

Proportion of manufactured and partially manufactured goods imported.

327. The proportions of the two classes of articles to the total value do not vary very much, as, during the last four years, that of manufactured articles was, 54·75 per cent, 55·37 per cent, 54·61 per cent and 52·75 per cent, and of unmanufactured articles, 45·25 per cent, 44·63 per cent, 45·39 per cent and 47·25 per cent, the variation having been largest in 1892.

Exports of Canadian produce, 1868-1892.

328. The total value of the exports of articles the produce or manufacture of Canada during the last twenty-five years, together with their value per head of population, and percentage of total exports, in each year, will be found in the following table:—

EXPORTS OF CANADIAN PRODUCE—1868-1892.

YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE.	Total Value.	Value per Head.	Percentage of Total Exports.
	\$	\$ cts.	
1868	48,504,899	14 38	84·26
1869	52,400,772	15 35	86·65
1870	59,043,590	17 09	80·02
1871	57,630,024	16 38	77·70
1872	65,831,083	18 24	79·66
1873	76,538,025	20 86	85·24
1874	76,741,997	20 06	85·89
1875	69,709,823	17 94	89·50
1876	72,491,437	18 35	89·53
1877	68,030,546	16 95	89·66
1878	67,989,800	16 67	84·45
1879	62,431,025	15 07	87·32
1880	72,899,697	17 29	82·92
1881	83,944,701	19 36	85·40
1882	94,137,660	21 48	92·17
1883	87,702,431	19 79	89·41
1884	79,833,098	17 80	87·34
1885	79,131,735	17 44	88·67
1886	77,756,704	16 95	91·21
1887	80,960,909	17 47	90·44
1888	81,382,072	17 37	90·22
1889	80,272,456	16 95	90·00
1890	85,257,586	17 80	88·12
1891	88,801,066	18 33	90·23
1892	99,338,913	20 28	87·17

Excess of value of exports in 1892.

329. The value of exports of Canadian produce in 1892 has not been exceeded since Confederation, and was \$5,201,253 above the value of 1882 which was the next highest year, while the percentage of total exports, though not so high as in some previous years, was above the average of 25 years. The value per head, moreover, was higher than the value in the nine previous years.