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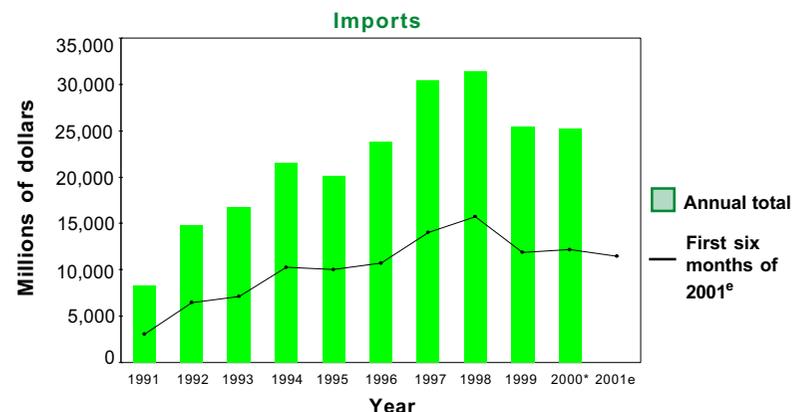
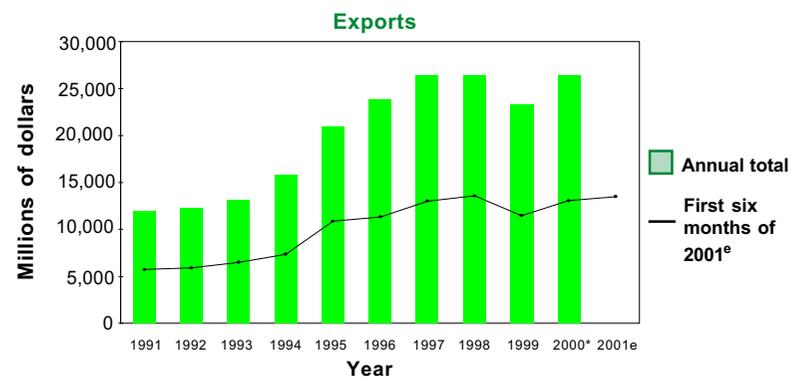
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CONCEPTUAL AND METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Basic Information

INDEC foreign trade statistics are based on the customs declaration forms that register imports and exports of goods.

Since 1995, complementary sources of information have been incorporated because of the lack of customs declaration forms regarding certain exports and imports transactions which should be included in the foreign trade statistics; this is the case of trade on electrical energy by binational entities such as Salto Grande, Yaciretá and others.

The customs declaration forms are registered in an interactive entry system which controls the validity of the data, and allows to detect not received documentation in order to claim them to the customs.

Statistics Coverage

The primary objective of the official statistics on ARGENTINE FOREIGN TRADE is to measure the change in the stock of material resources of the country resulting from the movement of merchandises into or out Argentina.

The transactions can be classified into two main groups: ordinary and of special treatment.

In ordinary transactions importers and exporters receive or send merchandises through usual change operations and have no transportation peculiarities. These operations are included in the statistics and are classified since 1995 according to the MERCOSUR Common Nomenclature also based on the Harmonized System.

There are some transactions of special treatment which are also included in the statistics such as:

- samples
- donations
- temporary admission of goods for processing
- no tangible objects as natural gas or electricity

Special treatment transactions excluded from statistics are:

- goods consigned by the government to their representatives abroad
- monetary gold
- luggage and personal belongings of international passengers

- goods in transit
- military goods
- trade between the continental Argentine territory and Tierra del Fuego Special Customs Area.

COMMERCIAL SYSTEM

The national compilation of the international merchandise trade statistics is based on the special system (except electricity and trade between the continental territory and the Special Customs Area) by which imports and exports are registered on their way through customs, according to the United Nations Statistical Office definition. On the contrary, those countries which use the general trade system, register the transactions when goods cross the boundary of the national territory. This concept implies that the statistical frontier coincides with the geographic limits of the country, while for the special system the statistical border is the customs frontier.

STATISTICAL PERIOD

For the compilation of imports, the statistical period corresponds to the dispatch time independently from the arrival of the merchandises to the country; at the same time, exports are registered according to the final load for shipment date.

VALUES

The value assigned to exports is FOB-type value (free on board), on the port or loading place of the merchandises. It means that the transaction price also includes the cost to deliver goods to the port or loading place.

The imports are registered on a CIF-type basis, although it is also available information on imports FOB valued. The CIF value includes the FOB value plus the freight and insurance (duties are excluded) to deliver the merchandise from the port or loading place, to the first port or place of arrival in Argentina.

The values expressed in different currency from American dollars are converted to that currency according to the monthly average exchange rate, elaborated by the Banco de la Nación Argentina (buyer for the exports, seller for the imports).

TRADING PARTNER

Imports can be classified according to the country of consignment or origin. The definitions recommended by the Customs Cooperation Council are:

Country of consignment is the place "from which merchandises were initially dispatched to the importer country with no commercial intermediaries".

Country of origin is the place "from which merchandises have been produced or manufactured according to the established criteria to apply the customs tariffs, quantity restrictions or any other trade related measure.

Traditionally, INDEC has published imports data according to the consignment country. Starting in 1995, the country of origin is officially used to define the Argentine imports partner country, even when the information according to the country of consignment will continue being elaborated. Data according to the country of origin is available from 1987. Exports are classified according to the country of destination.

Country of destination is the place "declared at the moment of shipment as the country where finally merchandises will be delivered".

For the imports and exports statistics, data by country are grouped in two different manners: by continent or by a specific economic area.

Since January, 2001, the INDEC has introduced a methodological change in the registration of foreign trade statistics, in response to the relevant international recommendations. These changes will contribute to the harmonization of economic statistics and the improvement of their international comparability.

The implemented changes apply only to the foreign trade operations in customs-free zones. In the former system of special registration, applied until 2000, imports included the goods trespassing from customs-free zones to the customs controlled territory. Under the current system the goods are registered upon their entrance to the free zones. Similarly, in the former system exports included the goods leaving customs controlled territory and entering the free zones. With the current system, the goods are registered as exports when they leave the free zone bound for a foreign destination.

This decision applies to foreign trade statistics since 1997, when the first customs-free zones started operating in Argentina. For this reason, as previously announced, the INDEC will inform in its yearly publication, «Comercio Exterior Argentino,» for 2000, the corrections covering the Argentine foreign trade for 1997-1999. The change in the registration system for the foreign trade operations involves for the six months of the current year an increase of 57 millions US dollars for imports figures and an increase of 14 millions US dollars for export figures, relative to six months the amounts registered by the old procedure.

Table 1.- Argentine foreign trade by economic areas

Period	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance	
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars	
TOTAL	26,409,462	13,455,247	3.2	25,242,864	11,455,021	-5.9	1,166,599	2.000.226
Mercosur	8,401,788	3,962,946	-0.6	7,199,284	3,392,620	0.9	1,202,504	570,325
NAFTA	3,764,495	1,776,965	-	5,675,229	2,511,593	-10.7	-1,910,734	-734,628
U.E.	4,691,250	2,252,867	-6.4	5,783,900	2,596,868	-11.8	-1,092,649	-344,001
ASEAN	574,440	374,915	36.5	574,805	276,456	5.6	-365	98,459
Rest	8,977,488	5,087,555	10.5	6,009,645	2,677,485	-4.1	2,967,843	2,410,070

Table 2.- Exports and imports, percent distribution by main countries of destination and origin

Country of destination	Exports (FOB)		Country of origin	Imports (CIF)	
	2000* %	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e %		2000* %	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e %
Total	100	100	Total	100	100
Brazil	26	25	Brazil	26	26
United States	12	11	United States	19	19
Chile	10	10	Germany	5	5
China	3	5	China	5	5
Spain	3	4	Italy	4	4
Uruguay	3	3	Japan	4	4
Italy	3	3	France	4	4
Netherlands	3	3	Spain	4	4
Paraguay	2	2	Chile	2	3
Germany	2	2	Mexico	2	2
Rest	33	32	Rest	25	24

Table 3.- Exports and imports according to continent and country of destination and origin

Continent and Country	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance	
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars		Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Thousand of dollars		Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Thousand of dollars	
Total	26,409,462	13,455,247	3.2	25,242,864	11,455,021	-5.9	1,166,599	2,000,226
AFRICA	1,074,690	615,415	6.7	443,770	161,947	-32.8	630,920	453,468
Algeria	69,866	83,245		39,307	2,320	-82.0	30,560	80,925
Angola	11,807	6,469	10.9	15,366	-	-	-3,559	6,469
Benin	937	162	-57.9	-	-	-	937	162
Botswana	-	-	-	16	-	///	-16	-
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	8	100.0	-	-8
Burundi	51	-	///	-	-	-	51	-
Cameroon	268	777	619.4	23	-	///	245	777
Cape Verde	20	-	-	-	-	-	20	-
Central Africa Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	-	27	100.0	112	-	///	-112	27
Comoros	-	-	-	19	-	///	-19	-
Congo	4,000	2,3103	-11.9	11,853	-	///	-7,853	2,313
Coast of Ivory	4,219	3,357	5.7	49,281	128	-99.4	-45,062	3,229
Democratic Republic of the Congo (ex Zaire)	285	286	495.8	-	-	-	285	286
Egypt	348,849	172,600	-7.8	10,694	1,997	-59.6	338,155	170,604
Equatorial Guinea	4,350	659	-39.3	-	-	-	4,350	659
Ethiopia	126	44	-45.0	1	-	///	125	44
Gabon	1,067	1,184	81.3	-	-	-	1,067	1,184
Gambia,The	63	-	///	-	-	-	63	-
Ghana	1,425	1,084	66.8	25	10	100.0	1,400	1,074
Ghinea	-	101	100.0	-	1	100.0	-	100
Kenya	41,576	25,123	-2.0	527	258	73.2	41,048	24,864
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	1,784	13	-99.3	-	3	100.0	1,784	10
Lybia	53,707	4,273	-82.2	2,563	5,506	100.0	51,143	-1,233
Madagascar	5,702	1,970	-50.2	643	134	-66.9	5,059	1,837
Malawi	110	506	444.1	1,103	1,449	129.3	-993	-943
Mali	152	-	///	-	-	-	152	-
Mauritania	146	101	///	3	7	100.0	142	95
Mauritius	20,054	12,724	25.0	632	59	-89.3	19,422	12,665
Morocco	87,709	47,009	-2.2	4,024	6,216	///	83,685	40,793
Mozambique	6,308	9,848	308.5	1	-	-	6,307	9,848
Namibia	3,158	263	///	553	242	15.2	2,605	21
Niger	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nigeria	46,140	24,116	-3.3	198,624	58,543	-57.8	-152,484	-34,428
Rwanda	-	061	100.0	-	-	-	-	61
Senegal	5,834	5,637	199.4	2	-	-	5,832	5,637
Sierra Leone	49	147	100.0	-	12	100.0	49	135
Somalia	465	-	///	-	4	100.0	465	-4
South Africa	243,026	159,843	22.3	85,142	78,830	98.1	157,883	81,013

Table 3.- (continuation)

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	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars		Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Thousand of dollars		Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Thousand of dollars	
Sudan	16,651	2,513	-81.4	61	41	215.4	16,590	2,472
Tanzania	6,056	-	///	8	1	100.0	6,048	-1
Territories linked to France	12,887	3,225	38.1	18	-	-100.0	12,869	3,225
Territories linked to Spain	1,098	241	-2.0	186	-	-	912	241
Territories linked to United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Togo	184	63	26.0	-	-	-	184	63
Tunisia	72,507	17,404	29.6	20,310	2,623	-31.5	52,197	14,781
Uganda	1	22	100.0	415	267	520.9	-414	-246
Zambia	63	45	-28.6	30	-	-100.0	33	45
Zimbabwe	1,947	495	-21.7	2,085	281	18.1	-138	214
Rest	44	3	-84.2	143	58	-14.7	-99	-55
AMERICA	16,125,845	7,885,714	3.9	13,840,433	6,356,054	-4.0	2,285,412	1,529,660
Antigua and Barbuda	138	81	-4.7	-	-	-	138	81
Bahamas, The	8,375	7,650	///	613	363	17.5	7,762	7,287
Barbados	729	236	-42.0	24	28	75.0	704	207
Belize	1,627	928	21.1	-	-	-	1,627	928
Bolivia	266,351	140,060	1.0	20,034	8,761	-3.4	246,317	131,298
Brazil	6,990,327	3,370,796	2.4	6,443,027	3,023,599	1.4	547,301	347,197
Free trade zone Manaus (Brazil)	990	41	-95.9	35,419	25,220	49.6	-34,429	-25,179
Canada	283,084	146,534	10.1	307,084	122,893	-11.3	-24,000	23,641
Chile	2,670,406	1,403,386	17.4	608,115	288,945	--	2,062,291	1,114,441
Free trade zone Iquique (Chile)	173	63	270.6	-	-	-	173	63
Colombia	130,539	80,277	17.9	54,814	32,749	14.1	75,724	47,528
Costa Rica	30,828	13,240	-29.7	4,645	3,747	59.4	26,183	9,493
Cuba	52,999	27,276	-11.3	3,569	2,221	52.9	49,431	25,055
Dominica	60	88	46.7	-	-	-	60	88
Dominican Republic	55,927	25,236	6.8	1,304	510	-29.2	54,623	24,725
Ecuador	62,629	49,421	78.8	131,645	64,082	9.1	-69,015	-14,660
El Salvador	34,486	4,217	-74.4	91	193	196.9	34,395	4,024
Grenada	191	55	-56.0	708	502	0.6	-517	-447
Guatemala	33,568	25,910	65.3	1,076	591	173.6	32,492	25,319
Guyana	107	24	-74.2	475	273	250.0	-368	-248
Haiti	14,601	12,634	110.8	23	9	-25.0	14,579	12,625
Honduras	8,068	4,280	33.5	569	39	-91.8	7,499	4,241
Jamaica	11,551	4,759	1.6	57	798	///	11,494	3,961
Mexico	325,693	185,968	21.5	583,276	245,644	-11.4	-257,583	-59,676
Nicaragua	3,102	1,047	-34.4	2	1	100.0	3,100	1,046
Panama	25,888	15,264	14.6	1,650	652	-20.0	24,238	14,612
Free trade zone Colon (Panama)	2,899	1,110	18.1	-	-	-	2,899	1,110
Paraguay	592,166	236,533	-15.8	294,758	165,025	10.0	297,409	71,508
Peru	293,353	177,970	19.4	28,592	11,886	-30.5	264,761	166,084

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	Thousand of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %		Thousand of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %		Thousand of dollars	
Puerto Rico (Associated to the United States)	44,960	27,060	84.5	53,141	26,459	-3.0	-8,181	601
Saint Lucia	136	30	-50.8	-	-	-	136	30
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	3,100	114	65.2	-	-	-	3,100	114
Saint Kitts and Nevis	138	106	47.2	-	1	100.0	138	104
Suriname	539	390	34.0	-	1	100.0	538	389
Territories linked the Netherlands	21,888	8,682	124.2	42,126	10,862	112.3	-20,238	-2,180
Territories linked to France	1,111	209	-48.0	-	-	-	1,110	209
Territories linked to United Kingdom	248	107	-	15	35	100.0	232	72
Territories linked to the United States	-	-	-	8	1	100.0	-8	-1
Trinidad and Tobago	6,238	4,089	106.0	7,154	83	-39.4	-917	4,006
United States	3,110,759	1,417,403	-3.5	4,731,721	2,116,595	-10.7	-1,620,963	-699,193
Uruguay	808,226	347,234	-15.2	424,503	178,544	-16.6	383,723	168,690
Free trade zone Colonia (Uruguay)	1,762	2,305	133.3	73	175	177.8	1,689	2,130
Free trade zone Florida (Uruguay)	231	32	-75.2	-	-	-	231	32
Free trade zone Libertad (Uruguay)	109	163	858.8	-	-	-	109	163
Free trade zone Montevideo (Uruguay)	7,885	5,824	77.2	1,504	-	///	6,381	5,824
Free trade zone Helvecia (Colonia S)	-	19	100.0	-	17	100.0	-	3
Free trade zone Nueva Palmira (Uruguay)	-	-	-	-	41	100.0	-	-41
Free trade zone Rio Negro (Uruguay)	91	-	///	-	-	-	91	-
Free trade zone Rivera (Uruguay)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Free trade zone San Jose (Uruguay)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela	217,569	136,862	20.7	28,837	11,329	12.5	188,731	125,533
Rest	-	-	-	29,781	13,178	-27.9	-29,781	-13,178
ASIA	3,578,952	2,349,524	20.4	4,006,037	1,803,443	--	-427,085	546,081
Afghanistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahrain	23,097	12,021	17.3	3,242	2	-99.9	19,855	12,019
Bangladesh	132,114	49,228	-18.6	3,347	1,620	-14.1	128,767	47,608
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	1,120	69	-18.8	-	-	-	1,120	69
Cambodia (ex Kampuchea)	135	756	///	229	112	21.7	-94	644
China	796,224	626,208	5.4	1,156,738	525,739	4.5	-360,514	100,469
Hong Kong	87,776	41,177	-3.8	61,671	24,088	-17.6	26,104	17,089
Macau	-	-	-	3,378	2,277	153.8	-3,378	-2,277
Georgia	1,643	29	-98.2	4,457	3,727	-15.5	-2,814	-3,698
India	442,481	213,648	8.5	145,142	80,715	33.1	297,340	132,933
Indonesia	70,204	28,147	-45.8	112,611	59,565	3.5	-42,408	-31,418
Iran	348,507	210,809	37.2	2,549	182	-82.8	345,958	210,627
Iraq	31,449	41,464	484.9	-	-	-	31,448	41,464
Israel	63,817	54,776	56.4	107,138	45,637	-9.7	-43,321	9,138
Japan	398,813	209,342	-7.1	1,006,070	415,891	-5.3	-607,257	-206,549
Jordan	88,118	76,358	121.1	-	-	-	88,118	76,358
Kasakhstan	1,203	504	-3.3	7,637	687	925.4	-6,433	-183

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	Thousand of dollars	Thousand of dollars		Thousand of dollars	Thousand of dollars		Thousand of dollars	
Kuwait	20,773	14,613	47.7	115	1,659	100.0	20,657	12,954
Lebanon	29,923	7,358	-66.7	157	26	-7.1	29,767	7,332
Malaysia	242,816	135,340	42.9	187,577	81,762	-9.3	55,238	53,578
Maldives	-	-	-	5	-	///	-5	-
Myanmar	16	21	50.0	3,314	1,201	-30.8	-3,298	-1,181
Nepal	42	14	-66.7	50	12	-60.0	-8	2
Oman	22,476	12,175	15.7	-	-	-	22,476	12,175
Pakistan	50,633	20,314	-30.6	30,816	17,428	25.7	19,817	2,885
Philippines	17,303	49,530	///	25,908	15,770	26.5	-8,606	33,760
Qatar	2,936	4,695	194.2	11,057	3,228	-53.3	-8,121	1,467
Korea Republican	165,500	205,741	177.0	533,150	222,659	-9.5	-367,650	-16,918
Saudi Arabia	37,500	33,987	39.6	26,992	10,355	-35.0	10,508	23,632
Singapore	28,201	12,011	-6.7	99,277	48,436	13.6	-71,076	-36,425
Sri Lanka	4,277	3,341	-19.5	7,131	2,463	-34.5	-2,854	878
Syria	63,512	54,904	61.7	397	145	-48.8	63,115	54,759
Taiwan	64,148	13,731	-66.9	278,789	126,284	-9.5	-214,641	-112,553
Tayikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thailand	187,905	126,302	20.4	134,477	64,522	26.1	53,428	61,780
Turkmenistan	7	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
United Arab Emirates	94,537	55,349	23.1	2,909	22,277	///	91,628	33,072
Uzbekistan	1,172	-	-	-	-	-	1,172	-
Vietnam	26,737	22,739	254.6	11,390	5,087	-14.5	15,348	17,652
Yemen	31,772	12,579	-31.2	-	-	-	31,772	12,579
Rest	64	244	408.3	38,317	19,886	36.8	-38,253	-19,641
EUROPE	5,042,618	2,420,031	-6.4	6,709,190	3,023,158	-11.3	-1,666,572	-603,126
Albania	-	-	-	2	1	100.0	-2	-1
Austria	3,984	2,598	47.6	81,149	44,969	7.0	-77,165	-42,372
Belarus	526	106	103.8	197	18	-90.5	329	88
Belgium	310,957	179,914	-1.9	216,015	93,601	-13.0	94,943	86,313
Bosnia and Herzegovina	151	34	-41.4	295	126	63.6	-144	-91
Bulgaria	3,201	2,727	92.6	4,200	1,897	17.5	-999	830
Croatia	74	2,544	///	1,188	725	553.2	-1,115	1,818
Cyprus	17,090	9,150	-16.8	139	25	-67.5	16,952	9,126
Czech Republic	1,517	804	-26.1	17,662	8,241	5.3	-16,144	-7,437
Denmark	202,842	93,656	9.5	93,730	39,896	-7.3	109,112	53,761
Estonia	713	313	-10.6	356	141	120.3	357	172
Finland	69,469	39,761	-12.5	137,908	49,736	-30.8	-68,438	-9,975
France	536,846	154,070	-50.4	993,253	426,097	-11.1	-456,407	-272,027
Mónaco	13	-	///	1,340	443	-45.6	-1,327	-443
Germany	608,413	251,079	-9.0	1,261,827	597,251	-10.8	-653,415	-346,172
Greece	81,506	30,085	-22.8	15,414	5,228	-26.3	66,093	24,857

Table 3.- (conclusion)

Continent and Country	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance	
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars	Thousand of dollars		Thousand of dollars	Thousand of dollars		Thousand of dollars	Thousand of dollars
Hungary	6,666	2,118	-29.1	31,770	12,376	-14.9	-25,104	-10,258
Iceland	248	102	-49.0	162	98	3.2	86	4
Ireland	22,630	6,649	-44.9	86,694	37,591	-12.1	-64,063	-30,942
Italy	731,690	420,335	12.5	1,013,506	463,853	-10.2	-281,816	-43,518
San Marino	219	-	///	746	452	-36.2	-527	-452
Latvia	2,270	1,351	18.2	20,801	4,096	2.6	-18,531	-2,745
Liechtenstein	3	-	///	208	69	-32.4	-205	-69
Lithuania	944	2,235	368.6	13,952	19	-99.8	-13,007	2,216
Luxembourg	9,528	3,255	-36.4	7,000	3,478	28.4	2,528	-222
Macedonia	375	270	900.0	-	473	100.0	375	-203
Malta	2,551	1,215	-38.8	498	541	143.7	2,053	674
Netherlands	745,881	331,680	-10.4	165,200	71,560	-18.7	580,681	260,120
Norway	19,316	14,261	21.1	23,358	6,978	-61.0	-4,042	7,283
Poland	34,635	7,486	-59.0	30,244	17,813	16.1	4,391	-10,326
Portugal	132,580	84,331	11.8	42,641	22,393	10.5	89,939	61,938
Romania	12,679	9,396	141.7	8,224	3,304	-25.3	4,456	6,092
Russia	103,247	68,728	46.0	113,025	48,393	-10.7	-9,778	20,336
Slovakia	140	90	-31.3	14,187	16,269	116.6	-14,047	-16,179
Slovenia	3,285	5,397	755.3	5,048	3,537	33.8	-1,763	1,860
Spain	913,620	497,033	--	903,374	397,975	-12.5	10,246	99,059
Sweden	58,520	9,616	-54.4	314,710	125,774	-26.2	-256,190	-116,158
Switzerland	60,620	18,845	-59.2	227,838	107,963	-6.4	-167,218	-89,118
Territories linked to United Kingdom	7	-	-	-	42	100.0	7	-42
Turkey	79,922	17,698	-39.9	40,355	17,778	-26.5	39,567	-80
Ukraine	2,185	417	-57.2	15,387	9,006	14.0	-13,202	-8,589
United Kingdom	261,453	148,564	34.9	449,207	216,430	-4.4	-187,755	-67,866
Yugoslavia(Servia, Montenegro)	100	2,055	100.0	513	425	117.9	-414	1,630
Rest	-	61	100.0	355,867	166,079	-7.4	-355,867	-166,018
OCEANIA	131,195	23,511	-51.4	87,399	45,843	22.0	43,796	-22,332
Australia	69,135	22,357	0.6	71,213	35,467	21.4	-2,079	-13,110
Fiji	539	6	50.0	2	-	///	537	6
New Zealand	61,329	1,107	-95.8	16,180	10,375	24.2	45,149	-9,268
Papua New Guinea	42	-	///	4	-	///	38	-
Territories linked to France	22	27	237.5	-	-	-	22	27
Territories linked to the United States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rest	129	14	100.0	-	-	-	129	14
Rest	456,161	161,053	-44.2	156,034	64,577	-9.1	300,128	96,476

Table 4. Exports and imports, percent distribution according to the Sections of the Harmonized System

Section	Exports		Imports	
	2000* %	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e %	2000* %	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e %
Total	100	100	100	100
I Live animals and products of animal origin	7	6	1	1
II Products of vegetable origin	17	21	2	2
III Fats and oils	6	5	--	--
IV Feeding products, beverages and tobacco	14	12	2	3
V Mineral products	20	19	5	5
VI Industrial products	6	6	16	17
VII Plastic, rubber and its manufactures	3	3	7	7
VIII Leathers and leather manufactures (except footwear)	3	3	--	--
IX Wood, charcoal, cork, cork manufactures, cross-ties of wood	--	--	1	1
X Wood pulp, paper, paperboard	2	1	4	5
XI Textile stuff and manufactures	2	2	4	4
XII Footwear, umbrellas, artificial flowers and others	--	--	1	1
XIII Stone manufactures, plaster, cement, amianthus, mica, ceramic, glass	--	--	1	1
XIV Fine pearls, stones and precious metals, coins and others	--	--	--	--
XV Common metals and manufactures	5	5	6	7
XVI Machines, instruments and electric material	4	4	32	30
XVII Transport equipment	9	9	12	11
XVIII Optical instruments, medical-surgical precision, watches and music	--	1	3	3
XIX Arms and ammunition	-	-	--	--
XX Commodities and different products	1	1	2	2
XXI Works of art, antiques	-	-	-	-
Special transactions	1	1	1	--

Table 5. Exports and imports according to Sections and Chapters of the Harmonized System

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars
Total	26,409,462	13,455,247	3.2	25,242,864	11,455,021	-5.9	2,000,226
I Live animals and products of animal origin	1,880,706	771,867	-26.4	251,636	118,416	-8.3	653,451
1 Live animals	15,493	10,991	25.2	14,969	4,704	-48.0	6,287
2 Meat and edible meat offal	619,975	148,834	-52.6	158,782	73,235	-6.5	75,599
3 Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	822,534	426,029	-17.5	26,642	12,392	-21.1	413,637
4 Dairy produce; birds' eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin, n.e.s.o.i.	406,801	179,743	-10.8	33,950	19,485	17.1	160,258
5 Products of animal origin, n.e.s.o.i.	15,904	6,270	-19.9	17,292	8,600	-8.3	-2,330
II Products of vegetable origin	4,315,506	2,863,794	8.2	476,747	211,171	-16.1	2,652,623
6 Live trees and other plants; bulbs, roots and the like; cut flowers and ornamental foliage	1,257	687	27.9	15,681	4,322	-10.8	-3,635
7 Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers	210,934	115,092	18.4	35,590	14,844	3.2	100,248
8 Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melon	451,083	344,701	12.3	164,550	71,311	-2.7	273,390
9 Coffee, tea, mate and spices	64,433	37,144	3.9	72,605	27,198	-37.8	9,946
10 Cereals	2,414,245	1,541,938	11.6	23,087	5,698	-50.5	1,536,240
11 Milling industry products; malt; starches; inulin; wheat gluten	157,985	71,294	-12.6	18,807	7,700	-13.9	63,594
12 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	1,013,489	751,967	1.3	115,117	63,819	-21.3	688,148
13 Lac; gums; resins and other vegetable saps and extracts	1,373	767	-3.6	30,002	14,684	9.8	-13,917
14 Vegetable plaiting materials and vegetable products, n.e.s.o.i.	707	204	-17.7	1,308	1,594	205.4	-1,390
III Fats and oils	1,677,332	647,552	-18.2	49,789	21,341	-17.7	626,211
15 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1,677,332	647,552	-18.2	49,789	21,341	-17.7	626,211
IV Feeding products, beverages and tobacco	3,641,099	1,631,367	-2.2	618,435	360,189	35.2	1,271,178
16 Edible preparations of meat, fish, crustaceans molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates	179,955	74,400	-15.4	90,275	46,677	2.4	27,723
17 Sugars and sugar confectionary	136,394	44,082	-18.9	30,648	21,328	48.8	22,754
18 Cocoa and cocoa preparations	79,493	39,030	9.2	70,326	47,193	18.2	-8,163
19 Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; bakers' wares	60,752	28,977	4.7	47,142	23,794	8.3	5,183
20 Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts, or other parts of plants	305,577	140,444	3.2	127,588	60,624	6.0	79,820
21 Miscellaneous edible preparations	87,698	34,719	-17.9	135,944	103,072	184.8	-68,353
22 Beverages, spirits and vinegar	212,644	99,909	-3.7	64,418	24,203	-10.7	75,706

Table 5. (continuation)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars
23 Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal feed	2,432,421	1,095,449	-0.5	38,575	19,500	12.4	1,075,949
24 Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	146,165	74,358	-5.7	13,519	13,801	101.3	60,557
V Mineral products	5,123,576	2,508,336	7.0	1,170,913	550,890	-3.5	1,957,446
25 Salt; sulfur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	40,582	16,538	-13.6	59,176	28,475	0.7	-11,937
26 Ores, slag and ash	404,081	272,129	41.4	183,909	85,469	-8.1	186,660
27 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes	4,678,913	2,219,669	4.0	927,827	436,947	-2.9	1,782,722
VI Industrial products	1,519,602	759,145	7.2	3,935,592	1,918,169	4.8	-1,159,024
28 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	174,132	87,831	26.0	325,898	167,505	13.3	-79,674
29 Organic chemicals	292,319	141,013	-3.8	1,429,789	715,905	6.0	-574,892
30 Pharmaceutical products	290,217	149,905	7.5	647,630	342,063	5.9	-192,158
31 Fertilizers	1,128	21,164	///	246,020	77,371	-18.5	-56,207
32 Tanning or dyeing extracts; tannins and derivatives; dyes, pigments and other coloring matter; paints and varnishes; putty and other mastics; inks	117,517	64,340	10.8	261,183	133,349	-	-69,009
33 Essential oils and resinoids; perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations	185,611	97,922	15.6	161,665	77,279	6.2	20,643
34 Soap etc.; lubricating products; waxes, polishing or scouring products; candles etc., modeling pastes; dental waxes and dental preparations with a basic of plaster	68,241	32,145	-7.3	172,730	81,629	--	-49,484
35 Albuminoidal substances; modified starches; glues; enzymes	99,679	41,653	-15.8	68,399	35,640	1.6	6,013
36 Explosives; pyrotechnic products; matches; pyrophoric alloys; certain combustible preparations	5,129	3,179	96.5	17,634	3,952	-0.9	-773
37 Photographic or cinematographic goods	73,141	26,874	-26.7	146,922	60,503	-13.5	-33,629
38 Miscellaneous chemical products	212,488	93,119	7.2	457,723	222,972	15.5	-129,853
VII Plastic, rubber and its manufactures	680,819	377,631	16.8	1,680,982	794,349	-8.2	-416,718
39 Plastics and articles thereof	516,519	299,919	22.7	1,220,596	592,156	-4.9	-292,237
40 Rubber and articles thereof	164,300	77,713	-1.5	460,386	202,193	-16.6	-124,480
VIII Leathers and leather manufactures	884,157	454,072	7.1	98,689	45,315	-10.4	408,757
41 Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather	809,912	414,613	5.6	36,088	14,423	-20.4	400,190
42 Articles of leather; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of gut	40,715	24,800	50.4	57,925	28,401	-3.8	-3,601
43 Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof	33,530	14,658	-2.1	4,677	2,491	-14.2	12,167

Table 5. (continuation)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %		Thousand of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %		Thousand of dollars
IX Wood, charcoal, cork, cork manufactures, cross-ties of wood	92,506	37,379	-21.4	153,631	67,856	-15.6	-30,477
44 Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	91,833	36,868	-22.1	124,008	54,683	-17.0	-17,815
45 Cork and articles of cork	642	497	147.3	26,984	12,208	-9.9	-11,711
46 Manufactures of straw, esparto or other plaiting materials; Basketware and wickerwork	31	15	-16.7	2,639	965	-1.0	-950
X Wood pulp, paper, paperboard	426,784	188,319	-11.7	1,112,737	528,651	-10.6	-340,332
47 Pulp of wood or other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper and paperboard	155,468	62,068	-22.5	73,610	33,777	-5.1	28,291
48 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper or paperboard	171,352	81,314	2.8	810,767	386,731	-11.3	-305,417
49 Printed books, newspapers, pictures and other printed products; manuscripts, typescripts and plans	99,964	44,936	-17.0	228,360	108,143	-10.1	-63,207
XI Textile stuff and manufactures	490,688	248,051	6.2	989,649	462,298	-9.8	-214,247
50 Silk, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	13	-	///	1,764	766	2.8	-766
51 Wool and fine or coarse animal hair, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof; horsehair yarn and woven	133,582	70,372	-0.6	14,032	7,662	-22.6	62,710
52 Cotton, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	79,192	48,024	130.6	84,825	37,802	-13.2	10,222
53 Vegetable textile fibers nesoi; yarns and woven fabrics of vegetable textile fibers nesoi and paper	78	-	///	6,509	2,345	12.0	-2,345
54 Manmade filaments, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	141,428	60,595	-16.4	131,244	59,236	-7.9	1,359
55 Manmade staple fibers, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	23,747	9,482	-31.1	147,056	65,597	-13.8	-56,115
56 Wadding, felt and nonwovens; special yarns; twine, cordage, ropes and cables and articles thereof	24,981	13,196	6.4	45,344	20,751	-15.6	-7,555
57 Carpets and other textile floor coverings	1,528	906	48.3	23,189	10,643	-12.3	-9,737
58 Special woven fabrics; tufted textile fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery	4,878	2,236	-7.6	23,963	9,683	-24.2	-7,447
59 Impregnated, coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics; textile articles suitable for industrial use	36,782	17,998	-6.0	50,938	22,918	-14.6	-4,920
60 Knitted or crocheted fabrics	6,393	3,674	27.7	53,714	31,542	1.3	-27,868
61 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	18,122	8,101	-7.5	128,226	64,648	-6.0	-56,547
62 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted	12,206	8,183	48.5	168,198	83,536	-4.1	-75,353
63 Made-up textile articles nesoi; needlecraft sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	7,758	5,284	34.4	110,648	45,169	-14.0	-39,885

Table 5. (continuation)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars	Thousand of dollars		Thousand of dollars	Thousand of dollars		
XII Footwear, umbrellas, artificial flowers and others	28,581	10,499	-17.6	220,034	104,222	6.6	-93,723
64 Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	27,625	10,101	-17.9	200,805	97,374	7.6	-87,273
65 Headgear and parts thereof	483	202	-15.5	8,083	3,722	-3.1	-3,520
66 Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof	247	75	-28.6	6,722	1,573	20.4	-1,498
67 Prepared feathers and down and articles thereof; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	225	121	40.7	4,425	1,553	-25.6	-1,432
XIII Stone manufactures, plaster, cement, amianthus, mica, ceramic, glass	96,093	46,093	-4.2	287,999	128,235	-11.1	-82,142
68 Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials	25,611	12,686	2.6	65,247	30,408	-11.4	-17,722
69 Ceramic products	39,074	18,185	-10.8	90,241	41,607	-0.8	-23,422
70 Glass and glassware	31,407	15,222	-1.0	132,510	56,220	-17.3	-40,998
XIV Fine pearls, stones and precious metals, coins and others	102,564	52,164	1.5	27,544	23,053	104.9	29,111
71 Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals; precious metal clad metals, and articles thereof; imitation jewelry; coin	102,564	52,164	1.5	27,544	23,053	104.9	29,111
XV Common metals and manufactures	1,406,642	703,758	9.3	1,453,765	773,474	10.3	-69,716
72 Iron and steel	444,830	221,599	8.5	347,263	188,045	9.4	33,554
73 Articles of iron or steel	463,685	265,961	32.1	423,122	258,182	21.9	7,779
74 Copper and articles thereof	31,500	16,106	11.8	124,389	60,457	7.7	-44,351
75 Nickel and articles thereof	90	72	278.9	7,701	5,095	34.7	-5,023
76 Aluminum and articles thereof	397,877	167,163	-10.7	191,190	98,389	9.3	68,774
78 Lead and articles thereof	5,059	5,797	304.5	2,286	938	-17.6	4,859
79 Zinc and articles thereof	9,558	2,383	-61.3	9,723	3,085	-34.9	-702
80 Tin and articles thereof	7	2	-	6,726	2,890	-15.5	-2,888
81 Base metals nesoi; cermets; articles thereof	768	312	-42.5	13,995	4,632	-29.0	-4,320
82 Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof of base metal	29,351	12,966	-24.2	210,735	99,699	5.6	-86,733
83 Miscellaneous articles of base metal	23,917	11,396	-1.5	116,634	52,062	-9.0	-40,666
XVI Machines, instruments and electric material	1,097,805	588,361	13.1	8,158,312	3,491,385	-8.2	-2,903,024
84 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	807,149	421,116	7.6	4,172,799	1,894,103	-6.2	-1,472,987
85 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television recorder	290,656	167,245	29.8	3,985,512	1,597,282	-10.5	-1,430,037
XVII Transport equipment	2,267,291	1,224,860	23.3	3,121,257	1,239,785	-19.5	-14,925

Table 5. (conclusion)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e		Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e
	Thousand of dollars		Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Thousand of dollars		Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Thousand of dollars
86 Railway or tramway locomotives, rolling stock, track fixtures and fittings, and parts thereof; mechanical	5,020	1,960	-13.6	24,450	17,419	-19.2	-15,459
87 Vehicles, other than railway or tramway rolling stock, and parts and accessories thereof	1,949,199	1,102,608	33.6	2,715,420	1,063,576	-20.6	39,032
88 Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof	259,802	93,094	-34.1	346,040	141,405	-13.6	-48,311
89 Ships, boats and floating structures	53,269	27,199	10.9	35,347	17,385	12.2	9,814
XVIII Optical instruments, medical-surgical precision, watches and music	99,044	60,961	31.9	778,998	349,486	-14.4	-288,525
90 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	94,524	58,167	30.1	720,645	326,864	-14.6	-268,697
91 Clocks and watches and parts thereof	3,502	2,421	139.5	42,833	16,445	-11.8	-14,024
92 Musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	1,018	373	-27.3	15,521	6,177	-7.8	-5,804
XIX Arms and ammunition	5,509	3,526	16.6	13,014	6,399	-14.5	-2,873
93 Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	5,509	3,526	16.6	13,014	6,399	-14.5	-2,873
XX Commodities and different products	227,566	115,368	18.4	524,398	215,575	-7.8	-100,207
94 Furniture; bedding, cushions etc.; lamps and Lighting fittings n.e.s.o.i.; illuminated signs, nameplates and the like; prefabricated buildings	203,448	106,399	22.5	250,315	94,931	-18.8	11,468
95 Toys, games and sports equipment; parts and accessories thereof	15,774	5,264	-22.3	187,197	76,632	5.4	-71,368
96 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	8,343	3,705	-3.2	86,886	44,011	--	-40,306
XXI Works of art, antiques	6,705	1,091	-32.1	2,361	871	-5.0	220
97 Works of art-collectors'pieces and antiques	6,705	1,091	-32.1	2,361	871	-5.0	220
Special transactions	338,887	161,053	-6.8	116,382	43,891	-14.2	117,162
Transportation fuel supply	258,688	124,815	-5.0	102,548	35,779	-18.9	89,036
Other soipping stores	60,736	28,006	-17.0	13,804	8,105	15.6	19,901
Residual	19,463	8,231	1.0	30	7	-68.0	8,224

Table 6. Exports by main groups of commodities according to the tariff schedule of the Harmonized System

Groups of commodities		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	
		Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
TOTAL		26,409	13,455	3.2
270900	Petroleum oils and oils from bituminous minerals, crude	2,844	1,191	-11.6
230400	Soybean oilcake and other solid residues resulting from the extraction of soy bean oil, whether or not ground in the form of pellets	2,170	978	0.9
100190	Wheat (other than durum wheat), and meslin	1,217	796	15.2
271000	Petroleum oils and oils from bituminous minerals (other than crude) and products therefrom, n.e.s.o.i., containing 70% (by weight) or more of these oils	1,170	615	21.3
100590	Corn (maize), other than seed corn	976	630	10.9
150710	Soybean oil and its fractions, crude, whether or not degummed	907	347	-14.3
120100	Soybeans, whether of not broken	777	682	7.6
870323	Motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons with spark-ignition internal combustion reciprocating piston engine, cylinder capacity over 1,500 cc but not over 3,000 cc	511	283	43.7
410431	Bovine and equine leather, n.e.s.o.i., parchment-dressed or prepared after tanning, full grains and full grain splits	504	264	12.3
870421	Motor vehicles for goods transport n.e.s.o.i., with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engine (diesel), guw not over 5 metric tons	488	263	34.9
151211	Sunflower-seed or safflower oil, and fractions thereof, crude, not chemically modified	479	179	-32.2
260300	Copper ores and concentrates	400	267	40.5
020130	Meat of bovine animals, boneless, fresh or chilled	320	50	-67.5
870840	Gear boxes for motor vehicles	266	109	-16.2
999801	Transportation fuel supply	259	125	-4.6
030613	Shrimps and prawns	249	147	6.5
760120	Aluminum alloys, unwrought	241	94	-21.0
880240	Airplanes and other aircraft n.e.s.o.i., of an unladen weight exceeding 15,000 kg	224	73	-37.1
730429	Casing and tubing pipes, seamless, of a kind used in drilling for oil or gas, of iron (except cast iron) or steel, n.e.s.o.i.	217	113	24.2
410439	Bovine and equine leather, n.e.s.o.i., parchment-dressed or prepared after tanning, other than full grains and grain splits	209	93	-16.2
030799	Molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates n.e.s.o.i., live, fresh, chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine	191	71	-59.2
040221	Milk and cream, concretionated, not sweetened, in powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1,5%	187	82	-1.2
271121	Natural gas, gaseous	186	150	64.8

Table 6. (conclusion)

Groups of commodities		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	
		Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
020230	Meat of bovine animals, boneless, frozen	173	48	-51.0
080820	Pears and quinces, fresh	170	148	-2.6
030420	Fish fillets, frozen	165	98	16.7
940190	Parts seats	165	88	25.7
160250	Prepared of preserved meat, meat offal or blood of bovine animals, n.e.s.o.i.	159	64	-17.9
120220	Peanuts (ground-nuts), not roasted or otherwise cooked, shelled, whether or not broken	153	42	-28.8
470321	Chemical woodpulp, soda or sulfate, other than dissolving grades, semi-bleached or bleached, coniferous	149	61	-19.7
271600	Electrical energy	147	47	27.0
870899	Parts and accessories for motor vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705, n.e.s.o.i.	142	70	-1.4
230630	Sunflower-seed oilcake and other solid residues whether or not ground or in the form of pellets, resulting from the extraction of oil	136	62	-13.9
300490	Medicaments, in measured doses, etc. excluding vaccines, etc., coated bandages etc. and pharmaceutical goods, n.e.s.o.i.	125	65	8.3
220421	Wine of fresh grapes excluding grape of heading 2009 in containers holding 2 liters or less	124	59	-4.8
870321	Other vehicles, with spark-ignition internal combustion	119	159	224.5
271119	Other ethane	114	49	2.1
240120	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	105	63	21.2
840820	Compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semi-diesel) for the propulsion of vehicles, except railway or tramway stock	103	19	-66.7
071333	Kidney beans, including white pea beans (<i>phaseolus vulgaris</i>), dried shelled, including seed	99	42	61.5
710812	Gold unwrought forms	96	49	-
080530	Lemons and limes, fresh or dried	94	38	-
151219	Sunflower-seed or safflower oil, and their fractions, refined but not chemically modified, n.e.s.o.i.	92	41	-16.3
271113	Butanes	91	66	53.5
040900	Honey, natural	87	46	-13.2
730410	Line pipe of a kind used for oil or gas pipelines	86	48	23.1
030379	Fish, n.e.s.o.i., excluding fillets, livers and roes, frozen	85	42	-
870431	Motor vehicles for the transport of goods n.e.s.o.i. with spark-ignition internal combustion piston engine, gvwt not over 5 metric tons	85	28	-26.3
410422	Bovine leather, otherwise pretanned	82	48	20.0
870210	With compression-ignition internal combustion piston engine (Diesel or semi-diesel)	81	22	-15.4
	Rest	8,186	4,246	8.0

Table 7. Imports by main groups of commodities according to the tariff schedule of the Harmonized System

Groups of commodities		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	
		Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
TOTAL		25,243	11,455	-5.9
852520	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus for radiotelephony, radiotelegraphy, radiobroadcasting or television	892	211	-44.3
870323	Motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons with spark-ignition internal combustion reciprocating piston engine, cylinder capacity over 1,500 cc but not over 3,000 cc	437	145	-27.9
870829	Parts and accessories of bodies including for vehicles, n.e.s.o.i.	383	160	-17.9
300490	Medicaments, in measured doses, etc., (excluding vaccines etc) coated bandages etc., and pharmaceutical goods, n.e.s.o.i.	339	177	7.9
270900	Petroleum oils and oils from bituminous minerals, crude	323	162	-10.0
271000	Petroleum oils and oils from bituminous mineral (other than crude) and products therefrom, n.e.s.o.i., containing 70% (by weight) or more of these oils	309	130	-4.4
847330	Parts and accessories for automatic data processing machines and units thereof. magnetic or optical reader, transcribing machines, list n.e.s.o.i.	290	144	5.1
880240	Airplanes and other airgraf, of an unladen weight exceeding 15.000kg	285	81	-43.0
870899	Parts and accessories for motor vehicles, n.e.s.o.i.	279	106	-25.4
847160	Input or output units, whether or not containing storage units in the same housing, n.e.s.o.i. for automatic data processing machines and units thereof	276	108	-8.5
852990	Parts (except antennas and reflectors) for use with radio transmission, radar, radio navigational aid, reception and television apparatus, n.e.s.o.i.	258	109	-16.8
847150	Digital processing units other than those of subheadings 8,471.41 and 8,471.49 n.e.s.o.i.	244	75	-31.2
870421	Motor vehicles, for the transport of goods, with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engine (diesel or semidiesel) gvw not over 5 metric tons	233	118	13.5
293100	Organo-inorganic compounds, n.e.s.o.i.	214	116	28.9
271600	Electrical energy	201	107	18.9
870332	Motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engine (diesel), cylinder capacity over 1,500 cc but not over 2,500 cc	198	60	-41.2

Table 7. (continuation)

Groups of commodities		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^a	
		Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
851730	Telephonic or telegraphic switching apparatus	177	56	-22.2
851790	Parts of electrical apparatus for line telephony or telegraphy including parts of such apparatus for carrier-current line systems or for digital line systems, videophones; parts thereof	157	64	16.4
870422	Motor vehicles for transports of goods n.e.s.o.i., with compression ignition internal combustion piston engine (diesel), gvw over 5 but not over 20 metric tons	152	49	-47.3
851750	Electrical telecommunication apparatus for carrier - current line	145	81	6.6
390110	Polyethylene having a specific gravity of less than 0,94 in primary forms	131	63	-13.7
850300	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with machines of heading 8501 or 8502	124	21	110.0
870840	Gear boxes for motor vehicles	123	55	-1.8
490199	Other printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar	118	58	-9.4
847170	Automatic data processing for automatic data processing machines, n.e.s.o.i.	115	67	8.1
840820	Compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semi-diesel), for the propulsion of vehicles of chapter 87	109	46	-13.2
210690	Butter substitutes whether in liquid or state, containing over 15 percent by weight of butter or other fats or oils derived from milk	103	79	276.2
999801	Transportation fuel supply	103	36	-18.2
840734	Spark ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines of a cylinder capacity not over 1,000 cc	102	47	-6.0
854011	Cathode-ray television picture tubes, color, including video monitor cathode-ray tubes	102	46	-8.0
840999	Parts for use with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines, n.e.s.o.i.	101	41	-16.3
401120	New pneumatic tires, of rubber, of a kind used on buses or trucks	100	41	-31.7
281820	Aluminium oxide, except artificial corundum, n.e.s.o.i.	100	58	20.8
854389	Electrical machines and apparatus, having individual functions, n.e.s.o.i.	92	48	9.1
390120	Polyethylene having a specific gravity of 0.94 or more, in primary forms	92	44	-10.2
382490	Chemical products and preparations of the chemical or allied industries, n.e.s.o.i.: residual products of the chemical or allied industries, n.e.s.o.i.	91	44	-2.2

Table 7. (conclusion)

Groups of commodities		2000*	Accumulated Jan-Jun 2001 ^e	
		Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
260112	Iron ores and concentrate, other than roasted iron pyrites, agglomerated	88	37	-19.6
871120	Motorcycles and cycles with reciprocating internal combustion piston engine of a cylinder capacity exceeding 50 cc but not exceeding 250 cc	87	36	-18.2
380830	Herbicides, antisprouting, products and plant-growt regulators, desinfectants and similar products put up in forms or packings for retail sale or as preparations or articles	87	31	3.3
390760	Polyethylene terephthakate, in primary forms	87	52	18.2
852431	Discs for laser reading systems	86	24	-38.5
080300	Bananas and plantains, fresh or dried	85	47	11.9
310530	Diammonium hydrogenorthophosphate (diammoium phosphate)	84	36	16.1
392690	Articles of plastics, n.e.s.o.i.	82	37	-7.5
852812	Reception apparatus for television, color	82	53	60.6
401110	New pneumatic tires of rubber of a kind on motor car (including station wagons and racing cars)	82	36	-2.7
845011	Household-or laundry-type washing machines, fully automatic, with a dry linen capacity not exceeding 10 kg	80	38	-9.5
841430	Compressors of a kind used in refrigerating equipment (including air conditioning)	78	27	-15.6
260111	Iron and concentrates including roasted iron pyrites	78	39	2.6
847989	Other machines and mechanical appliances	77	37	-5.1
	Rest	16,585	7,875	-3.3

