

**11.—Imports Credited to Countries of Central and South America, by Country of Consignment, 1957 and 1958—concluded**

Country	1957				1958			
	Consigned from Country Credited		Con-sig-ned from United States to Canada	Total Imports as Credited	Consigned from Country Credited		Con-sig-ned from United States to Canada	Total Imports as Credited
	Direct to a Canadian Port	Via a United States Port			Direct to a Canadian Port	Via a United States Port		
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
<b>South America</b> .....	<b>110,912</b>	<b>201,532</b>	<b>28,904</b>	<b>341,348</b>	<b>101,116</b>	<b>159,749</b>	<b>30,628</b>	<b>291,493</b>
British Guiana.....	19,602	1,398	3	21,003	19,443	1,197	4	20,644
Argentina.....	3,591	499	613	4,703	4,451	403	582	5,437
Bolivia.....	88	—	60	148	103	1	30	134
Brazil.....	17,932	6,447	10,946	35,325	12,733	3,421	11,342	27,497
Chile.....	1,198	51	373	1,622	211	127	488	825
Colombia.....	6,254	3,071	8,865	18,190	4,785	952	10,848	16,585
Ecuador.....	419	509	3,500	4,428	285	94	4,588	4,967
Paraguay.....	169	79	30	278	269	57	22	347
Peru.....	2,394	124	281	2,799	1,941	137	277	2,355
Surinam.....	2,656	600	643	3,899	1,598	617	56	2,270
Uruguay.....	557	79	173	809	787	38	16	841
Venezuela.....	56,052	188,675	3,418	248,145	54,509	152,706	2,375	209,590
<b>Totals</b> .....	<b>227,368</b>	<b>232,392</b>	<b>44,410</b>	<b>504,110</b>	<b>211,051</b>	<b>193,291</b>	<b>53,880</b>	<b>458,222</b>

**Section 4.—Trade by Commodities**

The tables in this Section provide detailed information on the composition of Canada's imports and exports, with commodities shown by group and individually.

**12.—Imports and Exports, by Main Group, 1957 and 1958**

Group	Imports		Domestic Exports		Total Trade <sup>1</sup>	
	1957	1958	1957	1958	1957	1958
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
<b>United Kingdom</b> .....	<b>521,958</b>	<b>526,650</b>	<b>722,669</b>	<b>773,804</b>	<b>1,249,783</b>	<b>1,305,552</b>
Agricultural and vegetable products.....	31,662	38,014	242,028	283,224	273,821	321,335
Animal and animal products.....	15,904	18,380	20,991	39,717	37,408	68,612
Fibres, textiles and textile products.....	102,510	86,078	4,380	2,567	107,267	89,214
Wood, wood products and paper... ..	6,638	8,069	142,310	133,403	149,007	141,524
Iron and its products.....	195,572	205,180	42,522	24,592	240,162	231,722
Non-ferrous metals and their products.....	64,663	64,010	222,032	223,245	287,309	287,676
Non-metallic minerals and their products.....	30,051	30,113	16,279	16,744	47,008	47,576
Chemicals and allied products....	23,168	23,553	28,480	35,752	51,796	59,421
Miscellaneous commodities.....	51,790	53,253	3,646	14,559	56,005	68,471
<b>United States</b> .....	<b>3,998,549</b>	<b>3,572,379</b>	<b>2,867,608</b>	<b>2,827,417</b>	<b>6,940,225</b>	<b>6,487,144</b>
Agricultural and vegetable products.....	323,380	328,063	191,715	179,542	516,572	510,008
Animal and animal products.....	71,809	70,844	219,081	290,517	293,589	364,047
Fibres, textiles and textile products.....	209,338	195,328	10,391	8,487	221,720	205,807
Wood, wood products and paper... ..	201,223	206,340	1,171,903	1,163,180	1,374,289	1,370,853
Iron and its products.....	1,802,069	1,520,287	268,758	249,334	2,107,459	1,809,220

<sup>1</sup> Includes exports of foreign produce.