A.—QUANTITIES CHARGED FOR DUTY, verified, in the Beet-root Sugar Factories of Belgium.

Period.	No. of Factories.	Charged for Duty.		Period.	No. of Factories.	Charged for Duty.	
		Kilos.	Lbs. English.			Kilos.	Lbs. English.
1843–44	31	2,851,238	6,272,723	1859–60	63	20,642,661	45,413,854
1844–45	27	2,498,423	5,496,530	1860–61	65	13,669,212	30,072,266
1845–46	27	2,439,351	5,366,572	1861–62	69	17,322,709	38,109,959
1846–47	25	4,299,719	5,059,381	1862–63	74	22,661,446	49,855,181
1847–48	25	5,700,268	12,540,589	1863–64	79	18,742,363	41,233,198
1848–49	24	4,698,932	10,337,650	1864–65	84	21,894,809	48,168,579
1849–50	24	5,600,367	11,320,807	1865–66	100	41,551,834	91,414,034
1850–51	28	6,164,087	13,560,991	1866–67	106	39,132,879	86,092,333
1851–52	40	7,143,803	15,716,366	1867–68	104	31,093,093	68,404,804
1852–53	44	9,455,769	20,802,690	1868–69	107	37,078,463	81,572,618
1853–54	45	10,498,937	23,097,661	1869–70	115	43,552,052	95,814,514
1854–55	48	8,074,949	17,764,887	1870–71	131	55,739,218	122,626,279
1855–56	45	10,723,165	23,590,963	1871–72	152	72,546,421	159,602,126
1856–57	46	13,300,909	29,261,999	1872–73	174	76,250,942	167,752,072
1857–58	52	18,564,413	40,841,708	1873–74	173	70,776,696	155,708,731
1858–59	60	17,115,999	37,655,197	1874–75	173	71,819,473	158,002,840

B.—TABLE showing, for the Years 1831 to 1874, the DUTIES collected on SUGARS, together with the RATE of EXCISE.

Years.	Duties collected on Sugars.								Rate of Excise per 100 Kilos.			
	Customs.				Excise.		Total.		Foreign.		Native.	
	Raw Sugar.		Refined Sugar.									
	Francs.	£	Francs.	£	Francs.	£	Francs.	£	Fr. c.	English. £ s. d.	Fr. c.	English. £ s. d.
1831	114,472	4,578	45,936	1,837	1,085,858	43,434	1,246,266	49,850	37·02	1 9 7½	...	...
1832	252,685	10,107	12,124	485	2,023,378	80,935	2,288,187	91,527	...	...	...	...
1833	231,109	9,244	121,142	4,845	2,079,485	83,179	2,431,736	97,269	...	...	...	...
1834	286,229	11,449	48,367	1,934	1,669,730	66,789	2,004,326	80,173	...	...	...	...
1835	211,647	8,465	1,262	48	1,714,623	68,585	1,927,532	77,101	...	...	...	...
1836	231,227	9,249	177	7	205,579	8,223	436,983	17,479	...	...	...	...
1837	229,256	9,170	649	26	509,565	20,382	739,470	29,578	...	...	...	...
1838	199,782	7,391	206	8	1,306,964	52,278	1,506,952	60,278	...	...	...	...
1839	184,304	7,372	810	32	1,206,850	48,274	1,391,964	55,678	...	...	...	...
1840	294,927	11,797	4,205	168	974,584	38,983	1,273,716	50,948	...	...	...	...
1841	244,724	9,789	1,917	77	780,854	31,234	1,027,495	41,099	...	...	...	...
1842	258,150	10,326	712	28	815,273	32,611	1,074,135	42,965	...	...	...	...
1843	173,758	6,950	269	11	930,235	37,209	1,104,262	44,170	45·00	1 16 0	20·00	0 16 0
1844	178,334	7,133	508	20	3,663,111	146,524	3,841,953	153,678	...	...	...	...
1845	111,568	4,462	2,089	83	2,612,665	104,506	2,726,322	109,053	...	...	...	...
1846	294,768	11,790	4,541	182	2,843,380	113,735	3,142,689	125,717	...	...	30·00	1 4 0
1847	256,353	10,254	3,019	121	1,410,529	56,421	1,669,901	66,796	...	...	34·00	1 7 2¼
1848	270,077	10,803	4,249	170	3,072,488	122,899	3,346,814	133,872	...	...	40·00	1 12 0
1849	292,506	11,700	10,960	438	3,810,428	152,417	4,113,894	164,555	...	...	37·00	1 9 7¼
1850	305,687	12,227	13,332	533	3,158,935	126,357	3,477,954	139,118	...	...	...	...
1851	146,988	5,879	8,101	324	3,058,702	122,348	3,213,791	128,551	...	...	...	...
1852	340,267	13,610	8,340	333	3,500,000	140,000	3,848,607	153,944	...	...	...	...
1853	347,261	13,890	7,847	314	3,651,858	146,074	4,006,966	160,278	...	...	...	...
1854	272,385	10,895	6,487	259	3,655,670	146,226	3,934,542	157,381	...	...	...	...
1855	328,663	13,146	6,308	252	3,837,922	153,517	4,172,893	166,915	...	...	...	...
1856	253,735	10,149	5,981	239	4,350,278	174,011	4,609,994	184,399	...	...	38·00	1 10 4¾
1857	206,206	8,248	14,474	578	4,500,500	180,020	4,721,180	188,847	...	...	39·00	1 11 2¼
1858	287,352	11,494	2,385	95	4,786,349	191,454	5,076,086	203,043	...	...	...	...
1859	241,295	9,652	1,396	66	4,761,646	190,467	5,004,337	200,173	...	...	...	...
1860	246,244	9,849	1,308	52	5,589,528	223,581	5,837,080	233,483	48·00	1 18 5¼	42·00	1 13 7¼
1861	322,204	12,888	35,277	1,411	5,573,298	222,932	5,930,779	237,231	45·00	1 16 0	45·00	1 16 0
1862	258,821	10,352	60,271	2,411	5,941,147	237,646	6,260,239	250,409	...	...	...	...
1863	235,988	9,439	46,157	1,846	5,954,920	238,196	6,237,065	249,482	...	...	...	...
1864	174,047	6,961	1,395	56	5,487,401	219,496	5,662,843	226,513	...	...	...	...
1865	165,825	6,633	110,551	4,422	5,927,757	237,110	6,204,133	248,165	1 class 46·00 2 „ 45·00 3 „ 43·00 4 „ 40·50	1 16 9½ 1 16 0 1 14 4¾ 1 12 4¾	*45·00	1 16 0
1866	...	...	212,616	8,504	6,003,593	240,143	6,216,209	248,648	...	...	...	...
1867	...	...	448,810	17,952	6,808,624	272,345	7,257,434	290,297	1 class 48·07 2 „ 45·00 3 „ 40·91 4 „ 34·26	1 18 5¼ 1 16 0 1 12 9½ 1 7 4¾	...	...
1868	...	...	605,651	24,226	5,835,049	233,402	6,440,700	257,628	...	...	...	...
1869	...	...	974,790	38,991	6,204,213	248,184	7,179,403	287,176	...	...	...	...
1870	...	...	989,185	39,567	5,581,284	223,251	6,570,469	262,818	...	...	...	...
1871	...	...	2,053,407	82,136	4,466,087	178,643	6,519,494	260,779	...	...	...	...
1872	...	...	2,746,879	109,875	4,769,509	190,780	7,516,388	300,655	...	...	...	...
'873	...	...	1,700,778	68,031	4,776,566	191,062	6,477,344	259,093	...	...	...	...
874	...	...	1,846,644	73,865	4,862,380	194,495	6,709,024	268,361	...	...	...	...

* This duty being collected by agreement upon the quantity of sugar of the second class liable to charge at the 'cation, the equality of the impost between the two sugars is maintained.