

The following tables show total tonnage of sea-going vessels carrying cargo into and out of the different provinces by five-year periods, with yearly average and percentage of increase or decrease :—

## QUEBEC.

Registered sea-going tonnage carrying cargo into and out of the province by five-year periods, with yearly averages and percentages of increase or decrease :

PERIOD.	Total Tonnage.	Yearly Average.	Per cent.
1869-73.....	8,541,112	1,708,222	.....
1874-78.....	9,180,482	1,836,096	+ 7.5
1879-83.....	10,087,924	2,017,585	+ 9.9
1884-88.....	10,646,050	2,129,210	+ 5.5
1889-93.....	10,900,830	2,180,166	+ 2.4
1894-98.....	12,563,064	2,563,064	+ 17.6

Registered sea-going tonnage carrying cargo into the province, &c.:

PERIOD.	Total Tonnage.	Yearly Average.	Per cent.
1869-73.....	3,389,426	677,885	.....
1874-78.....	3,392,515	678,503	+ 0.1
1879-83.....	4,260,500	852,100	+ 25.6
1884-88.....	4,803,506	960,701	+ 12.7
1889-93.....	5,114,665	1,022,933	+ 6.4
1894-98.....	5,843,304	1,168,661	+ 14.2

Registered sea-going tonnage carrying cargo out of the province, &c.:

PERIOD.	Total Tonnage.	Yearly Average.	Per cent.
1869-73.....	5,151,486	1,030,297	.....
1874-78.....	5,787,967	1,157,593	+ 12.3
1879-83.....	5,827,424	1,165,485	+ 0.6
1884-88.....	5,842,544	1,168,499	+ 0.2
1889-93.....	5,786,165	1,157,233	- 0.9
1894-98.....	6,972,018	1,394,404	+ 20.5