

# Statistical Appendix

TABLE 1 *Latin America: external trade indices*  
(1929 = 100)

	<i>Export quantum</i>	<i>Terms of trade</i>	<i>Capacity to import</i>
1925	78	104	81
1926	81	98	80
1927	91	104	95
1928	94	106	101
1929	100	100	100
1930	83	82	69
1931	90	67	61
1932	75	72	55
1933	78	74	58
1934	79	93	73
1935	86	87	75
1936	83	96	80
1937	92	103	95
1938	83	86	73
1939	89	84	76
1940	79	80	64

SOURCE: UN ECLA (1950).

TABLE 2 Exports, mil. US dollars

	Argentina	Brazil	Costa Rica	Chile	Colombia	Guatemala	Honduras	Mexico	Nicaragua	Peru	El Salvador
1925	793	491	16.4	229	83	29.6	12.0	336	12.4	94	17
1926	730	461	19.0	201	110	29.0	13.5	334	13.0	99	25
1927	972	431	18.1	206	106	33.9	17.6	299	9.0	107	14
1928	1017	475	19.6	236	131	28.2	23.1	285	11.7	111	24
1929	907	456	18.2	279	123	24.9	24.6	275	10.9	117	18
1930	513	311	16.3	162	109	23.6	25.1	203	8.3	83	14
1931	428	239	14.3	100	95	15.2	18.6	151	6.6	55	11
1932	331	181	8.5	35	67	10.7	14.8	97	4.5	38	6
1933	359	222	10.7	52	59	9.3	12.3	104	4.9	48	7
1934	418	287	8.7	97	94	14.8	10.5	179	5.2	70	9
1935	449	269	8.3	97	80	12.5	8.6	208	5.7	74	11
1936	483	320	8.8	116	90	16.9	7.0	215	4.6	84	10
1937	757	440	11.5	186	87	17.9	7.5	248	7.0	92	16
1938	438	280	10.1	131	82	18.2	6.6	185	5.9	78	11
1939	481	330	9.1	128	78	18.8	9.1	176	8.3	72	13

SOURCES: Those used in country chapters, supplemented by Wilkie (1974).

TABLE 3 Imports, mil. US dollars

	Argentina	Brazil	Costa Rica	Chile	Colombia	Guatemala	Honduras	Mexico	Nicaragua	Peru	El Salvador
1925	801	412	14	149	86	25	13	193	10	73	19
1926	758	391	14	157	109	29	10	184	10	73	26
1927	825	388	16	131	123	26	11	163	10	72	15
1928	807	442	18	146	145	31	13	172	13	70	19
1929	820	417	20	197	122	30	15	178	12	76	18
1930	617	251	11	170	61	16	16	155	8	51	12
1931	345	132	9	86	40	13	10	82	6	29	7
1932	215	108	5	26	29	7	8	57	3	16	5
1933	287	170	6	27	40	8	6	70	4	20	6
1934	327	208	9	50	54	10	8	93	5	39	8
1935	340	225	8	63	60	12	10	113	5	43	9
1936	328	247	9	71	69	14	8	129	6	50	8
1937	482	460	12	89	95	21	10	171	6	59	10
1938	443	280	13	103	84	21	9	114	5	59	9
1939	325	290	17	85	103	19	10	128	6	48	9

SOURCE: Wilkie (1974).

TABLE 4 *Real GDP 1925-40*  
(indices 1929 = 100)

	Argentina	Brazil	Costa Rica	Chile	Colombia	Mexico	Guatemala	Honduras	Nicaragua	El Salvador
1925	80	76	99	70	75	92	81	81	81	82
1926	84	80	109	62	82	103	82	82	70	97
1927	90	89	99	66	90	98	88	90	71	85
1928	96	99	104	92	97	100	90	101	89	100
1929	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1930	96	98	105	86	99	96	104	106	81	103
1931	89	95	104	68	98	99	97	109	76	92
1932	86	99	95	67	104	84	85	97	68	82
1933	90	108	113	78	110	98	86	91	86	94
1934	97	118	100	89	117	103	97	89	78	97
1935	102	121	108	91	120	112	112	85	79	106
1936	103	136	116	95	126	121	154	86	63	104
1937	111	142	135	103	128	128	151	82	68	114
1938	113	148	143	104	136	130	156	87	70	106
1939	117	152	147	101	145	140	175	89	88	114
1940	114	150	141	107	148	142	200	96	96	123

NOTE: Argentina, 1970 prices; Brazil, 1939 prices (Haddad's estimates have been used in preference to Fishlow and Villela/Suzigan); Central America: see the appendix to the chapter by Bulmer-Thomas in this volume; Chile, 1940 prices; Colombia, 1950 prices; Mexico, 1950 prices; Peru has been omitted because the only estimate available is considered too unreliable to use.

SOURCES: These are discussed in more detail in the country chapters. The sources are: Argentina: Wilkie (1978); Brazil: Haddad (1974); Chile: Palma (1979); Colombia: UN ECLA *Anexo* (1957); Mexico: Solis (1970); Central America: see Bulmer-Thomas, appendix to Ch. 11 in this volume.

TABLE 5 *The value of industrial production*  
(indices 1929 = 100)

	Argentina	Brazil	Costa Rica	Chile	Colombia	Guatemala	Honduras	Mexico	Nicaragua	El Salvador
1925	82	84	98	101	84	89	77	86	113	80
1926	80	86	116	92	93	95	81	96	98	90
1927	85	96	98	89	93	95	85	97	95	86
1928	95	102	111	93	95	95	90	95	94	93
1929	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1930	99	93	109	95	97	110	101	100	88	85
1931	88	94	115	77	95	115	94	95	87	73
1932	83	96	110	77	109	82	92	69	71	66
1933	94	107	134	87	128	86	94	92	84	80
1934	106	119	128	98	136	106	92	100	83	84
1935	109	133	134	111	151	122	105	116	85	87
1936	116	156	147	117	164	158	114	132	77	90
1937	123	164	171	123	193	140	116	135	85	100
1938	130	170	201	128	197	119	122	141	103	91
1939	135	186	225	130	242	105	124	165	155	97

SOURCES: Argentina: Diaz Alejandro (1970); Brazil: Haddad (1974); Central America: Bulmer-Thomas, appendix to chapter I in this volume and unpublished work; Chile: Muñoz (1968); Colombia: CEPAL Anexo (1957); Mexico: Solis (1970).

TABLE 6 *Wholesale prices*  
(indices 1929 = 100)

	<i>Argentina</i>	<i>Brazil</i>	<i>Chile</i>	<i>Colombia</i>	<i>Mexico</i>	<i>Peru</i>
1925	n.a.	116	n.a.	107	109	109
1926	104	95	n.a.	107	107	109
1927	102	93	n.a.	100	104	109
1928	102	104	100	100	100	103
1929	100	100	100	100	100	100
1930	96	88	87	79	102	96
1931	92	78	79	69	90	94
1932	93	79	119	53	83	91
1933	89	78	179	55	87	97
1934	102	83	178	77	90	101
1935	101	87	178	80	91	102
1936	103	88	197	85	96	103
1937	118	96	236	88	114	110
1938	109	99	224	n.a.	119	110
1939	112	101	218	n.a.	122	116

SOURCES: Argentina, *Revista Económica*; Brazil, Malan *et al.* (1977); Chile *Estadística Chilena*; Colombia, *Revista del Banco de la Republica*; Mexico, Wilkie (1978) p. 520; Peru, *Extracto Estadístico*.

TABLE 7 *Urban/rural terms of trade<sup>a</sup>*  
(indices 1929 = 100)

	<i>Argentina</i>	<i>Brazil</i>	<i>Chile</i>	<i>Peru</i>	<i>Mexico</i>
1925	n.a.	91	n.a.	98	n.a.
1926	108	113	n.a.	94	n.a.
1927	107	108	n.a.	90	n.a.
1928	94	105	102	97	n.a.
1929	100	100	100	100	100
1930	119	95	108	100	108
1931	161	128	125	101	148
1932	179	125	125	106	168
1933	178	127	141	107	170
1934	163	128	138	106	155
1935	156	124	126	109	162
1936	129	136	114	107	160
1937	118	122	107	107	150
1938	131	128	109	104	155
1939	149	141	118	110	164

<sup>a</sup> Argentina: wholesale prices, non-rural and rural.

Brazil and Mexico: implicit price deflators; Chile and Peru: ratio of *general* wholesale price index and wholesale agricultural prices. These data, it should be noted, are *not* accurate measures of the terms of trade.

SOURCES: Argentina, *Revista Económica*; Brazil, Haddad (1974); Chile, *Estadística Chilena*; Peru, *Extracto Estadístico*; Mexico, Mosk (1950).

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