

Table 5a

G-7 TRADE PERFORMANCE
MERCHANDISE TRADE
 Balance of Payments Basis

	<u>Exports</u> (US \$B)	<u>Growth</u> (Percent)	<u>Imports</u> (US \$B)	<u>Growth</u> (Percent)	<u>Total</u> (US \$B)	<u>Growth</u> (Percent)	<u>Balance</u> (US \$B)
1980	895.9	18.1%	929.5	19.9%	1,825.4	19.0%	-33.68
1981	905.2	1.0%	905.7	-2.6%	1,810.8	-0.8%	-0.52
1982	846.2	-6.5%	846.4	-6.5%	1,692.6	-6.5%	-0.17
1983	836.6	-1.1%	849.5	0.4%	1,686.1	-0.4%	-12.86
1984	897.7	7.3%	945.5	11.3%	1,843.2	9.3%	-47.73
1985	926.2	3.2%	966.5	2.2%	1,892.7	2.7%	-40.23
1986	1,071.7	15.7%	1,071.9	10.9%	2,143.6	13.3%	-0.26
1987	1,239.3	15.6%	1,251.0	16.7%	2,490.4	16.2%	-11.73
1988	1,434.7	15.8%	1,426.8	14.1%	2,861.6	14.9%	7.92
1989	1,541.0	7.4%	1,549.1	8.6%	3,090.1	8.0%	-8.12
1990	1,747.8	13.4%	1,757.9	13.5%	3,505.7	13.4%	-10.09
1991	1,787.1	2.2%	1,756.8	-0.1%	3,543.9	1.1%	30.22
1992*	1,900.5	6.3%	1,845.1	5.0%	3,745.6	5.7%	55.40

CANADA'S TRADE PERFORMANCE
MERCHANDISE TRADE
 Balance of Payments Basis

	<u>Exports</u> (US \$B)	<u>Growth</u> (Percent)	<u>Imports</u> (US \$B)	<u>Growth</u> (Percent)	<u>Total</u> (US \$B)	<u>Growth</u> (Percent)	<u>Balance</u> (US \$B)
1980	67.5	17.0%	59.5	11.2%	127.0	14.2%	8.00
1981	72.5	7.5%	65.9	10.9%	138.5	9.1%	6.58
1982	70.5	-2.8%	55.5	-15.8%	126.0	-9.0%	14.99
1983	75.7	7.4%	60.7	9.4%	136.4	8.2%	14.97
1984	88.6	17.1%	72.7	19.7%	161.3	18.3%	15.97
1985	89.6	1.2%	77.1	6.1%	166.7	3.4%	12.57
1986	89.0	-0.7%	81.4	5.5%	170.4	2.2%	7.68
1987	98.1	10.1%	89.1	9.5%	187.1	9.8%	8.96
1988	115.4	17.7%	107.3	20.4%	222.7	19.0%	8.16
1989	123.2	6.7%	116.9	9.0%	240.1	7.8%	6.29
1990	129.1	4.8%	119.9	2.6%	249.0	3.7%	9.18
1991	127.5	-1.3%	121.5	1.4%	249.0	0.0%	5.93
1992	134.1	5.2%	125.4	3.2%	259.5	4.2%	8.67

* Preliminary data
 Source: IMF IFS Yearbook 1992
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