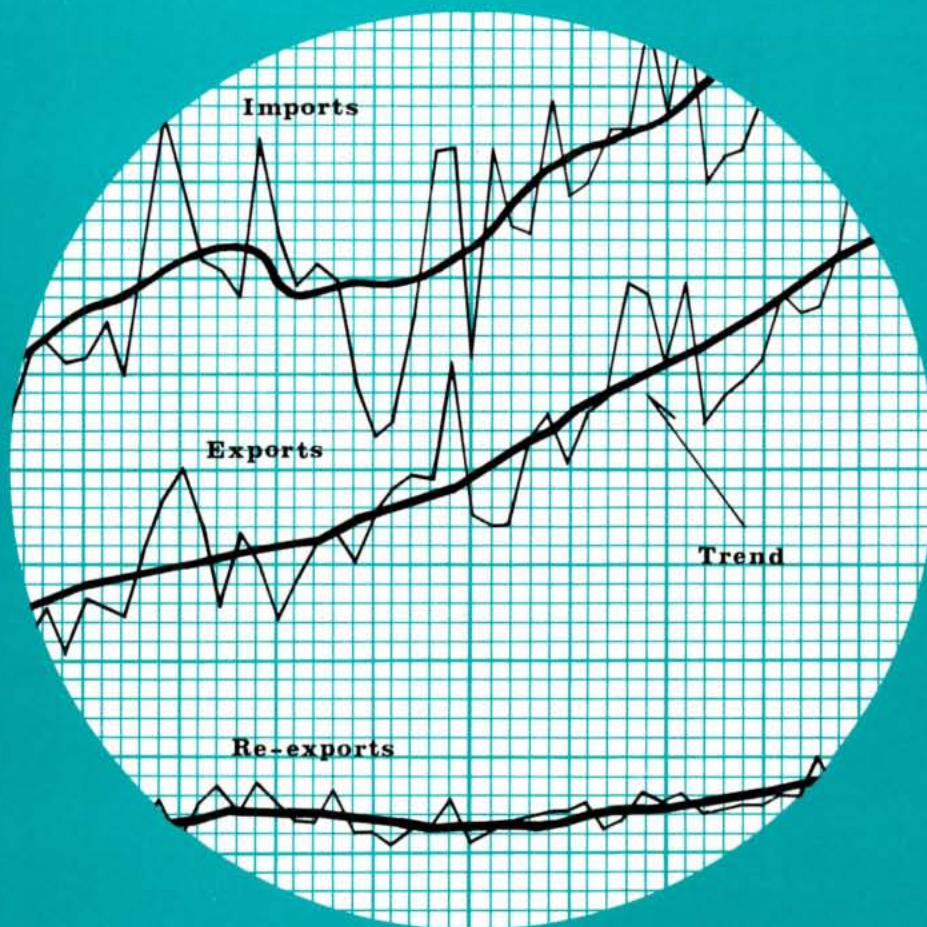


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and after 20th December 1971 is
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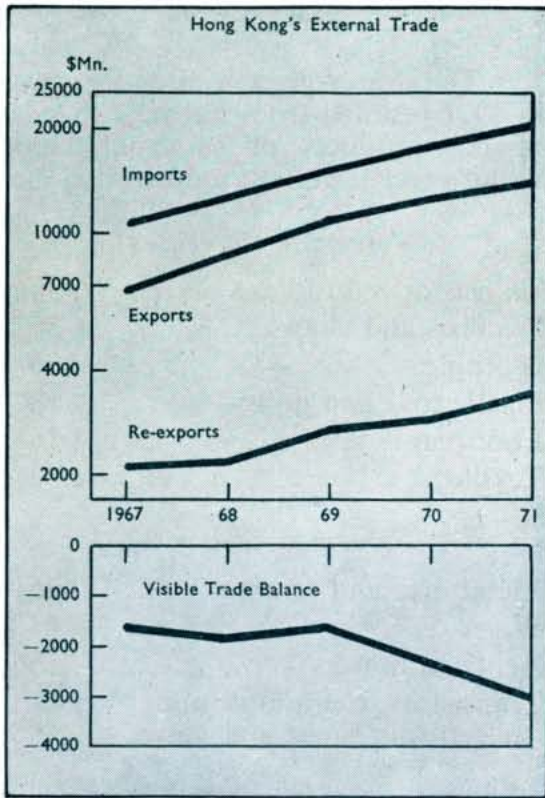
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GENERAL REVIEW



Graph 1

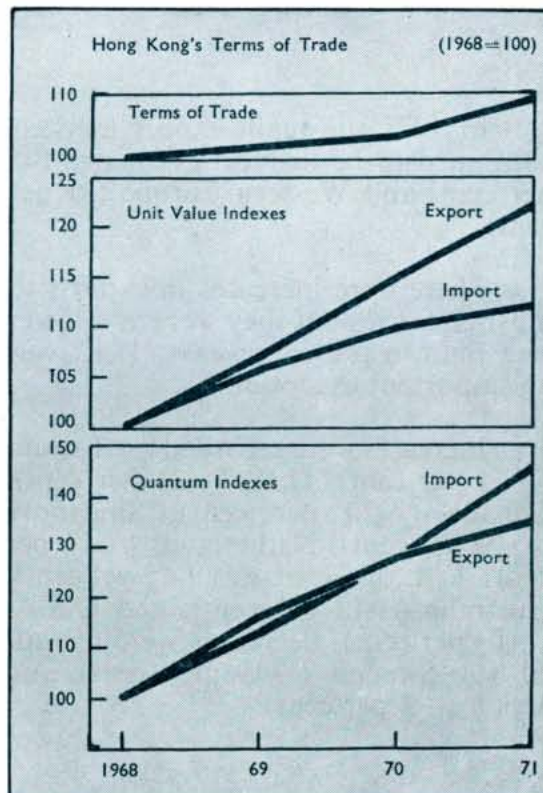
Overseas trade expanded less rapidly in 1971 compared with previous years.

	1971	1970	1969
Total trade ...	+14%	+17%	+22%
Exports ...	+11%	+17%	+25%
Imports ...	+15%	+18%	+19%
Re-exports ...	+18%	+ 8%	+25%

The visible trade gap widened but was more than offset by invisible earnings.

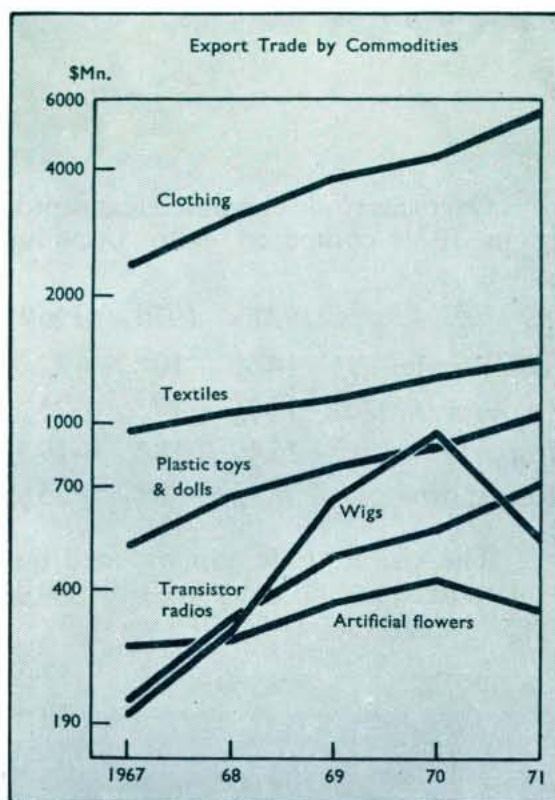
Terms of trade moved slightly in Hong Kong's favour in 1971.

The increase in the total value of exports and imports was attributable more to increased volume (quantum index) than to increased prices (unit value index).



Graph 2

DOMESTIC EXPORTS



Graph 3

The slower growth rate of exports in 1971 resulted from setbacks to sales of the products of some of Hong Kong's recent growth industries.

Percentage increases

Transistorized radios	...	+30%
Watches and clocks	...	+30%
Clothing	...	+26%
Plastic toys and dolls	...	+18%
Footwear	...	+16%
Textiles	...	+9%

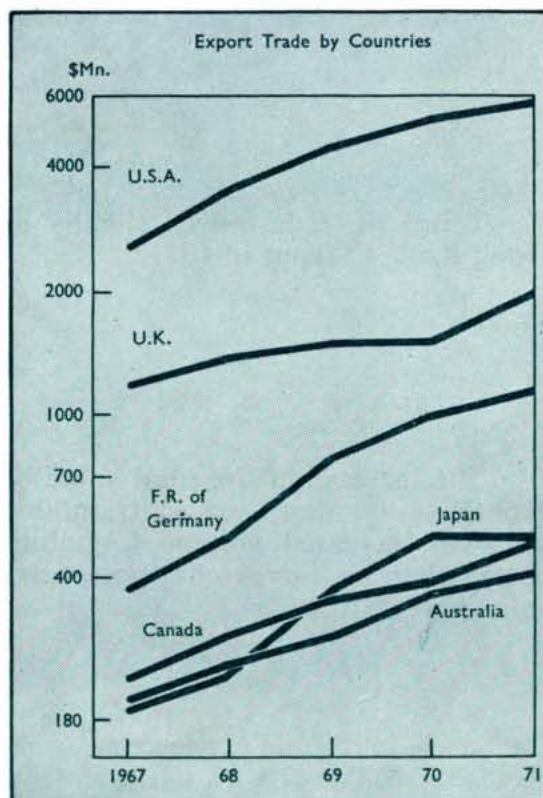
Percentage decreases

Metal ores and scrap	...	-45%
Wigs	...	-44%
Artificial flowers	...	-15%
Transistors, thermionic and electronic tubes and valves	...	-13%

In 1971 the main export markets continued to be in North America (45 per cent) and Western Europe (31 per cent).

There were increases in exports to most countries but they were at a lower rate than in previous years; U.K. was an important exception.

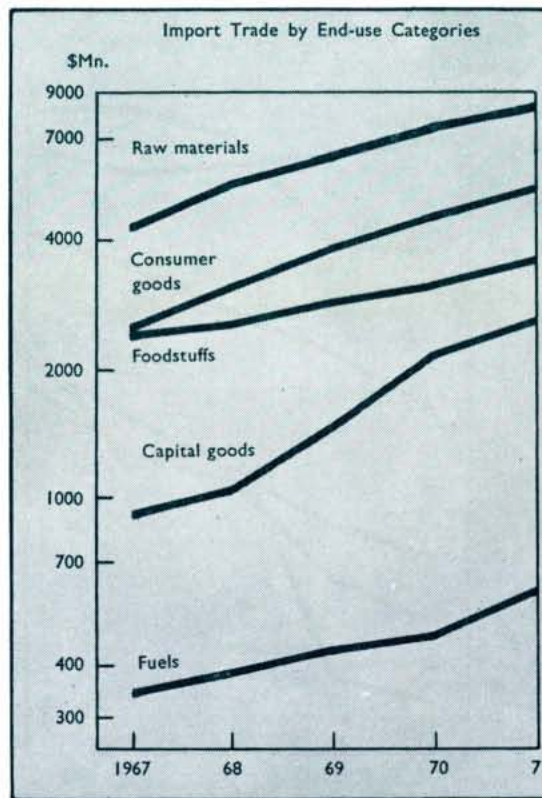
Increases were recorded for Taiwan (+44 per cent), U.K. (+31 per cent), Canada (+24 per cent), Singapore (+19 per cent), Netherlands (+16 per cent), F.R. of Germany (+15 per cent), Australia (+12 per cent), and U.S.A. (+10 per cent); decreases were recorded for Sweden (-19 per cent) and Japan (-2 per cent).



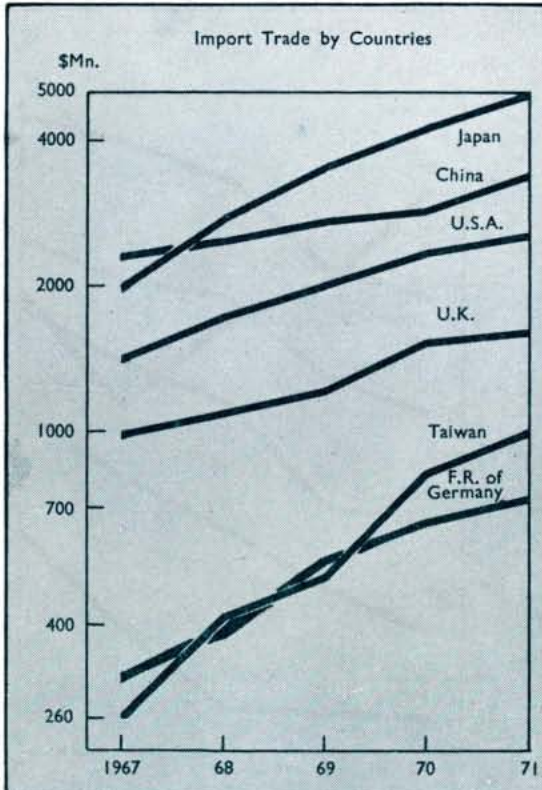
Graph 4

IMPORTS

Imports in 1971 consisted of 41 per cent raw materials and semi-manufactures, 26 per cent consumer goods, 18 per cent foodstuffs, 13 per cent capital goods and 3 per cent fuels. All categories continued to show increases but the rate of growth was more marked in fuels (+27 per cent) than capital goods (+20 per cent), consumer goods (+16 per cent), foodstuffs (+14 per cent), and raw materials and semi-manufactures (+13 per cent).



Graph 5



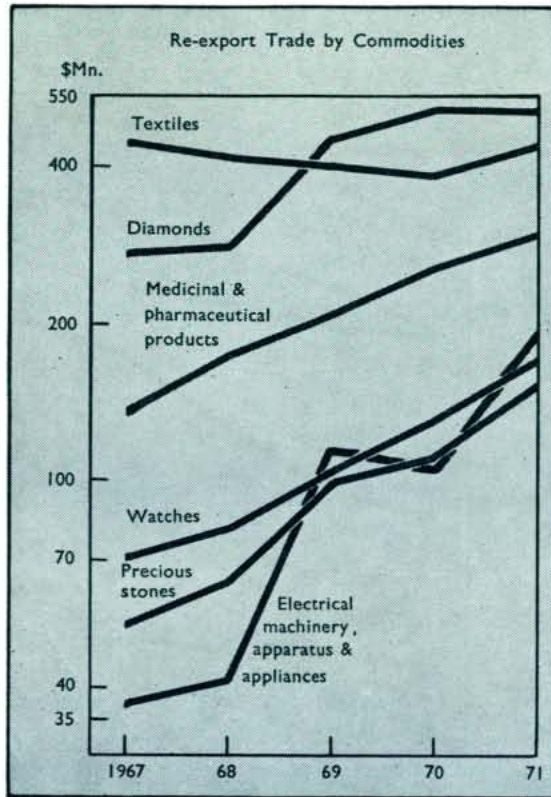
Graph 6

Asia (57 per cent), Western Europe (21 per cent) and North America (13 per cent) continued as principal sources of imports.

The most important countries were Japan (24 per cent), China (16 per cent), U.S.A. (13 per cent) and U.K. (8 per cent).

In terms of percentage increases the largest were from Pakistan (+64 per cent), Singapore (+50 per cent), and Australia (+42 per cent).

RE-EXPORTS

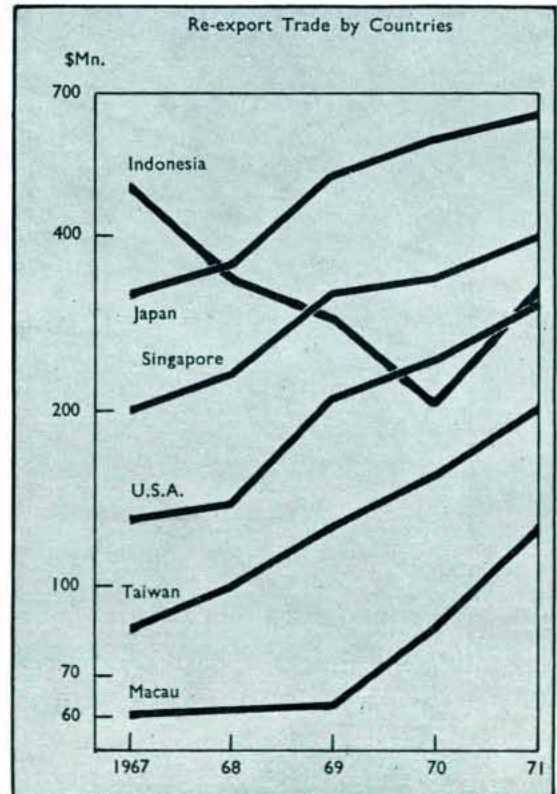


Graph 7

The re-export trade accounted for 20 per cent of Hong Kong's total exports in 1971. Significant increases were recorded in electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances (+80 per cent), textile made-ups (+46 per cent), watches (+30 per cent), precious stones (+28 per cent), crude animal and vegetable materials (+28 per cent), fruit and vegetables (+24 per cent), and medicinal and pharmaceutical products (+18 per cent) but re-exports of textile fabrics and diamonds fell by 6 and 1 per cent respectively.

Asian countries took 65 per cent of Hong Kong's re-exports in 1971 while U.S.A., Switzerland, Belgium, Australia, U.S. Oceania, U.K. and Nigeria together took 23 per cent.

Re-exports increased considerably to Indonesia (+54 per cent), Macau (+45 per cent), U.S. Oceania (+35 per cent), and continued at a high level to Taiwan (+30 per cent), Australia (+28 per cent), U.S.A. (+24 per cent), Singapore (+18 per cent), Japan (+10 per cent), and Belgium (+4 per cent) but fell to Switzerland (-2 per cent).



Graph 8

HONG KONG'S GROWTH INDICATORS

Series	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	% change			
							68/67	69/68	70/69	71/70
I. Population										
Estimated mid-year population*	'000	3,723	3,803	3,864	3,959	4,045	2.1	1.6	2.5	2.2
Birth rate per thousand population		23.7	21.7	21.4	20.0	19.7	-8.4	-1.4	-6.5	-1.5
Death rate per thousand population		5.4	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.0	-5.6	-2.0	2.0	-2.0
II. Industrial Establishments/Employment/Wages†										
Number of establishments:										
All industries	No.	11,232	12,279	14,754	17,239	19,402	9.3	20.2	16.8	11.3
All manufacturing industries	"	10,625	11,667	14,078	16,507	18,612	9.8	20.7	17.3	12.8
Textile manufacturing industries	"	1,540	1,750	2,197	2,540	2,924	13.6	25.5	15.6	15.1
Wearing apparel, except footwear	"	1,344	1,523	1,960	2,299	2,929	13.3	28.7	17.3	27.4
Number of employees:										
All industries	"	443,972	506,753	561,563	589,505	605,367	14.1	10.8	5.0	2.7
All manufacturing industries	"	413,356	472,412	524,371	549,178	564,370	14.3	11.0	4.7	2.8
Textile manufacturing industries	"	106,781	118,770	123,563	127,466	126,502	11.2	4.0	3.2	-0.8
Wearing apparel, except footwear	"	75,492	89,516	100,337	110,974	131,435	18.6	12.1	10.6	18.4
Index of real average daily wages for industrial workers:										
Excluding fringe benefits	March 1964=100 March	116	115	121	132	145	-0.9	5.2	9.1	9.8
Including fringe benefits	"	115	115	120	131	143	0.0	4.3	9.2	9.2
III. Production										
Textiles:										
Cotton yarn	'000 lb.	302,631	325,219	317,761	327,439	307,637	7.5	-2.3	3.0	-6.0
Other yarn	"	30,180	40,245	53,442	70,690	79,868	33.3	32.8	32.3	13.0
Cotton piece goods	'000 sq. yd.	733,011	790,204	765,126	771,479	774,336	7.8	-3.2	0.8	0.4
Other piece goods	"	35,100	63,385	81,005	86,213	105,066	80.6	27.8	6.4	21.9
Cement	'000 metric tons	215	375	378	430	512	74.4	0.8	13.6	19.1
Electricity	Mn. Kw. Hrs.	3,023	3,449	3,962	4,451	4,891	14.1	14.9	12.3	9.9
Gas	'000 therms	6,786	7,252	7,913	9,078	9,813	6.9	9.1	14.7	8.1

HONG KONG'S GROWTH INDICATORS—Contd.

Series	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	% change			
							68/67	69/68	70/69	71/70
IV. External Trade										
Domestic exports	\$ mn.	6,700	8,428	10,518	12,347	13,750	25.8	24.8	17.4	11.4
Imports	"	10,449	12,472	14,893	17,607	20,256	19.4	19.4	18.2	15.0
Re-exports	"	2,081	2,142	2,679	2,892	3,414	2.9	25.1	7.9	18.1
Unit value (price) index:										
Imports	1968=100	—	100	106	110	112	—	6.0	3.8	1.8
Exports	"	—	100	107	115	122	—	7.0	7.5	6.1
Quantum (volume) index:										
Imports	1968=100	—	100	113	128	145	—	13.0	13.3	13.3
Exports	"	—	100	116	128	133	—	16.0	10.3	3.9
V. Prices (monthly average)										
General consumer price index	Sept. 63/Aug. 64=100	111	114	118	127	131	2.7	3.5	7.6	3.1
Modified consumer price index	"	113	116	120	130	134	2.7	3.4	8.3	3.1
VI. Commercial Cargo Movement										
Incoming cargoes:										
By sea	'000 long tons	8,443.6	8,874.7	9,657.3	10,461.2	11,470.0	5.1	8.8	8.3	9.6
By air	"	5.8	8.5	13.7	16.5	23.5	45.4	62.2	20.0	42.5
By land	"	632.6	839.6	919.4	893.5	1,059.4	32.8	9.5	-2.8	18.6
Outgoing cargoes:										
By sea	"	2,571.1	2,595.6	2,951.9	2,963.9	3,154.2	1.0	13.7	0.4	6.4
By air	"	20.3	27.5	36.5	43.8	50.8	35.9	32.5	19.9	16.1
By land	"	2.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.5	-53.6	-3.1	11.7	36.1
VII. Tourism										
Incoming tourists	No.	527,365	618,410	765,213	927,256	907,295	17.3	23.7	21.2	-2.2

HONG KONG'S GROWTH INDICATORS—Contd.

Series	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	% change			
							68/67	69/68	70/69	71/70
VIII. Private Consumption										
Vegetables marketed	Metric tons	96,838	96,471	92,933	79,618	83,223	-0.4	-3.7	-14.4	4.5
Fish marketed	"	57,796	70,755	76,277	77,374	74,730	22.4	7.8	1.4	-3.4
Animals slaughtered	'000 "	1,923	2,084	2,032	2,075	2,541	8.4	-2.5	2.1	22.5
Private cars registered†	No.	60,949	69,062	80,209	92,884	105,874	13.3	16.1	15.8	14.0
IX. Capital Formation										
Plant, machinery and equipment	\$ mn.	781	868	1,239	1,837	1,983	11.1	42.7	48.3	7.9
Cost of new private buildings	"	911	586	379	547	805	-35.7	-35.3	44.3	47.2
Residential buildings completed	"	551	322	139	292	338	-41.6	-56.8	110.1	15.8
Non-residential buildings completed	"	360	265	240	255	467	-26.4	-9.4	6.3	83.1
Site work	"	51	23	34	27	37	-54.9	47.8	-20.6	37.0
X. Public Finance (Financial year ending 31st March of each year)										
Government revenue	\$ mn.	1,818	1,900	2,081	2,481	3,071	4.5	9.6	19.2	23.8
Government expenditure	"	1,806	1,766	1,873	2,032	2,452	-2.2	6.1	8.5	20.7
XI. Money and Banking†										
Bank deposits	\$ mn.	8,162	10,367	12,297	14,955	18,785	27.0	18.6	21.6	25.6
Demand	"	2,658	3,144	3,714	4,326	5,317	18.3	18.1	16.5	22.9
Time	"	3,324	4,432	5,216	6,407	7,395	33.3	17.7	22.8	15.4
Savings	"	2,180	2,791	3,367	4,222	6,074	28.0	20.6	25.4	43.9
Bank loans and advances	"	5,343‡	6,038	7,884	9,670	11,836	13.0	30.6	22.7	22.4
Currency in circulation	"	2,308	2,131	2,261	2,578	2,932	-7.7	6.1	14.0	13.7
Value of bank cheques cleared	"	58,537	73,967	96,330	123,136	154,493	26.4	30.2	27.8	25.5

* revised estimates based on results of 1971 Census.

† figures as at end of the period.

‡ figures refer to loans and advances to commerce and industry only.

APPENDIX 2

IMPORT AND EXPORT UNIT VALUE AND QUANTUM INDEXES

Base Year 1968=100

Commodities	Value Indexes			Unit Value Indexes			Quantum Indexes		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
All Exports	125	146	163	107	115	122	116	128	133
Clothing (exclude fur)	127	144	182	108	114	121	118	126	150
Cotton clothing	108	104	139	111	121	132	97	86	106
Woollen clothing	134	131	120	104	105	103	129	126	116
Man-made fibre clothing	151	215	299	105	113	119	144	190	250
Other clothing	131	171	227	109	106	115	120	161	197
Textile fabrics	109	124	133	104	105	115	105	118	116
Woven cotton fabrics	105	118	120	104	106	116	101	112	103
Woven non-cotton fabrics	146	194	277	100	96	103	146	201	270
Other fabrics	119	109	120	104	92	103	114	118	117
Textile yarn and thread	130	160	179	106	108	112	123	149	159
Textile made-ups and related articles	99	105	122	102	101	111	97	104	110
Transistorized radios	144	167	217	110	121	133	131	138	163
Electronic components	161	270	316	81	88	91	200	308	348
Footwear	109	111	129	109	119	129	100	93	100
Metal manufactures	117	137	124	107	123	124	109	111	100
Metal ores and scrap	118	189	104	112	141	111	106	134	94
Watches and clocks	158	197	255	96	108	105	165	183	243
Others	125	150	148	110	118	127	114	127	116
All Imports	119	141	162	106	110	112	113	128	145
Foodstuffs	113	122	140	105	111	114	107	110	123
Rice	101	88	80	92	79	68	110	111	118
Fruit	111	136	153	102	109	119	108	124	129
Vegetables	107	127	145	102	124	131	105	103	110
Meat and meat preparations	113	135	144	113	110	108	100	122	134
Milk, butter, cheese and eggs	118	123	143	114	110	114	104	112	126
Fish and fish preparations	109	134	162	114	136	139	95	98	117
Wheat and flour	79	79	86	98	96	99	81	83	87
Sugar	100	102	158	113	148	184	89	69	86
Tea and coffee	218	183	138	100	103	109	218	178	127
Soya bean oil, peanut oil and lard	89	114	125	102	116	123	87	98	102
Others	120	129	164	113	132	137	106	98	119
Consumer Goods	124	151	176	108	109	109	115	138	161
Clothing	113	135	177	108	112	126	105	121	141
Textile made-ups	108	145	175	96	101	113	113	144	155
Footwear	101	99	114	92	99	103	109	99	111
Domestic electrical equipment	131	172	167	103	107	113	127	161	148
Radio, television, gramophones, records and tape recorders	111	127	133	103	116	112	108	109	119
Tobacco manufactures	114	138	171	106	107	116	108	129	148
Alcoholic beverages	123	162	246	108	112	125	113	145	196
Passenger motor cars	149	191	207	106	108	116	141	176	179
Soaps, cleansing and polishing preparations	100	116	128	103	109	110	97	107	116
Others	129	156	180	111	110	104	116	142	174
Raw Materials	116	134	151	105	108	108	111	124	140
Raw cotton	75	84	94	102	101	113	74	83	83
Cotton yarn and thread	115	106	162	106	113	115	108	94	141
Woven cotton fabrics	90	97	117	105	108	111	85	90	105
Wool and other animal hair	98	107	69	107	101	87	91	106	79
Yarn of wool and mixtures	115	116	95	98	92	86	117	126	110
Fabrics of wool and mixtures	101	109	87	107	102	109	95	106	80
Man-made fibres	164	173	207	94	87	74	174	199	279
Yarn of man-made fibres	142	158	235	100	94	88	141	168	267
Fabrics of man-made fibres	143	163	191	104	103	99	137	158	194
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	114	143	158	109	123	122	105	116	129
Plastic moulding materials	119	135	146	102	106	103	117	128	142
Chemical elements and compounds	101	115	120	95	100	102	107	115	117
Iron and steel	139	204	194	108	130	119	128	157	163
Base metals, exclude iron and steel	107	132	128	110	121	110	97	109	117
Paper and paperboard	112	137	153	103	110	113	108	124	136
Others	130	155	180	109	119	119	120	130	151
Fuels	113	121	155	95	97	112	118	125	138
Others	141	201	240	107	127	139	132	158	172

EXPORTS, IMPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS BY COMMODITIES

(HK\$ million)

Section and Division	Exports			Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
<i>Section 0: Food</i>									
Live animals	1	*	*	460	495	639	3	3	3
Meat and meat preparations ...	1	1	1	284	339	363	4	6	8
Dairy products and eggs	*	*	*	238	250	290	9	12	12
Fish and fish preparations	104	89	121	273	336	406	34	23	27
Cereals and cereal preparations ...	28	21	22	598	556	546	26	22	19
Fruit and vegetables	24	24	24	554	671	760	95	99	123
Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	16	17	22	96	102	132	22	12	21
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices ...	1	1	3	176	157	152	103	121	114
Feeding stuff for animals	2	3	3	42	60	81	3	3	3
Miscellaneous food preparations ...	31	37	41	84	85	104	7	6	6
	209	194	239	2,804	3,051	3,474	308	306	335
<i>Section 1: Beverages and tobacco</i>									
Beverages	3	4	4	120	157	237	10	12	19
Tobacco and tobacco manufactures...	35	45	45	151	171	205	8	14	15
	39	49	49	270	329	443	18	26	34
<i>Section 2: Crude materials inedible, except fuels</i>									
Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	3	3	2	21	30	16	4	4	4
Oil seeds and oil nuts	—	—	—	36	47	39	16	16	12
Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	—	—	38	29	28	2	*	1
Wood, lumber and cork	15	15	9	72	82	108	8	9	12
Pulp and waste paper... ..	15	20	19	*	*	*	*	*	*
Textile fibres and their waste ...	12	12	14	718	796	829	12	11	19
Crude fertilizers and crude minerals...	2	2	2	26	31	54	4	5	5
Ores and metal scrap	95	151	84	37	64	63	9	4	3
Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	31	30	32	222	249	322	102	121	154
	174	233	162	1,169	1,328	1,458	157	170	209
<i>Section 3: Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</i>									
Coals, coke and briquettes	—	—	—	6	5	6	*	*	*
Petroleum and petroleum products ...	—	—	—	464	498	626	40	41	45
Gas, natural and manufactured	—	—	—	11	13	20	1	1	1
Electric energy... ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	480	515	653	41	42	46
<i>Section 4: Animal and vegetable oils and fats</i>									
Animal oils and fats	*	1	*	1	2	3	*	*	*
Fixed vegetable oils and fats	4	4	4	84	97	114	7	9	9
Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed, and waxes of animal or vegetable origin	*	—	*	1	1	1	*	*	*
	4	4	4	86	100	119	8	9	9
<i>Section 5: Chemicals</i>									
Chemical elements and compounds...	4	4	5	207	234	244	38	48	50
Mineral tar and crude chemicals from coal, petroleum and natural gas	—	—	—	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	24	26	29	159	198	219	59	67	93
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	33	33	37	238	316	319	210	253	299

APPENDIX 3—Contd.

EXPORTS, IMPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS BY COMMODITIES—Contd.

(HK\$ million)

Section and Division	Exports			Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
<i>Section 5:—Contd.</i>									
Essential oils and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	21	27	37	126	138	153	26	34	34
Fertilizers, manufactured	—	—	—	4	4	5	—	*	*
Explosives and pyrotechnic products	—	—	—	27	35	42	35	41	39
Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins ...	17	12	13	371	422	454	23	18	28
Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	3	2	2	65	76	80	29	31	28
	101	104	123	1,196	1,423	1,517	420	493	571
<i>Section 6: Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials</i>									
Leather, leather manufactures n.e.s. and dressed fur skins	6	6	8	59	85	104	4	4	5
Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	4	4	5	47	48	63	7	5	8
Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	18	19	21	55	67	89	6	4	5
Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	14	17	21	356	439	498	29	29	39
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products ...	1,126	1,277	1,398	2,556	3,012	3,450	403	387	441
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	91	96	115	1,162	1,235	1,437	608	705	757
Iron and steel	46	53	18	316	464	442	17	17	17
Non-ferrous metals	27	28	25	218	270	286	27	23	15
Manufactures of metals, n.e.s. ...	292	345	345	144	204	259	23	23	41
	1,624	1,846	1,955	4,912	5,825	6,628	1,122	1,196	1,330
<i>Section 7: Machinery and transport equipment</i>									
Machinery other than electric ...	61	93	86	648	969	1,225	98	138	146
Electric machinery, apparatus and appliances	1,058	1,293	1,541	1,310	1,508	1,744	114	106	191
Transport equipment	54	69	58	280	419	498	27	32	42
	1,174	1,455	1,684	2,238	2,897	3,467	239	277	379
<i>Section 8: Miscellaneous manufactured articles</i>									
Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings ...	157	175	187	33	44	63	3	4	6
Furniture	70	87	84	30	39	60	4	4	6
Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	143	175	228	24	31	33	2	2	2
Clothing	3,828	4,337	5,464	231	278	364	47	53	72
Footwear	295	302	351	54	53	61	9	5	6
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks...	183	216	273	716	876	984	148	190	271
Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	2,495	3,142	2,902	623	791	886	140	101	118
	7,172	8,434	9,490	1,711	2,111	2,450	353	358	481
<i>Section 9: Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind and transactions in gold and coin</i>									
Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind ...	21	28	44	26	29	48	14	14	20
Transactions in gold and current coin	—	—	*	448	307	373	184	192	249
	21	28	44	474	336	421	198	207	269
Total merchandise	10,518	12,347	13,750	14,893	17,607	20,256	2,679	2,892	3,414
Grand total	10,518	12,347	13,750	15,341	17,913	20,629	2,863	3,084	3,663

* Less than HK\$0.5 million.

APPENDIX 4

EXPORTS, IMPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES

(HK\$ million)

Country	Exports			Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES...	2,864	3,149	3,801	2,544	3,128	3,773	673	765	854
EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY	1,093	1,419	1,624	1,312	1,614	1,793	150	153	169
EUROPEAN FREE TRADE ASSOCIATION	1,958	2,081	2,515	1,746	2,195	2,320	124	190	170
SCHEDULED TERRITORIES (STERLING AREA)	2,803	3,118	3,698	2,631	3,207	3,853	687	783	869
U.S. DOLLAR COUNTRIES	4,665	5,452	5,997	2,104	2,433	2,693	339	403	490
<i>North America</i>									
United States of America	4,428	5,190	5,708	2,002	2,317	2,535	209	244	303
Canada... ..	352	389	484	103	123	129	24	27	36
	4,781	5,580	6,192	2,106	2,440	2,664	233	271	339
<i>Western Europe</i>									
Finland... ..	15	23	17	11	13	17	*	*	*
Sweden... ..	208	242	195	43	53	59	9	7	5
Norway... ..	60	77	75	14	15	16	4	7	3
Denmark... ..	88	110	107	49	64	76	2	2	2
Switzerland... ..	98	118	132	412	513	541	37	100	98
Portugal... ..	7	7	7	9	8	12	*	*	*
Austria... ..	32	44	53	18	24	23	*	*	*
Federal Republic of Germany... ..	765	985	1,128	544	657	732	23	30	35
Netherlands... ..	166	216	250	162	237	264	12	15	19
Belgium... ..	44	64	72	263	256	276	103	91	95
France... ..	47	49	72	173	205	288	9	12	15
Italy... ..	71	105	102	170	260	233	4	4	6
Spain... ..	15	17	20	11	18	22	2	2	2
Yugoslavia... ..	2	4	3	7	2	2	*	*	*
Greece... ..	8	10	12	*	*	*	1	3	5
Turkey... ..	1	*	2	5	4	6	*	*	*
Iceland... ..	1	2	3	—	—	*	*	*	*
Irish Republic... ..	10	9	11	1	3	2	*	*	*
Gibraltar... ..	7	4	4	—	—	—	*	*	*
Malta... ..	6	7	5	—	*	*	*	*	*
United Kingdom... ..	1,465	1,481	1,946	1,201	1,517	1,593	72	75	61
	3,116	3,576	4,216	3,093	3,849	4,162	279	348	348
<i>Soviet Union and Eastern Europe</i>									
U.S.S.R.	3	5	3	24	37	75	—	*	*
Bulgaria... ..	*	*	*	*	*	—	*	*	*
Czechoslovakia... ..	*	*	*	20	23	23	*	*	*
East Germany... ..	*	—	*	10	8	9	—	—	—
Hungary... ..	5	*	*	2	3	4	*	*	*
Poland... ..	*	*	*	5	14	10	*	*	*
Rumania... ..	*	*	*	*	*	—	—	*	*
	8	6	4	61	85	121	*	*	*

APPENDIX 4—Contd.

EXPORTS, IMPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Contd.

(HK\$ million)

Country	Exports			Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
<i>Central and South America</i>									
Argentina	8	11	8	11	33	9	3	3	2
Bolivia	2	2	2	—	—	—	2	1	*
Brazil	5	10	17	183	184	104	4	7	9
Chile	2	4	5	*	*	*	*	*	*
Colombia	*	1	*	3	11	9	*	*	*
Costa Rica	2	3	3	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cuba	*	1	1	*	*	14	*	*	*
Dominican Republic	5	6	8	*	*	*	1	3	3
Ecuador	4	2	2	*	*	*	*	*	*
El Salvador	2	2	3	*	*	*	*	*	*
French and Netherlands West Indies	18	25	25	3	4	4	9	11	11
Guatemala	4	3	4	7	6	4	*	*	*
Haiti	3	4	4	*	*	*	*	*	*
Honduras	2	2	2	—	—	*	*	*	*
Mexico	33	33	40	22	11	15	4	5	8
Nicaragua	1	2	2	7	8	9	*	*	*
Panama	42	59	54	*	1	3	22	21	18
Paraguay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Peru	6	7	12	2	4	*	2	2	10
Uruguay	*	*	*	40	42	29	*	*	*
Venezuela	41	50	51	2	2	3	6	8	10
Bahamas	4	3	2	*	2	*	*	*	*
Barbados	3	3	4	*	*	*	*	*	*
Guyana	9	6	7	*	*	*	*	*	*
British Honduras	4	4	5	—	—	—	*	*	*
Jamaica	18	21	21	*	*	*	1	2	2
Leeward Islands	2	1	1	—	—	—	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	16	12	15	*	*	*	2	2	3
Windward Islands	4	5	4	—	—	—	*	*	*
Commonwealth Countries in the Caribbean and Atlantic, n.e.s.	4	3	5	*	*	*	*	*	*
	242	288	308	285	310	205	58	68	78
<i>Middle East</i>									
Bahrain Islands	20	22	25	35	37	38	4	3	2
Iran	13	15	13	122	89	72	*	*	*
Iraq	*	1	*	—	*	—	*	—	*
Israel	8	7	10	156	154	197	50	57	59
Jordan	4	4	4	*	—	*	*	*	*
Kuwait	51	57	50	7	10	13	4	7	4
Lebanon	14	15	24	*	*	1	2	2	2
Muscat and Oman	1	1	1	—	—	—	*	*	*
Qatar	4	5	5	—	*	—	*	*	*
Saudi Arabia	27	34	37	72	130	161	1	1	2
Syria	3	1	4	8	—	—	*	*	*
Trucial States	24	30	39	3	4	3	8	11	14
Yemen	*	*	3	—	—	—	*	*	*
Southern Yemen (Aden)	24	26	19	*	*	*	4	4	3
Cyprus	6	6	5	*	1	*	*	*	*
	200	224	238	397	427	486	75	85	88
<i>Asia</i>									
Khmer Republic (Cambodia)	14	15	6	58	48	16	22	13	28
Taiwan	87	147	213	502	820	991	125	154	200
Indonesia	90	77	78	121	158	159	288	202	312
Laos	3	3	4	*	1	1	7	5	9
Macau	24	28	40	46	86	114	62	84	123
Philippines	41	32	45	57	71	93	62	65	74

EXPORTS, IMPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Contd.

(HK\$ million)

Country	Exports			Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
<i>Asia—Contd.</i>									
Republic of Korea	12	19	19	127	156	253	98	82	84
Republic of Vietnam	127	108	63	8	9	5	101	48	73
Thailand	91	87	77	350	324	359	64	60	69
Japan	335	492	484	3,484	4,188	4,926	503	584	644
Burma	30	38	19	44	37	42	6	17	18
China	7	30	19	2,700	2,830	3,330	30	34	43
North Korea	*	*	*	20	24	23	2	2	1
North Vietnam	*	6	2	11	16	29	2	1	1
Afghanistan	2	3	3	*	*	*	2	2	2
Nepal	*	1	*	*	1	1	*	2	3
Asia n.e.s.	—	—	—	—	—	—	*	—	—
Brunei	15	21	19	*	*	*	6	6	5
Ceylon	12	13	7	6	8	8	4	3	4
India	3	2	6	92	118	130	4	8	18
Malaysia (Malaya)	74	71	64	44	58	70	44	48	53
Malaysia (Sabah)	38	41	43	19	16	21	32	26	30
Malaysia (Sarawak)	8	9	7	22	33	32	7	7	6
Singapore	228	280	332	282	358	538	318	337	397
Pakistan	11	10	10	231	223	366	10	12	26
	1,274	1,533	1,561	8,227	9,584	11,508	1,798	1,804	2,222
<i>Africa</i>									
Algeria	*	1	*	*	—	—	6	*	*
Morocco	4	6	6	*	*	1	14	14	3
Tunisia	*	*	*	—	*	—	—	*	1
Libya	28	42	50	—	—	—	3	3	3
Egypt	*	*	*	*	2	2	*	*	*
Sudan	4	2	4	11	25	29	*	*	1
Ethiopia	7	9	6	*	*	2	*	*	*
French Somaliland	1	2	2	—	*	—	*	*	1
Somali Republic	2	1	4	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mozambique	8	9	9	2	4	3	3	2	2
Madagasy Republic	7	6	5	*	*	*	*	1	2
Mali	*	*	*	—	*	—	*	*	*
Mauritania	*	*	*	—	—	—	*	*	*
Senegal	3	3	3	*	*	*	*	*	*
Portuguese Guinea	*	*	*	—	—	—	*	*	*
Guinea	*	*	*	—	—	—	*	*	*
Liberia	10	8	10	—	*	*	*	*	1
Ivory Coast	14	12	8	*	*	*	*	*	*
Upper Volta	*	*	*	2	6	—	—	*	*
Togo	3	2	2	—	—	—	*	*	*
Dahomey	2	2	*	—	1	*	—	*	*
Niger	*	*	*	—	—	*	*	—	*
Chad	*	*	*	2	12	1	*	*	*
Central African Republic	1	*	*	3	6	*	*	*	*
Cameroon Republic	5	5	6	*	15	5	*	*	*
Spanish Guinea	*	*	*	—	—	*	—	*	*
Gabon	*	*	*	—	—	1	*	*	*
Congo Republic (Brazzaville)	2	3	2	—	*	*	*	*	*
Republic of Congo (Kinshasa)	19	26	35	2	2	*	*	1	5

APPENDIX 4—Contd.

EXPORTS, IMPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES—Contd.

(HK\$ million)

Country	Exports			Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
<i>Africa—Contd.</i>									
Angola	3	3	3	*	3	6	5	4	3
Republic of South Africa	112	142	155	143	147	152	11	12	18
Rwanda and Burundi... ..	1	3	2	—	—	*	*	*	*
Spanish W. Africa	20	18	24	*	*	*	7	6	7
Malawi... ..	5	6	6	*	*	2	*	*	*
Zambia... ..	29	54	24	*	*	2	2	4	2
Gambia	2	3	2	—	—	*	*	*	*
Botswana	—	—	*	*	1	7	—	—	*
Lesotho	*	*	*	—	—	—	—	—	*
Seychelles	2	2	2	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ghana	18	24	18	4	3	5	24	35	28
Kenya	24	38	33	10	21	16	3	3	3
Mauritius	7	10	10	*	*	*	2	2	2
Nigeria... ..	29	67	88	8	9	38	49	77	62
Southern Rhodesia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sierra Leone	13	12	13	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tanzania (Tanganyika)	19	17	12	71	101	98	5	2	*
Uganda... ..	6	5	10	51	57	26	*	*	*
Tanzania (Zanzibar)	*	*	*	7	7	30	*	*	*
Commonwealth Countries in Africa, n.e.s.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	412	543	562	320	425	428	140	173	153
<i>Australasia and Oceania</i>									
United States Oceania	45	51	57	2	4	8	31	52	71
Oceania, n.e.s.	14	20	19	*	*	*	3	4	4
Australia	286	359	402	357	430	611	50	65	83
British Solomon Islands	2	2	2	*	*	*	*	*	1
Cook Islands	*	*	*	—	—	—	*	*	*
Fiji	13	18	20	1	1	*	2	2	6
New Zealand	93	106	126	30	37	48	5	13	16
Pacific Islands	*	*	*	—	—	—	*	*	*
Papua and New Guinea	26	31	33	*	*	*	4	4	5
Tonga Islands and Western Samoa ...	1	2	2	*	*	*	*	*	*
	481	590	662	391	473	669	95	142	186
Postal Packages	5	6	6	14	14	13	—	—	—
	5	6	6	14	14	13	—	—	—
Total merchandise	10,518	12,347	13,750	14,893	17,607	20,256	2,679	2,892	3,414
Transactions in gold and current coin	—	—	*	448	307	373	184	192	249
Grand Total	10,518	12,347	13,750	15,341	17,913	20,629	2,863	3,084	3,663

* Less than HK\$1 million.

PRINCIPAL DIVISIONS OF TRADE WITH MAIN COUNTRIES

EXPORTS

(HK\$ million)

Countries and Principal Divisions	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
U.S.A.	2,504	3,486	4,428	5,190	5,708
Clothing	818	1,219	1,497	1,657	2,152
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	845	1,115	1,475	1,885	1,669
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	396	542	753	848	998
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	197	251	261	258	316
Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	31	54	59	77	104
Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.	40	58	83	105	96
United Kingdom	1,147	1,343	1,465	1,481	1,946
Clothing	471	567	644	639	955
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	257	273	272	258	363
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	174	219	285	266	231
Footwear	93	114	109	111	146
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	59	57	55	80	112
Federal Republic of Germany	371	500	765	985	1,128
Clothing	265	341	520	628	800
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	41	66	113	195	137
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	13	25	37	56	67
Footwear	20	31	40	35	46
Japan	189	232	355	492	484
Clothing	10	25	44	103	130
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	20	30	45	68	102
Fish and fish preparations	34	53	80	62	91
Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	54	53	62	82	34
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	13	19	32	40	21
Canada	222	285	352	389	484
Clothing	96	135	172	166	225
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	61	80	96	132	127
Australia	199	243	286	359	402
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	81	92	102	120	132
Clothing	35	46	54	70	93
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	45	57	71	98	89
Singapore	164	213	228	280	332
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	47	67	71	75	79
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	32	38	41	55	65
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	3	4	8	20	36
Netherlands	109	122	166	216	250
Clothing	59	59	92	120	154
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	18	19	26	40	33
Taiwan	47	65	87	147	213
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	9	11	17	47	76
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	6	14	24	38	61
Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	18	18	14	22	26

APPENDIX 5—Contd.

PRINCIPAL DIVISIONS OF TRADE WITH MAIN COUNTRIES—Contd.

EXPORTS

(HK\$ million)

Countries and Principal Divisions	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Sweden	139	152	208	242	195
Clothing	106	114	156	177	153
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	13	13	21	25	14
Republic of South Africa	66	85	112	142	155
Clothing	11	17	26	49	64
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	18	19	28	28	28
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	19	23	24	23	22
Switzerland and Liechtenstein	56	64	98	118	132
Clothing	36	32	50	53	61
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	6	9	15	21	22
New Zealand	74	89	93	106	126
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	63	72	79	86	106
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	4	4	5	7	7
Denmark	53	57	88	110	107
Clothing	33	37	56	69	78
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	8	8	12	16	9

IMPORTS

(HK\$ million)

Countries and Principal Divisions	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Japan	1,995	2,717	3,484	4,188	4,926
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	676	1,006	1,309	1,411	1,628
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	224	310	415	415	482
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	141	208	283	347	376
Machinery, other than electric	81	90	153	255	360
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	102	135	173	217	259
Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins	110	139	191	228	247
Iron and steel	96	93	132	224	241
Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	85	113	132	178	208
Transport equipment	20	23	52	110	157
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	57	66	88	118	125
China	2,282	2,429	2,700	2,830	3,330
Live animals	310	301	388	394	534
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	402	430	431	486	502
Fruit and vegetables	219	261	268	303	318
Fish and fish preparations	152	150	165	173	215
Meat and meat preparations	122	165	178	190	211
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	81	70	90	104	154
Clothing	68	87	99	130	153
Cereals and cereal preparations	136	167	147	140	144
Dairy products and eggs	97	103	117	128	144
Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	105	88	87	100	124
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	138	127	175	102	105

PRINCIPAL DIVISIONS OF TRADE WITH MAIN COUNTRIES—Contd.

IMPORTS

(HK\$ million)

Countries and Principal Divisions	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
U.S.A.	1,411	1,727	2,002	2,317	2,535
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	250	312	472	493	528
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	156	196	265	256	291
Machinery, other than electric	94	112	160	243	223
Textile fibres and their waste	106	217	96	52	173
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	38	48	19	151	168
Fruit and vegetables	91	81	108	152	157
Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	82	89	100	109	134
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	62	75	90	118	107
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	58	67	65	96	92
United Kingdom	984	1,083	1,201	1,517	1,593
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	179	153	154	230	253
Machinery, other than electric	113	123	87	162	232
Transport equipment	74	83	133	181	170
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	116	135	155	174	140
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	68	110	147	136	123
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	25	39	45	75	83
Taiwan	260	413	502	820	991
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	105	170	184	326	386
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	3	24	54	96	157
Fruit and vegetables	27	34	46	66	81
Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins	25	37	50	57	56
Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	16	21	26	31	36
Federal Republic of Germany	316	402	544	657	732
Machinery, other than electric	46	51	104	125	153
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	23	37	57	62	91
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	37	46	52	62	67
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	26	36	65	75	65
Transport equipment	15	32	40	56	62
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	25	30	35	45	45
Chemical elements and compounds	36	45	46	46	42
Australia	332	312	357	430	611
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	8	6	7	24	141
Cereals and cereal preparations	42	54	42	33	58
Non-ferrous metals	18	27	35	46	44
Dairy products and eggs	24	25	30	30	42
Textile fibres and their waste	54	60	65	71	30
Switzerland and Liechtenstein	247	266	412	513	541
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	166	179	271	311	347
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	19	18	28	34	44
Machinery, other than electric	15	14	39	32	35
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	4	5	5	40	29
Singapore	233	266	282	358	538
Petroleum and petroleum products	138	147	147	144	246
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	1	1	12	34	44

APPENDIX 5—Contd.

PRINCIPAL DIVISIONS OF TRADE WITH MAIN COUNTRIES—Contd.

IMPORTS

(HK\$ million)

Countries and Principal Divisions	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Pakistan	190	301	231	223	366
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	62	127	144	138	231
Textile fibres and their waste	124	171	81	80	130
Thailand	329	269	350	324	359
Cereals and cereal preparations	263	194	242	219	214
Live animals	28	21	19	25	29

RE-EXPORTS

(HK\$ million)

Countries and Principal Divisions	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Japan	315	352	503	584	644
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	111	120	183	209	278
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	54	75	87	122	117
Fruit and vegetables	15	15	20	22	39
Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	13	17	23	36	38
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	18	19	36	48	35
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	30	27	48	28	20
Singapore	200	231	318	337	397
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	47	50	69	78	94
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	4	4	17	22	51
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	18	42	64	61	50
Fruit and vegetables	23	31	41	44	46
Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	17	15	15	17	24
Indonesia	480	336	288	202	312
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	251	183	114	40	62
Machinery, other than electric	15	7	21	27	31
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	7	7	7	7	30
Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	21	12	17	16	23
Transport equipment	14	15	15	17	21
U.S.A.	129	137	209	244	303
Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	89	104	165	167	177
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	*	*	12	26	55
Explosives and pyrotechnic products	15	14	18	25	22
Taiwan	84	100	125	154	200
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	14	18	19	23	33
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	3	6	13	19	23
Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	14	13	12	17	20

* Less than HK\$0.5 million.

EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

(HK\$ million)

Commodity	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Clothing	2,317	3,014	3,828	4,337	5,464
Outerwear, other than knitted	771	1,010	1,339	1,434	1,803
Shorts, jeans, trousers, overalls, pinafores	337	460	553	589	848
Suits, jackets, uniforms and overcoats, men's and boys'	109	150	272	293	290
Blouses and jumpers, not embroidered	72	90	104	169	151
Children's outer garments	63	73	109	88	127
Outerwear, knitted	621	852	1,113	1,257	1,589
Jackets, jumpers and sweaters	484	612	745	761	863
Underwear and nightwear, other than knitted	452	543	644	714	871
Shirts	318	389	463	537	678
Underwear and nightwear, knitted	207	247	291	346	460
Shirts	119	141	174	197	251
Cotton underwear	62	71	67	75	92
Gloves and mittens	103	148	192	238	264
Clothing of impermeable materials	67	92	127	187	249
Clothing, n.e.s.	69	88	88	112	122
Brassieres	44	58	55	69	83
Headwear	11	15	18	24	32
Stocking and hose	11	12	15	20	73
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,453	1,880	2,495	3,142	2,902
Wigs	197	318	647	937	527
Plastic toys and dolls	504	666	771	872	1,031
Artificial flowers	288	308	366	416	354
Jewellery and goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares	82	109	132	184	217
Rattan articles (not furniture)	114	111	119	113	78
Plastic articles	31	41	54	88	111
Umbrellas, walking sticks and similar articles	33	38	51	68	76
Buttons and studs	8	8	11	15	18
Vacuum flasks and jugs, complete	11	11	11	10	10
Toys, not containing electric motors, not rubber and plastic materials	32	78	79	106	71
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	590	772	1,058	1,293	1,541
Transistor radios	210	329	472	549	712
Transistors and diodes	†	136	232	259	225
Parts of electrical machinery, office machinery, computers and electronic components	64	98	134	274	302
Torch batteries	23	30	29	28	27
Plugs, sockets, switches, etc.	16	20	23	25	26
Electric fans	21	18	21	23	20
Torch bulbs	9	9	9	11	10
Textiles	936	1,035	1,126	1,277	1,398
Textile yarn and thread	88	88	114	140	157
Cotton yarns	72	68	84	98	85
Textile fabrics	683	749	815	929	998
Cotton fabrics, woven	610	654	685	772	786
Textile fabrics, woven	51	63	91	121	173
Tulle, lace, embroidery, ribbons, trimmings and other small wares	6	9	17	17	17
Special textile fabrics & related products	18	23	21	18	21
Textile made-up articles & related products	164	199	198	208	243
Textile made-up articles	154	188	185	196	232
Floor coverings, tapestries, etc.	10	11	12	12	11
Footwear	219	271	295	302	351
Footwear, mainly of rubber	17	20	30	25	29
Footwear, mainly of plastic materials	69	88	91	113	160
Footwear, with textile uppers	119	148	155	143	140
Footwear, with leather uppers	12	14	17	18	17
Manufactures of metal	200	240	292	345	345
Locks, padlocks and keys thereof of base metal	25	35	38	45	54
Domestic utensils of iron or steel, not enamelled	14	21	28	37	41
Domestic utensils of iron or steel, enamelled	43	41	44	32	19
Domestic utensils of aluminium	19	25	27	32	37
Spoons and forks of stainless steel	14	14	20	26	16
Base metal fittings and clasps, hooks, etc.	15	16	17	23	29
Key, chains and parts, of iron or steel	9	10	11	16	17
Woodscrews of iron and steel	8	11	14	14	13

EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES—Contd.

(HK\$ million)

Commodity	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks ...	90	137	183	216	273
Watches and clocks ...	43	69	108	135	175
Photographic cameras ...	19	32	35	45	41
Binoculars and refracting telescopes ...	10	15	12	9	11
Cinematographic film, developed ...	7	9	13	10	17
Travel goods, handbags and similar articles ...	80	125	143	175	228
Handbags, wallets, purses and similar articles ...	53	87	103	124	164
Travel goods ...	27	38	41	51	64
Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings...	133	149	157	175	187
Electric torches ...	58	62	65	68	71
Lamps and lighting fittings and parts ...	13	17	21	33	42
Metal lanterns ...	35	40	43	46	43
Fish and fish preparations ...	54	75	104	89	121
Crustacea and molluscs, fresh or simply preserved ...	40	55	79	65	97
Fish, salted, dried or smoked ...	5	6	6	6	6
Non-metallic mineral manufactures ...	57	72	91	96	115
Pearls and precious stones ...	40	50	62	64	83
Glassware ...	7	9	13	17	20
Pottery ...	5	6	8	9	9
Non-electrical machinery ...	36	58	61	93	86
Non-electrical machinery & appliances and machine parts ...	24	39	40	46	48
Office machines ...	*	*	1	22	5
Textile and leather machinery ...	7	9	11	13	19
Metalliferous ores and metal scrap ...	72	80	95	151	84
Bronze scrap ...	23	30	36	47	21
Iron and steel scrap ...	24	22	25	67	41
Iron ore ...	8	8	8	7	7
Copper scrap ...	11	15	18	19	8
Furniture ...	58	60	70	87	84
Wood furniture ...	31	28	31	39	46
Furniture of vegetable plaiting materials and rattan ...	16	20	24	30	22
Transport equipment ...	43	48	54	69	58
Ships and boats ...	43	48	54	69	58
Tobacco and cigarettes ...	33	26	35	45	45
Cigarettes ...	30	25	35	44	44
Miscellaneous food preparations ...	23	26	31	37	41
Sauces ...	13	16	17	21	24
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products ...	24	25	33	33	37
Medicaments, n.e.s. of Chinese type ...	18	19	22	23	24
Crude animal and vegetable materials...	25	28	31	30	32
Rattan cane, core and peel ...	16	18	21	22	23
Feathers ...	7	8	7	5	8
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials ...	19	20	24	26	29
Paints, enamels and mastics ...	7	6	19	21	25
Lacquers and varnishes ...	3	3	4	4	3
Non-ferrous metals ...	15	22	27	28	25
Aluminium product ...	14	20	24	24	21
Fruit and vegetables ...	23	25	24	24	24
Preserved fruit ...	9	10	10	11	11
Vegetables ...	7	7	7	8	9
Preserved ginger ...	7	7	7	5	5
Cereals and cereal preparations ...	34	41	28	21	22
Macaroni, spaghetti and noodles, etc. ...	7	10	8	8	9
Biscuits ...	7	6	6	7	6
Sugar, sugar preparations and honey ...	10	16	16	17	22
Refined sugar... ...	5	10	11	9	17
Other sugar confectionery ...	5	6	5	7	5
Iron and steel ...	51	49	46	53	18
Iron and steel bars ...	43	44	39	47	12
Others ...	103	134	169	186	218
Total ...	6,700	8,428	10,518	12,347	13,750

† Not separately classified.

* Less than \$0.5 million.

MAIN MARKETS FOR EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

(HK\$ million)

Commodities and Countries	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Clothing ...	2,317	3,014	3,828	4,337	5,464
U.S.A. ...	818	1,219	1,497	1,657	2,152
United Kingdom ...	471	567	644	639	955
Fed. Rep. of Germany ...	265	341	520	628	800
Canada ...	96	135	172	165	225
Netherlands ...	59	59	92	120	154
Sweden ...	106	114	156	177	153
Japan ...	10	25	44	103	130
Australia ...	35	46	54	70	93
Denmark and Greenland ...	33	37	56	69	78
Rep. of South Africa ...	11	17	26	49	64
Switzerland ...	36	32	50	53	61
Norway ...	34	31	46	59	55
Rep. of Vietnam (South Vietnam) ...	15	17	81	76	38
Textile fabrics ...	683	749	815	929	998
United Kingdom ...	169	183	195	189	263
U.S.A. ...	155	190	194	189	236
Australia ...	71	81	90	102	105
New Zealand ...	48	58	59	63	80
Singapore ...	37	57	58	65	69
Taiwan ...	5	12	23	36	57
Malaya ...	10	12	17	14	13
Italy ...	3	1	4	21	12
Macau... ...	6	9	6	15	11
Burma ...	4	2	27	32	10
Canada ...	16	7	8	10	10
Rep. of South Africa ...	15	20	19	15	10
Japan ...	1	1	2	27	9
Textile made-up articles and related products ...	164	199	198	208	243
United Kingdom ...	66	71	54	48	75
U.S.A. ...	40	58	64	67	68
Fed. Rep. of Germany ...	6	5	9	11	15
Canada ...	8	13	10	10	11
Rep. of South Africa ...	2	3	5	7	11
Australia ...	4	5	6	9	7
Sweden ...	4	6	5	7	5
Textile yarn ...	88	88	114	140	157
United Kingdom ...	22	19	23	24	24
New Zealand ...	13	11	15	17	21
Australia ...	6	6	5	8	19
Nigeria ...	1	1	5	17	13
U.S.A. ...	2	3	2	2	12
Indonesia ...	10	12	4	5	10
Singapore ...	8	8	10	8	9
Macau... ...	2	4	7	8	9
Ghana ...	*	*	6	14	8
Wigs ...	197	318	647	937	527
U.S.A. ...	134	214	395	552	303
Fed. Rep. of Germany ...	9	17	44	116	52
United Kingdom ...	17	41	125	90	29
Canada ...	13	14	22	46	20
France ...	1	1	3	4	12
Australia ...	7	7	8	27	9
Plastic toys and dolls ...	504	666	771	872	1,031
U.S.A. ...	242	353	429	509	606
United Kingdom ...	102	117	98	99	120
Canada ...	25	36	39	45	60
Fed. Rep. of Germany ...	17	24	35	42	48
Australia ...	20	20	23	26	28
Japan ...	5	12	17	20	20
Netherlands ...	12	13	15	16	17
Italy ...	8	9	12	12	14
Rep. of South Africa ...	9	8	11	9	12
Belgium ...	6	7	8	11	11

APPENDIX 7—Contd.

MAIN MARKETS FOR EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES—Contd.

(HK\$ million)

Commodities and Countries	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Artificial flowers	288	308	366	416	354
U.S.A.	246	264	314	357	305
Japan	7	8	13	16	14
Canada	11	11	12	12	11
United Kingdom	9	9	7	7	5
Australia	4	4	5	6	4
Transistorized radios	210	329	472	549	712
U.S.A.	131	223	332	362	460
United Kingdom	33	24	25	37	68
Fed. Rep. of Germany	9	21	29	43	51
Canada	7	6	13	14	33
Italy	1	5	9	10	14
Panama	6	6	8	14	12
Venezuela	1	2	3	6	12
Netherlands	2	5	7	6	7
Transistors, thermionic and electronic tubes and valves ...	135	148	232	259	225
U.S.A.	117	123	191	200	170
Taiwan	6	3	5	7	17
Japan	10	18	27	34	14
Manufactures of metal (largely cutlery and household utensils)	200	240	292	345	345
U.S.A.	40	58	83	105	96
United Kingdom	32	35	37	53	61
Singapore	8	9	11	14	16
Canada	4	5	9	9	13
Fed. Rep. of Germany	2	2	3	6	8
Australia	3	5	6	7	8
Netherlands	4	7	6	9	7
Venezuela	6	6	7	9	7
South Africa	3	5	7	7	7
Japan	3	3	5	7	6
Footwear	219	271	295	302	351
United Kingdom	93	114	109	111	146
Fed. Rep. of Germany	20	31	40	35	46
U.S.A.	24	35	39	46	41
Australia	3	6	11	11	13
Canada	8	9	9	9	10
Netherlands	6	8	9	7	9
Sweden	5	5	5	7	7
Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings...	133	149	157	175	187
U.S.A.	30	36	39	47	50
Singapore	6	9	10	17	20
United Kingdom	14	19	15	16	20
Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	80	125	143	175	228
U.S.A.	31	54	59	77	104
Australia	5	8	9	12	18
Fed. Rep. of Germany	3	4	5	12	14
Japan	2	4	9	9	12
United Kingdom	7	8	8	8	11
Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	72	80	95	151	84
Japan	54	53	62	82	34
Taiwan	18	18	14	22	26
China	*	*	*	23	17
Watches and clocks	43	69	108	135	175
U.S.A.	13	18	27	30	40
Switzerland	4	7	8	13	21
Trucial States... ..	1	5	8	8	21
Singapore	3	5	7	8	9
Panama	3	7	9	11	8

* Less than HK\$0.5 million.

EXPORTS OF CLOTHING BY TYPES OF MATERIAL

(HK\$ million)

Importing countries	Cotton			Woollen			Man-made			Other/unclassified		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
U.S.A.	481.7	478.9	683.5	490.9	417.9	407.6	423.7	624.8	907.5	100.2	135.0	152.7
Canada	56.9	61.2	62.0	30.2	21.0	15.0	72.6	72.5	131.2	11.8	10.9	16.8
Finland	0.7	0.7	0.6	2.6	5.4	2.5	2.2	3.4	2.0	1.0	1.2	1.1
Sweden	47.4	51.2	40.4	24.7	18.8	8.1	69.4	86.0	83.3	14.3	21.0	21.0
Norway	12.8	14.8	13.3	8.1	7.7	4.3	20.3	31.8	31.6	4.9	5.2	6.2
Denmark	19.6	23.2	30.3	6.9	6.7	3.0	23.7	33.1	38.7	5.8	6.1	6.3
Switzerland	22.0	20.3	22.8	14.7	13.4	9.2	9.5	14.8	23.1	3.7	4.5	6.2
Austria	6.2	6.5	8.2	3.0	4.1	3.5	11.0	12.9	16.4	1.2	3.2	3.8
Germany F.R.	179.4	145.4	243.0	94.1	135.0	91.4	190.3	258.9	370.7	56.5	88.5	95.2
Netherlands	21.1	25.1	31.9	16.6	22.1	29.4	42.6	58.1	74.2	11.4	14.4	18.8
Belgium	2.2	2.3	6.8	1.9	2.9	4.6	5.1	9.4	10.3	5.7	7.9	7.9
Italy	5.4	6.7	4.9	1.2	1.4	2.1	1.0	2.0	3.7	1.4	2.5	2.2
United Kingdom	339.4	273.0	403.0	155.2	157.1	196.0	83.5	129.8	227.0	65.8	78.7	129.0
Fr. Neth. W. Ind.	3.3	5.1	4.0	0.4	0.5	0.3	3.5	5.2	5.7	0.9	1.1	1.4
Mexico	2.8	3.2	4.3	0.6	1.0	0.7	2.1	1.9	3.0	0.8	0.9	2.2
Panama	2.0	3.3	3.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	3.1	4.5	5.6	1.2	1.9	1.5
Bahrain Islands	5.3	4.2	4.5	0.1	0.1	0.2	6.0	9.5	11.4	1.4	0.8	1.4
Kuwait	10.7	10.3	8.3	3.1	2.2	2.2	14.6	28.1	18.0	2.6	2.0	1.7
Saudi Arabia	3.6	4.1	4.2	0.1	0.1	*	1.5	2.5	4.9	0.5	0.7	1.0
Trucial States	3.8	5.3	3.2	0.6	0.6	0.6	3.5	6.2	5.3	0.8	0.7	0.5
Republic of South Yemen	5.7	5.1	3.8	0.3	0.2	0.3	6.3	5.9	5.9	1.1	1.1	1.7
Republic of Vietnam	0.5	0.4	0.2	77.5	67.8	29.8	1.6	1.9	1.5	1.2	3.2	6.4
Thailand	0.7	1.5	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.5	3.5	3.9	4.0	1.0	1.3	1.2
Japan	6.3	17.0	18.8	25.8	54.2	32.0	5.5	19.9	19.3	6.5	11.6	59.8
Singapore	3.9	4.9	4.0	1.4	1.2	1.5	10.0	6.7	8.7	3.3	3.2	9.8
Libya	5.2	7.6	8.6	3.1	4.1	5.5	6.1	13.0	17.4	3.2	3.4	3.0
Rep. of Congo (Kinshasa)	1.2	2.3	3.4	*	*	*	2.4	5.5	10.8	1.0	1.8	1.9
Rep. of S. Africa	7.6	11.5	13.2	5.9	6.3	9.3	8.7	25.7	36.1	3.9	5.5	5.5
Zambia	3.5	4.1	1.2	0.3	1.2	0.8	10.7	16.8	3.0	1.5	2.4	2.1
Kenya	1.7	4.5	2.6	0.4	1.3	0.7	4.5	12.4	8.9	1.6	2.5	2.1
Nigeria	1.0	4.3	8.4	*	*	0.2	0.4	1.0	17.6	3.6	7.5	4.7
Tanzania (Tanganyika)	2.2	1.6	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.2	5.8	5.1	2.4	1.0	1.0	1.3
U.S. Oceania	1.7	1.2	2.0	11.0	7.1	6.0	2.5	3.3	4.9	1.3	2.2	3.6
Oceania n.e.s.	3.5	5.0	4.6	*	0.1	0.2	1.3	2.6	2.6	0.3	0.3	0.3
Australia	16.1	20.2	22.1	13.6	15.2	20.7	15.7	23.2	34.7	8.9	11.3	15.3
Papua & New Guinea	10.6	11.7	11.5	0.1	*	*	1.3	1.4	2.2	0.3	0.4	0.4
Others	41.1	35.5	36.8	13.1	11.8	17.6	38.6	39.9	45.9	33.5	31.1	36.8
Total	1,338.8	1,283.2	1,724.4	1,008.4	989.5	906.2	1,114.1	1,583.6	2,199.5	365.1	477.0	632.8

* Less than \$0.05 million.

APPENDIX 9

EXPORTS OF CLOTHING BY METHODS OF MANUFACTURE

(HK\$ million)

Importing countries	Not knitted			Knitted			Other/unclassified		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
U.S.A.	768.5	914.4	1,100.4	657.5	636.2	920.5	70.5	106.1	130.4
Canada	103.9	99.9	119.9	60.6	59.1	96.3	7.1	6.4	8.8
Finland	0.9	1.6	1.6	4.8	8.1	3.7	0.8	1.0	0.8
Sweden	80.1	75.1	66.7	65.6	85.8	71.7	10.1	16.1	14.3
Norway	19.5	24.2	18.7	22.1	31.2	32.2	4.4	4.0	4.6
Denmark	33.4	36.9	47.2	18.3	27.9	26.4	4.3	4.4	4.7
Switzerland	23.1	21.2	25.2	23.6	27.5	30.3	3.2	4.3	5.8
Austria	7.2	8.1	10.9	13.0	15.6	17.8	1.2	3.0	3.2
Germany F.R.	325.6	311.2	463.7	155.9	262.0	282.6	38.8	54.6	54.1
Netherlands	49.1	56.7	64.2	34.9	55.2	80.0	7.7	7.9	10.1
Belgium	5.0	8.6	12.4	8.3	11.8	13.9	1.7	2.2	3.4
Italy	5.7	6.3	5.5	1.9	3.9	5.7	1.4	2.4	1.7
United Kingdom	329.5	302.3	476.5	256.5	263.5	356.0	58.0	72.8	122.5
Fr. Neth. W. Ind.	3.1	5.7	4.1	4.2	5.0	5.5	0.8	1.2	1.7
Mexico	2.8	3.2	4.1	2.8	2.8	4.0	0.6	1.0	2.1
Panama	3.1	4.9	4.5	2.0	2.7	3.8	1.5	2.4	2.1
Bahrain Islands	8.4	9.3	10.6	3.1	4.5	5.5	1.3	0.8	1.4
Kuwait	20.8	29.7	19.2	8.0	11.0	9.5	2.3	2.0	1.5
Saudi Arabia	3.5	4.8	6.5	1.7	1.9	2.6	0.5	0.8	1.1
Trucial States	5.2	7.3	5.2	2.7	4.9	4.0	0.7	0.7	0.5
Rep. of South Yemen	7.3	5.7	4.8	5.1	5.4	5.4	1.0	1.1	1.4
Rep. of Vietnam	78.0	70.0	31.4	1.8	0.5	0.3	1.0	2.8	6.1
Thailand	1.8	3.1	3.4	2.9	3.1	1.9	0.8	1.2	1.0
Japan	5.8	20.6	21.5	31.6	74.1	103.0	6.6	8.0	5.3
Singapore	6.0	4.0	4.2	8.7	6.5	10.3	3.9	5.5	9.6
Libya	8.5	13.2	14.7	7.3	13.2	17.3	1.8	1.7	2.6
Rep. of Congo (Kinshasa)	2.4	4.1	7.1	1.1	3.5	6.7	1.2	2.0	2.4
Rep. of S. Africa	10.3	21.0	28.8	11.5	21.9	29.4	4.4	6.2	5.8
Zambia	11.0	14.9	2.7	3.2	7.1	2.6	1.7	2.6	1.9
Kenya	3.1	11.8	8.5	3.3	6.1	3.5	1.8	2.8	2.2
Nigeria	0.1	0.8	16.2	0.8	1.8	8.8	4.2	10.2	5.9
Tanzania (Tanganyika)	4.2	4.7	2.3	4.2	2.0	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.3
U.S. Oceania	10.5	7.9	8.1	4.8	3.8	4.9	1.2	2.1	3.6
Oceania n.e.s.	3.1	4.8	4.3	1.7	2.8	3.1	0.3	0.4	0.4
Australia	18.6	25.2	33.1	28.5	34.8	46.2	7.2	9.9	13.6
Papua & New Guinea	10.6	11.3	11.7	1.3	1.7	1.9	0.4	0.5	0.5
Others	48.9	43.1	43.8	45.1	47.3	59.6	31.7	27.4	33.3
Total	2,028.6	2,197.6	2,713.7	1,510.4	1,756.2	2,277.6	287.2	379.6	471.7

EXPORTS OF CLOTHING BY KINDS OF WEAR

(HK\$ million)

Importing countries	Outerwear			Underwear/ Nightwear			Other/unclassified		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
U.S.A.	1,049.9	1,122.1	1,517.7	354.1	427.9	519.1	92.5	106.7	114.5
Canada	122.3	107.7	157.7	37.4	44.4	49.3	11.9	13.4	18.1
Finland	4.3	8.0	4.0	1.1	1.2	0.7	1.1	1.5	1.4
Sweden	95.0	111.7	96.9	43.1	41.5	33.9	17.6	23.8	21.9
Norway	32.2	42.0	38.8	9.3	12.1	11.3	4.5	5.2	5.3
Denmark	29.6	39.4	47.7	21.0	23.9	24.6	5.3	5.8	6.1
Switzerland	36.0	36.7	45.7	11.3	13.3	11.9	2.6	3.0	3.7
Austria	13.8	16.1	18.8	6.3	8.0	9.7	1.3	2.6	3.3
Germany F.R.	340.6	439.3	543.6	142.7	126.4	187.4	37.1	62.1	69.4
Netherlands	57.7	71.9	98.0	26.1	35.6	40.6	8.0	12.2	15.7
Belgium	6.2	10.9	16.3	2.9	3.4	5.4	5.9	8.3	7.9
Italy	3.9	4.5	4.8	2.7	3.7	4.6	2.4	4.3	3.5
United Kingdom	440.3	407.2	607.1	136.1	152.5	252.3	67.6	78.9	95.7
Fr. Neth. W. Ind.	2.6	4.8	4.2	4.3	5.7	5.3	1.2	1.4	1.9
Mexico	3.6	3.8	4.9	1.8	2.0	2.6	0.8	1.3	2.7
Panama	2.6	4.5	3.7	2.6	2.9	4.5	1.4	2.5	2.2
Bahrain Islands	6.8	8.1	10.2	5.2	5.9	6.0	0.8	0.6	1.3
Kuwait	15.4	23.7	19.3	14.1	17.4	9.7	1.6	1.5	1.2
Saudi Arabia	2.7	3.9	5.4	2.6	2.8	3.6	0.4	0.8	1.1
Trucial States	4.1	5.5	4.7	4.1	7.0	4.6	0.4	0.3	0.3
Republic of South Yemen	4.1	4.0	3.9	8.6	7.5	6.7	0.8	0.7	1.0
Rep. of Vietnam	79.0	71.1	36.3	1.7	2.2	1.3	*	0.1	0.1
Thailand	3.0	5.7	4.6	1.3	0.5	0.4	1.1	1.1	1.2
Japan	37.6	90.5	65.3	3.9	6.9	7.6	2.5	5.4	56.9
Singapore	8.9	8.6	11.7	6.7	3.2	4.5	2.9	4.2	8.0
Libya	10.2	16.7	21.6	4.9	8.5	10.2	2.5	3.0	2.8
Rep. of Congo (Kinshasa)	2.4	5.3	7.9	1.3	2.9	6.1	1.0	1.5	2.1
Rep. of S. Africa	17.6	31.9	44.5	4.7	13.0	15.3	3.9	4.2	4.3
Zambia	10.3	17.1	3.9	4.3	5.4	0.8	1.3	2.0	2.4
Kenya	2.9	12.6	8.0	2.5	5.3	4.1	1.8	2.8	2.2
Nigeria	0.8	2.5	14.3	0.6	1.1	10.7	3.7	9.3	5.8
Tanzania (Tanganyika)	6.5	5.8	2.9	2.4	1.1	0.4	0.6	0.8	1.0
U.S. Oceania	12.6	10.7	12.3	3.3	2.3	3.1	0.6	0.8	1.2
Oceania n.e.s.	1.6	2.7	3.0	3.2	4.9	4.2	0.3	0.4	0.5
Australia	29.6	39.3	50.5	11.3	15.1	23.0	13.3	15.4	19.3
Papua & New Guinea	7.6	7.9	7.8	4.3	5.1	5.8	0.4	0.5	0.4
Others	56.9	47.5	61.6	44.6	42.1	44.4	24.6	28.6	31.2
Total	2,562.2	2,851.7	3,609.6	938.4	1,064.7	1,335.7	325.7	417.0	517.6

* Less than \$0.05 million.

EXPORTS OF CLOTHING BY USERS

(HK\$ million)

Importing countries	Men and Boys			Women and Girls			Children and Infants			Other/unclassified		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
U.S.A.	292.5	309.9	394.1	788.7	865.9	1,173.6	54.0	42.6	65.2	361.3	438.2	518.5
Canada	68.7	59.6	76.6	55.5	55.3	91.5	9.0	7.1	8.9	38.3	43.4	48.0
Finland	1.4	3.3	2.5	3.7	5.4	2.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.3	2.0	1.5
Sweden	56.8	56.5	49.9	55.1	71.2	60.4	7.1	7.4	7.1	36.8	41.9	35.2
Norway	15.4	19.2	16.7	20.9	27.6	27.1	3.6	4.0	2.7	6.1	8.5	8.9
Denmark	21.3	22.8	28.7	14.9	23.6	24.0	1.4	1.9	1.9	18.4	20.9	23.6
Switzerland	19.4	20.6	25.1	20.5	20.5	22.4	0.8	1.6	3.3	9.3	10.3	10.5
Austria	5.7	6.0	8.7	9.7	11.9	11.1	1.0	1.4	2.1	5.1	7.5	9.9
Germany F.R.	211.2	246.4	329.8	164.0	235.4	272.0	17.6	17.8	27.9	127.5	128.2	170.6
Netherlands	38.9	39.4	49.4	26.5	45.1	64.1	3.3	4.2	6.0	23.0	31.1	34.8
Belgium	3.9	7.1	13.3	4.5	5.6	6.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	6.4	9.7	9.6
Italy	4.3	5.9	4.9	0.9	1.3	1.8	1.0	1.2	1.1	2.7	4.2	5.0
United Kingdom	254.0	234.1	372.5	195.3	196.8	257.3	51.1	28.3	59.6	143.6	179.4	265.6
Fr. Neth. W. Ind.	2.2	3.1	3.5	3.8	5.8	4.8	0.4	0.4	0.5	1.7	2.6	2.6
Mexico	2.5	2.0	3.9	2.3	3.6	4.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.1
Panama	0.9	1.3	1.1	3.5	5.9	5.6	0.6	0.9	0.8	1.6	1.9	2.8
Bahrain Islands	4.6	4.1	4.7	3.2	4.8	5.9	1.7	1.7	2.8	3.2	4.1	4.2
Kuwait	12.6	19.0	12.4	6.1	8.3	8.8	2.0	2.1	2.7	10.4	13.3	6.3
Saudi Arabia	2.0	2.1	4.3	1.4	2.0	2.9	1.0	1.3	1.7	1.3	2.0	2.9
Trucial States	4.0	5.4	4.5	1.3	2.4	2.1	0.3	0.5	0.4	3.0	4.5	2.6
Rep. of South Yemen	4.5	4.2	3.8	1.8	2.3	2.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	5.9	4.5	4.4
Rep. of Vietnam	75.5	67.6	30.1	2.9	1.0	0.3	*	*	—	2.3	4.8	7.3
Thailand	3.6	5.1	3.8	0.4	0.9	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.2	1.1	1.2
Japan	7.5	33.4	22.7	33.6	60.7	51.5	0.4	0.7	1.2	2.5	8.0	54.4
Singapore	7.7	6.9	7.4	7.2	6.7	8.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	3.4	2.0	8.1
Libya	6.6	9.1	9.6	5.9	9.2	13.4	1.0	2.5	2.7	4.2	7.4	8.9
Rep. of Congo (Kinshasa)	0.9	3.7	5.5	2.3	3.3	5.3	0.4	0.9	2.1	1.1	1.9	3.2
Rep. of S. Africa	4.6	15.4	24.7	8.5	8.8	11.0	6.2	10.7	12.5	6.8	14.2	15.9
Zambia	7.7	11.1	2.8	3.8	7.3	2.1	1.4	2.6	0.6	2.9	3.5	1.6
Kenya	2.3	8.7	5.7	3.0	5.3	3.9	0.2	0.4	0.2	2.7	6.2	4.4
Nigeria	1.1	2.6	5.3	1.6	7.2	14.6	0.3	0.3	4.1	2.0	2.8	6.9
Tanzania (Tanganyika)	4.6	4.5	2.2	3.1	2.1	1.1	0.5	0.2	0.1	1.4	1.0	0.8
U.S. Oceania	9.3	6.8	6.4	3.9	3.9	5.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	3.1	2.9	4.9
Oceania, n.e.s.	1.6	2.6	2.6	1.0	1.6	1.9	0.3	0.3	0.4	2.2	3.5	3.0
Australia	11.6	13.5	15.6	23.5	31.8	40.0	3.1	3.5	6.6	16.0	21.1	30.6
Papua & New Guinea	5.5	6.0	6.0	2.5	2.7	2.8	0.6	0.6	0.4	3.7	4.2	4.7
Others	49.7	42.0	49.4	35.6	33.7	42.2	8.0	6.7	9.0	32.8	35.5	35.5
Total	1,226.6	1,310.8	1,610.2	1,522.4	1,786.9	2,255.2	181.3	156.6	237.5	896.0	1,079.1	1,360.0

* Less than \$0.05 million.

EXPORTS OF COTTON TEXTILES TO SELECTED COUNTRIES

		Cotton yarn		Cotton fabrics, grey		Cotton fabrics other than grey		Household made-up articles	Clothing
		'000 lbs.	HK\$ Mn.	Million sq. yd.	HK\$ Mn.	Million sq. yd.	HK\$ Mn.	HK\$ Mn.	HK\$ Mn.
All countries	1969 ...	26,485	87.90	314.99	369.67	217.32	315.56	168.88	1,338.75
	1970 ...	29,411	101.36	344.47	408.58	243.22	363.83	174.89	1,283.22
	1971 ...	22,822	88.37	359.60	449.38	188.79	336.25	198.61	1,724.36
U.S.A.	1969 ...	409	1.52	161.08	176.20	6.16	9.45	53.31	481.71
	1970 ...	526	2.09	149.24	169.77	6.85	10.51	56.40	478.91
	1971 ...	96	0.40	189.48	212.44	5.14	8.48	55.70	683.52
U.K.	1969 ...	6,536	22.81	84.84	124.62	23.89	44.48	53.44	339.42
	1970 ...	6,758	24.19	91.75	125.90	17.89	33.39	47.02	273.04
	1971 ...	6,377	24.46	106.97	164.44	25.80	49.11	72.19	403.05
F.R. of Germany	1969 ...	*	*	1.84	1.79	1.60	2.91	6.87	179.41
	1970 ...	26	0.06	3.11	2.92	1.27	1.81	8.86	145.41
	1971 ...	—	—	2.50	2.77	1.52	2.78	10.00	243.04
Australia	1969 ...	774	2.87	23.91	23.25	41.21	59.74	5.00	16.08
	1970 ...	1,276	5.16	22.98	22.78	47.63	71.34	6.15	20.16
	1971 ...	2,449	10.85	17.20	20.04	43.54	77.35	4.39	22.06
New Zealand	1969 ...	4,076	14.89	4.13	3.97	25.01	39.91	4.85	0.73
	1970 ...	4,778	17.23	5.36	5.75	26.11	41.07	5.18	0.85
	1971 ...	5,206	20.16	4.87	5.12	30.26	57.55	4.79	1.36
Canada	1969 ...	185	0.57	2.40	2.42	3.28	5.11	8.62	56.90
	1970 ...	53	0.20	2.97	2.96	3.35	6.23	8.60	61.16
	1971 ...	97	0.38	2.27	2.96	2.76	6.54	9.29	61.98
Singapore	1969 ...	2,950	8.96	8.03	7.17	22.16	30.36	1.16	3.87
	1970 ...	2,432	6.63	8.34	7.13	25.03	41.40	0.94	4.92
	1971 ...	1,792	5.88	9.19	9.25	18.35	36.51	0.96	4.01
Sweden	1969 ...	*	*	3.19	3.18	0.12	0.21	3.39	47.42
	1970 ...	*	*	4.97	4.76	0.18	0.29	5.42	51.22
	1971 ...	15	0.11	1.21	1.41	0.53	1.18	3.48	40.41
Rep. of South Africa	1969 ...	—	—	0.17	0.21	13.15	17.52	5.10	7.62
	1970 ...	*	*	0.05	0.06	10.34	14.26	6.80	11.55
	1971 ...	*	*	0.03	0.03	5.76	9.21	10.37	13.24
Netherlands	1969 ...	*	*	2.61	2.12	0.35	0.52	3.93	21.13
	1970 ...	*	*	2.75	2.25	0.47	0.87	4.73	25.14
	1971 ...	—	—	0.73	0.71	0.41	0.95	4.47	31.92
Denmark	1969 ...	*	*	2.16	2.35	0.41	0.71	2.11	19.62
	1970 ...	22	0.09	2.96	3.14	0.38	0.70	1.67	23.19
	1971 ...	—	—	0.94	1.22	0.40	0.91	0.96	30.28
Nigeria	1969 ...	1,471	5.14	2.69	2.60	1.02	1.97	0.04	1.02
	1970 ...	4,151	14.96	3.72	5.71	6.23	8.00	0.42	4.31
	1971 ...	3,385	13.28	1.37	2.02	1.05	1.76	0.81	8.44
Japan	1969 ...	—	—	0.75	1.05	0.43	1.00	0.25	6.26
	1970 ...	—	—	7.32	9.60	3.17	8.43	0.73	17.01
	1971 ...	—	—	4.49	6.46	0.93	2.76	0.92	18.76
Switzerland	1969 ...	*	*	5.70	7.05	0.06	0.12	0.36	22.02
	1970 ...	*	*	7.32	9.60	0.06	0.09	0.41	20.30
	1971 ...	—	—	4.02	5.47	0.07	0.12	0.30	22.77
Norway	1969 ...	—	—	0.09	0.10	0.06	0.08	1.51	12.80
	1970 ...	—	—	0.18	0.11	0.04	0.05	1.63	14.75
	1971 ...	—	—	0.65	0.47	0.04	0.06	1.18	13.29
Italy	1969 ...	—	—	2.19	1.98	0.50	0.81	0.57	5.41
	1970 ...	20	0.06	14.60	14.67	1.89	2.67	1.02	6.72
	1971 ...	—	—	8.72	8.61	0.26	0.44	0.83	4.88
Belgium	1969 ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.04	2.24
	1970 ...	—	—	1.35	1.15	—	—	0.03	2.27
	1971 ...	—	—	0.78	0.72	*	*	0.01	6.81

* Negligible.

APPENDIX 13

IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY END-USE

(HK\$ million)

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
<i>Foodstuffs</i>					
Bovine cattle	74	78	102	113	123
Swine	223	222	300	328	433
Meat and meat preparations	206	252	284	339	363
Milk, butter, cheese and eggs	172	202	238	250	290
Fish and fish preparations	238	250	272	334	404
Wheat and flour	87	106	84	84	91
Rice	472	392	394	343	312
Fruit	260	308	341	418	470
Vegetables	178	199	213	253	289
Sugar	40	57	57	59	90
Tea and coffee	55	63	136	115	86
Soya bean oil, peanut oil and lard	47	53	47	61	67
Others	373	397	434	457	586
Imports	2,425	2,579	2,903	3,154	3,605
Re-exports	232	258	330	328	355
Retained Foodstuffs	2,193	2,320	2,573	2,825	3,250
<i>Consumer Goods</i>					
Diamonds	516	638	876	870	962
Watches	197	256	335	408	440
Radio, television, gramophones, records and tape recorders	197	272	303	344	362
Cameras, flashlight apparatus and supplies for photography	63	84	102	127	117
Passenger motor cars	69	103	153	196	212
Domestic electrical equipment	66	80	104	137	133
Furniture	21	24	30	39	60
Alcoholic beverage	88	96	117	155	235
Tobacco manufactures	83	98	112	135	168
Clothing	163	205	231	278	364
Textile made-ups	70	91	99	132	160
Footwear	42	53	54	53	61
Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	14	17	24	31	33
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	163	202	238	316	320
Perfumery, hair preparations and cosmetics	36	42	55	57	61
Soaps, cleansing and polishing preparations	38	47	47	55	60
Others	642	738	904	1,189	1,487
Imports	2,468	3,046	3,804	4,522	5,234
Re-exports	920	983	1,342	1,527	1,845
Retained Consumer Goods	1,548	2,063	2,462	2,995	3,388
<i>Fuels</i>					
Liquid fuel	329	369	422	456	583
Solid fuel	16	16	13	12	13
Imports	345	386	434	468	596
Re-exports	11	11	13	13	15
Retained Fuels	334	375	422	454	581

IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY END-USE—Contd.

(HK\$ million)

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
<i>Raw Materials</i>					
Raw cotton	419	627	471	526	589
Cotton yarn and thread	90	181	208	191	292
Woven cotton fabrics	450	476	427	464	556
Wool and other animal hair	99	132	129	141	91
Yarn of wool and mixtures	106	202	232	235	191
Fabrics of wool and mixtures	131	171	173	186	150
Man-made fibres	41	58	95	100	120
Yarn of man-made fibres	103	147	210	241	412
Fabrics of man-made fibres	341	514	750	887	1,191
Plastic moulding materials	268	312	371	421	454
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	111	139	159	198	219
Chemical elements and compounds	165	204	207	234	244
Iron and steel	240	228	316	464	442
Base metals, other than iron and steel	133	189	201	250	243
Paper and paperboard	207	275	306	376	421
Clay and refractory construction materials, lime, cements and fabricated building materials except glass	73	59	81	103	146
Worked human hair for wig manufactures	121	140	178	45	24
Inedible animal and vegetable crude materials	166	146	150	176	190
Others	1,041	1,225	1,614	2,078	2,273
Imports	4,305	5,425	6,280	7,317	8,248
Re-exports	809	786	813	773	859
Retained Raw Materials	3,496	4,639	5,467	6,543	7,389
<i>Capital Goods</i>					
Electrical machinery and parts	263	334	529	649	772
Textile machinery and parts	96	122	239	287	391
Metalworking machinery and parts	15	17	30	35	38
Mining and construction machinery and parts	7	4	7	36	48
Paper machinery, printing machinery and parts	16	18	39	48	47
Other industrial machinery and parts	214	223	233	390	513
Office machines and parts	34	44	46	103	103
Radio and telegraphic equipments	73	51	64	105	120
Road motor vehicles and parts other than passenger motor cars	54	58	103	185	220
Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus	45	60	87	117	62
Others	90	105	94	191	261
Imports	907	1,037	1,472	2,146	2,574
Re-exports	109	103	182	249	339
Retained Capital Goods	798	933	1,290	1,897	2,235
Total imports	10,449	12,472	14,893	17,607	20,256
Total re-exports	2,081	2,142	2,679	2,892	3,414
Total Retained Imports	8,368	10,330	12,214	14,715	16,842

APPENDIX 14

MAIN SOURCES OF IMPORTS BY END-USE CATEGORIES

(HK\$ million)

Category and Sources	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Foodstuffs*	2,425	2,579	2,903	3,154	3,605
China	1,134	1,256	1,379	1,433	1,709
U.S.A.	260	258	259	322	307
Thailand	311	237	300	293	305
Japan	113	145	150	156	200
Australia	95	127	113	107	165
Taiwan	49	45	54	94	108
Indonesia	25	24	53	88	101
Netherlands	57	63	59	60	69
United Kingdom	44	51	49	61	67
Singapore	27	33	37	54	53
Brazil	12	22	87	65	31
Khmer Republic (Cambodia)	72	45	54	44	10
Consumer goods	2,468	3,046	3,804	4,522	5,234
Japan	458	636	783	855	994
U.S.A.	487	567	673	705	764
China	361	420	481	631	760
United Kingdom	262	344	426	485	511
Switzerland	150	175	247	336	321
Australia	29	41	62	83	248
Belgium	138	173	229	208	233
Fed. Rep. of Germany	86	122	146	184	215
Israel	98	101	151	148	190
France	59	73	108	131	189
Netherlands	43	37	48	141	108
Italy	55	73	96	149	107
Singapore	31	39	46	64	95
India	24	32	44	74	82
Rep. of South Africa	58	61	70	80	71
Fuels	345	386	434	468	596
Singapore	135	147	138	138	244
Saudi Arabia	43	57	72	130	161
Iran	78	99	116	77	63
Bahrain Islands	24	25	35	37	38
Philippines	3	6	28	30	29
Japan	34	25	12	16	18
Indonesia	1	—	3	12	4
Raw materials	4,305	5,425	6,280	7,317	8,248
Japan	1,247	1,734	2,244	2,659	3,090
China	761	719	801	721	799
U.S.A.	353	541	509	586	719
Taiwan	187	294	366	599	678
United Kingdom	406	432	468	547	493
Pakistan	186	297	226	217	361
Fed. Rep. of Germany	160	199	241	283	287
Rep. of Korea (South Korea)	52	68	102	103	183
Switzerland	78	71	120	135	171
Australia	125	135	168	210	161
Capital goods	907	1,037	1,472	2,146	2,574
U.S.A.	311	360	561	727	743
Japan	143	177	294	501	625
United Kingdom	271	257	257	402	522
Fed. Rep. of Germany	65	73	145	178	216
Taiwan	5	35	22	59	93
China	19	29	34	43	59
Australia	10	10	14	30	48
Switzerland	16	16	42	35	41
Italy	22	19	23	32	40
Sweden	10	16	20	30	30

* Figures for 1967 to 1970 are revised for comparability with those of 1971.

RE-EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

(HK\$ million)

Commodity	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Manufactured Goods	945	909	1,122	1,196	1,330
Diamonds, not set or strung	271	280	455	516	513
Precious stones other than diamonds, not set or strung	53	64	99	119	152
Table damasks and manufactures of cotton, embroidered	26	30	46	56	67
Fabrics, discontinuous polyester fibres	35	50	40	24	41
Semi-precious stones, not set or strung	15	9	15	20	28
Shirting, cotton, grey	99	94	66	67	27
Carpets of vegetable plaiting materials	5	7	10	15	21
Jade, cut and polished, unset	3	4	6	10	18
Porcelain or china household ware	8	8	7	7	12
Poplin and broadcloth, cotton, other than grey	37	27	17	19	10
Chemicals	312	362	420	493	571
Antibiotics	67	116	132	167	191
Synthetic organic dyestuffs for textile application	36	49	52	60	83
Pyrotechnical articles	26	27	31	38	37
Medicaments, n.e.s. other than of Chinese type	49	19	24	24	28
Vitamins	7	9	11	15	20
Hormones	3	12	11	11	14
Textile or dyeing auxiliary organic compounds, n.e.s.	8	10	11	11	14
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	242	272	353	358	481
Pocket watches, wrist watches and other watches, complete	70	81	104	130	168
Cinematographic film, developed	9	8	8	10	19
Tape recorders, etc., transistorized	1	1	6	9	14
Human hair and wig hair	23	36	66	24	7
Machinery and Transport Equipment	146	143	239	277	379
Ball roller or needle roller bearings	1	2	9	16	14
Internal combustion engines for aircraft	10	7	7	7	7
Food and Live Animals	213	236	308	306	335
Coffee, not roasted	31	38	66	86	65
Cloves, whether or not ground	7	7	7	7	30
Beans, dried	12	5	11	8	20
Vegetables, dehydrated, n.e.s.	8	14	18	18	18
Refined sugar, beet and cane	9	15	21	10	14
Edible nuts, fresh or dried, n.e.s.	3	8	6	7	12
Apples, fresh	5	8	10	11	12
Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels	155	143	157	170	209
Plants, n.e.s. for perfume, pharmacy, etc.	50	53	55	70	81
Ambergris, civet musk and animal products for pharmaceuticals	9	13	16	23	35
Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials...	36	37	41	42	46
Lubricating oils	19	21	23	23	20
Paraffin waxes	5	4	5	6	11
Beverages and Tobacco	16	18	18	26	34
Cigarettes	6	6	6	11	15
Whisky	4	4	5	7	11

APPENDIX 16

MAIN MARKETS FOR RE-EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

(HK\$ million)

Commodity and Countries	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Diamonds	271	280	455	516	513
U.S.A.	84	96	155	156	159
Japan	61	69	107	115	142
Belgium & Luxembourg	64	60	99	86	90
Israel	36	30	48	55	57
United Kingdom	17	18	34	35	22
Switzerland & Liechtenstein	1	*	2	49	21
Textiles	445	417	403	387	441
Indonesia	251	183	114	40	62
Switzerland & Liechtenstein	5	7	16	28	54
Singapore	18	42	64	61	50
Nigeria	59	32	41	60	32
Macau	12	14	12	12	24
Taiwan	3	6	13	19	23
Ghana	1	15	15	25	17
Panama	8	12	13	12	10
Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	136	176	210	253	299
Japan	54	75	87	122	117
Republic of Vietnam (South Vietnam)	11	14	27	17	26
Pakistan	4	5	6	7	20
Australia	9	17	12	14	18
Thailand	10	14	17	15	16
Indonesia	7	8	12	15	16
Taiwan	6	6	8	10	16
Singapore	7	8	10	12	15
Philippines	9	10	8	9	11
Electrical Machinery, Apparatus and Appliances	37	41	114	106	190
U.S.A.	1	1	12	26	55
Singapore	4	4	17	22	51
Republic of Korea (South Korea)	1	7	26	12	14
Indonesia	16	7	9	9	11
Watches	70	80	104	130	168
Singapore	43	46	64	73	84
U.S. Oceania	7	12	11	13	14
Japan	4	2	3	7	13
Trucial States	1	3	5	7	10
Crude Animal and Vegetable Materials	90	95	102	121	154
Japan	13	17	23	36	38
Singapore	17	15	15	17	24
China	15	16	12	17	23
Republic of Vietnam (South Vietnam)	10	9	9	5	22
Taiwan	14	13	12	17	20
Precious Stones	53	64	99	119	152
Japan	33	41	58	63	97
Switzerland & Liechtenstein	4	7	13	17	14
United Kingdom	2	6	7	11	13
U.S.A.	4	4	7	9	11
Machinery other than Electric	79	76	98	138	146
Indonesia	15	7	21	27	31
Nigeria	3	11	6	13	17
Singapore	5	10	9	14	16
Fruit and Vegetables	65	75	95	99	123
Singapore	23	31	41	44	46
Japan	15	15	20	22	39
Coffee, Tea, Cocoa, Spices and Manufactures thereof	60	59	103	121	114
Japan	18	19	36	48	35
Indonesia	7	7	7	7	30
Australia	12	15	15	23	21

* Less than HK\$0.5 million.

RE-EXPORTS BY MAIN COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN WITH
CORRESPONDING IMPORT FIGURES

(HK\$ million)

Countries of Origin	Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
China	2,700.0	2,830.4	3,330.4	723.5	687.7	759.0
U.S.A.	2,002.4	2,316.8	2,534.5	363.4	479.1	625.9
Japan	3,484.0	4,188.4	4,926.5	291.8	295.1	427.5
Belgium and Luxembourg	262.8	255.9	276.4	77.7	128.4	170.4
United Kingdom	1,200.7	1,517.3	1,592.7	98.6	141.8	155.7
Switzerland and Liechtenstein	412.5	512.5	540.8	74.4	122.0	116.0
F.R. of Germany	544.2	656.6	732.4	69.0	78.3	99.9
India	92.3	117.5	129.9	43.6	51.2	83.0
Brazil	183.2	183.8	104.2	76.4	104.4	82.6
Taiwan	502.0	819.8	991.5	44.3	54.8	76.3
Israel	156.0	153.6	196.6	13.6	45.4	67.6
Republic of South Africa	143.0	147.0	151.8	188.6	136.4	54.0
Indonesia	120.8	157.9	158.8	39.9	27.7	38.9
Ceylon	6.2	7.5	8.0	25.3	31.2	37.6
Australia	357.3	430.1	611.3	17.6	25.8	34.3
Macau	45.5	86.1	114.4	25.8	34.2	32.3
Tanzania (Zanzibar)	6.9	7.1	29.6	6.9	6.7	29.7
France	173.1	205.4	287.7	17.0	22.2	27.1
Thailand	350.1	324.5	359.0	20.6	17.1	26.4
Burma	44.2	37.2	42.0	15.0	20.5	23.6
Singapore	282.3	358.4	537.9	6.6	8.7	23.0
U.S.S.R.	23.7	36.8	74.7	11.3	16.5	22.4
Republic of Korea (South Korea)	127.1	155.7	253.2	10.4	13.1	20.8
Netherlands	161.6	236.7	263.5	18.0	12.4	19.2
Italy	170.3	259.5	233.1	17.4	15.2	17.9
Colombia	2.6	11.4	9.0	11.0	10.5	17.0
Malaysia (Malaya)	44.3	57.8	69.6	6.5	7.6	10.3
Khmer Republic (Cambodia)	58.2	47.6	16.3	13.8	11.8	8.2
Canada	103.4	123.1	129.3	4.6	5.7	7.0
Pakistan	230.8	223.0	366.3	16.7	9.2	6.3
Other countries	901.5	1,141.3	1,184.8	329.8	270.9	294.5
Total	14,893.0	17,606.7	20,256.2	2,679.1	2,891.6	3,414.4

APPENDIX 18

RE-EXPORTS BY MAIN COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN BY COMMODITIES

(HK\$ million)

Countries of Origin	Commodities	1969	1970	1971
CHINA	All Commodities	723.5	687.7	759.0
	Miscellaneous textile made-up articles (mainly embroidered table damasks)	74.1	89.5	128.4
	Miscellaneous crude vegetable materials (mainly plants and seeds)	46.9	50.2	71.1
	Cotton fabrics, woven (not including narrow or special fabrics)	112.1	122.6	66.4
	Clothing (except fur clothing)	37.0	41.0	47.9
	Fruit, fresh, and nuts (not including oil nuts) fresh or dried (mainly fresh fruit)	24.4	28.8	36.9
	Textile yarn and thread	53.3	27.5	31.0
	Miscellaneous vegetables (mainly dehydrated vegetables)	27.7	30.3	29.6
	Vegetables, fresh, frozen or preserved	18.6	17.2	28.4
U.S.A.	All commodities	363.4	479.1	625.9
	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	34.8	115.2	179.4
	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	136.4	154.6	175.6
	Miscellaneous electrical machinery and apparatus	48.5	39.0	64.9
	Petroleum products	20.2	19.4	16.0
	Power generating machinery, other than electric	18.1	18.6	13.9
	Miscellaneous non-electrical machinery and appliances and machine parts	9.1	9.1	12.8
JAPAN	All commodities	291.8	295.1	427.5
	Watches and clocks	65.3	84.4	110.6
	Textile fabrics, woven (not including narrow or special fabrics), other than cotton fabrics	42.7	30.4	44.8
	Textile and leather machinery	18.8	20.8	23.6
	Telecommunications apparatus	15.4	13.6	27.9
	Musical instruments, sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories thereof	7.6	12.7	17.4
	Textile yarn and thread	9.7	14.5	17.2
BELGIUM AND LUXEMBOURG	All commodities	77.7	128.4	170.4
	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	71.0	123.6	166.0
UNITED KINGDOM	All commodities	98.6	141.8	155.7
	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	12.5	28.6	34.1
	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	3.8	20.4	20.5
	Alcoholic beverages	5.6	7.4	11.1
	Synthetic organic dyestuffs, natural indigo and colour lakes	7.1	8.1	9.1
SWITZERLAND AND LIECHTENSTEIN	All commodities	74.4	122.0	116.0
	Watches and clocks	40.9	40.9	52.4
	Synthetic organic dyestuffs, natural indigo and colour lakes	11.2	13.0	20.4
	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	6.9	49.4	16.1
	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	5.6	8.6	13.6
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY	All commodities	69.0	78.3	99.9
	Synthetic organic dyestuffs, natural indigo and colour lakes	24.7	23.7	35.6
	Road motor vehicles	4.5	7.8	8.6
	Organic chemicals	6.2	7.0	7.4
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA	All commodities	188.6	136.4	54.0
	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	185.0	133.6	49.6

RE-EXPORTS BY MAIN COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN TO COUNTRIES OF DESTINATION

(HK\$ million)

Countries of Origin	Countries of Destination	1969	1970	1971
CHINA	All countries	723.5	687.7	759.0
	Indonesia	165.7	99.7	140.4
	Singapore	132.7	122.6	107.4
	Japan	102.7	89.3	86.9
	Switzerland and Liechtenstein	17.7	28.9	52.3
	Canada	17.0	18.4	26.0
	Malaysia (Malaya)	23.4	21.9	23.9
	Malaysia (Sabah)	26.0	19.5	23.3
	Nigeria	32.5	56.3	22.7
	Ghana	10.6	18.3	15.3
Panama	16.4	16.3	14.4	
U.S.A.	All countries	363.4	479.1	625.9
	Japan	110.7	152.2	148.9
	U.S.A.	23.8	92.1	148.9
	Singapore	31.1	39.7	60.8
	Taiwan	26.8	32.1	44.1
	Republic of Korea (South Korea)	38.2	24.6	29.5
	Republic of Vietnam (South Vietnam)	23.2	19.0	28.3
	Thailand	26.9	23.4	25.4
	Philippines	14.7	15.8	18.9
	Indonesia	10.3	13.6	16.3
Australia	13.2	10.6	14.9	
JAPAN	All countries	291.8	295.1	427.5
	Singapore	88.2	91.3	126.1
	Indonesia	50.6	30.7	63.6
	Nigeria	6.3	11.1	24.7
	Taiwan	13.5	20.5	21.5
	U.S.A.	6.5	17.3	18.1
	Macau	10.1	14.1	18.0
Philippines	14.2	9.2	14.7	
BELGIUM AND LUXEMBOURG	All countries	77.7	128.4	170.4
	Japan	52.7	66.5	81.0
	Belgium and Luxembourg	13.7	48.4	74.5
UNITED KINGDOM	All countries	98.6	141.8	155.7
	Japan	24.5	39.2	41.7
	Taiwan	14.5	16.1	19.7
	United Kingdom	3.6	17.7	16.6
	Indonesia	6.6	10.2	15.3
	Philippines	6.6	8.0	7.6
	Singapore	4.1	8.1	7.2
SWITZERLAND AND LIECHTENSTEIN	All countries	74.4	122.0	116.0
	Taiwan	8.7	12.7	20.6
	Singapore	14.9	17.5	19.2
	Republic of Korea (South Korea)	13.5	13.6	17.2
	U.S. Oceania	11.5	13.2	14.9
	Switzerland and Liechtenstein	*	45.4	13.1
	Japan	11.3	8.6	8.7
FED. REP. OF GERMANY	All countries	69.0	78.3	99.9
	Taiwan	23.7	22.6	31.8
	Rep. of Korea (South Korea)	12.9	14.3	18.0
	Indonesia	9.2	11.6	11.5
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA	All countries	188.6	136.4	54.0
	Japan	29.7	18.9	21.2
	Belgium and Luxembourg	43.4	31.4	12.2
	U.S.A.	76.0	53.0	10.0
	Israel	19.7	17.8	2.6
	United Kingdom	13.0	9.7	0.7

* Less than HK\$0.05 million.

APPENDIX 20

AIRBORNE TRADE BY PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

(HK\$ million)

Commodities	1969	1970	1971
Airborne exports	2,026.9	2,549.9	2,555.3
Clothing (except fur clothing)	663.3	701.8	909.1
Wigs	632.2	906.5	506.3
Memory cores, planes, arrays & stacks	26.9	169.6	281.8
Transistors & diodes	229.7	257.6	222.9
Watches and clocks	77.1	89.8	125.7
Telecommunications apparatus	68.6	56.1	105.8
Jewellery and goldsmiths' and silversmiths' ware	48.2	68.2	92.1
Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	52.8	59.2	78.0
Perambulators, toys, games and sporting goods	24.1	41.3	63.4
Fish, fresh and simply preserved	13.2	15.0	16.7
Airborne imports	1,569.6	2,067.9	2,469.4
Watches and clocks	442.8	537.9	624.6
Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	214.4	262.8	297.0
Jewellery and goldsmiths' and silversmiths' ware	43.3	180.0	242.5
Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus	56.6	78.8	86.8
Telecommunications apparatus	81.4	91.6	80.5
Transistors & diodes	68.7	44.3	73.8
Clothing (except fur clothing)	26.3	22.8	50.3
Miscellaneous crude vegetable materials	9.1	10.4	41.5
Silver, platinum and other metals of the platinum group	8.9	15.7	41.1
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	32.1	43.0	37.7
Office machines... ..	11.1	43.6	34.7
Textile yarn and thread	20.0	81.2	33.0
Textile fabrics, woven, other than cotton fabrics	23.0	20.7	32.2
Power generating machinery, other than electric	18.8	22.8	23.7
Airborne re-exports	551.0	684.0	892.9
Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	229.3	316.3	344.6
Watches and clocks	103.9	128.4	166.0
Electrical machinery and apparatus	53.5	58.9	114.4
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	56.0	62.1	73.3
Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus	4.4	13.0	31.4
Miscellaneous crude animal materials	9.7	15.7	26.7
Developed cinematographic film	7.1	8.5	17.3
Clothing (except fur clothing)	3.1	3.1	10.3
Power generating machinery, other than electric	13.5	12.9	9.2
Textile yarn and thread	0.3	4.7	8.1
Textile fabrics, woven, other than cotton fabrics	5.6	6.9	7.1

AIRBORNE TRADE BY MAIN COUNTRIES

(HK\$ million)

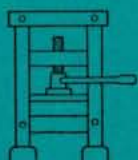
Countries	Exports			Imports			Re-exports		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
All countries	2,026.9	2,549.9	2,555.3	1,569.6	2,067.9	2,469.4	551.0	684.0	892.9
U.S.A.	1,263.8	1,491.0	1,542.0	497.1	617.3	659.2	22.1	39.9	78.7
Fed. Rep. of Germany	95.2	205.3	163.2	33.2	43.2	63.9	7.4	7.8	8.3
Japan	94.1	121.0	157.1	324.9	407.9	448.7	240.4	282.1	374.3
U.K.	194.0	193.6	135.4	160.3	186.8	198.1	30.2	42.1	30.5
Taiwan	10.2	36.7	61.1	5.6	38.1	78.0	12.1	17.2	29.1
Canada	41.9	65.7	57.2	6.0	5.1	4.8	1.8	2.3	2.3
Singapore	24.6	34.2	49.0	25.8	62.7	79.5	78.1	94.9	123.1
Republic of Vietnam...	86.1	77.7	42.1	*	*	0.3	31.0	13.5	21.6
Switzerland	23.8	32.7	40.7	271.8	354.3	360.3	12.6	54.8	28.5
Netherlands	10.4	36.1	35.6	15.2	49.1	61.3	0.3	0.7	1.9
France	6.0	13.3	24.7	37.6	33.1	39.9	5.1	3.8	4.2
U.S. Oceania... ..	19.7	18.0	23.3	0.8	2.3	7.1	16.9	29.0	47.3
Australia	20.0	37.6	23.2	29.2	47.8	192.3	4.1	7.6	14.4
Sweden	26.7	33.0	20.7	1.4	2.2	3.3	0.6	1.2	0.8
Italy	5.5	13.5	11.1	17.2	62.2	26.2	0.8	0.5	2.0
Republic of Korea ...	1.7	2.5	3.3	45.3	43.2	62.6	36.6	21.3	26.3

* Less than \$0.05 million.

APPENDIX 22

HONG KONG'S EXPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS AS A SHARE OF FOREIGN MARKETS

Countries	1967 %	1968 %	1969 %	1970 %	1971 %
U.S.A.	1.9	1.9	2.3	2.4	2.1 (Jan.-Nov.)
United Kingdom	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.7
F.R. of Germany	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6 (Jan.-Nov.)
Canada	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5 (Jan.-Nov.)
Japan	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Australia	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.5
Singapore	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.3 (Jan.-Nov.)
Netherlands	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3 (Jan.-Nov.)
Taiwan	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.1 (Jan.-Sept.)
Sweden	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6 (Jan.-Nov.)
Rep. of South Africa	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7 (Jan.-Sept.)
Switzerland	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4
New Zealand	1.9	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.8 (Jan.-Sept.)
Denmark	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5 (Jan.-Nov.)
Italy	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1 (Jan.-Nov.)
Thailand	1.6	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.2 (Jan.-June)
Norway	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4 (Jan.-Nov.)
Belgium	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2 (Jan.-Nov.)
Rep. of Vietnam	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.9 (Jan.-May)
Austria	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3 (Jan.-Nov.)



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