

6.—Principal Commodities in Water-Borne Cargo Loaded and Unloaded at Each of the Six Principal Ports 1955 and 1956

NOTE.—Commodities totalling less than 50,000 tons in 1956 are not listed.

Port and Commodity	1955			1956		
	Inward	Outward	Total	Inward	Outward	Total
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
Montreal—						
Grain.....	2,396,765	2,290,958	4,687,723	2,735,841	3,394,712	6,130,553
Petroleum oil, fuel.....	697,767	1,719,737	2,417,504	349,502	2,036,881	2,386,383
Petroleum oil, crude.....	980,318	294,663	1,274,981	1,621,571	315,347	1,936,918
Coal, bituminous.....	1,345,453	1,314	1,346,767	1,282,387	—	1,282,387
Gasoline.....	153,246	892,474	1,045,720	177,772	915,107	1,092,879
Sugar, raw.....	371,422	199,260	570,682	394,027	154,154	548,181
Gypsum, crude.....	379,777	3	379,780	393,942	3	393,945
Flour, wheat.....	403,671	31,974	435,645	328,197	16,650	344,847
Iron or steel band, bars, n.o.p., hoop, plates, rods, sheets, skelp, strip and tin plate.....	3	306,386	306,389	—	320,206	320,206
Iron or steel, scrap.....	44,256	23,166	67,422	167,132	25,199	192,331
Grain products (mill products ex- cept wheat flour).....	7,055	129,677	136,732	975	172,893	173,868
Petroleum oil, refined, n.o.p.....	6,289	123,118	129,407	46	159,265	159,311
Iron or steel, structural.....	31,189	75,502	106,691	56,916	101,280	158,196
Phosphate rock.....	39,795	4,885	44,680	145,459	5,471	150,930
Asbestos and asbestos manufac- tures.....	102,917	7,121	110,038	137,658	4,424	142,082
Coal, anthracite.....	4,222	78,708	82,930	10,034	103,280	113,314
Oil cake and oil cake meal.....	177,018	7,580	184,598	104,727	2,833	107,560
Iron ore.....	—	86,438	86,438	—	100,992	100,992
Molasses.....	61,286	48,805	110,091	46,043	46,043	92,086
Motor vehicles and parts.....	79,673	19,052	98,725	73,158	18,549	91,707
Iron or steel manufactures, n.o.p.....	25,739	54,422	80,161	41,136	42,215	83,351
Glass and glass manufactures.....	54,012	16,755	70,767	63,121	19,672	82,793
Lumber (planks, boards and floor- ing) and square timber.....	72,070	4,165	76,235	75,213	5,203	80,416
Chrome ore.....	20,823	70,767	91,590	16,623	55,151	71,774
Nickel and nickel manufactures.....	37,422	14,273	51,695	46,495	18,990	65,485
Salt.....	101	47,939	48,040	124	63,651	63,775
Aluminum, in bars, billets, blocks, ingots, pigs, rods, sheets or slabs.....	20,307	436	20,743	58,420	90	58,510
Copper, in bars, billets, cakes, cathodes, ingots or slabs.....	1,054	7,899	8,953	7,966	47,368	55,334
Machinery and parts (except agricultural).....	—	52,211	52,498	2,734	52,503	55,237
Fluorspar.....	33,141	20,824	53,965	27,466	24,553	52,019
Fruits, fresh, n.o.p.....	16,852	17,465	34,317	25,950	25,490	51,440
	1,054	997	2,051	519	50,622	51,141
Totals, Commodities over 50,000 tons in 1956.....	7,564,984	6,648,974	14,213,958	8,391,154	8,298,797	16,689,951
Totals, All Commodities.....	8,359,659	7,489,907	15,849,566	9,284,346	9,144,489	18,428,835
Vancouver—						
Grain.....	—	2,392,983	2,392,983	—	3,566,876	3,566,876
Logs, masts, piling, pitprops, poles, posts, spars and ties.....	1,140,436	147,868	1,288,304	1,011,445	146,638	1,158,083
Lumber (planks, boards and floor- ing) and square timber.....	544,541	580,369	1,124,910	743,208	369,401	1,112,609
Petroleum oil, fuel.....	397,628	487,291	884,919	414,756	533,545	948,301
Petroleum oil, crude.....	5,748	—	5,748	—	887,154	887,154
Sand and gravel.....	655,140	3,105	658,245	794,011	9,858	803,869
Gasoline.....	38,347	351,804	390,151	36,299	499,917	536,216
Wood pulp.....	291,087	29,066	320,153	292,971	33,342	326,313
Flour, wheat.....	144	268,898	269,042	130	254,903	255,033
Iron or steel tubes, pipes and fittings.....	88,619	2,844	91,463	194,328	54,969	249,297
Cement.....	165,032	20,068	185,100	181,172	20,575	201,747
Hog fuel.....	—	205,640	205,640	—	195,352	195,352
Pulpwood.....	—	200,558	200,558	—	181,529	181,529
Motor vehicles and parts.....	78,615	25,198	103,813	113,877	47,549	161,426
Newsprint.....	170,890	8,441	179,331	153,454	6,527	159,981
Kerosene.....	40,937	62,523	103,460	73,671	67,542	141,213