

4.—Trade of Canada by Industrial Origin, Annual Averages for Selected Periods 1926-54

(Millions of dollars)

Origin Group	Domestic Exports				Imports			
	Years ended Mar. 31		Calendar Years		Years ended Mar. 31		Calendar Years	
	1926-29	1936-39	1946-49	1951-54	1926-29	1936-39	1946-49	1951-54
Farm Origin	712.7	340.3	942.5	1,143.6	439.7	234.5	699.4	922.7
Raw materials.....	501.2	203.9	551.9	850.6	152.9	95.0	279.2	403.7
Partly manufactured.....	10.6	8.4	16.4	19.5	63.0	41.5	104.0	126.5
Chiefly manufactured.....	201.0	128.1	374.2	273.5	223.8	98.0	316.2	392.4
Wildlife Origin	22.7	16.3	27.3	25.3	12.7	4.5	9.6	11.4
Raw materials.....	22.4	15.5	26.3	24.1	10.3	3.1	7.5	8.8
Partly manufactured.....	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.7	2.0	1.2	1.3	1.5
Chiefly manufactured.....	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.8	1.1
Marine Origin	36.9	27.2	90.6	121.5	3.5	2.9	10.2	10.7
Raw materials.....	11.3	11.6	43.8	70.5	1.1	0.9	3.2	3.3
Partly manufactured.....	—	—	0.3	0.6	—	1	—	—
Chiefly manufactured.....	25.6	15.7	46.6	50.3	2.4	2.0	7.1	7.3
Forest Origin	284.2	218.6	835.6	1,360.0	51.9	32.0	84.5	153.3
Raw materials.....	23.5	16.5	52.0	75.8	1.2	0.6	2.8	6.6
Partly manufactured.....	110.9	74.5	367.2	624.2	13.8	6.1	16.5	31.0
Chiefly manufactured.....	149.8	127.5	416.4	659.9	36.9	25.3	65.3	115.8
Mineral Origin	194.8	257.3	720.2	1,202.8	483.2	334.9	1,406.0	2,449.6
Raw materials.....	38.0	37.9	83.8	214.7	108.0	90.5	346.8	444.0
Partly manufactured.....	66.0	137.7	311.0	595.8	18.4	12.9	40.3	69.9
Chiefly manufactured.....	90.8	81.7	325.4	392.3	356.8	231.5	1,018.9	1,935.7
Mixed Origin	25.0	27.1	172.7	200.3	92.3	64.2	265.1	600.1
Raw materials.....	—	—	—	1.0	—	0.1	1	0.1
Partly manufactured.....	1.6	0.8	0.2	0.5	4.2	2.5	6.7	11.2
Chiefly manufactured.....	23.4	26.3	172.5	198.8	88.1	61.6	258.3	588.8
Totals	1,276.3	886.7	2,788.9	4,053.6	1,083.2	673.0	2,474.8	4,147.8
Raw materials.....	596.4	285.4	757.7	1,236.7	273.5	190.2	639.5	866.6
Partly manufactured.....	189.2	221.9	695.6	1,241.4	101.3	64.2	168.7	240.2
Chiefly manufactured.....	490.6	379.4	1,335.5	1,575.4	708.4	418.5	1,666.6	3,041.1

¹ Less than \$50,000.

PART II.—FOREIGN TRADE STATISTICS*

Section 1.—Explanations *re* Canadian Trade Statistics

Certain problems of procedure arise in recording trade statistics and require explanation. For the correct interpretation of the statistics of foreign trade, it is necessary that the following definitions and explanations of terms used be kept in mind:—

Quantities and Values.—In all tables of imports and exports the quantities and values are based upon the declarations of importers (import entries) and exporters (export entries), as subsequently checked by customs officials.

Imports: Valuation.—“Imports” means imports entered for consumption. “Entered for consumption” does not necessarily imply that the goods have been actually consumed in Canada but that they have passed into the possession of the importer and that duty has been paid on that portion liable for duty.

* Based on statistics taken from reports published by the External Trade Section, International Trade Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.