

TABLE 7

COMPOSITION OF AUSTRALIAN EXPORTS

	Value			Proportion of Total		
	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79*	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79*
	\$M	\$M	\$M	%	%	%
Live animals, chiefly for food	60.4	104.4	120.1	0.5	0.9	0.8
Beef and veal	618.3	823.6	1,363.4	5.3	6.7	9.6
Mutton and lamb	167.7	181.0	187.2	1.4	1.5	1.3
Other meats	99.8	114.3	160.0	0.9	0.9	1.1
Dairy products and birds' eggs	199.2	199.0	219.7	1.7	1.6	1.5
Fish, crustaceans and molluscs	136.4	144.5	194.2	1.2	1.2	1.4
Wheat and meslin, unmilled	863.5	1,011.1	794.6	7.4	8.2	5.6
Rice	57.1	66.6	70.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Barley, unmilled	222.5	121.8	149.5	1.9	1.0	1.1
Cereal grains, unmilled; other	121.7	62.4	78.7	1.0	0.5	0.6
Cereal and flour preparations	54.1	65.9	71.1	0.5	0.5	0.5
Fruit and nuts (excl. oil nuts) fresh or dried	50.7	69.8	93.2	0.4	0.6	0.7
Fruit, preserved; and preparations	48.2	45.5	50.1	0.4	0.4	0.4
Sugar, raw	629.4	527.6	440.1	5.4	4.3	3.1
Feeding stuff for animals	47.5	48.9	50.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Cattle hides	117.8	127.5	217.5	1.0	1.0	1.5
Sheep and lamb skins	111.2	107.6	111.1	1.0	0.9	0.8
Pulpwood (incl. chips and wood waste)	79.5	82.5	93.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Greasy wool	1,276.4	993.5	1,227.7	11.0	8.1	8.6
Other wool and animal hair (excl. wool tops)	158.7	150.2	206.9	1.4	1.2	1.5
Crude fertilizers and minerals (excl. coal)	53.0	72.2	102.9	0.5	0.6	0.7
Iron ore and concentrates	901.7	920.9	967.7	7.7	7.5	6.8
Uranium & thorium, ores & concentrates	27.8	88.2	85.0	0.2	0.7	0.6
Ores & concentrates of base metal n.e.s.	1,211.9	1,278.0	1,355.0	10.4	10.4	9.5
Coal	1,281.9	1,481.8	1,518.8	11.0	12.1	10.7
Petroleum products & related materials	211.0	241.7	316.8	1.8	2.0	2.2
Animal oils and fats	68.4	100.4	123.6	0.6	0.8	0.9
Inorganic chemicals	27.2	33.7	48.6	0.2	0.3	0.3
Medical & pharmaceutical products	44.1	47.2	65.2	0.4	0.4	0.5
Artificial resins & plastic materials	30.0	32.1	51.9	0.3	0.3	0.4
Textile yarns, fabrics, made-up articles	73.7	68.3	90.0	0.6	0.6	0.6
Pearls & precious & semiprecious stones	39.6	43.0	79.6	0.3	0.4	0.6
Iron and steel	435.0	460.1	581.0	3.7	3.7	4.1
Copper and copper alloys	136.0	118.4	156.0	1.2	1.0	1.1
Nickel and nickel alloys	79.1	42.7	102.7	0.7	0.3	0.7
Aluminum and aluminum alloys	64.8	75.8	99.0	0.6	0.6	0.7
Lead and lead alloys	166.0	194.6	262.2	1.4	1.6	1.8
Zinc and zinc alloys	112.0	98.5	120.0	1.0	0.8	0.8
Machinery specialized for industry	104.5	113.7	126.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
General industrial machinery & equipment	87.8	89.8	104.9	0.8	0.7	0.7
Electric machinery, apparatus & appliances	70.1	64.3	65.2	-	0.5	0.5
Road vehicles	93.2	92.6	136.2	0.8	0.8	1.0
Other transport equipment	47.4	92.2	131.8	0.4	0.8	0.9
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments	30.2	44.7	58.5	0.3	0.4	0.4
Photographic apparatus and equipment	39.2	47.4	63.9	0.3	0.4	0.5
Other items	1,095.9	1,279.5	1,520.4	9.4	10.4	10.7
TOTAL EXPORTS	11,651.6	12,269.5	14,233.3	100.0	100.0	100.0

* 1979 - The latest year for which figures were available when the material for this report was assembled.