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Australia

INTERNATIONAL TRADE, 1886-96

Year.	NET IMPORTS.				NET EXPORTS.				Net barter, trade terms.	Gross barter, trade terms.	Index of wages.		Index of prices. (Wholesale.)	
	Declared value.	Import price index.	Value at 1886 level.		Declared value.	Export price index.	Value at 1886 level.				Effective.	Effective allowing for Unemplt.	Melbourne.	Gt. Britain.
			Absolute.	Relative.			Absolute.	Relative.						
	£ m.	1886 = 1000	A ÷ B £ m.	C ÷ 34.18 1886 = 1000	£ m.	1886 = 1000	E ÷ F £ m	G ÷ 21.72 1886 = 1000			B ÷ F 1886 = 1000	H ÷ D 1886 = 1000	1886 = 1000	1886 = 1000
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	
1886	34.179	1000	34.18	1000	21.720	1000	21.72	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
1887	29.573	1009	29.31	857	23.420	1027	22.80	1050	982	1225	992	1007	982	959
1888	36.881	1004	36.73	1075	28.900	996	29.02	1336	1008	1243	1262	1282	952	957
1889	37.577	1046	35.72	1051	29.553	1012	29.20	1344	1034	1279	1023	1013	968	975
1890	35.168	1035	33.98	994	29.321	978	29.98	1380	1058	1388	1035	1018	1055	1003
1891	37.711	990	38.09	1114	36.042	889	40.54	1866	1114	1675	984	1016	951	1014
1892	30.107	948	31.76	929	33.370	843	39.58	1822	1125	1961	983	1015	849	1019
1893	23.765	912	26.06	762	33.225	761	43.66	2010	1198	2638	983	997	825	967
1894	21.897	866	25.29	740	32.131	686	46.84	2156	1262	2914	960	976	764	962
1895	23.195	858	27.03	791	33.644	703	47.86	2203	1220	2785	921	944	674	907
1896	29.658	892	33.25	973	32.964	740	44.55	2051	1205	2108	934	961	683	1076

Volume and prices of imports and exports, net and gross barter terms of trade, with indexes of wages and prices, 1886-96.

Sources. Columns A and E. Coghlan's *Seven Colonies*, 1895-6.

B and F. Adapted from Coghlan's *Statistical Account of Australia and N.Z.*

K. Calculated from wage rates in N.S.W. and Vic. Year Books.

L. Calculated from unemployment figures for factories.

M and N. From Comwith. Bur. Census and Statistics, Labour Report No. 1.