

CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS AND LIVE-STOCK TRAFFIC AND EARNINGS BY COMMODITIES.

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Commodity.	Year ended 31st March, 1937.						Year ended 31st March, 1936.								
	Tonnage carried.	Per Cent. of Gross.	Tons One Mile (000 omitted).	Average Haul.	Revenue.			Tonnage carried.	Per Cent. of Gross.	Tons One Mile (000 omitted).	Average Haul.	Revenue.			
					Total.	Per Cent. of Gross.	Per Ton. Mile.					Total.	Per Cent. of Gross.	Per Ton. Mile.	
<i>Products of Agriculture.</i>				Miles.	£	£ s. d.	d.				Miles.	£	£ s. d.	d.	
Grain	265,610	3.89	13,481	51	130,816	2.67	0 9 10	2.32	185,754	3.00	9,627	93,404	2.11	0 10 1	2.32
Meals	118,494	1.74	7,427	63	69,902	1.43	0 11 9	2.25	113,992	1.84	7,566	68,479	1.55	0 12 0	2.17
Fruit and vegetables	43,231	0.64	7,934	184	63,342	1.29	0 11 3	1.91	36,978	0.60	6,700	54,973	1.24	0 9 9	1.94
Root crops and fodder	128,612	1.89	9,221	72	76,831	1.56	0 11 11	1.99	114,614	1.85	8,658	70,221	1.58	0 12 3	1.94
Flax, green and pressed	12,275	0.18	1,033	84	11,190	0.22	0 18 2	2.60	10,315	0.17	752	8,335	0.19	0 16 2	2.66
Seeds	20,033	0.29	1,131	56	15,107	0.30	0 15 1	3.20	16,275	0.26	927	12,221	0.28	0 15 0	3.16
	588,255	8.63	40,227	68	367,188	7.47	0 12 6	2.18	477,928	7.72	34,230	307,633	6.95	0 12 11	2.15
<i>Animals and their Products.</i>															
Cattle, calves, horses	180,142	2.65	15,436	86	200,235	4.07	1 2 2	3.11	171,576	2.77	14,171	184,967	4.18	1 1 7	3.13
Sheep and pigs	420,191	6.17	31,653	75	406,745	8.29	0 19 4	3.08	398,752	6.44	29,786	381,574	8.61	0 19 1	3.07
Meat	227,453	3.35	7,823	34	191,759	3.90	0 16 10	5.88	227,993	3.68	7,291	192,005	4.33	0 16 10	6.32
Butter	155,161	2.28	11,408	74	166,003	3.39	1 1 4	3.49	146,765	2.37	10,938	157,465	3.55	1 1 5	3.45
Cheese	75,007	1.11	3,976	53	69,970	1.42	0 18 8	4.23	71,095	1.15	3,781	66,094	1.49	0 18 7	4.19
Wool	158,743	2.33	9,975	63	154,391	3.14	0 19 5	3.71	162,045	2.62	9,492	154,882	3.50	0 19 1	3.91
Dairy by-products	25,138	0.37	2,092	83	24,158	0.50	0 19 2	2.76	23,308	0.41	2,238	24,291	0.55	0 19 2	2.60
Fat, hides, skins	47,039	0.69	2,188	47	45,193	0.92	0 19 2	4.95	37,035	0.60	1,821	37,554	0.85	1 0 3	4.94
Fish	9,974	0.14	1,696	170	15,322	0.32	1 10 9	2.16	8,434	0.14	1,454	13,151	0.30	1 11 2	2.17
	1,298,848	19.09	86,247	66	1,273,776	25.95	0 19 7	3.54	1,249,003	20.18	80,972	1,211,983	27.36	0 19 5	3.59
<i>Products of Mines.</i>															
Agricultural lime	295,055	4.33	18,833	64	104,598	2.13	0 7 1	1.33	246,716	3.99	15,949	88,475	2.00	0 7 2	1.33
Coal, imported	26,089	0.38	668	26	10,445	0.21	0 8 0	3.75	32,676	0.53	640	11,792	0.27	0 7 2	4.31
Coal, N.Z. hard	766,209	11.25	32,572	43	255,456	5.20	0 6 8	1.88	652,637	10.54	29,194	219,397	0.97	0 6 9	1.80
Coal, N.Z. brown	840,018	12.32	104,856	125	552,484	11.26	0 13 1	1.26	802,541	12.97	96,604	524,690	11.85	0 13 1	1.30
Road-metal	109,963	1.62	3,343	30	27,934	0.56	0 5 1	2.00	132,096	2.13	4,454	34,584	0.78	0 5 3	1.86
Lime and coke	32,873	0.48	2,670	81	19,257	0.39	0 11 8	1.75	28,225	0.46	2,373	16,914	0.38	0 12 0	1.71
	2,070,207	30.38	162,942	79	970,174	19.75	0 9 4	1.42	1,894,891	30.62	149,214	895,852	20.23	0 9 5	1.44
<i>Products of Forests.</i>															
Timber, imported	18,171	0.26	1,038	57	16,825	0.35	0 18 6	3.89	13,476	0.22	679	11,834	0.27	0 17 9	4.18
Timber, N.Z.	434,204	6.37	51,953	120	413,677	8.43	0 19 0	1.91	407,923	6.58	46,797	379,779	8.57	0 18 8	1.94
Firewood, posts, &c.	78,736	1.16	6,862	87	37,471	0.76	0 9 6	1.31	72,543	1.17	6,314	34,353	0.78	0 9 6	1.30
	531,111	7.79	59,853	113	467,973	9.54	0 17 7	1.87	493,342	7.97	53,790	425,966	9.62	0 17 3	1.90
<i>Manufactures, &c.</i>															
Benzene, gasoline, kerosene	154,061	2.27	13,893	90	254,069	5.17	1 13 0	4.38	131,510	2.13	11,851	225,106	5.08	1 14 3	4.55
Cement	58,989	0.86	7,442	126	63,002	1.29	1 1 4	2.03	49,799	0.80	6,677	53,964	1.22	1 1 8	1.03
Manure	746,492	10.95	49,342	66	365,493	7.44	0 9 9	1.77	663,185	10.72	41,591	317,332	7.16	0 9 7	1.83
	959,542	14.08	70,677	74	682,564	13.90	0 14 2	2.31	844,494	13.65	60,119	596,402	13.46	0 14 1	2.38
Miscellaneous	1,365,277	20.03	76,454	56	1,148,609	23.39	0 16 10	3.60	1,229,147	19.86	65,323	991,464	22.38	0 16 1	3.64
Totals	6,813,240	100.00	496,400	73	4,910,284	100.00	0 14 5	2.37	6,188,805	100.00	443,647	4,429,300	100.00	0 14 4	2.39