

PROPORTION OF EXPORTS TO BRITISH POSSESSIONS TO TOTAL
EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN
THE YEARS NAMED.

1871.....	19·59 per cent.
1875.....	27·22 “
1880.....	28·46 “
1884.....	29·83 “
1885	31·47

305. Though the actual value of the exports to foreign countries from Great Britain has always been very much larger than to British Possessions, yet in proportion to population the value to the Colonies has been the highest: in 1885 it was more than twice as much, amounting to \$2.39 per head, as compared with 97 cents per head of exports to foreign countries.

306. The following is a comparative statement of the imports into British Possessions during the years 1884 and 1885, showing in each year the amount and proportion per head that came from Great Britain and other countries respectively:—

Proportion of colonial trade per head.

Summary of imports and exports into British possessions—1884 and 1885.