

on the other hand, was supplying 6 per cent of Canadian imports and other Commonwealth countries about 4 per cent.

The year 1967 saw Canadian exports increase by 10.5 per cent to a new record of some \$11,400 million. In particular, Canada's total sales to the United States were up by 17 per cent over 1966 -- while United States imports from all other countries scarcely increased at all.

Exports to Britain and most countries of Western Europe were little changed in 1967 because of softer market conditions in those areas. Sharper percentage gains were, however, made in those countries experiencing strong expansion, such as Japan, Australia and Italy.

The nature and extent of the geographical shifts in Canadian trading patterns over the years is shown in the following tables:

Canadian Trade by Selected Areas

(as a percentage of total trade)

	<u>Exports</u>					
	<u>1911</u>	<u>1921</u>	<u>1937</u>	<u>1947</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1967</u>
United States	38.0	45.6	36.1	37.3	59.4	64.2
Britain	48.2	26.3	40.3	27.1	15.0	10.3
Other Commonwealth Countries	6.1	7.6	10.4	15.0	4.8	5.7
Japan	.2	.5	3.2	neg.	2.8	5.3
U.S.S.R. and China	.6	.4	2.9	.7	.2	2.3
EEC	2.9	12.9	3.8	8.4	8.2	6.0
Others	4.0	6.7	3.3	11.5	9.6	7.0

	<u>Imports</u>					
	<u>1911</u>	<u>1921</u>	<u>1937</u>	<u>1947</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1967</u>
United States	60.8	69.0	60.7	76.7	71.1	73.2
Britain	24.3	17.3	18.2	7.4	9.3	6.0
Other Commonwealth Countries	4.4	4.2	11.0	6.5	4.2	3.8
Japan	.5	.9	2.0	neg.	1.1	2.7
EEC	6.2	2.5	4.6	1.0	4.2	5.7
Others	3.4	6.1	2.1	11.4	11.7	8.6