

MEAT IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM

The following tabulation, based on the accounts relating to the trade and navigation of the United Kingdom, lists the weight and country of origin of meat imports into the United Kingdom during the calendar years 1938 and 1947 (all figures in thousand hundredweight) :—

	1938.	1947.
Mutton and lamb—		
Fresh	24	..
Chilled or frozen mutton—		
Australia	367	155
New Zealand	1,015	1,499
Other Commonwealth countries	2	25
Chile	97	86
Argentina	99	503
Other foreign countries	25	67
Total mutton	1,605	2,335
Lamb—		
Australia	1,531	846
New Zealand	2,661	3,550
Other Commonwealth countries	7	7
Chile	99	112
Uruguay	148	112
Argentina	795	1,557
Other foreign countries	43	12
Total lamb	5,284	6,196
Offal—		
Other than canned	226	287
Canned	118	318
Total mutton and lamb, all kinds	7,257	9,136
Beef—		
Fresh and salted	5	150
Chilled	8,964	2
	8,969	152
Frozen—		
Fore and hind quarters (including cuts with bone)—		
Australia	1,187	1,683
New Zealand	207	147
Canada	..	171
Other Commonwealth countries	1	..
Denmark	..	165
Brazil	4	1
Uruguay	72	41
Argentina	159	2,830
Other foreign countries	..	957
Total	1,630	5,995