

VALUE OF IMPORTS INTO CANADA, ACCORDING TO CLASSES, DURING THE YEARS 1877 AND 1878 (COIN AND BULLION NOT INCLUDED.)

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TRADE AND COMMERCE.

GROUPS.	Year.	IMPORTS. HOME CONSUMPTION.		Total.	Duty Collected.	Average Rate of Duty	Percentage of Total Duty.	Percentage of Total Value.
		Dutiable Goods.	Free Goods.					
A.		\$	\$	\$	\$			
Articles of food and animals..... {	1877	14,001,571	15,727,366	29,728,937	3,652,149	26·08	29·18	31·58
	1878	13,595,515	15,178,512	28,774,027	4,045,487	29·76	31·63	31·83
B.								
Articles in a crude condition which enter into the various processes of domestic in- dustry. {	1877	327,092	9,025,482	9,352,574	37,047	11·33	0·30	9·94
	1878	403,237	8,478,972	8,882,209	45,306	11·23	0·35	9·83
C.								
Articles wholly or partially manufactured, for use as materials in manufactures and mechanical arts. {	1877	6,789,728	4,383,965	11,173,693	855,488	12·60	6·83	11·87
	1878	6,198,592	3,645,911	9,844,503	823,445	13·28	6·44	10·89
D.								
Articles manufactured, ready for con- sumption. {	1877	32,746,377	4,037,904	36,784,281	5,535,299	16·90	44·23	39·08
	1878	32,523,217	3,281,439	35,805,656	5,500,193	16·91	43·00	39·61
E.								
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, &c... {	1877	7,051,977	34,932	7,086,909	2,435,584	34·53	19·46	7·53
	1888	7,051,478	37,978	7,089,456	2,377,101	33·71	18·58	7·84
Total..... {	1877	60,916,770	33,209,624	94,126,394	*12,548,343	20·55	100·00	100·00
	1878	59,773,039	30,622,812	90,395,851	12,791,532	21·40	100·00	100·00

*Includes \$32,781 duties collected in N. W. T. by Mounted Police.