FOREIGN TRADE

IMPORTS

SHRIMP IMPORTS, BY TYPE OF PRODUCT, 1996 AND 1997

Type of product	1996			1997		
	<u>Thousand</u>	<u>Metric</u>	<u>Thousand</u>	<u>Thousand</u>	<u>Metric</u>	<u>Thousand</u>
	<u>pounds</u>	<u>tons</u>	<u>dollars</u>	<u>pounds</u>	<u>tons</u>	<u>dollars</u>
Shell-on (heads off)	318,000	144,244	1,393,216	343,642	155,875	1,626,734
Canned Not breaded:	3,563	1,616	9,032	3,620	1,642	10,954
Raw	206,670	93,745	763,008	235,550	106,845	952,130
Other	53,766	24,388	289,809	65,060	29,511	361,538
Breaded	472	214	2,435	450	204	2,233
Total	582,471	264,207	2,457,500	648,322	294,077	2,953,589

Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.