

The following table gives the world's production of gold and silver for the calendar years 1901 and 1902.

Countries.	1901.		1902.		
	Gold.	Silver Coining value.	Gold.	Silver, Coining value.	Silver, Commercial value.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
British Empire—					
Great Britain.....	276,200	286,600	116,300	223,900	91,800
Australia.....	76,880,200	16,871,700	81,578,800	10,377,100	4,253,800
British Guiana.....	1,771,600		1,808,600		
" East Indies.....	861,700		1,027,100		
Africa.....	9,089,500		39,023,700		
British India.....	9,395,900		9,588,100		
Canada.....	24,128,500	6,778,400	21,336,667	5,564,500	2,281,000
Total, British Empire.	122,403,600	23,936,700	154,479,267	16,165,500	6,626,600
United States.....	78,666,700	71,387,800	80,000,000	71,757,600	29,415,000
Mexico.....	10,284,800	74,545,900	10,153,100	77,804,100	31,893,600
Argentina.....	30,000	58,400	60,000	58,400	27,100
Bolivia.....	119,600	13,258,000	4,000	16,798,600	6,886,100
Chile.....	1,067,200	11,966,200	575,200	4,611,600	1,890,400
Colombia.....	2,801,300	2,432,800	2,522,600	2,297,000	941,600
Ecuador.....	110,000	10,000	200,000	10,000	4,100
Brazil.....	2,775,400		1,994,600		
Venezuela.....	321,200		433,800	2,400	1,000
Guiana Dutch.....	405,600		322,000		
" French.....	2,000,000		2,420,200		
Peru.....	1,329,200	7,241,500	2,326,100	5,513,700	2,260,200
Uruguay.....	31,700	1,000	57,800	1,000	400
Central America.....	640,300	1,137,400	2,001,900	1,255,800	514,800
Russia.....	22,850,900	203,000	24,460,044	205,200	84,100
Austria-Hungary.....	2,136,700	2,531,600	2,171,300	2,432,200	997,000
Germany.....	59,800	7,139,100	62,500	7,399,000	3,033,000
Norway and Sweden.....	41,700	284,300	64,500	327,700	133,900
Italy.....	53,200	971,400	5,300	1,246,800	511,100
Spain.....	8,600	4,118,400	10,200	4,784,100	1,961,100
Portugal.....	1,300	4,900	-1,300	4,900	2,000
Greece.....		1,492,100		1,409,500	577,800
Turkey.....	24,500	554,900	30,600	621,300	254,700
Finland.....	1,300	10,100	1,300	11,200	4,600
France.....		584,600		496,900	203,700
Japan.....	1,201,600	2,236,300	1,287,000	595,000	207,000
China.....	9,091,500		8,731,800		
Korea.....	4,500,000		3,500,000		
East Indies, Dutch.....	435,000	104,300	564,600	152,900	62,700
Total, other countries....	140,971,100	202,324,000	143,662,444	199,706,900	81,867,000
Grand total.....	263,374,700	226,260,700	298,441,711	215,872,400	88,493,600

The total production of gold since the discovery of this continent is estimated by Dr. Soetbeer at \$10,329,705,100. In the 6 years, 1896-1901, the total value of gold produced was \$1,549,880,100, an average of \$258,313,350 a year, in the previous 5 year period 1891-1895, the total production was \$814,736,000, an annual average of \$162,947,000.