

Meat dominates

NEW ZEALAND exports of non-traditional items to Canada have been increasing more rapidly than traditional trade items.

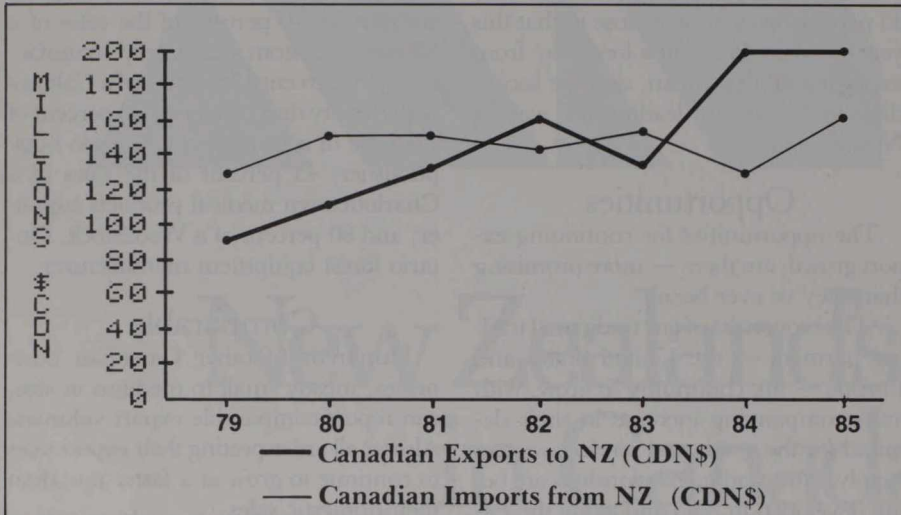
Meat exports still dominate, although they took a major dive following the year's third freezing works strike in New Zealand early in 1986.

In the nine months from July 1985 to

the end of March 1986, meat imports fell \$US16m fob to \$US32m. 1984-85 nine month sales were \$US47m.

However, meat exports aside the nine months increased from \$22m in 1984-85 to \$29m in 1985-86. This represents a 32 percent increase in other items.

Fruit, vegetables, processed food, beverages, specialty dairy items, textile yarns, fabrics, and a full range of metal and plastic manufactured goods were prominent in the list of growth New Zealand exports.



New Zealand Exports to Canada

(Approximate US\$FOB June Year)

	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85*
1982-83	83m	70m	110m
Major Items			
Meat	60m	40m	65m
Dairy	3m	4m	5m
Fruit & vegetables	2.5m	8m	8m
Crude materials (including fuels)	7.5m	7.5m	10m
Manufactured goods	3m	6m	7.5m

New Zealand Imports from Canada

(Approximate US\$VFD)

	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85*
1982-83	87m	85m	158m
Major Items			
Food	6m	10m	14.5m
Crude materials (except fuels)	19m	16m	26m
Chemicals and related products	10.5	10m	13m
Manufactured goods	17m	19m	31m
Machinery and transport equipment	29m	21m	59m

* Provisional Source: NZ Department of Statistics

Trade Mission to Canada

NEW ZEALAND exporters to the United States and Canada have been invited to join the proposed Export Institute of New Zealand trade mission.

The mission, timetabled for 28 September-12 October, is to call in Vancouver, Toronto and Montreal, where official receptions will be held.

New Zealand's Department of Trade and Industry, and the Canadian Trade Commission are supporting the mission, which has attracted its first registrations from engineering, toy and foodstuff exporters.

Mr Brian Stocking, of Blueport ACT, says the Canadian Government is showing its confidence in promoting two-way trade.

New Zealand companies wanting to join the mission should contact Mr Stocking or their local Export Institute office.

Vancouver's Gaseous Fuels conference and trade show in August will embrace



NZ Minister of Energy, and Science, Mr Bob Tizard (left) assessing an advanced machining cell developed by the NZ Department of Science and Industrial Research. Mr Tizard will address the Gaseous Fuels Conference in Vancouver.

every facet of this growing industry.

The international conference and trade show 'Gaseous Fuels for Transportation' has been designed to provide a forum for everyone involved in the market place, from industry and government representatives, to scientists, engineers and poten-

tial customers. The trade show will encompass products, equipment and services and will highlight new applications.

It is being held in conjunction with the 'Man in Motion' EXPO '86, which will be the largest special category world exposition ever held in North America.