

The following table gives the world's production of gold and silver for the calendar years 1898 and 1899:—

Countries.	1898.		1899.	
	Gold.	Silver, coin- ing value.	Gold.	Silver, coin- ing value.
	\$	\$	\$	\$
British Empire—				
Great Britain.....	6,600	273,300	58,800	596,000
Australasia.....	64,860,800	13,564,300	79,321,600	16,403,000
British Guiana.....	2,048,700		2,040,500	
" East Indies.....	529,700		425,100	
Africa.....	80,128,500		73,227,100	
India, British.....	7,781,500		8,517,500	
Canada.....	13,775,420	2,593,929	21,261,584	2,032,658
Total, British Empire.....	169,131,220	16,431,529	184,852,184	19,031,658
United States.....	64,463,000	70,384,500	71,053,400	70,806,600
Mexico.....	*8,500,000	73,358,200	*8,500,000	71,902,500
Russia.....	25,463,400	360,100	22,167,100	174,400
Austria-Hungary.....	1,859,500	2,345,700	1,943,900	2,450,400
Germany.....	73,600	7,203,600	74,200	8,070,500
Norway.....		224,100		215,800
Sweden.....	83,600	84,500	70,600	95,200
Italy.....	165,900	1,040,200	†165,900	†1,040,200
Spain.....	2,000	3,171,500	†2,000	3,171,500
Portugal.....	10,400	3,000	†4,700	4,900
Greece.....		1,743,400		1,743,400
Turkey.....	14,200	183,800	†14,200	183,800
Servia.....	13,300	23,700	†13,300	23,700
France.....		596,000		596,000
Argentina.....	137,700	495,800	†137,700	†495,800
Bolivia.....	17,600	20,729,200	68,500	14,020,500
Chile.....	893,600	6,147,400	†893,600	†6,147,400
Colombia.....	2,158,700	7,090,100	1,809,500	4,553,100
Ecuador.....	39,500	10,000	47,900	†10,000
Brazil.....	1,583,700		2,149,500	
Venezuela.....	1,089,300		†1,089,300	
Guiana, Dutch.....	569,100		587,600	
" French.....	1,644,400		1,688,700	
Peru.....	628,000	6,106,100	628,000	†6,106,100
Uruguay.....	34,400		34,400	
Central American States.....	477,800	930,000	584,200	1,195,600
Japan.....	790,800	2,146,500	790,800	2,146,500
China.....	5,392,700		5,574,400	
Korea.....	1,168,200		1,459,000	
East Indies, Dutch.....	117,600		117,600	
Total, Foreign Countries.....	117,392,000	204,377,400	121,670,000	195,153,900
Grand Total.....	286,523,220	220,808,929	306,522,184	214,185,558

* Estimate Bureau of the Mint. † 1898 figures repeated. ‡ 1897 figures repeated.