

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 eight months ending 31st August, 1921, compared with the corresponding months of the Years 1920 and 1919.

Description of Cotton.	Imports.			Exports.			Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.			Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.		
	1921	1920	1919	1921	1920	1919	1921	1920	1919	1921	1920	1919
Month ending 31st August.												
American ... ..	Bales. 92,838	Bales. 70,864	Bales. 239,683	Bales. 11,919	Bales. 11,789	Bales. 3,639	Bales. 108,850	Bales. 133,156	Bales. 170,223	Bales. 141	Bales. 56	Bales. 114
Brazilian ... ..	1,025	2,817	1,374	221	377	374	4,504	4,012	5,820	...	...	...
East Indian ... ..	805	15,315	18,517	8,788	2,429	6,164	1,882	4,084	3,603	...	...	...
Egyptian ... ..	22,739	13,300	44,933	3,622	4,980	3,395	11,047	13,423	34,768	...	...	...
Miscellaneous ... ..	*11,360	43,854	42,822	2,732	811	689	5,644	7,948	11,328	7	299	50
Total ... ..	128,767	146,150	347,329	27,282	20,386	14,261	131,927	162,623	225,742	148	355	164
Eight Months ending 31st August.												
American ... ..	967,440	1,939,703	1,783,333	133,681	108,026	20,133	611,343	1,434,104	1,311,071	424	1,105	884
Brazilian ... ..	11,678	68,882	12,815	2,857	6,472	572	28,895	30,163	40,612	39	...	...
East Indian ... ..	22,322	127,506	86,833	27,242	47,433	29,494	12,561	27,386	26,887	32	...	...
Egyptian ... ..	170,478	275,772	288,827	23,412	153,614	45,628	64,038	162,542	218,570	9	47	...
Miscellaneous ... ..	†107,210	245,744	161,810	10,310	16,807	2,585	31,588	73,682	61,651	34	457	215
Total ... ..	1,279,128	2,657,607	2,333,618	197,502	332,352	98,412	748,425	1,727,877	1,658,791	538	1,609	1,099

\* Including 206 bales British West Indian, 5,252 bales British West African, 2 bales British East African and 301 bales Foreign East African.

† Including 4,471 bales British West Indian, 29,762 bales British West African, 10,193 bales British East African, and 2,507 bales Foreign East African.

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