	158	33	183	42
New Caledonia ..	474	74	525	95
Peru ..	2,187	345	3,207	609
Philippines ..	49	11	27	6
Polynesia ..	458	92	488	105
Portuguese Possessions ..	115	22	48	11
Thailand ..	275	46	290	58
Other Foreign Countries ..	899	137	1,768	350
<u>TOTAL:</u>	170,851	23,403	177,728	(A)26,709

CHEESE

United Kingdom ..	24,891	2,189	32,685	3,252
Arabia, South ..	197	33	287	50
Australian Territories ..	116	20	165	30
Ceylon ..	344	60	198	35
Ghana ..	22	4	23	4
Hong Kong ..	415	67	335	53
India ..	78	14	88	17
Malaysia ..	599	97	647	116
Malta ..	186	19	157	18
Mauritius ..	216	39	266	47
Sierra Leone ..	59	12	78	16
West Indies ..	723	93	461	66
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	307	44	229	41
Arabian States ..	3,079	663	2,319	512
Belgium-Luxembourg ..	196	18	212	27
Burma ..	132	27	43	10
Germany, Federal Republic of ..	1,438	122	1,363	150
Indonesia ..	229	44	107	20
Iraq ..	757	154	576	122
Italy ..	4,229	326	364	39
Japan ..	3,694	368	4,317	444
Jordan ..	238	26	88	14
Lebanon ..	160	25	130	22
Netherlands ..	..	..	..	..
New Caledonia ..	135	23	156	27
Philippines ..	4,371	480	2,763	385
Portugal ..	796	63	..	..
United States of America ..	3,341	298	3,188	336
Other Foreign Countries ..	992	135	533	86
"For Orders" ..	14	2	..	..
<u>TOTAL:</u>	51,954	5,465	51,778	5,939

(*) f.o.b. port of shipment. (A) Subject to adjustment.

TABLE 12. - EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS (continued)

Country of Consignment	Nine months ended March			
	1964		1965	
	'000 lb.	£A'000 (*)	'000 lb.	£A'000 (*)
WOOL - GREASY				
United Kingdom	178,766	55,348	149,254	40,726
India	9,635	3,238	14,458	4,233
Ireland	2,727	913	522	197
Other Commonwealth Countries	715	195	1,478	503
Austria	4,704	1,583	4,071	1,252
Belgium-Luxembourg	70,213	16,406	78,843	15,712
China (Mainland)	28,326	10,211	18,431	6,003
Czechoslovakia	16,433	5,446	16,222	4,933
France	109,965	32,188	87,018	21,993
Germany (East)	790	186	3,454	1,088
Germany, Federal Republic of	65,637	18,920	65,254	17,295
Italy	94,773	28,163	68,035	18,420
Japan	323,562	102,198	313,006	91,108
Korea, Republic of	1,515	521	1,599	562
Mexico	11,549	3,857	20,266	6,630
Netherlands	659	179	3,373	868
Poland	15,147	4,879	20,784	5,858
Portugal	2,168	672	2,102	647
South Africa	3,187	1,081	2,867	889
Spain	5,343	1,910	7,176	2,137
Switzerland	1,837	714	2,325	721
Turkey	12,572	4,336	10,444	3,475
U.S.S.R.	41,993	15,576	48,523	15,221
United States of America	22,510	8,123	55,475	16,600
Yugoslavia	12,301	4,759	5,599	1,818
Other Foreign Countries	6,847	2,204	3,641	1,053
"For Orders"	6,838	2,073	4,339	1,156
TOTAL:	(£)1,050,712	325,879	(*)1,008,629	281,100
WOOL - WASHED AND SCOURED, SLIPE, CARBONIZED, NOILS, CARDED OR COMBED (TOPS AND OTHER) AND WASTE				
United Kingdom	14,686	4,686	10,031	3,048
Canada	4,417	1,881	5,183	2,069
Hong Kong	7,830	4,086	5,212	2,703
India	3,456	1,641	1,855	753
New Zealand	1,446	768	1,991	1,175
Pakistan	1,269	623	930	481
Other Commonwealth Countries	12	3	10	3
Belgium-Luxembourg	1,202	388	2,101	630
China, Republic of (Formosa)	3,142	1,380	1,845	723
China (Mainland)	5,413	2,707	1,415	621
Colombia	44	14	..	..
Czechoslovakia	131	51	139	55
France	2,659	947	2,394	793
Germany, Federal Republic of	6,157	2,137	7,303	2,388
Greece	1,303	571	1,224	558
Iran	2,160	569	2,723	1,289
Italy	7,004	2,873	5,773	2,031
Japan	5,674	1,797	3,302	1,057
Korea, Republic of	1,020	231	713	189
Mexico	127	62	92	42
Netherlands	457	157	593	214
Portugal	57	18	150	47
Sweden	745	292	950	428
Switzerland	91	42	158	57
Turkey	268	125	..	..
United Arab Republic	473	229	206	97
United States of America	23,140	8,033	23,544	8,093
Other Foreign Countries	2,175	913	2,053	896
"For Orders"	809	294	794	253
TOTAL:	(£) 97,367	37,918	(£) 82,684	30,693

(*) f.o.b. port of shipment. (£) 3,489,060 bales. (**) 3,313,955 bales.
 (£) 372,322 bales, excluding bales of wool waste. (£) 320,811 bales, excluding bales of wool waste. NOTE:- Bales of wool are not a standard weight.

TABLE 12. - EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS (continued)

Country of Consignment	Nine months ended March			
	1964		1965	
	'000 lb.	£A'000 (*)	'000 lb.	£A'000 (*)
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS WITH WOOL ON				
United Kingdom ..	10,637	1,834	10,734	1,655
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	24	4	177	22
Belgium-Luxembourg ..	3,855	802	5,363	988
France ..	88,919	17,386	90,625	14,732
Italy ..	17,044	3,688	16,940	3,235
Spain ..	2,821	652	4,578	928
Yugoslavia ..	7,658	1,600	4,226	866
Other Foreign Countries ..	9,386	1,453	8,049	1,063
TOTAL:	140,344	27,419	140,692	23,489
SULTANAS				
United Kingdom ..	19,312	1,262	35,694	2,720
Canada ..	26,384	1,652	27,879	1,887
Ireland, ..	1,243	68	3,735	259
Malaysia ..	316	25	409	29
New Zealand ..	9,047	595	10,033	694
West Indies ..	1,408	88	1,750	119
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	1,683	97	1,190	82
Germany, Federal Republic of ..	8,800	459	20,219	1,334
Japan ..	984	57	1,470	91
Other Foreign Countries ..	3,004	172	6,575	430
TOTAL:	71,941	4,475	108,954	7,645
FLOUR (WHEATEN) PLAIN WHITE				
United Kingdom ..	85,905	1,252	77,366	1,172
Arabia, South ..	55,807	850	66,587	1,066
Australian Territories ..	13,408	242	17,171	291
Ceylon ..	160,623	2,385	249,729	4,004
Hong Kong ..	5,803	92	4,666	83
Malaysia ..	239,643	3,846	163,137	2,804
Mauritius ..	35,816	551	32,721	545
Pacific Islands ..	25,082	416	28,788	513
Western Samoa ..	3,989	68	5,377	95
West Indies ..	13,372	224	11,512	202
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	21,490	361	24,631	444
Arabian States ..	86,855	1,337	87,519	1,469
Burma ..	900	14	..	..
Indonesia ..	8,546	139	16,079	297
Philippines ..	63,567	1,079	53,336	963
Thailand ..	25,710	410	14,457	242
U.S.S.R. ..	154,364	2,281	24,691	370
Other Foreign Countries ..	10,338	174	5,364	95
TOTAL:	1,011,212	15,721	883,131	14,655
SUGAR - FROM CANE				
	Tons	£A'000 (*)	Tons	£A'000 (*)
United Kingdom ..	318,308	18,563	302,121	16,675
Australian Territories ..	4,557	500	5,477	302
Canada ..	89,998	8,222	107,430	4,031
Hong Kong ..	7,626	700	1	..
New Zealand ..	54,485	4,772	46,996	2,046
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	1,286	136	27,259	1,275
Japan ..	342,338	25,854	446,873	16,405
United States of America ..	146,289	9,910	176,812	9,125
Other Foreign Countries ..	7,209	448	6,598	461
TOTAL:	972,096	69,105	1,119,567	50,320

(*) f.o.b. port of shipment.

TABLE 12. - EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS (continued)

Country of Consignment	Nine months ended March			
	1964		1965	
	Tons	£A'000 (*)	Tons	£A'000 (*)
WHEAT				
United Kingdom	570,488	14,974	329,952	18,830
Arabia, South	25,155	804	32,785	1,092
Hong Kong	44,627	1,205	47,947	1,332
India	104,803	2,697	310,315	8,309
Ireland,	37,254	981	10,395	273
Kenya	9,179	268	1,792	55
Malaysia	25,884	735	65,910	1,827
Malta	18,176	496	10,849	300
New Zealand	134,918	3,544	123,942	3,449
Pakistan	54,737	1,455	35,946	1,004
Other Commonwealth Countries	85,985	2,366	19,966	537
China (Mainland)	1,926,608	48,791	1,427,444	37,259
Germany, Federal Republic of	159,940	4,293	.. ..	.. ..
Iran	19,954	577	234,818	6,864
Japan	371,500	9,993	330,817	9,078
Korea (North)	42,957	1,148	.. ..	.. ..
Lebanon	88,667	2,437	52,162	1,420
Norway	79,812	2,082	49,622	1,348
Spain	33,100	873	.. ..	.. ..
U.S.S.R.	834,462	22,057	229,294	5,984
Other Foreign Countries	294,782	8,676	167,625	4,613
"For Orders" .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	8,252	207
TOTAL:	4,962,988	120,552	3,489,899	93,781
BARLEY - UNPREPARED				
United Kingdom	84,826	1,893	21,543	624
Other Commonwealth Countries	1,245	33	848	22
Arabian States	2,524	65	8,631	238
China (Mainland) .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
Germany, Federal Republic of	11,594	244	15,083	334
Italy	25,373	565	41,225	970
Japan	99,808	2,442	109,787	2,884
Netherlands	51,171	1,061	24,597	554
United States of America	23,400	585	.. ..	.. ..
Other Foreign Countries	5,910	135	1,594	41
"For Orders" .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	11,341	263
TOTAL:	305,851	7,023	234,649	5,930
COAL				
Pacific Islands	3,433	15	6,054	24
Pakistan	17,909	69	77,631	291
Other Commonwealth Countries	22,881	85	31,350	132
Japan	2,482,469	10,630	3,925,504	17,227
Korea, Republic of	69,708	233	31,872	97
New Caledonia	102,610	394	149,809	620
Other Foreign Countries	15,363	84	33,051	145
TOTAL:	2,714,373	11,510	4,255,271	18,536
LEAD - UNWROUGHT SHAPES				
	Cwt.	£A'000 (*)	Cwt.	£A'000 (*)
United Kingdom	1,129,994	4,702	1,278,672	9,206
India	162,608	707	62,201	424
New Zealand	82,326	356	68,422	515
Other Commonwealth Countries	3,059	14	8,715	63
Italy	137,531	550	77,043	264
Japan	238,924	1,128	140,900	872
South Africa	39,992	187	10,977	68
United States of America	650,614	3,024	570,648	3,454
Other Foreign Countries	110,603	488	282,615	1,939
"For Orders"	81,058	334	5,999	35
TOTAL:	2,636,709	11,490	2,506,192	16,840

(*) f.o.b. port of shipment.

IV. CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

TABLE 13. - CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE COLLECTED, ACCORDING TO STATISTICAL CLASSES, ETC.
(£A'000)

Particulars	March		Nine months ended March	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
GROSS CUSTOMS				
Statistical Classes				
I. Foodstuffs of Animal Origin	59	62	579	611
II. Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin and Non-alcoholic Beverages	213	222	2,065	1,536
III. Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	429	502	4,774	5,430
IV. Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes and Snuff	991	1,217	9,951	10,463
V. Live Animals	..	..	..	..
VI. Animal Substances, not Foodstuffs	1	1	5	6
VII. Vegetable Substances and Fibres; Cork and Manufactures; and Man-made Fibres	37	28	255	268
VIIIa. Yarns and Manufactured Fibres	64	160	923	1,298
VIIIb. Textiles	522	1,274	8,932	10,709
VIIIc. Apparel	306	446	2,767	3,249
IX. Oils, Fats and Waxes (a)	946	784	7,769	8,162
X. Pigments, Paints and Varnishes	46	31	284	347
XI. Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons	22	16	174	131
XIIa. Metals and Metal Manufactures	1,971	2,478	16,194	21,373
XIIb. Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances etc.	522	669	4,659	5,432
XIIc. Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)	1,069	1,380	10,223	12,363
XIIIa. Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	131	231	1,024	1,726
XIIIb. Leather and Leather Manufactures	46	49	347	399
XIV. Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured	158	313	1,510	2,312
XV. Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware	217	319	2,378	2,388
XVIa. Pulp, Paper and Board	131	163	1,419	1,491
XVIb. Paper Manufactures and Stationery	75	94	950	1,117
XVII. Sporting Material, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces	184	252	2,988	3,459
XVIII. Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments, etc.	153	239	1,464	1,979
XIX. Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	254	272	2,597	2,671
Essential Oils and Fertilizers	507	718	5,413	6,656
XX. Miscellaneous				
Other Gross Customs Revenue:				
Primage	192	237	1,882	2,226
Sundry Unrestricted Duties	52	27	210	244
Duties under Industrial Preservation Act	11	9	53	193
TOTAL GROSS CUSTOMS REVENUE (a)	9,729	12,223	91,829	108,339
GROSS EXCISE				
Excise Division or Item				
Beer	10,737	12,474	95,707	100,456
Spirits	638	693	6,764	7,192
Tobacco	715	726	7,091	6,667
Cigars and Cigarettes	5,320	7,436	54,760	63,834
Petrol (incl. Aviation Spirit) (a)	5,276	6,277	58,241	54,447
Aviation Turbine Kerosene (a)	93	134	765	1,377
Diesel Fuel	315	392	2,770	3,237
Playing Cards	4	5	41	41
Cigarette Papers and Tubes	39	38	387	341
Matches	90	97	860	855
Canned fruit (b)	25	54	107	135
Cathode ray tubes (c)	144	..	1,173	308
Coal	25	26	220	224
Other Excise	..	..	16	1
TOTAL GROSS EXCISE REVENUE (a)	23,621	28,352	221,125	239,438
Total Gross Customs and Excise Revenue (a)	33,350	40,575	312,954	347,777
Refunds and Drawbacks paid	790	776	6,827	8,640
Credit to Commonwealth Government departments for duty paid (a)	..	108	..	525
TOTAL NET CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE	32,560	39,691	306,127	338,608

(a) As from July, 1964 duty is included in the price of petroleum products purchased by Commonwealth Government departments and is subsequently credited by Commonwealth Treasury to the departments concerned. (b) Duty collected from 10.10.63. (c) Operative to 12.8.64.

TABLE 14. - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL ITEMS ON WHICH EXCISE WAS PAID

Item	Unit of Quantity	Quantity			
		March		Nine months ended March	
		1964		1965	
Beer	'000 gal.	21,838	25,372	194,658	204,318
Spirits (potable) -					
Brandy	pf. gal.	75,021	84,548	691,642	755,824
Gin	"	27,298	31,286	279,733	286,656
Whisky	"	24,597	27,570	261,636	266,905
Rum	"	35,563	28,702	397,627	401,885
Liqueurs	"	2,859	3,507	52,822	60,095
Vodka	"	4,435	6,721	50,710	85,507
Flavoured - liquors	"	807	1,184	7,715	11,353
Other	"	..	1	14	63
TOTAL SPIRITS (POTABLE)	pf. gal.	170,580	183,519	1,741,899	1,868,288
Spirits (non-potable) for -					
Fortifying wine	pf. gal.	137,712	177,148	1,821,441	1,749,225
Industrial purposes	"	22,219	28,565	237,388	265,586
Making vinegar	"	13,380	17,415	183,579	186,219
Manufacture of -					
Essences	"	8,958	11,468	89,996	92,512
Scents and toilet preparations	"	4,077	5,158	79,213	77,976
Tobacco -					
Manufactured, n.e.i.	lb.	774,178	709,966	7,693,390	6,715,254
For consumption by Australian aborigines	"	5,496	2,895	31,552	24,095
TOTAL TOBACCO	lb.	779,674	712,861	7,724,942	6,739,349
Cigars					
Hand-made	lb.	..	..	..	..
Machine-made	"	18,000	10,600	129,044	110,222
TOTAL CIGARS	lb.	18,000	10,600	129,044	110,222
Cigarettes - Machine made	lb.	3,455,102	4,002,179	34,308,996	35,622,350
Snuff	"	..	..	..	..
Petrol (a) (b)	'000 gal.	107,915	128,341	1,027,567	1,113,849
Aviation turbine fuel (b)	"	3,428	4,956	28,569	50,861
Diesel fuel	"	6,309	7,846	55,405	64,745
Playing cards	doz. packs	8,900	10,430	81,284	82,125
Cigarette papers and tubes	60 papers or tubes	5,331,068	5,235,893	53,047,968	46,738,730
Matches	8,640 matches	276,111	297,770	2,645,653	2,629,539
Canned fruit (c)	dozen containers	307,377	640,856	1,389,681	5,664,496
Coal	ton	1,433,054	1,535,670	13,173,219	13,397,353
Cathode ray tubes (d)	number	24,043	..	228,847	51,314

(a) Includes aviation spirit. (b) As from July, 1964 includes supplies to Commonwealth Government on which excise was paid. During March, 1965 refunds were made on 2,668,000 gallons. See note (a) to table 13. (c) Duty collected from 30.10.63. (d) Operative to 12.8.64.

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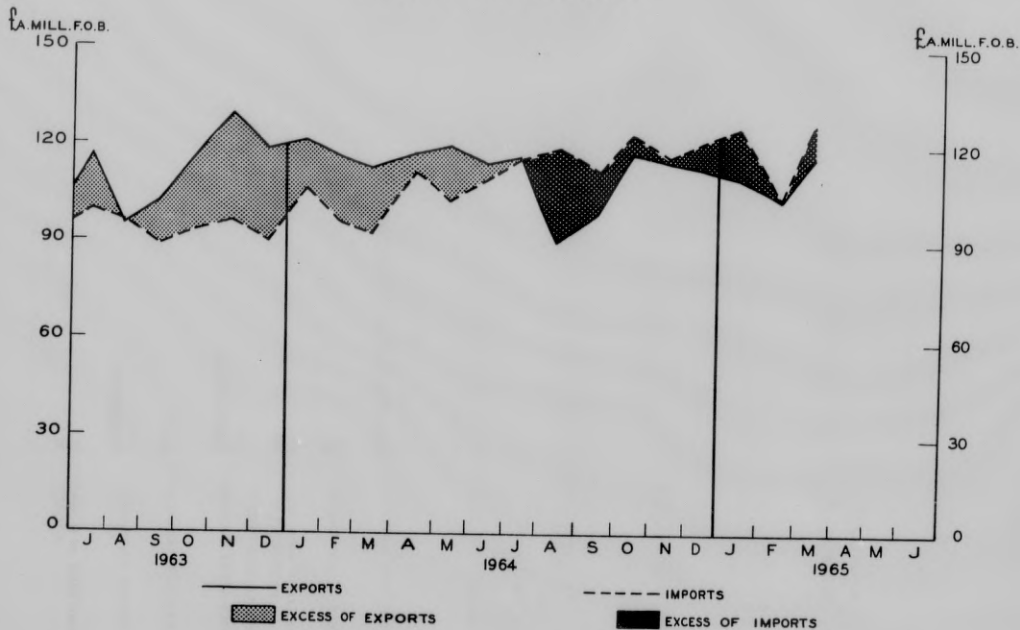
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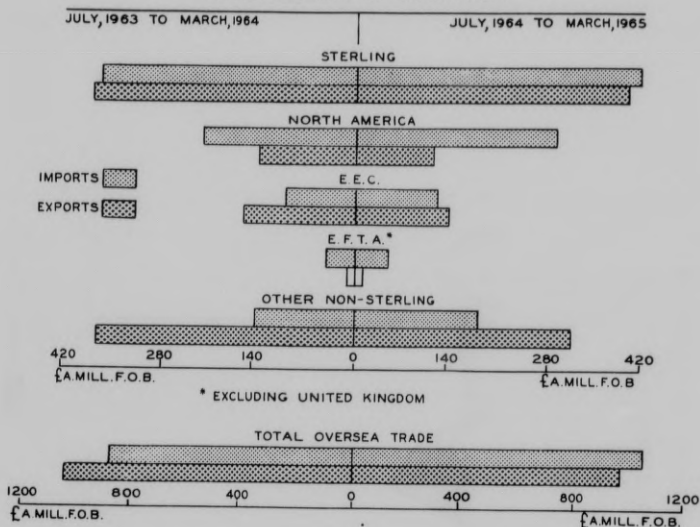
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