

quantity to value for this article. The ease with which, by means of these tables, comparisons can be made, either backwards or forwards, and either of specific articles or of general totals will be appreciated by those who are at all conversant with or interested in such matters.

GOODS, THE PRODUCE OF CANADA, EXPORTED IN 1898, COMPARED WITH THOSE OF 1883.

Articles.	1883.				1898.			
	Average Price.	Value of Exports.		Average Price.	Value of Exports (000's omitted)	Index Numbers.		
		(000's omitted)	Index Number			Value.	Price.	Volume
		\$			\$			
Coal..... ton.	2.52 \$	1,087	12.3	3.02 \$	3,273	37.3	1.20	31.0
Gypsum..... "	0.98 "	152	1.7	1.07 "	194	2.2	1.09	2.0
Ore, copper..... "	34.18 "	150	1.7	124.20 "	865	9.9	3.63	2.7
" iron..... "	3.09 "	139	1.6	11.21 "	24	0.3	3.62	0.1
" silver..... "	142.00 "	14	0.2	156.47 "	3,520	37.1	1.10	33.3
Phosphate..... "	29.91 "	303	3.4	4.26 "	1	0.1	0.14	...
Cod, had, lock, ling, &c cwt.	5.04 "	3,653	41.6	3.62 "	2,580	29.4	4.72	40.8
Mackerel..... brl.	7.71 "	520	5.9	11.97 "	154	1.8	1.55	1.1
Herring, fresh..... lb.	1.91 cts.	27	0.3	0.44 cts.	56	0.6	0.23	2.6
" pickled..... brl.	4.08 \$	506	5.8	3.27 \$	187	2.1	1.80	2.6
" smoked..... lb.	2.00 cts.	169	1.9	1.77 cts.	114	1.3	0.88	1.5
Lobsters, fresh..... brl.	6.14 \$	31	0.4	8.75 \$	337	3.9	1.42	2.7
" canned..... lb.	9.12 cts.	1,479	16.8	19.22 cts.	2,291	26.1	2.11	12.3
Salmon, fresh..... "	14.30 "	181	2.1	8.74 "	135	1.5	0.61	2.5
" canned..... "	10.53 "	1,156	13.2	8.24 "	3,431	39.1	1.78	50.1
" pickled..... brl.	13.63 \$	84	0.9	6.44 \$	53	0.6	0.48	1.2
Fish oil, cod..... gal.	53.65 cts.	123	1.4	24.78 cts.	31	0.4	0.46	0.9
Ashes, pot and pearl. brl.	34.36 \$	268	3.1	23.08 \$	46	0.5	0.67	0.8
Bark for tanning..... cord.	4.94 "	322	3.7	3.97 "	105	1.2	0.80	1.5
Firewood..... "	2.36 "	389	4.4	1.76 "	141	1.6	0.75	2.1
Logs, pine..... m. ft.	6.50 "	19	0.2	8.69 "	1,617	18.4	1.33	13.8
" spruce..... "	4.93 "	31	0.4	6.13 "	34	0.4	1.24	0.3
Deals..... st. h.	32.54 "	8,657	98.7	31.63 "	11,733	133.8	0.97	153.6
Laths, palings and pickets..... m.	1.46 "	231	2.6	1.11 "	376	4.3	0.75	5.7
Planks and boards, joists and scantlings. m ft.	12.56 "	8,138	92.8	10.72 "	5,858	66.8	0.85	78.6
Staves and headings. m.	6.57 "	251	2.9	4.56 "	401	4.6	0.69	6.7
Shingles..... "	2.82 "	284	3.2	1.76 "	994	11.3	0.62	18.2
Sleepers and R. R. ties..... each.	26.07 cts.	554	6.3	14.42 cts.	101	1.2	0.55	2.2
Stave bolts..... cord.	3.17 \$	211	2.4	2.29 \$	21	0.3	0.72	0.4
Shooks..... each.	50.76 cts.	51	0.6	11.30 cts.	99	1.1	0.22	5.0
Timber, square :								
Ash..... ton.	12.35 \$	101	1.2	10.66 \$	29	0.3	0.86	0.3
Birch..... "	7.66 "	194	2.2	8.83 "	143	1.6	1.5	1.3
Eln..... "	12.13 "	277	3.2	13.79 "	175	2.0	1.14	1.7
Oak..... "	20.42 "	976	11.1	22.93 "	607	6.9	1.12	6.1
Pine, white..... "	13.33 "	2,853	32.5	17.73 "	1,536	17.5	1.33	13.2
Pine, red..... "	8.64 "	223	2.5	10.64 "	60	0.7	1.24	0.6
Horses..... each.	125.45 "	1,633	18.6	104.36 "	1,498	17.1	0.83	20.6
Cattle..... "	58.70 "	3,898	44.4	40.95 "	8,723	99.5	0.70	142.1
Sheep..... "	4.50 "	1,388	15.8	3.62 "	1,272	14.5	0.80	18.1
Butter..... lb.	21.04 cts.	1,706	19.4	18.19 cts.	2,047	23.4	0.86	27.2
Cheese..... "	11.12 "	6,452	73.5	8.93 "	17,573	200.4	0.80	250.5
Eggs..... doz.	16.78 "	2,257	25.7	12.11 "	1,255	14.3	0.72	19.9

* 1893.