

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES OF COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the week and 8 weeks ending 24th February, 1910 together with the Number of Bales Imported and Exported during the corresponding 8 weeks in 1909.

[NOTE.—Cotton "In Transit" or "For Transhipment under Bond," if described as such in the Ships' Reports, is not included in this Return.]

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Braslian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Braslian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ending 24th February, 1910.												
Liverpool	Bales. 39,922	Bales. 1	Bales. 12,736	Bales. 5,346	Bales. 1,585	Bales. 59,590	Bales. 2,433	Bales. ..	Bales. 1,485	Bales. 1,948	Bales. 225	Bales. 6,091
London .. .. .	..	..	101	..	1,259	1,360	1,700	..	..	..	..	1,700
Hull .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	225	..	2,982	..	..	3,207
Manchester	6,359	..	..	..	..	6,359	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Ports	5,334	..	..	23	..	5,357	1,930	..	..	..	..	1,930
TOTAL	51,615	1	12,837	5,369	*2,844	72,666	6,233	..	4,467	1,948	225	12,928
8 Weeks ending 24th February, 1910.												
Liverpool	317,169	8,165	39,500	36,682	9,968	411,484	13,750	579	3,336	20,574	2,078	40,317
London	3,900	..	1,417	200	3,202	8,719	6,825	..	891	..	28	7,744
Hull .. .. .	..	..	7,980	..	..	7,980	1,700	688	4,043	10	..	6,441
Manchester	41,721	..	..	26,499	..	68,220	284	..	2	50	..	336
Other Ports	20,816	..	10	170	824	21,820	16,889	..	580	..	..	17,469
TOTAL	383,606	8,165	48,907	63,551	†13,994	518,223	39,448	1,267	8,852	20,634	2,106	72,307
8 Weeks ending 25th February, 1909. }	1,181,981	5,243	18,963	143,182	10,237	1,359,606	†12,100	†1,020	9,026	†23,796	733	76,675

* Including 5 Bales British West African, and 1,430 Bales British East African.

† Including 1,248 Bales British West Indian, 237 Bales British West African, and 3,535 Bales British East African.

‡ Revised figures.

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