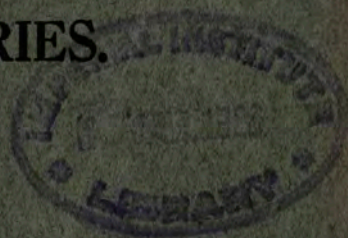


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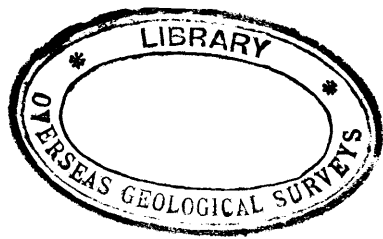
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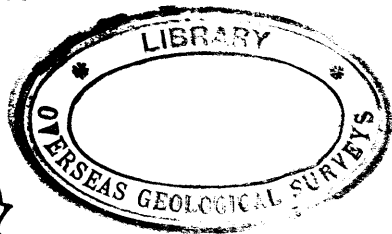
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INTRODUCTORY NOTE

Throughout the trade statistics given in this document, materials imported or exported on government account have been included as far as possible.

Trade statistics given for the United Kingdom, include, as from 1st April, 1923, the trade of Great Britain and Northern Ireland with the Irish Free State and exclude, from the same date, the direct foreign trade of the Irish Free State.

Production statistics given in the case of Bavaria for the year 1923 refer only to that part of Bavaria lying to the right of the Rhine.

In those cases where values are given in place of quantities, these values have been converted to £ sterling at the average rate of exchange, except where otherwise indicated.

The units of quantity adopted are the British statute cwt. and ton of 112 lb. (avdp.) and 2,240 lb. (avdp.) respectively, the imperial gallon and the metric carat. For precious metals the troy ounce of 480 grains (avdp.) has been used.

References are to notes appearing at the end of each table.

ABRASIVES

PRODUCTION OF NATURAL ABRASIVES (Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Southern Rhodesia—			
Corundum	—	—	37
Union of South Africa—			
Corundum	2,035	2,928	1,288
Canada (a)—			
Corundum	—	—	2
Garnet	—	1,116	—
New Zealand—			
Pumice (e)	3,020	3,716	1,629
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Germany (Bavaria)—			
Emery	413	394	(c)
Italy—			
Pumice	20,698	29,983	30,594
Greece—			
Emery	12,791	21,278	22,200
Spain—			
Garnet	—	966	1,094
Tripoli	516	855	398
Madagascar—			
Corundum (d)	183	414	145
United States—			
Emery	1,311	2,041	1,960
Garnet	6,298	8,041	7,402
Pumice	40,412	50,513	38,974
Tripoli	26,969	24,180	25,425
Japan—			
Garnet sand	3,352	3,530	(c)
Pumiceous sand	61,020	47,369	(c)
Turkey—			
Emery (b)	2,460	2,825	(c)

(a) Sales.

(b) Imports into various countries from Turkey.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Exports.

(e) From quarries controlled under the Stone Quarries Act.

EXPORTS OF ABRASIVES

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Natural abrasives	1,840	2,374	3,096
Artificial abrasives	310	416	658
Union of South Africa—			
Corundum	1,827	2,841	1,652
Canada (b)—			
Corundum	3	4	(a)
Tripoli, etc.	3,558	1,017	19
Artificial abrasives	18,270	44,373	35,458
Hong Kong (c)—			
Emery, etc.	(£6,362)	(£3,360)	(£5,539)
New Zealand—			
Pumice stone	63	56	} 1,629
Pumice sand	2,957	3,660	
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Emery	85	66	84
Pumice	71	79	84
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Carborundum	6	2	(a)
Crude pumice-stone	(a)	(a)	(a)
Crude emery	22	10	(a)
Ground emery	9	74	(a)
France—			
Corundum	335	80	2
Powdered emery	842	1,068	1,032
Pumice stone	92	146	373
Germany—			
Emery	827	481	642
Pumice and tripoli	6,211	1,361	1,612

EXPORTS OF ABRASIVES (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Greece— Emery	9,338	13,237	16,539
Italy— Pumice stone	22,426	24,399	26,876
Netherlands— Emery	637	894	972
Sweden— Emery	7	43	6
Rottenstone	(d)	1	(d)
Carborundum, etc.	247	143	185
Switzerland— Emery and carborundum ..	550	307	206
Madagascar— Corundum	183	414	145
Chile— Emery	4	7	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including re-exports.

(d) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF ABRASIVES
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Natural corundum	(41c)	} 9,878	6,191
Emery	6,513		
Artificial corundum	43	333	1,919
Carborundum	862	1,397	2,072
Other hard abrasives	3,312	4,622	6,024
Union of South Africa—			
Emery (f) (£ South African)	(£6,450)	(£11,874)	(£261)
Canada (b)—			
Pumice and pumice stone, lava and calcareous tufa	(£6,450)	(£5,997)	(£5,780)
Emery in bulk, crushed or ground	(£9,314)	(£12,834)	(£11,386)
Artificial abrasives in bulk, crushed or ground	(£42,866)	(£52,179)	(£75,901)
Hong Kong (d)—			
Emery, etc.	(£14,674)	(£6,260)	(£12,002)
Australia (e)—			
Pumice stone (£ Australian)	(£4,347)	(£15,399)	(£7,596)
New Zealand—			
Pumice stone	2	} 60	71
Pumice sand	4		
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (h)—			
Emery	384	414	454
Pumice.. ..	353	274	400
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Carborundum	12	11	311
Crude pumice-stone	100	35	(a)
Crude emery	141	121	(a)
Ground emery	180	140	(a)

IMPORTS OF ABRASIVES (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Denmark—			
Emery, etc.	66	127	154
Pumice stone	81	162	181
Finland (d)—			
Emery	360	362	(a)
Pumice	92	45	(a)
Tripoli, etc.	58	36	(a)
France—			
Corundum	86	70	92
Powdered emery	199	187	366
Pumice stone	4,569	5,722	7,896
Germany—			
Emery	2,410	543	2,724
Pumice and tripoli	2,302	1,964	4,463
Italy—			
Pumice stone	—	10	4
Netherlands—			
Emery	638	817	2,276
Poland (d)—			
Crude emery, corundum, pum- ice, etc.	(a)	(a)	96
Ground emery, corundum, pumice, etc.	(a)	(a)	158
Portugal—			
Emery	(a)	19	(a)
Spain (d)—			
Carborundum	727	35	(a)
Sweden—			
Emery	144	230	320
Rottenstone	200	154	190
Carborundum, etc.	38	78	77
Switzerland—			
Emery and carborundum	28	77	227

IMPORTS OF ABRASIVES (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Algeria—			
Powdered emery	1	3	(a)
Pumice stone	23	21	(a)
Tunis (<i>d</i>)—			
Emery	20	18	23
United States—			
Crude and manufactured corundum	2,674	5,018	3,120
Crude emery	2,623	6,344	6,320
Emery grains, ground pulver- ized or refined	111	174	172
Crude pumice-stone	8,094	10,993	8,104
Tripoli and rottenstone, includ- ing diatomaceous earth ..	495	363	194
Brazil (<i>d</i>)—			
Emery and glass powder ..	61	43	(a)
Chile—			
Emery	8	11	(a)
Pumice stone	8	4	(a)
Peru—			
Emery powder	(g) 11	4	(a)
Emery stone and pumice stone and powder	48		
China—			
Emery and corundum in pow- der, cloth or paper	(£42,704)	(£44,677)	(£34,015)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Excess of re-exports.

(d) Total imports.

(e) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(f) Values for 1922 and 1923 include those of wheels, cloth, etc., imported; value for 1924 is for emery in bulk only, the quantity being 5 long tons.

(g) Including graphite.

(h) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

ALUMINIUM

(Including Bauxite and Cryolite)

PRODUCTION OF BAUXITE

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Northern Ireland	5,859	3,449	5,158
British Guiana	—	133,562	185,091
India	4,919	6,547	23,228
New South Wales	(b)	—	—
Total ..	10,800	143,600	213,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	4,029	2,690	(e) 3,000
France	(c) 232,346	309,278	330,189
Germany	14,906	6,557	(e) 20,000
Italy	65,575	96,479	138,527
Jugoslavia	32,107	(e) 50,000	(a)
Rumania	3,677	4,095	—
United States	309,600	522,690	347,570
Dutch Guiana	(d) 12,837	12,413	(d) 59,077
Total ..	680,000	1,000,000	950,000
WORLD'S TOTAL ..	690,000	1,140,000	1,160,000

(a) Information not available.

(b) Small quantities were produced for experimental purposes.

(c) Of this quantity, 199,431 long tons were used in the manufacture of aluminium.

(d) Exports.

(e) Approximate production.

PRODUCTION (EXPORTS) OF CRYOLITE IN GREENLAND

Year	Long tons
1922	8,552
1923	18,283
1924	Not available

PRODUCTION OF ALUMINIUM (a)

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	7,000	9,000	12,000
Canada	9,000	12,000	8,000
Total ..	16,000	21,000	20,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	4,000	1,500	2,200
France	(b) 7,374	16,000	17,000
Germany	11,000	15,600	18,400
Italy	(b) 797	(b) 1,449	(b) 2,025
Norway	6,000	(b) 13,105	(b) 19,632
Switzerland	12,000	15,000	20,000
United States	(c) 33,000	(c) 57,500	64,500
Total ..	74,000	120,000	144,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	90,000	141,000	164,000

(a) Estimated.

(b) Official figures.

(c) Revised figures.

EXPORTS OF ALUMINIUM, ETC.

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Alumina	3,548	7,412	10,427
Ingots, blocks, billets, notch- bars, sticks, wirebar, slabs, alloy and scrap	5,026	4,730	2,966
Plates, sheets, bars, sections, tubes, wire, strand, etc. ..	1,326	1,240	1,512
Aluminium sulphates	11,164	17,725	16,535
Other compounds	196	562	949
Canada (b)—			
Blocks, bars, etc.	6,480	6,960	10,113

EXPORTS OF ALUMINIUM, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
British Guiana—			
Bauxite	—	100,346	154,324
Hong Kong (f)—			
Aluminium sulphates ..	4,009	3,261	3,568
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (i)—			
Cryolite	—	—	2
Crude aluminium and its alloys	1,835	1,879	2,240
Plates, sheets, bars, rods, and wire	—	17	15
Aluminium sulphate	1	53	176
Belgium—			
Crude aluminium	(e) 119	(g)	(g)
Beaten, rolled or drawn aluminium	(e) 1	(g)	(g)
Aluminium sulphates	(e) 15	(g)	(g)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Crude aluminium	(h) 136	213	209
Beaten, rolled or drawn aluminium	(h) 12	4	5
Aluminium sulphates	(h) 15	86	404
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Cryolite	(d)	5	(a)
Aluminium sulphates, including chloride	1,247	131	(a)
Denmark—			
Refined cryolite	6,645	—	—
France—			
Bauxite, etc.	164,396	189,414	199,279
Ingots or scrap	1,810	319	240
Beaten, rolled or drawn aluminium, also wire and powder	210	888	668
Aluminium sulphates, etc. ..	2,977	27,087	40,003
Germany—			
Crude bauxite and natural cryolite	57	90	7
Crude aluminium and scrap ..	441	195	1,128
Beaten or rolled aluminium and castings	2,311	3,051	3,566
Aluminium sulphates, etc., including refined bauxite ..	36,782	18,928	16,311

EXPORTS OF ALUMINIUM, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Italy—			
Crude aluminium (c)	339	153	2
Sheets, bars, and tubes (c) ..	10	43	41
Aluminium sulphates, etc. ..	334	455	362
Netherlands—			
Crude aluminium and scrap ..	310	163	234
Aluminium sulphates	64	11	10
Norway—			
Ingots	6,078	12,573	18,866
Sheets	139	122	246
Poland—			
Aluminium	9	27	(a)
Rumania (f)—			
Crude aluminium and scrap ..	—	—	20
Sweden—			
Crude aluminium	2	3	1
Sheets and strips	4	19	59
Aluminium sulphates	1,458	4,632	4,286
Switzerland—			
Blocks, ingots, etc., and scrap—			
Pure	6,086	9,253	12,364
Alloyed	960	530	878
Bars, sheets, tubes and wire ..	1,377	1,471	1,143
Aluminium sulphates	12	2	3
Greenland—			
Cryolite	8,552	18,283	(a)
United States—			
Bauxite, including alumina ..	19,617	78,560	77,065
Ingots and alloys	687	522	1,499
Plates and sheets	1,254	1,951	1,333
Dutch Guiana—			
Bauxite	12,837	(a)	59,077
China—			
Aluminium sulphates	3,979	4,353	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including aluminium-copper alloys.

(d) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(e) Four months only, January–April.

(f) Including re-exports.

(g) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(h) Eight months only, May–December.

(i) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF ALUMINIUM, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Bauxite	43,823	64,392	77,946
Alumina	179	41	31
Ingots, blocks, billets, notchbars, sticks, wirebar, slabs, alloy and scrap	821	2,397	9,605
Plates, sheets, bars, sections, tubes, wire, strand, etc. ..	1,389	2,801	2,607
Aluminium sulphates	10,429	10,241	11,747
Other compounds	205	352	263
Canada (b)—			
Cryolite	618	704	573
Alumina	34,748	55,849	60,059
Ingots, blocks, bars, rods, strips, sheets, plates	460	313	262
Tubes	20	32	26
Leaf and foil	(£40,216)	(£36,235)	(£31,523)
Aluminium sulphates	15,723	16,690	16,471
Hong Kong (g)—			
Aluminium sulphates	2,912	4,251	4,525
India (b) (l)—			
Ingots, blocks, bars, etc. ..	460	371	(e) 255
Circles	2,867	3,289	(e) 3,743
Sheets	147	195	(e) 145
Aluminium sulphates	5,759	7,028	(e) 5,915
Australia (d)—			
Pigs, ingots, blocks, bars, powder and scrap	66	252	761
Rods, strips, sheets, plates, pipes or tubes	61		
Aluminium sulphates	233	460	359
New Zealand—			
Aluminium sulphates	30	26	51
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (m)—			
Cryolite	128	275	452
Crude aluminium and its alloys	163	294	570
Plates, sheets, bars, rods and wire	—	77	195
Aluminium sulphates	3,290	2,824	2,685

IMPORTS OF ALUMINIUM, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Belgium—			
Crude aluminium	(c) 152	(i)	(i)
Sheets	(c) 26	(i)	(i)
Simply-cast aluminium ..	(c) 1	(i)	(i)
Beaten, rolled or drawn aluminium	(c) 92	(i)	(i)
Aluminium sulphates	(c) 1,427	(i)	(i)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Crude aluminium	(h) 349	887	1,021
Sheets	(h) 34	89	
Simply-cast aluminium ..	(h) 3	4	532
Beaten, rolled or drawn aluminium	(h) 191	550	
Aluminium sulphates	(h) 1,705	1,974	3,291
Czechoslovakia (g)—			
Cryolite	154	363	(a)
Sheet and plates	56	17	(a)
Aluminium sulphates, includ- ing chloride	296	90	(a)
Denmark—			
Crude cryolite	4,918	12,446	16,518
Crude aluminium	61	62	112
Leaf	11	14	26
Aluminium sulphates	964	1,030	1,520
Esthonia—			
Aluminium sulphates	328	486	460
Finland (g)—			
Unwrought aluminium, includ- ing scrap	13	4	(a)
Plates and sheets	17	20	(a)
Aluminium sulphates	4,380	3,218	4,200
France—			
Ingots and scrap	306	1,232	1,032
Beaten, rolled or drawn alu- minium, also wire and powder	111	198	257
Aluminium sulphates, etc. ..	20	186	10
Germany—			
Crude bauxite and natural cryolite	163,985	176,208	116,531
Crude aluminium and scrap ..	3,610	5,359	5,383
Beaten or rolled aluminium and castings	15	7	48
Aluminium sulphates, etc., including refined bauxite ..	563	1,534	1,075

IMPORTS OF ALUMINIUM, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Greece—			
Aluminium	36	115	(a)
Italy—			
Crude aluminium (h)	122	1,853	2,730
Sheets, bars and tubes (h) ..	100	85	157
Aluminium sulphates, etc. ..	1,790	1,231	2,282
Netherlands—			
Crude aluminium and scrap ..	98	265	361
Aluminium sulphates	430	306	291
Norway—			
Bauxite	(j 109)	1,503	(g £188,638)
Cryolite	711	1,318	(g £73,711)
Alumina	11,604	10,189	(g £390,301)
Crude aluminium	1	6	(a)
Aluminium sulphates	1,829	(g) 2,631	(a)
Poland (g)—			
Bauxite	(a)	(a)	35
Crude aluminium including scrap	81	92	222
Sulphates	(a)	(a)	274
Portugal—			
Aluminium	(a)	36	(a)
Aluminium sulphates	(a)	251	(a)
Rumania (g)—			
Beaten or rolled aluminium ..	13	12	40
Aluminium sulphates, including potassium sulphate	1,003	945	1,219
Spain (g)—			
Alumina	610	589	(a)
Lumps and ingots	148	113	(a)
Bars, sheets, tubes and wire ..	408	869	(a)
Sweden—			
Crude aluminium	327	613	1,068
Sheets and strips	193	174	109
Aluminium sulphates	1,617	1,104	2,125
Switzerland—			
Blocks, ingots, etc., and scrap—			
Pure	36	70	74
Alloyed	57	45	42
Bars, sheets, tubes and wire ..	40	58	81
Aluminium sulphates	331	604	444
Egypt—			
Aluminium sulphates	1,574	1,829	2,365

IMPORTS OF ALUMINIUM, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
United States—			
Crude bauxite and common blue clay	27,448	119,020	201,974
Cryolite	3,899	6,375	6,320
Crude aluminium, scrap, etc. ..	17,760	19,225	13,122
Plates, sheets, bars, etc. ..	(f) 425	572	319
Refined bauxite	441	539	420
Aluminium sulphates	2,349	1,450	1,827
Argentina—			
Ingots and sheets	70	121	75
Aluminium sulphates	1,118	1,860	1,998
Brazil—			
Bars, sheets and wire	96	762	(a)
Chile—			
Bars and sheets	30	43	(a)
Aluminium sulphates	51	166	(a)
China—			
Aluminium	77	62	57
Dutch East Indies—			
Aluminium	3	9	19
Aluminium sulphates	650	541	637
Japan (g)—			
Cryolite	306	822	328
Aluminium	3,934	(o) 3,625	4,121
Syria (n)—			
Aluminium sulphates	56	40	40

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Four months only, January–April.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(f) Figures refer to the period 22nd September–31st December only.

(g) Total imports.

(h) Eight months only, May–December.

(i) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(j) Excess of re-exports.

(k) Including aluminium-copper alloys.

(l) Overseas trade only.

(m) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(n) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(o) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

ANTIMONY

PRODUCTION OF ANTIMONY ORE

(In terms of metal)

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Australia	744	518	160
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	172	77	1
Czechoslovakia	98	(b)	(f) 341
France	1,025	430	860
Italy	180	333	457
Jugoslavia	(b)	(b)	129
Spain	—	40	(b)
Algeria (d)	570	492	232
Mexico	456	482	762
United States	4	9	29
Argentina (a) (c)	5	20	—
Bolivia (d)	182	307	739
Asia Minor (e)	400	400	400
China (c)—			
Ore (a)	1,815	2,018	561
Crude antimony	1,579	2,881	1,863
Regulus	11,966	11,494	10,527
WORLD'S TOTAL	18,000	19,000	17,000

- (a) Ore, metal content not known.
 (b) Information not available.
 (c) Exports.
 (d) Antimony content of ore exported.
 (e) Approximate production.
 (f) Smelter production.

EXPORTS OF ANTIMONY, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Regulus	565	627	603
Nigeria—			
Regulus	(e)	(e)	—
Hong Kong (b)—			
Ore	177	201	161
Crude and regulus	542	202	26
Antifriction metal	13	26	10
Australia (c)—			
Ore	712	1,061	435
Regulus and antimony-lead alloys (£ Australian)	(£2,985)	(£647)	(£3,340)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Regulus	158	156	55
Czechoslovakia (b)—			
Regulus	412	47	(a)
Estonia—			
Crude antimony	(a)	(a)	3
France—			
Ore	3	519	18
Crude and regulus	479	663	716
Germany—			
Regulus and scrap	26	52	68
Italy—			
Regulus	97	52	174
Netherlands—			
Regulus	18	7	59
Spain (b)—			
Ore	(a)	641	(a)
Sweden—			
Ore	—	(e)	(a)
Algeria—			
Ore	1,304	1,328	2,530
United States—			
Crude and regulus	100	—	—
Argentina—			
Ore	5	20	—

EXPORTS OF ANTIMONY, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Bolivia—			
Ore (d)	182	307	739
China—			
Ore	1,815	2,018	561
Crude antimony	1,579	2,881	1,863
Regulus	11,966	11,494	10,527
Japan—			
Regulus	127	70	84
Siam (b) (f)—			
Ore	—	—	9

(a) Information not available.

(b) Including re-exports.

(c) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(d) Antimony content.

(e) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(f) Figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes, and to years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(g) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF ANTIMONY, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore, including crude	1,023	1,539	1,156
Regulus	1,706	3,436	3,521
Canada (a)—			
Regulus	260	340	343
Hong Kong (f)—			
Ore	193	—	—
Crude and regulus	343	2	2
Antifriction metal	28	19	23
India (a) (b)—			
Antifriction metal	221	191	(d) 247
Australia (c)—			
Ore	—	—	32
Crude and regulus	(g)	153	142
Antifriction and plastic metals	(g)	56	71
Antimony sulphide	3	24	3
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (h)—			
Regulus	241	50	105
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Crude and regulus	90	11	(g)
Denmark—			
Regulus and manufactures ..	24	27	22
Esthonia—			
Crude antimony	—	9	10
France—			
Ore	1,428	1,351	2,695
Crude and regulus	520	227	83
Germany—			
Ore, including crude	2,670	992	923
Regulus and scrap	2,417	1,309	1,514
Italy—			
Regulus	91	25	20

IMPORTS OF ANTIMONY, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Netherlands—			
Regulus	45	59	60
Norway—			
Regulus	20	25	(g)
Poland—			
Regulus	92	148	(g)
Portugal—			
Crude antimony and alloys of antimony	(g)	24	(g)
Rumania (f)—			
Crude antimony	44	106	53
Spain (f)—			
Regulus	7	41	(g)
Sweden—			
Ore	84	128	162
Switzerland—			
Antimony sulphide	69	124	105
United States—			
Ore (e)	(g)	935	803
Regulus and crude	7,904	6,969	6,371
Japan—			
Regulus	1,219	573	961

- (a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.
 (b) Overseas trade only.
 (c) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.
 (d) Total imports, excluding government stores.
 (e) Antimony content.
 (f) Total imports.
 (g) Information not available.
 (h) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

ARSENIC**PRODUCTION OF ARSENIC**

(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Arsenical pyrites	354	729	299
White arsenic and arsenic soot	978	1,605	3,207
Southern Rhodesia—			
Ore	444	762	525
Union of South Africa—			
White arsenic	3	5	97
Canada (b)—			
Arsenic in gold concentrates ..	462	563	458
White arsenic	1,838	2,303	1,605
Australia—			
Arsenical ores	1,075	11,770	} 5,048
White arsenic	691	610	
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria—			
Arsenic content of arsenical pyrites	(c)	(c)	39
Arsenic content of gold ores ..	101	134	213
Belgium—			
White arsenic	992	1,358	(c)
France—			
Ore	775	4,177	10,382
White arsenic	418	(c)	(c)
Germany—			
Ore	49,727	65,791	(c)
Greece—			
White arsenic	951	1,157	(c)
Italy—			
Ore	443	203	145
Norway—			
Arsenical pyrites	—	568	(c)

PRODUCTION OF ARSENIC (*Cont.*)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Sweden— Ore	—	—	80
Switzerland— Ore	10	(c)	(c)
Mexico— Arsenic content of ore and white arsenic	267	1,380	1,273
United States— White arsenic	8,348	13,305	18,015
Brazil— White arsenic	152	159	(c)
Peru— White arsenic	(c)	113	(c)
China (<i>a</i>)— Ore	540	406	464
White arsenic	29	173	233
Japan— Ore	2,260	(c)	(c)
White arsenic	1,891	4,228	(c)
Korea— Ore	55	(c)	(c)
Turkey— Ore	(<i>d</i>) 200	(c)	(c)

(a) Exports.

(b) Sales.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Production of the Balia Karaidan Mines during the working year, 1921-22.

EXPORTS OF ARSENIC, ETC.
(*Domestic Produce*)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Metallic arsenic.. ..	(d)	65	95
White arsenic	203	471	560
Other compounds of arsenic ..	64	158	35
Southern Rhodesia—			
White arsenic	213	229	207
Canada (b)—			
White arsenic, etc.	1,415	1,815	1,795
Hong Kong (c)—			
White arsenic, etc.	27	9	13
India (b) (e)—			
White arsenic, etc.	8	5	(a)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)—			
Sulphide of arsenic	1	1	(d)
Metallic arsenic	2	2	2
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Metallic arsenic	(d)	14	(a)
White arsenic	(d)	10	(a)
France—			
Ore	95	577	254
Sulphide of arsenic	5	49	40
Metallic arsenic	(d)	23	5
White arsenic	111	777	145
Arsenates	67	111	190
Peru—			
White arsenic	(a)	246	(a)
China—			
Realgar	540	406	464
White arsenic, etc.	29	173	233
Japan—			
White arsenic	2,604	(a)	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including re-exports.

(d) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(e) Overseas trade only.

(f) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF ARSENIC, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Metallic arsenic	26	24	35
White arsenic	1,943	2,767	1,993
Other compounds of arsenic ..	145	624	249
Union of South Africa—			
Sodium arsenite	575	724	754
Canada (c)—			
Sulphide of arsenic	6	1	8
White arsenic	496	135	42
India (c) (e)—			
Arsenic and its oxides	30	61	(b) 83
New Zealand—			
White arsenic, etc.	32	70	24
Arsenates	18	23	48
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)—			
Metallic arsenic	20	22	18
Sulphide of arsenic	6	14	14
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Metallic arsenic	7	4	(a)
White arsenic	81	46	(a)
France—			
Ore	—	—	1
Sulphide of arsenic	46	6	33
Metallic arsenic	27	29	16
White arsenic	153	295	390
Sodium arsenate	6	4	10
Germany—			
Ore	200	369	794
Italy—			
Metallic arsenic	11	5	6
White arsenic	153	245	284
Poland (d)—			
Metallic arsenic	(a)	(a)	2
White arsenic	(a)	(a)	4
Rumania (d)—			
White arsenic	9	5	5

IMPORTS OF ARSENIC (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Spain (<i>d</i>)—			
Arsenic	61	51	(<i>a</i>)
Egypt—			
White arsenic, etc.	3	2	4
United States—			
White arsenic, etc.	777	9,065	7,904
Sulphide of arsenic	3,406	980	209
Argentina—			
White arsenic, etc.	317	249	385

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(*c*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*d*) Total imports.

(*e*) Overseas trade only.

(*f*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

ASBESTOS

PRODUCTION OF ASBESTOS

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Southern Rhodesia ..	12,722	18,182	23,340
Union of South Africa ..	4,567	7,312	6,767
Canada (a)	141,092	211,303	201,557
Cyprus	2,285	(b) 2,151	(b) 4,372
India	242	247	125
Australia	742	326	78
Total ..	161,650	239,521	236,239
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Italy	531	1,513	2,125
Russia	5,739	10,698	(d)
Spain	5	—	(d)
United States (c) ..	60	203	268
China (b)	194	126	(d)
Japan	919	813	(d)
Total ..	7,000	13,000	14,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	169,000	253,000	250,000

(a) In addition, sales of actinolite were 45, 47, and 232 long tons during the three years, respectively.

(b) Exports.

(c) Sales.

(d) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF ASBESTOS
(*Domestic Produce*)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Raw asbestos and fibre ..	88	104	307
Asbestos waste, including asbestic	3	8	22
Southern Rhodesia—			
Raw asbestos	12,352	17,412	23,563
Union of South Africa—			
Raw asbestos	8,009	8,847	5,896
Canada (b)—			
Asbestos	94,050	126,061	96,647
Asbestos sand (<i>i.e.</i> , short fibre) and waste	54,687	75,266	93,476
Cyprus—			
Asbestos	200	2,151	4,372
Hong Kong (d)—			
Asbestos	(£1,617)	(£1,791)	(£1,266)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Asbestos	270	303	240
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Asbestos	94	15	20
France—			
Asbestos board, fibre, etc. ..	498	1,149	2,286
Germany—			
Raw asbestos and fibre ..	300	208	281
Italy—			
Asbestos	312	415	558
Netherlands—			
Asbestos	8	46	3
Poland—			
Asbestos	13	3	(a)
Sweden—			
Unmanufactured asbestos ..	9	15	(c)
Switzerland—			
Raw asbestos and mica ..	27	2	14
United States—			
Raw and unmanufactured asbestos	336	607	1,134
Chile—			
Prepared asbestos	(c)	—	(a)
China—			
Asbestos	194	126	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(d) Including re-exports.

(e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF ASBESTOS
(*Less Re-exports*)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Raw asbestos and fibre ..	9,340	9,871	15,080
Asbestos waste, including asbestic	407	946	2,199
Canada (<i>b</i>)—			
Asbestos packing	63	70	118
Newfoundland (<i>d</i>)—			
Asbestos	(£716)	(£801)	(£879)
Hong Kong (<i>c</i>)—			
Asbestos	(£23,065)	(£12,311)	(£11,101)
New Zealand—			
Asbestos in sheets, slates and tiles	(£22,949)	(£39,049)	(£68,754)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>e</i>)—			
Asbestos	2,754	3,199	5,189
Czechoslovakia (<i>c</i>)—			
Asbestos	1,487	1,917	5,306
Denmark—			
Asbestos	108	158	185
Esthonia—			
Asbestos, ground and unground, including fibre, board, etc...	29	73	53
Finland (<i>c</i>)—			
Ground asbestos, including mica	35	83	(<i>a</i>)
France—			
Asbestos board, fibre, etc. ..	310	425	573
Germany—			
Raw asbestos and fibre ..	8,381	5,559	6,603
Italy—			
Asbestos	1,085	2,133	3,781
Netherlands—			
Asbestos	70	396	1,162
Norway—			
Asbestos	207	295	(<i>a</i>)
Poland—			
Asbestos	969	700	(<i>a</i>)
Portugal—			
Raw asbestos	(<i>a</i>)	63	(<i>a</i>)

IMPORTS OF ASBESTOS (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Rumania (<i>c</i>)—			
Raw asbestos	465	321	249
Asbestos in sheets	150	58	38
Spain (<i>c</i>)—			
Unmanufactured asbestos ..	1,348	1,130	(<i>a</i>)
Sweden—			
Unmanufactured asbestos ..	197	357	234
Switzerland—			
Raw asbestos and mica	954	1,258	969
Algeria—			
Asbestos board, fibre, etc. ..	340	506	(<i>a</i>)
Egypt—			
Asbestos	132	319	209
United States—			
Unmanufactured asbestos ..	133,225	189,520	163,058
Argentina—			
Asbestos	365	465	674
Brazil (<i>c</i>)—			
Asbestos	11	14	(<i>a</i>)
Chile—			
Raw asbestos	7	27	(<i>a</i>)
Prepared asbestos	96	156	(<i>a</i>)
Peru—			
Asbestos in pieces, powder, fibre or cement	245	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
China—			
Asbestos	(£31,940)	(£25,655)	(£22,358)
Japan (<i>c</i>)—			
Asbestos in lumps, powder or fibre	3,244	(<i>f</i>) 4,670	6,432

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Total imports.

(*d*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*e*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*f*) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

BARIUM MINERALS

PRODUCTION OF BARIUM MINERALS

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom <i>(a)</i> ..	40,949	43,497	54,767
Southern Rhodesia ..	—	9	63
Canada <i>(b)</i>	258	365	81
India	2,392	2,570	2,303
Australia	1,897	1,861	2,048
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	2,106	2,339	517
Belgium	1,456	6,661	(c)
France	12,431	(c)	(c)
Germany—			
Bavaria	15,880	19,649	(c)
Prussia	161,723	95,645	(c)
Italy	20,960	27,149	38,932
Spain	(d) 2,042	(d) 11,575	6,659
Algeria	1,200	700	(c)
United States <i>(b)</i> ..	138,429	191,235	(e) 179,500
Japan	47	46	(c)

(a) Excluding Irish Free State, for which figures are not available.

(b) Sales.

(c) Information not available.

(d) In addition, 1,600 cubic yards and 1,900 cubic yards of barytes were produced from quarries during 1922 and 1923, respectively.

(e) Approximate.

EXPORTS OF BARIUM MINERALS, ETC.

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Unground barytes	1,127	1,422	2,764
Ground barytes	3,283	3,832	2,751
Barium dioxide.. ..	294	394	632
Other compounds of barium ..	2,695	3,833	5,218
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>d</i>)—			
Barytes	1,342	770	677
Barium chloride	31	7	9
Barium sulphate	2	2	1
Czechoslovakia (<i>c</i>)—			
Crude barytes	(<i>b</i>)	13	(<i>a</i>)
Ground barytes	16	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Barium carbonate	1	1	(<i>a</i>)
Barium chloride	2,717	2,087	2,324
France—			
Barytes	480	11,289	5,084
Precipitated barium sulphate, etc.	701	1,373	801
Witherite	3	4	31
Precipitated barium carbonate	9	5	8
Barium chloride	704	697	812
Barium dioxide.. ..	363	532	375
Barium nitrate	1	3	3
Barium sulphide	4	8	(<i>b</i>)
Germany—			
Barytes and celestite	107,047	89,100	65,125
Precipitated barium sulphate	3,563	3,856	3,553
Barium chloride	2,606	2,881	3,254
Barium nitrate	558	383	442
Italy—			
Barium sulphate	532	2,962	5,248
Barium carbonate	(<i>b</i>)	5	2
Netherlands—			
Barytes	106	460	859
Sweden—			
Barytes	12	1	—

(a) Information not available.*(b)* Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.*(c)* Including re-exports.*(d)* Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF BARIUM MINERALS, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Unground barytes	4,929	1,497	2,931
Ground barytes	29,316	35,566	36,106
Barium dioxide	991	442	401
Other compounds of barium ..	356	837	731
Canada (b)—			
Barytes	2,328	2,295	2,014
Barium dioxide	65	59	34
India (b) (f)—			
Barytes	104	439	354
Australia (d)—			
Barytes	6	64	16
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Barytes	1,983	1,600	1,491
Barium chloride	236	296	392
Barium sulphate	509	238	447
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Crude barytes	4,284	3,523	(a)
Ground barytes	2,754	2,534	(a)
Barium carbonate	59	134	(a)
Barium chloride	(e)	1	(a)
Barium sulphide	(e)	(e)	(a)
Denmark—			
Barytes and precipitated barium sulphate	282	345	487
Barium chloride	3	10	21
Esthonia—			
Barytes and witherite	(a)	(a)	23
Finland (c)—			
Barytes	349	455	(a)
Barium chloride	31	38	(a)

IMPORTS OF BARIUM MINERALS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
France—			
Barytes	5,598	7,978	11,402
Precipitated barium sulphate, etc.	543	404	577
Witherite	999	1,690	1,324
Precipitated barium carbonate	4,371	2,224	4,853
Barium chloride	1,921	2,305	2,724
Barium dioxide	6	11	22
Barium nitrate	13	37	67
Barium sulphide	823	711	68
Germany—			
Barytes and celestite	6,311	6,905	1,390
Precipitated barium sulphate	27	14	(e)
Barium chloride	209	429	237
Barium nitrate	—	—	10
Italy—			
Barium sulphate	931	834	815
Barium carbonate	—	20	14
Netherlands—			
Barytes	33,238	32,364	25,593
Poland (c)—			
Crude barytes	(a)	(a)	1,640
Witherite	(a)	(a)	161
Barium carbonate	(a)	(a)	10
Barium chloride	(a)	(a)	31
Barium dioxide	(a)	(a)	3
Portugal—			
Barium dioxide	(a)	6	(a)
Rumania (c)—			
Barium sulphate	33	18	36
Witherite	70	16	6
Barium chloride	451	646	159
Russia—			
Barium chloride	612	64	(a)
Sweden—			
Barytes	659	762	868
Egypt—			
Barytes	1	(e)	—

IMPORTS OF BARIUM MINERALS (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
United States—			
Crude barytes	20,749	13,433	19,198
Refined barytes	4,193	5,377	2,527
Barium compounds	9,484	3,551	6,272
Argentina—			
Barytes	695	1,480	1,936
Precipitated barium sulphate	191	87	95
Chile—			
Barium compounds	48	20	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Total imports.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Less than $\frac{1}{4}$ ton.

(f) Overseas trade only.

(g) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

BISMUTH

PRODUCTION OF BISMUTH
(Cwt.)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (b)—			
Metal	—	—	115
India—			
Ore		—	1
Australia—			
Ore and metal	136	125	305
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia—			
Ore	(a)	(a)	2,631
Germany (Saxony)—			
Bismuth ore	} 2,500	(a)	(a)
Bismuth-cobalt-nickel ore			
Rumania—			
Metal	—	2	—
Spain—			
Ore	963	1,800	2,460
Metal	187	433	810
United States—			
Metal	(d) 2,021	(e) 4,200	(a)
Bolivia (c)—			
Ore	2,263	} 3,757	7,860
Concentrates	236		
Metal	2,735		
Residuum	787		
Peru—			
Metal content	(c) 128	25	(a)
China (c)—			
Ore	1,094	(a)	(a)
Japan—			
Ore	51	148	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Sales of metal recovered in the treatment of silver-cobalt ores.

(c) Exports.

(d) Purchases, including some imported.

(e) Supply derived from domestic and imported materials.

EXPORTS OF BISMUTH, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom— Metallic bismuth	113	110	174
Hong Kong (c)— Bismuth ore	(a)	(a)	77
Australia (b)— Bismuth ore	2	2	3
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France— Bismuth	1	2	2
Bismuth salts	30	23	56
Bolivia— Ore	113	} 188	} 393
Concentrates	12		
Metallic bismuth	137		
Residuum	39		
Peru— Concentrates	21	(a)	(a)
<i>Metallic content</i>	<i>128 cwt.</i>	(a)	(a)
China— Ore	55	(a)	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(c) Including re-exports.

IMPORTS OF BISMUTH, ETC.
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Bismuth ore	178	298	101
Metallic bismuth	102	201	214
Canada (b)—			
Metallic bismuth	1	2	1
Bismuth salts	(£8,142)	(£9,072)	(£9,250)
Australia (c)—			
Bismuth salts	6	5	10
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France—			
Bismuth	55	73	75
Poland (a)—			
Bismuth salts	(d)	(d)	6
Portugal—			
Bismuth salts	(d)	1	(d)
Rumania (a)—			
Bismuth salts	1	3	3
United States—			
Bismuth	54	28	8
Japan (a)—			
Bismuth	19	28	16

(a) Total imports.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(d) Information not available.

BORATES

PRODUCTION OF BORATES
(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Germany (Prussia)—			
Boracite	102	65	(a)
Italy—			
Crude boric acid	2,409	2,438	2,652
United States—			
Crude borates (b)	76,089	122,009	103,670
Argentina (c)—			
Borate of calcium	1,704	1,217	2,102
Chile—			
Borate of calcium	32,754	34,116	(a)
Peru—			
Borates	546	249	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Including naturally-occurring borax.

(c) Exports.

EXPORTS OF BORATES*(Domestic Produce)*

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Borate of calcium	5	22	179
Borax	8,677	6,221	6,375
Boric acid	1,012	2,080	1,398
Hong Kong (c)—			
Borax	145	150	192
India (d)—			
By land (c)—Borax	(b)	(b)	28
By sea—Borax	160	245	186

EXPORTS OF BORATES (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)—			
Crude borax	7	20	42
Refined borax	144	275	335
Boric acid	118	40	16
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Crude borax	3	1	(a)
Refined borax	2	3	(a)
Crude boric acid	—	(b)	(a)
Refined boric acid	2	2	(a)
Denmark—			
Borax and boric acid	4	4	3
France—			
Crude borax	52	117	44
Refined borax	1,069	428	954
Borate of manganese	1	15	15
Perborate of sodium	1	2	10
Natural boric acid of Tuscany	31	23	25
Other boric acid	1,058	1,168	1,301
Germany—			
Borax	1,362	2,416	2,224
Italy—			
Borax	2	1	5
Boric acid	1,408	1,618	1,657
Netherlands—			
Borax	28	8	24
Rumania (c)—			
Borax	—	—	1
Sweden—			
Borax	(b)	1	} 2
Boric acid	(b)	1	
United States—			
Borax	7,880	18,080	15,063
Boric acid	697	398	325
Argentina—			
Borate of calcium	1,704	1,217	2,102
Chile—			
Borate of calcium	29,672	35,310	(a)
Peru—			
Borates	546	538	(a)
Turkey—			
Borates	(e) 8,871	(e)	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(c) Including re-exports.

(d) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(e) Imports into United Kingdom, Germany and France from Turkey during 1922; in 1923 no imports into these three countries from Turkey were recorded.

(f) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF BORATES

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Borate of calcium	20,928	16,347	17,433
Borax	1,619	2,674	3,537
Boric acid	796	1,865	2,100
Southern Rhodesia—			
Borax	26	42	26
South-West Africa Territory—			
Borax	(b)	1	1
Union of South Africa—			
Borax	149	225	211
Canada (d)—			
Borax in bulk	1,278	1,242	1,139
Boric acid, in packages of not less than 25 pounds	241	253	260
Hong Kong (e)—			
Borax	284	255	339
India (d)—			
By land (e)—Borax	1,075	1,562	1,250
By sea—Borax and boric acid .	592	592	(a)
Australia (c)—			
Borax	579	796	980
Boric acid	437	407	399
New Zealand—			
Borax	190	200	224
Boric acid	103	150	112
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)—			
Crude borax	539	470	1,295
Refined borax	55	26	35
Boric acid	10	7	6
Czechoslovakia (e)—			
Crude borax	1,417	593	(a)
Refined borax	81	6	3
Crude boric acid	—	(b)	(a)
Refined boric acid	124	90	(a)
Denmark—			
Borates of calcium and magne- sium	139	198	200
Borax and boric acid	29	27	30

IMPORTS OF BORATES (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Esthonia—			
Borax and boric acid refined ..	10	8	7
Finland (e)—			
Borax	97	87	(a)
Boric acid	19	19	(a)
France—			
Crude borax	7,164	7,005	7,990
Refined borax	23	99	520
Borate of manganese	12	12	10
Perborate of sodium	27	38	24
Other boric acid	40	72	66
Germany—			
Borates of calcium and sodium	12,418	8,655	9,826
Borax	4,351	2,024	2,290
Italy—			
Borax	281	501	886
Boric acid	1	26	42
Netherlands—			
Borax	873	1,084	955
Norway—			
Borax	89	75	(a)
Poland (e)—			
Refined borax	(a)	(a)	201
Boric acid	(a)	(a)	12
Portugal—			
Borate of sodium	(a)	280	(a)
Rumania (e)—			
Borax	25	193	173
Boric acid	29	45	21
Sweden—			
Borax	359	618	607
Boric acid	100	119	99
Switzerland—			
Borax	232	305	231
Egypt—			
Borax	39	40	(e) 51
Tunis (e)—			
Borax	4	7	15
United States—			
Crude borate of calcium, etc. . .	(b)	(b)	(a)
Borax	3,060	855	1,000
Boric acid	376	135	145

IMPORTS OF BORATES (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Argentina—			
Borate and peroxide of manganese	52	70	106
Borax	28	34	22
Boric acid	19	54	8
Chile—			
Borax	80	95	(a)
Boric acid	4	6	(a)
Japan (e)—			
Borax	2,614	2,592	3,098
Boric acid	512	825	789

(a) Information not available.

(b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(c) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(d) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(e) Total imports.

(f) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

CADMIUM**PRODUCTION OF CADMIUM**

(Lb. avdp.)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Australia	80,640	275,518	356,898
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Upper Silesia	54,609	90,143	22,615
United States—			
Metallic cadmium ..	131,590	183,816	129,328
Cadmium sulphide ..	134,774	(a)	(a)

(a) Information not available for publication.

EXPORTS OF CADMIUM*(Domestic Produce)*

(Lb. avdp.)

Exporting Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	2,430	1,537	8,547
Australia (b)	(a)	139,440	141,792
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France	—	220	220
Poland	(a)	(a)	34,823

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

IMPORTS OF CADMIUM

(Less Re-exports)

(Lb. avdp.)

Importing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	35,210	63,310	58,613
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France	24,244	92,788	104,470
Poland (c)	(a)	(a)	1,322
United States	2,240	16	1,102
Chile (b)	18	18	(a)

(a) Information not available.*(b)* Cadmium salts.*(c)* Total imports.

CHINA CLAY

PRODUCTION OF CHINA CLAY

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	666,834	720,533	806,364
Union of South Africa ..	18	29	1
Canada	1,069	146	(c)
Federated Malay States (b)	1,400	1,400	(c)
Australia	(b) 5,500	5,949	4,828
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Belgium (d)	2,863	14,739	(c)
Czechoslovakia (a) ..	215,036	139,277	(c)
France (f)	77,931	(c)	(c)
Germany (Bavaria) ..	254,400	266,625	(c)
Italy	7,563	9,604	33,636
Rumania (h)	5,180	17,602	8,516
Spain	(g) 11,434	(g) 14,533	(c)
Algeria	1,476	(c)	(c)
United States (e)	246,138	300,717	291,617
Chile	354	590	(c)
Japan—			
Porcelain stones and earth	269,627	417,047	(c)
Clay for paper manufac- ture	8,195	31,640	(c)

(a) Exports less imports.

(b) Approximate production.

(c) Information not available.

(d) "Eurite" and kaolin.

(e) Sales of china clay and "paper clay."

(f) Including kaolinic sand and felspar.

(g) Including 5,702 cubic metres and 2,150 cubic metres produced in quarries during 1922 and 1923, respectively, converted at the rate of 1 cubic metre = 2 long tons.

(h) Converted from cubic metres at the rate of 1 cubic metre = 2 long tons.

EXPORTS OF CHINA CLAY

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (a) ..	503,488	522,758	614,202
Federated Malay States (b)	1,000	1,000	(e)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)	662	395	2,370
Czechoslovakia (c) ..	215,402	140,043	181,329
Denmark	4,823	7,522	10,994
France	1,760	4,926	6,326
Germany	34,102	19,178	21,636
Italy	11	3	206
Poland (c)	(e)	(e)	12
Rumania (c)	(g)	20	(g)
Sweden	320	538	655
Switzerland (d)	3,975	5,781	6,826
Algeria	214	822	(e)
United States	1,867	(e)	(e)

(a) Including Cornish or china stone.

(b) Approximate.

(c) Including re-exports.

(d) Including fireclay, potters' clay, infusorial earth and crude mineral earths.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(g) Less than $\frac{1}{4}$ ton.

IMPORTS OF CHINA CLAY

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (a) ..	474	1,009	992
Canada (b)	11,972	14,959	18,594
India (b) (f)	15,144	18,106	(c) 22,472
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (h)	21,017	17,196	16,107
Czechoslovakia (d) ..	366	766	(g)
Denmark—			
Crude	4,637	} 4,628	{ 1,959
Refined	531		
Finland (d)	18,277	12,149	(g)
France	60,179	63,023	59,576
Germany	186,404	106,516	157,467
Italy	17,890	30,754	32,026
Poland (d)	(g)	(g)	17,613
Rumania (d)—			
Unground	392	361	198
Ground	831	532	1,308
Sweden	19,419	26,765	25,220
Switzerland (e)	31,900	46,060	75,294
United States	276,968	279,166	315,437
Argentina	532	714	1,448

(a) Including Cornish or china stone.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(d) Total imports.

(e) Including fireclay, potters' clay, infusorial earth and crude mineral earths.

(f) Overseas trade only.

(g) Information not available.

(h) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

CHROME ORE AND CHROMIUM

PRODUCTION OF CHROME ORE

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	595	546	1,043
Southern Rhodesia ..	83,460	86,317	154,218
Union of South Africa ..	86	—	4,500
Canada (b)	685	3,177	—
Cyprus (c)	—	—	2,811
India	22,777	54,242	45,462
Australia	529	1,192	773
Total ..	108,000	145,000	209,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Greece	9,140	14,590	14,100
Jugoslavia	16	(e)	300
Rumania	30	59	—
Russia	287	1,630	(f) 5,057
Cuba (a)	1	10,420	8,145
United States	420	572	(b) 288
Asia Minor	(d) 2,500	(e)	(e)
Japan	3,699	4,456	(e)
New Caledonia (c) ..	19,063	22,847	15,046
Total ..	35,000	57,000	50,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	143,000	202,000	260,000

(a) Imports into the United States.

(b) Shipments from mines.

(c) Exports.

(d) Approximate production.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

EXPORTS OF CHROME ORE, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Chrome ore	47	121	40
Chromate and bichromate of potash	1,161	1,896	1,755
Chromate and bichromate of soda	2,051	2,423	2,783
Southern Rhodesia—			
Chrome ore	78,911	92,808	135,291
Canada (b)—			
Chrome ore	1,162	2,876	—
Cyprus—			
Chrome ore	—	—	2,811
India (a) (b)—			
Chrome ore	52,471	30,050	31,479
Australia—			
Chrome ore	—	—	(g) 1
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (h) —			
Chrome alum	—	100	299
Czechoslovakia (e) —			
Chrome ore	91	88	(d)
Denmark—			
Chromate of potash	25	5	—
France—			
Chromate and bichromate of potash and soda	15	9	11
Germany—			
Chrome ore (f)	261	64	126
Chromate and bichromate of potash and soda, including oxides of chromium	1,603	1,494	2,405

EXPORTS OF CHROME ORE, ETC. (Cont).

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont)			
Greece—			
Chrome ore	(d)	(d)	9,907
Italy—			
Chromate and bichromate of potash and soda (c)	37	134	123
Norway—			
Chrome ore	31	34	(d)
Ferro-chrome	1,305	2,648	1,760
Sweden—			
Chromate and bichromate of potash and soda	6	2	2
Chrome alum	56	165	55
New Caledonia and Dependencies—			
Chrome ore	19,063	22,847	15,046

(a) Overseas trade only.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including chromate and bichromate of ammonia.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Including re-exports.

(f) Including nickel ore.

(g) Year ended 30th June, 1924.

(h) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF CHROME ORE, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Chrome ore	8,063	21,399	24,303
Chromate and bichromate of potash	66	15	38
Chromate and bichromate of soda	1,101	1,335	1,697
Canada (c)—			
Bichromate of potash	53	26	116
Bichromate of soda	608	739	634
India (b) (c)—			
Bichromate of potash	234	275	(e) 289
Bichromate of soda	378	353	(e) 678
Australia (d)—			
Chrome ore	41	24	496
Bichromate of potash	26	13	29
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g) —			
Chrome alum	—	280	431
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Chrome ore	1,089	191	(a)
Denmark—			
Chromate of potash	9	14	19
Chromate of soda	11	43	95
Estonia—			
Chrome alum	(a)	(a)	12
Finland (f)—			
Chromate and bichromate of potash	51	70	(a)
Chromate and bichromate of soda	17	18	(a)
Chrome alum and sulphate of chromium	17	11	(a)
France—			
Chromate and bichromate of potash and soda	2,684	3,242	4,570
Germany—			
Chrome ore	24,641	7,675	2,624
Chromate and bichromate of potash and soda, including oxides of chromium	421	1,014	450

IMPORTS OF CHROME ORE, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Italy—			
Chromate and bichromate of potash, soda and ammonia..	225	194	362
Norway—			
Chrome ore	1,967	(i 111)	(£18,545)
Poland (f)—			
Chrome alum	(a)	(a)	298
Rumania (f)—			
Chromate and bichromate of—			
Ammonia	6	16	12
Lead	4	13	1
Potash	77	155	103
Soda	16	24	9
Sweden—			
Chromate and bichromate of potash and soda	108	228	177
Chrome alum	274	219	293
Egypt—			
Bichromate of potash and soda	276	371	381
United States—			
Chrome ore (h)	90,081	128,763	118,343
Ferro-chrome	393	} 1,572	423
Chromium metal	3		
Chromium-vanadium alloy ..	(a)		
Argentina—			
Bichromate of potash	56	74	108
Bichromate of soda	1	106	70
Chile—			
Bichromate of potash	120	31	(a)
Japan (f)—			
Bichromate of potash	1,405	947	807
Bichromate of soda	889	689	59

(a) Information not available.

(b) Overseas trade only.

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(f) Total import.

(g) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(h) Chrome content.

(i) Excess of re-exports.

COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS

PRODUCTION OF COAL

(Including Brown Coal)

(Thousands of long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (a) ..	249,607	276,001	267,118
Nigeria	113	175	202
Southern Rhodesia ..	460	551	582
Union of South Africa ..	9,126	11,075	11,633
Canada	13,533	15,170	12,158
British Borneo	114	(i) 90	(b)
Federated Malay States ..	282	318	373
India	19,011	19,658	21,177
Australia	12,299	12,634	13,885
New Zealand	1,858	1,970	2,083
Total ..	306,000	338,000	331,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	3,249	2,797	2,910
Belgium	20,868	22,554	22,984
Bulgaria	1,005	1,047	1,213
Czechoslovakia	28,385	27,380	35,066
France (d)	42,460	47,001	58,039
Germany (e)	262,878	178,191	239,280
Greece	130	117	109
Hungary	7,004	7,586	7,049
Italy	926	1,109	1,028
Jugoslavia	3,660	4,041	4,116
Netherlands	4,525	5,249	6,269
Poland	(g) 24,300	35,686	31,793
Portugal	142	143	134
Rumania	2,082	2,481	2,732
Russia	8,919	12,050	(h) 13,906
Spain	4,689	6,263	6,434
Spitzbergen	310	400	400
Sweden	373	413	431
Switzerland	4	(b)	(b)
Algeria	9	5	9
Belgian Congo	29	55	(b)
Tunis	(f)	1	(f)
Greenland	2	(b)	(b)
Mexico	918	1,241	(b)
United States	425,849	587,050	512,048
Brazil	(i) 400	319	264
Chile	1,036	1,145	(b)

PRODUCTION OF COAL (*Cont.*)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Peru	298	249	(b)
Venezuela	29	(b)	(b)
China	(i) 21,000	(i) 24,000	(b)
Dutch East Indies ..	1,015	1,078	(b)
Formosa	1,230	1,358	(b)
French Indo-China ..	973	1,040	1,216
Japan	27,420	28,632	(i) 30,000
Korea	312	(c) 113	(b)
Kwantung Peninsula ..	(c) 1,661	(c) 2,143	(b)
Philippine Islands ..	41	41	(b)
Turkey-in-Asia	670	(b)	(b)
Total ..	900,000	1,000,000	1,010,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	1,210,000	1,340,000	1,340,000

(a) Excluding Irish Free State.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Exports.

(d) Including Saar.

(e) Excluding Saar during each of the three years, and Polish Upper Silesia from June, 1922.

(f) Less than 500 long tons.

(g) Including Polish Upper Silesia from June, 1922.

(h) Year ended 30th September, 1924.

(i) Approximate production.

PRODUCTION OF COKE
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (<i>b</i>)—			
Gas works	10,862,666	11,508,241	12,085,691
Coke ovens	9,035,741	13,419,314	12,753,358
Southern Rhodesia ..	96,127	120,956	(<i>d</i>)
Union of South Africa ..	37,798	53,074	66,495
Canada	596,249	1,021,597	(<i>d</i>)
India—			
Hard	133,521	82,841	(<i>d</i>)
Soft	188,979	220,061	(<i>d</i>)
Australia—			
Gas works—			
New South Wales (<i>c</i>)	338,619	360,055	385,135
Victoria (<i>c</i>)	239,755	260,526	259,080
Queensland	48,926	50,757	(<i>d</i>)
South Australia (<i>c</i>) ..	45,562	48,061	54,672
Western Australia ..	5,719	5,917	(<i>d</i>)
Tasmania	10,741	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>c</i>) 11,343
Coke works—			
New South Wales (<i>c</i>)	441,311	365,308	529,708
Queensland	5,303	5,246	(<i>d</i>)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	185,872	188,692	443,700
Belgium	2,898,111	4,246,119	4,092,956
Czechoslovakia	864,682	1,781,468	2,184,868
France (<i>f</i>)	4,873,433	2,092,703	2,808,648
Germany (<i>g</i>)	30,175,994	12,498,847	23,338,334
Italy (<i>e</i>)	165,254	270,812	304,989
Netherlands	243,340	263,338	443,687
Poland	1,308,000	1,354,098	934,494
Russia	(<i>a</i>) (<i>h</i>) 110,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)
Spain	376,993	731,640	834,641
Sweden	204,233	286,080	(<i>d</i>)
Algeria	38,307	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)
United States	33,146,439	50,872,898	39,526,433
Japan	709,403	647,869	(<i>d</i>)

(*a*) Approximate production.

(*b*) Great Britain and Isle of Man only.

(*c*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*d*) Information not available.

(*e*) Metallurgical coke only.

(*f*) Including Saar.

(*g*) Excluding production of coke from brown coal during 1923 and 1924; also excluding Saar during each of the three years, and Polish Upper Silesia from June, 1922.

(*h*) Donetz Basin only.

PRODUCTION OF COAL BRIQUETTES
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (a) ..	1,332,232	1,149,089	1,189,518
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Belgium	2,457,214	1,898,254	1,979,979
Czechoslovakia—			
Coal briquettes	63,750	98,031	74,493
Brown-coal briquettes ..	112,272	162,988	172,791
France (c)	4,806,347	3,020,798	3,172,383
Germany (d)—			
Coal briquettes	5,665,137	1,697,024	3,682,774
Brown-coal briquettes ..	28,948,840	26,424,495	29,188,315
Netherlands	616,364	465,968	439,054
Poland	195,000	304,500	335,224
Spain	665,021	653,001	616,937
Sweden	57,473	58,522	(b)
Algeria	26,617	(b)	(b)
United States	553,058	622,152	518,277
French Indo-China ..	30,444	45,680	(b)

(a) Great Britain and Isle of Man only.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Including Saar.

(d) Excluding Saar during each of the three years, and Polish Upper Silesia from June, 1922.

PRODUCTION OF COAL BY-PRODUCTS

Producing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom (b)—				
Tar distilled	Long ton	1,359,165	1,682,168	1,813,728
Ammonium salts expressed as sulphate (25½ per cent. NH ₃)	do.	351,142	425,590	453,468
Pitch	do.	514,236	677,362	625,222
Benzol	Gallon	(a)	17,500,000	20,000,000
Union of South Africa—				
Tar	Gallon	132,821	185,134	237,333
Ammonium sulphate ..	Long ton	225	637	760
Canada—				
Tar and tar products ..	Gallon	7,616,433	9,734,471	(a)
Ammonium sulphate ..	Long ton	9,949	16,738	(a)
Australia—				
New South Wales—				
Tar	Gallon	(c) 706,148	(e) 9,927,543	(e) 9,744,724
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	(c) 1,071	(e) 4,672	(e) 5,087
Victoria—				
Tar	Gallon	(a)	(a)	(e) (j) 5,000,000
Queensland—				
Tar	Gallon	941,635	959,489	(a)
South Australia—				
Tar	Gallon	(a)	(e) 1,175,370	(e) 1,127,099
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	(a)	(e) 835	(e) 863
Western Australia—				
Tar	Gallon	140,640	141,875	(a)
Tasmania—				
Tar	Gallon	169,000	(a)	(e) 172,796
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Belgium—				
Tar	Long ton	82,627	131,042	(a)
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	36,602	52,052	60,000
Benzol, 90 per cent. ..	do.	13,002	21,386	(a)
Czechoslovakia—				
Tar	Long ton	(a)	(a)	69,176
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	(a)	(a)	25,264
Naphthalene	do.	(a)	(a)	1,023
Pitch	do.	(a)	(a)	4,302
Liquid ammonia	do.	(a)	(a)	18,802

PRODUCTION OF COAL BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Producing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
France (f)—				
Tar	Long ton	409,619	(j) 400,000	(j) 400,000
Ammonium sulphate	do.	52,691	87,100	96,400
Benzol	do.	17,071	(a)	(a)
Pitch	do.	1,018,655	(a)	(a)
Germany—				
Tar and pitch	Long ton	1,018,655	(a)	(a)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	391,527	(a)	(a)
Benzol	do.	215,144	(a)	(a)
Ammonium sulphate and other ammoniacal manures	do.	391,527	(a)	(a)
Italy—				
Tar	Long ton	4,086	6,195	7,088
Ammonium sulphate	do.	1,460	2,988	3,958
Benzol	do.	305	492	394
Netherlands—				
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	8,977	23,000	34,000
Poland—				
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	44,706	18,983	14,004
Portugal—				
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	14	10	30
Russia—				
Tar	Long ton	(a)	(g) 8,706	(a)
Ammonia	do.	(a)	(g) 1,854	(a)
Crude benzol	do.	(a)	(g) 1,080	(a)
Spain—				
Tar and pitch	Long ton	(h) 12,894	23,371	39,420
Ammonium sulphate	do.	3,505	5,517	10,620
Ammoniacal liquor	do.	770	58	2,452
Benzol	do.	1,806	2,793	7,057
Naphthalene	do.	—	(h) 592	734
Creosote	do.	—	(h) 3,408	3,335
Sweden—				
Tar	Long ton	13,847	17,829	(a)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	5,900	9,329	(a)
Benzol	do.	1,168	1,620	(a)

PRODUCTION OF COAL BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Producing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Algeria—				
Tar	Long ton	2,664	(a)	(a)
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	259	(a)	(a)
United States—				
Tar (i)	Gallon	273,149,778	367,422,591	351,728,605
Sulphate equivalent of ammonia produced ..	Long ton	401,100	513,717	486,270
Crude benzol (j)	Gallon	2,221,814	3,752,857	} 17,024,596
Refined benzol (i)	do.	8,682,920	10,303,369	
Motor fuel (i)	do.	47,521,416	67,056,569	59,561,934
Crude naphthalene	Long ton	2,727	5,300	3,740
Refined naphthalene	do.	808	509	6
Crude toluol (i)	Gallon	31,799	31,481	195,203
Refined toluol (i)	do.	1,629,266	2,372,931	2,459,323
Solvent naphtha (i)	do.	2,486,548	3,468,482	3,728,517
Crude light oils (d) (i) ..	do.	84,531,296	113,039,313	107,464,129
Japan—				
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	82,982	102,598	(a)
Naphthalene	do.	2,328	1,460	(a)
Ammonia	do.	31	178	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Great Britain and Isle of Man only.

(c) Figures refer to the Newcastle works only and are for years ended 31st May of the year following that stated.

(d) The greater proportion of this production was refined to make the derived products listed.

(e) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(f) Excluding Saar.

(g) Year ended 30th September, 1923.

(h) Incomplete figures.

(i) Revised figures.

(j) Approximate.

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS

(Domestic Produce)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Coal exported—				
Anthracite—				
Small	Long ton	1,342,815	1,794,903	1,703,856
Through and through, unscreened	do.	—	708	776
Large	do.	1,177,460	1,386,203	1,379,055
Bituminous coal—				
Small	do.	17,407,380	21,890,648	15,280,657
Through and through, unscreened	do.	15,328,133	18,484,435	15,129,782
Large	do.	28,942,596	35,902,572	28,157,147
Coal shipped as bunkers..	do.	18,259,027	18,158,188	17,688,897
Coke	do.	2,513,978	3,970,207	2,812,211
Manufactured fuel	do.	1,227,114	1,066,843	1,067,207
Ammonium sulphate	do.	144,317	253,286	277,749
Coal tar	do.	11,356	4,918	8,738
Coal-tar pitch	do.	424,691	414,224	315,527
Tar oil, creosote oil and other heavy coal-tar oils	Gallon	25,647,144	47,897,669	45,322,284
Naphthalene	Long ton	2,103	9,768	2,114
Anthracene	do.	6	307	118
Carbolic acid	do.	7,017	6,678	5,702
Benzol	Gallon	57,255	2,281,865	1,159,246
Naphtha	do.	47,591	317,393	170,417
Coal-tar dyes	Long ton	1,723	4,128	2,957
Coal-tar products used in the manufacture of dyes	do.	642	2,182	2,263
Other chemical coal-tar products, not dyes	do.	14,633	19,739	20,082
Ammonium chloride	do.	5,851	4,276	3,854
Malta—				
Coke	Long ton	53	286	881
Tar	do.	316	129	115
Nigeria—				
Coal	Long ton	600	12,068	30,252
Southern Rhodesia—				
Coal	Long ton	92,150	75,792	89,055
Coke and patent fuel	do.	69,712	102,590	123,599
Tar, pitch, etc.	do.	3	279	23

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Union of South Africa—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	1,319,334	1,699,747	1,716,051
Shipped as bunkers	do.	1,276,669	1,614,260	1,621,447
Coke and patent fuel	do.	8,898	30,967	21,000
Ammonium sulphate	do.	165	134	411
Tar	do.	6	10	14
Canada (e)—				
Coal	Long ton	1,865,570	1,087,353	642,413
Coke	do.	13,706	32,794	23,185
Ammonium sulphate	do.	9,423	16,597	9,685
Coal-tar and pitch	Gallon	2,396,099	4,864,474	2,993,029
Creosote oil	do.	818,411	779,457	993,758
Aden (e) (f) (b)—				
Coal	Long ton	10	100	(d)
Patent fuel	do.	12	—	(d)
British Borneo—				
Brunei—				
Coal	Long ton	7,440	8,941	10,337
Sarawak—				
Coal	Long ton	3,285	2,483	—
Coke	do.	—	—	4
Federated Malay States—				
Coal	Long ton	33,112	15,856	5,995
Hong Kong (f)—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	276,631	205,143	196,831
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(d)	606,061	597,494
Coke	do.	1,643	2,253	2,607
Briquettes	do.	210	—	—
Tar	£	3,462	3,102	3,367
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	(d)	(d)	13,149
Synthetic indigo	do.	575	717	593
Carbolic acid	do.	11	1	1
Aniline dyes	£	155,164	159,051	184,179
India (e)—				
By land (f)—				
Coal and coke	Long ton	29,049	36,455	45,557
By sea—				
Coal (g)—				
Exported	Long ton	97,624	132,517	228,127
Shipped as bunkers	do.	796,000	819,000	(d)
Coal, coke and patent fuel on government account	do.	6	10	(d)
Coke (g)	do.	568	31	1,173

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Straits Settlements (h)—				
Coal	Long ton	6,437	11,944	6,618
Australia (i)—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	1,028,767	1,114,415	1,336,489
Shipped as bunkers	do.	1,498,035	1,495,559	1,275,601
Coke	do.	25,246	46,585	32,133
Ammonium sulphate	do.	7,771	3,440	4,658
Pitch and tar	do.	1,970	2,024	4,827
Benzene and benzol	Gallon	240	460	440
New Zealand—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	18,741	22,351	7,024
Shipped as bunkers	do.	100,014	73,285	81,957
Coke	do.	4	298	182
Tar	£	316	446	83
Pitch	Long ton	1	(a)	—
Liquid ammonia	£	1,247	1,164	880
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Austria (h)—				
Coal	Long ton	432	22,056	6,399
Brown coal	do.	7,409	32,233	13,656
Coke	do.	19,773	11,619	19,373
Briquettes	do.	137	121	115
Ammonium sulphate	do.	2,025	661	2,045
Coal tar	do.	3,548	813	2,626
Coal-tar pitch	do.	—	3,237	3,292
Naphthalene	do.	44	202	59
Creosote oil, cresol, carbolineum, etc.	do.	48	95	95
Aniline oil	do.	75	3	—
Aniline salts	do.	22	(a)	1
Coal-tar dyes	do.	140	90	105
Liquid ammonia	do.	14	37	35
Ammonium chloride	do.	19	21	12
Belgium—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	(j) 901,661	(c)	(c)
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(j) 40,024	(c)	(c)
Coke	do.	(j) 326,837	(c)	(c)
Briquettes—				
Exported	do.	(j) 150,341	(c)	(c)
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(j) —	(c)	(c)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	(j) 1,188	(c)	(c)
Coal tar and pitch	do.	(j) 3,495	(c)	(c)

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	(k) 2,103,044	2,479,085	2,023,976
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(k) 49,969	36,908	86,527
Brown coal	do.	(d)	(d)	(m) 10
Coke	Long ton	(k) 645,218	591,525	947,791
Briquettes—				
Exported	do.	(k) 267,327	407,260	377,253
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(k) 27,313	61,219	70,200
Ammonium sulphate	do.	(k) 10,617	21,968	13,092
Coal tar and pitch	do.	(k) 4,729	2,458	3,267
Czechoslovakia (f)—				
Coal	Long ton	1,011,208	1,673,500	1,606,057
Brown coal	do.	3,409,274	2,085,825	2,727,000
Coke	do.	348,381	600,201	483,122
Briquettes	do.	140,758	171,926	129,652
Ammonium sulphate	do.	2	2,353	(d)
Coal tar	do.	255	766	4,216
Crude naphthalene	do.	126	872	(d)
Carbolic acid, crude and refined	do.	68	246	(d)
Cresol	do.	4	(a)	(d)
Aniline oil	do.	265	95	(a)
Aniline salts	do.	24	37	} 175
Coal-tar dyes	do.	210	350	
Liquid ammonia	do.	2	10	(d)
Ammonium chloride	do.	7	30	(d)
Denmark—				
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	270	—	303
Coal-tar pitch	do.	300	756	786
Coal tar	do.	6,041	2,676	983
Benzol	do.	1	1	1
Aniline and alizarine dyes	do.	1	1	4
France—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	1,958,945	2,054,117	1,887,796
Shipped as bunkers	do.	111,428	184,402	321,220
Coke—				
Exported	do.	437,685	488,962	} 499,810
Shipped as bunkers	do.	17,913	—	
Briquettes—				
Exported	do.	94,386	228,301	152,691
Shipped as bunkers	do.	16,191	7,301	8,700

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
France (Cont.)				
Ammonium sulphate, crude and refined ..	do.	10,679	5,875	6,571
Coal tar—				
Exported	do.	31,400	14,333	} 12,623
Shipped as stores	do.	2,179	2,468	
Coal-tar dyes	do.	473	1,763	3,911
Liquid ammonia	do.	109	324	400
Germany—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	4,980,667	1,189,225	2,750,169
Shipped as bunkers	do.	17,539	(d)	(d)
Brown coal	do.	13,994	10,923	31,189
Coke	do.	893,583	266,541	850,899
Coal briquettes	do.	38,840	14,710	96,841
Brown-coal briquettes	do.	411,765	275,597	441,920
Ammonium sulphate	do.	13,450	117,289	102,678
Coal tar	do.	22,258	18,324	33,565
Coal-tar pitch	do.	60,392	26,294	32,875
Naphthalene	do.	3,827	4,389	5,739
Anthracene	do.	661	310	152
Carbolic acid, crude or refined	do.	357	439	583
Cresol	do.	350	80	297
Light coal-tar oils—benzol, cumol, etc., also carburetted hydrogen ..	do.	6,896	1,060	2,090
Heavy coal-tar oils—anthracene, carbolic oil, etc., also mineral naphtha	do.	127,782	33,159	56,378
Other coal-tar products— aniline, aniline salts, naphthylamine, anthraquinone, etc.	do.	4,879	2,839	2,475
Aniline and other coal-tar dyes	do.	38,155	29,311	22,985
Hungary—				
Coal	Long ton	303,598	263,149	(d)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	(d)	(d)	513
Italy—				
Coal, coke and patent fuel	Long ton	167,027	134,121	186,882
Naphthalene	do.	43	59	19
Benzol, toluol and xylol ..	do.	2	37	21

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Jugoslavia (f)—				
Bituminous coal ..	Long ton	17,977	67,219	(d)
Brown coal	do.	} 84,619	{ 24,363	} 141,016
Lignite	do.			
Netherlands—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	1,222,620	2,001,859	1,690,515
Shipped as bunkers	do.	997,140	803,082	1,506,325
Brown coal	do.	10	2,146	338
Coke	do.	344,426	552,690	692,162
Coal briquettes	Long ton	72,856	48,574	41,222
Brown-coal briquettes	do.	10	3,485	12,549
Ammonium sulphate	do.	17,405	26,623	21,434
Coal and wood pitch	do.	7,988	10,778	12,805
Coal tar	do.	3,119	6,081	9,224
Creosote oil	do.	6,866	11,723	1,917
Naphthalene	do.	816	1,354	923
Anthracene	do.	248	374	562
Carbolic acid	do.	104	88	44
Benzol	do.	1,934	3,227	3,890
Toluol and xylol	do.	86	99	104
Solvent naphtha	do.	462	490	745
Coal-tar dyes	do.	267	481	984
Liquid ammonia	do.	76	363	400
Ammonium chloride	do.	37	23	73
Norway—				
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	641	367	285
Creosote oil	do.	(d)	3	(d)
Coal tar	do.	2,986	1,507	1,085
Poland(f)—				
Coal	Long ton	} 5,237,068	} 12,355,718	} 10,993,483
Brown coal	do.			
Briquettes	do.		120,859	84,041
Coke	do.	114,649	228,688	155,208
Ammonium sulphate	do.	(d)	(d)	1,365
Coal tar	do.	(d)	(d)	8,186
Pitch	do.	(d)	(d)	148
Carbolineum	do.	(d)	(d)	148
Naphthalene	do.	(d)	(d)	59
Anthracene	do.	(d)	(d)	789
Cresol and creosote oil	do.	(d)	(d)	334
Aniline dyes	do.	234	229	—
Liquid ammonia	do.	(d)	(d)	525
Ammonium chloride	do.	165	65	16

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Rumania (f)—				
Bituminous coal	Long ton	70,661	31,290	27,510
Brown coal	do.	823	2,460	35
Coke	do.	1	20	(a)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	15	45	88
Coal tar	do.	—	—	11
Naphtha	do.	—	—	10
Carbolineum	do.	—	9	1
Liquid ammonia	do.	325	15	226
Ammonium chloride	do.	—	—	52
Spain (f)—				
Coal	Long ton	16,333	22,176	20,931
Coke	do.	6	15,460	10,028
Sweden—				
Anthracite	Long ton	10	34	68
Bituminous coal	do.	4,589	4,269	411
Coke	do.	353	72,978	2,261
Ammonium sulphate	do.	4,654	6,720	7,180
Coal tar, etc.	do.	5,495	3,278	6,395
Coal tar prepared for tar- ring purposes	do.	(a)	1	(a)
Coal or wood pitch	do.	275	164	120
Benzol oils	do.	502	1,693	1323
Carbolic acid, cresol and creosote oil	do.	1	28	12
Naphthalene	do.	3	(a)	(a)
Carbolineum and other benzol oil	do.	(a)	2	—
Coal-tar dyes	do.	18	45	31
Liquid ammonia	do.	—	61	264
Ammonium chloride	do.	2	1	(a)
Switzerland—				
Coal	Long ton	333	175	11
Coke	do.	2,668	374	964
Briquettes	do.	45	106	3
Ammonium sulphate and other crude ammonium salts	do.	3	4	1
Tar	do.	133	261	128
Pitch	do.	22	167	32
Carbolineum, creosote, creosote oil, etc.	do.	3	19	205

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Switzerland (Cont.)—				
Benzol, naphthalene, anthracene, carbolic acid, toluol, benzoic acid, etc.	do.	240	242	255
Coal-tar dyes	do.	7,218	8,188	8,487
Liquid ammonia	do.	4	1	1
Ammonium chloride	do.	2	—	(a)
Algeria—				
Coal	Long ton	2,250	2,430	(d)
Coke	do.	321	1,799	(d)
Briquettes	do.	2,057	400	(d)
Crude ammonium sulphate	do.	2	13	(d)
Coal tar	do.	396	621	(d)
Belgian Congo—				
Coal	Long ton	3	8	(d)
Briquettes	do.	49	—	(d)
Egypt—				
Coal-tar pitch	Long ton	15	3	16
United States—				
Coal exported—				
Anthracite	Long ton	2,365,587	4,544,676	3,587,308
Bituminous	do.	11,083,112	19,154,981	15,268,617
Coal shipped as bunkers	do.	4,120,207	4,547,343	3,988,541
Coke	do.	456,733	1,104,770	588,705
Ammonium sulphate	do.	147,331	153,677	118,367
Coal tar and pitch	do.	12,769	64,229	33,627
Carbolic acid	do.	100	104	23
Benzol	do.	28,902	49,704	25,840
Naphthalene	do.	49	42	50
Coal-tar dyes	do.	3,716	800	7,015
Aniline salts	do.	152	222	168
Other coal-tar products..	do.	5,162	6,812	8,336
Argentina—				
Coal	do.	313,543	366,763	360,598
Chile—				
Coal	Long ton	14,527	3,098	(d)
Coke	do.	1,605	184	(d)
Peru—				
Coal (l)	Long ton	4,503	(a)	(d)
China—				
Coal	Long ton	2,377,443	3,108,682	3,202,352
Coke	do.	44,385	29,324	27,170

EXPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
French Indo-China—				
Coal	Long ton	607,793	651,510	711,064
Briquettes	do.	4,231	9,826	(d)
Japan—				
Coal—				
Exported	Long ton	1,663,527	1,549,004	1,683,789
Shipped as bunkers	do.	2,293,857	(m) 510,233	(d)
Coal tar and pitch	do.	5,293	6,869	7,971
Naphthalene	do.	146	91	89
Coal-tar dyes	do.	2,382	1,025	847
Korea (f)—				
Coal	Long ton	111,171	113,397	(d)

(a) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(b) Overseas trade only.

(c) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(f) Including re-exports.

(g) Excluding government stores.

(h) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(i) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(j) Four months only, January-April.

(k) Eight months only, May-December.

(l) Including bunkers.

(m) Three months only, January-March.

(n) From 10th November only ; included with "coal" previously.

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS

(Less Re-exports)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Coal	Long ton	113	11,844	7,765
Coke	do.	4,701	3,681	1,061
Manufactured fuel	do.	332	131	387
Ammonium sulphate	do.	6	(d 8)	54
Coal tar	do.	1,033	2,449	3,043
Coal-tar pitch	do.	796	59,622	11,117
Tar oil, creosote oil, and other heavy coal-tar oils	Gallon	149,212	887,271	403,475
Naphthalene	Long ton	242	1,139	546
Anthracene	do.	542	1,351	279
Carbolic acid	do.	3	117	49
Benzol	Gallon	5,583,882	8,652,044	4,712,846
Naphtha	do.	5,960	10,293	16,589
Coal-tar dyes	Long ton	2,858	2,729	3,511
Coal-tar products used in the manufacture of dyes	do.	(d 13)	64	31
Other chemical coal-tar products, not dyes	do.	48	91	144
Ammonium chloride	do.	1,114	1,505	1,620
Malta—				
Coal (j)	Long ton	142,581	199,389	241,418
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—				
Coal	Long ton	69,344	53,326	89,839
Coke	do.	6	2,806	1,436
Patent fuel	do.	3,049	7,694	7,433
Coal tar and other coal products	do.	209	5	706
Gambia—				
Coal, coke and patent fuel	Long ton	2,415	3,173	3,063
Gold Coast—				
Coal	Long ton	(w) 27,095	25,935	42,123
Coke	do.	222	1,673	166
Patent fuel	do.	(x)	24,319	10,257
Kenya—				
Coal	Long ton	13,858	4,886	27,913
Coke	do.	244	265	93
Creosote	Gallon	(a)	(a)	40,158
Mauritius—				
Coal	Long ton	48,320	35,569	45,317
Coke	do.	470	498	1,259
Patent fuel	do.	17,389	5,132	14,947

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Mauritius (Cont.)—				
Ammonium sulphate ..	Long ton	1,570	9,151	6,633
Tar	do.	134	59	185
Pitch	do.	14	11	10
Carbolic acid	do.	1	2	2
Nigeria—				
Coal	Long ton	10,822	14,849	16,646
Coke	do.	(a)	(a)	210
Patent fuel	do.	(a)	(a)	18
Northern Rhodesia—				
Coal	Long ton	24,399	21,554	27,266
Coke	do.	6,683	2,616	5,702
Nyasaland—				
Coal and coke	Long ton	21	60	27
Seychelles—				
Coal	Long ton	1,236	751	1,597
Coal tar	do.	3	4	2
Pitch	do.	1	2	1
Sierra Leone—				
Coal (j)	Long ton	35,999	42,304	33,429
Coke	do.			
Patent fuel	do.			
Southern Rhodesia—				
Coke and patent fuel (c)	Long ton	2	1	—
Tar, pitch, etc.	do.	167	(d 59)	106
South-West Africa Territory—				
Coal	Long ton	3	6,452	8,461
Coke	do.	—	—	48
Tanganyika Territory—				
Coal	Long ton	1	590	1,320
Coke	do.	412	200	95
Patent fuel	do.	—	—	10
Tar and pitch	do.	48	24	16
Union of South Africa—				
Coal	Long ton	4,358	(d 6,575)	(d 2,571)
Coke and patent fuel	do.	958	2,297	—
Ammonium sulphate	do.	3	236	479
Tar	do.	3,331	3,030	1,470
Pitch	do.	389	402	712
Creosote tar	do.	270	350	493
Creosote oil	Gallon	(l)	(l)	90,129

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Zanzibar—				
Coal	Long ton	4,547	14,869	2,805
Canada (f)—				
Anthracite (s)	Long ton	2,823,315	4,329,797	3,690,781
Bituminous coal (s)	do.	9,970,479	13,962,332	10,276,833
Brown coal (s)	do.	(a)	(n) 7,300	24,917
Coke	do.	396,324	617,537	516,824
Ground coke	do.	661	465	587
Ammonium sulphate	do.	314	742	235
Coal-tar and pitch	Gallon	4,863,273	4,741,474	2,304,998
Naphthalene, refined, flakes and balls	Long ton	356	282	269
Carbolic or heavy oil	Gallon	6,404,739	2,702,452	3,813,692
Aniline and coal-tar dyes	Long ton	1,427	1,506	985
Other coal-tar products, including aniline oil, aniline salts, etc.	do.	241	140	189
Ammonium chloride	do.	679	742	824
Newfoundland (g)—				
Coal	Long ton	223,300	247,000	333,440
Tar	£	5,217	6,229	7,021
British Guiana—				
Bituminous coal	Long ton	3,548	3,141	180
Other coal	do.	8,604	18,869	28,546
Coke	do.	} 3,245	} 3,742	{ 151
Patent fuel	do.			
West Indies—				
Barbados—				
Coal (j)	Long ton	35,117	31,217	(a)
Coke	do.	(d 21)	(d 11)	(a)
Patent fuel	do.	101	—	(a)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	2,922	4,304	(a)
Jamaica—				
Coal	Long ton	67,671	57,586	61,621
Coke	do.	74	52	34
Patent fuel	do.	—	—	100
Leeward Islands (m)—				
Coal, coke and patent fuel	Long ton	2,608	3,072	(a)
St. Lucia—				
Coal (j)	Long ton	13,888	25,097	23,751

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
West Indies (Cont.)—				
Trinidad and Tobago—				
Coal	Long ton	18,425	14,414	11,440
Coke	do.	53	24	42
Patent fuel	do.	510	—	—
British Honduras—				
Coal and coke	Long ton	998	1,781	737
Aden (e) (f) (v)—				
Coal (j)	Long ton	98,849	100,237	(a)
Coke	do.	105	37	(a)
Aniline	do.	25	8	(a)
Carbolic acid	do.	1	(b)	(a)
Naphthalene	do.	173	217	(a)
Tar and pitch	do.	15	21	(a)
British Borneo(Sarawak)(e)—				
Coke	Long ton	674	1,661	346
Ceylon—				
Coal (j)	Long ton	581,716	544,548	789,270
Coke	do.	199	1,265	368
Ammonium sulphate	do.	1,854	2,063	3,853
Tar and pitch	do.	883	1,350	1,779
Cyprus—				
Coal	Long ton	3,551	3,636	3,684
Tar and pitch	do.	19	26	22
Ammonium chloride	do.	2	3	5
Federated Malay States—				
Coal	Long ton	95	41	2,722
Hong Kong (e)—				
Coal	Long ton	1,048,175	1,037,525	799,355
Coke	do.	5,852	4,185	4,209
Briquettes	do.	210	400	203
Tar	£	1,240	1,720	1,630
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	(a)	(a)	11,555
Synthetic indigo.. .. .	do.	494	579	1,373
Carbolic acid	do.	4	1	203
Aniline dyes	£	237,164	265,029	401,370
India (f)—				
By land (e)—				
Coal and coke	Long ton	45	8	1,629
By sea—				
Coal (k)	Long ton	881,810	591,968	448,032
Coal, coke and patent fuel on government account	do.	325,507	2,529	6,732
Coke (k)	do.	27,077	22,332	34,632
Patent fuel (k)	do.	(b)	8	(a)

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
India (f) (Cont.)—				
By sea (Cont.)—				
Coal-tar and pitch (e) ..	Long ton	4,130	2,877	2,316
Naphthalene ..	do.	221	167	616
Carbolic acid ..	do.	42	30	41
Coal-tar dyes ..	do.	6,207	7,269	(t) 9,157
Synthetic indigo ..	do.	64	62	(a)
Ammonia and salts thereof ..	do.	808	875	(t) 1,162
Straits Settlements (t)—				
Coal	Long ton	584,414	633,752	695,214
Australia (g)—				
Coal	Long ton	29,374	8,203	8,503
Coke	do.	—	(b)	23,507
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	500	1	15
Tar and pitch	do.	(dd) 1,593	318	527
Naphthalene	do.	150	237	191
Carbolic acid	do.	33	58	60
Benzene and benzol ..	Gallon	56	9,099	382
Liquid ammonia ..	£	66	28	10
Ammonium chloride ..	Long ton	306	124	212
Fiji Islands—				
Coal	Long ton	22,031	31,936	20,880
Coke	do.	603	549	604
Tar and pitch	£	819	1,181	1,147
New Zealand—				
Coal	Long ton	501,000	445,366	666,147
Coke	do.	1,407	2,264	1,558
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	(929d)	915	873
Tar	£	2,247	15,820	22,512
Pitch	Long ton	46	82	56
Carbolic acid	do.	6	11	15
Ammonium chloride ..	£	987	1,196	378
Solomon Islands—				
Coal	Long ton	940	1,506	1,345
Western Samoa—				
Coal	£	53	126	844
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Austria (i)—				
Coal	Long ton	3,933,221	3,686,479	4,449,386
Brown coal	do.	1,370,151	846,959	827,552
Coke	do.	380,188	396,652	373,556
Briquettes	do.	33,499	21,696	25,089
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	2	1,013	626

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Austria (i) (Cont.)—				
Coal tar	Long ton	78	489	1,214
Coal-tar pitch	do.	—	951	1,180
Naphthalene	do.	164	127	261
Naphtha	do.	—	67	23
Creosote oil, cresol, carbolineum, etc.	do.	281	95	95
Aniline oils	do.	20	56	45
Aniline salts	do.	27	66	18
Coal-tar dyes	do.	478	928	1,243
Liquid ammonia	do.	26	10	5
Ammonium chloride	do.	169	124	267
Belgium—				
Coal	Long ton	(k) 1,710,672	(u)	(u)
Coke	do.	(k) 78,932	(u)	(u)
Briquettes	do.	(k) 896	(u)	(u)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	(k) 13,441	(u)	(u)
Coal-tar and pitch	do.	(k) 55,033	(u)	(u)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Coal	Long ton	(p) 3,871,003	7,763,979	9,170,099
Brown coal	do.	(a)	(a)	(y) 3,503
Coke	do.	(p) 1,611,042	1,064,639	2,327,735
Briquettes	do.	(p) 50,320	114,051	154,578
Ammonium sulphate	do.	(p) 843	13,734	26,549
Coal-tar and pitch	do.	(p) 59,935	49,233	34,976
Czechoslovakia (e)—				
Coal	Long ton	508,045	832,089	953,045
Brown coal	do.	21,433	34,621	8,092
Coke	do.	85,052	37,034	134,837
Briquettes	do.	970	757	5,072
Ammonium sulphate	do.	401	352	(a)
Coal tar	do.	5,367	3,482	(a)
Naphthalene	do.	522	59	(a)
Crude carbolic acid	do.	3,695	78	(a)
Cresol	do.	69	19	(a)
Aniline oil	do.	59	72	(a)
Aniline salts	do.	37	91	} 3,912
Coal-tar dyes	do.	3,648	2,378	
Liquid ammonia	do.	3	1	(a)
Ammonium chloride	do.	161	99	(a)

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Denmark—				
Coal	Long ton	2,777,943	3,171,357	3,526,106
Coke	do.	753,031	681,043	912,814
Briquettes	do.	18,926	28,277	86,922
Ammonium sulphate	do.	256	758	15,799
Coal-tar pitch	do.	129	17	112
Coal tar	do.	66	1,971	4,995
Benzol	do.	375	305	297
Aniline and alizarine dyes	do.	317	458	345
Ammonium chloride	do.	94	148	175
Esthonia—				
Coal	Long ton	90,907	106,128	96,606
Coke	do.	2,669	2,932	1,466
Briquettes	do.	—	2	3
Ammonium sulphate	do.	39	41	12
Coal tar	do.	1,215	1,499	1,194
Naphthalene and anthra- cene	do.	17	3	11
Carbolic acid	do.	(a)	(a)	14
Purified benzol	do.	(a)	(a)	40
Aniline dyes	do.	(a)	(a)	94
Liquid ammonia	do.	(a)	5	10
Ammonium chloride	do.	(a)	(a)	5
Finland (e)—				
Anthracite	Long ton	2,416	3,098	} (e) 608,697
Other coal	do.	223,046	479,339	
Other fuel	do.	2	155	(a)
Coke	do.	13,729	33,800	(x)
Ammonium sulphate	do.	1	24	(a)
Coal tar	do.	5,040	2,863	(a)
Coal-tar pitch	do.	1,857	1,451	(a)
Carbolic acid, cresol and creosote oil	do.	687	113	(a)
Naphthalene	do.	68	51	(a)
Benzol	do.	5	45	(a)
Carbolineum	do.	120	58	(a)
Other coal-tar products, also carbolic lime	do.	10	14	(a)
Coal-tar dyes, etc.	do.	385	358	(a)
Liquid ammonia	do.	68	9	(a)
Ammonium chloride	do.	22	10	(a)

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
France—				
Coal	Long ton	22,061,146	25,861,345	24,703,085
Coke	do.	5,059,541	3,571,711	5,320,293
Briquettes	do.	1,400,557	765,474	965,654
Ammonium sulphate, crude and refined	do.	67,066	60,769	119,371
Coal tar	do.	253,242	352,465	321,783
Coal-tar dyes	do.	1,769	1,348	2,406
Liquid ammonia	do.	1,538	370	2,016
Germany—				
Coal	Long ton	12,395,923	24,807,201	12,989,911
Brown coal	do.	1,983,256	1,433,011	2,044,619
Coke	do.	284,124	1,479,289	333,237
Coal briquettes	do.	38,610	141,198	141,784
Brown-coal briquettes	do.	30,066	47,217	84,132
Ammonium sulphate	do.	1,782	320	830
Coal tar	do.	35,594	13,003	14,209
Coal-tar pitch	do.	29,576	11,394	7,855
Naphthalene	do.	1,133	4,291	2,044
Anthracene	do.	142	2	147
Carbolic acid, crude or refined	do.	2,591	1,270	449
Cresol	do.	260	441	513
Light coal-tar oils—ben- zol, cumol, etc., also carburetted hydrogen	do.	3,799	24,802	29,007
Heavy coal-tar oils—an- thracene, carbolic oil, etc., also mineral naphtha	do.	1,513	9,876	5,680
Other coal-tar products— aniline, aniline salts, naphthylamine, anthra- quinone, etc.	do.	28	296	152
Aniline and other coal-tar dyes	do.	452	200	333
Greece—				
Coal	Long ton	223,545	315,507	668,573
Naphtha	do.	11,097	10,555	(a)
Hungary—				
Coal	Long ton	} 801,500	623,951	} 1,115,351
Brown coal	do.		60,022	
Coke	do.		138,977	
Ammonium sulphate	do.		(a)	
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IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Italy—				
Coal, coke and patent fuel (q)	Long ton	6,406,205	7,563,983	7,447,180
Ammonium sulphate (q)	do.	10,854	11,510	7,210
Naphthalene	do.	582	631	1,992
Benzol, toluol and xylol ..	do.	1,749	2,964	4,073
Latvia—				
Coal	Long ton	135,619	181,922	409,426
Coal tar	do.	11,650	2,095	2,224
Lithuania (e)—				
Coal	Long ton	(a)	81,934	147,348
Netherlands—				
Coal	Long ton	6,116,143	6,284,072	7,066,412
Brown coal	do.	6,413	526	541
Coke	do.	230,996	173,177	225,545
Coal briquettes	do.	194,174	116,495	256,387
Brown-coal briquettes ..	do.	142,912	126,757	110,020
Ammonium sulphate	do.	20,479	21,011	44,240
Coal and wood pitch	do.	31,385	23,842	19,670
Coal tar	do.	701	2,763	1,854
Creosote oil	do.	1,029	15	34
Naphthalene	do.	236	395	1,203
Anthracene	do.	—	—	44
Carbolic acid	do.	104	120	67
Benzol	do.	265	393	177
Toluol and xylol	do.	43	13	21
Solvent naphtha	do.	15	25	34
Coal-tar dyes	do.	1,703	2,234	2,335
Liquid ammonia	do.	819	1,718	751
Ammonium chloride	do.	154	127	167
Norway—				
Bituminous coal	Long ton	1,723,220	1,818,723	2,009,447
Coke and cinders	do.	309,070	306,872	386,391
Pitch	do.	1,736	1,414	(e) 2,098
Coal tar	do.	203	956	(e) 1,650
Creosote and creosote oil, etc., also crude carbolic acid, etc.	do.	5,933	4,079	(e) 5,254
Carbolic acid, pure	do.	1	(d7)	(a)
Aniline and alizarine dyes ..	do.	185	250	(e) 268
Ammonium sulphate	do.	105	120	22

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924	
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)					
Poland (e)—					
Anthracite	Long ton	} 2,147,547	} —	692	
Coal	do.			131,854	148,558
Briquettes	do.			12,057	71,324
Brown coal	do.			70	423
Coke	do.	259,867	118,531	161,263	
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	137	2,646	186	
Coal tar	do.	(a)	(a)	12,376	
Pitch	do.	(a)	(a)	14,259	
Carbolineum, cresol, creosote oil and naphthaline	do.	(a)	(a)	136	
Liquid ammonia ..	do.	(a)	(a)	6	
Aniline dyes	do.	1,951	707	109	
Ammonium chloride ..	do.	2,206	6,245	86	
Portugal—					
Coal (r)	Long ton	784,356	766,319	885,852	
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	(a)	1,476	(a)	
Naphthalene	do.	(a)	12	(a)	
Rumania (e)—					
Anthracite	Long ton	1,687	1,586	733	
Bituminous coal.. ..	do.	25,525	173,396	186,244	
Brown coal	do.	2	—	14,292	
Coke	do.	12,126	17,244	22,717	
Briquettes	do.	184	150	214	
Ammonium sulphate ..	do.	14	3	15	
Coal tar	do.	61	24	58	
Naphthalene	do.	106	138	116	
Anthracene	do.	2	—	4	
Carbolineum	do.	32	5	4	
Aniline oil	do.	17	24	4	
Coal-tar dyes	do.	854	619	405	
Liquid ammonia.. ..	do.	36	68	35	
Ammonium chloride ..	do.	96	176	221	
Russia—					
Coal	Long ton	595,436	488,274	(a)	
Coke	do.	13,871	9,693	(a)	
Tar and pitch	do.	1,839	581	(a)	
Spain (e)—					
Anthracite	Long ton	37,513	45,214	45,884	
Bituminous coal	do.	676,636	773,936	954,183	
Other coal	do.	769,630	285,900	251,005	
Coke	do.	68,777	49,406	94,817	
Briquettes	do.	117,704	71,545	61,013	

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Sweden—				
Anthracite	Long ton	85,985	82,379	89,301
Bituminous coal	do.	2,505,758	3,195,387	3,807,012
Coke	do.	513,392	539,166	742,869
Briquettes	do.	525	2,265	13,410
Ammonium sulphate	do.	3	3	43
Coal tar, etc.	do.	6,176	5,080	8,094
Coal tar prepared for tar- ring purposes	do.	19	37	86
Coal or wood pitch	do.	1,586	2,303	1,760
Benzol oils	do.	19	142	33
Carbolic acid, cresol and creosote oil	do.	840	1,032	3,712
Naphthalene	do.	119	114	85
Carbolineum and other benzol oils	do.	1,561	1,183	604
Coal-tar dyes	do.	825	1,237	992
Liquid ammonia	do.	43	25	21
Ammonium chloride	do.	166	200	199
Switzerland—				
Coal	Long ton	1,236,468	1,718,287	1,666,762
Lignite	do.	1,062	691	515
Coke	do.	448,453	479,389	430,175
Briquettes	do.	474,255	511,669	427,197
Ammonium sulphate and other crude ammonium salts	do.	1,178	1,587	1,800
Tar	do.	1,674	964	6,081
Pitch	do.	1,922	4,751	7,548
Carbolineum, creosote, creosote oil, etc. ..	do.	1,585	490	1,806
Benzol, naphthalene, an- thracene, carbolic acid, toluol, benzoic acid, etc.	do.	2,004	2,833	3,686
Coal-tar dyes	do.	577	884	727
Liquid ammonia	do.	29	37	39
Ammonium chloride	do.	168	202	153
Algeria—				
Coal	Long ton	228,333	349,853	} 620,811
Coke	do.	2,231	1,734	
Briquettes	do.	188,757	159,064	
Ammonium sulphate, crude and refined	do.	1,355	2,405	(a)
Coal tar	do.	717	1,653	(a)

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Belgian Congo—				
Coal	Long ton	34,061	69,034	(a)
Coke	do.	80,005	105,730	(a)
Briquettes	do.	18,521	20,270	(a)
Egypt—				
Coal	Longton	652,669	803,679	967,651
Coke	do.	7,622	7,076	20,088
Patent fuel	do.	36,137	19,090	36,583
Ammonium sulphate	do.	2,659	4,585	4,855
Coal-tar pitch	do.	5,816	2,957	4,210
Naphthalene	do.	59	63	101
Carbolic acid	do.	40	61	28
Coal-tar dyes	do.	379	388	792
Liquid ammonia	do.	17	16	18
Ammonium chloride	do.	202	248	251
French West Africa—				
Coal	£	279,994	345,470	(a)
Réunion—				
Ammonium sulphate	Long ton	462	492	800
Tunis (e)—				
Coal	Long ton	144,663	193,609	184,600
Coke	do.	7,900	8,753	3,563
Briquettes	do.	15,572	20,332	22,375
Coal tar	do.	6,085	5,274	9,562
Cuba (e)—				
Anthracite	Long ton	11,281	16,421	(a)
Bituminous coal	do.	519,111	610,876	(a)
Coke	do.	1,304	27,753	(a)
Dominican Republic (e)—				
Coal	£	24,005	35,411	(a)
Guatemala—				
Coal	Long ton	235	691	(a)

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
United States—				
Anthracite	Long ton	208,507	268,179	105,313
Bituminous coal	do.	4,512,223	1,675,364	372,386
Coke	do.	84,132	75,895	73,958
Ammonium sulphate	do.	4,143	3,539	6,000
Coal-tar and pitch	do.	3,107	1,847	2,151
Creosote oil	Gallon	34,637,287	53,499,697	74,739,820
Naphthalene	Long ton	1,404	9,381	2,351
Carbolic acid	do.	307	27	276
Cresol	do.	1,677	(a)	(a)
Coal-tar dyes	do.	1,351	1,547	1,573
Ammonium chloride	do.	941	2,704	4,371
Argentina—				
Coal	Long ton	2,184,428	2,538,010	3,246,376
Coke	do.	18,112	16,707	23,626
Coal tar	do.	31	52	104
Naphthalene	do.	364	262	611
Carbolic acid	do.	46	70	241
Aniline	do.	455	514	516
Liquid ammonia	do.	138	104	121
Brazil (e)—				
Coal	Long ton	1,157,382	1,446,135	(a)
Coke	do.	7,415	12,439	(a)
Patent fuel	do.	88,659	66,175	(a)
Aniline dyes	do.	688	547	(a)
Chile—				
Coal	Long ton	135,081	144,457	(a)
Coke	do.	33,196	60,040	(a)
Patent fuel	do.	16,404	910	(a)
Creosote and its salts	do.	(b)	(b)	(a)
Naphthalene	do.	14	17	(a)
Carbolic acid	do.	2	674	(a)
Aniline and other dyes derived from coal	do.	123	157	(a)
Liquid ammonia	do.	67	63	(a)

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Peru—				
Coal	Long ton	56,391	53,331	(a)
Coke	do.	25,562	5,827	(a)
Ammonium carbonate, chloride, and sulphate	do.	11	17	(a)
Tar or pitch	do.	741	184	(a)
Naphthalene	do.	8	7	(a)
Aniline, etc., and derivatives	do.	72	4	(a)
Liquid ammonia.. .. .	do.	46	39	(a)
Turkey—				
Coal	Long ton	(a)	51,000	(a)
Venezuela—				
Coal	Long ton	9,946	(a)	4,558
China—				
Coal	Long ton	1,151,392	1,366,108	1,610,016
Coke	do.	2,080	16,053	57,393
Dutch East Indies—				
Java—				
Coal	Long ton	306,475	181,342	134,302
Ammonium sulphate	do.	69,603	80,231	110,148
Coal tar	Gallon	277,104	699,082	638,379
Aniline	Long ton	154	242	322
Alizarine	do.	242	339	467
French Indo-China—				
Coal	Long ton	(a)	21,687	43,365
Coal tar	do.	(a)	(a)	6,729
Japan (e)—				
Coal	Long ton	1,149,744	(aa) 1,658,783	1,948,157
Coke	do.	33,877	16,803	18,765
Ammonium sulphate	do.	92,281	(bb) 144,570	167,056
Pitch and asphalt	do.	12,208	8,349	11,403
Carbolic acid	do.	1,566	(bb) 1,093	1,201
Coal-tar dyes	do.	4,173	(a)	6,368
Aniline oil and salt	do.	1,020	636	320
Ammonium chloride	do.	2,242	1,740	2,615
Korea (e)—				
Coal	£	899,664	(a)	(a)

IMPORTS OF COAL, COKE AND BY-PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
Siam (e), (f) & (cc)—				
Coal	Long ton	25,898	17,321	21,249
Coke	do.	1,343	1,918	1,899
Syria (z)—				
Coal	Long ton	7,624	4,918	7,036
Briquettes	do.	21,015	23,353	21,806
Ammonium chloride ..	do.	52	22	19

- (a) Information not available.
 (b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.
 (c) Excluding government stores.
 (d) Excess of re-exports.
 (e) Total imports.
 (f) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated
 (g) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.
 (h) Converted at the rate of 8 barrels = 1 long ton.
 (i) Total imports, excluding transit trade.
 (j) Imported chiefly for bunkering purposes.
 (k) Four months only, January-April.
 (l) Included with creosote tar.
 (m) Total imports, including inter-præsidency trade.
 (n) From 12th May, 1923.
 (o) Including coke.
 (p) Eight months only, May-December.
 (q) Excluding German reparation deliveries.
 (r) Exports from United Kingdom to Portugal.
 (s) Including re-exports of coal, which were as follows :—
- | | | | |
|------|---------|--------|------------|
| 1922 | | 40,347 | long tons. |
| 1923 | | 19,692 | " " |
| 1924 | | 10,874 | " " |
- (t) Total imports, excluding government stores.
 (u) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.
 (v) Overseas trade only.
 (w) Including patent fuel.
 (x) Included with coal.
 (y) From 10th November only; included with coal previously.
 (z) Imports into the port of Beirut.
 (aa) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during July and August.
 (bb) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.
 (cc) Figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.
 (dd) Total imports, including bitumen.

COBALT**PRODUCTION OF COBALT**

(Cwt.)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (a)	5,089	7,929	8,574
Australia (b)	2,030	4,350	3,945
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
United States	40	—	—
New Caledonia (c) ..	—	5,425	(d)

(a) Metal recovered from smelter products, including cobalt contained in cobalt residues exported.

(b) Probably concentrates.

(c) Imports of cobalt ore into France from New Caledonia.

(d) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF COBALT, ETC.

(Domestic Produce)

(Cwt.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Cobalt and cobalt alloys	360	710	322
Cobalt oxide	988	1,308	1,464
Canada (b)—			
Cobalt	1,553	2,298	1,380
Cobalt alloys	25	1	22
Cobalt oxide and cobalt salts	4,046	3,972	5,362
Australia (c)—			
Cobalt ore	11,880	8,612	22,531
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Cobalt and nickel ore ..	15	10	(a)
France—			
Cobalt ore	787	3,534	14
Impure cobalt oxide ..	27	26	90
Other cobalt oxide, including zaffre and smalt	268	279	201
Cobalt salts	57	45	20

(a) Information not available.*(b)* Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.*(c)* Years ended 30th June of the year stated.*(d)* Including re-exports.

IMPORTS OF COBALT, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Cwt.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Cobalt and cobalt alloys	32	270	248
Cobalt oxide	426	959	1,287
Canada (b)—			
Cobalt ore	7	—	—
Oxides of cobalt, tin and copper	2,522	1,871	1,837
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France—			
Cobalt ore	16	4,288	1,356
Impure cobalt oxide ..	807	1,187	2,387
Other cobalt oxide, including zaffre and smalt	342	266	281
Cobalt salts	26	25	2
Poland (c)—			
Cobalt	(d)	(d)	97
Rumania (c)—			
Cobalt salts	28	2	125
United States—			
Cobalt ore	46	} 2,539	1,847
Cobalt	1,128		
Zaffre	—		
Cobalt oxide	1,942	2,309	2,024
Chile—			
Cobalt salts	(a)	(a)	(d)
Japan—			
Cobalt oxide	1,310	1,299	196

(a) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Total imports.

(d) Information not available.

COPPER

PRODUCTION OF COPPER ORE

(In terms of metal)

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (<i>h</i>) ..	104	88	121
Northern Rhodesia (<i>a</i>) ..	179	129	98
Southern Rhodesia (<i>a</i>) ..	3,025	2,654	2,524
South-West Africa Territory (<i>b</i>)	6,180	8,901	7,622
Union of South Africa ..	654	7,853	8,251
Canada	19,143	38,786	47,478
Newfoundland	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>g</i>) 90	(<i>c</i>)
Cyprus	584	1,230	2,776
India	1,154	244	1,234
Australia	12,502	17,713	14,573
Papua	(<i>e</i>) 46	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>c</i>)
Total ..	43,700	77,700	85,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	1,178	1,657	1,909
Bulgaria	(<i>i</i>) 24,080	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>c</i>)
Czechoslovakia	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>i</i>) 581
Finland	738	499	(<i>c</i>)
France	52	(<i>i</i>) 133	(<i>i</i>) 116
Germany	17,448	18,347	19,200
Italy	1,259	1,082	(<i>j</i>) 857
Jugoslavia	5,714	6,700	8,014
Norway	8,158	8,385	9,329
Portugal	(<i>f</i>) 2,000	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>c</i>)
Rumania (<i>i</i>)	3,389	216	4,295
Russia (<i>f</i>)	4,000	5,000	3,200
Spain	27,574	32,872	25,900
Sweden	1,367	1,614	(<i>f</i>) 1,700
Algeria	433	(<i>i</i>) 2,566	(<i>i</i>) 2,031
Belgian Congo (<i>a</i>) ..	42,665	56,041	84,452
Tunis (<i>i</i>)	49	347	163
Cuba	(<i>d</i>) 11,285	7,818	11,374
Mexico	26,544	52,514	48,264
United States	430,618	659,705	717,418
Argentina (<i>f</i>)	500	300	(<i>c</i>)

PRODUCTION OF COPPER ORE (*Cont.*)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Bolivia	10,362	9,888	7,319
Chile	143,429	202,712	186,280
Peru	35,823	43,459	34,362
Venezuela (<i>f</i>)	1,500	1,200	1,100
China (Kirin)	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>a</i>) 246	(<i>c</i>)
Formosa	1,078	(<i>c</i>)	(<i>c</i>)
Japan (<i>a</i>)	53,256	58,392	61,928
Turkestan	—	10	(<i>c</i>)
Total ..	830,000	1,200,000	1,230,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	870,000	1,280,000	1,320,000

(*a*) Smelter production.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Information not available.

(*d*) Copper content of exports.

(*e*) Year ended 30th June, 1922.

(*f*) Approximate production.

(*g*) Copper content of ore exported during year ended 30th June, 1923.

(*h*) Excluding Irish Free State.

(*i*) Ore ; copper content not stated.

(*j*) Excluding copper content of 4,068 long tons of mixed ores containing copper, lead, silver and zinc.

SMELTER PRODUCTION OF COPPER

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (b) ..	18,400	22,800	21,200
Northern Rhodesia ..	179	129	98
Southern Rhodesia ..	3,025	2,654	2,524
Union of South Africa ..	—	492	(a)
Canada (g)	13,538	14,747	(b) 17,000
India	1,037	(e) 187	—
Australia	11,524	17,825	14,100
Total ..	48,000	59,000	55,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	4,507	4,755	3,786
Belgium	7,170	7,783	(a)
Czechoslovakia	(a)	(a)	2,372
France	2,855	(b) 2,500	(b) 3,000
Germany	31,500	25,800	34,000
Italy	402	572	447
Jugoslavia	5,268	6,700	(b) 8,000
Norway	79	66	70
Rumania	109	70	88
Russia (d)	820	1,640	2,807
Spain	9,854	12,974	16,330
Sweden	—	—	1,973
Belgian Congo	42,665	56,041	84,452
Mexico	20,543	(a)	35,674
United States (f) ..	504,973	744,406	802,200
Chile	111,868	160,196	169,000
Peru	35,167	(b) 42,500	34,500
China (c)	308	835	828
Japan	53,256	58,392	61,482
Total ..	830,000	1,150,000	1,270,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	880,000	1,210,000	1,320,000

(a) Information not available.

(b) Approximate production.

(c) Exports of "ingots and blocks."

(d) Years ended 30th September of the year stated.

(e) Refined copper.

(f) Revised figures.

(g) Copper content.

EXPORTS OF COPPER, ETC.
(*Domestic Produce*)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore, regulus, matte, precipitate and scale	3,507	852	1,021
Bars, blocks, slabs, ingots and cakes—			
Electrolytic	606	999	498
Other	13,004	12,668	5,275
Plates, sheets, strips, etc.	12,610	12,699	11,850
Rods	936	1,033	1,350
Tubes	1,147	1,850	1,587
Wire	3,496	8,591	11,041
Sulphate.. .. .	41,763	42,091	40,005
Northern Rhodesia—			
Bars and ingots ..	315	163	108
Southern Rhodesia—			
Blister copper	3,140	2,635	2,598
South-West Africa Territory—			
Ore	34,259	43,862	52,604
Union of South Africa—			
Ore and concentrates ..	99	2,615	454
Regulus and matte ..	—	2,287	1,810
Bars, ingots and rods ..	531	3,230	6,969
Canada (a)—			
Ore, matte and regulus (b)	9,576	20,074	23,828
Blister copper	16,897	19,699	19,492
Blocks, pigs and ingots..	—	1,124	311
Scrap copper	1,373	572	1,909
Scrap brass	3,292	2,550	3,711
Bars, rods, sheets, plates, tubes and wire ..	6	12	87
Newfoundland (f)—			
Ore	—	3,000	9
Cyprus—			
Cupreous pyrites ..	19,124	52,227	128,188

EXPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
Hong Kong (c)—			
Bars, sheets, plates, sheathing, tubes, pipes and wire	677	507	636
India (a) (d)—			
Unwrought copper ..	—	1,535	(j)
Wrought copper ..	252	1,632	(n) 2,296
Straits Settlements (e)—			
Metal	(g)	2	(j)
Sheathing	(g)	6	(j)
Australia (f)—			
Ore (b)	27	45	218
Concentrates (b) ..	(g)	—	(g)
Matte (b)	—	324	1,169
Blocks and ingots ..	9,382	8,777	5,801
Bars, rods, sheets, pipes, tubes, wire, etc. ..	6	315	85
Papua (f)—			
Ore	2,700	(g)	(j)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Ore	95	174	278
Rough copper	} 3,194 {	2,820	5,332
Sheets, plates, bars, rods and wire		1,286	1,527
Sulphate.. .. .		3,337	3,345
Belgium—			
Ore	(k) 2	(h)	(h)
Rough copper	(k) 3,513	(h)	(h)
Drawn or rolled ..	(k) 1,465	(h)	(h)
Sulphate.. .. .	(k) 1,313	(h)	(h)

EXPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(l) 1,842	950	1,234
Rough copper	(l) 8,180	8,806	9,502
Drawn or rolled	(l) 2,858	6,796	7,029
Sulphate.. .. .	(l) 1,930	5,504	7,813
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Ore	1,807	137	(j)
Crude copper and scrap Sheets, plates, rods and wire	1,119	1,412	(j)
	242	100	(j)
Esthonia—			
Bars, etc.	30	(j)	18
Scrap	(j)	(j)	200
Finland—			
Ore	7,833	20,472	(j)
France—			
Ore and concentrates ..	2,610	1,381	816
Precipitate, ingots, etc., plates and anodes	2,783	3,463	1,622
Filings and scrap	22,733	12,402	2,952
Bars, sheets and wire ..	10,722	17,684	20,967
Germany—			
Ore, matte and calcined cupreous pyrites	1,328	12,737	11,878
Rough copper	11,602	12,192	13,354
Coin and scrap	139	75	1,259
Bars, sheets, plates, tubes, wire, etc.	12,476	11,356	20,465
Italy—			
Ore	2,698	3,186	4,216
Cupreous pyrites	2,128	37	233
Ingots, cakes and scrap (i)	11,373	4,612	1,841
Bars, rods, sheets, plates, wire and tubes (i)	1,695	887	444
Sulphate.. .. .	1,653	2,822	2,821

EXPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Jugoslavia (c)—			
Copper, copper alloys and manufactures thereof	5,267	5,656	7,483
Netherlands—			
Ore	4,866	1,824	3,267
Cakes, ingots, bars and tubes	93	200	318
Scrap	792	884	1,027
Sheets, cable and wire ..	103	466	532
Norway—			
Ore and matte	241	(j)	(j)
Copper cement	—	—	13
Cupreous pyrites	352,579	277,957	351,252
Burnt cupreous pyrites	31,599	46,105	40,222
Rough and refined copper	174	(g)	72
Scrap	(i) 496	(i) 715	(j)
Plates, bolts, wire, etc.	46	(j)	(j)
Poland(c)—			
Ore	(j)	674	10
Copper cement and scrap			55
Pigs, bars and ingots ..	1,508	107	51
Sheets			62
Tubes			11
Portugal—			
Ore	(j)	179,672	(j)
Rumania (c)—			
Ore, filings and scrap ..	36	(g)	—
Rolled copper and wire	1	13	(g)
Spain (c)—			
Ore—			
Not more than 2½ per cent. copper	602,965	585,391	684,437
More than 2½ per cent. copper	5,958	963	1,511
Matte	(j)	26	(j)
Precipitate	15,944	25,254	15,601
Black copper and scrap (i)	106	91	(j)
Ingots	6,308	5,153	9,124
Bars, sheets, tubes and wire (i)	5	3	(j)
Sulphate.. .. .	3	1	(j)

EXPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Sweden—			
Rough copper	745	6,597	4,103
Sheets, hoops, rods, pipes, tubes and wire	1,305	512	521
Switzerland—			
Ore, filings and turnings	2,680	1,422	2,384
Bars, ingots, sheets, etc. (†)	55	4	60
Scrap (‡)	1,069	334	429
Bars, sheets, solder, tubes, and wire (‡)	1,779	2,872	3,651
Algeria—			
Ore	2,136	3,668	3,233
Copper cement	2	—	} 1,046
Bars, plates and wire ..	4	12	
Belgian Congo—			
Ore	9	120	(j)
Rough copper	42,578	54,439	83,005
Cuba—			
Ore	48,115	14,060	(j)
United States—			
Ore (b)	} 28	} 151	} 25
Concentrates, matte and regulus (b)			
Black, blister and con- verter copper bars, pigs, etc.			
Refined copper ingots, bars, rods, etc. ..	314,667	353,604	478,680
Scrap	1,250	1,582	2,319
Plates, sheets, pipes, tubes and wire ..	12,834	12,801	10,285
Argentina—			
Ore	1,009	530	709
Bars	—	310	114
Bolivia—			
Ore	16,153	} 30,854	} 20,776
Concentrates	1,118		
Cement	(j)	384	(j)
Sulphides	9,332	(j)	(j)
Precipitate	87	(j)	(j)

EXPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Chile—			
Ore	95,903	111,931	(j)
Auriferous and argent- iferous copper ore ..	10,655	11,024	(j)
Concentrates	139	—	(j)
Matte	81	586	(j)
Precipitate	213	1	(j)
Ingots, bars and sheets..	118,396	159,816	(j)
Peru—			
Copper ore	56	592	(j)
Auriferous and argent- iferous copper ore ..	905	899	(j)
Copper concentrates ..	336	609	(j)
Matte and precipitate (m)	1,028	1,124	(j)
Bars (m)	36,439	42,644	(j)
Venezuela—			
Ore	3,393	(j)	(j)
China—			
Ingots and blocks ..	308	835	828
Japan—			
Ingots and blocks ..	411	(o) 358	323
Plates, sheets and wire..	1,058	(o) 1,407	2,213
Sulphate.. .. .	54	25	31

- (a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.
 (b) Copper content.
 (c) Including re-exports.
 (d) Overseas trade only.
 (e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.
 (f) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.
 (g) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.
 (h) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.
 (i) Including brass and bronze.
 (j) Information not available.
 (k) Four months only, January-April.
 (l) Eight months only, May-December.
 (m) Including auriferous and argentiferous.
 (n) Excluding government stores.
 (o) Excluding exports from the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

IMPORTS OF COPPER, ETC.
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore, regulus, matte, precipitate and scale ..	31,392	42,356	38,565
Bars, blocks, slabs, ingots and cakes—			
Electrolytic ..	36,764	71,081	94,519
Other	13,476	23,600	31,345
Plates, sheets, strips, etc.	615	858	472
Rods	8,446	15,566	20,280
Tubes	215	627	658
Wire	4,513	6,480	5,093
Sulphate.. .. .	7	414	1,337
Kenya—			
Wire, including brass wire	81	51	159
Mauritius—			
Bars, sheets, tubes, pipes and scrap (c)	53	54	23
Southern Rhodesia—			
Concentrates	—	—	128
Scrap	—	892	141
Bars, ingots, rods, plates, sheets, pipes and tubes	(b) 49	21	50
Tanganyika Territory—			
Wire	14	32	135
Union of South Africa—			
Bars, ingots and rods ..	151	108	405
Plates, sheets and tubes	(o) 122	(o) 281	431
Canada (a)—			
Ore and concentrates ..	(e)	(e)	(e)
Precipitate	(450 lb.)	—	—
Blocks, pigs and ingots.	1,332	5,453	3,891
Scrap copper	1,116	1,151	941
Scrap brass	1,136	808	1,468
Bars, rods, sheets, plates, tubes and wire ..	13,838	13,825	10,741
West Indies (Barbados)—			
Bars and sheets	(£328)	(£35)	(d)

IMPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont).

Importing Country 'and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
British Honduras— Sheathing and rods ..	(£794)	(£1,191)	(£769)
Cyprus— Bars, sheets, bottoms and nails	15	31	45
Hong Kong (c)— Bars, sheets, plates, sheathing, pipes, tubes and wire	804	356	568
India (a) (f)— Scrap	645	450	(j) 158
Ingots, cakes, blocks, etc.	2,819	2,559	(j) 2,070
Wrought copper ..	11,490	9,850	(j) 11,417
Straits Settlements (g)— Metal	13	16	43
New sheathing	2	32	(d)
Old sheathing	3	38	(d)
Australia (h)— Ore	—	75	(e)
Matte (i)	(e)	13	(e)
Blocks, ingots, pig and scrap	6	28	80
Bars, rods, strips, plates, sheets, pipes, tubes and wire	1,492	1,371	2,873
New Zealand— Bars, rods, plates, sheets, sheathing, pipes and tubes	293	557	506
Non-insulated wire (£ New Zealand)	(£91,861)	(£227,068)	(£259,693)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)— Ore	377	73	11
Rough copper	10,823	10,307	15,032
Sheets, plates, bars, rods and wire			
Sulphate.. .. .	103	157	87

IMPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Belgium—			
Ore	(<i>l</i>) 19,743	(<i>n</i>)	(<i>n</i>)
Rough copper	(<i>l</i>) 6,133	(<i>n</i>)	(<i>n</i>)
Drawn or rolled	(<i>l</i>) 2,385	(<i>n</i>)	(<i>n</i>)
Sulphate	(<i>l</i>) 1	(<i>n</i>)	(<i>n</i>)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(<i>m</i>) 30,558	29,971	36,038
Rough copper	(<i>m</i>) 11,529	15,256	20,431
Drawn or rolled	(<i>m</i>) 3,949	6,858	7,208
Sulphate.. .. .	(<i>m</i>) 18	7	64
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Crude and refined copper and copper cement ..	9,186	10,134	14,805
Sheets and plates	15	} 51	(<i>d</i>)
Rods and wire	126		
Denmark—			
Rough copper	630	1,124	1,040
Bars, bolts, plates, pipes and wire	3,086	4,361	4,279
Esthonia—			
Crude copper in bars, etc.	98	62	12
Ingots, sheets and plates	56	40	49
Tubes and wire.. .. .	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	60
Finland (c)—			
Unwrought copper, in- cluding scrap	36	33	(<i>d</i>)
Plates, sheets and tubes	726	951	(<i>d</i>)
France—			
Ore and concentrates ..	6,141	6,275	6,835
Precipitate, ingots, etc., plates and anodes	80,270	109,783	134,822
Filings and scrap	8,571	14,668	17,008
Bars, sheets and wire ..	5,722	2,078	3,606
Germany—			
Ore, matte and calcined cupreous pyrites	129,505	48,270	87,972
Rough copper	125,874	82,159	108,517
Coin and scrap	12,416	6,189	4,315
Bars, sheets, plates, tubes, wire, etc.	610	64	302

IMPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Greece—			
Copper	298	212	(d)
Italy—			
Ore	19	—	19
Cupreous pyrites ..	—	74	—
Ingots, cakes and scrap (k)	42,665	46,228	53,398
Bars, rods, sheets, plates, tubes and wire (k) ..	1,323	1,746	3,495
Jugoslavia (c)—			
Rough copper, coins and alloys	618	(d)	(d)
Sheets, cylinders, pipes and wire	1,292	(d)	(d)
Netherlands—			
Ore	6,629	1,845	3,267
Cakes, ingots, bars and tubes	3,470	4,089	4,981
Scrap	49	71	198
Sheets, cable and wire ..	2,359	2,363	2,208
Norway—			
Precipitate	—	(d)	(d)
Rough copper and alloys	339	(c) 731	(c) 524
Poland (c)—			
Copper cement, old and scrap	} 548	} 1,105	} 50 1,199 742 676
Pigs, bars and ingots ..			
Sheets			
Tubes and wire			
Portugal—			
Copper alloys	(d)	1 718	(d)
Sulphate	(d)	3,081	(d)
Rumania (c)—			
Ore and scrap	84	16	35
Rolled copper and wire	848	722	1,428
Tubes and pipes of copper and its alloys.. ..	208	137	89
Spain (c)—			
Precipitate and matte ..	1,481	557	(d)
Ingots and scrap (k) ..	5,726	4,306	(d)
Bars, sheets, tubes and wire (k)	1,864	2,230	(d)

IMPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Sweden—			
Rough copper	10,873	16,014	17,172
Sheets, hoops, rods, pipes, tubes and wire	786	138	143
Switzerland—			
Ore, filings and turnings	237	1,398	2,239
Bars, ingots, sheets, etc. (<i>k</i>)	7,451	9,215	11,158
Scrap (<i>k</i>)	262	863	1,105
Bars, sheets, solder, tubes, and wire (<i>k</i>)	2,966	3,725	4,465
Algeria—			
Copper cement	8	33	} 1,308
Filings and scrap	45	33	
Bars and plates	257	194	
Wire	347	700	
Belgian Congo—			
Rough copper	3	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)
Bars, sheets and wire ..	39	84	(<i>d</i>)
Tunis (<i>c</i>)—			
Bars, ingots, etc. (<i>k</i>) ..	31	19	15
Scrap	5	38	1
Rolled or beaten copper and wire	257	219	254
Cuba—			
Ingots and bars (<i>k</i>)	11	4	(<i>d</i>)
Plates (<i>k</i>)	109	274	(<i>d</i>)
Wire (<i>k</i>)	555	2,248	(<i>d</i>)
United States—			
Ore (<i>i</i>)	31,787	40,246	46,949
Concentrates (<i>i</i>)	14,691	22,305	18,633
Matte and regulus (<i>i</i>) ..	3,896	1,322	470
Black, blister and con- verter copper bars, pigs, etc.	135,080	(<i>c</i>) 176,181	205,790
Refined copper ingots, bars, etc.	46,043	57,352	65,138
Scrap	9,527	2,448	1,656
Chile—			
Ore	2	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)
Ingots, bars, sheets and wire	416	473	(<i>d</i>)

IMPORTS OF COPPER, ETC. (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Peru—			
Bars, plates, rivets, sheets, tubes, etc. (<i>h</i>)	114	98	(<i>d</i>)
China—			
Ingots and blocks ..	35,506	13,718	33,628
Bars, rods, sheets, plates, nails and wire ..	1,214	1,469	1,912
Dutch East Indies—			
Java—			
Sheets and wire ..	853	609	649
French Indo China—			
Rolled, drawn or beaten copper	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	503
Japan (<i>c</i>)—			
Ingots and blocks ..	22,177	5,909	6,884
Siam (<i>a</i>) (<i>c</i>) (<i>g</i>)—			
Rough copper	109	126	111
Syria (<i>p</i>)—			
Sheets and tubes ..	329	819	298

(*a*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*b*) Including brass.

(*c*) Total imports.

(*d*) Information not available.

(*e*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*f*) Overseas trade only.

(*g*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*h*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*i*) Copper content.

(*j*) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(*k*) Including brass and bronze.

(*l*) Four months only, January–April.

(*m*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*n*) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*o*) Excluding tubes.

(*p*) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(*q*) Figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

DIAMONDS

PRODUCTION OF DIAMONDS

(Metric carats)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Gold Coast	6,535	23,342	(b)66,946
Southern Rhodesia	256	542	596
Union of South Africa	669,559	2,053,095	2,440,398
South-West Africa Territory	144,156	433,229	492,696
British Guiana	167,981	220,162	190,501
India	171	115	67
Australia	1,000	175	284
Total ..	989,658	2,730,660	3,190,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Angola	98,683	94,478	118,016
Belgian Congo	250,292	414,954	548,274
Brazil (a)	(£199,623)	(£188,605)	(c)
Dutch East Indies	1,948	1,139	(c)
Total ..	410,000	560,000	720,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	1,400,000	3,290,000	3,910,000

(a) Value of exports.

(b) Exports.

(c) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF DIAMONDS
(Domestic Produce)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
Gold Coast—				
Diamonds	Carat	5,306	9,548	66,946
Southern Rhodesia—				
Diamonds	Carat	191	392	541
South-West Africa Territory—				
Diamonds in the rough ..	Carat	140,435	433,228	493,502
Union of South Africa—				
Diamonds in the rough ..	Carat	1,330,664	2,428,849	2,199,477
British Guiana—				
Diamonds	Carat	163,654	220,070	184,572
Hong Kong (a)—				
Diamonds	£	—	2,854	—
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Belgium—				
Crude and unset diamonds	£	(b) 31,383	(e)	(e)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Crude and unset diamonds	£	(f) 89,762	7,600,000	(d) 5,500,000
Netherlands—				
Polished and unset diamonds	£	3,900	—	—
Angola—				
Diamonds	Carat	98,682	91,493	(c)
Belgian Congo—				
Diamonds (g)	Carat	168,341	502,226	(c)
United States—				
Cut diamonds, but unset ..	Carat	15	—	—
Brazil—				
Diamonds	£	199,623	188,605	(c)
Carbons	£	112,216	108,629	(c)
Dutch East Indies—				
Diamonds	£	14,339	(c)	(c)

(a) Including re-exports.

(b) See note (c) page 107.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Nine months only, January-September.

(e) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(f) Eight months only, May-December; see latter part of note (c), page 107.

(g) Figures refer to precious stones, which are chiefly diamonds.

IMPORTS OF DIAMONDS
(Less Re-exports)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom (e)—				
Unset diamonds	Carat	25,250	17,802	38,839
Union of South Africa—				
Cut diamonds	£	6,542	6,616	765
Canada (a)—				
Unset diamonds	£	429,213	518,999	475,033
Diamond dust or bort and black diamonds for borers	£	76,926	62,771	75,901
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Belgium—				
Crude and unset diamonds	£	(c) 231,246	(f)	(f)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Crude and unset diamonds	£	(g) 395,235	5,000,000	(h) 4,630,036
Netherlands—				
Diamonds in the rough ..	£	38,600	41,000	39,481
Polished and unset diamonds	£	700	1,026	128,745
United States—				
Unset diamonds for glaziers, engravers and miners (b)	Carat	36,668	32,907	32,463
Uncut diamonds (b) ..	Carat	144,490	200,224	213,406
Cut diamonds, unset (b) ..	Carat	453,723	539,972	502,144
Diamond dust and bort ..	£	232,812	50,434	58,441
Chile—				
Diamonds	Carat	165,000	300,000	(d)
Philippine Islands—				
Unset diamonds	Carat	5,439	11,351	(£109,022)

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Total imports.

(c) Four months only, January–April. Figure refers only to those diamonds which pass through the Belgian Customs. The Antwerp Chamber of Commerce reports that the value, in millions of francs, of the Belgian trade during 1922 was as follows:—

Imports of crude diamonds	330
Exports of cut diamonds	550

(d) Information not available.

(e) Excluding diamonds imported from the Union of South Africa, which were, according to the Union Government:—

1922	1,254,457 Carats
1923	2,302,223 ..
1924	2,054,802 ..

(f) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(g) Eight months only, May–December; see latter part of note (c).

(h) Nine months only, January–September.

DIATOMACEOUS EARTH

 PRODUCTION OF DIATOMACEOUS EARTH (a)
 (Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Northern Ireland	1,879	1,654	2,441
Union of South Africa ..	(£2,120)	213	232
Canada	196	116	32
Australia	481	515	564
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France	4,546	(b)	(b)
Germany (c)	5,123	4,030	4,256
Italy	172	413	413
Norway (c)	80	109	(b)
Sweden	317	685	598
Algeria	2,440	(c) 4,729	(c) 8,946
United States	39,965	58,779	56,396
Japan	4,617	5,237	(b)

(a) Including kieselguhr, infusorial earth and tripolite.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Exports.

EXPORTS OF DIATOMACEOUS EARTH

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France	1,018	2,696	3,754
Germany	5,123	4,030	4,256
Norway—			
Calcined	34	44	(a)
Other	46	65	(a)
Poland (c)	(a)	(a)	30
Sweden (b)	201	306	163
Algeria	3,182	4,729	8,946

(a) Information not available.

(b) Including bauxite and cryolite.

(c) Including re-exports.

IMPORTS OF DIATOMACEOUS EARTH
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom ..	5,481	6,229	6,644
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Esthonia	(a)	(a)	12
Finland (c)	217	505	(a)
France	1,378	1,824	2,506
Germany	64	55	4,250
Poland (c)	(a)	(a)	2,624
Sweden (b)	263	441	1,272
Algeria	17	40	(a)
United States (d)	495	363	194

(a) Information not available.

(b) Including bauxite and cryolite.

(c) Total imports.

(d) Including tripoli and rottenstone.

FELSPAR

PRODUCTION OF FELSPAR

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Felspar	830	3,246	1,053
China stone	38,921	51,343	54,703
Canada (b)	24,756	26,094	40,004
Australia	85	33	15
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Finland	1,301	(a)	(a)
France	10,057	(a)	(a)
Germany (Bavaria)	5,982	8,851	(a)
Italy	2,745	4,989	5,116
Norway (d)	11,643	12,863	20,499
Russia	674	(a)	(a)
Sweden	22,011	16,586	18,999
United States (c)	117,127	145,004	204,772
Japan	15,802	22,585	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Shipments.

(c) Sales.

(d) Exports.

EXPORTS OF FELSPAR
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (a)	22,035	27,021	31,678
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)	7	1	2
Czechoslovakia (b)	6,416	4,368	5,646
Finland	1,740	678	670
Germany	27,912	6,100	11,222
Netherlands (c)	118	7	—
Norway—			
Crude	9,545	10,681	16,088
Ground	2,098	2,182	4,411
Poland (b)	(d)	(d)	59
Sweden	21,691	18,581	14,210

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Including re-exports.

(c) Including calcite.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF FELSPAR
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (a)	1,517	1,484	1,529
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)	459	581	648
Czechoslovakia (b)	2,429	1,502	(c)
Denmark	778	980	910
Finland (b)	31	138	(c)
Germany	29,544	18,441	25,834
Netherlands (d)	1,148	1,762	856
Poland (b)	(c)	(c)	3,381
Rumania (b)	155	57	148
Sweden	56	181	50
United States—			
Crude	7,549	} 24,271	35,319
Ground	37		

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Total imports.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Including calcite.

(e) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

FLUORSPAR**PRODUCTION OF FLUORSPAR**
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	33,343	49,031	49,492
Union of South Africa (a)	(£785)	10,802	10,031
Canada (a)	4,021	124	4
Australia	—	250	2,334
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France	9,102	(b)	(b)
Germany—			
Bavaria	13,009	10,374	(b)
Prussia	8,491	10,636	(b)
Saxony	(e) 5,405	(b)	(b)
Italy	1,373	3,308	6,721
Spain	386	—	624
Mexico (c)	500	500	500
United States (d)	118,981	133,138	131,114
China (Chekiang)	(b)	162	(b)
Japan	35	—	(b)

(a) Shipments.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Approximate production.

(d) Marketable spar recovered.

(e) Including barium minerals.

EXPORTS OF FLUORSPAR*(Domestic Produce)*

(Long tons)

Exporting Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	22,516	31,367	30,478
Canada (a)	2,629	—	—
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia (b) ..	(d)	72	(c)
Germany	16,657	20,979	20,889
Norway	20	—	(c)
Sweden	—	(d)	7

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Including re-exports.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

IMPORTS OF FLUORSPAR
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (a)	6,349	12,166	4,383
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia (d) ..	1,216	2,522	(c)
Denmark	94	326	566
Germany	(b)	4	50
Norway	125	26	(c)
Sweden	1,321	1,942	1,500
United States	29,561	37,396	45,574

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Total imports.

FULLER'S EARTH

PRODUCTION OF FULLER'S EARTH

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	(a)	(a)	(a)
India	13,550	27,696	4,078
Australia	50	50	50
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
United States (b)	124,057	133,155	158,923

(a) Information not available for publication.

(b) Sales.

EXPORTS OF FULLER'S EARTH

Particulars as to exports of fuller's earth are not available.

IMPORTS OF FULLER'S EARTH

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (a)—			
Fuller's earth, in bulk ..	(£5,678)	(£5,229)	(£5,862)
Ceylon—			
Fuller's earth	1,087	1,020	885
Australia (b)—			
Fuller's earth, in bulk ..	52	67	129
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Egypt—			
Fuller's earth	35	78	20
United States—			
Unwrought fuller's earth ..	542	573	264
Wrought fuller's earth ..	8,895	7,058	6,255

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.*(b)* Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

GOLD

PRODUCTION OF GOLD ORE

(In terms of metal)

(Fine ounces)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan (<i>d</i>)	8,126	8,318	9,994
Bechuanaland Protectorate (<i>e</i>)	6,005	3,040	1,817
Gold Coast	212,690	199,525	205,000
Nigeria	702	946	1,415
Northern Rhodesia ..	2,505	1,591	1,245
Southern Rhodesia ..	652,791	647,491	627,729
South-West Africa Territory	—	—	147
Swaziland	427	93	376
Tanganyika Territory ..	376	1,954	7,796
Union of South Africa ..	7,009,858	9,149,073	9,575,040
Canada	1,263,364	1,233,341	1,525,380
British Guiana	10,877	7,262	7,187
India	390,400	383,600	396,300
Federated Malay States (<i>g</i>)	15,005	9,567	14,960
Sarawak	1,097	(<i>b</i>) 2,173	(<i>b</i>) 858
Australia	755,526	712,662	670,827
Papua	12,989	1,015	(<i>f</i>)
New Zealand	120,811	155,404	(<i>c</i>) 133,631
Total ..	10,460,000	12,520,000	13,180,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	945	1,051	2,161
Czechoslovakia	9,645	3,954	9,011
France	16,493	13,599	20,000
Germany	5,431	6,415	(<i>f</i>)
Greece	425	(<i>a</i>) 400	(<i>f</i>)
Italy	720	1,382	1,529
Jugoslavia	6,944	6,140	(<i>f</i>)
Rumania	42,985	43,145	42,149
Russia and Siberia ..	137,279	218,225	(<i>f</i>)
Spain	1,557	4,983	2,090
Sweden	14	67	265
Abyssinia	31,909	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Belgian Congo	75,932	102,349	111,000
Eritrea	64	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Egypt	241	484	934

PRODUCTION OF GOLD ORE (Cont.)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
French West Africa—			
Guinea	10,706	} 17,489	{ (f)
Ivory Coast	482		
Madagascar	18,583	16,139	13,786
Portuguese East Africa	11,735	10,513	(f)
Mexico	748,323	776,808	792,401
United States	2,293,251	2,404,917	2,430,278
Central America (a)	121,000	121,000	121,000
Argentina (a)	3,600	3,900	(f)
Bolivia	407	407	(f)
Brazil	146,668	144,675	(f)
Chile	79,842	105,549	(f)
Colombia	909,785	359,809	(b) 183,287
Dutch Guiana	11,992	12,731	10,375
Ecuador	36,270	46,799	(f)
French Guiana	(a) 41,800	44,624	(f)
Peru	81,433	120,372	(f)
Uruguay	338	(a) 300	(f)
Venezuela	17,361	12,548	(f)
China (a)	100,000	100,000	100,000
Dutch East Indies	117,097	115,570	124,398
Formosa	28,356	13,300	(a) 22,000
French Indo-China	(a) 5,500	(a) 4,000	(f)
Japan	241,942	247,224	(a) 250,000
Korea	127,892	102,046	(a) 122,000
Philippine Islands	46,524	81,576	80,965
Total ..	5,500,000	5,300,000	5,300,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	16,000,000	17,800,000	18,500,000

(a) Approximate production.

(b) Exports.

(c) Gold content of exports, excluding jewellers' sweepings.

(d) Exports of bullion.

(e) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Quantity placed on the market.

EXPORTS OF GOLD

(Domestic Produce)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Gold bullion, refined (a)	Ounce	8,818,569	11,103,464	9,058,468
Gold coin (a)—				
Of legal tender in the United Kingdom ..	do.	957,229	1,850,521	1,670,193
Not of legal tender in the United Kingdom	do.	4,690	21,041	4,027
Gold leaf	£	6,033	4,488	4,797
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	8,126	8,318	9,994
Gold Coast—				
Gold and gold dust ..	Ounce	228,132	224,638	232,570
Nigeria—				
Gold ore.. .. .	Ounce	—	949	1,443
Gold dust	do.	603	467	—
Gold bars	do.	—	466	—
Northern Rhodesia—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	2,503	1,154	1,582
Southern Rhodesia—				
Gold concentrates ..	Lb.	1,745	1,426	3,942
Gold bullion	Ounce	614,139	608,855	563,787
Swaziland—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	427	93	376
Tanganyika Territory—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	249	1,319	7,577
Union of South Africa—				
Gold slag or concentrates	Lb.	19,985	145,486	52,460
Gold bullion	Ounce	6,912,027	9,179,159	9,463,734
Canada (c)—				
Gold-bearing quartz, dust, nuggets, also bullion obtained direct from mining operations ..	Dollar	5,449,469	17,384,090	28,793,333
British Guiana—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	9,522	5,621	5,490
British Borneo (Sarawak)—				
Gold	Ounce	1,662	2,173	858
Federated Malay States				
Gold	Ounce	13,781	8,602	12,848
Hong Kong (a)—				
Gold bullion	£	77,409	137,634	195,678
Gold coin—				
British	£	236,988	166,403	126,434
Foreign	£	1,710,841	2,400,634	1,554,675
Gold leaf	£	1,949,537	1,477,109	1,353,250

EXPORTS OF GOLD (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
India (a) (c)—				
By land—				
Gold	Rupee	136,372	139,354	112,460
By sea—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	787	154	1,598
Sovereigns and other British gold coin	do.	5,247	7,750	52,366
Other gold coin	do.	13,421	1,988	4,828
Straits Settlements (e)—				
Gold bullion	Dollar	3,304,217	1,838,419	1,297,563
Gold coin	do.	7,131,451	2,312,729	1,079,932
Gold thread	do.	5,433	4,415	3,654
Australia (f)—				
Gold ore, quartz and concentrates	Cwt.	—	1,308	221
Gold content	Ounce	—	997	1,236
Gold content of silver and silver-lead ores and concentrates	do.	(b)	176	159
Gold content of copper concentrates	do.	(b)	—	176
Gold content of matte	Ounce	600	539	3,411
Gold dust, bullion and sheet	do.	40	1,322	91,008
Gold coin (a)	£	3,480,420	2,219,998	2,411,512
New Zealand—				
Gold and silver concentrates, etc.	Long ton	306	28	214
Gold content	Ounce	3,968	606	1,237
Jewellers' sweepings, etc., of gold, silver and platinum	Long ton	3	1	4
Gold content	Ounce	783	280	568
Gold dust, bullion and sheet	Ounce	127,088	168,626	131,826
Papua (f)—				
Gold	Ounce	51,927	17,033	(b)

EXPORTS OF GOLD (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Austria (e)—				
Crude gold and scrap ..	Ounce	2,283	5,980	4,147
Gold coin	do.	—	49,833	161
Drawn and rolled gold ..	do.	—	—	257
Gold leaf	do.	—	1,479	1,318
Belgium (a)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	(i) 1,061	(j)	(j)
Gold coin	do.	(i) —	(j)	(j)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union (a)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	(g) 2,926	37,873	47,357
Gold coin	do.	(g) 4,115	—	—
Czechoslovakia (a)—				
Gold ores	Cwt.	4,372	—	(b)
Crude gold	Ounce	579	57,581	(b)
Gold bullion	do.	1,318	—	(b)
France—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	240,546	288,996	613,101
Gold coin (a)	do.	14,146	2,058	1,511
Drawn or rolled gold ..	do.	5,208	8,134	5,787
Gold wire	do.	16,204	52,758	39,641
Gold leaf	do.	514	1,318	1,222
Germany—				
Fine gold, hammered and rolled; alloyed gold, crude or cast; bars of native gold	Ounce	83,741	51,453	76,337
Gold coin (a)—				
German	do.	42	29	229,184
Foreign	do.	58	68	534
Gold leaf and tinsel ..	do.	543,611	646,241	755,236
Italy (a)—				
Gold dust, scrap and bullion	Ounce	10,867	8,809	4,919
Gold leaf	do.	80,375	—	—

EXPORTS OF GOLD (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Netherlands—				
Gold dust, scrap and bullion	Ounce	16,075	15,850	504,755
Gold coin	do.	567,801	61,021	1,937,198
Poland (a)—				
Crude gold	} Ounce		225	{ 17
Gold scrap, etc. . . .				
Rumania (a)—				
Gold ore and scrap ..	Ounce	(l)	7,458	—
Spain (a)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	402	193	(b)
Sweden—				
Gold scrap	Ounce	144	755	2,861
Gold bullion	do.	1,251,021	9,111	645,861
Gold coin (a)	Krona	237,707,977	1,978,474	7,212,825
Gold sheet and wire ..	Ounce	159	253	391
Gold leaf, including silver leaf, etc.	do.	19	(k)	(b)
Switzerland—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	704,085	407,341	544,074
Gold coin (a)	do.	78,575	525,074	715,884
Gold, silver or platinum—				
Rolled in sheets or strips	Ounce	2,861	8,681	4,051
Wire and thread, also metal wire covered with gold or silver . .	do.	8,745	11,863	10,706
Gold or silver tissue and gold or silver leaf ..	do.	96	482	418
Algeria—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	(b)	8,038	(b)
Gold coin (a)	do.	(b)	32	(b)
Belgian Congo—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	80,825	80,786	128,600
Egypt—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	2,612	5,200	8,352
Gold coin	£ (Egyptian)	—	64,328	52,260

EXPORTS OF GOLD (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)				
French West Africa—				
Gold—				
Guinea	Ounce	10,706	} 17,489	(b)
Ivory Coast	do.	482		
Madagascar and Dependencies—				
Gold ore	Ounce	(b)	16,686	10,803
Guatemala (<i>a</i>)—				
Gold	£	(b)	2,903	(b)
Mexico—				
Gold	Ounce	268,517	(b)	268,260
United States—				
Gold ore and base bullion	Dollar	73,709	248,771	245,817
Refined bullion ..	Ounce	264,077	956,299	1,302,681
United States gold coin	Dollar	30,323,172	7,848,658	33,225,446
Chile—				
Various gold ores ..	Cwt.	79,882	196,116	(b)
Unmanufactured gold, including coin ..	Ounce	1,725,937	1,955,815	(b)
Colombia—				
Gold	Ounce	906,726	358,601	183,287
Peru—				
Various gold ores ..	Cwt.	20,180	79,883	(b)
Gold precipitates, some containing silver ..	Ounce	6,044	5,176	(b)
Gold dust	do.	573	620	(b)
Gold bars, some containing silver	do.	20,941	22,189	(b)
China (<i>a</i>)—				
Gold bullion	} Haikwan { tael {	1,432,832	8,181,329	7,857,852
Gold coin		4,252,037	7,631,782	3,924,372
Dutch East Indies (<i>a</i>)—				
Java and Madura—				
Gold bullion	Gulden	3,488,905	4,577,201	5,751,776
Gold coin	do.	28,380	1,799,634	2,077,779
Other Islands—				
Gold ore (<i>b</i>)	Cwt.	192	286	(b)
Gold bullion	Gulden	879,200	929,500	(b)
Gold coin	do.	—	800	(b)

EXPORTS OF GOLD (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)				
French Indo-China—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	1,543	(b)	(b)
Gold, rolled or drawn, including wire	Franc	793,600	(b)	(b)
Gold leaf	Ounce	547	(b)	(b)
Japan—				
Gold bullion	Yen	—	264,535	6,070
Korea (a)—				
Gold ore	Long ton	15,246	15,855	(b)
Siam (d)—				
Gold coin	Tical	1,100	—	—
Gold leaf	do.	320	725	—

(a) Including re-exports.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) Figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the total trade of Siam passes, and to years ended 31st March of the year following that stated. Re-exports are included.

(e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(f) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(g) Eight months only, May-December.

(h) Auriferous and argentiferous mattes and slags.

(i) Four months only, January-April.

(j) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(k) 76 kronor

(l) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce.

IMPORTS OF GOLD

(Less Re-exports)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Gold ore, including value of gold contained in auriferous ores and metals	£	136,772	155,713	185,541
Gold bullion (b)—				
Unrefined in dust, amalgam and bars	Ounce	2,716,892	1,077,975	1,235,051
Refined in bars ..	do.	5,903,505	10,040,618	7,726,885
Gold coin (b)—				
Of legal tender in the United Kingdom ..	do.	1,312	1,234	62,324
Not of legal tender in the United Kingdom	do.	5,905	36,075	18,304
Gold leaf	£	37	39,892	81,790
Malta—				
Gold bullion and coin ..	Ounce	18,384	—	—
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—				
Gold coin	£ (<i>Egyptian</i>)	—	7,624	10,786
Gold Coast—				
Gold bullion	£	—	—	2
Gold coin	£	6,144	20,608	42,690
Kenya—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	1,327	4,975	6,833
Mauritius—				
Gold coin	Rupee	191,500	161,160	498,091
Nigeria—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	(<i>d349</i>)	65	598
Southern Rhodesia (b)—				
Gold coin	£	5,190	33,500	(<i>a</i>)
Sierra Leone—				
Gold coin	£	—	—	550
Tanganyika Territory—				
Gold bullion	£	—	—	1,469
Union of South Africa (b)—				
Gold bullion	£	64	54	—
Gold coin	do.	36,321	2,030	(<i>a</i>)
Zanzibar—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	—	(<i>£619</i>)	678
Gold coin	do.	1,115	1,916	3,247

IMPORTS OF GOLD (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Canada (c)—				
Bullion or gold fringe ..	Dollar	43,235	36,927	44,263
British Guiana—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	283	257	275
Gold coin	Dollar	—	(d288)	—
West Indies—				
Trinidad and Tobago—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	(d114)	960	(d1,483)
Gold coin	£	(d7,311)	15,085	—
British Borneo (Sarawak) (b)				
Gold leaf	Ounce	214	1,481	2,447
Cyprus—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	—	1	—
Ceylon—				
Gold coin	Rupee	800,998	2,310,105	3,404,977
Federated Malay States (b)				
Gold bullion	Dollar	400	42,982	14,900
Hong Kong (b)—				
Gold bullion	£	109,334	238,062	643,101
Gold coin—				
British	£	28,935	8,502	2,008
Foreign	£	1,404,679	1,290,492	1,326,948
Gold leaf	£	5,796	1,152	686
India (b) (c)—				
By land—				
Gold	Rupee	155,084	276,725	1,075,819
By sea—				
Gold bullion and other uncoined gold ..	Ounce	4,258,551	3,140,509	9,602,543
Sovereigns and other British gold coins ..	do.	1,478,913	1,053,259	2,285,332
Other gold coin ..	do.	140,289	135,480	51,742
Straits Settlements (f)—				
Gold bullion	Dollar	5,438,576	6,775,110	5,157,008
Gold coin	do.	10,209,917	8,699,458	6,768,840
Gold thread	do.	71,464	80,278	66,277
Australia (g)—				
Gold ore, quartz and concentrates	Cwt.	3,320	—	1,669
Gold content of matte ..	Ounce	15,049	5,366	4,955
Gold dust, bullion and sheet	do.	3,722	835	1,757
Gold coin (b)	£	7	7	—

IMPORTS OF GOLD (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
New Zealand—				
Gold dust, bullion and sheet	Ounce	148	82	111
Gold leaf	£	2,537	2,569	2,095
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Austria (f)—				
Crude gold and scrap ..	Ounce	5,208	9,388	14,885
Gold coin	do.	—	—	3,794
Drawn and rolled gold ..	do.	—	386	675
Gold leaf	do.	10,931	5,144	14,435
Belgium (b)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	(e) 14,146	(k)	(k)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	(h) 42,309	50,925	73,849
Czechoslovakia (b)—				
Crude gold	Ounce	65,490	868	(a)
Gold scrap	do.	289	—	(a)
Finland (b)—				
Gold bullion and scrap ..	Ounce	485	1,969	(a)
Gold sheet and wire ..	do.	(l)	190	(a)
France—				
Gold ore	Cwt.	6	2	—
Gold bullion	Ounce	224,921	74,942	105,131
Gold coin (b)	do.	343,523	64	59,349
Drawn or rolled gold ..	do.	2,701	2,154	2,218
Gold wire	do.	96	64	32
Gold leaf	do.	32,439	33,468	18,872
Germany—				
Gold and platinum ore ..	Lb.	(j) 1,102	—	—
Gold scrap	Ounce	2,688,351	3,585,593	4,851,435
Fine gold, hammered and rolled; alloyed gold, crude or cast; bars of native gold	do.	41,004	54,433	478,771
Gold coin (b)—				
German	do.	10	161	1,238
Foreign	do.	15,426	9,143	608,104
Gold leaf and tinsel ..	do.	479	1,022	579

IMPORTS OF GOLD (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Italy (b)—				
Gold dust, scrap and bullion	Ounce	94,135	65,811	48,767
Gold coin	do.	707	3,633	3,665
Gold leaf	do.	7,362	16,332	35,333
Netherlands—				
Gold dust, scrap and bullion	Ounce	15,593	94,007	211,000
Gold coin	do.	36,973	85,487	58,674
Gold leaf and wire ..	£	400	800	900
Norway (b)—				
Gold in sheets, smooth, rolled	Ounce	2,032	3,311	(a)
Gold wire, smooth ..	do.	35	38	(a)
Gold, silver and other metal leaf	do.	27,745	31,089	(a)
Gold, silver and platinum, unworked, also coin and medals	Krone	2,019,200	13,020,600	(a)
Poland (b)—				
Crude gold	Ounce	} 6,503	} 9,182	162
Gold scrap, etc. ..	do.			8
Gold bullion, sheets and wire	do.			898
Gold coin	do.			2,570
Rumania (b)—				
Gold sheet and bar for industrial use ..	Ounce	95	13	86
Spain (b)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	948	1,061	(a)
Gold coin	do.	18,477	322	(a)
Sweden—				
Gold scrap	Ounce	5,872	601	—
Gold bullion	do.	56,873	32,214	187,493
Gold coin (b)	Krona	292,953,992	151	1,959,471
Gold sheet and wire ..	Ounce	1,567	1,336	1,326
Gold leaf, including silver leaf, etc.	do.	44,656	58,417	49,929

IMPORTS OF GOLD (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Switzerland—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	251,349	120,402	123,070
Gold coin (b)	do.	1,586,699	1,651,160	96,064
Gold, silver or platinum—				
Rolled in sheets or strips	do.	89,473	139,949	165,122
Wire and thread ; also metal wire covered with gold or silver	do.	25,527	21,315	27,456
Gold or silver tissue and gold or silver leaf ..	do.	13,085	22,151	40,509
Egypt (b)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	14,761	9,541	26,287
Gold coin	£	60,634	2,155,647	1,380,891
Gold leaf	(<i>Egyptian</i>) Ounce	2,889	215	881
Tunis (b)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	1,543	—	—
Gold coin	do.	10	40	10
Rolled or drawn gold ..	do.	1,331	267	211
United States—				
Gold ore and base bullion	Dollar	24,275,253	24,048,777	22,589,649
Gold and silver scrap (b)	Ounce	3,371,184	5,697,840	13,384,872
Refined bullion	do.	8,788,875	9,100,697	9,747,983
United States gold coin	Dollar	4,868,558	37,488,237	29,213,499
Foreign gold coin	do.	63,404,415	74,278,510	70,569,460
Argentina—				
Gold dust and bullion ..	Ounce	306	1,580	1,016
Gold leaf	do.	18,197	10,545	22,762
Brazil (b)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	—	27	(a)
Gold leaf	Ounce	306	1,978	(a)
Chile—				
Gold bullion	Peso of { 18d. {	—	31	(a)
Gold coin		50	600	(a)
Gold, silver or platinum leaf	Ounce	1,702	631	(a)
China (b)—				
Gold bullion	Haikwan { tael {	1,548,623	998,590	} 2,047,000
Gold coin		8,259,157	9,147,308	

IMPORTS OF GOLD (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)				
Dutch East Indies—				
Java and Madura (<i>b</i>)—				
Gold bullion	Gulden	3,341,071	1,699,315	194,949
Gold coin	do.	10,632,981	5,321,504	2,948,045
Gold leaf	do.	14,217	21,567	16,974
Other Islands (<i>b</i>)—				
Gold bullion	Gulden	1,167,622	971,287	(<i>a</i>)
Gold coin	do.	740,945	362,086	(<i>a</i>)
Gold leaf	do.	248,045	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
French Indo-China—				
Gold leaf	Ounce	(<i>a</i>)	10,642	5,465
Japan (<i>b</i>)—				
Gold bullion	Ounce	28,413	1,795	222
Gold coin	Yen	5,260	960	12,000
Siam (<i>b</i>) (<i>i</i>)—				
Gold coin	Tical	15,522	33,902	8,250
Gold leaf	Ounce	223,813	134,046	173,000

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) Total imports.

(*c*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*d*) Excess of re-exports.

(*e*) Four months only, January–April.

(*f*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*g*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*h*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*i*) The figures given refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes, and to the years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*j*) Gold ore only.

(*k*) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*l*) Insignificant.

GRAPHITE

PRODUCTION OF GRAPHITE

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Nyasaland (a)	4	—	(d)
Union of South Africa	37	54	49
Canada (b)	533	994	1,194
Ceylon (a)	10,850	10,669	9,651
India	20	—	—
Australia	50	—	3
Total ..	11,494	11,717	10,900
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	13,808	9,252	9,370
Czechoslovakia	10,331	9,714	11,743
Germany—			
Bavaria	31,822	20,454	(d)
Prussia	—	67	(d)
Italy	4,473	5,600	7,616
Norway (a)	1	(d)	(d)
Spain (c)	521	—	(d)
Madagascar (a)	6,568	10,595	11,370
Greenland	425	59	52
Mexico	2,021	5,401	7,894
United States (b)	2,790	5,391	4,438
French Indo-China	—	—	2,228
Japan	1,029	788	(d)
Korea (a)	18,872	14,417	(d)
Total ..	93,000	82,000	90,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	104,000	94,000	100,000

(a) Exports.

(b) Sales.

(c) Crude.

(d) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF GRAPHITE

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Crucibles	2,586	3,125	3,390
Nyasaland	4	—	(e)
Canada (a)	474	882	1,260
Ceylon	10,850	10,669	9,651
Hong Kong (b)	88	187	120
India (a) (h)	(f)	—	(e)
Australia (c)	5	13	118
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (d)	8,451	8,814	10,362
Czechoslovakia (b)	10,571	7,743	10,366
Denmark	62	9	39
France	3,636	2,902	3,683
Germany	2,626	3,938	2,097
Italy	2,079	2,571	4,044
Norway	1	(e)	(e)
Poland	(g)19	(g)7	59
Rumania (b)	(f)	—	15
Sweden	36	9	1
Madagascar	6,568	10,595	11,370
United States	509	810	912
Japan	3,046	4,436	5,447
Korea	18,872	14,417	(e)

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.*(b)* Including re-exports.*(c)* Years ended 30th June of the year stated. The figures include blacklead and foundry-black.*(d)* Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.*(e)* Information not available.*(f)* Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.*(g)* Including bituminous earths.*(h)* Overseas trade only.

IMPORTS OF GRAPHITE
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Natural	8,719	13,342	12,211
Artificial	30	37	224
Crucibles	204	341	375
Southern Rhodesia	5	8	7
Union of South Africa	63	119	127
Canada (b)—			
Unground	(£191)	(£487)	(£454)
Crucibles	(£8,586)	(£12,732)	(£8,755)
Hong Kong (c)	30	10	74
India (b) (h)—			
Graphite	314	279	(j) 191
Crucibles	111	284	(j) 245
Australia (e)	(£6,890)	458	611
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (d)	762	1,143	955
Czechoslovakia (c)	912	810	849
Denmark	336	422	419
Finland (c)	36	75	(f)
France	4,758	3,930	7,012
Germany	17,064	13,638	14,895
Italy	832	516	1,406
Poland	(i) 643	(i) 1,157	290
Portugal	(f)	30	(f)
Rumania (c)	131	68	53
Sweden	248	295	313
Algeria	9	11	(f)
Egypt	36	52	45
Tunis (c)	2	4	4
United States	11,255	17,694	14,620
Argentina	197	268	318
Chile	50	50	(f)
Peru	(a) 11	(g)	(f)

(a) Including emery powder.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Total imports.

(d) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(e) Years ended 30th June of the year stated. Figures include blacklead and foundry-black.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(h) Overseas trade only.

(i) Including bituminous earths.

(j) Total imports, excluding government stores.

GYPSUM

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	257,540	317,909	371,703
Union of South Africa	(£4,877)	5,731	9,073
Canada	432,704	498,976	(g) 576,800
Cyprus (b)	11,873	11,029	14,296
India (f)	40,701	39,297	38,123
Australia	53,941	68,236	85,861
Total	800,000	940,000	1,100,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (c)	28,300	35,561	32,589
France	1,738,859	(d)	(d)
Germany—			
Bavaria	45,251	29,080	(d)
Prussia (a)	1,306	499	(d)
Greece	2,458	2,434	(d)
Italy (e)	458,904	547,364	590,298
Rumania (h)	8,916	37,810	20,454
Spain (b)	4,218	2,444	(d)
Algeria	42,900	(d)	(d)
United States	3,374,954	4,244,150	4,502,347
Argentina (b)	1,289	2,106	2,179
Chile	6,982	8,147	(d)
China (b)	7,631	7,159	5,042
Japan	53,202	33,745	(d)
New Caledonia	12,000	(d)	(d)
Total	5,790,000	6,700,000	7,000,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	6,590,000	7,600,000	8,100,000

(a) Alabaster only.

(b) Exports.

(c) Exports less imports.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Including alabaster.

(f) Figures again revised.

(g) Sales.

(h) Converted from cubic metres at the rate of 1 cubic metre
= 2 long tons.

EXPORTS OF GYPSUM

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Plaster of Paris, etc. ..	3,384	6,703	6,282
Canada (b)—			
Crude gypsum	306,338	360,813	411,622
Plaster of Paris, etc. ..	3,105	4,557	4,543
Cyprus—			
Gypsum	11,873	11,029	14,296
Hong Kong (c)—			
Gypsum	1,128	1,064	1,094
Australia (d)—			
Gypsum	1,784	3,014	4,116
Plaster of Paris, etc. ..	992	1,183	1,017
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Crude, ground and calcined gypsum	29,014	36,398	33,551
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Crude and calcined gypsum	158	11	6
Alabaster and marble ..	2,048	1,243	(a)
Denmark—			
Crude, ground and calcined gypsum	3	2	3
Esthonia—			
Gypsum	(a)	(a)	3,918
France—			
Alabaster	7	(f)	2
Plaster of Paris	114,806	184,711	209,732
Germany—			
Gypsum, including super- phosphate	123,915	115,513	106,153
Italy—			
Gypsum	694	932	795
Crude alabaster	1,461	2,394	1,963
Netherlands—			
Gypsum	43	798	257
Portugal—			
Crude gypsum	(a)	91	(a)

EXPORTS OF GYPSUM (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Poland (c)—			
Crude gypsum	(a)	(a)	647
Ground and calcined gypsum	(a)	(a)	914
Rumania (c)—			
Gypsum	10,003	13,028	8,843
Crude alabaster	—	76	—
Spain (c)—			
Gypsum	4,218	2,444	(a)
Switzerland—			
Limestone and gypsum, not calcined	18	50	737
Calcined gypsum	704	907	357
Algeria—			
Alabaster	69	—	(a)
Plaster of Paris	5,458	7,699	(a)
Egypt—			
Plaster of Paris	9	54	5
United States—			
Gypsum, crude or ground, and plaster of Paris ..	6,389	7,870	9,485
Argentina—			
Gypsum	1,289	2,106	2,179
Chile—			
Gypsum	1	3	(a)
China—			
Gypsum	7,631	7,159	5,042

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including re-exports.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(f) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

IMPORTS OF GYPSUM
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Gypsum, including alabaster	18,315	20,884	26,792
Plaster of Paris, etc. ..	2,801	834	956
Union of South Africa—			
Gypsum and plaster of Paris	274	364	391
Canada (b)—			
Crude gypsum	2,671	3,301	3,359
Ground gypsum	131	64	57
Plaster of Paris, etc. ..	3,201	3,446	3,618
Newfoundland (d)—			
Gypsum, plaster of Paris, etc.	(£444)	(£231)	(£1,002)
Hong Kong (c)—			
Gypsum	2,797	2,963	5,123
Australia (d)—			
Gypsum	16	35	26
Plaster of Paris	1,599	1,986	3,167
New Zealand—			
Gypsum, plaster of Paris, etc.	3,484	6,963	7,259
Gypsum for manure ..	1,429	2,042	310
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Crude, ground and calcined gypsum	714	837	962
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Crude and calcined gypsum	26,495	33,951	45,034
Alabaster and marble ..	459	272	(a)
Denmark—			
Crude, ground and calcined gypsum	17,170	18,415	19,319
Esthonia—			
Gypsum	39	89	12
Finland (c)—			
Crude gypsum	3,611	4,391	(a)
Calcined gypsum	2,178	4,157	(a)
France—			
Alabaster	161	90	102
Plaster of Paris	8,921	9,119	12,844
Germany—			
Gypsum, including super- phosphate	3,592	28,071	2,545
Greece—			
Plaster of Paris, etc. ..	61	40	(a)
Italy—			
Gypsum	1,357	2,368	2,573
Crude alabaster	—	9	11

IMPORTS OF GYPSUM (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Netherlands—			
Gypsum	18,333	15,122	17,503
Norway—			
Ground gypsum	8,723	(c) 10,764	(c) 10,010
Poland (c)—			
Crude gypsum	(a)	(a)	88
Ground and calcined gypsum	(a)	(a)	1,025
Portugal—			
Crude gypsum	(a)	2,569	(a)
Calcined gypsum	(a)	24	(a)
Rumania (c)—			
Gypsum	101	120	13
Sweden—			
Crude gypsum	11,749	11,236	9,060
Ground gypsum	36	24	(f)
Calcined gypsum	3,144	4,850	4,768
Switzerland—			
Limestone and gypsum, not calcined	4,010	2,385	2,845
Calcined gypsum	2,305	2,825	3,575
Algeria—			
Plaster of Paris	803	644	(a)
Egypt—			
Plaster of Paris	12,194	11,363	(c) 14,054
Tunis (c)—			
Alabaster	5	4	6
Cuba (c)—			
Gypsum (<i>Barrels</i>)	(44,958)	(99,700)	(a)
United States—			
Crude gypsum	366,908	400,115	463,953
Ground, calcined and manufactured gypsum	(g £10,296)	(£27,961)	(£29,947)
Argentina—			
Gypsum	894	781	737
Chile—			
Gypsum	34	30	(a)
China—			
Gypsum	6,949	9,466	17,888

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Total imports.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(f) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(g) From 22nd September only.

IRON AND STEEL.

PRODUCTION OF IRON ORE (a)

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	6,848,443	10,882,416	11,057,420
South-West Africa Territory	(f)	(f)	5,743
Union of South Africa ..	1,883	512	—
Canada (d)	16,046	27,463	1,250
Newfoundland	1,002,971	(d) 721,639	(k) 744,075
India	(p) 625,274	821,053	1,445,313
Unfederated Malay States	111,367	154,161	235,118
Australia (j)	169,487	557,941	719,279
New Zealand	(f)	(f)	630
Total ..	8,800,000	13,200,000	14,200,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	1,094,541	1,191,602	702,333
Belgium	70,105	115,208	(f)
Czechoslovakia	308,116	664,334	1,155,068
France	20,766,906	23,051,636	28,526,294
Germany	(e) 5,827,512	(e) 5,025,642	(h) 4,700,000
Greece	48,480	98,585	94,500
Hungary	45,171	(f)	(f)
Italy (m)	309,534	354,311	233,848
Jugoslavia	35,077	240,688	325,000
Luxemburg	4,416,830	4,031,687	5,247,861
Norway	254,655	379,635	513,733
Poland	(i) 345,123	442,242	273,113
Portugal	15,000	(f)	(f)
Rumania	93,089	97,697	100,889
Russia	221,070	476,700	(l) 880,539
Spain	2,727,340	3,400,686	4,550,465
Sweden	6,101,580	5,498,363	6,395,270
Switzerland	(g) 46,100	(g) (h) 75,000	(n) 80,090
Algeria	1,002,353	1,426,190	1,786,065
Belgian Congo	70,159	(f)	(f)
Morocco (c)	295,261	390,329	(f)
Tunis	544,900	830,000	759,000
Cuba (d)	444,794	367,868	470,000
United States (b)	47,724,815	70,743,565	55,140,915
Chile	284,941	662,528	(f)

PRODUCTION OF IRON ORE (*Cont.*)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
China	1,070,751	819,685	(n) 840,091
Korea	182,578	239,369	(f)
Total (o) ..	94,300,000	120,800,000	114,300,000
WORLD'S TOTAL (o)	103,100,000	134,000,000	128,500,000

(a) Including manganiferous iron-ore.

(b) Including shipments of manganiferous ore as follows:—

	5-10 per cent. Mn.	10-35 per cent. Mn.
1922 ..	251,614 long tons	344,674 long tons
1923 ..	1,072,457 " "	319,666 " "
1924 ..	587,026 " "	286,470 " "

(c) Spanish Morocco.

(d) Shipments from mines.

(e) Including manganiferous ore as follows:—

	Under 12 per cent. Mn.	12-30 per cent. Mn.
1922 ..	2,830,350 long tons	125,953 long tons
1923 ..	2,734,774 " "	92,119 " "

(f) Information not available.

(g) Produced by the Gonzen Aktien-Gesellschaft during each of their working years; the figures include cutput of manganese ore.

(h) Approximate production.

(i) Including Polish Upper Silesia as from the date of its incorporation.

(j) Revised figures.

(k) Exports during year ended 30th June, 1924.

(l) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

(m) Including manganiferous ore of 30 per cent. Mn. and less as follows:—

1922	3,322 long tons
1923	18,958 " "
1924	18,729 " "

(n) Exports.

(o) Revised, see notes (b), (e) and (m).

(p) Excluding Mysore.

EXPORTS OF IRON ORE

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	4,660	3,129	2,144
Canada (a)	1,971	6,933	5,211
Newfoundland (b)	484,322	1,004,138	744,075
India (a)	—	—	54
Australia (b)	61	—	22
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (c)	40,766	34,308	1,166
Belgium	(d) 41,394	(h)	(h)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union	(g) 720,396	716,605	1,479,552
Czechoslovakia (e)	60,435	98,978	117,633
Estonia (e)	—	33	—
France	9,313,625	9,693,468	12,086,388
Germany	170,273	250,754	127,034
Greece	—	1	(f)
Italy	95,026	83,860	81,488
Jugoslavia	17,954	196,223	260,533
Luxemburg	(d) 324,629	(h)	(h)
Netherlands	51,874	39,336	83,877
Norway	280,722	353,054	516,229
Poland	51,401	15,041	362
Portugal	(f)	23,125	(f)
Russia	9,080	12,967	(f)
Spain (e)	2,707,798	3,316,351	1,653,392
Sweden	5,236,514	4,878,334	5,852,007
Switzerland	57,894	73,519	80,090
Algeria	1,290,957	1,444,314	1,757,020
Tunis (e)	591,958	762,304	793,777
Cuba (e)	408,981	811,845	(f)
United States	602,194	1,116,932	595,413
Chile	284,941	662,528	(f)
China	661,871	727,763	840,091
Korea (e)	87,682	93,112	(f)

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(c) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(d) Four months only, January—April.

(e) Including re-exports.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Eight months only, May—December.

(h) See Belgium—Luxemburg Economic Union.

IMPORTS OF IRON ORE

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	3,472,575	5,860,467	5,927,359
Canada (a)	933,035	1,613,592	813,916
India (a) (h)	41	24,377	112
Australia (b)	7	—	18
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (i)	397	752	723
Belgium (g)	(c) 923,995	(g)	(g)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union	(f) 2,612,609	6,417,776	8,949,299
Czechoslovakia (d)	151,184	819,551	714,014
Finland (d)	9,806	2,608	(e)
France	371,711	524,995	656,320
Germany	10,836,727	2,338,845	3,026,742
Italy	1,215	4,831	77,987
Luxemburg	(c) 506,979	(g)	(g)
Netherlands	457	34,457	214,570
Norway	—	7,689	(e)
Poland	236,040	657,732	231,290
Spain (d)	1,539	339	1,075
Sweden	—	27	2
Switzerland	26,542	26,021	32,291
Algeria	21	409	(e)
Tunis (d)	6,410	4,725	5,571
United States	1,135,156	2,768,430	2,047,055
China	1,260	3,059	1,562
Japan (d)	811,993	886,148	1,056,652

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(c) Four months only, January—April.

(d) Total imports.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Eight months only, May—December; see Belgium.

(g) See Belgium—Luxemburg Economic Union.

(h) Overseas trade only.

(i) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

TOTAL IMPORTS OF IRON ORE INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM BY PORTS

(Long tons)

Port	1922	1923	1924
ENGLAND AND WALES			
North-East—			
Grimsby, including Im-			
mingham	67,723	163,204	
Hartlepool	63,404	157,816	
Middlesbrough	1,410,953	1,704,591	
Newcastle, including			
Shields	140,360	270,283	
Stockton	43,059	42,329	
Sunderland	24,932	28,249	
North-West—			
Barrow-in-Furness ..	103,821	207,567	
Chester	890	—	
Lancaster	2,458	64,876	
Liverpool	19,584	138,443	
Manchester	91,655	264,662	
Maryport	74,816	102,801	
Whitehaven	—	—	
Workington	26,099	1,100	
South-West—			
Cardiff	351,453	586,784	
Newport	249,416	557,898	
Port Talbot	136,411	265,127	
Swansea	85,868	50,372	
SCOTLAND			
Ardrossan	122,917	252,768	
Ayr	3,122	50,847	
Glasgow	290,678	662,785	
Grangemouth	110,552	205,559	
Troon	3,650	34,222	

Information not yet published.

PRODUCTION OF PIG-IRON AND FERRO-ALLOYS

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	4,902,300	7,440,500	7,318,900
Canada	403,716	908,783	619,424
India	340,237	603,022	881,498
Australia	83,533	329,803	416,050
Total ..	5,730,000	9,282,000	9,236,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	315,770	336,381	262,181
Belgium	1,587,234	2,113,429	2,762,871
Czechoslovakia	345,000	740,000	967,243
Finland	11,878	(a)	(a)
France	5,144,546	5,344,490	7,569,380
Germany (b)	9,046,748	4,857,006	7,700,000
Hungary	115,000	300,000	295,000
Italy	172,510	261,153	323,440
Jugoslavia	16,085	(a)	(a)
Luxemburg	1,652,329	1,384,059	2,122,501
Norway	12,932	25,971	63,911
Poland	(c) 269,119	512,085	330,571
Rumania	30,914	38,474	45,340
Russia	184,000	377,740	(f) 654,149
Spain	206,722	402,091	501,210
Sweden	271,014	296,771	526,757
Mexico	23,387	(a)	(a)
United States	27,219,904	40,361,146	31,405,790
Brazil	(a)	375,000	(a)
China	163,672	(d) 75,320	(a)
Japan	73,941	88,202	(a)
Korea	81,884	(e) 80,465	(a)
Total ..	47,300,000	58,000,000	56,000,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	53,000,000	67,300,000	65,000,000

(a) Information not available.

(b) Revised figures.

(c) Including Polish Upper Silesia as from the date of its incorporation.

(d) Incomplete figures.

(e) Exports.

(f) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

EXPORTS OF PIG-IRON AND FERRO-ALLOYS

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Pig-iron—			
Forge or foundry	400,348	459,273	282,512
Acid	242,330	260,058	195,198
Basic	8,401	5,190	7,462
Spiegeleisen and ferro-manganese	140,923	164,607	113,361
Ferro-silicon	953	3,254	245
Other ferro-alloys	808	401	92
Canada (a)—			
Pig-iron	36,440	40,254	11,444
Ferro-alloys	21,112	25,693	23,615
Hong Kong (b)—			
Iron and steel pigs and kentledge	508	237	220
India (a) (c)—			
Pig-iron	118,545	183,195	341,326
Ferro-manganese	—	69	1,567
Straits Settlements (g)—			
Pig-iron	135	616	771
Australia (d)—			
Pig-iron	1,140	572	137
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Pig-iron	39,459	35,426	36,752
Belgium—			
Pig-iron	(i) 55,188	(e)	(e)
Belgium - Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Pig-iron	(h) 105,638	80,216	127,810
Czechoslovakia (b)—			
Pig-iron	47,056	99,510	(f)
Spiegeleisen	168	94	(f)
Other ferro-alloys	108	450	(f)
Estonia—			
Pig-iron	—	—	440
Finland—			
Pig-iron and ferro-alloys ..	620	278	(f)

EXPORTS OF PIG-IRON AND FERRO-ALLOYS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
France—			
Pig-iron and spiegeleisen ..	709,132	582,345	754,470
Ferro-alloys, excluding spiegeleisen	9,336	21,362	16,948
Germany—			
Pig-iron	155,256	77,773	55,381
Ferro-alloys	14,299	13,126	10,868
Italy—			
Pig-iron	81	14	4,379
Netherlands—			
Pig-iron and ferro-alloys ..	160	186	49,235
Norway—			
Pig-iron	1,225	543	933
Ferro-silicon	9,689	16,375	19,406
Ferro-chrome	1,305	2,648	1,760
Poland (b)—			
Pig-iron	2,553	479	5,965
Ferro-alloys	(f)	(f)	2,861
Rumania (b)—			
Pig-iron	11	3,739	49
Spain (b)—			
Pig-iron and steel ingots ..	6,347	3,811	23,632
Sweden—			
Pig-iron	45,503	101,947	88,125
Ferro-alloys	6,453	15,862	17,255
Switzerland—			
Pig-iron and crude steel ..	2,614	2,982	651
Ferro-alloys	2,568	4,643	2,670
United States—			
Pig-iron	30,920	32,318	41,483
Ferro-alloys	2,412	6,319	5,905
China—			
Pig-iron and unmanufactured iron	200,146	199,894	261,270
Korea (b)—			
Pig-iron	78,475	80,465	(f)

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Including re-exports.

(c) Overseas trade only.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(h) Eight months only, May-December.

(i) Four months only, January-April.

IMPORTS OF PIG-IRON AND FERRO-ALLOYS

*(Less Re-exports)**(Long tons)*

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Pig-iron—			
Forge and foundry ..	58,471	50,775	114,561
Acid	—	900	2,252
Basic	95,068	38,854	170,338
Spiegeleisen and ferro- manganese	138	216	1,289
Other ferro-alloys	10,277	18,656	18,550
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—			
Pig-iron	(£1,655)	(£10,500)	—
Mauritius—			
Pig-iron	83	66	62
Union of South Africa—			
Iron and steel in pig or ingot	2,491	2,179	7,366
Canada (a)—			
Pig-iron	58,000	35,325	24,562
Ferro-alloys	4,077	8,352	7,073
Jamaica—			
Pig-iron	—	(£683)	(£21)
Ceylon—			
Pig-iron	636	539	940
Cyprus—			
Pig-iron	25	10	13
Hong Kong (b)—			
Iron and steel pigs and kentledge	3,774	2,612	2,701
India (a) (c)—			
Pig-iron	14,621	7,789	(k) 3,425
Straits Settlements (h)—			
Pig-iron	759	2,118	2,764
Australia (d)—			
Pig-iron	3,255	11,241	8,705
Ferro-alloys	609	2,126	506
New Zealand—			
Pig-iron	4,298	8,812	8,513
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (h)—			
Pig-iron	44,769	22,694	27,767
Belgium—			
Pig-iron	(i) 54,571	(j)	(j)

IMPORTS OF PIG-IRON AND FERRO-ALLOYS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Pig-iron	(e) 191,175	325,148	321,761
Czechoslovakia (b)—			
Pig-iron	16,153	4,630	(f)
Spiegeleisen	531	185	(f)
Other ferro-alloys	5,008	10,985	(f)
Denmark—			
Pig-iron	19,783	35,728	40,161
Ferro-alloys	22	352	408
Esthonia (f)—			
Pig-iron	1,059	1,025	726
Finland—			
Pig-iron	10,565	14,784	18,025
Ferro-alloys	235	229	(f)
France—			
Pig-iron and spiegeleisen	58,511	62,638	41,803
Ferro - alloys, excluding spiegeleisen	2,302	5,907	13,165
Germany—			
Pig-iron	289,581	295,846	256,151
Ferro-alloys	11,593	12,542	3,506
Hungary—			
Pig-iron and scrap	(f)	(f)	35,055
Italy—			
Pig-iron	133,601	130,064	197,902
Ferro-silicon	276	130	86
Jugoslavia (b)—			
Pig- and cast-iron	9,069	(f)	(f)
Netherlands—			
Pig-iron and ferro-alloys	32,075	42,072	34,858
Norway—			
Pig-iron	8,067	(b) 11,275	(b) 11,929
Ferro-silicon	4	(f)	(f)
Poland—			
Pig-iron	57,535	92,358	5,069
Ferro-alloys	(f)	(f)	14,251
Rumania (b)—			
Pig-iron	881	231	184
Spain (b)—			
Pig-iron	14,437	6,507	3,088
Ferro-alloys	2,174	5,490	4,497

IMPORTS OF PIG-IRON AND FERRO-ALLOYS (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Sweden—			
Pig-iron	20,323	33,025	40,828
Ferro-alloys	729	1,299	2,364
Switzerland—			
Pig-iron and crude steel ..	83,435	91,967	120,804
Ferro-alloys.. .. .	283	308	1,446
Turkey—			
Pig-iron	(f)	74	(f)
Algeria—			
Pig-iron and spiegeleisen ..	100	1,536	(f)
Belgian Congo—			
Pig-iron and steel	113	289	(f)
Egypt—			
Pig-iron	1,454	1,994	1,269
Tunis—			
Pig-iron and steel	45	118	61
United States—			
Pig-iron	382,951	367,778	209,109
Peru—			
Pig-iron	918	1,824	(f)
China—			
Pig-iron and kentledge ..	4,839	3,847	6,220
Japan (<i>b</i>)—			
Pig-iron	325,365	(g) 343,266	438,426
Ferro-alloys.. .. .	1,154	565	3,274

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Total imports.

(c) Overseas trade only.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Eight months only, May–December.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

(h) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(i) Four months only, January–April.

(j) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(k) Total imports, excluding government stores.

PRODUCTION OF STEEL INGOTS AND CASTINGS

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	5,880,600	8,481,800	8,221,100
Union of South Africa (a)	15,199	24,164	(d)
Canada	480,127	884,770	650,690
India (b)	111,500	151,097	218,472
Australia (e)	219,799	52,810	(c) 200,000
Total ..	6,710,000	9,590,000	9,300,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	473,005	499,266	370,755
Belgium	1,539,986	2,259,976	2,814,567
Czechoslovakia	630,000	980,000	1,328,000
France	4,461,616	5,027,400	6,789,412
Germany	11,526,036	6,203,916	9,580,000
Hungary	300,000	350,000	234,072
Italy	966,729	1,123,411	1,337,014
Luxemburg	1,371,569	1,181,879	1,856,556
Norway	—	—	2,216
Poland	(f) 557,278	1,109,842	661,984
Russia	354,403	704,952	(g) 984,634
Spain	227,157	455,166	531,333
Sweden	306,034	266,330	485,000
United States	35,602,926	44,943,696	37,931,939
Japan	358,211	464,350	(c) 500,000
China	120,000	150,000	150,000
Total ..	58,800,000	65,700,000	65,500,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	65,500,000	75,300,000	74,800,000

(a) Including rails, fishplates, etc.

(b) Including rails.

(c) Approximate production.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Figures refer to the Newcastle works only and are for years ended 31st May of the year stated.

(f) Including Upper Silesia as from the date of its incorporation.

(g) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

LEAD

PRODUCTION OF LEAD ORE
(In terms of metal)
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	8,863	9,999	11,435
Northern Rhodesia (a) ..	20,501	11,021	5,905
South-West Africa Territory (f)	10,499	19,839	16,265
Union of South Africa	4,042	4,879	4,529
Canada	41,655	49,658	78,342
India	56,400	68,900	70,800
Australia	151,929	171,857	154,134
Total ..	293,900	336,200	340,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	4,949	6,142	6,377
Bulgaria	(d) 2,973	(e)	(e)
Czechoslovakia	610	1,500	(d) 836
France (c)	3,000	3,400	(d) 24,426
Germany	39,400	27,500	34,400
Greece	2,915	4,886	4,700
Italy	17,285	21,153	(i) 23,416
Jugoslavia	7,550	7,118	(e)
Poland (d)	(b) 7,106	(c) 15,000	15,900
Rumania	10	5	11
Russia (c)	2,000	2,000	2,000
Spain (a)	117,468	125,465	134,910
Sweden	1,342	2,176	(c) 2,000
Algeria	8,100	11,500	11,300
Tunis	17,100	21,500	23,700
Mexico	108,681	153,217	161,502
United States	426,458	487,135	538,000
Argentina (c)	3,500	(e)	4,500
Bolivia	(c) 4,000	(g) 8,839	(g) 33,042
Chile	317	1,539	(e)
Peru	698	675	(e)
China (c)	2,500	2,000	(e)
French Indo-China	(d) 152	(d) 27	308
Japan (a)	3,187	2,656	2,500
New Caledonia (g)	(e)	1,604	(e)
Turkey (c)	3,100	1,500	5,000
Total ..	780,000	900,000	990,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	1,070,000	1,240,000	1,330,000

(a) Smelter production.

(b) Including Polish Upper Silesia as from the date of its incorporation.

(c) Approximate production.

(d) Ore, lead content not stated.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(g) Exports of ore, lead content not stated.

(i) Excluding lead content of 4,068 long tons of mixed ore containing copper, lead, silver and zinc.

SMELTER PRODUCTION OF LEAD
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	4,957	6,708	5,303
Northern Rhodesia	20,501	11,021	5,905
South-West Africa Territory	648	612	726
Canada	39,557	46,062	74,500
India	39,214	46,060	(f) 51,759
Australia	107,318	122,077	128,433
Total ..	212,000	233,000	267,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	3,306	4,187	4,904
Belgium	49,499	64,624	(a)
Czechoslovakia	(d) 1,900	(d) 3,200	2,229
France	13,723	17,133	(d) 20,500
Germany	64,000	34,000	49,000
Greece	4,337	4,167	5,000
Italy	10,538	16,856	21,706
Jugoslavia	8,360	(c) 9,112	11,300
Norway	(a)	238	632
Poland	(b) 8,500	17,916	(a)
Rumania	226	396	426
Spain	117,468	125,465	139,569
Sweden	301	219	576
Tunis	12,908	13,864	15,483
Mexico (d)	101,000	141,000	132,000
United States	442,488	516,361	561,058
Argentina	3,558	} 6,000	8,000
Peru	92		1,116
China (e)	667	736	2,500
Japan	3,187	2,656	(a)
Korea (e)	379	305	5,100
Turkey	3,100	1,500	
Total ..	850,000	980,000	1,050,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	1,062,000	1,213,000	1,320,000

(a) Information not available.

(b) Including Upper Silesia as from the date of its incorporation.

(c) Slovene district only; comparable figure for 1922 was 8,307 long tons.

(d) Approximate production.

(e) Exports.

(f) Including 1,200 long tons of antimonial lead.

EXPORTS OF LEAD, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore	3,723	6,556	7,855
Pig-lead	17,162	9,848	9,447
Sheets and pipes	6,359	7,697	6,904
Foil	98	99	23
White lead	9,872	9,669	8,820
Litharge, red lead and lead acetate	6,621	9,476	9,606
Northern Rhodesia—			
Pig-lead	22,468	11,155	6,166
Southern Rhodesia—			
Pig-lead	—	(k)	—
South-West Africa Territory—			
Ore (b)	12,955	14,268	(f)
Pig-lead	739	280	674
Union of South Africa—			
Ore and bullion	36	51	206
Pigs, bars, sheets and pipes	1,401	2,234	3,794
Canada (a)—			
Ore (b)	4,654	3,743	16,910
Pig-lead	16,979	27,441	51,265
White lead	628	657	244
Hong Kong (e)—			
Ore	—	—	6
Dross	162	158	259
Pig-lead	3,586	2,423	2,153
Other lead	533	618	909
India (a) (t)—			
Unwrought lead	39,944	44,461	47,407
Australia (c)—			
Ore (b)	478	2,045	3,219
Concentrates (b)	5,091	33,490	34,838
Lead in matte	434	3,475	4,176
Pig-lead	72,910	96,004	105,817
Sheets and pipes	547	930	404
White lead	274	361	25

EXPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
New Zealand—			
Pig-lead and bars	18	4	—
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (d)—			
Ore	108	722	459
Pig-lead and its alloys, including scrap	2,180	2,685	1,980
Sheets, plates, bars, rods and wire	368	297	29
White lead and lead acetate	1,010	1,120	826
Belgium—			
Ore	(h) 328	(m)	(m)
Pig-lead	(h) 5,758	(m)	(m)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(g) 482	93	443
Pig-lead	(g) 12,556	19,505	20,351
Czechoslovakia (e)—			
Ore	796	910	311
Pig-lead, including scrap ..	442	416	(f)
Lead ashes	207	47	(f)
Plates and sheets	7	(k)	(f)
Lead oxide	2	1	(f)
Denmark—			
Pig-lead	9	37	19
Plates, pipes and tubes ..	14	59	35
Estonia—			
Scrap	(f)	(f)	18
France—			
Ore	6,030	7,967	5,101
Pig-lead, bars, etc.	4,770	1,191	707
Germany—			
Ore	1,690	2,650	1,802
Pig-lead and scrap	7,456	10,120	12,539
Pipes and other rough lead- ware	4,120	1,773	1,482
Red and white lead	9,978	4,693	2,211

EXPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Greece—			
Galena and argentiferous lead	4,670	2,491	(f)
Italy—			
Ore (j)	8,424	13,718	18,089
Lead and its alloys with antimony—			
Pig and scrap	2,894	384	94
Sheets	37	50	74
Pipes	81	78	68
Jugoslavia—			
Sheets	5,300	7,552	9,219
Netherlands—			
Ore (j)	10	37	12
Pig-lead	146	100	128
Scrap	523	543	1,130
Sheets, pipes, wire, etc. ..	229	246	372
Red and white lead and lead acetate	637	1,239	1,739
Norway—			
Lead ashes	271	105	118
Pig-lead	93	210	(f)
Scrap	141	196	335
Plates, sheets, tubes and wire	28	63	(f)
Poland—			
Ore	(f)	1,469	703
Pig-lead and bars	5,297	15,862	10,018
Sheets, tubes and wire ..			
Red lead and litharge ..	(f)	(f)	1,163
Portugal—			
Ore	(f)	57	(f)
Pig-lead	(f)	2	(f)

EXPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Spain (e)—			
Galena—			
Non-argentiferous ..	2,330	739	2,328
Argentiferous	1,414	2,369	2,873
Other ore	46,854	8,961	6,037
Pig-lead—			
Non-argentiferous ..	69,086	76,440	78,875
Argentiferous	11,263	6,955	9,521
Pipes.. .. .	27	6	(f)
Sweden—			
Pig-lead	187	96	244
Scrap	851	319	895
Sheets, pipes and wire ..	11	13	126
Red and white lead ..	1	(k)	1
Switzerland—			
Ore and waste	267	372	586
Pig-lead and hard lead ..	52	110	173
Scrap	84	321	269
Sheets and pipes	14	15	5
Red and white lead, litharge, acetate and nitrate of lead	38	10	3
Algeria—			
Ore	13,351	19,500	19,609
Pig-lead, etc., and scrap ..	106	310	(f)
Egypt—			
Pig-lead	594	2	296
Tunis (e)—			
Ore	5,933	9,752	14,941
Pig-lead and bars	12,693	17,497	14,580
United States—			
Pig-lead, bars, etc., produced from—			
Domestic ore	5,199	1,785	4,761
Foreign ore	28,807	41,258	64,673
Red and white lead, includ- ing litharge and "sub- limed lead"	5,608	6,261	5,353

EXPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Argentina—			
Ore	26	127	404
Bars	5	14	20
Bolivia—			
Ore	(f)	8,839	33,042
Chile—			
Ore	37	811	(f)
Argentiferous lead-ore ..	26	14	(f)
Peru—			
Ore, including auriferous and argentiferous ores, etc. ..	1,676	1,409	(f)
Pig-lead, bars, etc. ..	100	137	(f)
China—			
Ore	5,019	4,841	7,118
Lead	667	736	1,116
Lead oxides.. .. .	132	75	53
Japan—			
Red lead	912	611	633
Korea (e)—			
Lead	379	305	(f)
New Caledonia—			
Ore	(f)	1,604	(f)

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) Lead content.

(c) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(d) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(e) Including re-exports.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Eight months only, May–December.

(h) Four months only, January–April.

(i) Overseas trade only.

(j) Including argentiferous lead-ore.

(k) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(l) Sheets only.

(m) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

IMPORTS OF LEAD, ETC.
(*Less Re-exports*)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore	2,595	6,023	5,180
Pig-lead	166,964	194,027	223,674
Sheets and pipes	3,768	4,344	5,880
Foil	46	48	30
White lead	6,055	5,669	6,628
Litharge, red lead and lead acetate	2,522	3,042	2,559
Gold Coast—			
Ore	—	1	(c)
Sheets and bars	148	172	106
Mauritius (a)—			
Pig-lead	—	—	18
Sheets and pipes	44	24	34
Nigeria—			
Ore	(b)	(b)	29
Bars and sheets	(b)	(b)	53
Sierra Leone—			
Bars and sheets	5	8	9
Southern Rhodesia—			
Pig-lead, bars and sheets ..	21	67	23
Pipes.. .. .	1	1	2
Foil and acetate	34	38	51
South-West Africa Territory—			
Bars, pipes and sheets ..	2	5	13
Union of South Africa (a)—			
Pig-lead and sheets ..	767	487	507
Pipes.. .. .	70	26	8
Foil and acetate	297	361	250
Canada (d)—			
Pig-lead	1,186	768	227
Scrap	25	28	4
Bars, sheets and pipes ..	300	94	63
Tea-lead	101	103	88
White lead	91	112	160
Litharge, red lead, dry and orange mineral	1,098	1,140	610

IMPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
Ceylon (a)—			
Pig-lead	5,572	4,800	5,513
Sheets	16	32	53
Tea-lead	614	917	883
Cyprus—			
Sheets and pipes	4	4	1
Hong Kong (a)—			
Ore	—	2	5
Pig-lead	4,894	4,772	4,209
Other lead	476	515	565
India (d) (e)—			
Ore	(i) 1	46	(p) 105
Unwrought lead	390	(i) 378	(p) 263
Sheets, pipes and other wrought lead	2,259	2,636	(p) 2,150
Litharge, red and white lead and lead acetate (a) ..	3,668	2,688	2,462
Australia (f)—			
Pig-lead	80	1	1
Sheets and pipes	31	29	41
Scrap	(b)	2	1
White lead and lead acetate	796	1,732	1,328
New Zealand—			
Pig-lead and bars	1,081	1,645	3,005
Pipes	5	7	16
Sheets	546	809	418
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Ore	120	(c)	413
Pig-lead and its alloys, including scrap.	7,573	3,674	6,032
Sheets, plates, bars, rods, and wire	6	3	12
White lead and lead acetate	58	39	5

IMPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Belgium—			
Ore	(h) 4,125	(o)	(o)
Pig-lead	(h) 7,241	(o)	(o)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(l) 15,719	27,435	43,226
Pig-lead	(l) 7,345	14,692	20,351
Czechoslovakia (a)—			
Pig-lead and its alloys, including scrap	2,914	4,208	5,326
Sheets and plates	1	5	(b)
Rods and wire	2	(c)	(b)
Lead oxide	983	803	(b)
Denmark—			
Pig-lead	2,910	3,267	2,876
Plates, pipes and tubes ..	1,242	839	661
Red and white lead ..	601	686	738
Estonia—			
Pig-lead and bars	} 107	183	69
Sheets and plates		65	22
Red and white lead and lead acetate		14	52
Finland (a)—			
Unwrought lead and scrap	347	470	331
Plates, sheets, pipes and wire	330	370	(b)
Red and white lead ..	582	637	(b)
France—			
Ore	20,839	24,902	30,384
Pig-lead, bars, etc. ..	71,023	81,109	74,499
Germany—			
Ore	30,997	12,349	20,521
Pig-lead and scrap ..	84,228	34,211	51,322
Pipes and other rough lead- ware	163	697	486
Red and white lead ..	512	1,135	1,014
Greece—			
Lead and antimony ..	561	469	(b)

IMPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Italy—			
Ore (k)	3,742	10,971	13,964
Lead and its alloys with antimony—			
Pig-lead and scrap ..	696	4,149	12,591
Sheets	2	(c)	1
Pipes	2	9	4
Jugoslavia (a)—			
Pig-lead	144	(b)	(b)
Bars, rods, wire, type, sheets, pipes and cylinders ..	689	(b)	(b)
Netherlands—			
Ore (k)	117	252	167
Pig-lead	9,596	10,497	12,002
Scrap	299	345	350
Sheets, pipes, wire, etc. ..	3,846	2,624	3,161
Red and white lead and lead acetate	4,857	5,590	5,179
Norway—			
Pig-lead	298	439	(a) 506
Bars, plates, tubes and wire	(a) 655	(a) 704	(a) 401
Red and white lead ..	496	534	(a) 520
Poland (a)—			
Ore	(b)	8,172	14,358
Pig-lead and bars	} 782	142	{ 113
Sheets, tubes and wire ..			
Red lead, litharge and lead acetate			
Portugal—			
Sheet lead	(b)	8	(b)
Rumania (a)—			
Pig-lead and scrap	146	459	421
Plates and rods, etc. ..	248	253	239
Tubes and pipes	138	231	323
Red and white lead, litharge and lead acetate.. ..	546	536	593
Spain (a)—			
Ore	4,924	5,055	7,565
Pig-lead, bullion and scrap	161	211	142
Sheets, pipes, wire, shot, etc.	347	109	(b)

IMPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Sweden—			
Pig-lead	4,051	3,769	5,376
Scrap	3	9	5
Sheets and pipes	815	1,038	1,400
Red and white lead	1,734	1,875	1,183
Switzerland—			
Ore and waste	37	62	196
Pig-lead, etc., and hard lead	6,311	7,506	8,581
Scrap	19	123	11
Sheets and pipes	743	819	390
Red and white lead, litharge, acetate and nitrate of lead	235	406	288
Algeria—			
Ore	219	284	} 1,491
Pig-lead, scrap, bars, sheets, etc.	620	877	
Belgian Congo—			
Pig-lead	18	19	(b)
Egypt—			
Pig-lead	110	185	147
Scrap	(b)	(b)	(i 463)
Sheets and pipes	390	580	480
Red and white lead	198	185	193
Tunis (a)—			
Ore	265	737	2,158
Pig-lead, bars and slabs	505	408	322
Scrap	2	2	1
Sheets	41	55	27
Pipes and other wrought lead	296	236	218
Cuba (a)—			
Bars	46	209	(b)
Pipes	120	310	(b)
United States—			
Ore and matte (m)	10,925	29,858	42,554
Bullion and base bullion (m)	55,390	72,097	69,420
Pig-lead, bars and scrap	3,089	16,583	7,074
Red and white lead, orange mineral and litharge	150	213	109

IMPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Argentina—			
Pig-lead and sheets ..	2,731	5,900	7,195
Foil	19	8	5
Red lead	415	396	505
Brazil (a)—			
Pig-lead and sheets ..	3,737	3,965	(b)
Pipes.. .. .	9	18	(b)
Red and white lead ..	646	455	(b)
Chile—			
Pig-lead	37	46	(b)
Bars and sheets	140	180	(b)
Red and white lead ..	51	124	(b)
Peru—			
Pig-lead and bars	(j) 55	143	(b)
Bars and sheets for solder..	72	18	(b)
Litharge, acetate of lead and oxide for assays	4	1	(b)
China—			
Pig-lead and bars	6,707	9,775	9,498
Tea and sheet-lead.. ..	256	486	336
Dutch East Indies—			
Java and Madura—			
Pig-lead	133	150	178
Sheets	1,518	1,654	1,504
Other lead	133	31	19
Other Islands—			
Pig-lead	37	47	(b)
Sheets	483	351	(b)
Other lead	67	42	(b)
Japan (a)—			
Pig-lead	44,134	(r) 44,050	43,639
Tea-lead	47	214	278
Philippine Islands—			
Pig-lead, including sheets ..	82	58	(b)
Red and white lead	142	335	(b)

IMPORTS OF LEAD, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Siam (a) (d) (n)—			
Pig-lead	209	288	235
Syria (q)—			
Bars	17	6	30
Sheets and pipes	239	207	200
White lead and litharge ..	42	15	11

- (a) Total imports.
 (b) Information not available.
 (c) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.
 (d) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.
 (e) Overseas trade only.
 (f) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.
 (g) Total imports, excluding transit trade.
 (h) Four months only, January-April.
 (i) Excess of re-exports.
 (j) Including zinc.
 (k) Including argentiferous lead-ore.
 (l) Eight months only, May-December.
 (m) Lead content.
 (n) Figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.
 (o) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.
 (p) Total imports, excluding government stores.
 (q) Imports into the port of Beirut.
 (r) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during July and August.

MAGNESITE

PRODUCTION OF MAGNESITE
(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Cyprus—			
Crude magnesite	881	(c) 280	(c) 220
Union of South Africa—			
Crude magnesite	981	1,365	1,970
Canada—			
Crude magnesite	5,040	8,442	(b)
Caustic magnesia	916	107	} 3,458
Dead-burnt magnesia ..	1,628	4,179	
India—			
Crude magnesite	19,273	19,436	24,461
Australia—			
Crude magnesite	4,043	6,372	12,850
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria—			
Crude magnesite	(d)	(c) 2,213	(c) 1,607
Caustic magnesia	(a) 12,353	(a) 5,230	(a) 6,269
Dead-burnt magnesia ..	(a)(e) 131,819	(a) 83,418	(a) 72,713
Czechoslovakia (a)—			
Crude magnesite	2,948	} 33,212	(a) 30,615
Calcined magnesite ..	42,155		
Greece—			
Crude magnesite	54,732	61,547	57,263
Caustic magnesia	10,866	19,812	(b)
Dead-burnt magnesia ..	—	1,534	(b)
Italy—			
Crude magnesite	8,560	12,274	13,220
Norway—			
Crude magnesite	726	2,321	1,944
Calcined magnesite (c) ..	245	713	458
Magnesia bricks (c)	189	490	512
Russia—			
Crude magnesite	10,397	(g) 15,181	(b)
Spain—			
Crude magnesite	298	—	(b)
United States—			
Crude magnesite	49,812	131,473	107,232

(a) Exports less imports.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Exports.

(d) Included with dead-burnt magnesia.

(e) Including crude magnesite.

(f) Sales.

(g) Year ended 30th September, 1923.

EXPORTS OF MAGNESITE, ETC.

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Metallic magnesium ..	1	3	9
Magnesium compounds, including chloride and sulphate	3,271	4,217	4,356
Union of South Africa—			
Magnesium sulphate ..	3	3	(e)
Canada (b)—			
Calcined and dead-burnt magnesia	904	213	261
Magnesium sulphate ..	123	—	—
Cyprus—			
Magnesite	—	280	220
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (c)—			
Crude magnesite	2,364	2,213	1,607
Caustic magnesia	12,432	5,255	6,328
Dead-burnt magnesia ..	129,459	83,419	72,733
Magnesium chloride ..	259	95	86
Magnesium sulphate ..	63	25	51
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Crude magnesite	3,051	6,137	} 33,255
Calcined magnesite ..	43,749	29,653	
Magnesium chloride ..	46	14	(a)
Magnesium sulphate ..	1	2	(a)
Denmark—			
Magnesite	9	2	11
Magnesium chloride, etc. ..	5	10	11
France—			
Calcined magnesite ..	7	71	51
Magnesium	(e)	10	6
Citrate of magnesium ..	2	3	2
Magnesium carbonate ..	14	21	46
Magnesium chloride ..	37	73	54
Magnesium sulphate ..	34	106	41
Germany—			
Crude and calcined magnesite	3,048	2,371	1,750
Greece—			
Magnesite	27,831	33,384	52,864

EXPORTS OF MAGNESITE, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Italy—			
Impure caustic magnesia ..	64	410	200
Pure magnesia	126	149	191
Magnesium carbonate ..	183	252	208
Magnesium chloride ..	7	28	10
Magnesium sulphate ..	119	65	7
Netherlands—			
Magnesite	50	253	3
Magnesia	11,246	14,483	16,358
Norway—			
Calcined magnesite.. ..	245	713	458
Magnesia bricks	189	490	512
Poland—			
Magnesite	(f) 75	(f) 2	—
Magnesium chloride ..	(a)	(a)	11
Sweden—			
Magnesite and witherite ..	2	3	1
Calcined or carbonated magnesia	3	4	—
Magnesium chloride ..	8	—	1
Magnesium sulphate ..	12	31	21
Switzerland—			
Magnesium chloride ..	7	4	1
United States—			
Magnesium sulphate ..	634	(a)	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(d) Including re-exports.

(e) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(f) Including talc.

IMPORTS OF MAGNESITE, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Crude magnesite	10,851	12,714	13,081
Caustic and dead-burnt magnesia	8,638	22,184	12,537
Metallic magnesium	(h 11)	25	21
Magnesium compounds, in- cluding chloride and sul- phate	20,367	20,502	21,357
South-West Africa Territory—			
Magnesium sulphate	1	1	1
Union of South Africa—			
Magnesium sulphate	111	196	184
Canada (b)—			
Magnesite	84	203	255
Magnesia	191	356	119
Magnesium sulphate	1,412	1,642	1,990
India (b) (c)—			
Magnesium chloride	3,477	3,825	(i) 4,131
Magnesium sulphate	2,193	1,862	(i) 1,553
Other magnesium compounds	4	22	(i) 165
Australia (d)—			
Magnesia	4	11	56
Magnesium carbonate	57	65	114
Magnesium chloride	49	205	170
Magnesium sulphate	267	320	367
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Caustic magnesia	79	25	59
Dead-burnt magnesia	4	1	20
Magnesium chloride	1,534	902	1,053
Magnesium sulphate	1,202	765	680
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Crude magnesite	103	22	} 2,640
Calcined magnesite	1,594	2,556	
Magnesia	434	562	(a)
Magnesium chloride	1,071	1,457	(a)
Magnesium sulphate	8	(g)	(a)

IMPORTS OF MAGNESITE, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Denmark—			
Magnesite	103	423	550
Magnesium chloride, etc. ..	319	517	460
Magnesium sulphate, etc. ..	105	232	201
Esthonia—			
Ground, unground and cal- cined magnesite	67	(a)	52
Magnesium chloride	37	42	81
Magnesium sulphate	33	25	15
Finland (f)—			
Magnesite and witherite ..	387	345	(a)
Magnesia	11	6	(a)
Magnesium carbonate	22	19	(a)
Magnesium chloride	170	283	(a)
Magnesium sulphate	61	29	(a)
France—			
Calcined magnesite	108	106	206
Magnesium	4	2	1
Magnesium carbonate	1,401	1,481	1,453
Magnesium chloride	183	144	99
Magnesium sulphate	370	296	338
Germany—			
Crude and calcined mag- nesite	60,323	30,274	26,348
Italy—			
Impure caustic magnesia ..	507	845	1,386
Pure magnesia	3	4	2
Magnesium carbonate	10	5	3
Magnesium chloride	615	668	351
Magnesium sulphate	(g)	951	545
Netherlands—			
Magnesite	3,069	520	991
Magnesia	8,202	14,949	16,291
Norway—			
Magnesium chloride	313	304	(a)

IMPORTS OF MAGNESITE, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Poland (<i>f</i>)—			
Magnesite	(<i>j</i>) 2,068	(<i>j</i>) 3,157	1,463
Magnesia	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	8
Magnesium chloride ..	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	446
Magnesium sulphate ..	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	115
Portugal—			
Calcined magnesia	(<i>a</i>)	2	(<i>a</i>)
Magnesium carbonate ..	(<i>a</i>)	33	(<i>a</i>)
Magnesium sulphate ..	(<i>a</i>)	233	(<i>a</i>)
Rumania (<i>f</i>)—			
Calcined magnesite ..	12	11	25
Magnesium chloride ..	40	35	66
Magnesium sulphate and bisulphate	420	814	82
Spain (<i>f</i>)—			
Magnesium carbonate ..	279	201	(<i>a</i>)
Magnesium chloride, includ- ing sulphate	338	319	(<i>a</i>)
Sweden—			
Magnesite and witherite ..	706	951	1,253
Calcined or carbonated mag- nesia	47	48	56
Magnesium chloride ..	609	803	946
Magnesium sulphate ..	579	667	564
Switzerland—			
Magnesium chloride ..	15,482	26,080	38,138
Egypt—			
Magnesium sulphate ..	328	295	136
Tunis (<i>f</i>)—			
Magnesium carbonate ..	1	1	1
Magnesium sulphate ..	7	4	1
United States—			
Crude magnesite	119,873	76,817	62,862
Calcined magnesia	43	63	45
Metallic magnesium ..	82	5	4
Precipitated magnesium carbonate	16	468	215
Magnesium chloride ..	3,135	10,291	6,786
Magnesium sulphate ..	11,335	6,453	3,965

IMPORTS OF MAGNESITE, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Argentina—			
Calcined magnesite.. ..	43	57	46
Magnesium carbonate	48	73	51
Magnesium sulphate	770	321	244
Chile—			
Magnesite	(g)	(g)	(a)
Magnesia	2	7	(a)
Magnesium carbonate	7	11	(a)
Magnesium chloride	3	23	(a)
Magnesium sulphate	24	186	(a)
Other magnesium salts	1	2	(a)
Peru—			
Magnesium carbonate and chloride	2	10	(a)
Magnesium sulphate	8	10	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Overseas trade only.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(f) Total imports.

(g) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(h) Excess of re-exports.

(i) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(j) Including talc.

MANGANESE

PRODUCTION OF MANGANESE ORE

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	250	2,021	2,457
Gold Coast	(a) 66,113	(a) 139,634	(e) 233,402
Union of South Africa ..	154	583	915
Canada (a)	65	—	521
India	474,401	695,055	803,006
Australia	3,254	2,820	4,723
Total ..	544,200	840,100	1,045,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (h)	19,626	23,647	14,828
Czechoslovakia	23,177	41,377	77,860
France	5,140	330	3,621
Germany (j)	5,443	10,080	(b) 312
Greece	1,289	—	(c)
Italy (j)	4,441	9,451	11,902
Jugoslavia	1,104	5,062	44,000
Portugal	185	(c)	(c)
Rumania	5,305	12,310	6,378
Russia, including Georgia	(e) 192,651	(e) 407,401	(f) 492,274
Spain	25,046	28,175	20,505
Sweden	4,438	4,964	10,706
Algeria	1,813	(e) 650	(e) 400
Egypt	102,469	130,256	147,780
Tunis (a)	177	1,134	2,775
Cuba	(e) 9,059	19,320	28,000
Panama	(c)	(g) 399	(c)
Porto Rico	(c)	(e) 2,754	(c)

PRODUCTION OF MANGANESE ORE (*Cont.*)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Mexico	—	2,210	(<i>c</i>)
United States (<i>i</i>)	358,078	351,166	343,085
Brazil (<i>e</i>)	335,230	232,041	156,670
Chile	886	4,218	(<i>c</i>)
China (<i>e</i>)	18,926	27,234	37,928
Japan	4,371	5,409	(<i>c</i>)
Dutch East Indies	2,278	(<i>d</i>) 3,884	(<i>c</i>)
New Caledonia	800	63	(<i>c</i>)
Total (<i>k</i>)	1,200,000	1,400,000	1,400,000
WORLD'S TOTAL (<i>k</i>)	1,700,000	2,200,000	2,400,000

(*a*) Shipments.

(*b*) Prussia only.

(*c*) Information not available.

(*d*) Shipments from Tjilatjap, Java.

(*e*) Exports.

(*f*) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

(*g*) Exports to United States.

(*h*) Manganese content of manganese ore and manganiferous iron-ore.

(*i*) Shipments and including ore containing 10-35 per cent. Mn., which is also included with iron-ore, as follows:—

1922 344,674 long tons

1923 319,666 " "

1924 286,470 " "

(*j*) Ore containing more than 30 per cent. Mn.; see notes (*e*) and (*m*), page 139.

(*k*) Revised, see notes (*h*), (*i*) and (*j*).

EXPORTS OF MANGANESE ORE, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ferro-manganese and spiegeleisen	140,923	164,607	113,361
Gold Coast—			
Ore	61,279	135,603	233,402
Canada (a)—			
Ore	123	197	239
Ferro-manganese and other ferro-alloys	1,104	—	1,634
Hong Kong (f)—			
Ore	7,608	340	1,793
India (a) (c)—			
Ore	805,302	751,763	639,210
Ferro-manganese	—	69	1,567
Australia (d)—			
Ore	15	23	32
New Zealand—			
Ore	—	8	6
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (l)—			
Ore	2	2	(k)
Belgium—			
Ore	(h) 14,425	(b)	(b)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(g) 1,588	635	2,133
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Ore	191	2,206	—
France—			
Ore	866	1,728	1,043
Ferro-manganese	4,699	13,764	10,510
Manganese peroxide	11	8	22
Germany—			
Ore	38,242	7,500	361
Italy—			
Ore (i)	2,955	4,968	2,937
Netherlands—			
Ore	3,175	4,808	718
Poland (f)—			
Ore	(e)	(e)	128
Ferro-manganese	(e)	(e)	740

EXPORTS OF MANGANESE ORE, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Portugal—			
Ore	(e)	13	(e)
Russia, including Georgia—			
Ore	192,651	407,401	474,274
Spain (f)—			
Ore	27,016	6,918	50,260
Sweden—			
Ferro-manganese and spie- geleisen	62	668	44
Ferro-manganese-silicon and ferro-silicon	4,681	11,869	14,864
Algeria—			
Ore	—	650	400
Tunis—			
Ore	(e)	1,238	3,739
Cuba (g)—			
Ore	9,059	8,799	(e)
Porto Rico—			
Ore	(e)	2,754	(e)
United States—			
Ferro-manganese	1,107	4,295	3,165
Brazil—			
Ore	335,230	232,041	156,670
Chile—			
Ore	886	4,218	(e)
China—			
Ore	18,926	27,234	37,928
Dutch East Indies—			
Ore	2,510	3,919	9,805
Japan—			
Ore	908	205	904

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(c) Overseas trade only; these figures have been revised.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Including re-exports.

(g) Eight months only, May-December.

(h) Four months only, January-April.

(i) Including a small amount of manganiferous iron-ore; these figures have been revised.

(j) All to United States.

(k) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(l) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF MANGANESE ORE, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore	329,396	517,782	324,379
Ferro-manganese and spie- geleisen	138	216	1,289
Canada (a)—			
Ferro-manganese, spiegelei- sen and other ferro-alloys	4,022	8,315	7,006
Manganese oxide	1,162	1,345	13,062
Hong Kong (d)—			
Ore	15	228	1
Australia (e)—			
Ore	2,951	1,026	57
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (m)—			
Ore	10	1,069	261
Belgium—			
Ore	(c) 14,623	(i)	(i)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(g) 127,789	143,432	216,890
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Ore	686	207	2,428
Denmark—			
Ore	309	578	871
Finland (d)—			
Ore	51	44	(f)
France—			
Ore	219,505	365,560	433,108
Ferro-manganese	1,222	4,428	10,756
Manganese peroxide	209	582	445
Germany—			
Ore	293,115	66,564	40,566
Italy—			
Ore (h)	19,884	46,239	36,834

IMPORTS OF MANGANESE ORE, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Netherlands—			
Ore	7,058	1,967	1,952
Poland (d)—			
Ore	(f)	(f)	1,365
Ferro-manganese	(f)	(f)	6,437
Spain (d)—			
Ore	407	2,196	3,303
Ferro-manganese	1,769	4,521	3,186
Sweden—			
Ferro-manganese and spie- geleisen	513	978	1,690
Ferro-manganese-silicon and ferro-silicon	107	118	159
Algeria—			
Ore	277	461	(f)
Ferro-manganese	(j)	—	(f)
United States—			
Manganese ores	327,727	9,062	23,065
Manganese content of man- ganes ore (l)	(k) 46,724	196,986	231,393
Ferro-manganese	(b) 72,011	(f)	(f)
Manganese content of ferro- manganese and other alloys (l)	(k) 22,647	88,570	47,811
China—			
Ore	59	54	1
Japan (d)—			
Ore	28,856	33,378	48,428
Ferro-manganese	1,147	550	3,156

(a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(b) 1st January to 21st September only.

(c) Four months only, January–April.

(d) Total imports.

(e) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Eight months only, May–December.

(h) Including a small amount of manganiferous iron-ore.

(i) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(j) Less than $\frac{1}{4}$ ton.

(k) 22nd September to 31st December only.

(l) Figures are additional to those given above.

(m) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

MICA

PRODUCTION OF MICA

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Southern Rhodesia ..	59	81	134
Tanganyika Territory ..	(e) 11	(e) 32	55
Union of South Africa ..	1	13	892
Canada (c)	2,990	3,147	2,962
Ceylon (e)	1	1	—
India (e)	2,992	3,948	4,112
Australia (a)	4	—	2
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Russia	8	(b)	(b)
Spain	—	3	(b)
Sweden	8	5	4
Madagascar	91	162	281
United States (d)	6,411	8,112	4,498
Argentina (e)	63	100	118
Brazil (e)	66	55	(b)
Japan	15	424	(b)

(a) Including figures for Northern Territory, which refer to years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Sales.

(d) Sales, chiefly of low-grade mica.

(e) Exports.

EXPORTS OF MICA
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Slab and splittings	16	8	20
Powder	(d)	1	(d)
Tanganyika Territory—			
Mica	11	32	57
Union of South Africa—			
Mica	3	13	259
Canada (b)—			
Scrap and waste	3,728	4,347	3,570
Rough-cobbed and thumb- trimmed mica	65	107	45
Splittings	305	430	221
Ceylon—			
Mica	1	1	—
India (a) (b)—			
Blocks	482	724	670
Splittings	2,510	3,224	3,442
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)—			
Mica	—	13	4
France—			
Unmanufactured mica ..	2	24	104
Germany—			
Unmanufactured mica ..	21	48	41
Italy—			
Mica	7	49	1
Netherlands—			
Unmanufactured mica ..	5	1	—
Norway—			
Pieces	(d)	(d)	(d)
Scrap	1	10	(e)
Rumania (c)—			
Mica sheets	22	3	(d)
Madagascar—			
Mica	91	162	281
United States—			
Mica, including manufactures ..	506	806	678
Argentina—			
Mica	63	100	118
Brazil—			
Mica	66	55	(e)

(a) Overseas trade only.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including re-exports.

(d) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

IMPORTS OF MICA
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Blocks	(a 222)	} 491	625
Sheets	240		
Powder	206		
Union of South Africa—			
Mica and micanite (<i>£ South African</i>)	(<i>£593</i>)	(<i>£297</i>)	(<i>£941</i>)
India (b) (f)—			
Blocks	95	181	78
Splittings	3	14	4
Australia (d)—			
Mica	4	1	1
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Mica	—	6	9
Denmark—			
Mica	3	(c)	14
France—			
Unmanufactured mica ..	260	491	657
Germany—			
Unmanufactured mica.. ..	697	573	580
Italy—			
Mica	84	68	154
Netherlands—			
Sheets	3	4	3
Poland (e)—			
Sheets and powder	(c)	(c)	4
Portugal—			
Mica	(c)	1	(c)
Rumania (e)—			
Sheets	1	1	3
Spain (e)—			
Sheets	5	62	(c)
Sweden—			
Mica, including manufactures..	22	22	55
United States—			
Unmanufactured mica ..	290	454	309
Cut mica, splittings and all other manufactures	(<i>£218,574</i>)	1,973	2,351
Chile—			
Mica	—	1	2

(a) Excess of re-exports.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Total imports.

(f) Overseas trade only.

(g) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

MOLYBDENUM

PRODUCTION OF MOLYBDENUM ORE

(In cwt. of concentrates)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada	—	—	107
Australia	(a) 1,082	1,381	840
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Italy	18	18	10
Jugoslavia	25	(d)	(d)
Norway (b)	—	767	1,555
Mexico	62	—	75
United States	—	(e) 202	(d)
Peru	—	38	(d)
China	(d)	(c) 300	(d)

(a) In addition, 591 long tons of ore were produced in Victoria.

(b) Containing some wolfram.

(c) Ore and concentrates.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Sales of molybdenum in ores and concentrates.

EXPORTS OF MOLYBDENUM ORE, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)
(Cwt.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (a)—			
Ore	—	—	185
Hong Kong (b)—			
Ore	—	2	3
Australia (c)—			
Ore	60	594	867
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France—			
Molybdic acid and molybdates	12	14	28
Norway—			
Ore	826	1,378	1,481

- (a) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.
(b) Including re-exports.
(c) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

IMPORTS OF MOLYBDENUM ORE, ETC.
(Less Re-exports)
(Cwt.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore	(a 4,607)	471	463
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France—			
Molybdic acid and molybdates	51	20	8
United States—			
Ore	3,681	(b) 149	(b) 93
Ferro-molybdenum	270	(b 7 lb.)	(b) 4

- (a) Excess of re-exports.
(b) Molybdenum content.

MONAZITE

PRODUCTION OF MONAZITE

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
India	125	246	622
Ceylon	100	(a)	(b) 25
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Madagascar	—	(b) 1	(a)
Brazil (b)	113	—	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Exports.

EXPORTS OF MONAZITE, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Thorium nitrate	Cwt.	29	13	—
Gas mantles	Gross	19,931	20,201	23,105
Ceylon—				
Monazite sand	Long ton	(a)	(a)	25
India (b)—				
Monazite	Long ton	20	205	100
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
France—				
Thorium nitrate and other rare-earth nitrates	Cwt.	83	51	236
Gas mantles	Gross	687	889	2,542
Germany—				
Gas mantles	Gross	247,250	188,826	179,431
Italy—				
Gas mantles	Gross	2,964	13,708	5,756
Netherlands—				
Gas mantles	Cwt.	453	200	320
Sweden—				
Thorium nitrate and other rare-earth compounds	Cwt.	6	—	—
Gas mantles	do.	37	13	15
Switzerland—				
Gas mantles	Cwt.	236	322	180
Madagascar—				
Monazite sand	Long ton	—	1	(a)
United States—				
Thorium nitrate	Cwt.	10	(a)	(a)
Gas mantles	£	37,309	32,102	34,926
Brazil—				
Monazite sand.. .. .	Long ton	113	—	(a)

NOTE.—Where the quantity of gas mantles is returned by weight, the figure given is intended to represent weight of gas mantles, exclusive of packing, etc. In the case of the Netherlands, however, weight of packing, etc., is included.

(a) Information not available.

(b) Figures refer to overseas trade only, and are for years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

IMPORTS OF MONAZITE, ETC.
(Less Re-exports)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Monazite sand	Long ton	(c40)	(c70)	(c31)
Thorium nitrate	Cwt.	(c21)	316	258
Gas mantles	Gross	210,189	207,941	(f)164,672
Canada (b)—				
Thorium nitrate	£	8	—	6
Gas mantles (h)	£	13,464	12,667	13,124
Thorium nitrate for manufac- ture of gas mantles (g) ..	£	6,620	5,639	5,433
Ceylon—				
Gas mantles	Gross	617	915	1,488
Australia (d)—				
Gas mantles	Gross	9,189	13,531	11,497
New Zealand—				
Gas mantles	£	4,331	(f)	(f)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
France—				
Thorium nitrate and other rare-earth nitrates	£	55	—	—
Gas mantles	Gross	1,410	965	1,028
Germany—				
Gas mantles	Cwt.	12	65	(e) 111
Italy—				
Gas mantles	Gross	658	137	244
Netherlands—				
Gas mantles	Cwt.	2,597	1,819	1,386
Sweden—				
Thorium nitrate and other rare-earth compounds ..	Cwt.	13	16	24
Gas mantles	do.	25	20	22
Switzerland—				
Gas mantles	Cwt.	16	19	20
Egypt—				
Gas mantles	£	9,316	7,709	8,288
United States—				
Monazite sand and thorite ..	Long ton	(a) 300	105	144
Thorium nitrate	Cwt.	311	135	126
Gas mantles	Gross	16,722	14,355	14,313

NOTE.—Where the quantity of gas mantles is returned by weight, the figure given is intended to represent weight of gas mantles, exclusive of packing, etc. In the case of the Netherlands, however, weight of packing, etc., is included.

(a) 1st January–21st September, only.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Excess of re-exports.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Gross.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Including cotton thread and nitrate of cerium.

(h) Including incandescent gas burners.

NICKEL

PRODUCTION OF NICKEL ORE

(In terms of metal)

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada	7,856	27,881	31,066
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Germany (Prussia)	—	(b)3	(e)
Italy	(d)	44	1
Norway	91	—	—
United States (c)	186	89	171
New Caledonia	2,000	(a) 2,635	3,600
WORLD'S TOTAL	10,200	30,600	34,800

(a) Nickel content of exports.*(b)* Ore, nickel content not stated.*(c)* Nickel content of salts and nickel produced as a by-product in the electrolytic refining of copper.*(d)* Less than $\frac{1}{4}$ ton.*(e)* Information not available.

EXPORTS OF NICKEL
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Cubes, rondels, etc. ..	2,996	4,291	5,843
Plates and sheets, including anodes	90	134	138
Ingots, sheets, strips and wire of alloys	483	520	602
Nickel oxide	1	2	4
Canada (b)—			
Nickel content of ore, matte or speiss	9,883	14,504	17,207
Nickel	9,147	10,916	10,270
Hong Kong (d)—			
Nickel	12	19	45
Straits Settlements (c)—			
Coin	(£98)	(£481)	(£415)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (c)—			
Nickel	9	18	18
Plates and sheets, including anodes	20	93	114
Belgium—			
Unwrought nickel	(g) 297	(h)	(h)
Beaten, rolled or drawn nickel	(g) 55	(h)	(h)
Coin	(g) 14	(h)	(h)
Belgium-Luxemburg			
Economic Union—			
Unwrought nickel	(e) 955	398	625
Beaten, rolled or drawn nickel	(e) 64	1	743
Coin	(e) 24	26	698
France—			
Ore	4	(f)	6
Matte, speiss, etc.	69	90	24
Ingots or crude lumps ..	73	428	127
Beaten, rolled or drawn nickel	17	56	107
Ingots or crude lumps of alloys	12	4	22
Beaten, rolled or drawn alloys	60	93	65
Nickel oxide	5	5	4
Nickel sulphate	26	31	62

EXPORTS OF NICKEL (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Germany—			
Ore (<i>i</i>)	261	64	126
Unwrought nickel, scrap and coin	55	199	822
Italy—			
Nickel and nickel alloy cubes, ingots and scrap	320	208	—
Other nickel and nickel alloys	27	102	72
Netherlands—			
Unwrought nickel and scrap	1	14	16
Norway—			
Unwrought nickel	145	61	(<i>a</i>)
Nickel sulphate	71	5	(<i>a</i>)
Poland (<i>d</i>)—			
Ingots and bars	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	16
Sweden—			
Unwrought nickel	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	1
Nickel oxide and nickel sul- phate	2	1	7
Switzerland—			
Unwrought and wrought nickel and nickel-silver..	69	119	262
United States—			
Nickel and its alloys, in- cluding nickel oxide ..	4,160	393	855
Nickel-silver	180	215	112
New Caledonia—			
Matte	4,590	3,454	4,704
Nickel	(<i>a</i>)	11	123

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(*d*) Including re-exports.

(*e*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*f*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*g*) Four months only, January–April.

(*h*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*i*) Including chrome ore.

IMPORTS OF NICKEL

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore and matte	12	1	3
Cubes, rondels, etc. ..	111	72	167
Plates and sheets, including anodes	10	16	50
Ingots, sheets, strips and wire of alloys	116	388	496
Nickel oxide	170	2,285	1,397
Canada (c)—			
Nickel and nickel - silver ingots, bars and sheets ..	699	413	383
Hong Kong (d)—			
Nickel	6	13	11
India (c) (j)—			
Nickel-silver	593	506	609
Straits Settlements (f)—			
Coin	—	(£1,828)	—
Australia (g)—			
Ingots, bars, scrap, sheets, pipes, etc.	31	21	74
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)—			
Nickel	613	529	1,970
Plates and sheets, including anodes	1	3	13
Belgium—			
Unwrought nickel	(i) 49	(b)	(b)
Beaten, rolled or drawn nickel	(i) 2	(b)	(b)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Unwrought nickel	(h) 128	253	3,395
Beaten, rolled or drawn nickel	(h) 4	6	16
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Plates and sheets	1	1	(a)
Scrap	132	263	(a)
France—			
Ore	—	(e)	1
Matte, speiss, etc.	1,540	1,870	3,842
Ingots or crude lumps ..	584	694	1,201

IMPORTS OF NICKEL (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
France (<i>Cont.</i>)—			
Beaten, rolled or drawn nickel	37	22	72
Ingots or crude lumps of alloys	11	11	5
Beaten, rolled or drawn alloys	132	86	165
Nickel oxides	4	5	8
Nickel sulphate	510	581	609
Germany—			
Ore	306	176	622
Unwrought nickel, scrap and coin	2,581	1,376	1,422
Italy—			
Nickel and nickel alloy cubes, ingots and scrap	92	1,111	1,739
Other nickel and nickel alloys	189	67	127
Netherlands—			
Unwrought nickel and scrap	27	67	62
Poland (<i>d</i>)—			
Blocks, scrap, etc.	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	109
Ingots, bars and sheets	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	84
Rumania (<i>d</i>)—			
Crude nickel and scrap	4	(<i>e</i>)	2
Beaten and drawn nickel	5	1	2
Spain (<i>d</i>)—			
Unwrought nickel and cobalt	109	77	221
Nickel and nickel alloy bars, sheets, tubes and wire	110	100	(<i>a</i>)
Sweden—			
Unwrought nickel	88	106	153
Nickel oxide and nickel sul- phate	7	144	173
Switzerland—			
Unwrought nickel and nickel silver	146	162	510
Wrought nickel and nickel silver	137	243	352
Egypt—			
Nickel and nickel alloys	3	14	13
Tunis (<i>d</i>)—			
Coins of nickel and base metal	40	—	4

IMPORTS OF NICKEL (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
United States—			
Nickel content of ore and matte	1,378	6,519	5,059
Nickel bars, plates, etc., including manufactures..	(£827,650)	11,721	64
Nickel alloys in pigs, ingots and other forms			11,020
Nickel oxide			403
Brazil (<i>d</i>)—			
Cubes and sheets	1	7	(<i>a</i>)
Chile—			
Bars and plates	10	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Peru—			
Coin	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
China—			
Nickel of all kinds	133	464	143
Dutch East Indies—			
Java and Madura—			
Nickel	—	—	10
Japan (<i>d</i>)—			
Ingots and grains	798	(<i>h</i>) 344	839
Other nickel	116	80	6
Philippine Islands—			
Nickel	(£825)	(£1,313)	(<i>a</i>)

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*c*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*d*) Total imports.

(*e*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*f*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*g*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*h*) Eight months only, May-December.

(*i*) Four months only, January-April.

(*j*) Overseas trade only.

(*k*) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

NITRATES

PRODUCTION OF NITRATES

(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
India—			
Nitrate of potash	11,673	8,716	8,543
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Norway (a)—			
Nitrate of lime	153,000	160,000	141,000
Spain—			
Nitrate of potash	(c)	75	25
Egypt (b)—			
Nitrate of soda	3,886	2,526	1,557
Chile—			
Nitrate of soda	1,053,828	1,872,932	2,400,000

(a) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(b) Output of one company only.

(c) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF NITRATES
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Nitrate of potash	742	766	902
Nitrate of soda	765	351	948
Nitrate of lime	24	21	4
Hong Kong (f)—			
Nitrate of potash	1,483	1,153	1,309
India (b)—			
By land (f)—			
Nitrate of potash	5	2	15
By sea—			
Nitrate of potash	10,597	7,811	8,163
Straits Settlements (g)—			
Nitrate of potash	320	321	211
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Nitrate of soda	17	22	17
Nitrate of potash	163	7	114
Belgium—			
Nitrate of potash	(e) 270	(h)	(h)
Nitrate of soda	(e) 35,558	(h)	(h)
Nitrate of lime	(e) 38	(h)	(h)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Nitrate of potash	(c) 292	1,461	1,815
Nitrate of soda	(c) 37,858	3,225	1,734
Nitrate of lime	(c) 21	8	4
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Nitrate of potash	7	24	(a)
Nitrate of soda	81	31	(a)
France—			
Nitrate of potash—			
Natural	1,026	3,506	3,712
Synthetic	443	561	793
Nitrate of soda	3,784	2,178	10,797
Nitrate and cyanamide of lime	5,294	1,758	1,127
Germany—			
Nitrate of potash	11,922	9,917	11,551
Nitrate of soda	516	516	7,836

EXPORTS OF NITRATES (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Italy—			
Nitrate of potash	17	6	3
Nitrate of soda	(<i>d</i>)	5	15
Netherlands—			
Nitrate of potash, refined ..	784	975	2,944
Nitrate of soda	10,446	9,197	1,882
Nitrate of lime	22	—	2
Norway—			
Nitrate of soda	31,880	21,938	19,175
Nitrate of lime	155,031	144,797	129,188
Poland (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate of potash	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	15
Nitrate of soda	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	9,322
Nitrate of lime	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	16
Rumania (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate of soda	94	—	—
Sweden—			
Nitrate of potash	1	6	(<i>d</i>)
Nitrate of soda	1	(<i>d</i>)	2
Nitrate of lime	—	(<i>d</i>)	—
Switzerland—			
Nitrates of potash and soda	1	(<i>d</i>)	—
Chile—			
Nitrate of soda	1,231,928	2,206,943	2,326,536

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*d*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*e*) Four months only, January–April.

(*f*) Including re-exports.

(*g*) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(*h*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

IMPORTS OF NITRATES
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Nitrate of potash	7,104	6,715	5,165
Nitrate of soda	33,345	69,211	76,777
Nitrate of lime	4,060	7,204	7,198
Mauritius—			
Nitrate of potash	1,406	3,880	2,426
Nitrate of soda	835	3,556	1,786
Southern Rhodesia—			
Nitrate of potash	7	7	6
South-West Africa Territory—			
Nitrate of potash	1	1	2
Union of South Africa—			
Nitrate of potash	148	95	96
Nitrate of soda	22	59	4
Nitrates for manufacturing purposes	13,413	25,090	32,636
Canada (c)—			
Nitrate of potash	386	578	660
Nitrate of soda	14,153	12,437	19,112
Nitrate compounds for the manufacture of explosives	3,841	6,831	217
Barbados—			
Nitrate of soda	50	339	(b)
Ceylon—			
Nitrate of potash refuse ..	3,025	2,573	3,329
Nitrate of soda	1,425	1,545	2,305
Hong Kong (d)—			
Nitrate of potash	2,708	1,519	1,467
India (c)—			
By land (d)—			
Nitrate of potash	34	157	60
By sea—			
Nitrate of potash	2	1	(b)
Straits Settlements (g)—			
Nitrate of potash	414	287	244
Australia (e)—			
Nitrate of potash	279	386	328
Nitrate of soda	2,425	7,134	3,729
New Zealand—			
Nitrate of potash	86	90	103
Nitrate of soda (<i>Manure</i>) ..	391	798	816
Nitrate of soda, including acetate of soda and alkaline compounds ..	303	(b)	(b)

IMPORTS OF NITRATES (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>g</i>)—			
Nitrate of soda	626	1,552	3,761
Nitrate of potash	145	200	498
Belgium—			
Nitrate of potash	(<i>h</i>) 118	(<i>i</i>)	(<i>i</i>)
Nitrate of soda	(<i>h</i>) 14,297	(<i>i</i>)	(<i>i</i>)
Nitrate of lime	(<i>h</i>) 3,026	(<i>i</i>)	(<i>i</i>)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Nitrate of potash	(<i>f</i>) 337	376	28
Nitrate of soda	(<i>f</i>) 9,832	136,889	143,384
Nitrate of lime	(<i>f</i>) 568	4,316	3,668
Bulgaria—			
Nitrate of soda	371	625	510
Czechoslovakia (<i>d</i>)—			
Nitrate of potash	74	128	600
Nitrate of soda	23,963	51,562	60,716
Denmark—			
Nitrate of potash	528	948	1,057
Nitrate of soda—			
Chile saltpetre	31,465	37,371	51,647
Other	369	340	50
Nitrate of lime	69,395	82,529	70,589
Estonia—			
Nitrate of potash	19	19	8
Nitrate of soda	(<i>a</i>)	121	250
Nitrate of lime	239	63	2
Finland (<i>d</i>)—			
Nitrate of potash	20	39	(<i>b</i>)
Nitrate of soda	257	379	} 3,482
Nitrate of lime	3,413	3,191	
France—			
Nitrate of potash—			
Natural	158	—	10
Synthetic	476	156	146
Nitrate of soda	159,357	269,421	277,671
Nitrate and cyanamide of lime	7,760	24,809	21,224
Germany—			
Nitrate of potash	550	16	91
Nitrate of soda	30,980	11,108	11,389
Greece—			
Nitrate of potash	49	85	(<i>b</i>)

IMPORTS OF NITRATES (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Hungary—			
Nitrate of soda	(b)	(b)	329
Italy—			
Nitrate of potash	1,347	1,405	1,673
Nitrate of soda	38,723	51,010	54,645
Nitrate of lime	990	494	975
Latvia—			
Nitrate of soda	148	146	357
Netherlands—			
Nitrate of potash, refined ..	954	269	299
Nitrate of soda	120,330	148,597	135,608
Nitrate of lime	2,827	2,852	1,970
Norway (d)—			
Nitrate of potash	82	154	(b)
Nitrate of soda	26	156	146
Poland (d)—			
Nitrate of potash	(k) 34,466	(b)	360
Nitrate of soda	17,574	37,026	45,266
Nitrate of lime	16,342	1,990	1,033
Rumania—			
Nitrate of potash	73	42	15
Nitrate of soda	107	158	633
Spain (d)—			
Nitrate of soda	45,425	91,114	(b)
Sweden—			
Nitrate of potash	257	280	368
Nitrate of soda	19,864	29,398	34,162
Nitrate of lime	17,430	16,009	12,578
Switzerland—			
Nitrates of potash and soda	334	465	382
Algeria—			
Nitrate of soda	507	575	(b)
Nitrate and cyanamide of lime	1,016	1,166	(b)
Egypt—			
Nitrate of potash	2	2	2
Nitrate of soda	95,700	69,130	119,832
Nitrate of lime	7,323	3,860	7,828
Réunion—			
Nitrate of soda	522	355	1,688
Tunis (d)—			
Nitrate of potash	1	57	31
Nitrate of soda	127	2	64
United States—			
Nitrate of potash (d)	2,399	2,747	689
Nitrate of soda	529,427	880,004	979,008
Nitrate of lime	(l) 1,097	9,211	7,682

IMPORTS OF NITRATES (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Argentina—			
Nitrate of potash	94	188	131
Nitrate of soda	1,382	1,105	1,540
Brazil (<i>d</i>)—			
Nitrate of potash	1,049	1,512	(<i>b</i>)
Chile—			
Nitrate of potash	(<i>a</i>)	17	(<i>b</i>)
Peru—			
Nitrate of soda	—	—	38
China—			
Nitrate of potash	2,133	840	1,536
Dutch East Indies (<i>d</i>)—			
Nitrate of potash	142	130	(<i>b</i>)
Nitrate of soda	98	2,282	(<i>b</i>)
Japan (<i>d</i>)—			
Nitrate of potash	1,268	523	1,188
Nitrate of soda	52,451	(<i>j</i>) 66,480	40,108

(*a*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*b*) Information not available.

(*c*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*d*) Total imports.

(*e*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*f*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*g*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*h*) Four months only, January–April.

(*i*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*j*) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during July and August.

(*k*) Including ammonium sulphate.

(*l*) From 22nd September to 31st December only.

PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

PRODUCTION OF PETROLEUM

(Including Shale-Oil)

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	215,099	208,269	229,668
Canada	25,581	24,310	22,976
Trinidad	349,985	435,839	579,516
India	1,218,384	1,200,878	1,202,333
Sarawak	403,394	558,111	592,071
Australia (a)	8,000	(b)	(b)
Total	2,220,000	2,440,000	2,640,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia	18,004	10,674	10,978
France	68,982	69,548	73,155
Germany	41,325	49,964	53,398
Italy	4,221	4,625	5,418
Poland	701,643	725,334	818,900
Rumania	1,350,840	1,487,997	1,830,571
Russia	4,789,572	5,324,063	(d)5,848,300
Sweden	347	155	—
Algeria	1,360	1,328	1,776
Egypt	170,100	150,937	160,716
Cuba	(b)	(c) 580	(c) 570
Mexico	26,039,780	21,369,265	19,954,042
United States	79,647,300	104,629,600	102,961,603
Argentina	442,965	497,246	549,100
Colombia	46,100	60,600	70,000
Ecuador (a)	7,000	8,600	(b)
Peru	689,359	830,801	1,116,000
Venezuela	329,540	542,000	1,239,519
Dutch East Indies ..	2,344,109	2,764,000	2,780,191
Formosa	1,866	2,273	3,245
Japan	291,454	255,191	278,196
Persia	2,875,000	3,323,018	4,244,856
Total	119,900,000	142,100,000	142,000,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	122,100,000	144,500,000	144,600,000

(a) Approximate production.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Sales.

(d) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

PRODUCTION OF NATURAL GAS
(Thousand cubic feet)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom ..	100	100	(b)
Canada	14,682,651	15,960,583	15,122,684
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Italy	234,949	241,942	236,609
Jugoslavia (a)	3,000,000	3,000,000	3,000,000
Poland	14,196,550	13,780,859	16,318,568
Rumania	8,832,020	10,139,360	12,795,223
United States	762,546,000	1,008,135,000	(a) 1,095,000,000
Japan	1,124,595	925,669	(b)

NOTE.—This table is necessarily incomplete owing to the fact that official statistics of production of natural gas are collected by only a few countries. Large quantities of natural gas are produced in Russia and Mexico, while Argentina, Colombia, Venezuela, Dutch East Indies and the Philippine Islands are other producing countries. The figures represent only that part of the gas produced which is actually utilized.

(a) Approximate production.

(b) Information not available.

PRODUCTION OF NATURAL ASPHALT
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Barbados (a)	131	180	(d)
Trinidad	182,655	221,347	223,867
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Italy	739	750	652
Poland (e)	423	506	(d)
Switzerland (c)	21,691	19,590	32,626
Cuba (c)	107	2,064	(d)
United States—			
Gilsonite	26,512	30,737	(d)
Ozokerite	—	9	(d)
Wurtzilite	(b) 46	178	(d)
Venezuela (f)	33,436	33,321	65,454
Japan	275	—	(d)

(a) Exports of manjak.

(b) Including grahamite.

(c) Exports.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Ozokerite.

(f) Imports into the United States from Venezuela.

PRODUCTION OF ASPHALT ROCK

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France	47,698	35,077	44,144
Germany	53,741	45,501	(a)
Greece	403	1,279	(a)
Italy	66,804	148,717	183,582
Rumania	12,807	21,614	19,414
Spain	5,838	3,873	5,388
United States	266,113	326,429	(a)

(a) Information not available.

PRODUCTION OF OIL-SHALE

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	2,603,996	2,860,633	2,857,103
Australia	23,507	2,308	2,218
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	703	371	367
Esthonia	136,800	181,161	226,095
France	60,037	(a)	(a)
Germany (Bavaria)	32	1,183	(a)
Italy	5,388	5,571	2,939

(a) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS
(Domestic Produce)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Crude petroleum	Gallon	37,629	93,568	61,856
Motor spirit	do.	2,221,289	13,348,273	24,672,214
Other light oils	do.	46,733	92,243	421,376
Kerosene	do.	2,738,911	11,792,403	18,069,158
Gas-oil	do.	88,739	807,760	750,238
Fuel-oil	do.	37,960,903	42,930,365	55,889,817
Lubricating oil	do.	6,290,386	6,445,263	7,600,279
Other refined oils	do.	66,491	72,223	70,429
Mineral jelly	Long ton	254	389	508
Paraffin wax	do.	6,698	8,710	10,887
Canada (b)—				
Crude coal-oil and kero- sene	Gallon	5,737,542	1,239,889	21,836,577
Gasoline and naphtha Refined coal-oil and kerosene	do.	1,996,719	1,217,725	1,438,786
Mineral wax	do.	1,558,550	1,516,511	1,569,932
Other petroleum pro- ducts.. ..	Long ton	1,937	2,088	1,361
	Gallon	1,037,009	1,178,805	717,123
British West Indies—				
Barbados—				
Manjak	Long ton	131	180	(a)
Trinidad and Tobago—				
Crude petroleum	Gallon	9,261,371	11,609,314	11,555,139
Motor spirit	do.	5,463,036	10,527,702	13,463,461
Refined petroleum, in- cluding kerosene.. ..	do.	2,152,625	1,262,228	803,304
Fuel-oil	do.	39,475,864	61,722,795	87,033,350
Lubricating oil	do.	6,812	14,418	3,269
Asphalt—				
Crude	Long ton	39,390	41,838	33,531
Dried	do.	100,041	126,415	133,126
Manjak	do.	2	7	(k)
Aden (b) (e)—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	9,624	36,270	(a)
Kerosene	do.	525,807	498,382	(a)
Other mineral oils	do.	27,225	32,992	(a)

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
British Borneo (Sarawak)—				
Crude petroleum ..	Long ton	51,986	60,300	132,662
Kerosene recorded by weight	do.	11,840	47,732	105,146
Kerosene recorded by volume	Gallon	144	588	12,056
Benzine	Long ton	56,942	76,590	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	202,389	325,029	262,327
Lubricating oil ..	do.	—	1,789	—
Hong Kong (e)—				
Benzine, gasoline, etc.	Gallon	484,303	569,698	639,479
Kerosene	do.	27,566,947	30,567,621	24,857,966
Fuel-oil	Long ton	10,259	15,252	19,196
Lubricating oil ..	Gallon	975,229	1,312,144	1,163,150
Other mineral oils ..	do.	—	37,226	31,907
Greases.. ..	Long ton	382	148	265
Paraffin wax	do.	6,671	9,218	8,312
Asphalt products ..	£	1,554	2,820	4,273
India (b)—				
By land (e)—				
Petroleum	Long ton	21,228	21,442	19,112
By sea—				
Benzine and other light oils	Gallon	19,789,228	16,672,400	22,058,946
Kerosene	do.	33,940	3,356	} 142,579
Other mineral oils ..	do.	134,570	165,569	
Paraffin wax	Long ton	27,369	25,141	29,891
Straits Settlements (g)—				
Benzine	Gallon	3,635,779	26,145,853	15,262,520
Kerosene	do.	10,835,768	16,187,168	12,257,840
Fuel-oil	Long ton	14,333	44,659	33,777
Lubricating oil ..	Gallon	1,330,414	2,604,367	2,263,663
Greases.. ..	Long ton	148	364	226
Paraffin wax	do.	322	422	693
Australia (f)—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	15,564	3,956	—
Benzine and other light oils	do.	6,890	24,654	26,444
Lubricating oil ..	do.	4,907	1,588	1,754
Residual and solar oils	do.	1,955	879	15,362
Greases.. ..	Long ton	94	44	145

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Austria (g)—				
Crude petroleum ..	Long ton	619	24	21
Benzine	do.	37	288	140
Kerosene	do.	289	14	4
Gas-oil, etc. ..	do.	439	9	17
Lubricating oils ..	do.	(a)	450	138
Greases.. ..	do.	402	221	214
Vaseline	do.	41	14	8
Paraffin wax ..	do.	30	11	23
Crude ozokerite ..	do.	245	254	173
Asphalt-cement, mastic asphalt, resin-cement	do.	391	128	202
Belgium—				
Crude petroleum—				
Domestic exports ..	Long ton	(i) 1	(l)	(l)
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(i) 212	(l)	(l)
Refined petroleum—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	(i) 15,089	(l)	(l)
Shipped as bunkers..	do.	(i) —	(l)	(l)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Crude petroleum ..	Long ton	(c) 109	41	16
Refined petroleum ..	do.	(j) 1,985	6,185	2,318
Crude and refined kerosene—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	(c) 1,696	4,151	4,805
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(c) —	89	125
Lubricating oil ..	do.	(j) 5,434	23,806	37,986
Fuel-oil—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	(j) 122	1,266	5,194
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(j) 35	80	69
Other heavy oils—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	(c) 8,405	7,458	10,463
Shipped as bunkers	do.	(c) 146	156	241
Asphalt	do.	(j) 112	1,992	10,858
Czechoslovakia (e)—				
Crude mineral oils ..	Long ton	100	948	(a)
Refined mineral oils ..	do.	8	164	(a)
Residual oil, including lubricating oil ..				
Paraffin wax	do.	18	49	(a)
Ozokerite	do.	37	56	120
Asphalt and bitumen ..	do.	20	31	(a)
Asphalt and bitumen ..	do.	145	16	198
Denmark—				
Fuel-oil	Long ton	116	22	10
Lubricating oil ..	do.	78	55	339
Paraffin wax	do.	9	14	8

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
France—				
Crude petroleum and shale-oil	Long ton	453	309	209
Refined petroleum and shale-oil—				
Domestic exports ..	Gallon	170,148	177,166	} 445,060
Shipped as bunkers..	do.	71,676	90,596	
Light distillates of petroleum and shale-oil—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	421,872	599,434	} 537,790
Shipped as bunkers	do.	10,384	18,326	
Greases and other heavy oils—				
Domestic exports ..	Long ton	16,722	11,869	} 19,880
Shipped as bunkers..	do.	622	585	
Vaseline	do.	198	125	275
Residual oil	do.	2,106	4,952	4,033
Residual asphalt ..	do.	6,515	779	716
Paraffin wax, including lignite wax—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	46	85	} 179
Shipped as stores ..	do.	3	6	
Ozokerite	do.	53	81	87
Bitumen and asphalt..	do.	8,900	12,806	18,158
Germany—				
Crude benzine	Long ton	494	—	—
Heavy benzine	do.	117	2,208	738
Kerosene	do.	111	37	62
Gas-oil	do.	798	231	635
Lubricating oil ..	do.	2,851	11,727	18,720
Paraffin, crude or refined, also soft paraffin	do.	179	446	487
Crude ozokerite, etc. ..	do.	3,185	3,365	2,539
Refined ozokerite, ceresin in blocks, etc. ..	do.	1,335	1,153	1,187
Asphalt	do.	3,215	4,360	6,734
Italy—				
Crude mineral oils ..	Long ton	43	143	241
Benzine	do.	82	89	183
Kerosene	do.	131	59	167
Lubricating oil ..	do.	536	499	813
Other mineral, resinous and tar oils	do.	1,109	1,836	7,157
Vaseline	do.	7	8	13
Paraffin wax	do.	37	19	27
Ceresin	do.	28	24	30
Asphalt	do.	4,139	6,809	6,533

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Netherlands—				
Benzine	Long ton	152	2,872	296
Kerosene	do.	22	919	1,678
Gas-oil—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	2,815	10,264	16,717
Shipped as bunkers..	do.			
Fuel-oil—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	13,895	8,616	3,902
Shipped as bunkers..	do.	105,635	98,720	67,581
Lubricating oil	do.	403	533	567
Paraffin wax	do.	674	529	1,449
Ozokerite and ceresin..	do.	15	48	22
Asphalt	do.	18,016	66,603	86,063
Other petroleum distil- lates and residues ..	do.			
Natural asphalt	do.	1,504	6,167	2,713
Poland—				
Crude petroleum	Long ton	65,798	8,661	7,436
Refined petroleum	do.	99,779	60,169	94,880
Benzine	do.	55,877	56,495	73,476
Gasoline, etc.	do.	61,881	126,725	77,521
Lubricating oils	do.	69,686	68,576	92,809
Residual oils	do.	12,147	15,010	11,336
Vaseline and paraffin wax				
	do.	19,972	24,852	25,590
Ceresin and ozokerite..	do.	434	757	872
Asphalt-rock	do.	(a)	(a)	469
Mastic asphalt	do.	(a)	(a)	1,391
Asphalt tar	do.	(a)	(a)	5,187
Rumania (e)—				
Crude mineral oils	Long ton	1	3,196	1,150
Motor spirit	do.	130,535	157,016	160,692
Kerosene	do.	263,146	196,932	208,326
Residual oils	do.	16,204	32,741	33,207
Other mineral oils	do.	17,223	16,408	25,940
Paraffin wax	do.	89	52	10
Ceresin and ozokerite..	do.	—	17	—
Asphalt and bitumen..	do.	1,276	2,917	1,520
Spain (e)—				
Refined petroleum	Long ton	438	1,056	(a)
Tar, asphalt-rock and bitumen	do.	144	190	(a)

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Sweden—				
Crude and residual oils	Long ton	4,341	568	1,763
Benzine and gasoline..	do.	2,891	94	433
Kerosene	do.	647	207	1,458
Lubricating oil ..	do.	319	346	197
Vaseline	do.	3	3	6
Other refined mineral oils	do.	50	27	18
Paraffin wax	do.	29	39	157
Ozokerite	do.	(k)	1	4
Asphalt	do.	467	23	74
Switzerland—				
Petroleum distillation products and substitutes	Long ton	(k)	1	2
Lubricating oil	do.	15	31	42
Vaseline	do.	(k)	(k)	—
Crude asphalt and bitumen	do.	21,691	19,590	32,626
Other petroleum products	do.	94	257	261
Algeria—				
Crude petroleum and shale-oil	Gallon	60,148	99,748	(a)
Refined petroleum and shale-oil	do.	26,532	106,964	(a)
Light distillates of petroleum and shale-oil ..	do.	83,050	177,870	(a)
Greases and other heavy oils	Long ton	520	374	(a)
Paraffin wax, including lignite wax	do.	1	(a)	(a)
Belgian Congo (e)—				
Motor spirit	Long ton	77	45	(a)
Kerosene	do.	21	62	(a)
Egypt—				
Benzine—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	19,021	9,232	9,062
Recorded by volume	Gallon	6,376	1,048	2,032
Kerosene—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	244	198	8,967
Recorded by volume	Gallon	8,776	33,584	41,344
Fuel-oil (<i>Mazut</i>) ..	Long ton	19,514	1,923	45
Lubricating oil and greases	do.	9	2	3
Candles	do.	2	3	13
Asphalt or bitumen ..	do.	61	16	201

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES(Cont.)				
Cuba (e)—				
Natural asphalt ..	Long ton	107	2,064	(a)
Mexico—				
Petroleum and petroleum products ..	Long ton	26,525,448	20,239,101	19,538,772
Panama (e)—				
Gasoline	Long ton	2,861	(a)	(a)
Kerosene	do.	2,944	(a)	(a)
Lubricating oil ..	do.	546	(a)	(a)
United States—				
Crude mineral oils ..	Gallon	349,828,247	597,126,552	616,170,708
Gasoline and other light oils	do.	482,551,672	704,744,858	988,612,724
Kerosene	do.	746,025,534	706,607,878	763,626,162
Gas-oil and fuel-oil—				
Exported	do.	581,016,170	1,023,828,579	1,200,234,936
Shipped as bunkers	do.	1,109,227,035	1,305,364,575	1,516,472,125
Paraffin lubricating oil	do.	27,024,307	} 290,350,436	316,083,086
Other lubricating oils	do.	249,108,766		
Residual oils	do.	8,409,327	1,200,646	2,308,564
Greases	do.	25,926	33,616	42,478
Crude paraffin wax ..	Long ton	37,284	42,106	41,354
Refined paraffin wax ..	do.	89,725	105,123	129,548
Petroleum jelly, etc. ..	do.	3,243	3,917	4,474
Crude asphalt	do.	51,216	64,846	46,936
Bolivia—				
Mineral oils, etc. ..	Long ton	1	(a)	(a)
Peru—				
Crude petroleum—				
Domestic exports ..	Long ton	261,401	315,944	(a)
Shipped as stores ..	do.	5	602	(a)
Gasoline	do.	18,250	(d) 9,476	(a)
Naphtha	do.	123,687	115,285	(a)
Kerosene—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	14,703	6,725	(a)
Shipped as stores ..	do.	36	—	(a)
Fuel-oil—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	77,711	97,424	(a)
Shipped as bunkers	do.	24,285	16,433	(a)
Lubricating oil—				
Domestic exports ..	do.	54	323	(a)
Shipped as stores ..	do.	18	7	(a)
Venezuela—				
Crude petroleum ..	Long ton	281,807	(a)	1,192,724
Asphalt	do.	32,982	(a)	(a)

EXPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES(Cont.)				
Dutch East Indies—				
Java and Madura (e)—				
Benzine and gasoline	Gallon	3,716	1,433,199	1,782,247
Kerosene	do.	44,286	14,246	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	719,533	1,368,941	528,270
Diesel and solar oil..	do.	(a)	11,032	(a)
Lubricating oil ..	Long ton	1,794	1,051	698
Greases	do.	8	86	105
Paraffin wax	do.	2,830	3,036	3,859
Asphalt	do.	375	216	97
Other Islands (e)—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	148,161,905	(m)	(a)
Benzine and gasoline	do.	140,289,321	139,190,125	(a)
Kerosene	do.	53,499,378	55,056,311	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	80,905,131	288,889,263	(a)
Diesel and solar oil..	do.	(a)	14,034,783	(a)
Lubricating oil ..	Long ton	2,918	23,686	(a)
Greases	do.	111	215	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	16,275	22,304	(a)
Candles	do.	6,960	1,567	(a)
Asphalt	do.	1,181	2,503	(a)
Japan—				
Kerosene	Gallon	110,581	33,613	76,690
Other mineral oils ..	Long ton	2,971	2,318	2,794
Persia (e) (h)—				
Petroleum—				
Crude	Long ton	470,319	929,234	1,034,755
Refined	do.	131,383	122,354	167,238
Benzine	do.	292,695	342,551	184,734
Fuel and lubricating oils	do.	1,007,714	1,277,700	1,206,720

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Eight months only, May–December.

(d) Including 7 long tons shipped as stores.

(e) Including re-exports.

(f) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(g) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(h) Years ended 20th March of the year stated.

(i) Four months only, January–April.

(j) Figures refer to the period 24th June to 31st December.

(k) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(l) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(m) Probably included with fuel-oil.

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS
(Less Re-exports)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	217,084,459	332,616,595	464,357,538
Motor spirit	do.	284,543,003	287,626,930	379,206,450
Other light oils ..	do.	(i 206,385)	2,336,580	3,034,344
Kerosene	do.	148,853,064	139,623,731	115,275,862
Gas-oil	do.	69,045,983	68,991,764	65,620,236
Fuel-oil	do.	386,565,331	362,342,829	383,424,186
Lubricating oil ..	do.	67,342,671	80,366,549	100,062,426
Other refined oils ..	do.	27,557	64,426	1,268,071
Mineral jelly	Long ton	1,994	2,916	3,316
Paraffin wax	do.	44,962	54,518	62,509
Ozokerite	do.	531	1,534	674
Asphalt and bitumen..	do.	143,071	255,677	264,587
Malta—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	2,576,099	920,180	(i 665,020)
Kerosene	do.	333,647	2,083,412	4,564,187
Fuel-oil	Long ton	6,338	2,751	(i 5,743)
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—				
Petroleum—				
Recorded by volume	Gallon	438,984	570,028	825,608
Recorded by weight	Long ton	44	126	68
Motor spirit—				
Recorded by volume	Gallon	—	181,368	361,176
Recorded by weight	Long ton	681	2	(i 8)
Fuel-oil	do.	1,479	5,013	10,749
Lubricating and other mineral oils	do.	708	651	944
Bitumen, tar and as- phalt	£	1,476	436	2,372
British Cameroons—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	5,915	9,708	7,197
Kerosene	do.	24,885	19,938	22,412
Gambia—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	39,131	46,865	45,883
Kerosene	do.	69,600	97,569	100,575
Fuel-oil	do.	(a)	(a)	17,918
Lubricating oil ..	do.	6,502	7,707	9,476
Gold Coast—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	1,054,181	1,703,537	1,826,845
Kerosene	do.	1,587,426	2,234,230	1,870,109
Fuel-oil	do.	41,838	122,806	223,378
Lubricating oil ..	do.	—	162,191	242,012
Asphalt—				
Tar	do.	91,630	135,094	281,203
Pitch	Long ton	(z)	5	17
Other	do.	(z)	5	6

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Kenya—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	452,370	954,926	939,521
Kerosene	do.	660,140	840,572	1,553,130
Fuel-oil	do.	2,499,827	2,605,537	3,365,351
Lubricating oil and greases	do.	154,414	298,081	350,244
Mauritius—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	(f) 307,094	601,784	954,477
Kerosene	do.	600,666	718,264	729,011
Nigeria—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	677,568	761,885	970,964
Kerosene	do.	2,646,353	2,555,392	3,192,532
Fuel-oil	do.	(a)	(a)	158,372
Lubricating oil	do.	(a)	(a)	217,419
Asphalt—				
Tar	do.	(u)	(u)	58,651
Pitch	Long ton	(v) 363	(v) 280	57
Other	do.	(a)	(a)	40
Nyasaland—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	82,818	111,194	154,532
Kerosene	do.	39,608	32,412	41,233
Lubricating oil	do.	12,400	13,917	18,021
Northern Rhodesia—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	22,774	19,686	62,353
Kerosene	do.	30,902	38,904	32,682
Lubricating oil	do.	20,101	29,537	23,874
Seychelles—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	1,315	3,206	1,814
Kerosene	do.	21,495	15,989	20,197
Southern Rhodesia—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	384,680	498,593	753,128
Kerosene	do.	204,473	251,242	240,212
Lubricating oil	do.	200,699	208,125	203,011
Other mineral oils	do.	(a)	21,274	23,097
Sierra Leone—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	53,617	53,476	80,763
Kerosene	do.	377,380	381,389	518,053
Fuel-oil	do.	(a)	(a)	5,103
Lubricating oil	do.	(a)	(a)	4,964
Asphalt—				
Tar	do.	(u)	(u)	18,877
Pitch	Long ton	(v) 50	(v) 39	8
Tanganyika Territory—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	11,987	58,815	103,861
Kerosene	do.	289,032	487,365	467,270
Fuel-oil	do.	3,182	10,687	31,535
Lubricating oil	do.	19,206	63,440	41,089

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Union of South Africa—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	10,754,358	14,557,253	18,693,764
Kerosene	do.	9,261,946	8,157,848	10,605,571
Fuel-oil	do.	(<i>r</i>)	(<i>r</i>)	2,695,201
Lubricating oil	do.	2,359,051	2,946,562	4,071,249
Other mineral oils	do.	1,291,557	2,048,838	28,903
Paraffin wax (<i>f</i>)	Long ton	8,601	9,083	7,996
Asphalt and bitumen	do.	2,935	1,795	12,394
Zanzibar—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	115,347	(<i>i</i> 9,084)	83,229
Kerosene	do.	540,176	277,884	846,970
Fuel-oil	do.	160,539	109,740	89,437
Lubricating oils and greases	do.	17,996	4,831	17,706
Canada (<i>c</i>)—				
Crude petroleum	Gallon	478,987,880	530,120,082	540,023,762
Petroleum imported by miners or mining companies for their own use	Gallon	17,672	40,960	153,973
Gasoline, under .725 specific gravity at 60°F.	do.	28,028,341	36,831,720	58,291,880
Other gasoline	do.	18,462,274	12,096,705	19,352,161
Refined coal-oil and kerosene	do.	3,431,332	4,398,821	5,474,153
Illuminating oils, composed wholly or in part of the products of petroleum, coal, shale or lignite	do.	100,807	32,616	2,997
Lubricating oils	do.	7,322,916	8,819,388	7,929,463
Other petroleum oils	do.	150,524	286,613	236,897
Vaseline and similar petroleum products	£	53,580	56,481	44,883
Axle-grease	Long ton	1,217	1,324	1,344
Paraffin wax and paraffin wax candles	do.	445	534	410
Asphalt, not solid, and asphaltic oil	£	23,587	8,535	10,842
Solid asphalt	Long ton	22,339	9,859	14,742
Other petroleum products	Gallon	1,618,439	1,398,208	1,330,064

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Newfoundland (e)—				
Crude petroleum ..	£	62	1,205	5,894
Gasoline and other light oils (f)	Gallon	1,306,858	475,929	1,498,018
Kerosene	do.	2,056,446	1,601,708	1,173,012
Lubricating oil ..	do.	69,113	143,308	225,662
British Guiana—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	5,764	39,293	12,989
Motor spirit	do.	540,416	460,124	554,180
Kerosene	do.	716,874	512,818	618,067
Fuel-oil	do.	165,792	117,226	200,043
Tar	do.	22,231	39,570	27,146
Pitch	Long ton	246	241	232
West Indies—				
Barbados—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	214,436	349,172	(a)
Kerosene	do.	359,425	343,298	(a)
Paraffin oil	do.	900	240	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	(£1,253)	—	(a)
Residual oil	Long ton	1,115	2,613	(a)
Grenada—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	33,833	31,898	39,594
Kerosene	do.	97,254	97,978	132,219
Lubricating oil ..	do.	3,830	3,139	4,668
Jamaica—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	1,105,406	1,234,526	1,588,045
Kerosene	do.	1,172,076	1,488,064	1,201,082
Gas-oil	do.	3,360	2,374	19,415
Fuel-oil	do.	37,884	51,547	
Lubricating oil ..	do.	126,495	149,886	171,876
Leeward Islands (g)—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	83,216	87,757	(a)
Kerosene	do.	214,781	196,680	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	156,425	128,146	(a)
Lubricating oil ..	do.	14,605	14,914	(a)
St. Lucia—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	14,597	16,442	17,218
Kerosene	do.	66,948	70,441	60,876
Lubricating oil ..	do.	5,547	3,345	2,172
St. Vincent—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	6,708	13,985	10,087
Motor spirit	do.	13,195	17,634	22,623
Kerosene	do.	39,637	40,556	43,222
Lubricating oil ..	do.	1,248	4,726	1,904

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
West Indies (Cont.)—				
St. Vincent (Cont.)—				
Asphalt—				
Tar	Gallon	704	646	3,501
Pitch	Long ton	1	3	2
Other	do.	1	1	1
Trinidad and Tobago—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	36,192	(i 26,513)	39,675
Refined petroleum, including kerosene	do.	53,166	124,909	161,362
Lubricating oil ..	do.	114,795	141,432	150,831
British Honduras—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	112,506	194,468	235,332
Kerosene	do.	378,890	395,415	403,514
Lubricating oil ..	£	3,250	4,286	7,003
Asphalt	£	247	255	237
Aden (c) (f) (bb)—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	252,216	203,920	(a)
Kerosene	do.	1,413,312	926,824	(a)
Fuel-oil	Long ton	69,231	167,401	(a)
Lubricating oil ..	Gallon	22,813	22,676	(a)
Other mineral oil ..	do.	553	2,149	(a)
British Borneo—				
Brunei—				
Kerosene	Gallon	31,368	39,496	42,456
Sarawak—				
Benzine	Gallon	13,398	21,294	28,340
Kerosene	do.	485,076	537,936	472,928
Lubricating oil ..	Long ton	159	276	301
Solar oil	Gallon	455	780	—
Ceylon—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	7,197,123	(l)32,055,378	(l)42,332,018
Motor spirit	do.	1,384,225	2,015,902	3,048,359
Kerosene	do.	7,032,612	5,770,626	5,460,220
Lubricating oil ..	do.	371,772	425,606	591,944
Cyprus—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	54,159	103,648	125,388
Motor spirit, etc. ..	do.	206,624	157,259	241,388
Kerosene, etc. ..	do.	653,360	501,942	492,722
Lubricating oil ..	Long ton	132	194	235
Paraffin wax	do.	50	39	31
Federated Malay States (f)				
Motor Spirit	Long ton	8,415	9,787	12,696
Kerosene	do.	15,107	16,105	17,360
Lubricating oil ..	Gallon	871,761	1,181,106	1,715,231

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
Hong Kong (f)—				
Benzine, gasoline, etc.	Gallon	975,732	1,143,531	1,723,884
Kerosene	do.	26,310,401	33,123,924	27,528,017
Fuel-oil	Long ton	86,515	140,117	210,110
Lubricating oil	Gallon	1,299,339	1,417,623	1,781,225
Other mineral oils	do.	—	4,735	17,681
Greases.. ..	Long ton	265	239	361
Paraffin wax	do.	7,729	8,465	9,634
Asphalt products	£	19,677	21,231	22,956
India (c)—				
By land (f)—				
Petroleum	Long ton	2	5	10
By sea—				
Benzine and other light oils (f)	Gallon	1,262	2,672	3,500
Kerosene	do.	50,280,202	66,274,682	71,979,920
Fuel-oil (f)	do.	62,547,239	80,460,112	90,174,307
Lubricating oil (f)	do.	18,060,221	16,147,146	20,704,796
Other mineral oils (f)	do.	1,979,795	3,337,336	4,412,710
Paraffin wax	Long ton	187	209	368
Asphalt	do.	6,959	7,262	9,373
Straits Settlements (g)—				
Benzine	Gallon	7,297,407	26,509,953	24,037,440
Kerosene	do.	15,220,056	20,580,176	20,068,930
Fuel-oil	Long ton	109,204	504,821	297,017
Lubricating oil	Gallon	1,311,318	3,089,861	4,288,879
Greases.. ..	Long ton	77	372	395
Paraffin wax	do.	780	1,020	1,356
Australia (e)—				
Crude petroleum	Gallon	50	8,316,161	25,243,864
Benzine and other light oils	do.	33,260,329	45,589,348	65,683,454
Kerosene	do.	15,399,352	21,457,287	21,359,678
Lubricating oil	do.	3,793,624	6,274,452	8,382,233
Residual and solar oils	do.	6,114,490	6,020,970	3,135,834
Petroleum jelly	Long ton	252	(£20,546)	(£19,406)
Greases	do.	517	1,114	1,637
Paraffin wax and candles (f)	do.	2,663	3,815	3,031
Mastic asphalt	do.	(£971)	574	697
Fiji Islands—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	369,319	314,266	284,468
Kerosene	do.	396,698	294,378	443,097
Lubricating oil	do.	25,954	39,360	46,196

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
New Zealand—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	216,596	385,843	69,610
Benzine and benzoline	do.	2,785,610	3,984,412	4,779,282
Gasoline and other light oils	do.	13,793,895	16,415,528	24,189,287
Kerosene	do.	4,097,146	5,123,776	5,069,223
Lubricating oil ..	do.	1,104,621	1,779,311	2,199,711
Residual oil	do.	224,068	458,059	14,594,715
Petroleum greases and mixtures	Long ton	24	87	86
Other refined mineral oils	Gallon	6,572	129,190	183,936
Paraffin wax	Long ton	1,758	1,925	1,888
Asphalt	do.	1,558	7,030	16,543
Solomon Islands (c)—				
Motor spirit	Gallon	79,771	78,192	(a)
Kerosene	do.	38,968	51,290	(a)
Lubricating oil ..	do.	5,674	7,419	(a)
Western Samoa—				
Motor spirit	£	12,100	12,841	6,032
Kerosene	do.	6,555	3,150	3,518
Lubricating oil ..	do.	2,457	1,676	1,349
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Austria (g)—				
Crude petroleum ..	Long ton	11,094	2,937	22,608
Benzine	do.	22,075	27,713	48,139
Kerosene	do.	23,406	21,780	26,907
Gas oil	do.	17,861	19,843	24,549
Lubricating oil ..	do.	(a)	9,028	12,234
Greases.. .. .	do.	165	73	94
Vaseline	do.	100	63	93
Ozokerite	do.	129	148	133
Paraffin wax	do.	3,054	2,324	3,196
Asphalt cement and mastic asphalt ..	do.	1,149	2,501	2,924
Belgium—				
Crude petroleum ..	Long ton	(o) 3	(n)	(n)
Refined petroleum ..	do.	(o) 41,046	(n)	(n)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Crude petroleum ..	Long ton	(k) 49	1,243	55
Refined petroleum ..	do.	(h) 40,430	101,897	142,464
Crude and refined kerosene	do.	(k) 55,220	101,350	83,951
Lubricating oil ..	do.	(h) 1,411	7,689	15,460

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union (Cont.)—				
Fuel-oil	Long ton	(h) 2,547	25,690	23,625
Other heavy oils	do.	(h) 63,697	65,535	67,320
Asphalt	do.	(h) 2,754	3,920	6,958
Czechoslovakia (f)—				
Crude mineral oils	Long ton	23,296	12,073	27,889
Refined light mineral oils	do.	52,251	16,583	5,780
Residual oil, including lubricating oil	do.	728	104	} 58,468
Refined heavy mineral oils	do.	6,605	18,171	
Paraffin wax	do.	1,017	1,928	
Ozokerite	do.	61	67	(a)
Asphalt and bitumen..	do.	1,748	1,928	(a)
Denmark—				
Benzine	Long ton	51,408	67,840	83,981
Kerosene	do.	74,703	88,308	80,165
Fuel-oil	do.	73,798	77,950	112,218
Lubricating oil	do.	7,305	(f) 16,900	19,622
Paraffin wax	do.	295	396	438
Asphalt rock	do.	3,288	4,929	5,721
Estonia—				
Crude petroleum	Long ton	2,271	3,962	2,386
Gasoline, etc.	do.	1,055	(a)	1,960
Kerosene	do.	7,171	10,417	12,745
Lubricating oils and greases	do.	2,314	1,954	2,077
Vaseline	do.	9	7	6
Paraffin wax	do.	192	214	102
Ozokerite and ceresin	do.	9	5	8
Asphalt tar	do.	145	(a)	116
Asphalt	do.	50	230	(a)
Finland (f)—				
Crude petroleum	Long ton	20,289	26,711	32,921
Benzine, gasoline and kerosene	do.	5,591	7,628	16,175
Lubricating oil	do.	7,756	7,134	9,972
Vaseline	do.	109	125	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	399	567	572
France—				
Crude petroleum and shale-oil—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	1,351	19	26
Recorded by volume	Gallon	138,094	267,806	127,314

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES(Cont.)				
France (Cont.)—				
Refined petroleum and shale-oil—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	244	62	4,975
Recorded by volume	Gallon	84,105,318	81,834,368	82,546,046
Light distillates of petroleum and shale-oil—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	765	21,457	44,394
Recorded by volume	Gallon	166,401,708	215,163,410	244,878,986
Greases and other heavy oils				
	Long ton	183,205	201,145	238,693
Vaseline	do.	80	104	172
Residual oil	do.	75,482	110,840	153,192
Residual asphalt	do.	1,683	5,142	5,634
Paraffin wax, including lignite wax				
	do.	2,944	4,880	8,140
Ozokerite	do.	294	249	321
Bitumen and asphalt	do.	45,488	49,868	60,566
Germany—				
Benzine—				
Crude	Long ton	77,930	38,158	65,635
Heavy	do.	53,050	57,901	72,175
Kerosene	do.	189,584	76,009	96,423
Gas-oil	do.	53,452	71,566	85,115
Lubricating oil	do.	284,939	152,799	246,652
Paraffin, crude or refined, also soft paraffin				
	do.	12,783	4,990	10,554
Crude ozokerite	do.	431	149	260
Refined ozokerite, ceresin in blocks, etc.				
	do.	67	34	95
Asphalt	do.	8,429	7,805	22,838
Greece—				
Petroleum	Long ton	10,755	9,266	(a)
Other mineral oil	do.	2,541	2,528	(a)
Benzine	do.	6,636	7,818	(a)
Italy—				
Crude mineral oils	Long ton	7,991	25,055	20,385
Benzine	do.	112,839	130,504	155,889
Kerosene	do.	97,540	112,244	115,769
Lubricating oil	do.	65,716	72,163	73,966
Other mineral, resinous and tar oils				
	do.	152,818	188,941	326,859
Vaseline	do.	145	213	215
Paraffin wax	do.	22,941	25,108	24,836
Ceresin	do.	35	38	82
Asphalt	do.	2,340	9,404	12,073

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Latvia—				
Petroleum	Long ton	6,286	8,494	12,636
Benzine	do.	365	590	1,130
Naphtha	do.	9,248	3,962	9,477
Lubricating oils and greases	do.	1,419	299	465
Asphalt	do.	183	99	247
Lithuania—				
Benzine	Long ton	(a)	759	(a)
Kerosene	do.	(a)	6,518	(a)
Netherlands—				
Benzine	Long ton	46,132	67,298	82,109
Kerosene	do.	168,063	193,363	221,634
Gas-oil	do.	49,989	61,611	70,092
Fuel-oil	do.	200,569	252,744	130,104
Lubricating oil	do.	24,357	31,429	37,610
Paraffin wax	do.	1,986	2,758	3,786
Ozokerite and ceresin	do.	180	181	195
Asphalt	do.			164
Other petroleum distillates and residues	do.	766	569	213
Natural asphalt	do.	3,232	4,972	5,167
Norway—				
Benzine and other light oils (f)	Long ton	20,944	28,140	33,612
Kerosene (f)	do.	126,389	120,942	148,213
Other mineral oils, greases, etc. (f)	do.	8,986	8,942	8,904
Asphalt, bitumen, etc..	do.	2,374	3,256	(f) 3,150
Poland—				
Crude petroleum	Long ton	69	217	132
Lubricating oils	do.	4,277	5,474	1,914
Residual oils	do.	780	8,879	(a)
Ceresin and ozokerite	do.	326	337	27
Vaseline and paraffin wax	do.	65	52	149
Asphalt rock	do.	(a)	(a)	221
Mastic asphalt	do.	(a)	(a)	705
Asphalt tar	do.	(a)	(a)	5,787
Other petroleum products.. ..	do.	89	178	(a)
Portugal—				
Gasoline	Long ton	(a)	8,679	(a)
Kerosene	do.	(a)	19,204	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	(a)	19,518	(a)
Other mineral oils	do.	(a)	11,561	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	(a)	1,287	(a)

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Rumania (f)—				
Crude petroleum	Long ton	(aa)	3	(aa)
Motor spirit	do.	30	13	10
Petroleum residues	do.	29	2	(aa)
Other mineral oils	do.	1,095	700	1,189
Vaseline and vaseline oil	do.	66	90	140
Paraffin wax	do.	1,322	1,766	1,917
Paraffin candles	do.	116	39	56
Ceresin and ozokerite ..	do.	137	132	108
Asphalt and bitumen ..	do.	124	78	241
Spain (f)—				
Crude and refined petroleum	Long ton	80,754	114,190	165,766
Lubricating oils	do.	17,456	23,569	22,236
Pitch and other residual products	do.	27,637	6,825	4,539
Paraffin wax	do.	7,578	6,234	(a)
Sweden—				
Crude and residual oils	Long ton	41,965	44,978	58,544
Benzine and gasoline	do.	55,876	84,771	93,105
Kerosene	do.	54,522	56,483	67,031
Lubricating oil	do.	19,070	23,983	28,658
Vaseline	do.	118	166	199
Other refined mineral oils	do.	3,492	3,937	3,633
Paraffin wax	do.	2,012	2,203	3,057
Ozokerite	do.	51	10	30
Asphalt	do.	7,383	10,460	9,926
Switzerland—				
Benzine and kerosene	Long ton	21,512	18,028	21,850
Petroleum distillation products and substitutes	do.	364	545	720
Fuel-oil	do.	23,698	28,281	35,806
Lubricating oil	do.	10,285	12,273	13,863
Vaseline	do.	218	214	188
Paraffin wax and ceresin	do.	1,080	976	1,368
Crude asphalt and bitumen	do.	856	1,183	1,873
Algeria—				
Refined petroleum and shale-oils	Gallon	3,029,334	3,439,062	(a)

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES(Cont.)				
Algeria (Cont.)—				
Light distillates of petroleum and shale-oils..	Gallon	5,240,246	6,885,186	13,784,100
Greases and other heavy oils	Long ton	5,785	6,340	10,293
Vaseline	do.	17	28	(a)
Residual oil	do.	127	1,312	(a)
Paraffin wax, including lignite wax	do.	56	61	(a)
Bitumen and asphalt ..	do.	—	172	(a)
Belgian Congo (f)—				
Motor spirit	Long ton	1,256	1,008	(a)
Kerosene	do.	853	1,051	(a)
Other mineral oils ..	do.	1,352	1,420	(a)
Canary Islands (m)—				
Gasoline	Gallon	555,450	640,508	906,988
Kerosene	do.	250,308	355,833	387,300
Gas-oil	Long ton	—	350	6,000
Fuel-oil	do.	100,000	148,000	139,000
Lubricating oil	Gallon	—	22,841	22,400
Egypt—				
Benzine—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	10,476	12,939	20,455
Recorded by volume	Gallon	(i 444,048)	(i 517,936)	(i 487,024)
Kerosene—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	140,188	160,563	176,491
Recorded by volume	Gallon	(i 2,786,344)	(i 1,383,528)	(i 2,503,340)
Fuel-oil (<i>Mazut</i>) ..	Long ton	82,009	78,426	80,202
Lubricating oil and greases	do.	7,972	9,460	11,253
Vaseline	do.	44	46	46
Paraffin wax	do.	158	279	177
Candles	do.	566	670	419
Asphalt or bitumen ..	do.	4,958	8,278	9,802
Tunis (f)—				
Refined petroleum and shale-oils	Gallon	3,069,000	2,645,522	3,349,258
Light distillates of petroleum and shale-oils	do.	1,179,000	1,600,258	1,949,112
Fuel-oil	Long ton	1,115	2,456	2,715
Vaseline	do.	7	10	8
Heavy oils and petroleum residues	do.	2,331	2,978	2,617
Paraffin wax	do.	22	37	48
Refined ozokerite ..	do.	1	(aa)	(aa)
Bitumen	do.	382	356	687

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Madagascar (f)—				
Gasoline	Long ton	308	} 1,744	2,045
Kerosene	do.	1,106		
Heavy oils and petroleum residues ..	do.	459	445	516
Cuba (f)—				
Crude mineral oils ..	Gallon	30,959,614	29,243,611	(a)
Benzine	do.	18,055	768	(a)
Gasoline	do.	249,470	3,687,109	(a)
Naphtha	do.	139	22,475	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	185,320,663	183,132,382	(a)
Other refined mineral oils	do.	3,861,729	4,455,236	(a)
Tar derived from petroleum	Long ton	313	698	(a)
Asphalt rock	do.	354	1,688	(a)
Dominican Republic (f)—				
Crude petroleum ..	£	71,654	43,659	(a)
Gasoline	do.	90,452	105,515	(a)
Kerosene	do.	49,063	43,890	(a)
Lubricating oil ..	do.	21,473	27,480	(a)
Other mineral oils ..	do.	19,042	10,703	(a)
United States—				
Crude petroleum ..	Gallon	4,449,924,450	2,859,164,590	2,709,262,878
Gasoline, naphtha and other light finished products (f) ..	do.	51,777,209	159,427,950	120,852,320
Kerosene (f)	do.	} 250,583,693	251,236	347,953
Topped oils, including fuel-oil (f)	do.		430,019,114	452,439,308
Tops and other unfinished distillates (f) ..	do.	} 1,015,944	25,040,145	12,560,723
Lubricating oil (f) ..	do.		376,656	
Paraffin and paraffin wax, excluding oil ..	Long ton	3,325	5,734	5,744
Mineral wax	do.	3,989	2,004	1,201
Asphalt and bitumen ..	do.	111,302	129,138	143,231
Argentina—				
Crude petroleum—				
For fuel	Long ton	623,838	675,088	673,496
For refining	do.	19,214	44,529	69,777
Unrefined benzine ..	Gallon	16,005	109,803	138,499
Naphtha	do.	34,859,241	38,981,532	52,176,709

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES(Cont.)				
Argentina (Cont.)—				
Kerosene—				
Recorded by weight	Long ton	207	116	163
Recorded by volume	Gallon	12,550,429	13,604,033	14,862,399
Gas-oil	Long ton	9,043	3,936	10,752
Fuel-oil	do.	1,191	14,203	11,900
Lubricating oil	do.	18,812	23,921	25,579
Vaseline	do.	249	308	301
Grease	do.	1,431	1,655	2,100
Paraffin wax	do.	3,546	4,046	5,058
Trinidad asphalt	do.	3,061	2,129	13,660
Asphalt for roofing	do.	404	491	736
Brazil (f)—				
Gasoline	Long ton	43,822	60,194	(a)
Benzine	do.	18	1	(a)
Kerosene	do.	80,582	84,350	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	149,532	159,151	(a)
Lubricating oil	do.	19,402	22,856	(a)
Vaseline	do.	137	147	(a)
Greases	do.	666	511	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	866	705	(a)
Asphalt	do.	3,094	3,932	(a)
Chile—				
Crude petroleum	Long ton	452,539	741,495	(a)
Benzine and other light oils	do.	10,304	11,646	(a)
Kerosene	do.	9,018	11,650	(a)
Lubricating oil	do.	140	168	(a)
Mineral oils for industrial use	do.	6,484	8,221	(a)
Vaseline	do.	64	67	(a)
Greases	do.	447	887	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	8,564	6,087	(a)
Crude asphalt	do.	1,010	1,310	(a)
Peru—				
Crude petroleum	Long ton	(a)	39,111	(a)
Benzine, naphtha, kerosene, etc.	do.	1,259	91	(a)
Lubricating oil	do.	657	2,650	(a)
Vaseline	do.	19	34	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	2,210	2,146	(a)

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES(Cont.)				
Venezuela—				
Kerosene	Long ton	(a)	(a)	2,692
China—				
Benzine and other light oils	Gallon	4,818,271	6,307,815	7,265,093
Kerosene	do.	174,326,752	179,029,724	186,005,920
Fuel-oil	Long ton	62,764	57,267	104,025
Lubricating oil	Gallon	6,306,790	7,499,880	9,129,302
Paraffin wax	Long ton	22,904	30,373	34,340
Dutch East Indies—				
Java and Madura (f)—				
Benzine and gasoline	Gallon	(a)	81,391	120,964
Kerosene	do.	2,762,264	15,189,594	6,533,639
Fuel-oil	do.	—	—	33,595
Lubricating oil	Long ton	4,681	6,288	7,506
Vaseline	do.	17	9	8
Greases	do.	96	193	218
Paraffin wax	do.	121	592	872
Candles	do.	3	13	13
Asphalt	do.	793	2,526	6,222
Other Islands (f)—				
Crude petroleum	Gallon	302,212	(a)	(a)
Benzine and gasoline	do.	2,098,186	773,934	(a)
Kerosene	do.	10,329,189	2,386,088	(a)
Fuel-oil	do.	2,414,612	15,015	(a)
Lubricating oil	Long ton	867	645	(a)
Vaseline	do.	4	5	(a)
Greases	do.	16	15	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	20	6	(a)
Candles	do.	2	4	(a)
Asphalt	do.	52	304	(a)
Japan (f)—				
Crude mineral oils	Gallon	19,720,963	39,316,717	64,983,927
Benzine	do.	9,863,541	10,703,435	18,211,581
Kerosene	do.	28,050,113	26,054,087	28,050,113
Mineral colza oil	do.	146,737	211,498	140,086
Other illuminating oils	do.	4,723,092	2,645,047	6,895,396
Other mineral oils	Long ton	15,056	33,767	45,910
Vaseline	do.	622	549	985
Paraffin wax	do.	18,560	18,763	21,774
Korea (f)—				
Kerosene	£	404,319	(p) 380,064	(a)
Lubricating and all other heavy mineral oils	do.	142,305	(p) 21,335	(a)
Paraffin wax	do.	(a)	(p) 11,295	(a)
Persia (b) (f)—				
Petroleum—				
Crude	Long ton	—	—	966
Refined	do.	19,251	22,766	24,720

IMPORTS OF PETROLEUM AND ALLIED PRODUCTS (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES(Cont.)				
Persia (b) (f) (Cont.)—				
Benzine	Long ton	342	396	954
Fuel and lubricating oils	do.	1,054	1,426	966
Philippine Islands—				
Crude mineral oil ..	Gallon	66,262,915	48,187,026	(£1,859,000)
Kerosene	do.	8,526,278	12,494,986	(£2,647,000)
Naphtha and other refined mineral oils..	do.	4,918,127	(j) 6,630,670	(£2,231,000)
Lubricating oil ..	do.	873,573	1,582,741	(£984,000)
Residual oils, including tar	Long ton	73	362	(a)
Asphaltum	do.	1,207	1,838	(a)
Siam (c) (d) (f)—				
Benzine	Gallon	593,800	611,694	1,192,001
Kerosene	do.	3,957,687	5,560,682	5,729,184
Fuel-oil	do.	2,478,407	3,459,689	3,994,094
Lubricating oil ..	do.	407,230	535,314	690,293
Syria (s)—				
Motor spirit	Long ton	2,605	5,787	5,909
Kerosene	do.	5,563	7,385	11,796
Candles	do.	258	138	181

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 20th March of the year stated.

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) The figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

(e) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(f) Total imports.

(g) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(h) Figures refer to the period, 24th June to 31st December.

(i) Excess of re-exports.

(j) Including gasoline and other motor spirit.

(k) Eight months only, May-December.

(l) Including imports for bunkering purposes.

(m) Imports into Las Palmas.

(n) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(o) Four months only, January-April.

(p) Imports from United States only.

(q) Total imports, including inter-presidency trade.

(r) Included with "Other mineral oils."

(s) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(t) Excluding imports of kerosene in cans into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

(u) Included with pitch.

(v) Including tar.

(z) Included with tar.

(aa) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(bb) Overseas trade only.

PHOSPHATES

PRODUCTION OF PHOSPHATE-ROCK

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (c)	170	27	—
India	1,340	4,762	6,426
Christmas Island (e) ..	99,352	70,433	125,122
Australia	3,888	1,000	532
New Zealand	3,128	2,383	1,600
Nauru Island (f)	311,650	450,924	471,000
Ocean Island (f)			
Total	420,000	530,000	605,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Belgium	55,927	54,704	(d)
France	131,412	77,000	(d)
Germany—			
Bavaria	4,341	2,927	(d)
Prussia	646	2,274	(d)
Norway (a)	—	218	339
Russia	13,913	20,712	19,698
Spain	6,388	5,310	6,638
Algeria	442,056	456,606	573,861
Egypt	59,252	24,962	86,457
Madagascar	5,126	(d)	(b) 722
Morocco	94,769	221,773	429,000
Tunis	1,927,000	2,319,000	2,825,500
Dutch West Indies (b) ..	55,177	84,475	98,856
United States	2,336,856	2,943,566	2,845,303
Chile (a)	492	—	(d)
French Indo-China	7,500	10,907	12,261
Japan	12,122	32,575	(d)
Angaur Island	45,474	60,276	(d)
Makatea (b)	70,203	73,037	88,171
New Caledonia	5,059	12,724	(d)
Total	5,300,000	6,400,000	7,200,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	5,700,000	6,900,000	7,800,000

(a) Apatite.

(b) Exports.

(c) Sales and shipments.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Exports from Straits Settlements.

(f) Exports during years ended 30th June of the year following that stated.

PRODUCTION OF SUPERPHOSPHATES
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924	
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom	} 661,800	{ 387,890	} 533,800	
Irish Free State				96,973
Canada				2,487
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Belgium	384,586	368,956	377,532	
Czechoslovakia	(a)	(a)	182,000	
Denmark	169,353	199,249	(a)	
France	2,098,560	2,179,537	2,265,102	
Germany	621,000	(a)	(a)	
Italy	790,000	1,080,000	1,320,000	
Netherlands	297,143	373,950	474,000	
Poland	65,294	97,348	87,536	
Portugal	96,900	98,000	98,000	
Russia	(a)	(c) 6,779	(c) 20,660	
Spain	454,114	552,823	685,025	
Sweden	123,556	152,709	(a)	
Algeria (b)	17,615	17,991	23,626	
United States	2,743,397	3,005,599	(d) 2,800,000	
Japan	503,558	499,151	(a)	

(a) Information not available.

(b) Exports.

(c) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

(d) Estimated.

PRODUCTION OF BASIC SLAG
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (a) ..	461,815	699,541	778,553
Canada	8,196	5,052	(b)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Belgium	470,000	342,474	435,695
France	602,000	575,600	930,054
Germany	1,114,000	472,000	(b)
Luxemburg	369,900	281,400	434,100
Poland	78,847	38,901	25,243
Spain	8,919	15,036	(b)
Sweden	7,140	4,466	(b)

(a) Years ended 30th September of the year stated.

(b) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF PHOSPHATES, ETC.
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Superphosphates	5,981	12,214	25,654
Basic slag	6,753	21,236	24,843
Canada (<i>j</i>)—			
Phosphate-rock	—	—	22
Straits Settlements (<i>h</i>) (<i>k</i>)—			
Phosphate-rock	99,352	70,433	125,122
Australia (<i>d</i>)—			
Phosphate-rock	645	—	1
Superphosphates	1,336	4	1
Gilbert and Ellis Islands (<i>d</i>)—			
Phosphate-rock	149,961	134,350	189,475
New Zealand—			
Superphosphates	80	501	921
Nauru and Ocean Islands (<i>e</i>)—			
Phosphate-rock	311,650	450,924	471,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>k</i>)—			
Phosphate-rock	—	1	36
Superphosphates	31	—	25
Basic slag	(<i>l</i>)	31	60
Belgium—			
Phosphate-rock	(<i>g</i>) 29,693	(<i>i</i>)	(<i>i</i>)
Superphosphates	(<i>g</i>) 146,903	(<i>i</i>)	(<i>i</i>)
Basic slag	(<i>g</i>) 40,245	(<i>i</i>)	(<i>i</i>)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Phosphate-rock	(<i>f</i>) 72,593	10,518	10,896
Superphosphates	(<i>f</i>) 118,259	265,311	226,441
Basic slag	(<i>f</i>) 387,032	521,379	766,130
Czechoslovakia (<i>c</i>)—			
Phosphate-rock	—	25	(<i>a</i>)
Superphosphates	212	10,033	6,174
Basic slag	371	20,968	(<i>b</i>) 11,003
Denmark—			
Superphosphates	257	8,353	14,666
Esthonia—			
Superphosphates	—	266	—
France—			
Phosphate-rock	15,204	4,577	3,909
Superphosphates	75,806	127,923	224,760
Basic slag	313,586	230,638	465,546

EXPORTS OF PHOSPHATES, ETC. (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Germany—			
Phosphate-rock	168	9	17
Superphosphates	13,663	17,816	22,238
Basic slag	3,135	6,337	20,277
Hungary—			
Superphosphates	—	—	5,539
Italy—			
Phosphate-rock	13	60	154
Basic slag	—	271	1,669
Netherlands—			
Phosphate-rock	175	1,357	1,509
Superphosphates	183,779	276,369	316,189
Basic slag	2,951	3,871	4,996
Norway—			
Phosphate-rock	658	—	(a)
Superphosphates	3,211	48	52
Poland—			
Phosphatic fertilizers ..	38,659	14,530	12,347
Rumania (c)—			
Superphosphates	2,809	6,484	8,803
Sweden—			
Phosphate-rock	—	200	10
Superphosphates	19,985	33,560	61,535
Basic slag	—	—	2
Switzerland—			
Superphosphates	8,064	17,614	21,350
Basic slag	—	1	—
Algeria—			
Phosphate-rock	519,802	552,889	787,875
Superphosphates	17,615	17,991	23,626
Basic slag	—	492	(a)
Egypt—			
Phosphate-rock	17,793	83,140	93,518
Superphosphates	20	(a)	(a)
Madagascar—			
Phosphate-rock	99	—	737
Morocco—			
Phosphate-rock	78,499	187,443	423,523
Tunis (c)—			
Phosphate-rock	2,090,271	2,216,369	2,250,648
Superphosphates	997	129	157

EXPORTS OF PHOSPHATES, ETC. (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Dutch West Indies—			
Phosphate-rock	55,177	84,475	98,856
United States—			
Phosphate-rock	719,294	827,551	818,773
Superphosphates	26,781	42,156	45,751
Japan—			
Phosphatic fertilizers ..	1,332	910	170
Makatea—			
Phosphate-rock	70,203	73,087	88,171

- (a) Information not available.
 (b) Including other slags.
 (c) Including re-exports.
 (d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.
 (e) Shipments during the years ended 30th June of the year following that stated.
 (f) Eight months only, May–December.
 (g) Four months only, January–April.
 (h) Entirely from Christmas Island.
 (i) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.
 (j) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.
 (k) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.
 (l) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

IMPORTS OF PHOSPHATES, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Phosphate-rock	371,361	330,081	342,569
Superphosphates	47,419	107,063	115,524
Basic slag	71,858	91,050	66,296
Mauritius—			
Superphosphates	686	673	1,491
Union of South Africa—			
Phosphate-rock	7,399	13,323	19,629
Superphosphates	12,534	21,421	38,293
Basic slag	2,947	7,163	12,751
Canada (b)—			
Phosphate-rock	10,272	15,150	9,332
Superphosphates	(£84,062)	25,738	40,836
Ceylon—			
Superphosphates	651	3,532	2,300
Basic slag	785	1,695	3,970
Australia (d)—			
Phosphate-rock	162,790	169,504	234,879
Superphosphates	52	50	64
New Zealand—			
Phosphate-rock	49,462	76,223	79,668
Superphosphates	100	255	10
Basic slag	16,128	35,300	39,003
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Phosphate-rock	952	5,348	5,311
Superphosphates	1,792	15,487	27,984
Basic slag	8,418	32,309	33,726
Belgium—			
Phosphate-rock	(c) 50,278	(g)	(g)
Superphosphates	(c) 23,384	(g)	(g)
Basic slag	(c) 5,001	(g)	(g)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Phosphate-rock	(h) 99,623	214,565	211,038
Superphosphates	(h) 9,757	32,400	51,623
Basic slag	(h) 30,473	32,538	79,782
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Phosphate-rock	30,954	104,713	125,562
Superphosphates	15,217	2,295	4,884
Basic slag	45,284	8,609	(i) 56,601

IMPORTS OF PHOSPHATES, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Denmark—			
Phosphate-rock	104,282	(f) 117,031	114,224
Superphosphates	80,176	(f) 99,422	120,340
Basic slag	13,805	11,680	21,570
Estonia—			
Superphosphates	8,747	13,890	14,404
Basic slag	1,274	1,413	2,427
Finland (f)—			
Phosphate-rock	5,580	10,121	16,011
Superphosphates	11,430	8,458	15,501
Basic slag	14,305	9,708	8,411
France—			
Phosphate-rock	1,150,557	1,304,492	1,308,395
Superphosphates	38,522	65,626	30,288
Basic slag	26,918	41,042	44,326
Germany—			
Phosphate-rock	373,497	215,324	266,937
Superphosphates	54,451	10,649	18,194
Basic slag	273,202	52,373	509,291
Hungary—			
Superphosphates	(a)	(a)	2,113
Italy—			
Phosphate-rock	561,496	667,905	798,495
Basic slag	31,507	67,671	86,369
Latvia—			
Superphosphates	6,149	19,480	27,707
Basic slag	3,730	11,490	16,023
Netherlands—			
Phosphate-rock	168,941	219,922	275,389
Superphosphates	115,609	79,569	74,477
Basic slag	241,908	283,782	317,462
Norway—			
Phosphate-rock	3,146	21	(f) 5,564
Superphosphates	14,186	23,723	(f) 28,760
Basic slag	9,198	18,182	(f) 23,673
Poland—			
Phosphatic fertilizers ..	55,873	90,596	126,727
Portugal—			
Phosphate-rock	(a)	14,357	(a)
Superphosphates	(a)	18,589	(a)
Rumania (f)—			
Phosphate-rock	15	312	176

IMPORTS OF PHOSPHATES, ETC. (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Russia—			
Superphosphates	3,693	81	(a)
Spain (f)—			
Phosphate-rock	244,466	345,036	373,503
Superphosphates and basic slag	70,080	112,364	143,703
Sweden—			
Phosphate-rock	70,144	92,549	106,926
Superphosphates	12,072	8,184	12,986
Basic slag	1,689	6,550	2,666
Switzerland—			
Superphosphates	1,746	11,973	14,932
Basic slag	63,378	95,863	115,652
Algeria—			
Phosphate-rock	—	4	(a)
Superphosphates	10,491	16,078	22,860
Basic slag	727	98	(a)
Egypt—			
Superphosphates	10,211	(f) 22,154	(f) 42,453
Tunis (f)—			
Superphosphates	8,202	6,622	16,310
United States—			
Phosphate-rock	5,980	6,725	16,098
Other crude phosphates, excluding bone phosphates	40	361	1,861
Basic slag	324	5,795	703
Dutch East Indies (f)—			
Phosphate-rock and superphosphates	7,174	6,255	(a)
Japan (f)—			
Phosphate-rock	282,820	(j) 154,425	278,787

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Four months only, January–April.

(d) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(e) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(f) Total imports.

(g) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(h) Eight months only, May–December.

(i) Including other slags.

(j) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

PLATINUM

PRODUCTION OF PLATINUM METALS FROM PLACERS (a)

(Crude troy ounces)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (a)	12	7	(f) 5
New South Wales	80	586	646
Tasmania (d)	1,174	673	365
Papua (c)	56	145	(b)
Total	1,400	1,400	1,100
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Russia	22,383	38,000	(b)
United States (a) (e)	1,008	609	335
Colombia	45,448	48,348	51,530
Japan	150	224	(b)
Philippine Islands	1	13	(b)
Total	69,000	87,000	90,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	70,000	88,000	90,000

(a) Platinum metals are also obtained as by-products in the refining of copper and nickel-copper mattes and in the treatment of gold ores. Information available regarding this production is given in the following tables.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Exports of osmiridium during years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(d) Osmiridium.

(e) Domestic crude platinum purchased by refiners was as follows:—

1922	1,058 troy ounces.
1923	800 " "
1924	192 " "

(f) Fine ounces.

RECOVERY OF OSMIRIDIUM BY THE GOLD MINES IN THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA

Year	Troy ounces
1922	762
1923	1,784
1924	4,107

RECOVERY OF PLATINUM METALS BY NICKEL-COPPER REFINERIES
TREATING ONTARIO NICKEL-COPPER MATTE.
(Troy ounces)

Year	Platinum	Palladium	Rhodium Ruthenium, Osmium and Iridium (a)	Total
1922 ..	4,802	6,862	124	11,788
1923 ..	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
1924 ..	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)

(a) Excluding small recoveries by the Mond Nickel Company, Limited.
(b) Information not available.

PRODUCTION OF PLATINUM METALS BY CANADIAN AND UNITED STATES
REFINERIES FROM CANADIAN MATTES AND RESIDUES
(Troy ounces)

Year	Platinum	Palladium	Other Platinum Metals
1922	176	341	125
1923	1,210	1,732	304
1924	9,181	8,923	593

RECOVERY OF PLATINUM BLACK AT THE ROYAL OTTAWA MINT.
(Troy ounces)

Year	Platinum Black
1922	12
1923	5
1924	(a)

(a) Information not available.

NEW PLATINUM AND ALLIED METALS RECOVERED BY REFINERS
IN THE UNITED STATES (a)
(Troy ounces)

Year	Platinum	Palladium	Iridium	Osmiri- dium	Other Platinum Metals
1922 ..	54,142	1,943	210	1,301	122
1923 ..	46,780	1,934	280	787	16
1924 ..	57,827	6,065	680	1,261	174

(a) Recovered in the refining of domestic and foreign crude platinum-gold bullion, nickel and copper.

EXPORTS OF PLATINUM.
(Domestic Produce)
(Troy ounces)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Unrefined platinum ..	830	588	186
Refined platinum	1,435	26	13,707
Alloys, including dental platinum	98	32	102
Canada (b)—			
Platinum content of concen- trates, etc.	34	483	438
Scrap	80	196	196
Australia (c)—			
Ores of platinum, iridium, palladium, etc.	(60 cwt.) 1,907	—	—
Bars, blocks, rods, plates, etc.	1,907	1,440	1,101
Papua (c)—			
Osmiridium	56	145	(d)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Sheets	—	—	257
Belgium—			
Unwrought platinum ..	(a) 32	(f)	(f)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Unwrought platinum ..	(e) 96	(£1,844)	(d)
Denmark—			
Platinum	96	257	—
France—			
Unwrought platinum ..	4,051	2,411	1,350
Sheets	772	739	(d)
Drawn or rolled platinum ..	3,183	3,247	2,218
Wire	1,640	514	675
Germany—			
Platinum and platinum al- loys, including scrap ..	4,102	3,681	4,961
Netherlands—			
Unwrought platinum ..	(£800)	—	(d)
Poland (h) —			
Sheets and wire	(d)	(d)	3

EXPORTS OF PLATINUM (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Sweden—			
Unwrought platinum ..	4,810	4,345	1,314
Switzerland—			
Unwrought platinum ..	770	450	418
United States—			
Unwrought platinum ..	1,456	1,151	5,854
Colombia—			
Platinum	45,299	48,193	(<i>d</i>)

(*a*) Four months only, January–April.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*d*) Information not available.

(*e*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*f*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*g*) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(*h*) Including re-exports.

IMPORTS OF PLATINUM.

*(Less Re-exports)**(Troy ounces)*

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Unrefined platinum ..	6,080	7,327	9,799
Refined platinum	2,092	13,499	34,923
Alloys, including dental platinum	596	15	738
Canada (b)—			
Bars, strips, sheets, plates and wire	(£19,726)	(£35,566)	(£30,300)
Crucibles	(£729)	(£3,188)	(£1,624)
Retorts, pans, condensers, piping, etc., imported by manufacturers of sulphuric acid	(£160)	(£8,961)	—
Australia (c) (d)—			
Bars, blocks, rods, plates, etc.	124	101	78
Retorts, pans, condensers and cylinders (f <i>Australian</i>)	(£884)	(£800)	(£398)
New Zealand—			
Blocks, bars and rods, etc.	21	42	20
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (j)—			
Sheets	—	386	675
Belgium—			
Unwrought platinum ..	(h) 96	(f)	(f)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Unwrought platinum ..	(g) 161	354	965
Denmark—			
Platinum	—	(l 418)	(l 129)
Finland (c)—			
Unwrought platinum, includ- ing sheets and wire ..	23	10	(e)
France—			
Ore	—	836	—
Unwrought platinum and scrap	5,208	4,726	15,432
Drawn or rolled platinum..	—	96	32
Wire	129	161	161
Germany—			
Platinum and platinum alloys, including scrap ..	6,128	4,311	8,896
Netherlands—			
Unwrought platinum ..	—	2,263	£5,200

IMPORTS OF PLATINUM (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Norway—			
Unwrought platinum ..	6	—	(<i>e</i>)
Wire	225	251	(<i>e</i>)
Poland (<i>c</i>)—			
Unwrought platinum ..	} 15	} 69	} 2
Sheets and wire			
Rumania (<i>c</i>)—			
Crude platinum and scrap..	—	29	—
Refined platinum in bars ..	11	375	2,039
Sweden—			
Unwrought platinum ..	2,039	1,619	(<i>k</i>)
Switzerland—			
Unwrought platinum ..	64	322	322
Egypt—			
Platinum	396	11	(<i>c</i>) 117
Cuba—			
Dust and bars	125	(£74)	(<i>e</i>)
Ingots	3	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>e</i>)
United States—			
Platinum ore (<i>a</i>)	3,638	4,139	1,890
Unwrought platinum, including plates, etc. ..	(<i>†</i>) 94,591	86,417	95,713
Iridium, osmium, palladium, etc.	15,041	20,117	15,629
Brazil (<i>c</i>)—			
Ingots, sheets and wire ..	214	181	(<i>e</i>)
Chile—			
Bars and sheets	6	—	(<i>e</i>)
Platinum chloride	3	53	(<i>e</i>)
Japan (<i>c</i>)—			
Platinum	724	2,570	43

(*a*) Platinum content.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Total imports.

(*d*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*e*) Information not available.

(*f*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*g*) Eight months only, May-December.

(*h*) Four months only, January-April.

(*i*) Figure refers to the period, 1st January-21st September.

(*j*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*k*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ troy ounce.

(*l*) Excess of re-exports.

POTASH MINERALS

PRODUCTION OF POTASH (Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924	K ₂ O Content		
				1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE						
Canada (a)—						
Natro-alunite ..	45	13	—	(c)	(c)	—
India—						
Nitrate	11,673	8,716	8,543	4,669	3,486	3,417
Australia—						
Alunite	280	998	1,008	23	81	88
Total ..				4,700	3,600	3,500
FOREIGN COUNTRIES						
France—						
Sylvinite—						
12-16 per cent.	347,120	402,957	1,042,859	208,272	244,707	267,259
20-22 per cent.	320,220	344,416				
30-40 per cent.	68,550	109,735				
Sylvite—						
50 per cent. and above	126,435	153,617				
Germany (a)—						
Crude salts ..	11,597,979	11,032,102	8,284,000	1,274,723	871,698	871,700
Italy—						
Leucite	17,700	8,588	15,349	(c)	(c)	(c)
Alunite	—	133	838	—	14	(c)
Poland—						
Kainite	2,479	21,764	80,000	15,234	28,940	21,861
Sylvite	42,862	38,742				
Spain—						
Nitrate	(c)	75	25	(c)	50	16
United States—						
Crude salts—						
Mineral ..	16,331	28,798	29,301	8,321	16,055	17,316
Organic ..	6,147	6,049	9,734	2,138	1,994	3,127
China (b)—						
Nitrate	485	471	578	(c)	(c)	(c)
Japan—						
Alunite	1,159	18,957	(c)	100	(c)	(c)
Total ..				1,512,000	1,165,000	1,185,000
WORLD'S TOTAL				1,517,000	1,169,000	1,189,000

(a) The figures given for K₂O content refer to sales.

(b) Exports.

(c) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF POTASH
(*Domestic Produce*)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Kainite and other potash fertilizer salts	17	217	584
Nitrate	742	766	902
Carbonate	230	102	85
Caustic and lyes	27	55	45
Chlorate	171	140	170
Chloride	16	12	106
Chromate and bichromate	1,161	1,896	1,755
Cyanide	27	81	63
Ferro- and ferri-cyanides ..	47	367	292
Iodide	83	70	65
Permanganate	46	19	15
Sulphate	602	116	123
Other compounds	169	225	169
Nigeria—			
Potash	91	102	112
Sierra Leone—			
Potash	—	—	1
Canada (c)—			
Crude potash	11	96	5
Aden (c) (d)—			
Compounds	365	517	(a)
Hong Kong (d)—			
Nitrate	1,483	1,153	1,309
Chlorate	479	703	929
India (c)—			
By land (d)—			
Nitrate	5	2	15
By sea—			
Nitrate	10,597	7,811	8,163
Other compounds	1	(f)	—
Straits Settlements (e)—			
Nitrate	320	321	211
Australia (g)—			
Alunite	1,535	3,980	1,643
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Potash fertilizer salts ..	118	1,288	29
Nitrate	163	7	114
Bicarbonate, including sodium bicarbonate ..	1,838	1,014	949

EXPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Austria (<i>e</i>) (<i>Cont.</i>)—			
Carbonate	39	8	6
Caustic	11	2	1
Chlorate, including sodium chlorate	370	440	411
Chloride	13	3	13
Ferro- and ferri-cyanides ..	96	65	121
Permanganate, including sodium permanganate ..	5	27	5
Sulphate	(<i>f</i>)	1	22
Czechoslovakia (<i>d</i>)—			
Nitrate	7	24	(<i>a</i>)
Carbonate	1,463	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Bicarbonate, including sodium bicarbonate ..	10	6	(<i>a</i>)
Caustic	3,180	2,230	(<i>a</i>)
Chlorate, including sodium chlorate	14	17	(<i>a</i>)
Chloride	548	409	(<i>a</i>)
Chromate and bichromate including those of sodium	194	(<i>f</i>)	267
Manganate and permangan- ate, including those of sodium	900	498	(<i>a</i>)
Potash	383	209	(<i>a</i>)
Chlorate, including sodium chlorate	(<i>f</i>)	67	(<i>a</i>)
Sulphate	562	276	(<i>a</i>)
Bisulphate	16	30	(<i>a</i>)
Sulphide, including sodium sulphide	535	308	314
Denmark—			
Caustic (liquid)	2	—	1
Chromate	25	5	—
Finland—			
Chlorate	435	860	908
France—			
Kainite and sulphate of magnesium and potassium	17,050	21,525	29,881
Chloride—			
Carnallite, sylvinite, etc.	572,793	621,316	642,900
Other	35,356	28,174	40,612
Nitrate—			
Natural	1,026	3,507	3,712
Synthetic	443	561	793

EXPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
France (<i>Cont.</i>)—			
Alunite	15	1	17
Arsenate	6	14	7
Carbonate	517	453	1,010
Caustic	1,102	640	1,406
Chromate and bichromate, including those of sodium	14	9	11
Cyanide	2	15	5
Ferro-cyanide and sulpho- cyanide	401	156	214
Permanganate	9	14	20
Sulphate	1,788	3,528	1,400
Sulphite and bisulphite	43	61	89
Tartrates	7,675	10,130	9,563
Germany—			
Potash and other waste salts	898,425	964,792	676,367
Nitrate	11,922	9,917	11,551
Potash, including wool yolk ash	10,421	14,620	14,544
Caustic	27,572	29,518	21,430
Chloride	158,065	121,764	108,999
Ferro-cyanide and ferri- cyanide of potassium, cyanide of potassium, also ferro-cyanide of sodium	520	439	476
Manganate and permanga- nate	873	1,745	996
Sulphate	83,850	114,614	93,445
Sulphate of magnesium and potassium	40,944	43,865	33,368
Italy—			
Nitrate	17	6	3
Caustic	21	10	11
Carbonate	(f)	13	16
Chlorate and perchlorate, including those of sodium and ammonium	1,344	1,379	179
Silicate, including sodium silicate	59	145	278
Sulphide, including sodium sulphide	4	4	11
Netherlands—			
Potash fertilizer salts	223	1,997	2,891
Kainite and carnallite	30	95	53

EXPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Netherlands (<i>Cont.</i>)—			
Caustic	39	26	25
Chloride	920	1,383	1,453
Nitrate, refined	784	975	2,944
Sulphate, including sulphate of magnesium and potas- sium	356	1,453	1,243
Other compounds	3,212	1,758	1,700
Norway—			
Chlorate	70	—	2
Poland (<i>d</i>)—			
Stassfurt salts	498	712	1,380
Nitrate	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	15
Carbonate	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	183
Caustic	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	10
Chromate and bichromate, including those of sodium	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	4
Cyanides, including those of sodium	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	3
Russia (<i>d</i>)—			
Potash	2,403	1,516	(<i>a</i>)
Sweden—			
Stassfurt salts	—	—	3
Nitrate	1	6	(<i>f</i>)
Carbonate	24	4	13
Caustic, including caustic soda	672	384	267
Chlorate, including sodium chlorate	1,915	2,322	1,964
Chloride	141	—	(<i>f</i>)
Chromate and bichromate, including those of sodium	6	2	3
Cyanide, including sodium cyanide	(<i>f</i>)	2	1
Sulphate	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Switzerland—			
Crude potash	1	—	(<i>f</i>)
Nitrate, including sodium nitrate	1	(<i>f</i>)	—
Caustic, including caustic soda—			
Liquid	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Solid	4	74	503
Chromate, cyanide, ferri- cyanide, ferro-cyanide, sulpho-cyanide and per- manganate	1	2	(<i>a</i>)

EXPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
United States—			
Bichromate	1,978	1,457	522
Chlorate	251	89	253
Other potash	3,341	2,023	943
China—			
Potash	485	471	578
Japan—			
Chlorate	1,279	429	350
Iodide	4	1	3

(a) Information not available.

(b) Included with "Other compounds."

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) Including re-exports.

(e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(f) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(g) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

IMPORTS OF POTASH
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Kainite and other potash fertilizer salts	163,510	174,504	177,775
Nitrate	7,104	6,715	5,165
Carbonate	2,410	1,553	2,853
Caustic and lyes	3,216	3,934	3,968
Chlorate	808	1,186	1,012
Chloride	19,767	13,976	18,666
Chromate and bichromate	66	15	38
Cyanide	47	85	20
Ferro- and ferri-cyanide ..	306	248	282
Iodide	—	—	(b)
Permanganate	46	147	236
Sulphate	8,185	5,238	8,507
Other compounds	162	162	363
Mauritius—			
Nitrate	1,406	3,880	2,426
Nigeria—			
Iodide	8	7	10
Southern Rhodesia—			
Nitrate	7	7	6
Cyanide	7	(b)	(c)
Other compounds	3	4	6
Union of South Africa—			
Potash fertilizer salts ..	807	2,250	3,228
Nitrate	148	95	95
Cyanide	140	320	331
Other compounds	396	341	374
Canada (d)—			
Kainite and other crude Ger- man potash fertilizer salts	1,277	5	4
Crude chloride	10,955	5,296	8,694
Crude sulphate	190	271	222
Nitrate	386	578	660
Bicarbonate	5	7	8
Bichromate	53	26	116
Caustic	128	148	97
Chlorate, not further pre- pared than ground	643	578	366
Ferro- and ferri-cyanides ..	29	9	13
Potash and pearl ash	69	97	53
Other compounds	107	119	159
Aden (d) (f)—			
Compounds	502	579	(a)

IMPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Ceylon—			
Kainite	824	500	850
Nitrate refuse	3,025	2,573	3,329
Chloride—			
Sylvite	3,383	3,584	4,520
Sylvinite	769	907	703
Sulphate	948	354	1,239
Hong Kong (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate	2,708	1,519	1,467
Chlorate	707	839	1,176
India (<i>d</i>)—			
By land (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate	34	157	60
By sea—			
Nitrate	2	1	(<i>a</i>)
Bichromate	234	275	257
Chlorate	236	384	690
Cyanide	(<i>b</i>)	2	12
Other compounds ..	89	77	177
Straits Settlements (<i>e</i>)—			
Nitrate	414	287	244
Australia (<i>h</i>)—			
Nitrate	279	386	328
Bichromate	26	13	29
Carbonate and pearl ash ..	36	18	225
Caustic	87	156	85
Chlorate	226	200	218
Cyanides, including sodium cyanide	611	531	815
Permanganate	10	12	16
Other compounds	89	72	72
New Zealand—			
Kainite	3,918	4,475	2,721
Nitrate	86	90	103
Chloride	65	10	1
Cyanide, including sodium cyanide	108	456	162
Potash and caustic potash..	22	78	84
Sulphate	707	986	763
Other compounds	394	530	1,672
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>e</i>)—			
Potash fertilizer salts ..	19,975	18,374	14,070
Nitrate	145	200	498

IMPORTS OF POTASH (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Austria (e) (Cont.)—			
Bicarbonate, including			
sodium bicarbonate ..	(b)	65	8
Carbonate	394	504	492
Caustic	134	299	291
Chlorate, including sodium			
chlorate	278	140	121
Chloride	1,167	949	520
Ferro- and ferri-cyanide ..	6	22	15
Permanganate, including			
sodium permanagnate ..	100	204	117
Sulphate	(a)	61	92
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Nitrate	74	128	600
Carbonate	26	(a)	(a)
Bicarbonate, including			
sodium bicarbonate ..	248	329	(a)
Caustic	2	2	(a)
Chlorate, including sodium			
chlorate	65	285	(a)
Chloride	3,848	6,413	(a)
Chromate and bichromate,			
including those of sodium	30	201	(a)
Manganate and permangan-			
ate	1	1	(a)
Potash	48	23	(a)
Cyanide, including sodium			
cyanide	92	125	(a)
Sulphate	12	89	(a)
Sulphide, including sodium			
sulphide	72	81	(a)
Denmark—			
Kainite	2,217	2,778	3,006
Other potash fertilizer salts	24,861	39,758	44,742
Nitrate	527	948	1,057
Caustic—			
Liquid	228	838	1,275
Solid	1,275	1,030	752
Chlorate	89	87	116
Chloride	162	128	52
Chromate	9	14	19
Cyanide	7	7	9
Potash	701	763	582
Sulphate and bi-sulphate ..	17	3	16
Sulphurated salts, including			
those of sodium	337	381	372
Other compounds	16	3	16

IMPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Estonia—			
Potash fertilizer salts ..	1,804	1,808	3,488
Chloride	38	38	—
Nitrate	19	19	8
Potash	49	54	19
Other compounds	6	—	3
Finland (<i>f</i>)—			
Potash salts from salt pits	11,451	12,607	13,239
Borate	4	4	(<i>a</i>)
Carbonate	238	97	(<i>a</i>)
Chlorate	129	165	(<i>a</i>)
Chloride	618	960	(<i>a</i>)
Chromate and bichromate	51	70	(<i>a</i>)
Nitrate	20	39	(<i>a</i>)
Phosphate, including phos- phate of sodium and ammonium	1	2	(<i>a</i>)
Sulphide, including sodium sulphide, etc.	393	239	(<i>a</i>)
France—			
Kainite and sulphate of mag- nesium and potassium ..	309	5	41
Chloride—			
Carnallite, sylvinit, etc.	15	97	109
Other	1,282	640	403
Nitrate—			
Natural	158	—	10
Synthetic	476	156	146
Alunite	1,623	—	1,772
Carbonate	2,326	2,957	3,403
Caustic	1,088	1,042	1,118
Chromate and bichromate, including those of sodium	2,684	3,242	4,570
Cyanide	13	12	4
Ferro-cyanide and sulpho- cyanide	34	210	65
Permanganate	26	113	1
Sulphate	2,235	3,292	4,964
Germany—			
Potash and other waste salts	208	17	73
Nitrate	550	16	91
Potash, including wool yolk ash	14	3	49
Caustic	213	374	54

IMPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Germany (<i>Cont.</i>)—			
Ferro-cyanide and ferri- cyanide of potassium, cyanide of potassium, also ferro-cyanide of sodium ..	13	3	123
Manganate and perman- ganate	759	242	—
Sulphate	99	—	52
Sulphate of magnesium and potassium	2	45	(a)
Greece—			
Nitrate	49	85	106
Potash	164	180	(a)
Hungary—			
Potash fertilizer salts ..	(a)	(a)	822
Italy—			
Nitrate	1,347	1,405	1,673
Carbonate	474	468	994
Caustic	850	1,015	1,201
Chromate and bichromate including those of sodium and ammonium	225	194	362
Hypochlorite, including hypochlorites of sodium..	51	2	12
Sulphide, including sodium sulphide	2,182	2,531	2,301
Latvia—			
Stassfurt salts	542	2,036	4,845
Kainite	673	98	542
Netherlands—			
Potash fertilizer salts ..	241,506	217,552	240,263
Kainite and carnallite ..	155,595	123,382	94,251
Caustic	416	421	536
Chloride	3,527	1,498	4,545
Nitrate, refined	954	269	299
Sulphate, including sulphate of magnesium and potas- sium	34,208	31,093	32,072
Other compounds	2,400	1,893	1,578
Norway—			
Kainite and other potash salts	14,714	16,569	20,574
Caustic	891	1,226	930
Chlorate (f)	266	93	(a)
Chloride	104	283	(a)
Nitrate (f)	82	154	(a)
Potash	1,148	864	606

IMPORTS OF POTASH (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Poland (f)—			
Potash fertilizer salts ..	61,163	111,024	33,336
Nitrate	(i) 34,466	(i) 41,999	360
Bicarbonate, including sodium bicarbonate ..	(a)	(a)	1,147
Bisulphate, including sodium bisulphate ..	(a)	(a)	42
Carbonate	(a)	(a)	345
Caustic	(a)	(a)	125
Chlorate	(a)	(a)	46
Chloride	(a)	(a)	342
Chromate and bichromate, including those of sodium	(a)	(a)	308
Cyanides, including those of sodium	(a)	(a)	4
Silicates, including those of sodium	(a)	(a)	263
Sulphate	(a)	(a)	332
Sulphite and bisulphite, including those of sodium	(a)	(a)	264
Tartrate	(a)	(a)	3
Portugal—			
Alunite	(a)	67	(a)
Chlorate	(a)	103	(a)
Chlorite	(a)	414	(a)
Sulphate	(a)	103	(a)
Other compounds	(a)	38	(a)
Rumania (f)—			
Nitrate	73	42	15
Carbonate and bicarbonate	33	83	29
Caustic	67	80	50
Chromate and bichromate	77	155	103
Chlorate	330	251	96
Cyanide	1	6	4
Iodide	1	2	2
Manganate and perman- ganate	12	5	3
Russia (f)—			
Nitrate	5,581	17,903	(a)
Spain (f)—			
Carbonate	423	212	(a)
Caustic, including caustic soda	803	1,452	(a)

IMPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Spain (<i>f</i>) (<i>Cont.</i>)—			
Chlorate, including sodium chlorate	10	3	(<i>a</i>)
Permanganate	13	2	(<i>a</i>)
Sulphate and chloride of potassium and other salts, including sodium salts ..	13,012	15,430	(<i>a</i>)
Sweden—			
Stassfurt salts—			
Potash salts (20%) ..	45,919	34,599	36,698
Kainite (12%)	(<i>g</i>)	64	25
Potash fertilizer (37%) ..	6	} 25,214	33,827
Other kinds	30,320		
Nitrate	257	280	368
Carbonate	1,356	1,543	1,195
Caustic, including caustic soda	5,571	5,225	3,918
Chloride	2,401	3,125	4,864
Chromate and bichromate, including those of sodium	109	228	177
Cyanide, including sodium cyanide	23	32	35
Sulphate	42	81	14
Switzerland—			
Crude potash	228	408	398
Nitrate, including sodium nitrate	334	464	382
Caustic, including caustic soda—			
Liquid	345	694	480
Solid	5,612	7,215	2,133
Chromate, cyanide, ferri-cyanide, ferro-cyanide, sulpho-cyanide and permanganate	85	180	242
Algeria—			
Potash salts	2,271	6,187	8,442
Egypt—			
Nitrate	2	2	(<i>f</i>) 2
Bichromate, including sodium bichromate ..	278	371	381

IMPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Tunis (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate	1	57	2
Carbonate	103	5	65
Chlorate	1	7	6
Chloride	108	98	148
Silicate, including sodium silicate	12	51	156
Sulphate	61	144	20
Tartrates	4	32	5
United States—			
Kainite (<i>f</i>)	149,857	164,161	154,954
Chloride	159,752	135,314	128,030
Nitrate (<i>f</i>)	2,399	2,747	689
Carbonate, including crude	4,386	4,877	2,698
Cyanide (<i>f</i>)	1,250	1,100	1,303
Sulphate	57,680	63,343	75,589
Other compounds	21,350	23,948	19,847
Argentina—			
Nitrate	94	188	131
Bichromate	56	74	108
Carbonate	99	5	50
Caustic	63	32	50
Chlorate	226	373	151
Cyanide	5	4	6
Iodide	6	6	7
Permanganate	4	7	9
Other compounds	66	75	92
Brazil (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate	1,049	1,512	(<i>a</i>)
Caustic	4	6	(<i>a</i>)
Potash and soda ash	8,156	6,705	(<i>a</i>)
Chile—			
Potash fertilizer salts	51	162	(<i>a</i>)
Nitrate	(<i>b</i>)	17	(<i>a</i>)
Bicarbonate	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Bichromate	120	30	(<i>a</i>)
Carbonate	23	2	(<i>a</i>)
Caustic	1	1	(<i>a</i>)
Chlorate	120	111	(<i>a</i>)
Cyanide	12	7	(<i>a</i>)
Ferro-cyanide	1	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Silicate	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Tartrate	1	1	(<i>a</i>)
Other compounds	120	126	(<i>a</i>)

IMPORTS OF POTASH (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Peru—			
Cyanide, carbonate, chloride and other compounds ..	90	666	(a)
China—			
Nitrate	2,133	840	1,536
Dutch East Indies (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate	142	130	(a)
Sulphate	69	(a)	(a)
Japan (<i>f</i>)—			
Nitrate	1,268	522	1,188
Bichromate	1,405	946	808
Bromide	106	53	83
Chlorate	1,756	2,441	2,422
Cyanide, including sodium cyanide	228	576	420
Sulphate	7,370	4,784	12,710
Philippine Islands—			
Chlorate	7	12	(a)
Syria (<i>j</i>)—			
Potash	75	83	129

(a) Information not available.

(b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(c) Excess of re-exports amounting to 536 lb.

(d) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(e) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(f) Total imports.

(g) Included with "Other compounds."

(h) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(i) Including ammonium sulphate.

(j) Imports into the port of Beirut.

PYRITES**PRODUCTION OF PYRITES (a)**

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	5,669	6,908	5,569
Union of South Africa	2,803	2,918	2,311
Canada	16,199	25,528	(c) 21,046
Cyprus	29,198	61,522	138,822
Australia	11,717	(d) 11,882	—
Total ..	66,000	109,000	170,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	19,088	14,893	27,595
Czechoslovakia	8,830	(e)	15,678
France	183,788	183,390	178,337
Germany	323,440	189,925	(e)
Greece	53,634	51,450	74,900
Italy	478,189	485,343	507,492
Jugoslavia	10,842	(e)	(e)
Norway	390,040	369,132	396,928
Poland	(f) 1,192	(e)	(e)
Portugal	200,703	180,620	(e)
Rumania	20,053	25,102	32,132
Russia	27,327	98,490	(e)
Spain	2,301,988	2,609,911	2,176,809
Sweden	56,400	57,360	65,287
Algeria	7,326	21,000	17,583
Cuba (b)	1,000	—	—
United States	169,043	181,628	160,096
Japan	159,004	222,568	(e)
Total ..	4,410,000	4,710,000	4,400,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	4,480,000	4,820,000	4,600,000

(a) Including cupreous iron-pyrites.

(b) Imports into the United States from Cuba.

(c) Sales.

(d) All produced in Tasmania.

(e) Information not available.

(f) Including Polish Upper Silesia as from the date of its incorporation.

EXPORTS OF PYRITES
(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Iron-pyrites, including cupreous pyrites	15,464	3	372
Canada (g)—			
Pyrites (b)	—	8,829	—
Cyprus—			
Pyrites	19,124	52,227	128,188
Australia (h)—			
Pyrites	—	10	1
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (c)—			
Iron-pyrites	398	—	840
Pyrites waste	14,589	25,181	19,812
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Pyrites	1,006	571	(a)
Pyrites waste	81,206	595	(a)
Denmark—			
Pyrites waste	41,196	45,381	46,438
France—			
Iron-pyrites	31,973	24,719	9,803
Germany—			
Pyrites and other sulphur minerals	7,976	920	4,046
Italy—			
Iron-pyrites	120,344	90,778	151,486
Cupreous pyrites	2,128	37	233
Netherlands—			
Iron-pyrites	—	—	4,275
Cupreous pyrites	—	—	(a)
Norway—			
Iron-pyrites	84,038	61,412	31,403
Cupreous pyrites	352,578	277,957	351,252
Poland (d)—			
Iron-pyrites	(a)	(a)	4,111
Pyrites waste	(a)	(a)	1,866

EXPORTS OF PYRITES (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Portugal—			
Pyrites	183,661	(e) 177,067	(a)
Rumania (<i>d</i>)—			
Pyrites	1,862	9,847	5,796
Spain (<i>d</i>)—			
Iron-pyrites	1,349,689	1,152,956	1,540,827
Cupreous pyrites, containing not more than 2½ % Cu ..	602,965	585,391	684,437
Copper ore, containing more than 2½ % Cu (<i>f</i>) ..	5,958	963	1,511
Sweden—			
Pyrites	—	—	26
United States—			
Pyrites, etc.	470	(a)	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Sulphur content of pyrites.

(c) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(d) Including re-exports.

(e) Principal mine only.

(f) Presumably consisting of cupreous pyrites, in part at least.

(g) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(h) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

IMPORTS OF PYRITES
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Iron-pyrites, including cupreous pyrites.. ..	400,446	337,548	345,715
Union of South Africa—			
Iron-pyrites, including rock- sulphur	5,705	14,081	9,199
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (b)—			
Iron-pyrites.. .. .	37,429	19,506	20,336
Pyrites waste	—	10	—
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Pyrites	118,933	112,021	} 269,925
Pyrites waste	42,824	116,156	
Denmark—			
Pyrites	57,945	61,547	72,027
France—			
Iron-pyrites.. .. .	274,587	455,931	386,122
Germany—			
Pyrites and other sulphur minerals	857,020	397,030	449,003
Italy—			
Iron-pyrites.. .. .	8,657	35,223	133,242
Cupreous pyrites	—	74	—
Netherlands—			
Iron-pyrites.. .. .	52,375	60,827	109,571
Poland (c)—			
Iron-pyrites.. .. .	(a)	(a)	8,708
Pyrites waste	(a)	(a)	185
Rumania (c)—			
Pyrites	(d)	(d)	243
Sweden—			
Pyrites	76,834	104,980	115,434
United States—			
Pyrites, containing more than 25 % of sulphur	269,947	263,695	246,737
Dutch East Indies (c)—			
Pyrites	2,953	(a)	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(c) Total imports.

(d) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

QUICKSILVER

PRODUCTION OF QUICKSILVER

(Lb. avdp.)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
New Zealand	1,568	—	(b)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia	13,875	112,425	171,471
Italy	3,396,364	3,648,942	3,516,764
Rumania	—	(d)	(d)
Russia (a)	86,400	90,375	145,464
Spain	2,905,225	2,522,604	1,980,733
Turkey (e)	138,000	138,000	138,000
Mexico	92,187	98,631	80,810
United States	478,125	595,275	754,575
China (c)	37,599	3,600	6,384
Japan	2,657	9	(b)
WORLD'S TOTAL	7,200,000	7,200,000	6,800,000

(a) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Exports.

(d) 200 long tons and 1,558 long tons of ore were produced in 1923 and 1924, respectively.

(e) Approximate production.

EXPORTS OF QUICKSILVER, ETC.

*(Domestic Produce)**(Cwt.)*

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Quicksilver	45	20	55
Hong Kong (c)—			
Quicksilver	923	2,565	3,427
Straits Settlements (b)—			
Quicksilver	(£68)	(£147)	(e)
Australia (a)—			
Quicksilver	1	(d)	—
New Zealand—			
Quicksilver	36	—	—
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (b)—			
Quicksilver	45	24	165
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Quicksilver	300	240	(e)
France—			
Quicksilver	895	134	98
Sulphide of mercury ..	20	33	88
Mercury chlorides, nitrates, oxides and sulphates ..	49	77	89
Other mercury salts ..	6	10	—
Germany—			
Quicksilver and amalgam ..	260	207	260
Italy—			
Quicksilver	27,664	27,660	32,839
Chloride of mercury ..	226	311	340
Netherlands—			
Quicksilver and amalgam ..	20	20	39
Spain (c)—			
Quicksilver	6,291	28,482	11,573
United States—			
Quicksilver	195	213	139
China—			
Quicksilver	336	32	57

(a) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.*(b)* Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.*(c)* Including re-exports.*(d)* 14 lb.*(e)* Information not available.

IMPORTS OF QUICKSILVER, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Cwt.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Quicksilver	1,855	12,155	7,159
Southern Rhodesia—			
Quicksilver	192	217	163
Union of South Africa—			
Quicksilver	1,765	1,236	984
Canada (c)—			
Quicksilver	820	940	853
Hong Kong (d)—			
Quicksilver	2,907	10,743	6,977
India (b) (c)—			
Quicksilver	2,589	1,963	1,757
Straits Settlements (g)—			
Quicksilver	(£507)	(£426)	(f)
Australia (e)—			
Quicksilver	189	491	281
Mercury salts	21	31	29
New Zealand—			
Quicksilver	33	19	21
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Quicksilver	913	529	581
Czechoslovakia (d)—			
Quicksilver	620	392	(f)
Denmark—			
Quicksilver	1	28	41
Esthonia—			
Quicksilver	13	22	35
Finland (d)—			
Cinnabar	87	133	(f)
Quicksilver and amalgam ..	26	44	(f)
France—			
Quicksilver	1,533	3,170	3,337
Sulphide of mercury	67	59	76
Mercury chlorides, nitrates, oxides and sulphates	441	667	1,004
Other mercury salts	16	4	132
Germany—			
Quicksilver and amalgam ..	10,534	8,717	9,660

IMPORTS OF QUICKSILVER, ETC. (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Greece—			
Quicksilver	24	26	(f)
Italy—			
Sulphide of mercury ..	33	37	22
Netherlands—			
Quicksilver and amalgam ..	138	197	197
Poland (<i>d</i>)—			
Quicksilver	(f)	(f)	279
Mercury Salts	(f)	(f)	138
Portugal—			
Quicksilver	(f)	118	(f)
Mercury salts	(f)	29	(f)
Rumania (<i>d</i>)—			
Quicksilver	127	169	279
Mercury Salts	426	70	220
Spain (<i>d</i>)—			
Quicksilver	54	2	(f)
Switzerland—			
Quicksilver	189	2,621	801
Egypt—			
Quicksilver	23	29	(d) 13
United States—			
Quicksilver	(a) 1,501	14,005	8,086
Argentina—			
Quicksilver	120	90	138
Mercury salts	97	152	136
Brazil (<i>d</i>)—			
Quicksilver	76	188	(f)
Peru—			
Quicksilver	47	13	(f)
Mercury salts	7	10	(f)
China—			
Quicksilver	386	1,708	894
Japan (<i>d</i>)—			
Quicksilver	3,726	(h) 7,094	4,984

(a) Figures refer to the period 21st September–31st December.

(b) Overseas trade only.

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) Total imports.

(e) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(f) Information not available.

(g) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(h) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

SALT

PRODUCTION OF SALT
(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Rock-salt	36,548	48,914	53,454
Brine-salt (<i>h</i>)	1,736,081	1,837,968	1,992,308
Mauritius (<i>a</i>)—			
Sea-salt	1,500	1,500	1,500
Nigeria (<i>a</i>)	400	400	400
Somaliland (<i>b</i>)—			
Sea-salt	1,547	1,716	(<i>f</i>)
South-West Africa Territory	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	335
Sudan (<i>a</i>)	9,000	9,000	9,000
Tanganyika Territory ..	2,389	1,887	4,556
Union of South Africa ..	74,609	61,188	(<i>f</i>)
Canada	(<i>c</i>) 162,316	184,808	188,158
West Indies—			
Sea-salt—			
Bahamas (<i>e</i>)	3,030	2,680	1,570
Turks and Caicos Islands (<i>e</i>)	65,650	58,060	52,327
Ceylon	38,997	28,279	(<i>f</i>)
Cyprus (<i>e</i>)	2,974	766	22
India—			
Rock-salt	207,312	119,673	189,237
Salt (<i>d</i>)	1,653,898	1,781,156	1,623,475
Weihaiwei (<i>a</i>)	2,000	2,000	2,000
Australia—			
Victoria (<i>a</i>)	40,000	40,000	40,000
Western Australia (<i>e</i>) ..	8,000	8,000	8,000
South Australia	48,657	50,286	62,687
Total ..	4,000,000	4,200,000	4,300,000

PRODUCTION OF SALT (Cont.)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria—			
Rock-salt	2,290	1,496	2,700
Brine-salt	139,789	80,457	106,682
Bulgaria	20,000	(f)	(f)
Czechoslovakia	126,118	131,925	122,768
France—			
Rock-salt and brine-salt ..	1,065,788	1,127,031	} 1,267,881
Sea-salt	301,605	(f)	
Germany—			
Rock-salt	2,641,177	1,558,521	(f)
Brine-salt	354,770	(f)	(f)
Greece—			
Sea-salt	66,415	58,945	84,000
Italy—			
Rock-salt	49,002	51,906	55,982
Brine-salt	85,181	87,886	150,054
Sea-salt	643,425	612,584	588,310
Jugoslavia	43,167	(a) 45,000	48,000
Netherlands	27,879	25,969	(f)
Poland—			
Rock-salt and brine-salt ..	290,655	357,468	(f)
Rumania	280,628	301,684	297,895
Russia	782,305	924,016	(g) 998,443
Spain—			
Rock-salt	112,561	97,034	103,755
Sea-salt	557,376	607,288	848,989
Switzerland (h)	63,253	66,951	(f)
Algeria—			
Rock-salt and sea-salt ..	19,883	(f)	(f)
Belgian Congo (a)	80	(f)	(f)
Egypt (e)	183,823	154,758	206,584
Eritrea (a)	20,000	20,000	20,000
Tripoli	(e) 11,606	(f)	(f)
Tunis—			
Sea-salt	51,000	(f)	(f)
Dutch West Indies (e)	18,172	(f)	(f)
Mexico (a)	66,000	(f)	(f)
Panama—			
Sea-salt	813	(f)	(f)
United States—			
Rock-salt	1,738,504	1,878,216	1,843,488
Brine-salt	2,293,787	2,488,606	2,244,152
Evaporated salt	2,032,753	1,999,886	1,986,210
Argentina	92,200	(f)	(f)
Brazil	15,000	(f)	(f)

PRODUCTION OF SALT (*Cont.*)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Chile	33,201	37,627	(<i>f</i>)
Colombia (<i>a</i>)	29,000	29,000	29,000
Peru	25,706	26,096	(<i>a</i>) 25,000
Venezuela (<i>a</i>)	30,000	30,000	30,000
China, including Kwantung Peninsula (<i>a</i>)	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000
Dutch East Indies	166,963	122,066	(<i>f</i>)
French Indo-China— Sea-salt (<i>e</i>)	55,236	11,215	4,184
Japan (<i>l</i>)	654,407	472,195	(<i>f</i>)
Philippine Islands (<i>j</i>)	32,350	30,803	(<i>f</i>)
Portuguese India (<i>a</i>)	12,000	12,000	12,000
Siam (<i>k</i>)	26,123	32,428	39,923
Turkey (Anatolia) (<i>a</i>)	100,000	100,000	100,000
Total	17,000,000	17,000,000	17,000,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	21,000,000	21,000,000	21,000,000

(*a*) Approximate production.

(*b*) Exports through Land-Customs to Abyssinia.

(*c*) Sales.

(*d*) Including production of sea-salt at Aden.

(*e*) Exports.

(*f*) Information not available.

(*g*) Year ended 30th September of the year stated.

(*h*) Revised figures.

(*i*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*j*) Incomplete figures, representing production of 20 provinces only.

(*k*) Exports for years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*l*) Excluding production from salt beds, which, although on government beach lands, have no fixed areas.

EXPORTS OF SALT
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Table-salt	2,877	4,131	6,209
Other salt	282,740	336,144	350,784
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—			
Salt	2,067	1,911	2,127
Kenya—			
Salt	294	14	17
Northern Rhodesia—			
Common salt and table-salt	31	16	10
Southern Rhodesia—			
Rock-salt	(b)	14	(b)
Common salt and table-salt	94	189	333
Somaliland (i)—			
Sea-salt	1,547	1,716	(a)
Tanganyika Territory—			
Salt	1,488	1,841	2,562
Union of South Africa—			
Rock-salt	(b)	—	—
Common salt and table-salt	283	126	113
Canada (c)—			
Salt	840	764	1,100
West Indies—			
Sea-salt from—			
Bahamas	3,030	2,680	1,570
Grenada	20	66	53
Leeward Islands (j) ..	(£24)	(£639)	(a)
Turks and Caicos Islands (n)	65,650	58,060	52,327
Aden (c) (e) (m)—			
Salt	180,395	191,116	(a)
Cyprus—			
Salt	2,974	766	22
Hong Kong (e)—			
Salt	887	9,901	5,898
India (c)—			
By land (e)—			
Salt	30,492	26,201	34,055
By sea—			
Salt	5,238	1,008	1,666
Straits Settlements (d)—			
Salt	31,856	32,979	35,743
Australia (f)—			
Rock-salt	26	21	14
Table-salt in packages (£ Australian)	(£1,587)	(£431)	(£376)
Other salt	6,110	5,237	4,561

EXPORTS OF SALT (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>d</i>)—			
Cooking salt	11,500	2,342	2
Salt for industrial use ..	—	843	40
Belgium—			
Crude salt	(<i>l</i>) —	(<i>h</i>)	(<i>h</i>)
Refined salt	(<i>l</i>) 143	(<i>h</i>)	(<i>h</i>)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Crude salt	(<i>g</i>) —	214	400
Refined salt	(<i>g</i>) 492	553	951
Czechoslovakia (<i>e</i>)—			
Cooking salt	(<i>b</i>)	2	(<i>b</i>)
Denmark—			
Rock-salt	—	2	—
Refined salt, etc.	21	80	37
France—			
Refined salt	24,012	35,398	37,382
Other salt	137,755	145,601	132,019
Germany—			
Rock-salt, sea-salt, etc. ..	944,946	734,312	718,947
Italy—			
Rock-salt and sea-salt ..	99,762	112,280	153,634
Netherlands—			
Rock-salt	35	—	25
Other crude salt	152	33	156
Refined salt and waste ..	6,064	6,701	8,336
Poland—			
Cooking salt	9,741	9,746	9,015
Other salt	202	3,748	12,854
Portugal—			
Common salt	(<i>a</i>)	104,601	(<i>a</i>)
Rumania—			
Rock-salt	23,860	69,368	32,638
Russia—			
Salt	1,935	564	(<i>a</i>)
Spain (<i>e</i>)—			
Common salt	475,851	458,026	(<i>a</i>)
Sweden—			
Rock-salt	100	4	10
Sea-salt	1,819	186	969
Table-salt	22	19	18
Switzerland—			
Salt	2	2	1
Algeria—			
Refined salt	300	185	} 9,904
Other salt	4,039	7,537	

EXPORTS OF SALT (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Egypt—			
Common salt	183,823	154,758	206,584
Tripoli—			
Salt	11,606	(a)	(a)
Tunis (e)—			
Rock-salt and sea-salt—			
Exported	35,482	40,152	117,216
Shipped as stores	2	3	4
Dutch West Indies—			
Sea-salt	18,172	(a)	(a)
United States—			
Salt	120,526	112,079	129,415
Argentina—			
Crude salt (n)	2,619	1,123	436
Refined salt	1	11	42
Brazil—			
Salt	30	150	(a)
Chile—			
Crude salt	75	51	(a)
Peru—			
Rock-salt	9	—	(a)
China—			
Salt	283,901	220,618	198,836
French Indo-China—			
Sea-salt	55,236	11,215	4,184
Japan—			
Salt	4,572	126	834
Philippine Islands—			
Salt	225	34	(b)
Siam (c) (e) (k)—			
Salt	26,123	32,428	39,923

(a) Information not available.

(b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(e) Including re-exports.

(f) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(g) Eight months only, May–December.

(h) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(i) Exports through Land-Customs to Abyssinia.

(j) Including inter-presidency trade.

(k) Figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

(l) Four months only, January–April.

(m) Overseas trade only.

(n) Converted from bushels at the rate of 28 bushels=one long ton.

IMPORTS OF SALT
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Table-salt	5,038	4,614	3,761
Other salt	46,285	72,742	108,821
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—			
Salt	224	101	284
British Cameroons—			
Salt	195	154	195
Gambia—			
Salt	1,422	2,077	1,860
Gold Coast—			
Table-salt	(a)	13	14
Other salt	7,207	5,884	6,633
Kenya—			
Salt	4,060	4,966	7,433
Mauritius—			
Salt	854	1,177	1,071
Nigeria—			
Table-salt	(a)	(a)	8
Other salt	56,828	39,910	50,655
Nyasaland—			
Salt	1,523	1,979	2,644
Northern Rhodesia—			
Rock-salt	1	(b)	—
Common salt and table-salt	501	560	715
Southern Rhodesia—			
Rock-salt	(b)	1	4
Common salt and table-salt	2,491	3,352	3,573
Seychelles—			
Salt	262	122	192
Sierra Leone—			
Table-salt	—	—	2
Other salt	5,410	5,317	6,097
South-West Africa Territory—			
Rock-salt	30	8	36
Common salt and table-salt	428	609	648
Tanganyika Territory—			
Salt	933	1,250	1,438
Union of South Africa—			
Rock-salt	170	842	633
Dairy salt	276	383	260
Common salt and table-salt	2,444	1,499	1,533
Zanzibar—			
Salt	457	624	981

IMPORTS OF SALT (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
Canada (c)—			
Salt for use of the sea or gulf fisheries (k)	71,473	60,676	60,988
Other salt—			
In bulk (k)	58,571	58,463	60,984
In bags, barrels and other coverings (k)	46,700	33,184	38,563
Newfoundland (e) (f)—			
Salt in bulk	50,621	65,819	40,223
Dairy salt and table-salt ..	(£2,804)	(£2,325)	(£2,686)
British Honduras—			
Salt	234	357	302
West Indies—			
Barbados—			
Crude salt	1,960	21	(a)
Table-salt	(£13)	4,985	(a)
Grenada—			
Salt	594	377	344
Jamaica—			
Rock-salt	(£115)	21	13
Other salt	5,311	4,985	6,566
Leeward Islands (h)—			
Salt (Barrels)	(2,182)	(4,751)	(a)
St. Lucia—			
Crude salt	424	316	303
Refined salt	16	(120)	6
St. Vincent—			
Rock-salt	431	65	1,277
Refined salt	7	7	14
Trinidad and Tobago (f)—			
Rock-salt	504	591	431
Table-salt, etc.	2,974	1,411	2,037
British Guiana—			
Rock-salt	544	569	1,213
Table-salt, etc.	969	698	307
Aden (c) (f) (p)—			
Salt	3	5	(a)
British Borneo—			
Brunei—			
Salt	120	106	118
Sarawak—			
Salt	1,932	1,998	1,865
Ceylon—			
Table-salt	55	25	29
Other salt	2,903	2,019	1,585

IMPORTS OF SALT (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
Cyprus—			
Table-salt	2	3	3
Federated Malay States (f)—			
Salt	8,257	11,503	11,065
Hong Kong (f)—			
Salt	33,766	11,901	31,231
India (c)—			
By land (f)—			
Salt	2,314	2,855	1,968
By sea—			
Salt	542,133	474,606	608,798
Straits Settlements (g)—			
Salt	50,232	52,568	58,908
Australia (e)—			
Rock-salt	3,513	4,872	8,901
Table-salt in packages ..	(£16,352)	(f) 624	(f) 600
Other salt	1,404	4,052	3,063
Fiji Islands—			
Salt in bulk	512	615	561
Salt in bottles	(£174)	—	—
New Zealand—			
Rock-salt	636	803	587
Salt in retail packages			
(f New Zealand)	(£4,235)	(£8,534)	(£7,945)
Other salt	25,318	28,175	26,651
Western Samoa—			
Salt	(£304)	(£297)	(£379)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Cooking-salt	520	4	—
Salt for industrial use ..	5,037	8,014	5,676
Belgium—			
Crude salt	(d) 46,679	(j)	(j)
Refined salt.. .. .	(d) 16,189	(j)	(j)
Belgium-Luxemburg			
Economic Union—			
Crude salt	(i) 132,893	218,469	187,845
Refined salt	(i) 29,764	48,315	51,643
Czechoslovakia (f)—			
Cooking salt	72,025	2,689	} 150,748
Salt for industrial use ..	147,286	131,431	
Denmark—			
Rock-salt	1,070	1,519	3,009
Refined salt, etc.	60,558	63,900	71,335

IMPORTS OF SALT (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Esthonia—			
Salt	24,597	23,827	23,387
Finland (<i>f</i>)—			
Cooking salt	75,428	69,201	65,584
France—			
Refined salt	3,121	1,454	1,367
Other salt	45,777	54,540	10,089
Germany—			
Rock-salt, sea-salt, etc. ..	205	193	310
Greece—			
Salt	5	—	(<i>a</i>)
Italy—			
Rock-salt and sea-salt ..	9,088	2,376	16,040
Latvia—			
Salt	18,400	23,709	26,575
Lithuania—			
Salt	(<i>a</i>)	10,057	(<i>a</i>)
Netherlands—			
Rock-salt	51,664	43,054	61,981
Other crude salt	13,642	28,699	37,213
Refined salt and waste ..	22,746	22,040	6,818
Norway—			
Rock-salt	20,436	26,240	(<i>f</i>) 18,667
Common salt	154,409	186,738	(<i>f</i>) 217,254
Poland—			
Brine salt	321	67	1,123
Cooking salt	8,202	4,123	1,370
Spain (<i>f</i>)—			
Common salt	50	77	(<i>a</i>)
Sweden—			
Rock-salt	33,375	55,705	48,251
Sea-salt	46,142	31,006	50,058
Table-salt	32,557	33,377	32,482
Switzerland—			
Rock-salt	2,674	1,137	3,087
Other salt	5,438	4,539	2,561
Algeria—			
Refined salt	23	85	} 8,272
Other salt	7,243	5,897	
Egypt—			
Common salt	41	95	(<i>f</i>) 29
Madagascar (<i>f</i>)—			
Sea-salt	658	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)
Tunis (<i>f</i>)—			
Rock-salt and sea-salt ..	5	1	(<i>b</i>)

IMPORTS OF SALT (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Cuba—			
Crude salt and ground salt	22,546	22,780	(a)
United States—			
Salt	101,619	87,892	88,939
Argentina—			
Rock-salt	1,461	1,136	1,328
Sea-salt (o)	65,847	98,827	102,910
Table-salt	286	491	667
Brazil (f)—			
Rock-salt and white salt, ex- cluding table-salt ..	38,415	45,968	(a)
Chile—			
Crude salt	31	29	(a)
Refined salt	13	55	(a)
Peru—			
Crude salt and ground salt	208	31	(a)
Japan (f) —			
Salt	283,869	(n) 150,184	198,266
Korea (f) —			
Salt	(£158,287)	(a)	(a)
Philippine Islands—			
Salt	128	5,174	(a)
Syria (m)—			
Salt	2,205	1,797	4,428

(a) Information not available.

(b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) Four months only, January-April.

(e) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(f) Total imports.

(g) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(h) Total imports, including inter-presidency trade.

(i) Eight months only, May-December.

(j) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(k) Re-exports have not been deducted; the total re-exports of salt were 1693, 2185 and 1948 long tons in each of the three years, respectively.

(l) Excess of re-exports.

(m) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(n) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

(o) Converted from bushels at the rate of 28 bushels=one long ton.

(p) Overseas trade only.

SILVER

PRODUCTION OF SILVER ORE

(In terms of metal)

(Fine ounces)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	29,885	34,620	33,688
Bechuanaland Protectorate (b)	1,317	661	359
Gold Coast (c)	8,500	8,000	(d)
Northern Rhodesia	7,190	6,282	(e) 234,805
Southern Rhodesia	172,209	155,210	166,472
Union of South Africa	1,115,676	1,373,930	1,399,627
Canada	18,626,439	18,601,744	19,736,323
British Guiana (c)	1,300	960	(d)
India	4,244,304	4,863,066	5,309,203
Federated Malay States (c)	1,400	1,000	(d)
Sarawak	453	(d)	(d)
Australia	12,670,108	11,836,764	9,137,177
New Zealand (g)	442,610	513,774	577,078
Papua	27,820	(d)	(d)
Total	37,350,000	37,400,000	(e) 36,600,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	22,997	11,979	40,702
Czechoslovakia	900,200	946,496	732,542
France	347,200	350,243	(d)
Germany	3,463,166	3,752,998	(d)
Greece	173,974	239,985	(d)
Italy	390,209	411,526	(i) 394,267
Jugoslavia	26,813	24,562	(d)
Norway	229,696	324,989	415,304
Poland	95,003	130,851	(d)
Rumania	62,821	75,263	72,209
Russia (a)	150,000	192,900	(d)
Spain	2,778,237	2,842,069	2,879,965
Sweden	15,454	33,639	(d)
Belgian Congo	6,559	8,745	(d)
Portuguese East Africa	514	(d)	(d)
Mexico	81,076,899	90,810,858	91,437,944
United States	61,207,989	70,355,858	64,752,640
Central America (a)	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000
Argentina	(a) 25,000	28,613	(d)

PRODUCTION OF SILVER ORE (Cont.)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Bolivia	6,420,677	(f) 5,212,826	(d)
Brazil	25,720	28,613	(d)
Chile	2,709,141	3,337,474	(d)
Colombia	(d)	(d)	(f) 113,618
Ecuador (a)	75,000	75,000	(d)
Guiana and Uruguay (a) ..	9,000	8,500	(d)
Peru	13,169,765	18,654,362	(d)
Venezuela (a)	2,700	2,700	(d)
China	(a) 40,000	241,000	(d)
Dutch East Indies ..	1,245,076	1,578,713	2,083,272
Formosa	23,437	(a) 24,000	(a)
Japan	2,959,348	3,596,599	3,753,000
Korea	10,835	39,281	(d)
Philippine Islands ..	17,831	37,776	39,576
Total ..	180,000,000	205,000,000	200,000,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	217,000,000	242,000,000	237,000,000

(a) Approximate production.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Estimated.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Including an adjustment of 234,600 ounces for the years 1922 and 1923.

(f) Silver content of exports.

(g) Silver content of exports, excluding jewellers' sweepings.

(i) Excluding silver content of 4,068 long tons of mixed ores containing copper, lead, silver and zinc.

EXPORTS OF SILVER
(Domestic Produce)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom (b)—				
Refined silver bullion	Ounce	73,698,570	80,270,734	67,405,016
Silver coin—				
Of legal tender in the United Kingdom	do.	649,293	35,525	65,083
Not of legal tender in the United Kingdom ..	do.	16,528,243	2,852,888	17,780,146
Southern Rhodesia—				
Silver concentrates ..	Lb.	(a)	(a)	3,276
Silver bullion	Ounce	92,961	86,666	92,924
Union of South Africa—				
Silver concentrates ..	Lbs.	(l)	540,787	498,632
Silver content of pig-lead	Ounce	(a)	(a)	734
Silver bullion	Ounce	381,165	892,653	715,908
Silver coin (b)	£	72,120	313,524	52,017
Canada (c)—				
Silver content of ore, concentrates, etc. ..	Ounce	6,012,624	4,897,611	4,909,072
Silver bullion	do.	11,098,792	13,050,655	13,675,661
Hong Kong (b)—				
Silver bullion	£	6,554,024	846,149	1,068,591
Silver coin	do.	3,512,301	4,126,550	2,594,497
India (b) (c)—				
By land—				
Silver	Rupee	5,009,493	5,383,937	6,573,268
By sea—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	3,874,323	6,740,934	} 19,975,224
Silver coin	do.	6,568,683	7,837,554	
Straits Settlements (h)—				
Silver bullion	Dollar	285,459	219,466	2,206,556
Silver coin	do.	429,310	901,602	216,112
Silver thread	do.	294	255	1,192
Australia (e)—				
Silver and silver-lead ores	Long ton	878	3,596	5,439
Silver content	Ounce	52,695	196,324	301,032
Silver and silver-lead concentrates, dross and ashes	Long ton	7,868	18,891	31,391
Silver content	Ounce	271,803	696,268	905,297
Silver content of matte	Ounce	46,261	287,007	447,001

EXPORTS OF SILVER (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
<i>Australia (e) (Cont.)—</i>				
Silver content of gold ore, quartz and concentrates	Ounce	—	1,466	1,434
Silver content of copper concentrates	do.	—	—	257
Silver content of zinc ore	do.	—	—	3,262
Silver content of zinc concentrates	do.	1,330,211	3,803,498	3,214,261
Silver bullion and sheets	do.	5,250,488	7,305,786	7,111,964
Silver coin	£	5,415	5,270	17,095
<i>New Zealand—</i>				
Concentrates, etc. ..	Long ton	306	28	214
<i>Silver content</i>	Ounce	40,868	3,172	13,139
Jewellers' sweepings, etc.	Long ton	3	1	4
<i>Silver content</i>	Ounce	524	881	1,139
Silver bullion and sheets	Ounce	401,742	510,602	563,939
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
<i>Austria (h)—</i>				
Crude silver and scrap	Ounce	340,790	112,654	36,619
Silver coin	do.	931,064	215,727	4,065,657
Silver leaf	do.	322	225	868
<i>Belgium—</i>				
Silver bullion	Ounce	(i) 289,704	(j)	(j)
Silver coin (b)	do.	(i) 482	(j)	(j)
<i>Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—</i>				
Silver bullion	Ounce	(g) 1,987,384	2,386,012	3,420,664
Silver coin (b)	do.	(g) 402,229	38,258	12,346
<i>Czechoslovakia (b)—</i>				
Silver ore in powder	Ounce	2,347	—	(a)
Crude silver	do.	3,918,603	5,557,315	(a)
Silver scrap	do.	257	—	(a)
Silver bullion and coin	do.	450	64	(a)
<i>France—</i>				
Silver ore	Ounce	67,515	—	—
Silver bullion	do.	786,293	508,935	1,573,260
Silver, beaten, drawn, rolled or wire	do.	889,301	1,150,166	518,322
Silver coin (b)	do.	1,087,409	402,100	144,579

EXPORTS OF SILVER (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Germany—				
Fine silver, hammered and rolled; alloyed silver, crude or cast; bars of native silver	Ounce	4,010,166	3,717,633	3,640,570
Silver coin (b)	do.	4,437	3,183	55,105
Italy—				
Silver dust, scrap and bullion	Ounce	1,197,009	592,910	789,443
Silver coin of Latin Union	do.	—	10,481	322
Silver leaf	do.	193	129	8,231
Netherlands—				
Silver dust, scrap and bullion	Ounce	1,910,900	3,590,416	15,530,154
Silver coin	do.	4,078,485	2,625,337	4,002,707
Silver leaf and wire ..	Gulden	4,000	6,000	4,000
Norway—				
Silver scrap	Ounce	969,773	545,264	523,498
Poland—				
Crude silver	Ounce	} 3,048	} 11,104	536
Silver scrap	do.			927
Silver bullion, sheets and wire	do.			16
Silver coin	do.			649
Spain (b)—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	803,917	95,129	(a)
Silver coin	do.	4,823	—	(a)
Sweden—				
Silver scrap	Ounce	1,157	22,280	21,380
Silver bullion	do.	255,882	411,520	102,494
Silver coin	Krona	258,358	630	21,975,626
Silver rods, unshaped	Ounce	41,570	81,790	116,254
Silver wire, unshaped, also sheets	do.	7,652	8,166	4,147
Silver and gold leaf, etc.	do.	20	(k)	—
Switzerland—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	309,765	128,793	3,867,098
Silver coin (b)	do.	1,025,617	1,680,866	69,508
Gold, silver or platinum, rolled in sheets or strips	do.	2,861	8,681	4,051

EXPORTS OF SILVER (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)				
Switzerland (<i>Cont.</i>)—				
Gold, silver or platinum wire and thread; also metal wire covered with gold or silver..	Ounce	8,745		
Gold or silver tissue and gold or silver leaf	do.	96	11,863	10,706
Belgian Congo (<i>b</i>)—			482	418
Silver bullion.. ..	Ounce	—	2,229	(<i>a</i>)
Silver coin	do.	877,599	511,185	(<i>a</i>)
Egypt—				
Silver bullion.. ..	Ounce	17,683	62,275	335,582
Silver coin (<i>b</i>)	£ (<i>Egyptian</i>)	10,373	166,476	30,620
Tunis (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver coin	Ounce	21	—	—
United States—				
Silver ore and base bullion	Dollar	17,237	45,225	28,650
Refined silver bullion(<i>f</i>)	Ounce	36,577,684	62,056,324	136,182,097
United States silver coin	Dollar	379,792	214,012	280,465
Argentina—				
Silver ores	Cwt.	220	100	3,373
Silver bullion.. ..	Ounce	—	11,060	—
Bolivia—				
Silver ores	Cwt.	(<i>a</i>)	238,209	215,064
Silver sulphide	do.	(<i>a</i>)	2,361	3,168
Brazil—				
Silver coin (<i>b</i>)	Milreis	—	—	(<i>a</i>)
Chile—				
Silver ores	Cwt.	214,686	239,126	(<i>a</i>)
Silver bullion.. ..	Ounce	521,520	363,889	(<i>a</i>)
Other unmanufactured silver	do.	3,502,357	25,109	(<i>a</i>)
Colombia—				
Silver	Ounce	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	113,618
Peru—				
Silver ores and concentrates	Cwt.	76,941	110,689	(<i>a</i>)
Silver precipitates, some containing gold	Ounce	6,108	3,376	(<i>a</i>)
Silver bars, some containing gold	do.	57,645	49,382	(<i>a</i>)

EXPORTS OF SILVER (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
<i>(Cont.)</i>				
China (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver bullion	} Haikwan { tael	6,639,865	3,651,833	5,486,967
Silver coin		29,474,631	23,092,744	18,039,603
Dutch East Indies—				
Java and Madura (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver bullion	Gulden	979,495	1,415,379	3,608,560
Silver coin	do.	432,538	251,462	675,599
Other Islands (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver bullion	do.	870,100	731,650	(<i>a</i>)
Silver coin	do.	393	1,200	(<i>a</i>)
Japan (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	1,321,441	3,032,640	—
Silver coin	Yen	180,000	350,000	—
Siam (<i>b</i>) (<i>c</i>) (<i>d</i>)—				
Silver coin	Tical	599,343	1,252,163	598,230

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) Including re-exports.

(*c*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*d*) The figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

(*e*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*f*) Including United States Mint or Assay Office bars.

(*g*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*h*) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(*i*) Four months only, January–April.

(*j*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*k*) 76 kronor.

(*l*) Silver content included with silver bullion.

IMPORTS OF SILVER

(Less Re-exports)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom (<i>b</i>)—				
Unrefined silver bullion..	Ounce	5,516,390	14,798,904	11,388,299
Refined silver bullion ..	do.	34,751,631	33,105,547	64,467,863
Silver coin—				
Of legal tender in the United Kingdom ..	do.	6,091,816	2,373,212	807,669
Not of legal tender in the United Kingdom	do.	15,403,480	20,539,725	16,816,491
Malta—				
Bullion and coin.. ..	Ounce	(<i>e</i> 198,700)	(<i>e</i> 86,500)	(<i>e</i>)187
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—	£			
Silver and nickel coin ..	(<i>Egyptian</i>)	(<i>e</i> 91,572)	(<i>e</i> 244,636)	(<i>e</i> 43,409)
Gambia—				
Silver coin	£	(<i>e</i> 215,973)	(<i>e</i> 3,453)	(<i>e</i> 2,760)
Gold Coast—				
Silver coin	£	(<i>e</i> 693,718)	(<i>e</i> 443,636)	(<i>e</i> 207,119)
Kenya—				
Bullion	Ounce	(<i>a</i>)	(<i>a</i>)	6,851
Silver coin	£	585,720	143,586	3,203,343
Mauritius—				
Silver coin	Rupee	(<i>e</i> 1,258,135)	(<i>e</i> 4,133,462)	3,995,600
Nigeria—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	(<i>e</i> 124)	3,388	3,369
Silver coin	£	(<i>e</i> 1,386,318)	(<i>e</i> 795,484)	(<i>e</i> 499,750)
Southern Rhodesia (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver coin	£	21,162	19,960	(<i>a</i>)
Seychelles—				
Bullion and specie ..	Rupee	40,000	20,000	—
Sierra Leone—				
Silver Bullion	Ounce	—	—	56
Silver coin	do.	(<i>e</i> 277,908)	(<i>e</i> 106,630)	(<i>e</i> £22,577)
Tanganyika Territory—				
Silver coin	£	89,007	(<i>e</i> 26,921)	(<i>e</i> 78,932)
Union of South Africa (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver bullion	£	2,025	104	27
Silver coin	do.	106,387	20,252	79,231
Zanzibar				
Silver bullion	Ounce	134	—	—
Silver coin	do.	366,205	(<i>e</i> 36,729)	778,933
Canada (<i>c</i>)—				
Silver bullion	Dollar	653,581	724,271	741,097

IMPORTS OF SILVER (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)				
British Guiana—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	1,559	800	1,700
Silver coin	Dollar	(e348,000)	(e7,866)	3,499
British Honduras—				
Silver coin	Dollar	(e100,000)	(a)	(e11,973)
West Indies—				
Barbados—				
Silver coin	£	(e36,408)	7,900	(a)
Jamaica—				
Bullion and coin (b) ..	£	1,200	(e 10,467)	(e 11,008)
St. Lucia—				
Silver coin	£	(e 3,600)	(e 2,100)	(e 3,145)
St. Vincent—				
Silver coin	£	(e 11,000)	(e 2,221)	—
Trinidad and Tobago—				
Silver coin	£	(e 56,369)	(e 10,693)	2,099
Ceylon—				
Silver bullion	Rupee	59,701	184,952	361,564
Silver coin	do.	177,210	2,056,769	6,004,000
Cyprus—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	1,007	536	310
Federated Malay States (b)—				
Silver Bullion	Dollar	5,947	—	—
Hong Kong (b)—				
Silver bullion	£	6,880,827	536,098	660,056
Silver coin	do.	1,144,925	567,265	155,950
India (b) (c)—				
By land—				
Silver	Rupee	21,527,917	21,551,321	21,875,956
By sea—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	79,917,592	99,722,728	} 122,329,383
Other uncoined silver	do.	10,573	47,877	
Silver coin	do.	16,571,984	8,066,390	
Straits Settlements (j)—				
Silver bullion	Dollar	194,676	315,480	1,869,210
Silver coin	do.	370,210	342,618	72,323
Silver thread	do.	7,532	5,551	13,600
Australia (g)—				
Silver content of matte..	Ounce	12,977	16,723	11,716
Silver bullion and sheets	do.	11,377	12,986	8,803
Silver coin	£	33,337	23,700	54,912
Fiji Islands—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	3,350	5,175	4,250
New Zealand—				
Silver bullion and sheets	Ounce	5,885	1,580	4,081
Silver coin	£	173,735	(e 13,772)	(e 103,488)

IMPORTS OF SILVER (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
Austria (<i>j</i>)—				
Crude silver and scrap ..	Ounce	192,900	221,931	5,423,673
Silver coin	do.	3,408	—	79,925
Silver leaf	do.	943	1,833	2,508
Belgium—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	(<i>f</i>) 194,122	(<i>l</i>)	(<i>l</i>)
Silver coin (<i>b</i>)	do.	(<i>f</i>) 966,558	(<i>l</i>)	(<i>l</i>)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	(<i>h</i>) 553,269	486,044	224,214
Silver coin (<i>b</i>)	do.	(<i>h</i>) 834,357	509,706	(<i>k</i>)
Czechoslovakia (<i>b</i>)—				
Crude silver	Ounce	60,603	4,437	(<i>a</i>)
Silver scrap	do.	225	32	(<i>a</i>)
Silver bullion and coin ..	do.	161	—	(<i>a</i>)
Finland (<i>b</i>)—				
Silver bullion and scrap ..	Ounce	8,176	55,497	(<i>a</i>)
Silver sheet and unshaped rods and wire	do.	4,307	5,917	(<i>a</i>)
France—				
Silver ore	Cwt.	8	150	—
Silver bullion	Ounce	4,384,585	4,896,863	5,915,022
Silver, beaten, drawn, rolled or wire	do.	46,778	33,436	33,629
Silver coin (<i>b</i>)	do.	1,119,752	123,392	579,986
Germany—				
Silver ore	Cwt.	276	480	2,367
Silver scrap	Ounce	14,576,489	15,653,931	14,621,820
Fine silver, hammered and rolled; alloyed silver, crude or cast; bars of native silver	do.	396,988	397,149	33,284,348
Silver coin (<i>b</i>)	do.	40,155	513,371	2,135,307
Italy—				
Silver bullion, dust and scrap	Ounce	216,241	129,666	354,197
Silver coin of Latin Union	do.	14,950	8,198	19,772
Silver leaf	do.	12,924	5,273	11,413
Netherlands—				
Silver dust, scrap and bullion	Ounce	2,208,962	4,608,220	2,502,204
Silver coin	do.	418,432	157,342	111,678
Silver leaf and wire ..	Gulden	1,000	1,000	2,000
Norway—				
Silver in sheets, smooth, rolled	Ounce	296,198	298,706	(<i>b</i>) 311,184
Silver wire, smooth (<i>b</i>) ..	do.	4,051	5,385	(<i>a</i>)

IMPORTS OF SILVER (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Norway (Cont.)—				
Silver leaf (b) (m) ..	Ounce	27,745	31,089	(a)
Gold, silver and platinum unworked, also coin and medals (b)	Krone	2,019,200	13,020,600	(a)
Poland—				
Crude silver	Ounce	} 115,445	} 122,567	} 5,309
Silver bullion, sheet and wire	do.			
Silver scrap	do.			
Silver coin	do.			
Portugal—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	(a)	22,441	(a)
Rumania (b)—				
Refined silver in bars for industrial use	Ounce	547	547	1,414
Spain (b)—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	25,251	12,378	(a)
Silver coin	do.	73,881	496,846	(a)
Sweden—				
Silver scrap	Ounce	23,148	27,424	10,256
Silver bullion	do.	564,458	987,327	1,091,910
Silver coin	Krona	1,470,953	355,571	3,289,236
Silver rods, unshaped ..	Ounce	7,973	23,759	1,640
Silver wire unshaped, also sheet	do.	27,500	27,500	28,292
Silver wire and rods, shaped	do.	450	257	289
Silver and gold leaf, etc.	do.	44,656	58,417	49,929
Switzerland—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	1,948,258	1,220,093	2,022,492
Silver coin (b)	do.	132,072	202,867	146,604
Gold, silver or platinum, rolled in sheets or strips	do.	89,473	139,949	165,122
Gold, silver or platinum wire and thread; also metal wire covered with gold or silver	do.	25,527	21,315	27,456
Gold or silver tissue and gold or silver leaf ..	do.	13,085	22,151	40,509
Egypt (b)—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	147,086	628,629	1,085,191
Silver coin	£	9,257	104,121	169,182
(Egyptian)				
Tunis (b)—				
Silver scrap and bullion ..	Ounce	9,645	—	—
Silver coin	do.	322	748	289

IMPORTS OF SILVER (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Tunis (b) (Cont.)—				
Silver beaten, drawn or rolled	Ounce	49,064	41,780	46,912
United States—				
Silver ore and base bullion	Dollar	57,034,500	40,342,858	38,919,408
Gold and silver scrap (b)	Ounce	3,371,184	5,697,840	13,384,872
Refined silver bullion (i)	do.	(30,511,783)	3,243,922	28,228,235
United States silver coin	Dollar	1,249,247	723,552	683,023
Foreign silver coin ..	do.	(e4,226,831)	(e1,008,676)	(e3,604,551)
Argentina—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	78,285	7,137	(a)
Silver leaf	do.	482	129	(a)
Brazil (b)—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	137	1,048	(a)
Silver leaf	do.	1,448	11,770	(a)
Chile—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	—	129	(a)
China (b)—				
Silver bullion	Haikwan	59,488,790	70,831,435	34,301,912
Silver coin	tael	16,197,718	23,109,369	15,227,196
Dutch East Indies—				
Java and Madura (b)—				
Silver bullion	Gulden	642,784	540,653	472,996
Silver coin	do.	9,220,424	210,249	170,131
Other Islands (b)—				
Silver bullion	do.	34,190	971,287	(a)
Silver coin	do.	612,375	362,086	(a)
Japan (b)—				
Silver bullion	Ounce	375,527	10,309	2,984,689
Silver coin	Yen	188,173	131,214	180,400
Siam (b) (c) (d)—				
Silver coin	Tical	3,427,002	1,034,717	1,322,105

(a) Information not available.

(b) Total imports.

(c) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(d) The figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

(e) Excess of re-exports.

(f) Four months only, January–April.

(g) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(h) Eight months only, May–December.

(i) Excess of re-exports during 1922.

(j) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(k) 371 francs.

(l) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

(m) Including gold leaf and other metal leaf.

STRONTIUM MINERALS**PRODUCTION OF STRONTIUM MINERALS**

(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom— Celestite	4,711	6,346	1,450
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Germany (Prussia) — Strontianite	295	—	(a)

(a) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF STRONTIUM MINERALS, ETC.*(Domestic Produce)*

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom— Celestite	(a) 6,242	7,822	3,006
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France— Strontium compounds ..	3	2	2

(a) Including strontianite.

IMPORTS OF STRONTIUM MINERALS, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France—			
Strontium compounds ..	10	8	12
United States—			
Strontium compounds ..	173	2,358	1,783

SULPHUR

PRODUCTION OF SULPHUR

(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom— Spent oxide (d)	156,600	151,000	152,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France— Sulphur rock	64	(a)	(a)
Greece— Sulphur rock	—	2,207	(a)
Italy— Crude sulphur— Fused	164,650	252,222	290,160
Ground	22,341	9,314	21,942
Jugoslavia— Sulphur	120	129	(a)
Spain— Sulphur rock	71,636	65,304	63,611
Refined sulphur (b)	22,462	17,426	18,278
United States— Crude sulphur	1,830,942	2,036,097	1,220,561
Chile— Sulphur rock	12,053	11,197	(c) 11,000
China— Sulphur (c)	5,500	5,500	5,500
Formosa— Sulphur rock	3,227	(a)	(a)
Japan— Sulphur rock	41,413	35,739	44,565
Refined sulphur	34,085	36,815	(a)

(a) Information not available.

(b) From the treatment of sulphur rock in Spain.

(c) Approximate production.

(d) Consumed by the sulphuric acid industry. Average sulphur content was approximately 50 per cent. during 1922 and 49 per cent. during 1923.

EXPORTS OF SULPHUR

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Sulphur	328	381	326
Union of South Africa—			
Sulphur	9	5	11
Hong Kong (<i>e</i>)—			
Sulphur	506	379	519
Straits Settlements (<i>d</i>)—			
Sulphur	27	69	23
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>d</i>)—			
Sulphur	189	71	16
Belgium—			
Sulphur	(<i>b</i>) 225	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Sulphur	(<i>c</i>) 1,102	2,337	3,526
Czechoslovakia (<i>e</i>)—			
Sulphur	(<i>g</i>)	6	(<i>a</i>)
France—			
Crude sulphur	5,635	12,172	11,482
Refined lump sulphur	1,058	951	520
Flowers of sulphur	8,893	10,456	14,020
Precipitated sulphur	2	77	11
Germany—			
Sulphur	6,191	45,146	36,625
Italy—			
Sulphur rock	250	—	90
Crude lump sulphur	46,595	143,344	196,784
Crude ground sulphur	12,045	12,627	13,589
Refined lump sulphur	16,619	19,789	23,321
Refined ground sulphur	29,299	25,221	23,480
Flowers of sulphur	5,783	3,574	5,705
Netherlands—			
Refined sulphur	5	3	31
Poland—			
Sulphur	469	658	257
Spain (<i>e</i>)—			
Sulphur	90	6	(<i>a</i>)

EXPORTS OF SULPHUR (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Sweden—			
Sulphur	204	2	9
Algeria—			
Crude sulphur	—	15	(a)
Refined lump sulphur	37	—	(a)
Flowers of sulphur	39	216	(a)
United States—			
Sulphur	485,664	472,525	482,114
Flowers of sulphur	2,305	1,950	2,029
Chile—			
Refined sulphur	276	343	(a)
Japan (e)—			
Sulphur	3,814	(h) 2,489	4,014

(a) Information not available.

(b) Four months only, January–April.

(c) Eight months only, May–December.

(d) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(e) Including re-exports.

(f) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(g) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(h) Excluding exports from the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

IMPORTS OF SULPHUR

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Sulphur	53,879	92,779	108,016
Malta—			
Flowers of sulphur	(£62)	63	87
Mauritius—			
Sulphur	929	1,694	1,617
Southern Rhodesia—			
Flowers of sulphur	6	1	2
South-West Africa Territory—			
Sulphur	19	141	5
Union of South Africa (a)—			
Rock-sulphur, including iron- pyrites	5,705	14,081	9,199
Flowers of sulphur	3,879	401	938
British Guiana—			
Sulphur	9	—	9
Canada (b)—			
Sulphur	109,822	115,479	125,720
Newfoundland (c)—			
Sulphur	(d)	2,000	2,890
Ceylon—			
Sulphur	114	75	35
Cyprus—			
Sulphur	114	129	181
Hong Kong (a)—			
Sulphur	1,312	645	1,250
India (b) (g)—			
Sulphur	9,026	12,514	12,804
Straits Settlements (e)—			
Sulphur	144	183	305
Australia (c)—			
Sulphur	48,575	37,828	63,427
Fiji Islands—			
Sulphur	2	—	3
New Zealand—			
Sulphur	9,035	8,485	15,258
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Sulphur	7,084	7,355	10,304
Belgium—			
Sulphur	(h) 863	(i)	(i)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Sulphur	(f) 3,312	7,432	6,609

IMPORTS OF SULPHUR (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924	
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)				
Bulgaria—				
Sulphur	197	184	(d)	
Czechoslovakia (a)—				
Sulphur	2,059	2,437	4,529	
Flowers of sulphur	67	70	(d)	
Denmark—				
Sulphur	189	267	245	
Esthonia—				
Crude sulphur	} 301	961	{ 1,624	
Refined sulphur				21
Finland (a)—				
Sulphur	26,783	29,528	31,977	
France—				
Crude sulphur	399,884	306,256	454,691	
Refined lump sulphur	424	276	903	
Flowers of sulphur	355	112	1,303	
Precipitated sulphur	10	4	9	
Germany—				
Sulphur	60,334	52,393	67,335	
Greece—				
Sulphur	19,045	8,999	3,440	
Hungary—				
Sulphur	(d)	(d)	611	
Italy—				
Sulphur	3	19	14	
Latvia—				
Sulphur	620	645	801	
Lithuania—				
Sulphur	(d)	(d)	218	
Netherlands—				
Refined sulphur	759	767	760	
Norway—				
Sulphur	11,476	14,343	(a) 12,026	
Poland (a)—				
Crude sulphur	} 2,655	1,514	{ 406	
Refined sulphur				566
Flowers of sulphur				6
Rumania (a)—				
Crude sulphur	1,551	(k)	323	
Refined sulphur	1,564	1,781	1,384	
Spain (a)—				
Crude unground sulphur	7,246	14,518	14,332	
Refined unground sulphur	321	433	44	
Ground sulphur and flowers of sulphur	5,675	3,210	2,793	
Sweden—				
Sulphur	57,458	50,224	64,309	

IMPORTS OF SULPHUR (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Switzerland—			
Refined sulphur	4,364	3,086	3,514
Flowers of sulphur.. ..	388	494	314
Algeria—			
Crude sulphur	6,828	11,451	} 28,190
Refined lump sulphur	137	63	
Flowers of sulphur	6,037	6,275	
Egypt—			
Sulphur	716	1,134	1,320
Morocco—			
Sulphur	(d)	(d)	186
Tunis (a)—			
Crude sulphur	185	1	154
Refined sulphur	1,010	1,568	1,213
United States—			
Sulphur ore and crude sulphur	(d)	465	1,005
Other sulphur	(d)	(d)	2,371
Argentina—			
Crude sulphur	2,972	5,385	11,176
Refined sulphur	295	2,032	1,073
Brazil (a)—			
Sulphur	4,596	4,502	(d)
Chile—			
Refined sulphur	43	42	(d)
Peru—			
Refined sulphur and sulphur chloride	133	327	(d)
Uruguay—			
Sulphur	874	—	2,009
China—			
Sulphur	2,501	2,196	2,762
Dutch East Indies (a)—			
Sulphur	8,124	5,098	5,245
French Indo-China—			
Sulphur	164	106	90
Syria (j)—			
Sulphur	101	35	61

(a) Total imports.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(f) Eight months only, May–December.

(g) Overseas trade only.

(h) Four months only, January–April.

(i) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(j) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(k) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

TALC

PRODUCTION OF TALC

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	50	186	—
Union of South Africa ..	304	317	670
Canada	(a) 11,781	9,138	10,118
India (f)	4,754	7,024	2,852
Australia	468	622	859
Total ..	17,400	17,300	14,500
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (b)	13,294	7,369	9,527
France	47,396	(c)	(c)
Germany (Bavaria) ..	4,440	1,876	(c)
Greece	—	130	(a)
Italy	26,059	30,649	31,651
Norway	7,695	8,764	11,596
Spain	3,029	1,951	1,434
Sweden	2,030	2,391	2,827
United States (a) ..	177,396	175,618	181,983
China (b)	284	188	218
Japan (d)	48,244	35,262	(c)
Total ..	330,000	310,000	320,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	350,000	330,000	330,000

(a) Sales.

(b) Exports.

(c) Information not available.

(d) Including agalmatolite, etc.,

(e) Approximate.

(f) Revised figures.

EXPORTS OF TALC
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom— Ground talc, etc.	270	497	206
Canada (b)— Refined talc.. .. .	8,537	5,826	7,832
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (c)— Talc	13,294	7,369	9,527
Czechoslovakia (d)— Talc	14	32	(a)
France— Ground talc	13,744	13,878	21,169
Germany— Crude, ground and calcined talc	402	436	281
Italy— Talc	16,915	17,762	20,726
Norway— Soapstone Ground soapstone and talc	658 3,898	887 5,874	1,240 8,930
Poland— Talc	(e) 75	2	19
Spain (d)— Soapstone	1,590	2,808	(a)
Sweden— Talc, etc.	147	117	7
China— Soapstone ware	284	188	218

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(d) Including re-exports.

(e) Including magnesite.

IMPORTS OF TALC
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Talc, steatite and soapstone—			
Unground	3,912	455	931
Ground	6,411	11,965	13,631
Australia (a)—			
Talc manufactures	82	204	181
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (f)—			
Talc	267	323	485
Czechoslovakia (c)—			
Talc	904	972	(b)
Denmark—			
Talc	310	338	611
Esthonia—			
Crude talc	20	30	(g)
Ground talc	(b)	(b)	267
Finland (c)—			
Talc	1,307	1,469	(b)
France—			
Ground talc	5,650	5,903	4,693
Germany—			
Crude, ground and calcined talc	11,991	4,789	9,490
Poland—			
Talc	(h) 2,068	(h) 3,157	525
Rumania (c)—			
Talc	549	1,107	627
Sweden—			
Talc, etc.	1,460	2,304	2,633
Algeria—			
Ground talc	54	36	(b)
Egypt—			
Talc	303	363	646
Tunis (c)—			
Crude talc	310	293	334
Ground talc	41	162	229
United States—			
Ground or prepared talc ..	16,342	17,846	16,249

IMPORTS OF TALC (*Cont.*).

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Argentina—			
Talc	1,289	790	609
Talc powder.. .. .	63	80	65
Chile—			
Crude talc	99	126	(<i>b</i>)
Peru—			
Talc powder.. .. .	2	25	(<i>b</i>)
Japan (<i>c</i>)—			
Talc	12,341	(<i>e</i>) 11,573	19,640
Syria (<i>d</i>)—			
Talc	10	11	2

(*a*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*b*) Information not available.

(*c*) Total imports.

(*d*) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(*e*) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

(*f*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*g*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*h*) Including magnesite.

TIN

PRODUCTION OF TIN ORE

(In terms of metal)

(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	370	1,021	1,986
Nigeria	5,123	5,860	6,162
Swaziland	142	107	171
Union of South Africa ..	469	918	1,162
India	1,530	1,405	1,375
Federated Malay States (a)	35,286	37,649	44,043
Unfederated Malay States (a)	1,937	1,727	2,870
Straits Settlements	3	6	(d)
Australia	2,570	3,283	3,069
Total ..	47,400	52,000	60,800
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia	1,206	(d)	(d)
Germany	158	(d)	(d)
Portugal (e)	400	400	400
Spain	37	11	(d)
Belgian Congo	567	496	483
United States	1	2	6
Argentina (a)	—	28	3
Bolivia (a)	31,816	29,767	31,610
China	14,000	8,727	7,000
Dutch East Indies	29,278	29,138	31,558
French Indo-China	426	359	465
Japan (c)	282	300	(d)
Siam (b)	6,979	6,334	7,950
Total ..	85,000	77,000	81,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	132,000	129,000	142,000

(a) Tin content of exports.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Smelter production.

(d) Information not available.

(e) Approximate.

SMELTER PRODUCTION OF TIN
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (a) ..	23,000	31,000	36,000
Southern Rhodesia ..	(b)	—	9
India	218	—	—
Straits Settlements (c) ..	66,259	69,893	80,693
Australia	2,657	3,053	3,171
Total ..	92,000	104,000	120,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Germany (a)	5,400	3,700	4,400
Italy	59	59	59
Portugal	4	(d)	(d)
United States	8,132	6,666	434
Bolivia (c)	200	1,500	(d)
China (c)	9,028	7,930	6,985
Dutch East Indies (c) ..	15,605	14,980	15,500
French Indo-China ..	243	302	329
Japan	282	300	(d)
Siam (e)	484	554	412
Total ..	39,000	36,000	29,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	131,000	140,000	149,000

- (a) Approximate production.
 (b) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.
 (c) Exports of bars.
 (d) Information not available.
 (e) Exports less imports.

EXPORTS OF TIN
(Domestic Produce)
(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore	200	30	360
Blocks, ingots, bars and slabs	12,558	19,979	18,104
Soft solder	798	943	1,079
Tin-foil	730	658	445
Nigeria—			
Ore	8,121	8,475	8,852
Southern Rhodesia—			
Ore	1	—	11
South-West Africa Territory—			
Ore	78	53	190
Swaziland—			
Tin content of ore.. ..	(h)	(h)	171
Union of South Africa—			
Ore and concentrates ..	1,514	1,779	2,179
Blocks, ingots and bars ..	12	(d)	(d)
Scrap	19	—	—
Hong Kong (a)—			
Ingots and slabs	12,304	8,593	7,464
Other tin	429	616	497
India (b) (c)—			
Ore	1,590	1,680	1,644
Blocks, ingots, bars and slabs	—	249	379
Wrought tin	—	1	
Straits Settlements (e)—			
Ore	(d)	9	9
Tin	66,259	69,893	80,693
Federated Malay States—			
Ore and block tin (f) ..	35,286	37,649	44,043
Unfederated Malay States—			
Ore, from—			
Johore	1,490	1,329	(f) 2,870
Kelantan	2	1	
Trengganu	431	378	
Kedah (g)	384	382	
Perlis (g)	460	377	
Australia (l)—			
Ore, dross and ashes (f) ..	1	9	4
Ingots	1,774	1,811	2,002
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (e)—			
Crude tin	407	558	1,223

EXPORTS OF TIN (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Belgium—			
Ore	(i) —	(k)	(k)
Crude tin	(i) 51	(k)	(k)
Beaten, rolled or drawn ..	(i) 10	(k)	(k)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(j) 699	3	3
Crude tin	(j) 35	193	212
Beaten, drawn or rolled ..	(j) 17	39	59
Czechoslovakia (a)—			
Crude tin and scrap ..	49	46	(h)
Denmark—			
Crude tin	(d)	(d)	3
Tin-foil	1	1	2
France—			
Ore	464	503	134
Scrap	261	271	712
Pure lumps, pigs, bars and slabs	605	605	560
Alloyed with antimony in lumps, pigs, bars and slabs	92	164	173
Pure or alloyed, beaten, rolled or drawn	171	243	275
Germany—			
Crude tin and scrap ..	1,442	1,485	2,871
Tin-foil	298	232	233
Italy—			
Tin and alloyed ingots, bars and scrap	193	99	105
Sheets	31	35	41
Netherlands—			
Banka and Billiton blocks	109	62	63
Other tin blocks	11	2	10
Scrap, bars, sheets, wire, tin- foil and powder	74	96	127
Norway—			
Tin	3	34	(h)
Poland—			
Tin	77	226	31
Portugal—			
Ore	(h)	923	(h)
Rumania (a)—			
Crude tin and scrap ..	—	—	20
Spain (a)—			
Tin	76	63	(h)

EXPORTS OF TIN (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Sweden—			
Unwrought tin and scrap ..	65	65	83
Switzerland—			
Pigs, bars and slabs	10	14	39
Tin-foil	283	374	373
Scrap	52	33	70
Belgian Congo—			
Ore	1,157	1,414	(h)
United States—			
Blocks, pigs, bars and grains	805	750	419
Argentina—			
Ore	—	40	4
Bolivia—			
Ore	52,381	49,612	52,573
<i>Tin content</i>	31,616	28,272	31,610
Bars	200	1,500	(h)
China—			
Slabs	9,028	7,930	6,985
Tin-foil	141	95	66
Dutch East Indies (a)—			
Ore	21,524	14,811	(h)
Tin from—			
Java and Madura ..	15,210	14,921	15,476
Other islands	395	59	(h)
Japan—			
Tin-foil	1,334	1,324	452
Siam (a) (b) (n)—			
Ore	9,413	9,883	10,451
Tin	500	586	432

(a) Including re-exports.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(c) Overseas trade only.

(d) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(e) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(f) Tin content.

(g) Years ended September of the year stated.

(h) Information not available.

(i) Four months only, January–April.

(j) Eight months only, May–December.

(k) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(l) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(m) Including tin content of bars.

(n) Figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

IMPORTS OF TIN
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Ore	37,773	52,291	58,970
Blocks, ingots, bars and slabs	9,212	5,397	5,888
Soft solder	64	177	148
Tin-foil	370	490	401
Mauritius—			
Slabs	3	8	9
Plates and sheets	39	78	77
Southern Rhodesia (a)—			
Blocks, ingots and bars	38	15	32
Plates and sheets	(e)	(e)	2
South-West Africa Territory—			
Blocks, ingots and bars	(e)	2	6
Plates and sheets	(e)	65	98
Union of South Africa—			
Blocks, ingots and bars	227	250	494
Plates and sheets	(d8)	33	1,892
Canada (b)—			
Blocks, pigs and bars	1,753	1,779	1,944
Tin-foil	915	613	456
Jamaica—			
Ingots	(£276)	(£41)	(£438)
Ceylon—			
Blocks, ingots, slabs and plates	308	69	61
Cyprus—			
Ingots and bars	3	6	6
Plates	15	4	14
Hong Kong (a)—			
Ingots and slabs	8,613	7,776	7,283
Other tin	176	257	351
India (b) (g)—			
Blocks, ingots, bars and slabs	2,289	2,009	(h) 2,609
Wrought tin	342	235	(k) 51
Straits Settlements (h)—			
Ore	72,904	80,518	92,262
Tin	6,747	7,850	7,538
Australia (i)—			
Ore, dross and ashes	—	(e)	(e)
Ingots	44	30	17

IMPORTS OF TIN (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (Cont.)			
New Zealand—			
Ingots, etc.	195	216	242
Tin-foil	11	13	23
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (h)—			
Crude tin	1,615	1,695	1,693
Belgium—			
Ore	(j) —	(l)	(l)
Crude tin	(j) 408	(l)	(l)
Beaten, rolled or drawn tin	(j) 75	(l)	(l)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(c) 523	507	890
Crude tin	(c) 941	1,291	1,042
Beaten, rolled or drawn tin	(c) 200	181	107
Czechoslovakia (a)—			
Crude tin and scrap ..	1,045	1,191	(f)
Denmark—			
Crude tin	254	372	533
Sheets	21	51	68
Tin-foil	55	62	66
Esthonia—			
Bars and sheets	35	19	15
Finland (a)—			
Unwrought tin, including scrap	150	167	189
Tin solder	12	9	(f)
France—			
Ore	1,243	617	285
Scrap	70	48	92
Pure lumps, pigs, bars and slabs	8,666	9,811	11,411
Alloyed with antimony in pigs, bars and slabs ..	67	52	109
Pure or alloyed, beaten, rolled or drawn	246	211	102
Germany—			
Ore	7,520	3,080	4,933
Crude tin and scrap ..	8,094	5,475	8,658
Tin-foil	1	1	19
Greece—			
Crude tin	132	104	(f)
Italy—			
Tin and alloyed ingots, bars and scrap	3,032	2,910	3,932
Sheets	47	49	59

IMPORTS OF TIN (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Jugoslavia (<i>a</i>)—			
Crude tin, solder and scrap	239	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Sheets and plates	3	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Pipes and cylinders	3	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Bars, rods and wire	1	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Tin-foil	7	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Netherlands—			
Banka and Billiton blocks	758	738	(<i>f</i>)
Other tin blocks	110	118	(<i>f</i>)
Scrap, bars, sheets, wire, tin- foil and powder	103	126	(<i>f</i>)
Norway—			
Crude tin	43	79	(<i>a</i>) 62
Rolls, bars, plates and filings	88	78	(<i>a</i>) 68
Poland			
Blocks, bars and ingots	423	575	447
Sheets and solder			
Portugal—			
Tin plates	(<i>f</i>)	615	(<i>f</i>)
Rumania (<i>a</i>)—			
Crude tin and scrap	190	140	112
Ingots	120	84	81
Tin-foil and wire	33	27	21
Spain (<i>a</i>)—			
Ingots	1,193	1,218	1,710
Sweden—			
Unwrought tin and scrap ..	598	887	1,086
Switzerland—			
Pigs, bars and slabs	944	1,024	1,385
Pure or alloyed sheets, tubes and wire	6	3	5
Foil	15	14	15
Scrap	3	18	13
Algeria—			
Tin and tin alloys	118	140	134
Egypt—			
Ingots, bars and slabs	291	305	307
Tunis (<i>a</i>)—			
Lumps, pigs, bars and slabs	47	42	39
Alloyed ingots	1	9	6
Pure or alloyed tin, beaten or rolled	17	1	2
Cuba (<i>a</i>)—			
Tin	118	298	(<i>f</i>)

IMPORTS OF TIN (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
United States—			
Ore	12,325	(<i>n</i>) 2,692	(<i>n</i>) 155
Blocks, pigs, bars and grains	59,899	68,638	62,827
Argentina—			
Ingots	707	1,408	1,649
Brazil (<i>a</i>)—			
Bars, rods, sheets and plates	383	563	(<i>f</i>)
Chile—			
Ingots	152	87	(<i>f</i>)
Bars and sheets	217	103	(<i>f</i>)
Rolled tin	6	13	(<i>f</i>)
Peru—			
Bars and sheets	34	34	(<i>f</i>)
Tin-foil	2	3	(<i>f</i>)
China—			
Slabs	3,037	3,483	3,461
Tin and other foils	3,454	6,564	6,315
Dutch East Indies (<i>a</i>)—			
Tin	234	211	(<i>f</i>)
Japan (<i>a</i>)—			
Ingots and slabs	2,949	(<i>o</i>) 3,142	3,490
Other tin	7	86	70
Siam (<i>a</i>) (<i>b</i>) (<i>p</i>)—			
Crude tin	16	32	20
Syria (<i>m</i>)—			
Ingots, including wrought..	44	53	52

(*a*) Total imports.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*d*) Excess of re-exports.

(*e*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*f*) Information not available.

(*g*) Overseas trade only.

(*h*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*i*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*j*) Four months only, January–April.

(*k*) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(*l*) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*m*) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(*n*) Tin content.

(*o*) Excluding imports into the port of Yokohama during either July or August.

(*p*) The figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

TITANIUM MINERALS

PRODUCTION OF TITANIUM MINERALS

(Long tons)

Producing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Canada (Quebec)— Titaniferous iron ore ..	—	62	(a)
India— Ilmenite	400	700	641
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Norway— Ilmenite	3,247	2,578	3,416
Rutile	77	59	27
United States— Ilmenite	4,626	5,598	4,258
Rutile	277	241	—
French Indo-China— Ilmenite	452	(a)	(a)

(a) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF TITANIUM MINERALS

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Norway— Rutile	42	21	(a)
Ground rutile	25	9	(a)

(a) Information not available.

IMPORTS OF TITANIUM, MINERALS, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom— Titanium and zirconium minerals	14	1	<i>(a 95)</i>
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
United States— Titanium and ferro-titanium	24	6	13
Titanium compounds ..	37	17	11

(a) Excess of re-exports.

TUNGSTEN

PRODUCTION OF TUNGSTEN ORES

(Long tons of concentrates)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	3	2	2
Southern Rhodesia (<i>f</i>) ..	40	—	20
India	943	872	739
Federated Malay States..	95	40	97
Unfederated Malay States	224	(<i>a</i>) 74	(<i>c</i>)
Australia	(<i>e</i>) 39	(<i>e</i>) 99	64
New Zealand	—	5	3
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia	28	35	65
Germany (<i>g</i>)	9	—	(<i>c</i>)
Italy	—	1	—
Portugal	562	(<i>a</i>) 520	(<i>c</i>)
Spain	—	28	196
Mexico	(<i>c</i>)	30	(<i>c</i>)
United States	—	215	334
Argentina (<i>d</i>)	109	126	120
Bolivia	(<i>d</i>) 7	(<i>a</i>) 35	(<i>d</i>) 17
China (<i>d</i>)	3,390	3,984	2,995
French Indo-China—			
Wolfram	30	28	33
Tin-tungsten ore ..	151	172	195
Japan (<i>a</i>)	250	250	(<i>c</i>)
Korea (<i>d</i>)	13	1	(<i>c</i>)
Siam (<i>b</i>)	15	25	(<i>c</i>)

(*a*) Approximate production.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Information not available.

(*d*) Exports of ore.

(*e*) Including figures for Northern Territory which refer to years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*f*) Tungsten content.

(*g*) Wolfram.

EXPORTS OF TUNGSTEN

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Tungsten ore	317	115	9
Tungsten powder	178	—	—
Hong Kong (c)—			
Tungsten ore	536	209	342
India (b) (g)—			
Tungsten ore	120	390	532
Federated Malay States—			
Wolfram	95	38	8
Scheelite	(d)	—	89
Straits Settlements (e)—			
Tungsten ore	466	524	144
Unfederated Malay States—			
Tungsten ore	174	(a)	(a)
Australia (f)—			
Wolfram	21	58	65
Scheelite	52	—	—
New Zealand—			
Scheelite	8	1	15
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Germany—			
Tungsten ore	(a)	(a)	17
Portugal—			
Tungsten ore	(a)	320	(a)
Sweden—			
Ferro-tungsten, etc. ..	(d)	7	9
United States—			
Tungsten content of tung- sten ore	(d)	(a)	(a)
Tungsten and ferro-tungsten	1	2	2
Argentina—			
Tungsten ore	109	126	120
Bolivia—			
Tungsten ore	7	(a)	17
Peru—			
Tungsten ore	2	—	(a)

EXPORTS OF TUNGSTEN (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
China—			
Tungsten ore	3,390	3,984	2,995
Japan—			
Tungsten ore	187	£7,928	1
Korea (<i>c</i>)—			
Tungsten ore	13	1	(<i>a</i>)

(*a*) Information not available.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Including re-exports.

(*d*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*e*) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(*f*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*g*) Overseas trade only.

IMPORTS OF TUNGSTEN

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Tungsten ore	141	1,994	1,178
Tungsten powder	5	41	5
Hong Kong (b)—			
Tungsten ore	1	105	240
Straits Settlements (e)—			
Tungsten ore	203	327	192
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
France—			
Tungstic acid and tungstates	1	1	1
Germany—			
Tungsten ore	5,747	3,609	2,335
Sweden—			
Ferro-tungsten, etc. ..	92	113	—
United States—			
Tungsten ore	(c) 1,655	—	—
Tungsten content of ore ..	(d) 10	—	—
Tungsten and ferro-tungsten	463	(a)	(a)
Tungsten and tungsten content of ferro-tungsten ..	(d) 323	275	36

(a) Information not available.

(b) Total imports.

(c) Figures refer to the period, 1st January–21st September.

(d) Figures refer to the period, 22nd September–31st December.

(e) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

URANIUM MINERALS

PRODUCTION OF URANIUM MINERALS

(Cwt.)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	7,860	80	400
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Czechoslovakia	200	200	551
Portugal	(b)	(c) 7,537	(b)
Belgian Congo (c)	4,680	9,400	(b)
Madagascar	320	(c) 401	(b)
United States (a)	414	325	(b)
Turkestan (a)	—	100	(b)

- (a) Uranium content of ores.
 (b) Information not available.
 (c) Exports.

EXPORTS OF URANIUM MINERALS, ETC.

(Domestic Produce)

Exporting Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
France—				
Uranium oxide	Cwt.	—	25	65
Portugal—				
Ore	Cwt.	(a)	7,537	(a)
Belgian Congo—				
Uranium	Cwt.	4,680	9,400	(a)
Madagascar—				
Uranium minerals	Cwt.	307	401	(a)

(a) Information not available.

IMPORTS OF URANIUM MINERALS, ETC.

(Less Re-exports)

Importing Country and Description	Unit	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE				
United Kingdom—				
Uranium minerals	Cwt.	283	251	273
Canada (b)—				
Radium	£	28,037	715	2,473
FOREIGN COUNTRIES				
France—				
Uranium oxide	Cwt.	26	18	8
Other uranium salts ..	do.	10	2	41
Radium and radium pro- ducts	Lb.	458	6,731	3,760
Norway—				
Radium	£	985	—	(a)
United States—				
Uranium oxide and salts ..	Cwt.	49	49	6
Radium salts and radio- active substances ..	£	5,536	107,822	92,383

(a) Information not available.

(b) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

VANADIUM

PRODUCTION OF VANADIUM ORES (Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
Northern Rhodesia ..	141	46	28
South-West Africa Territory	1,982	(b) 1,289	(b) 1,640
Union of South Africa ..	—	(a) 5	(c)
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
United States (a)	23	57	—
Peru (a)	2	348	(c)
Turkestan (a)	—	7	(c)

(a) Vanadium content.

(b) Exports.

(c) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF VANADIUM

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
South-West Africa Territory— Ore	568	1,289	1,640
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
United States— Ferro-vanadium	22	23	25
Peru— Ore	(a)	2,396	(a)
Ash	22	50	(a)

(a) Information not available.

IMPORTS OF VANADIUM

(Less Re-exports)

(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
United States—			
Ore	273	1,865	6,302
Ferro-vanadium	(a)	—	—

(a) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

ZINC

 PRODUCTION OF ZINC ORE
 (In terms of metal)
 (Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom	745	956	1,042
Northern Rhodesia (a) ..	3	73	—
Canada (g)	46,522	46,726	44,156
India	29,800	41,600	43,200
Australia	195,533	143,214	108,159
Total ..	272,600	232,600	196,600
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	40	996	1,186
Belgium (a)	26	35	(b)
Bulgaria	(a) 75	(b)	(b)
Czechoslovakia	(c) 600	10	(a) 679
France (c)	5,700	4,300	5,300
Germany	(f) 60,000	34,400	37,000
Greece	332	1,068	1,400
Italy	39,743	52,007	(h) 57,530
Jugoslavia	(c) 180	(a) 608	(b)
Norway	244	729	623
Poland	(d) 50,000	89,800	92,300
Portugal	300	(b)	(b)
Russia	2,000	3,000	(b)
Spain	23,568	37,511	41,200
Sweden	13,958	15,466	14,100
Algeria	13,200	19,200	22,000
Tunis	2,400	4,700	5,500
Mexico	6,043	18,184	18,632
United States	421,457	544,995	568,000
Bolivia (e)	173	(c) 130	(c) 150
China (e)	(c) 22,900	(c) 23,000	(c) 8,000
French Indo-China ..	8,516	12,805	16,525
Korea (e)		4	(b)
Japan (c)	5,900	7,900	9,800
Total ..	680,000	870,000	900,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	950,000	1,100,000	1,100,000

(a) Ore, zinc content not stated.

(b) Information not available.

(c) Approximate.

(d) Estimated and including Polish Upper Silesia during June-December.

(e) Exports.

(f) Estimated and excluding Polish Upper Silesia during June-December.

(g) Shipments and including zinc content of lead ores.

(h) Excluding zinc content of 4,068 long tons of mixed ore, containing copper, lead, silver and zinc.

SMELTER PRODUCTION OF ZINC
(Long tons)

Producing Country	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom (<i>d</i>) ..	32,835	42,625	47,619
Canada	25,129	26,808	24,504
Australia	23,724	41,153	46,372
Total ..	82,000	111,000	118,000
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria	250	(<i>a</i>) 300	(<i>h</i>)
Belgium (<i>b</i>)	110,485	144,677	160,371
Czechoslovakia	2,300	4,800	6,786
France	39,078	48,541	58,915
Germany	(<i>g</i>) 60,600	39,400	41,000
Italy	2,737	3,622	5,863
Jugoslavia (<i>c</i>)	2,118	2,400	2,092
Netherlands	12,800	16,185	17,906
Norway	1,820	3,722	4,943
Poland	(<i>f</i>) 46,700	87,294	81,053
Spain	6,168	10,746	12,572
Sweden	1,525	1,194	3,396
United States (<i>e</i>)	316,319	455,745	461,910
China	400	500	200
French Indo-China	—	—	71
Japan	12,325	13,559	15,000
Total ..	616,000	833,000	872,000
WORLD'S TOTAL	698,000	944,000	990,000

(*a*) Approximate production.

(*b*) In addition, zinc dust was produced as follows:—

1922	2,873 long tons.
1923	4,752 „
1924	(<i>h</i>) „

(*c*) Crude and refined zinc. In addition, zinc dust was produced as follows:—

1922	102 long tons.
1923	145 „
1924	(<i>h</i>) „

(*d*) These figures have again been revised.

(*e*) In addition, the following quantities of primary zinc were recovered as zinc dust:—

1922	1,897 long tons.
1923	2,187 „
1924	(<i>h</i>) „

(*f*) Including Polish Upper Silesia during June–December.

(*g*) Excluding Polish Upper Silesia during June–December.

(*h*) Information not available.

EXPORTS OF ZINC

(Domestic Produce)

(Long tons)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Sulphides	2	692	1,817
Ashes, etc.	9,700	5,500	10,732
Spelter	2,681	3,627	6,146
Sheets, plates and discs	1,609	1,876	1,539
Oxide	2,871	2,814	3,520
Lithopone	26	472	559
Southern Rhodesia—			
Unwrought zinc	(f)	(f)	1
Union of South Africa—			
Spelter, bars, plates and sheets	—	(f)	5
Canada (a)—			
Ore	—	786	72,259
Spelter	15,767	17,710	19,628
Hong Kong (b)—			
Ore	—	150	340
Bars and rods	182	168	116
Sheets and plates	326	381	286
Other zinc	728	510	676
India (a) (c)—			
Concentrates, etc.	14,949	4,102	18,418
Australia (d)—			
Ore (e)	—	—	228
Concentrates (e)	56,794	154,920	124,461
Dust (e)	12	5	(f)
Blocks, bars, rods, etc.	7,953	24,754	31,926
Sheets and tubes	8	6	2
New Zealand—			
Spelter and bars	40	76	52
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (g)—			
Ores	1,360	1,266	1,468
Spelter and its alloys	3	2,090	2,410
Sheets, plates, bars, rods and wire	8	58	30
Zinc-white and zinc-grey	110	39	36
Lithopone, etc.	—	6	24

EXPORTS OF ZINC (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Belgium—			
Ore	(i) 5,254	(k)	(k)
Spelter	(i) 14,756	(k)	(k)
Sheets and wire	(i) 12,038	(k)	(k)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(j) 14,501	39,123	44,983
Spelter	(j) 40,368	67,519	83,309
Sheets and wire	(j) 35,216	44,040	45,578
Czechoslovakia (b)—			
Ore	1,207	67	(h)
Spelter, including scrap	550	893	(h)
Sheets and plates	54	9	(h)
Zinc-white and zinc-grey	2,125	2,258	(h)
Lithopone, etc.	356	299	(h)
Denmark—			
Spelter	219	216	339
Esthonia—			
Dust and scrap	13	—	3
France—			
Ore	13,476	33,580	24,167
Spelter and bars	5,134	5,540	2,864
Scrap	3,719	2,824	5,585
Sheets	3,438	3,108	4,180
Oxide	2,716	3,042	3,238
Lithopone	2	94	458
Germany—			
Ore	31,859	42,378	49,368
Spelter	20,781	8,484	6,069
Dust	594	342	407
Scrap	1,156	196	1,041
Sheets	5,230	395	1,714
Wire	76	3	30
Zinc-white and zinc-grey	17,939	17,256	17,685
Lithopone	10,866	7,337	6,052
Greece—			
Calamine	69	15	(h)
Italy—			
Ore	129,018	122,967	134,880
Spelter and scrap	1,219	43	21
Sheets and plates	13	20	43
Oxide	176	339	228
Netherlands—			
Ore	4,118	354	170
Spelter	14,922	15,271	19,095

EXPORTS OF ZINC (Cont.)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Netherlands (Cont.)—			
Scrap	1,740	958	2,423
Sheets, wire and dust	2,578	523	714
Zinc-white	11,573	} 34,491	(h)
Lithopone	20,737		
Norway—			
Ore	1,133	1,992	(h)
Ashes	1,435	625	807
Refined zinc	9,256	1,814	2,782
Plates, bars and wire	961	604	163
Zinc-white	1	7	(h)
Poland (b)—			
Blende	(h)	} 8,394	{ 1,071
Calamine	(h)		
Spelter	} 18,758	} 62,248	{ 39,512
Dust			
Scrap			
Refined zinc			
Sheets			
Zinc-white and lithopone			
Rumania (b)—			
Spelter and scrap	203	236	269
Spain (b)—			
Blende	39,469	51,345	71,666
Crude calamine	9,112	2,027	16,633
Calcined calamine	5,992	6,204	2,263
Spelter and plates	1,134	2,862	5,452
Sweden—			
Ore	42,428	41,298	45,580
Unwrought zinc	1,847	264	2,256
Scrap	880	580	1,070
Plates	40	40	45
Zinc-white	9	23	113
Lithopone	(f)	(f)	(f)
Switzerland—			
Spelter and scrap	2,264	2,428	3,325
Bars, sheets and pipes	1	1	—
Zinc-white, etc.	1	3	3
Lithopone, etc.	(f)	(f)	—
Algeria—			
Ore	36,514	49,031	50,377
Spelter and bars	73	61	(h)
Scrap	164	286	(h)
Sheets	9	8	(h)

EXPORTS OF ZINC (*Cont.*)

Exporting Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Egypt—			
Spelter	83	129	104
Tunis (<i>b</i>)—			
Ore	6,062	12,628	15,571
United States—			
Ore	1,513	} 13,165	9,683
Dross	7,511		
Spelter produced from—			
Domestic ore	23,942	37,617	} 64,807
Foreign ore	2,894	6,316	
Dust	1,784	3,284	2,027
Sheets, strips, etc.	2,872	3,332	3,266
Oxide	3,551	4,485	3,506
Lithopone	1,443	1,326	824
Argentina—			
Ore	—	25	18
Bolivia—			
Ores	(<i>h</i>)	384	461
Zinc	173	(<i>h</i>)	(<i>h</i>)
China—			
Ore	60,273	60,098	20,133
Spelter	119	237	(<i>h</i>)
Dutch East Indies—			
Zinc	43	45	(<i>h</i>)
French Indo-China (<i>b</i>)—			
Ore	27,245	32,176	35,906
Rolled zinc and scrap	281	(<i>h</i>)	(<i>h</i>)
Japan—			
Spelter	66	11	1
Korea (<i>b</i>)—			
Ore	—	11	(<i>h</i>)

(*a*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*b*) Including re-exports.

(*c*) Overseas trade only.

(*d*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*e*) Zinc content.

(*f*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*g*) Including re-exports, but excluding transit trade.

(*h*) Information not available.

(*i*) Four months only, January–April.

(*j*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*k*) See Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union.

IMPORTS OF ZINC
(Less Re-exports)
(Long tons)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE			
United Kingdom—			
Calamine	550	1,138	—
Sulphides	12,770	53,746	116,496
Ashes, etc.	81,435	5,731	3,928
Spelter	72,485	127,480	118,541
Sheets, plates and discs ..	10,230	11,039	15,030
Oxide	5,549	6,970	8,402
Lithopone	9,714	11,542	12,395
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan—			
Zinc-white	14	(£42)	1
Northern Rhodesia—			
Unwrought zinc	—	(j)	2
Southern Rhodesia—			
Unwrought zinc	271	255	233
South-West Africa Territory—			
Unwrought zinc	6	7	8
Union of South Africa (a)—			
Unwrought zinc	1,885	2,236	2,412
Canada (b)—			
Spelter	451	453	384
Dust	147	173	196
Blocks, bars and rods	24	31	1
Sheets and plates	1,723	1,409	1,322
Zinc-white	9,906	8,891	6,162
Newfoundland (c)—			
Zinc	(£99)	(£151)	(£292)
Ceylon—			
Slabs, sheets and plates ..	34	36	81
Hong Kong (a)—			
Ore	—	150	359
Bars and rods	12	2	3
Sheets and plates	364	692	642
Other zinc	225	417	373
India (b) (d)—			
Unwrought zinc	2,681	2,876	(o) 1,955
Wrought zinc	2,233	3,009	(o) 3,366
Other zinc	29	(m 15)	—
Zinc-white (a)	1,927	2,015	(o) 1,926
Australia (c)—			
Dust	(f)	(£123)	(£6,031)
Blocks, bars, scrap, etc. ..	1,551	57	51

IMPORTS OF ZINC (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description.	1922	1923	1924
BRITISH EMPIRE (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Australia (<i>c</i>) (<i>Cont.</i>)—			
Sheets and tubes	249	422	549
Oxides	14	42	62
Lithopone	17	50	116
New Zealand—			
Spelter and bars	184	235	380
Sheets	98	97	113
FOREIGN COUNTRIES			
Austria (<i>e</i>)—			
Ore	1	166	12
Spelter and its alloys ..	4,444	4,722	4,931
Sheets, plates, bars, rods and wire	10	184	815
Zinc-white and zinc-grey ..	1,107	1,088	1,624
Lithopone, etc.	—	945	1,226
Belgium—			
Ore	(<i>g</i>) 49,880	(<i>n</i>)	(<i>n</i>)
Spelter	(<i>g</i>) 3,761	(<i>n</i>)	(<i>n</i>)
Sheets and wire	(<i>g</i>) 9	(<i>n</i>)	(<i>n</i>)
Belgium-Luxemburg Economic Union—			
Ore	(<i>h</i>) 221,769	503,718	451,902
Spelter	(<i>h</i>) 8,498	7,849	12,477
Sheets and wire	(<i>h</i>) 18	141	122
Czechoslovakia (<i>a</i>)—			
Ore	3,696	5,009	(<i>f</i>)
Spelter, including scrap ..	6,039	7,128	(<i>f</i>)
Sheets and plates	290	119	(<i>f</i>)
Zinc-white and zinc-grey ..	433	35	(<i>f</i>)
Lithopone	8	(<i>j</i>)	(<i>f</i>)
Denmark—			
Spelter	1,216	1,948	1,770
Plates	1,983	2,981	2,682
Zinc-white	1,689	2,008	2,009
Lithopone	318	528	695
Estonia—			
Dust and scrap	—	12	4
Plates and sheets	13	23	32
Zinc-white	111	134	108
Finland (<i>a</i>)—			
Unwrought zinc and scrap ..	58	98	(<i>f</i>)
Plates	166	138	(<i>f</i>)
Zinc-white	1,115	1,226	(<i>f</i>)
Lithopone	157	189	(<i>f</i>)

IMPORTS OF ZINC (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
France—			
Ore	93,106	135,266	137,494
Spelter and bars	35,927	43,107	60,086
Scrap	1,313	1,029	2,014
Sheets	16,719	7,771	3,202
Oxide	4,635	4,680	6,387
Lithopone	6,604	7,897	12,043
Germany—			
Ores	72,154	38,578	123,036
Spelter	24,425	34,119	42,940
Dust	1,218	2,483	3,712
Sheets	5,891	11,519	15,650
Scrap	1,517	1,709	1,312
Zinc-white and zinc-grey ..	884	360	550
Lithopone	6	10	39
Greece—			
Spelter	283	137	(f)
Hungary—			
Spelter	(f)	(f)	2,051
Italy—			
Spelter and scrap	(i) 5,090	7,869	10,465
Sheets and plates	3,888	3,899	4,609
Oxide	2,190	1,204	1,274
Jugoslavia (a)—			
Spelter	31	(f)	(f)
Sheets and plates	35	(f)	(f)
Bars and rods	19	(f)	(f)
Zinc-white, lithopone, etc. . .	669	(f)	(f)
Netherlands—			
Ore	63,852	70,901	77,681
Spelter	1,392	9,645	2,183
Scrap	133	351	282
Sheets, wire and dust	7,345	6,354	8,493
Zinc-white	13,951	3,468	3,625
Lithopone	456	640	842
Norway—			
Ore	7,688	7,183	(f)
Spelter	(m2,972)	1,970	(a) 1,180
Bars, plates and bolts	398	590	(a) 969
Zinc-white	1,812	2,080	(f)
Poland—			
Blende	(f)	71,232	24,469
Calamine	(f)		
Spelter	2,403	433	86
Dust			336
Scrap			498
Refined zinc			10
Sheets and wire			577
Zinc-white and lithopone ..	(f)	(f)	82

IMPORTS OF ZINC (Cont.)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (Cont.)			
Rumania (a)—			
Spelter and scrap	210	477	796
Sheets and plates	476	519	645
Zinc oxides	1,166	1,257	1,380
Spain (a)—			
Spelter and bars	867	350	728
Plates, nails and wire ..	321	140	(f)
Sweden—			
Ore	968	4,327	4,324
Unwrought zinc	1,090	3,717	3,253
Scrap	11	18	18
Plates	1,757	1,898	1,885
Zinc-white	4,423	5,068	} 5,988
Lithopone	698	991	
Switzerland—			
Spelter and scrap	3,233	3,214	4,038
Bars, sheets and pipes ..	1,004	1,128	1,320
Zinc-white, etc.	909	1,140	1,273
Lithopone	876	1,450	1,163
Algeria—			
Spelter and bars	16	54	} 954
Sheets	914	645	
Scrap	—	—	
Oxide	251	455	
Egypt—			
Spelter	4	9	9
Sheets	274	414	171
Oxide	708	955	1,023
Tunis (a)—			
Sheets, etc.	89	135	137
Other zinc	190	66	154
Oxide	90	106	101
Cuba (a)—			
Spelter	13	12	(f)
Sheets	36	124	(f)
United States—			
Ore (h)	1,722	3,068	4,237
Spelter	(m 159)	33	23
Dust	(£17,053)	4	53
Zinc pigments (a)	12,428	10,130	7,716
Brazil (a)—			
Bars, sheets and plates ..	839	826	(f)
Zinc-white	3,147	3,792	(f)
Chile—			
Ingots	31	95	(f)
Bars and sheets	281	861	(f)
Zinc-white	110	239	(f)

IMPORTS OF ZINC (*Cont.*)

Importing Country and Description	1922	1923	1924
FOREIGN COUNTRIES (<i>Cont.</i>)			
Peru—			
Spelter, bars, sheets, etc.	(<i>l</i>) 131	92	(<i>f</i>)
China—			
Spelter	2,276	454	692
Sheets and plates	299	968	601
Dutch East Indies—			
Java and Madura—			
Ingots and sheets ..	218	198	204
Other zinc	4	19	11
Other Islands—			
Ingots	201	139	(<i>f</i>)
Other zinc	7	17	(<i>f</i>)
French Indo-China (<i>a</i>)—			
Rolled zinc	854	1,403	737
Japan (<i>a</i>)—			
Ore	—	12,475	17,560
Spelter	37,738	(<i>s</i>) 30,283	32,009
Sheets	2,702	(<i>s</i>) 3,044	2,737
Other unwrought zinc ..	1,029	903	977
Siam (<i>a</i>) (<i>b</i>) (<i>r</i>)—			
Spelter	168	305	294
Syria (<i>q</i>)—			
Spelter, including wrought zinc	203	175	135

(*a*) Total imports.

(*b*) Years ended 31st March of the year following that stated.

(*c*) Years ended 30th June of the year stated.

(*d*) Overseas trade only.

(*e*) Total imports, excluding transit trade.

(*f*) Information not available.

(*g*) Four months only, January–April.

(*h*) Eight months only, May–December.

(*i*) Including 79 long tons on reparation account.

(*j*) Less than $\frac{1}{2}$ ton.

(*k*) Zinc content.

(*l*) Including lead.

(*m*) Excess of re-exports.

(*n*) See Belgium–Luxemburg Economic Union.

(*o*) Total imports, excluding government stores.

(*p*) Total imports, including other manufactures.

(*q*) Imports into the port of Beirut.

(*r*) The figures refer to the port of Bangkok only, through which port about 85 per cent. of the trade of Siam passes.

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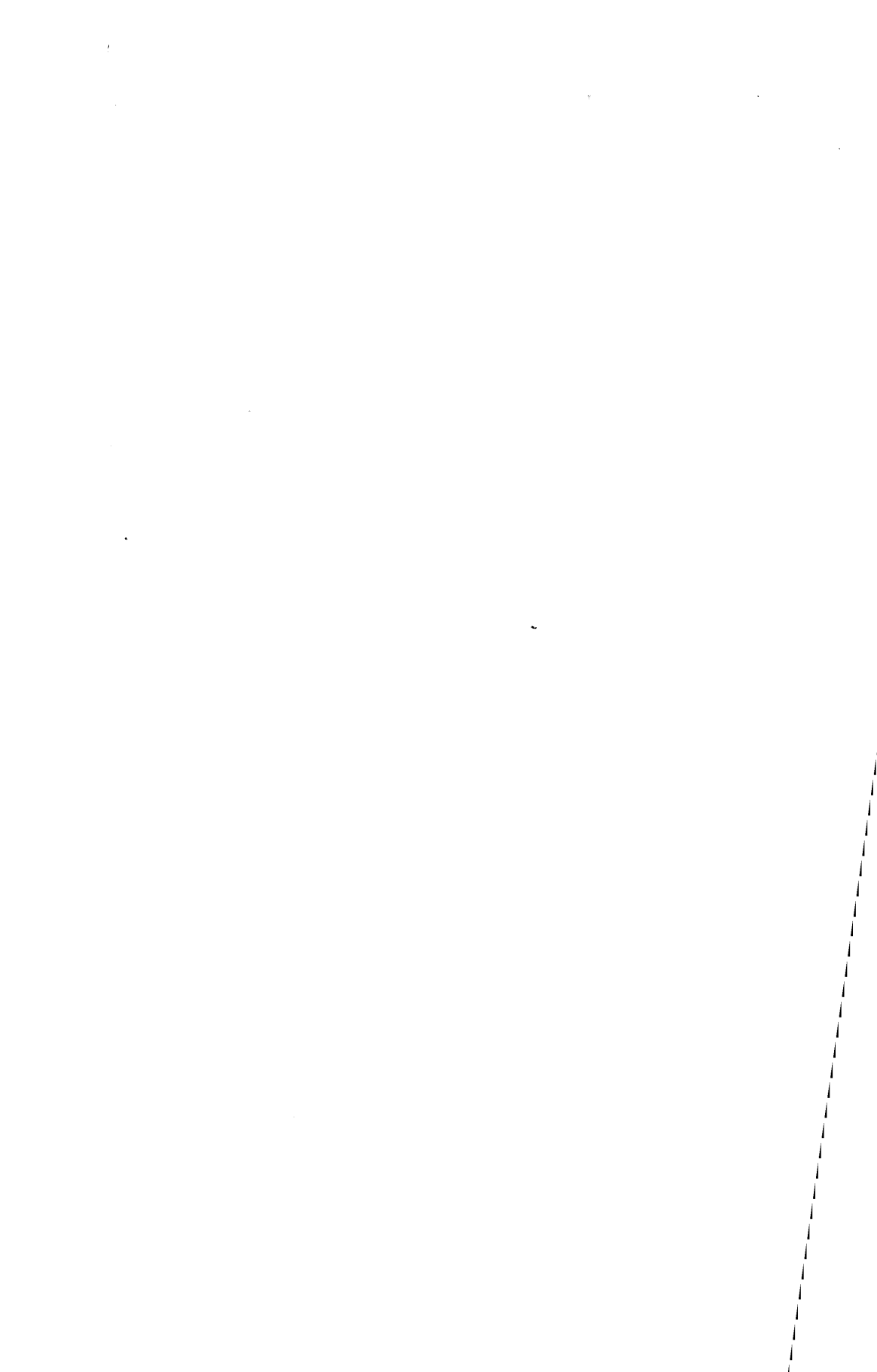
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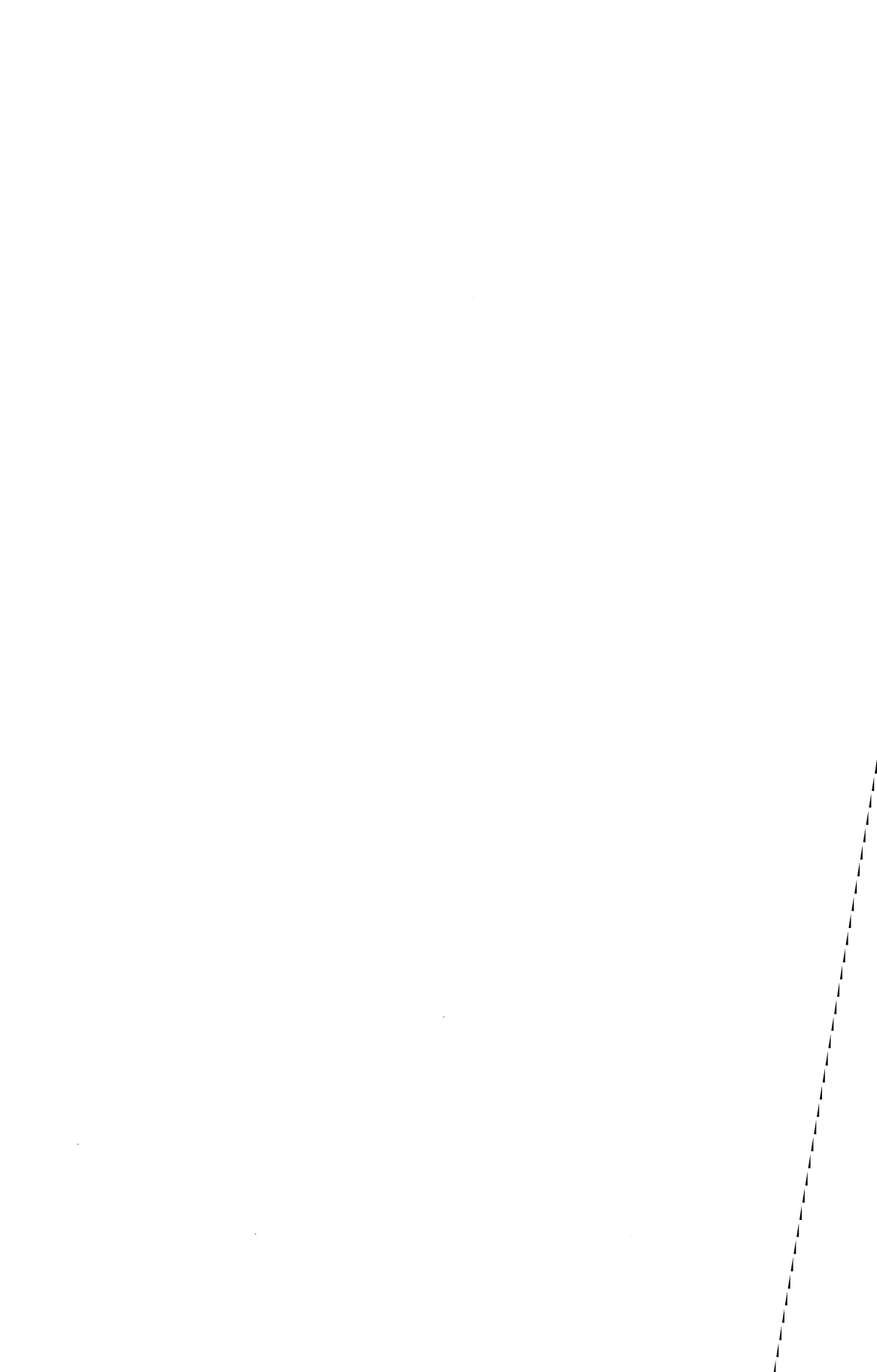
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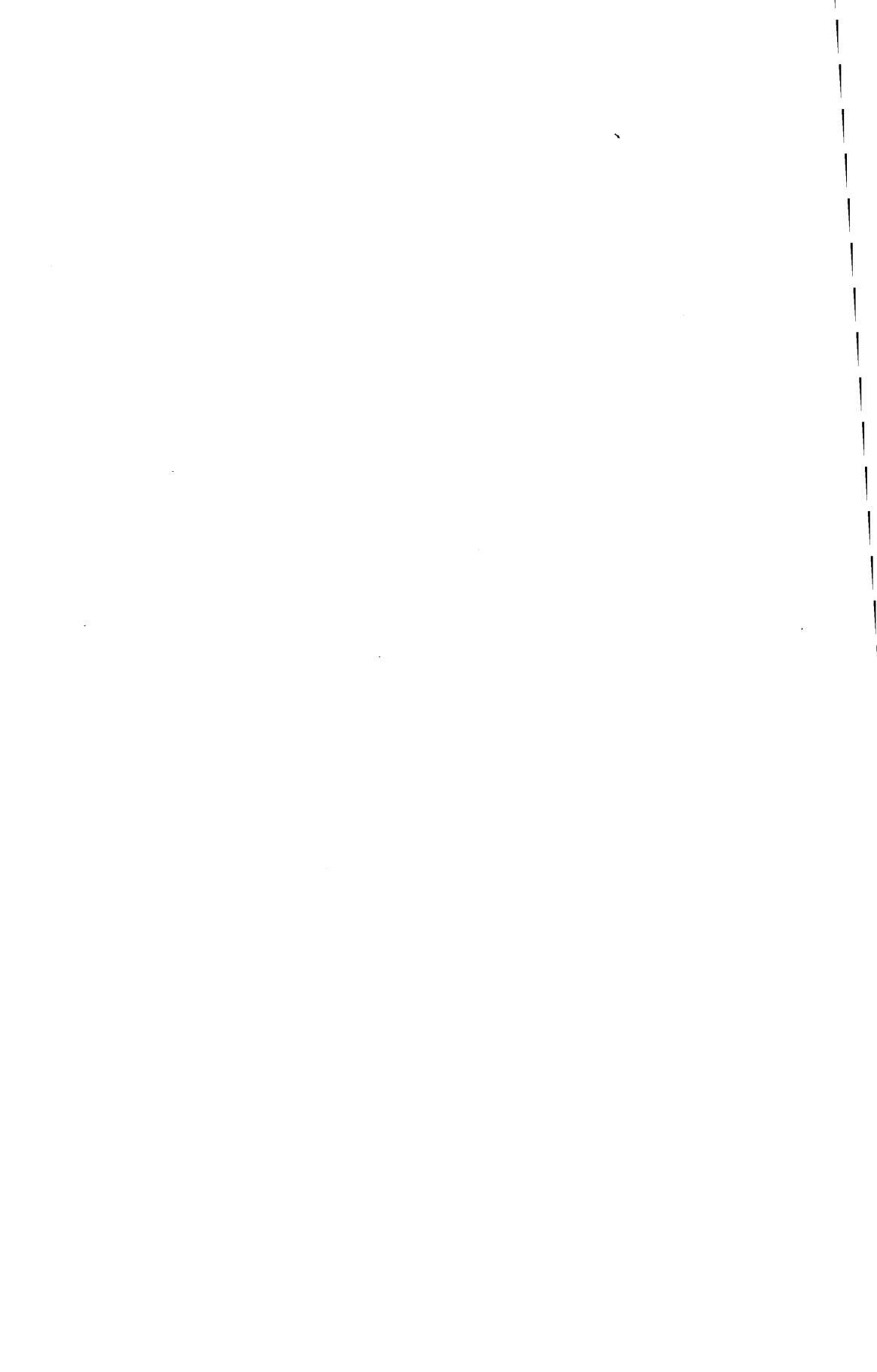
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