

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF THE PROGRESS OF CANADA—continued.

Item.		1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1906.
Central Electric Stations—						
1	Power houses..... No.	-	-	80	58	157
2	Capital invested..... \$	-	-	4,113,771	11,891,025	80,393,445
3	Kilowatt hours generated ¹ No.	-	-	-	-	-
4	Customers..... No.	-	-	-	-	-
Water Power—						
5	Turbine H.P. installed..... No.	-	-	71,219	238,902	608,002
Manufactures—						
6	Employees..... No.	187,942	254,935	272,033	339,173	383,920
7	Capital..... \$	77,964,020	165,302,623	353,213,000 ²	446,916,487	833,916,155
8	Salaries and wages..... \$	40,851,009	59,429,002	79,234,311	113,249,350	162,155,578
9	Values of materials used in..... \$	124,907,846	179,918,593	250,759,292 ²	266,527,858	-
Products—						
10	Gross..... \$	221,617,773	309,676,068	368,696,723	481,053,375	706,446,578
	Net..... \$	96,709,927	129,757,475	117,937,431	214,525,517	-
Construction—						
11	Values of contracts awarded... \$	-	-	-	-	-
Wholesale and Retail Trade—						
Wholesale—						
12	Establishments..... No.	-	-	-	-	-
13	Employees..... No.	-	-	-	-	-
14	Net sales..... \$	-	-	-	-	-
Retail—						
15	Stores..... No.	-	-	-	-	-
16	Employees, full-time..... No.	-	-	-	-	-
17	Net sales..... \$	-	-	-	-	-
Retail Services—						
18	Establishments..... No.	-	-	-	-	-
19	Employees, full-time..... No.	-	-	-	-	-
20	Receipts..... \$	-	-	-	-	-
External Trade (fiscal years)—						
21	Exports ³ \$	57,630,024	83,944,701	88,671,738	177,431,386	235,483,956
22	Imports ⁴ \$	84,214,388	90,488,329	111,533,954	177,930,919	283,740,280
	Totals, External Trade..... \$	141,844,412	174,433,030	200,205,692	355,362,305	519,224,236
23	Total exports to British Empire..... \$	-	-	47,137,203	100,748,097	138,421,222
24	Exports to United Kingdom... \$	21,733,556	42,637,219	43,243,784	92,857,525	127,456,465
25	Total imports from British Empire..... \$	-	-	44,337,052	46,653,228	83,789,434
26	Imports from United Kingdom \$	48,498,202	42,885,142	42,018,943	42,820,354	69,183,915
27	Exports to United States..... \$	29,164,358	34,038,431	37,743,430	67,983,673	83,546,306
28	Imports from United States... \$	27,185,586	36,338,701	52,033,477	107,377,906	169,256,452
Exports, Domestic, by Chief Items—						
29	Wheat..... bush.	1,748,977	2,523,673	2,108,216	9,739,758	40,399,402
	\$	1,981,917	2,593,820	1,583,084	6,871,939	33,658,391
30	Wheat flour..... brl.	306,339	439,728	296,784	1,118,700	1,532,014
	\$	1,609,849	2,173,108	1,388,578	4,015,226	6,179,825
31	Oats..... bush.	542,386	2,926,532	260,569	8,155,063	2,700,303
	\$	231,227	1,191,873	129,917	2,490,521	1,083,347
32	Hay..... ton	23,487	168,381	65,083	252,977	206,714
	\$	290,217	1,813,208	559,489	2,097,882	1,529,941
33	Bacon and hams, shoulders... cwt.	103,444	103,547	75,541	1,055,495	1,029,079
	and sides..... \$	1,018,918	758,334	628,469	11,778,446	12,086,868
34	Butter..... lb.	15,439,266	17,649,491	3,768,101	16,335,528	34,031,525
	\$	3,065,234	3,573,034	602,175	3,295,663	7,075,539
35	Cheese..... lb.	8,271,439	49,255,523	106,202,140	195,926,397	215,834,543
	\$	1,109,906	5,510,443	9,508,800	20,696,951	24,433,169
36	Gold, raw..... oz.	163,037	767,318	554,126	24,445,156	12,991,916
37	Silver..... oz.	-	-	-	4,022,019	7,261,527
	\$	595,261	34,494	238,367	2,420,750	4,310,528
38	Copper ⁵ lb.	6,246,000	39,604,000	10,994,498	26,345,776	44,282,348
	\$	120,121	150,412	505,196	2,659,261	7,148,633

¹ In thousands.² The statistics of manufactures in 1871 and 1881 include works employing fewer than 5 hands; those of 1891, 1901, 1911 and 1916 are for works employing only 5 hands and over except in the case of butter and cheese factories, flour and grist mills, electric light plants, lumber, lath and shingle mills, lime kilns, brick and tile works, and fish canneries. The figures shown are for the preceding years in each case.³ Exports of domestic merchandise only.⁴ Imports of merchandise for home consumption.⁵ Copper.