

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES OF COTTON Imported, Exported, forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns, and returned to Ports, during the Month and 11 Months ended 30th November, 1889, compared with the corresponding Months of the Years 1888 and 1887.

Description of Cotton.	Imports.			Exports.			Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.			Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.		
	1889	1888	1887	1889	1888	1887	1889	1888	1887	1889	1888	1887
Month ended 30th November.												
American	531,713	420,110	464,273	25,832	28,167	32,521	291,984	257,406	255,192	129	292	118
Brazilian	8,911	4,497	26,120	125	363	3,044	7,668	17,602	32,551	...	...	...
East Indian	26,935	9,394	14,894	27,102	17,017	29,192	18,666	10,262	14,202	10	...	...
Egyptian	53,886	35,964	55,911	1,050	782	1,135	32,057	23,575	32,443	...	2	103
Miscellaneous	4,729	2,404	5,054	271	2,087	1,941	10,380	8,879	10,627	...	...	...
Total	625,674	472,369	566,252	54,380	48,416	67,833	360,705	317,724	345,015	139	294	221
11 Months ended 30th November.												
American	2,596,620	2,429,149	2,427,853	252,172	233,774	219,819	2,366,267	2,309,699	2,235,928	4,032	4,484	3,545
Brazilian	147,285	263,949	386,710	36,198	13,448	38,039	110,134	268,059	325,659	...	...	...
East Indian	628,666	390,225	650,904	259,153	279,863	351,358	206,441	157,823	179,342	107	...	144
Egyptian	221,059	175,651	221,997	10,836	9,774	12,333	200,140	201,280	204,737	74	245	373
Miscellaneous	62,049	63,965	40,067	19,003	22,638	17,835	98,767	94,014	96,955	...	1	...
Total	3,655,679	3,322,939	3,727,531	577,362	559,497	639,384	2,981,749	3,080,875	3,042,621	4,213	4,730	4,062

Dated December 6, 1889,

R. GIFFEN,
Commercial Department, Board of Trade.