

EXPORTS OF ENUMERATED ARTICLES OF BRITISH AND IRISH PRODUCE AT THE PRICES OF 1873, AND AT THE ACTUAL DECLARED VALUES COMPARED.

YEAR.	Declared Values.	Values computed at Prices of 1873.
	£ Millions sterling.	£ Millions sterling.
1873	172	172
1879	122	174
1883	146	212½
1884	140	208
1885	131	201½
1886	131	215

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	£ Millions sterling.	£ Millions sterling.
1873	308	308
1879	289	349
1883	336	403
1884	300	383
1885	281½	384½
1886	263	382½

Average prices since 1880.

256. The following figures, showing the course of the average prices in each year since 1880 were given by Mr. Sauerbeck in the Statist of 14th January, 1888:—

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1880	88
1881	85
1882	84
1883	82
1884	76
1885	72
1886	69
1887	68½