

Table C3: Canada's Merchandise Imports from China, 1994-1999

(Value in millions of current dollars)

Classification	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Live animals; animal products	43.76	66.54	78.44	71.08	82.66	89.01
Vegetable products	99.10	74.97	86.07	83.70	96.79	96.28
Animal or vegetable fats and oil	1.83	1.20	5.31	3.12	6.03	3.98
Prepared foodstuffs and beverages	59.84	60.10	59.07	64.20	73.99	82.37
Mineral products	19.59	37.53	40.53	40.58	45.44	51.66
Chemical products	97.50	153.82	144.55	167.67	200.50	210.54
Plastics and rubber	163.59	201.02	203.13	259.55	288.24	342.27
Raw hides & skins, leather	302.37	327.11	318.63	390.94	446.52	455.20
Wood and wood products	36.17	39.84	37.17	52.82	69.92	77.39
Pulp of wood and paper	35.86	45.28	49.00	57.48	77.81	99.38
Textiles	639.81	747.62	708.03	928.75	1 066.54	1 183.79
Footwear and headgear	424.85	520.68	496.57	662.23	710.08	793.28
Articles of stone, plaster and cement	76.17	88.29	100.30	120.45	168.32	184.27
Precious stones, metals and jewellery	16.12	16.68	16.8	24.02	34.80	33.87
Base metals and articles of base metals	202.38	262.85	281.88	379.19	465.62	513.36
Machinery and mechanical appliances	783.84	968.31	1 142.57	1 496.07	1 878.40	2 366.58
Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and transport equipment	44.76	53.22	60.35	71.86	126.77	159.81
Optical & medical instruments, musical accessories	84.07	116.68	154.01	235.44	295.00	336.90
Arms and ammunition	1.44	1.67	0.38	0.50	0.76	1.35
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	705.10	837.07	923.34	1 212.63	1 501.65	1 817.81
Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	17.98	18.67	24.93	22.11	19.49	18.18
Total	3 856.12	4 639.14	4 914.25	6 344.39	7 655.34	8 917.29

Source: *Canadian Trade Analyzer*.

