

## Section 4.—Trade by Commodity

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

## 11.—Exports and Imports, by Main Group, 1959 and 1960

| Group   | Domestic Exports |                  | Imports          |                  | Total Trade <sup>1</sup> |                   |
|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|   | 1959             | 1960             | 1959             | 1960             | 1959                     | 1960              |
|   | \$'000           | \$'000           | \$'000           | \$'000           | \$'000                   | \$'000            |
| <b>All Countries</b> .....                    | <b>5,021,672</b> | <b>5,264,052</b> | <b>5,508,921</b> | <b>5,492,348</b> | <b>10,649,221</b>        | <b>10,887,617</b> |
| Agricultural and vegetable products.....      | 868,904          | 831,479          | 684,026          | 681,265          | 1,556,224                | 1,515,572         |
| Animals and animal products.....              | 355,975          | 319,945          | 146,635          | 143,693          | 505,306                  | 467,143           |
| Fibres, textiles and textile products.....    | 24,997           | 39,219           | 420,152          | 433,549          | 448,014                  | 479,067           |
| Wood, wood products and paper.....            | 1,515,962        | 1,591,919        | 272,274          | 266,123          | 1,790,721                | 1,861,323         |
| Iron and its products.....                    | 563,344          | 605,225          | 2,092,093        | 2,046,307        | 2,716,552                | 2,715,556         |
| Non-ferrous metals and their products.....    | 1,114,784        | 1,222,476        | 471,253          | 471,120          | 1,603,446                | 1,714,770         |
| Non-metallic minerals and their products..... | 294,235          | 339,569          | 705,606          | 672,170          | 1,007,405                | 1,018,043         |
| Chemicals and allied products.....            | 201,729          | 237,687          | 326,987          | 338,652          | 533,062                  | 582,076           |
| Miscellaneous commodities.....                | 81,742           | 76,534           | 389,895          | 439,468          | 488,491                  | 534,066           |
| <b>United Kingdom</b> .....                   | <b>785,802</b>   | <b>915,290</b>   | <b>588,573</b>   | <b>588,930</b>   | <b>1,382,824</b>         | <b>1,513,871</b>  |
| Agricultural and vegetable products.....      | 279,418          | 268,516          | 40,385           | 38,750           | 320,544                  | 307,451           |
| Animals and animal products.....              | 48,542           | 35,088           | 20,395           | 18,743           | 69,277                   | 54,269            |
| Fibres, textiles and textile products.....    | 1,395            | 8,643            | 90,137           | 87,726           | 91,891                   | 96,739            |
| Wood, wood products and paper.....            | 132,512          | 179,514          | 8,312            | 9,219            | 140,899                  | 188,791           |
| Iron and its products.....                    | 31,630           | 72,792           | 254,110          | 271,276          | 289,526                  | 349,829           |
| Non-ferrous metals and their products.....    | 238,483          | 297,329          | 76,249           | 69,699           | 315,206                  | 367,598           |
| Non-metallic minerals and their products..... | 14,147           | 16,577           | 31,151           | 29,248           | 45,438                   | 46,532            |
| Chemicals and allied products.....            | 27,382           | 34,088           | 26,246           | 24,909           | 53,936                   | 59,610            |
| Miscellaneous commodities.....                | 12,293           | 2,744            | 41,588           | 39,360           | 56,127                   | 49,052            |
| <b>United States</b> .....                    | <b>3,063,151</b> | <b>2,932,171</b> | <b>3,709,065</b> | <b>3,693,189</b> | <b>6,890,968</b>         | <b>6,729,604</b>  |
| Agricultural and vegetable products.....      | 178,422          | 174,425          | 362,276          | 365,495          | 542,925                  | 541,905           |
| Animals and animal products.....              | 229,092          | 204,790          | 81,872           | 82,468           | 313,142                  | 290,010           |
| Fibres, textiles and textile products.....    | 10,003           | 10,022           | 193,075          | 220,269          | 205,311                  | 235,330           |
| Wood, wood products and paper.....            | 1,257,745        | 1,257,786        | 236,261          | 228,589          | 1,496,300                | 1,489,369         |
| Iron and its products.....                    | 405,520          | 325,425          | 1,666,356        | 1,610,213        | 2,122,488                | 1,983,272         |
| Non-ferrous metals and their products.....    | 641,718          | 564,910          | 300,640          | 296,054          | 958,475                  | 880,222           |
| Non-metallic minerals and their products..... | 224,183          | 248,270          | 296,840          | 268,146          | 528,098                  | 521,484           |
| Chemicals and allied products.....            | 85,910           | 92,220           | 275,125          | 282,723          | 364,283                  | 379,450           |
| Miscellaneous commodities.....                | 50,559           | 54,321           | 296,619          | 339,232          | 359,946                  | 408,561           |

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

## 12.—Leading Domestic Exports, 1955-60

NOTE.—Commodities are arranged in order of value in 1960.

| Commodity                                  | 1955    | 1956    | 1957    | 1958    | 1959    | 1960    |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|  | \$'000  | \$'000  | \$'000  | \$'000  | \$'000  | \$'000  |
| Newsprint paper.....                       | 665,877 | 708,385 | 715,490 | 690,209 | 722,271 | 757,930 |
| Wheat.....                                 | 338,216 | 513,081 | 380,415 | 446,078 | 441,830 | 410,453 |
| Lumber and timber.....                     | 386,298 | 328,099 | 282,690 | 293,600 | 323,717 | 346,300 |
| Wood pulp.....                             | 297,304 | 304,536 | 292,406 | 285,449 | 311,253 | 325,122 |
| Aluminum, primary and semi-fabricated..... | 210,971 | 234,806 | 229,386 | 222,442 | 230,683 | 268,154 |
| Uranium ores and concentrates.....         | 26,533  | 45,777  | 127,934 | 276,506 | 311,904 | 263,541 |
| Nickel, primary and semi-fabricated.....   | 215,169 | 222,909 | 248,253 | 212,580 | 226,857 | 258,331 |
| Copper, primary and semi-fabricated.....   | 163,924 | 194,206 | 147,247 | 135,021 | 158,827 | 211,431 |
| Iron ore.....                              | 99,814  | 144,443 | 152,281 | 107,674 | 157,814 | 155,472 |