

I.—IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM CONSIGNED FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES
AND BRITISH POSSESSIONS RESPECTIVELY (1905–1909).

STATEMENT showing the VALUE of the IMPORTS into the UNITED KINGDOM in each of the Years 1905 to 1909, consigned from FOREIGN COUNTRIES and BRITISH POSSESSIONS respectively, distinguishing (1) Articles of Food, Drink, and Tobacco; (2) Raw Materials and Articles mainly Unmanufactured; and (3) Articles wholly or mainly Manufactured.

	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.
<i>Articles of Food, Drink, and Tobacco.</i>	£	£	£	£	£
Consigned from Foreign Countries	173,311,000	181,841,000	185,635,000	192,458,000	190,468,000
Consigned from British Possessions	57,989,000	56,317,000	61,656,000	51,676,000	63,851,000
Total - - - - -	231,300,000	238,158,000	247,291,000	244,134,000	254,319,000
Percentages from British Possessions - - }	25	24	25	21	25
<i>Raw Materials and Articles mainly Unmanufactured.</i>					
Consigned from Foreign Countries	135,870,000	147,675,000	169,633,000	145,606,000	155,855,000
Consigned from British Possessions	52,048,000	63,428,000	71,616,000	57,849,000	64,290,000
Total - - - - -	187,918,000	211,103,000	241,249,000	203,455,000	220,145,000
Percentages from British Possessions - - }	28	30	30	28	29
<i>Articles wholly or mainly Manufactured.</i>					
Consigned from Foreign Countries	127,512,000	136,596,000	134,067,000	125,039,000	131,104,000
Consigned from British Possessions	16,073,000	19,589,000	20,837,000	18,046,000	16,567,000
Total - - - - -	143,585,000	156,185,000	154,904,000	143,085,000	147,671,000
Percentages from British Possessions - - }	11	13	13	13	11
<i>Total Imports.*</i>					
Consigned from Foreign Countries	438,368,000	467,974,000	491,102,000	464,818,000	479,453,000
Consigned from British Possessions	126,652,000	139,914,000	154,706,000	128,136,000	145,252,000
Total - - - - -	565,020,000	607,888,000	645,808,000	592,954,000	624,705,000
Percentages from British Possessions - - }	22	23	24	22	23

* Including articles imported by parcel post, and also certain other articles not comprised in any of the foregoing groups.