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Foreword

External Trade - Year 1996

This report on External Trade Statistics was published on a semester basis from 1989 up to 1994. As from 1995 an annual report incorporating data for the four quarters is published.

This issue contains quarterly and yearly data on exports and imports relating to the years 1995 and 1996. Data relating to the year 1995 have been revised whilst those for the year 1996 are provisional.

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It is hoped that data given in this report proves useful to the public in general and to users of External Trade Statistics in particular.

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External Trade

Notes

(1) Coverage

Trade figures are compiled according to the **General Trade System** as recommended by the United Nations. Using the national boundary as the statistical frontier, the General Trade System is a record of all goods entering (imports) and leaving the country (exports).

- Imports include goods brought in directly for domestic consumption plus goods imported into customs bonded warehouses
- Exports cover domestic exports and re-exports which include re-exports from customs bonded warehouses. Domestic exports are defined as goods of national origin. Re-exports are goods which are exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.
- Ships stores and bunkers are included in total exports and are shown separately.
- Trade by parcel post is also included in imports and exports

(2) Valuation

Imports are valued on a C.I.F. (Cost, Insurance and Freight) basis whilst exports on a F.O.B. (Free On Board) basis.

C.I.F. value is the value in the market at the Customs frontier of a country of her imports of merchandise, other goods, etc. including all charges for transporting and insuring the goods from the country of exports to the given country but excluding the cost of unloading from the ship, aircraft etc. unless it is borne by the carrier.

F.O.B. value is the value in the market at the Customs frontier of a country of her exports of merchandise and other goods, including all costs of transporting the goods to the Customs frontier, export duties and the cost of loading the goods on to the carrier unless the latter cost is borne by the carrier.

(3) Classification

(i) Commodity Code

Commodities are coded according to the Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System Nomenclature (HS). However, for the purposes of economic analysis and to facilitate international comparison of trade by commodity data, the commodities are also classified according to the Standard International Trade Classification (Revision 3) or SITC Rev. 3. The HS and the SITC Rev. 3 are six and five digit codes respectively but have been extended to eight and seven digits to accommodate national requirements.

4. Terms of trade

The terms of trade index measures the price movements of exports relative to imports. It is the ratio of exports price index to import price index. A rise in this ratio indicates that the real purchasing power of exports has increased whilst a decrease indicates a drop in the purchasing power

5. Symbols used

- Nil or negligible
- .- Not applicable
- ... Not available

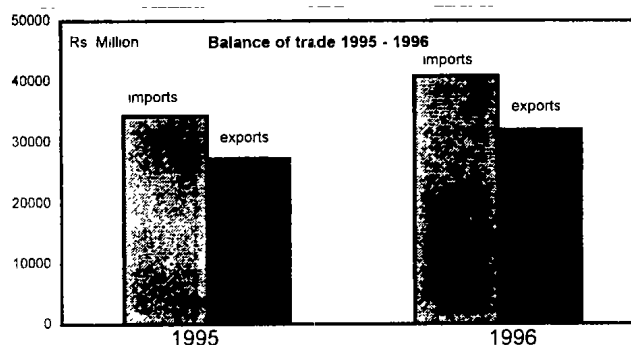
External Trade – Year 1996

Introduction

This report presents external trade statistics for the years 1995 and 1996. Data relating to the year 1995 have been revised whilst those for the year 1996 are still provisional and may be revised in future issues.

1. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total exports for the year 1996 reached Rs. 31,991 million, that is 17% higher than 1995 figures, while imports amounted to Rs. 40,892 million, 19% more than in 1995. Thus the balance of visible trade showed a deficit of Rs. 8,901 million in 1996, compared to Rs. 7,037 million in 1995 (**Table 1**). It is to be noted that imports of machinery and transport equipment increased from Rs. 6,658 in 1995 to Rs. 8,917 in 1996.



2. Terms of trade (base year : 1992 =100)

The terms of trade for the year 1996 stood at 99, compared to a figure of 96 for the previous year. Between 1995 and 1996, export prices increased by 10.7% on the average while import prices went up by 7.1%. Prices of EPZ and sugar exports were up by 10% and 9% respectively (**Table 3**).

3. Exports

Total export proceeds for the year 1996, including domestic exports, re-exports and ship's stores and bunkers, amounted to Rs. 31,991 million, showing an increase of Rs. 4,665 million or 17% over the year 1995.

Domestic exports which represents 95% of total exports increased from Rs. 25,786 million to Rs. 30,475 million (i.e 18%) over these two years, corresponding to an increase of around 6% in volume, based on a 11% increase in prices.

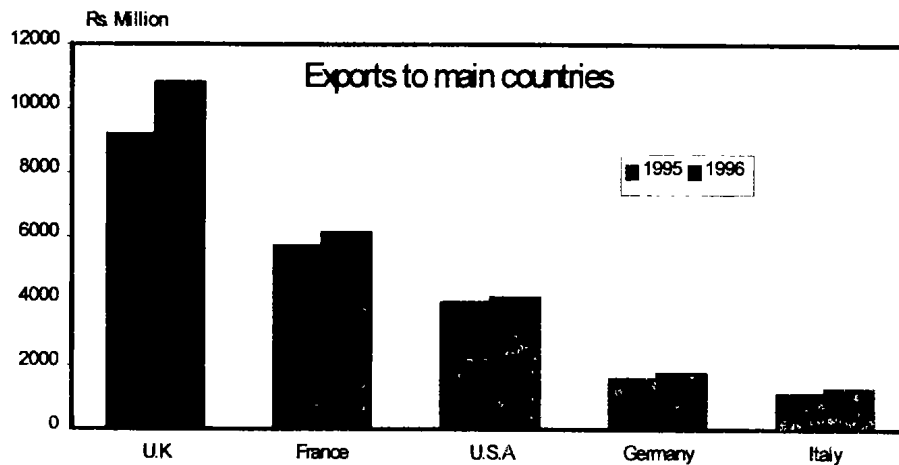
The table below shows the main changes in exports during the last two years.

(f.o.b value) Million Rupees

Exports	1995	1996	Change (%)		
			Value	Price	Volume
Total	27,326	31,991	+17	+11	+ 6
<i>of which</i>					
Sugar	6,326	8,024	+27	+ 9	+16
EPZ products	18,267	21,001	+15	+10	+ 4

Proceeds from EPZ, which accounted for 66% of total exports during the year 1996, increased by 15% over 1995. Exports of sugar, with a share of 25%, rose by 27%.

Re-exports in 1996 totalled Rs. 916 million against Rs. 970 million in 1995.



In 1996, nearly 76% of our proceeds from exports originated from countries of the European Union. The value of exports to these countries increased from Rs. 19,768 in 1995 to Rs. 23,701 in 1996, that is by 20%. On a countrywise basis, our main buyers were the United Kingdom, France and the U.S.A with shares of 34%, 19% and 13% respectively. Exports to these countries increased by 18%, 8% and 3% respectively over these two years (Table 9).

4. Imports

The import bill for the year 1996 was valued at Rs. 40,892 million, representing an increase of 19% over the previous year's figure of Rs. 34,363 million. This increase in value is accompanied by a 7% increase in price (unit value) and an 11% increase in volume.

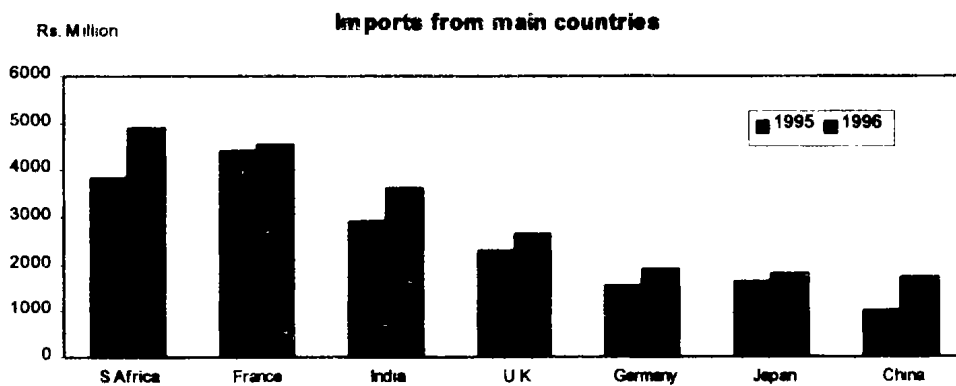
The following table gives comparative figures for the years 1995 and 1996.

Imports 1995-1996 (c.i.f. value) Million Rupees

	1995	1996	Change (%)		
			Value	Price	Volume
1. Food, beverages and Tobacco	4,894	6,134	+25	+18	+ 6
2. Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	2,401	3,212	+34	+30	+ 3
3. Chemical and related products	2,688	3,163	+18	+ 5	+12
4. Manufactured goods	15,832	16,986	+ 7	+ 6	+ 1
5. Machinery & transport equip. excl. aircraft	6,286	8,318	+32	- 2	+35
6. Other goods n.e.s	1,890	2,480	+25	+ 5	+19
Total imports excl. aircraft, marine vessels & parts	33,991	40,293	+19	+ 7	+11

Increases have been registered in both prices and volumes for all S.I.T.C sections, with the exception of a 2% fall in price level of "*Machinery and transport equipment excluding aircraft*". However, it should be pointed out that unit value indices do not reflect genuine price changes since they are affected by factors like changes in country of origin and product mix.

Table 17 shows that during the year 1996, 33% of our imports originated from the European Union countries. Our main suppliers were the Republic of South Africa, France, India and the United Kingdom, with respective shares of 12%, 11%, 9% and 6%.



5. The EPZ sector

During the year 1996, exports from EPZ enterprises reached Rs. 21,001 million against Rs. 18,267 in 1995. This nominal increase of 15% reflects a 10% increase in price and 4% increase in volume.

On the other hand, imports rose from Rs. 10,856 million to Rs. 12,106 million (12%) during the same period. Purchase of raw materials went up by Rs. 1,119 million (11%) and machinery by Rs. 131 million (13%),

Net EPZ exports for the year 1996 amounted to Rs. 8,895 million, that is 42% of total exports of this sector.

Table 1 - Summary of External Trade, 1995 - 1996

Value : Million Rupees

	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Exports of goods	26,756	31,388	5,441	5,693	7,920	7,702	6,569	6,127	9,469	9,223
<i>Domestic exports</i>	25,786	30,474	5,275	5,513	7,741	7,257	6,332	6,012	9,268	8,862
<i>Re-exports²</i>	970	914	166	180	179	445	237	115	202	360
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	570	600	135	145	145	145	150	150	150	150
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	27,326	31,988	5,576	5,838	8,065	7,847	6,719	6,277	9,619	9,373
B. Total Imports² (c.i.f.)	34,363	40,890	7,506	8,244	8,969	9,644	8,728	10,363	10,800	10,999
Total Value of Trade (A + B)	61,689	72,878	13,082	14,082	17,034	17,491	15,447	16,640	20,419	20,372
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-7,037	-8,902	-1,930	-2,406	-904	-1,797	-2,009	-4,086	-1,181	-1,626

¹ Provisional

² Includes irregular transactions involving ships and aircraft

Table 2 - Balance of visible trade, 1992 - 1996

Period	Exports (f.o.b.) value	Ships' stores & bunkers	Total Exports ¹ (f.o.b.) value	Imports ¹ (c.i.f.) value	Balance of visible trade
1992	20,244	500	20,744	25,280	- 4,536
1993	22,992	530	23,522	30,319	- 6,797
1994	24,097	600	24,697	34,548	- 9,851
1995	26,756	570	27,326	34,363	- 7,037
1996 ²	31,388	600	31,988	40,890	- 8,902
1995					
January	1,603	45	1,648	2,490	- 842
February	1,997	45	2,042	2,232	- 190
March	1,841	45	1,886	2,784	- 898
1st Quarter	5,441	135	5,576	7,506	-1,930
April	1,517	45	1,562	2,645	- 1,083
May	1,966	45	2,011	3,121	- 1,110
June	2,210	55	2,265	2,478	- 213
2nd Quarter	5,693	145	5,838	8,244	-2,406
July	2,446	45	2,491	2,665	- 174
August	2,794	45	2,839	2,974	- 135
September	2,680	55	2,735	3,330	- 595
3rd Quarter	7,920	145	8,065	8,969	-904
October	2,673	45	2,718	3,560	- 842
November	2,292	45	2,337	3,110	- 773
December	2,737	55	2,792	2,974	- 182
4th Quarter	7,702	145	7,847	9,644	-1,797
1996					
January	2,419	50	2,469	3,170	- 701
February	1,934	50	1,984	2,667	- 683
March	2,216	50	2,266	2,891	- 625
1st Quarter	6,569	150	6,719	8,728	-2,009
April	1,847	50	1,897	3,060	- 1,163
May	2,079	50	2,129	3,413	- 1,284
June	2,201	50	2,251	3,890	- 1,639
2nd Quarter	6,127	150	6,277	10,363	-4,086
July	3,181	50	3,231	3,939	- 708
August	3,405	50	3,455	3,321	+ 134
September	2,883	50	2,933	3,540	- 607
3rd Quarter	9,469	150	9,619	10,800	-1,181
October	3,345	50	3,395	3,909	- 514
November	2,608	50	2,658	3,418	- 760
December	3,270	50	3,320	3,672	- 352
4th Quarter	9,223	150	9,373	10,999	-1,626

¹ Includes irregular transactions involving ships and aircraft

² Provisional

+ Surplus

- Deficit

Table 3 - Price indices (unit value) of exports and imports and terms of trade*, 1993 - 1996

Period	Price indices		Terms of trade*	
	Export	Import		
Base year : 1992 = 100				
1993	109	111	98	
1994	114	119	96	
1995	121	126	96	
1996 ¹	134	135	99	
1996	Qr. 1	124	132	94
	Qr. 2	133	135	99
	Qr.3	139	136	102
	Qr. 4	142	136	104

¹ Provisional

* Ratio of export to import price index. A rise in this ratio indicates that the terms of trade have moved in favour of Mauritius.

Table 4 - Annual % change in the price (unit value) and volume* of domestic exports, 1995 and 1996

Description	Weight	Base year 1992 = 100			
		1995		1996 ¹	
		% change		% change	
		Price	Volume	Price	Volume
Domestic Exports	1000	+ 6	+ 5	+ 11	+ 6
Sugar	306	+ 8	+ 2	+ 9	+ 16
Molasses	5	+ 26	- 6	+ 28	- 32
Tea	5	- 14	- 30	+ 20	- 53
EPZ products	661	+ 5	+ 5	+ 10	+ 4

Table 5 - Annual % change in the price (unit value) and volume* of imports, 1995 and 1996

Description	Weight	Base Year 1992 = 100			
		1995		1996 ¹	
		% change		% change	
		Price	Volume	Price	Volume
Total imports (excluding aircraft parts)	1000	+ 6	-	+ 7	+ 11
Food and live animals	120	+ 10	-	+ 18	+ 8
Beverages and tobacco	5	+ 3	+ 7	+ 11	- 14
Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	31	+ 15	+ 5	+ 6	+ 24
Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	80	-	+ 13	+ 30	+ 3
Animals and vegetables oils & fats	11	+ 9	- 3	-	+ 6
Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	78	+ 8	+ 2	+ 5	+ 12
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	362	+ 9	- 3	+ 7	+ 2
Machinery and transport equipment (excluding aircraft parts)	222	-	- 4	- 2	+ 35
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	91	+ 6	- 1	+ 2	- 1

* Volume change has been derived from the ratio of value to price change

¹ Provisional

Table 6 - Domestic exports by main product/sector, 1995 - 1996

	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996 ¹			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total domestic exports: value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees	25,786	30,474	5,275	5,513	7,741	7,257	6,332	6,012	2,268	8,862
EPZ exports: value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees	18,267	21,001	3,498	4,843	4,950	4,976	4,210	5,445	5,678	5,668
Non-EPZ exports: value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees	7,519	9,473	1,777	670	2,791	2,281	2,122	567	3,590	3,194
Live animals										
Quantity : (Thousand unit)	145	107	23	29	34	59	25	32	33	17
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	65	125	7	20	16	22	25	38	34	28
Wheaten flour										
Quantity : (tonne)	7,368	24,994	2,332	2,223	1,806	1,007	4,569	4,470	8,010	7,945
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	39	154	10	11	9	9	31	27	47	49
Cane Sugar										
Quantity : (Thousand tonne)	524	613	131	28	205	160	141	16	262	194
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	6,326	8,025	1,507	338	2,530	1,951	1,809	248	3,206	2,762
Cane Molasses										
Quantity : (Thousand tonne)	117	98	15	-	35	67	4	-	44	50
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	136	126	14	-	39	83	4	-	55	67
Tea, whether or not flavoured										
Quantity : (tonne)	2,872	1,397	1,180	927	337	428	699	434	30	234
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	50	28	22	15	5	8	12	8	2	6
Cut flowers and foliage										
Quantity : (tonne)	538	536	164	114	107	153	139	116	102	179
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	126	127	38	26	24	38	37	27	24	39
Chemicals & related products, n.e.s										
Quantity : (tonne)	21,544	27,212	8,033	6,780	993	5,738	8,232	3,822	10,000	5,158
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	121	161	52	39	8	22	50	24	53	34
Articles of apparel & clothing										
Quantity : not applicable	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	270	287	36	73	70	91	58	90	63	76
Other commodities & transactions										
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	386	440	91	148	90	57	96	105	106	133

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Table 7 - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Domestic exports	25,786	30,474	5,275	5,513	7,741	7,257	6,332	6,012	9,268	8,862
0 - Food and live animals	7,692	9,517	1,793	693	2,917	2,289	2,124	585	3,628	3,180
of which :										
Cane Sugar	6,326	8,025	1,507	375	2,527	1,917	1,809	248	3,206	2,762
Cane Molasses	136	126	13	-	39	84	4	-	55	67
Tea, whether or not flavoured	51	28	22	15	5	9	12	8	2	6
Fish and fish preparations	653	751	132	172	193	156	169	211	200	171
1 - Beverages and tobacco	9	20	2	1	3	3	5	3	4	8
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	220	228	58	52	47	63	55	56	50	67
of which :										
Cut flowers and foliage	135	135	41	28	24	42	40	29	26	40
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	7	3	1	2	-	4	-	1	-	2
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	174	176	52	54	25	43	58	28	55	35
6 - Manufacture goods classified chiefly by material	1,799	2,289	382	441	452	524	502	594	604	589
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	1,138	1,575	236	271	285	346	370	409	404	392
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	470	509	105	126	116	123	89	133	148	139
Corks & wood manufacturers	30	37	6	11	6	7	11	9	7	10

¹ Provisional

Table 7 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	91	112	17	13	29	32	18	8	56	30
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles of which :	15,794	18,126	2,970	4,257	4,268	4,299	3,570	4,735	4,871	4,950
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	14,050	16,474	2,579	3,789	3,826	3,856	3,189	4,282	4,463	4,540
Optical goods, n.e.s.	238	214	57	57	61	63	55	59	44	56
Travel goods ,handbags & similar containers	80	72	15	22	23	20	13	18	21	20
Watches & clocks	461	407	116	135	99	111	101	105	86	115
Toys, games & sporting goods	208	197	37	54	63	54	42	56	55	44
Jewellery goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	232	287	46	61	60	65	56	77	80	74
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	74	80	16	20	16	22	16	22	20	22
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1

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Table 8 - Main domestic exports excluding EPZ exports by countries of destination, year 1996¹

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3)	Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value (f.o.b) Rs. 000
Div. 00	Live animals other than animals of Div. 03			106,875	125,063
		France	u	1,506	39,751
		Federal Islamic Rep	"	46,730	593
		Italy	"	280	11,068
		Malagasy, Rep of	"	46,999	662
		United Kingdom	"	739	16,432
		U.S.A.	"	3,636	54,789
		Other	"	6,985	1,768
061.11.00	Cane sugar			612,524	8,025,055
		Belgium	tonne	3,686	61,187
		France	"	5,527	91,533
		Germany	"	2,965	49,761
		Italy	"	4,707	77,751
		Netherlands	"	3,985	65,314
		Portugal	"	78,400	979,580
		Spain	"	5,263	87,228
		United Kingdom	"	478,339	6,330,689
		Switzerland	"	3,208	24,395
		U.S.A.	"	23,779	227,204
		Other	"	2,665	30,413
061.51.00	Cane molasses			97,972	125,556
		United Kingdom	"	97,964	125,544
		Other	"	8	12
292.7	Cut flowers and foliage			536	126,725
		Italy	tonne	136	26,895
		Japan	"	164	53,563
		Taiwan	"	81	15,134
		Other	"	155	31,133
Sect. 8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods				377,258
		France	- . .	- . .	100,862
		Germany	"	"	17,183
		Kenya	"	"	9,024
		Reunion	"	"	127,178
		Seychelles	"	"	15,395
		United Kingdom	"	"	37,418
		Zimbabwe	"	"	10,997
		Other	"	"	59,201

¹ Provisional

Table 9 - Domestic exports by countries of destination, 1995 - 1996

Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	1995	1995				1996						
		1996 ¹	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr		
1. Preferential Tariff Countries												
(a) European Union Countries												
Belgium	489	715	116	131	123	119	116	209	200	190	190	190
France	5,586	6,029	975	1,531	1,400	1,680	1,294	1,717	1,419	1,599	1,599	1,599
Germany	1,531	1,679	268	455	420	388	292	455	479	453	453	453
Italy	1,095	1,264	271	272	226	326	331	280	287	366	366	366
Netherlands	574	759	94	159	151	170	166	185	242	166	166	166
Portugal	245	1,009	15	11	199	20	7	3	570	429	429	429
Reunion	465	461	83	131	119	132	78	119	126	138	138	138
United Kingdom	9,139	10,765	2,139	1,099	3,327	2,574	2,446	1,102	3,703	3,514	3,514	3,514
Spain	367	649	47	126	76	118	103	226	122	198	198	198
Other	80	83	2	3	74	1	14	21	16	32	32	32
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries												
Australia	(5,536)	(6,217)	(1,127)	(1,438)	(1,439)	(1,532)	(1,303)	(1,502)	(1,866)	(1,546)	(1,546)	(1,546)
Burundi	50	87	8	17	11	14	10	19	31	27	27	27
Canada	6	10	2	3	1	-	8	1	1	-	-	-
Comoro Islands	248	206	44	83	52	69	53	57	46	50	50	50
Hong Kong	31	21	-	-	-	31	6	3	3	9	9	9
Malagasy, Republic of	167	182	29	32	39	67	48	55	48	31	31	31
Malawi	530	699	114	129	134	153	168	174	172	185	185	185
Seychelles	7	68	3	2	-	2	23	1	10	34	34	34
Singapore	38	35	16	6	8	8	6	15	7	7	7	7
South Africa, Rep. of	41	36	13	12	9	7	9	12	6	9	9	9
Sweden	72	195	16	27	8	21	36	8	53	98	98	98
Tanzania	67	120	10	16	16	25	16	24	40	40	40	40
U.S.A.	16	82	3	4	4	5	24	16	32	10	10	10
Zimbabwe	3,959	4,080	785	1,037	1,072	1,065	820	986	1,288	986	986	986
Other	113	155	19	29	37	28	30	31	44	50	50	50
2. General Tariff Countries												
Austria	191	241	65	41	48	37	46	100	85	10	10	10
Japan	679	844	138	157	187	197	182	193	238	231	231	231
Norway	37	39	6	8	13	10	8	8	13	10	10	10
Switzerland	162	186	42	36	37	47	43	44	44	55	55	55
Taiwan	12	21	2	3	4	3	3	4	8	6	6	6
Thailand	355	379	70	88	93	104	81	103	92	103	103	103
Other	18	25	9	3	3	3	11	4	7	3	3	3
	15	40	4	3	4	4	4	-	32	4	4	4
	80	154	5	16	33	26	32	30	42	42	42	42

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Table 10 - Total exports¹ of main commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C. section/description	1995	1996 ²	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
0 - Food and live animals	26,756	31,388	5,441	5,693	7,920	7,702	6,569	6,127	9,469	9,223
of which:										
Cane sugar	7,702	9,531	1,796	694	2,921	2,291	2,131	588	3,629	3,183
Cane molasses	6,326	8,025	1,507	375	2,530	1,914	1,809	248	3,206	2,762
Tea, whether or not flavoured	136	126	14	-	39	83	4	-	55	67
Fish and fish preparations	51	28	23	15	5	8	12	8	2	6
1 - Beverages & Tobacco	657	759	141	172	193	151	175	213	200	171
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	32	27	6	13	10	3	7	4	5	11
of which:										
Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	229	235	60	53	52	64	56	57	55	67
Cut flowers and foliage	135	135	41	28	24	42	40	29	26	40
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	7	3	1	3	-	3	-	1	-	2
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	217	210	60	63	33	61	68	32	67	43
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	2,041	2,660	441	499	538	563	564	652	703	741
of which:										
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	1,337	1,818	288	317	354	378	415	459	486	458
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	474	589	106	127	118	123	95	136	149	209
Corks & wood manufacturers	31	37	6	11	6	8	11	10	7	9

¹ Excludes ship's stores & Bunkers² Provisional

Table 10 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ of main commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	1995	1996 ²	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	611	442	75	88	66	382	124	35	108	175
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured goods	15,901	18,252	2,999	4,274	4,300	4,328	3,613	4,754	4,898	4,987
of which:										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	14,059	16,487	2,651	3,973	3,827	3,608	3,194	4,284	4,466	4,543
Optical goods n.e.s.	243	219	60	59	63	61	57	60	45	57
Travel goods ,handbags & similar cont.	80	73	16	22	23	19	13	18	21	21
Watches & clocks	480	436	122	137	105	116	114	111	93	118
Toys, games & sporting goods	211	201	42	54	63	52	43	56	55	47
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	248	307	53	64	61	70	64	77	82	84
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	79	85	19	21	18	21	18	23	21	23
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s	16	28	3	6	-	7	6	4	4	14

¹ Excluding Ships' Stores & Bunkers

² Provisional

Table 11 - Total exports¹ by countries of destination, 1995 - 1996

Country of destination	1995				1996 ²				1995				1996			
	Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees				Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees				Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees				Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total Exports	26,756	31,388	26,756	31,388	26,756	31,388	26,756	31,388	26,756	31,388	26,756	31,388	26,756	31,388	26,756	31,388
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	26,027	30,411	26,027	30,411	26,027	30,411	26,027	30,411	26,027	30,411	26,027	30,411	26,027	30,411	26,027	30,411
(a) European union countries	(19,768)	(23,701)	(19,768)	(23,701)	(19,768)	(23,701)	(19,768)	(23,701)	(19,768)	(23,701)	(19,768)	(23,701)	(19,768)	(23,701)	(19,768)	(23,701)
Belgium	511	731	511	731	511	731	511	731	511	731	511	731	511	731	511	731
France	5,662	6,109	5,662	6,109	5,662	6,109	5,662	6,109	5,662	6,109	5,662	6,109	5,662	6,109	5,662	6,109
Germany	1,561	1,747	1,561	1,747	1,561	1,747	1,561	1,747	1,561	1,747	1,561	1,747	1,561	1,747	1,561	1,747
Italy	1,098	1,270	1,098	1,270	1,098	1,270	1,098	1,270	1,098	1,270	1,098	1,270	1,098	1,270	1,098	1,270
Netherlands	579	770	579	770	579	770	579	770	579	770	579	770	579	770	579	770
Portugal	245	1,010	245	1,010	245	1,010	245	1,010	245	1,010	245	1,010	245	1,010	245	1,010
Reunion	490	525	490	525	490	525	490	525	490	525	490	525	490	525	490	525
United Kingdom	9,173	10,800	9,173	10,800	9,173	10,800	9,173	10,800	9,173	10,800	9,173	10,800	9,173	10,800	9,173	10,800
Spain	367	649	367	649	367	649	367	649	367	649	367	649	367	649	367	649
Other	82	90	82	90	82	90	82	90	82	90	82	90	82	90	82	90
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(6,259)	(6,710)	(6,259)	(6,710)	(6,259)	(6,710)	(6,259)	(6,710)	(6,259)	(6,710)	(6,259)	(6,710)	(6,259)	(6,710)	(6,259)	(6,710)
Australia	53	112	53	112	53	112	53	112	53	112	53	112	53	112	53	112
Canada	249	206	249	206	249	206	249	206	249	206	249	206	249	206	249	206
Comoro Islands	41	32	41	32	41	32	41	32	41	32	41	32	41	32	41	32
Hong Kong	235	210	235	210	235	210	235	210	235	210	235	210	235	210	235	210
India	124	141	124	141	124	141	124	141	124	141	124	141	124	141	124	141
Kenya	31	69	31	69	31	69	31	69	31	69	31	69	31	69	31	69
Malagasy, Republic of	693	915	693	915	693	915	693	915	693	915	693	915	693	915	693	915
Malaysia	14	28	14	28	14	28	14	28	14	28	14	28	14	28	14	28
Seychelles	46	48	46	48	46	48	46	48	46	48	46	48	46	48	46	48
Singapore	59	48	59	48	59	48	59	48	59	48	59	48	59	48	59	48
South Africa, Rep. of	117	239	117	239	117	239	117	239	117	239	117	239	117	239	117	239
Sweden	67	121	67	121	67	121	67	121	67	121	67	121	67	121	67	121
Tanzania	16	82	16	82	16	82	16	82	16	82	16	82	16	82	16	82
Uganda	28	15	28	15	28	15	28	15	28	15	28	15	28	15	28	15
U.S.A.	3,965	4,092	3,965	4,092	3,965	4,092	3,965	4,092	3,965	4,092	3,965	4,092	3,965	4,092	3,965	4,092
Zimbabwe	115	160	115	160	115	160	115	160	115	160	115	160	115	160	115	160
Other	406	192	406	192	406	192	406	192	406	192	406	192	406	192	406	192
2. General Tariff Countries	729	977	729	977	729	977	729	977	729	977	729	977	729	977	729	977
Austria	37	39	37	39	37	39	37	39	37	39	37	39	37	39	37	39
Japan	170	196	170	196	170	196	170	196	170	196	170	196	170	196	170	196
Norway	12	72	12	72	12	72	12	72	12	72	12	72	12	72	12	72
Switzerland	361	390	361	390	361	390	361	390	361	390	361	390	361	390	361	390
Taiwan	23	38	23	38	23	38	23	38	23	38	23	38	23	38	23	38
Thailand	17	43	17	43	17	43	17	43	17	43	17	43	17	43	17	43
Other	109	199	109	199	109	199	109	199	109	199	109	199	109	199	109	199

Table 12 - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, year 1996²

Country of destination	Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees										Total
	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
Total exports	9,531	27	235	-	3	210	2,660	442	18,252	28	31,388
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	(9,408)	(24)	(153)	-	(3)	(206)	(2,509)	(308)	(17,775)	(25)	(30,411)
(a) European Union Countries	8,946	11	62	-	1	57	971	168	13,472	13	23,701
Belgium	66	-	-	-	-	-	376	5	283	-	730
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	46	-	52
France	327	5	17	-	-	1	79	30	5,642	8	6,109
Germany	91	-	1	-	-	1	182	56	1,415	2	1,748
Greece	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	15
Ireland	1	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	11	-	23
Italy	121	-	28	-	-	-	17	2	1,101	1	1,270
Netherlands	81	1	1	-	-	-	2	8	676	1	770
Portugal	980	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29	-	1,010
Reunion	66	3	4	-	1	55	28	44	324	-	525
Spain	119	-	5	-	-	-	30	1	494	-	649
United Kingdom	7,089	2	5	-	-	-	245	16	3,442	1	10,800

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Provisional

Table 12 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, year 1996²

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	Total
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(462)	(13)	(91)	(2)	(149)	(1,538)	(140)	(4,303)	(12)	(6,710)	
Australia	4	-	7	-	-	55	25	12	-	112	
Canada	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	202	-	206	
Hong Kong	2	-	16	-	-	103	6	77	-	210	
India	-	-	41	-	-	89	4	5	-	141	
Kenya	1	-	-	-	-	6	7	37	-	69	
Comoro Islands	6	6	-	-	-	11	-	7	-	32	
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	17	
Malagasy, Republic of	31	-	5	-	1	772	34	48	1	915	
Malawi	54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	
Malaysia	2	1	1	-	-	15	7	2	-	28	
Rwanda	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	
Sri Lanka	1	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	19	
Seychelles	5	1	-	-	-	5	5	22	6	48	
Singapore	3	2	4	-	-	17	7	13	1	48	
South Africa, Republic of	1	2	7	-	-	176	24	18	4	239	
Sweden	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	116	-	121	
Tanzania	31	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	-	84	
Uganda	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	
U.S.A	282	1	5	-	-	100	7	3,697	-	4,092	
Zimbabwe	2	-	-	-	-	131	5	22	-	160	
Other	5	-	4	-	1	21	6	19	-	64	

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Provisional

Table 12 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, year 1996²

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	Total
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries	123	3	82	-	-	4	151	134	477	3	977
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	12
Austria	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	39
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13
China	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	2	1	12
French Southern Territories	11	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	15	-	29
Japan	60	-	55	-	-	-	3	6	72	-	196
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	21	1	72
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	12
Phillipines	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	9	1	-	11
Switzerland	33	-	4	-	-	-	102	9	242	-	390
Taiwan	-	-	19	-	-	-	8	4	7	-	38
Thailand	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	2	-	43
Other	6	2	4	-	-	2	32	11	52	1	122

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Provisional

Table 13 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees

SITC section / description	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total imports	34,363	40,890	7,506	8,244	8,969	2,644	8,728	10,363	10,800	10,999
0 - Food and live animals	4,673	5,921	1,001	1,158	1,200	1,314	1,476	1,247	1,523	1,675
Meat and meat preparations	540	577	118	132	161	129	137	105	156	179
Dairy products and bird's eggs	849	947	218	172	219	240	265	175	243	264
Fish and fish preparations	635	756	154	125	174	182	168	176	170	242
Wheat	379	599	78	83	77	141	115	88	182	214
Rice	329	668	4	168	65	92	255	102	168	143
Wheaten flour	3	85	-	-	-	3	17	20	21	27
Cereal preparations	165	192	40	35	40	50	41	47	46	58
Vegetables and fruits	532	695	118	149	130	135	156	224	172	143
Other	1,241	1,402	271	294	334	342	322	310	365	405
1 - Beverages and tobacco	221	212	48	47	47	79	42	45	52	73
Beverages	196	191	41	41	41	73	35	38	46	72
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	25	21	7	6	6	6	7	7	6	1
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuel	1,209	1,598	271	277	343	318	366	399	520	313
Cork and wood	310	331	69	79	82	80	63	118	79	71
Textile fibres	699	882	165	157	201	176	224	183	337	138
Other	200	385	37	41	60	62	79	98	104	104

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Table 13(cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees

SITC section / description	1995	1996 ¹				1995				1996			
						1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products	2,401	3,213											
Refined petroleum products	2,019	2,823			533	540	627	701	713	704	918	878	
Gas, natural and manufactured	229	264			423	441	558	597	642	576	809	796	
Other	153	126			65	73	49	42	54	64	86	60	
4 - Animal & vegetable oils and fats	441	464			45	26	20	62	17	64	23	22	
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	361	341			43	144	117	137	79	142	123	120	
Other	80	123			23	128	101	109	51	115	90	85	
5 - Chemicals & related products	2,688	3,164			20	16	16	28	28	27	33	35	
Dyeing & tanning materials	336	430			569	649	758	712	691	734	847	892	
Medicinal & pharm. products	576	671			59	87	97	93	89	104	121	116	
Fertilisers	146	189			128	161	161	126	136	163	178	194	
Plastics in primary forms	317	338			14	39	27	66	49	17	50	73	
Plastics in non-primary forms	197	222			70	76	82	89	76	83	83	96	
Other	1,116	1,314			38	47	54	58	47	52	60	63	
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	12,587	13,708			260	239	337	280	294	315	355	350	
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	734	681			2,845	2,985	3,256	3,501	2,925	3,519	3,590	3,674	
Textile yarn	2,653	3,437			186	151	209	188	136	167	188	190	
Cotton fabrics	2,146	2,009			619	576	759	699	680	859	986	912	
Other textile fabrics	2,484	2,772			428	462	497	759	406	590	523	490	
Cement	687	823			541	628	756	559	450	706	694	922	
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	545	474			164	158	181	184	196	157	208	262	
Iron and steel	887	1,255			128	142	112	163	104	91	96	183	
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	700	804			225	218	197	247	270	383	295	307	
Other	1,751	1,453			137	167	189	207	182	178	226	218	
					417	483	356	495	501	388	374	190	

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Table 13 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees

SITC section / description	1995		1996 ¹		1995				1996			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	6,658	8,926	1,451	1,636	1,789	1,782	1,706	2,685	2,314	2,221		
Power generating machinery & equipment	318	768	53	91	118	56	58	461	75	174		
Machinery spec. for particular industries	1,275	1,549	233	352	335	355	360	357	453	379		
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	933	1,148	206	263	239	225	272	328	279	269		
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	454	621	83	124	121	126	103	180	169	169		
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	732	1,014	185	153	182	212	216	243	338	217		
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	1,021	1,414	234	211	289	287	223	367	402	422		
Road vehicles	1,487	1,711	397	374	339	377	354	417	484	456		
Aircraft, marine vessels and parts	372	605	48	50	145	129	96	319	56	134		
Other	66	96	12	18	21	15	24	13	58	1		
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	3,245	3,271	703	734	764	1,044	639	762	804	1,066		
Articles of apparel and clothing	355	357	68	98	85	104	62	75	91	129		
Footwear	118	128	19	25	29	45	18	23	34	53		
Watches and clocks & optical goods	502	348	99	97	108	198	117	112	83	36		
Other	2,270	2,438	517	514	542	697	442	552	596	848		
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	240	413	42	74	68	56	91	126	109	87		

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Table 14 - Imports of selected commodities, 1995 - 1996

Commodity	1995		1996 ¹				1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
	Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees												
Rice :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	56	89	-	28	12	16	-	28	12	16	35	15	20	19
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	330	668	-	168	65	97	-	168	65	97	255	102	168	143
Wheaten flour :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	-	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	20	21	27
Wheat :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	112	124	25	30	25	32	25	30	25	32	24	19	35	46
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	379	599	78	83	77	141	78	83	77	141	115	88	182	214
Dairy products :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	19	18	5	4	5	5	5	4	5	5	5	3	4	6
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	849	947	218	172	219	240	218	172	219	240	265	175	243	264
Vegetable edible oils and fats :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	29	27	2	2	8	17	2	2	8	17	4	9	7	7
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	361	341	23	128	101	109	23	128	101	109	51	115	90	85
Fertilisers manufactured :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	46	56	1	14	8	23	1	14	8	23	16	3	15	22
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	146	189	14	39	27	66	14	39	27	66	49	17	50	73
Cotton fabrics														
Quantity: (Million sq. metres)	11	11	2	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	406	590	523	490
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	2,146	2,009	428	462	497	759	428	462	497	759	406	590	523	490
Cement :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	581	607	143	141	142	155	143	141	142	155	165	126	162	154
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	687	823	164	158	181	184	164	158	181	184	196	157	208	262
Iron and steel :														
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	89	102	20	25	19	25	20	25	19	25	21	26	28	27
Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees	887	1,255	225	218	197	247	225	218	197	247	270	383	295	307

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Table 15 - Main changes in imports, 1995 and 1996

Value (c.i.f): Million Rupees

Commodity	1995	1996 ¹	Changes
			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
Meat & meat preparations	540	577	+ 37
Wheat	379	599	+ 220
Rice	330	668	+ 338
Dairy products & birds' eggs	849	947	+ 98
Vegetable and fruits	532	695	+ 163
Fish and fish preparations	635	756	+ 121
Refined petroleum products	2,019	2,905	+ 886
Wood, simply worked, & railway sleepers of wood	284	271	- 13
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s. & related products	7,685	8,218	+ 533
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	355	357	+ 2
Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	2,688	3,164	+ 476
Cement	687	823	+ 136
Photographic apparatus, equipment & supplies & optical goods, n.e.s., watches & clocks	681	539	- 142
Iron and Steel	887	1,255	+ 368
Machinery specialised for particular industries	1,275	1,549	+ 274
Manufactures of metal	699	804	+ 105
Power generating machinery and equipment	318	768	+ 450
General industrial machinery & equipment	934	1,148	+ 214
Office machine and automatic data processing machines	453	621	+ 168
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	732	1,014	+ 282
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s., & parts thereof	1,021	1,414	+ 393
Road vehicles	1,487	1,711	+ 224
Other commodity & transactions	8,893	10,087	+ 1,194
Total	34,363	40,890	+ 6,527

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Table 16 - Imports of fertilisers, 1994 - 1996

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	1994		1995		1996 ¹	
	Quantity (tonne)	Value	Quantity (tonne)	Value	Quantity (tonne)	Value
Total Imports	52,869	144,933	39,926	147,424	57,054	192,544
Nitrogenous fertilisers	14,821	33,296	6,230	17,202	13,511	34,563
Sulphate of ammonia	5,230	10,443	6,001	15,707	13,350	33,222
Other nitrogenous fertilisers	9,591	22,853	229	1,495	161	1,341
Potassic fertilisers	29,320	73,395	27,588	69,093	28,801	83,341
Muriate of potash	27,319	64,263	27,000	65,991	27,331	74,645
Other potassic fertilisers	2,001	9,132	588	3,102	1,470	8,696
Phosphatic fertilisers	3,161	9,429	3,005	8,825	2,328	8,410
Superphosphates	2,647	8,230	1,505	5,440	1,032	4,391
Phosphatic guano	514	1,199	1,500	3,385	1,286	3,316
Other phosphatic fertilisers	-	-	-	-	10	703
Mixed and compound fertilisers	5,567	28,813	3,103	52,304	12,414	66,230

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Table 17 - Imports by countries of origin, 1995 - 1996

Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	1995				1996 ¹				1996			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total imports	34,363	30,279	40,890	9,644	7,506	8,244	8,969	9,644	8,728	10,363	10,800	10,999
I. Preferential Tariff Countries	25,563	30,279	40,890	7,235	5,648	6,063	6,617	7,235	6,564	7,796	7,614	8,305
(a) European Union Countries	(11,069)	(13,303)	(13,303)	(2,908)	(2,576)	(2,726)	(2,859)	(2,908)	(2,781)	(3,676)	(3,356)	(3,490)
Belgium	536	686	686	175	130	107	124	175	145	137	165	239
Denmark	221	977	977	54	22	59	86	54	47	666	202	62
France	4,427	4,555	4,555	1,118	1,120	1,041	1,148	1,118	1,033	1,144	1,165	1,213
Germany	1,554	1,903	1,903	373	359	412	410	373	413	485	525	480
Greece	75	47	47	70	2	1	2	70	1	4	40	2
Ireland	154	169	169	31	29	41	53	31	30	45	45	49
Italy	1,109	1,392	1,392	333	209	306	261	333	313	308	382	389
Luxembourg	23	5	5	1	16	4	2	1	2	-	1	2
Netherlands	223	221	221	58	59	49	57	58	46	57	63	55
Portugal	58	69	69	17	17	11	13	17	14	22	19	14
Reunion	24	27	27	7	5	6	6	7	5	7	7	8
Spain	377	604	604	95	93	60	129	95	143	154	100	207
United Kingdom	2,288	2,648	2,648	576	515	629	568	576	589	647	642	770
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(14,494)	(16,976)	(16,976)	(4,327)	(3,072)	(3,337)	(3,758)	(4,327)	(3,783)	(4,120)	(4,258)	(4,815)
Australia	1,110	1,811	1,811	276	278	288	268	276	453	324	490	544
Burma	12	72	72	3	3	3	3	3	2	57	7	6
Canada	60	52	52	21	10	10	19	21	21	11	10	10
Hong Kong	1,641	1,476	1,476	390	385	438	428	390	313	368	386	409
India	2,900	3,619	3,619	849	617	630	804	849	627	823	978	1,191
Kenya	371	257	257	72	127	108	64	72	111	40	75	31
Malagasy, Republic of	354	465	465	99	55	86	114	99	77	156	111	121
Malaysia	1,121	964	964	508	218	206	189	508	191	297	228	248
New Zealand	430	445	445	91	110	105	124	91	117	80	135	113
Pakistan	365	645	645	147	41	114	63	147	210	134	141	160
Singapore	910	868	868	243	217	227	223	243	160	254	222	232
South Africa, Republic of	3,825	4,893	4,893	1,224	711	802	1,088	1,224	1,151	1,252	1,122	1,368
Swaziland	61	66	66	16	15	15	15	16	7	19	20	20
Sweden	68	76	76	21	14	14	19	21	11	18	21	26
U. S. A.	891	1,023	1,023	252	175	239	225	252	229	256	247	291
Zimbabwe	157	61	61	44	25	34	54	44	23	16	12	10
Other	218	183	183	71	71	18	58	71	80	15	53	35

Table 17 (cont'd) - Imports by countries of origin, 1995 - 1996

Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	1995				1996 ¹				1995				1996			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
2. General Tariff Countries	8,800	10,611	2,181	2,352	2,409	2,164	2,567	3,186	2,694							
Argentina	286	272	57	50	171	43	64	67	98							
Austria	69	67	13	20	24	7	23	16	21							
Bahrain	76	221	76	-	-	-	-	219	2							
Brazil	357	207	13	272	53	17	67	102	21							
Burkina Faso	74	226	33	7	9	40	56	106	24							
Chile	16	300	4	4	4	12	273	7	8							
China	1,005	1,741	219	280	325	408	428	516	389							
Finland	84	71	19	22	17	13	14	22	22							
Indonesia	293	447	49	86	99	73	97	125	152							
Israel	76	121	16	19	35	22	19	33	47							
Japan	1,642	1,800	398	404	453	425	444	473	458							
Korea, Republic of	437	493	90	116	131	106	98	152	137							
Kuwait	776	1,248	159	213	267	294	192	407	355							
Macau	88	91	26	11	6	20	40	23	8							
Mali	39	70	1	-	38	37	-	27	6							
Morocco	38	42	10	12	9	6	4	16	16							
Philippines	76	54	41	3	1	17	4	27	6							
Saudi Arabia	376	214	109	84	1	33	-	1	180							
Switzerland	811	879	171	185	314	161	237	232	249							
Taiwan	1,083	1,121	245	299	292	234	280	309	298							
Thailand	275	269	70	56	101	64	48	67	90							
Thailand	117	181	2	5	42	12	59	67	43							
Turkey	62	30	2	38	2	4	7	8	11							
United Arab Emirates	644	446	105	166	15	116	113	164	53							
Other																

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Table 18 - Imports by section and countries of origin, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	Total
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
Total imports	5,921	212	1,598	3,212	464	3,163	13,708	8,925	3,271	416	40,890
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	5,243	210	1,141	1,587	170	2,461	10,198	6,433	2,545	291	30,279
(a) European Union Countries	(1,592)	(156)	(302)	(42)	(67)	(1,413)	(3,578)	(4,518)	(1,345)	(290)	(13,303)
Belgium	31	-	190	1	-	74	224	99	66	1	686
Denmark	28	-	2	-	2	29	100	802	14	-	977
France	569	51	26	13	3	519	1,277	1,351	561	185	4,555
Germany	123	1	7	6	54	218	430	802	204	58	1,903
Greece	-	1	-	-	-	8	37	1	-	-	47
Ireland	103	-	-	-	-	7	2	56	1	-	169
Italy	20	1	21	-	2	74	715	428	129	2	1,392
Luxembourg	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	5
Netherlands	75	6	5	-	-	58	27	39	10	1	221
Portugal	-	1	-	-	-	4	51	9	4	-	69
Reunion	3	3	-	-	-	7	6	5	2	1	27
Spain	222	3	1	-	2	34	248	79	15	-	604
United Kingdom	416	89	50	22	4	381	459	847	339	41	2,648

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Table 18 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	Total
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(3,651)	(54)	(839)	(1,545)	(103)	(1,048)	(6,620)	(1,915)	(1,200)	(1)	(16,976)
Australia	1,309	-	78	1	51	32	243	89	8	-	1,811
Burma	53	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72
Canada	12	-	3	-	-	1	5	29	2	-	52
Hong kong	6	-	14	-	-	25	1,007	85	339	-	1,476
India	355	-	47	-	1	172	2,578	190	276	-	3,619
Kenya	5	-	-	24	-	26	198	2	2	-	257
Malagasy, Republic of	122	-	24	192	-	-	93	-	33	1	465
Malaysia	60	-	195	-	30	59	375	184	61	-	964
New Zealand	271	-	124	-	-	3	5	37	5	-	445
Nigeria	-	-	44	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	45
Pakistan	253	-	69	-	-	3	314	3	3	-	645
Russian Federation	12	-	-	-	-	1	33	-	-	-	46
S. Africa, Republic of	1,004	32	176	1,303	2	530	1,222	435	189	-	4,893
Singapore	25	-	18	24	19	99	314	257	112	-	868
Swaziland	53	-	-	-	-	-	3	10	-	-	66
Sweden	1	-	2	-	-	5	26	36	6	-	76
Tanzania	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
U. S. A.	19	6	15	1	-	88	182	552	160	-	1,023
Zimbabwe	41	6	5	-	-	2	6	-	1	-	61
Other	46	10	6	-	-	1	16	6	3	-	88

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Table 18 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	Total
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries	678	2	457	1,625	294	702	3,510	2,492	726	125	10,611
Argentina	58	-	1	-	202	11	-	-	-	-	272
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	5	52	6	4	-	67
Bahrain	-	-	-	221	-	-	-	-	-	-	221
Brazil	-	-	1	-	92	51	54	5	4	-	207
Burkina Faso	-	-	226	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	226
Central Africa	-	-	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43
Chile	29	-	-	-	-	1	-	270	-	-	300
China	311	1	21	4	-	53	1,080	118	153	-	1,741
Finland	-	-	-	-	-	11	21	38	1	-	71
Indonesia	10	-	18	-	-	14	341	20	44	-	447
Israel	5	-	2	-	-	71	4	39	-	-	121
Japan	9	-	2	1	-	51	333	1,296	108	-	1,800
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	15	21	-	-	-	36
Korea, North	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	27	1	-	39
Macau	-	-	-	-	-	-	91	-	-	-	91
Mexico	1	-	-	-	-	-	22	2	1	-	26
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	3	11	52	1	-	67
Philippines	-	-	1	44	-	1	5	1	2	-	54

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Table 18 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	Total
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries (cont'd)											
Morocco	39	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	42
Korea, Rep	1	-	5	-	-	26	214	222	25	-	493
Kuwait	-	-	-	1,247	-	-	1	-	-	-	1,248
Mali	-	-	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	1	34	-	-	-	35
Saudi Arabia	1	-	-	102	-	33	74	2	2	-	214
Switzerland	20	1	3	-	-	250	146	127	207	125	879
Taiwan	5	-	9	-	-	91	671	236	109	-	1,121
Thailand	72	-	2	-	-	8	108	23	56	-	269
Turkey	5	-	11	-	-	-	163	2	-	-	181
United Arab Emirates	7	-	-	-	-	1	19	3	-	-	30
Zaire	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20
Other	105	-	22	6	-	2	34	3	8	-	180

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Table 19 - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity		Unit	Quantity	Value
TOTAL IMPORTS				
Section	: 0 - Food and live animals			40,890,395
Division	:00 - Live animals other than animals of Division 03			(5,920,765)
Group	:001 - Live animals other than animals of Division 03	u	161,991	138,724
Division	:01 - Meat and meat preparations			577,393
Group	:011 - Meat of bovine animals, fresh, chilled or frozen	tonne	7,719	239,890
	:012 - Other meat and edible meat offal, fresh, chilled or frozen	"	6,994	233,628
	:016 - Meat and edible meat offal, salted, in brine, dried or smoked: edible flours and meals of meat or meat offal	"	7	1,072
	:017 - Meat and edible meat offal, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	1,751	102,803
Division	:02 - Dairy products and birds' eggs			947,067
Group	:022 - Milk and cream and milk products other than butter or cheese	tonne	15,330	725,470
	:023 - Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk	"	944	53,430
	:024 - Cheese and curd	"	1,964	167,901
	:025 - Eggs, Birds' and egg yolks, fresh, dried or otherwise preserved, sweetened or not ; egg albumin	"	13	266
Division	:03 - Fish, crustaceans and molluscs, and aquatic invertebrates and preparations thereof			756,457
Group	:034 - Fish, fresh (live or dead), chilled or frozen	tonne	26,798	553,023
	:035 - Fish, dried, salted or in brine; smoked fish	"	18	2,848
	:036 - Crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, whether in shell or not, fresh (live or dead), chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; crustaceans, in shell, cooked by steaming or boiling in water	"	1,311	86,396
	:037 - Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates prepared or preserved, n.e.s	"	3,168	114,190

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division :04	Cereals and cereals preparations			1,771,566
Group :041	Wheat (including spelt) and meslin, unmilled	tonne	123,739	598,553
:042	Rice	"	88,557	667,686
:043	Barley, unmilled	"	5	171
:044	Maize (corn), unmilled	"	50,277	218,286
:045	Cereals, unmilled (other than wheat, rice, barley and maize)	"	536	2,620
:046	Meal and flour of wheat and flour of meslin	"	12,027	84,916
:047	Other cereal meals and flours	"	778	7,124
:048	Cereal preparations and preparations of flour or starch of fruits or vegetables	"	7,958	192,210
Division :05	Vegetable and fruits			695,418
Group :054	Vegetable, fresh, chilled, frozen or simply preserved (including dried leguminous vegetables), roots, tubers and other edible products, n.e.s; fresh or chilled	tonne	29,032	270,245
:056	Vegetables, roots and tubers, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	3,134	81,826
:057	Fruits and nuts (not including oil nuts), fresh or dried	"	14,405	262,590
:058	Fruit, preserved, and fruit preparations (excluding fruit juices)	"	1,236	32,899
:059	Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, unfermented and not containing added spirit, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	"	3,387	47,858
Division :06	Sugars, sugar preparations and honey			321,994
Group :061	Sugar, molasses and honey	tonne	31,751	293,663
:062	Sugar confectionery	"	785	28,331
Division :07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof			144,648
Group :071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	tonne	252	29,795
:072	Cocoa	"	45	2,437
:073	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa, n.e.s.	"	993	70,569
:074	Tea and mate	"	8	699
:075	Spices	"	1,530	41,148

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division :06	- <i>Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)</i>			189,775
Group :081	- Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	tonne	23,672	189,775
Division :09	- <i>Miscellaneous edible products and preparations</i>			377,723
Group :091	- Margarine and shortening	tonne	2,120	70,254
:098	- Edible products and preparations, n.e.s.			307,469
Section :1	- Beverages and tobacco			(211,926)
Division :11	- <i>Beverages</i>			190,712
Group :111	- Non-alcoholic beverages, n.e.s.	Thousand Lts.	1,630	23,689
:112	- Alcoholic beverages	"	2,760	167,023
Division :12	- <i>Tobacco and tobacco manufactures</i>			21,214
Group :121	- Tobacco, unmanufactured; tobacco refuse	tonne	33	7,247
:122	- Tobacco, manufactured (whether or not containing tobacco substitutes)	"	31	13,967
Section :2	- Crude materials, inedible, except fuels			(1,597,754)
Division :21	- <i>Hides, skins, and furskins, raw</i>			286
Group :211	- Hides and skins, (except furskins), raw	tonne	1	286
Division :22	- <i>Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits</i>			27,210
Group :222	- Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits of a kind used for the extraction of "soft" fixed vegetable oils (excluding flours and meals)	tonne	1,739	25,968
:223	- Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, whole or broken, of a kind used for extraction of other fixed vegetable oils (including flours and meals of oil seeds or oleaginous fruits, n.e.s)	"	64	1,242
Division :23	- <i>Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)</i>			17,028
Group :231	- Natural rubber, balata, gutta percha, guayule, chicle and natural gums, in primary forms (including latex) or in plates, sheets or strip	tonne	285	8,210
:232	- Synthetic rubber, reclaimed rubber, waste pairings and scrap of unhardened rubber	"	293	8,818

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

		Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division	:24	Cork and wood			331,082
Group	:244	Cork, natural, raw and waste (including natural cork in blocks or sheets)	tonne	1	87
	:245	Fuel wood (excluding wood waste) and wood charcoal	"	16	215
	:246	Woods in chips or particles and wood waste	"	1	15
	:247	Wood in the rough or roughly squared	cubic metre	7,977	59,395
	:248	Wood, simply worked, and railway sleepers of wood	- . .	- . .	271,370
Division	:25	Pulp and waste paper			3,334
Group	:251	Pulp and waste paper	tonne	153	3,334
Division	:26	Textile fibres (other than wool tops and other combed wool) and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)			882,477
Group	:261	Silk	tonne	23	3,043
	:263	Cotton	"	12,120	494,964
	:264	Jute and other textile bast fibres, n.e.s, raw or processed but not spun, etc.	"	-	34
	:265	Vegetables textiles fibres (other than cotton and jute), raw or processed but not spun, etc.	"	4	78
	:266	Synthetic fibres suitable for spinning	"	347	25,193
	:267	Other man-made fibres suitable for spinning and waste of man-made fibres	"	162	14,005
	:268	Wool and other animal hair (including wool tops)	"	3,534	340,929
	:269	Worn clothing and other worn textiles articles; rags	"	5	4,231
Division	:27	Crude fertilisers other than those of division 56, and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)			270,763
Group	:272	Fertilisers, crude, other than those of division 56	tonne	1,287	3,321
	:273	Stone, sand and gravel	"	2,197	14,306
	:274	Sulphur and unroasted iron pyrites	"	8	92
	:277	Natural abrasives, n.e.s. (including industrial diamonds)	- . .	- . .	214,438
	:278	Other crude minerals	tonne	9,022	38,606

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f): Thousand Rupees

		Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division	:28	<i>Metaliferous ores and metal scrap</i>			
Group	:282	Copper ores and concentrates, copper mattes, cement copper	tonne	82	898
	:285	Aluminium ores and concentrates (including alumina)	"	-	148
	:287	Ores and concentrates of base metal, n.e.s.	"	2	25
	:288	Non-ferrous base metal waste and scrap, n.e.s.	"	152	114
	:289	Ores and concentrates of precious metals; waste, scrap and sweepings of precious metals (other than of gold)	"	1	467
Division	:29	<i>Crude animal and vegetables materials, n.e.s.</i>			
Group	:291	Crude animal materials, n.e.s.	tonne	37	144
	:292	Crude vegetable materials, n.e.s.	"	-	64,676
Section	:3	<i>Minerals fuels, lubricants and related materials</i>			
Division	:32	<i>Coal, coke and briquettes</i>			
Group	:321	Coal, whether or not pulverised, but not agglomerated	tonne	38,482	41,943
	:322	Briquettes, lignite and peat	"	1	28
	:325	Coke and semi-coke (including char) of coal, of lignite or of peat whether or not agglomerated; retort carbon	"	187	1,575
Division	:33	<i>Petroleum, petroleum product and related materials</i>			
Group	:333	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	tonne	1	40
	:334	Petroleum products, refined	"	709,788	2,822,843
	:335	Residual petroleum products, n.e.s. and related materials	"	15,761	82,378
Division	:34	<i>Gas, natural and manufactured</i>			
Group	:342	Liquefied propane and butane	tonne	36,585	263,827
	:344	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons, n.e.s.	"	-	48
	:345	Coal gas, water gas, producer gas & similar gases, other than petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	"	-	-
Section	:4	<i>Animal and vegetables oils, fats and waxes</i>			
Division	:41	<i>Animal oils and fats</i>			
Group	:411	Animals oils and fats	tonne	4,828	(464,207)
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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division	- <i>Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated</i>			340,849
Group	- Fixed vegetable fats and oils, "soft", crude, refined or fractionated	tonne	26,499	324,869
	- Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated, other than "soft"	"	759	15,980
Division	- <i>Animal & vegetable fats & oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, n.e.s.</i>			72,188
Group	- Animal & vegetable fats & oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, n.e.s.	tonne	3,706	72,188
Section	:5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.			(3,163,633)
Division	- <i>Organic chemicals</i>			173,138
Group	- Hydrocarbons, n.e.s. and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated, or nitrosated derivatives	tonne	743	23,410
	- Alcohols, phenols, phenolalcohols, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	"	489	15,107
	- Carboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peroxyacids; their halogenated, sulfonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	"	2,450	52,923
	- Nitrogen- function compounds	"	727	32,911
	- Organo-inorganic and heterocyclic compounds, nucleic acids & their salts	"	144	14,380
	- Other organic chemicals	"	463	34,407
Division	- <i>Inorganic chemicals</i>			294,363
Group	- Inorganic chemical elements, oxides and halogen salts	tonne	23,482	135,625
	- Metallic salts and peroxy salts, of inorganic acids	"	18,277	139,343
	- Other inorganic chemicals; organic & inorganic compounds of precious metals	"	1,305	18,846
	- Radio-active and associated material	"	1	549
Division	- <i>Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials</i>			430,347
Group	- Synthetic organic colouring matter & colour lakes & preparations based thereon	tonne	1,693	273,108
	- Dyeing & tanning extracts, & synthetic tanning materials	"	85	7,285
	- Pigments, paints, varnishes, and related materials	"	3,968	149,954

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division :54	- <i>Medicinal and pharmaceutical products</i>			670,818
Group :541	- Medicinal & pharmaceutical products, other than medicaments of group 542	tonne	213	60,103
:542	- Medicaments (including Veterinary medicaments)	"	1,767	610,715
Division :55	- <i>Essential oils and resinsoids & perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations</i>			325,959
Group :551	- Essential oils, perfume and flavour materials	tonne	226	42,864
:553	- Perfumery, cosmetics or toilet preparations (excluding soaps)	"	1,198	186,420
:554	- Soap, cleansing and polishing preparations	"	2,667	96,675
Division :56	- <i>Fertilizers (other than those of group 272)</i>			189,229
Group :562	- Fertilizers (other than those of group 272)	tonne	55,768	189,229
Division :57	- <i>Plastics in primary forms</i>			338,017
Group :571	- Polymers of ethylene, in primary forms	tonne	5,652	114,111
:572	- Polymers of styrene, in primary forms	"	220	7,991
:573	- Polymers of vinyl chloride, or of other halogenated olefins, in primary forms	"	819	22,487
:574	- Polyacetals, other polyethers & epoxide resins, in primary forms; polycarbonates, alkyd resins & other polyesters, in primary forms	"	1,833	58,321
:575	- Other plastics, in primary forms	"	5,432	134,778
:579	- Waste, parings and scrap, of plastics	"	8	329
Division :58	- <i>Plastics in non-primary forms</i>			221,879
Group :581	- Tubes, pipes and hoses of plastics	tonne	768	49,843
:582	- Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics	"	2,355	157,467
:583	- Monofilament, rods, sticks and profile shapes, etc. of plastics	"	145	14,569
Division :59	- <i>Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.</i>			519,883
Group :591	- Insecticides, rodenticides, fungicides, herbicides, anti-sprouting products etc.	tonne	1,592	188,275
:592	- Starches, insulin & wheat gluten; albuminoidal substances; glues	"	1,941	44,057
:593	- Explosives and pyrotechnic products	"	205	8,553
:597	- Prepared additives for mineral oils & the like; prepared liquids for hydraulic transmission, etc.	"	493	25,624
:598	- Miscellaneous chemical products, n.e.s.	"	5,502	253,374

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Thousand Rupees

Section	Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division :6	- Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material			(13,708,095)
Division :61	- Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s., & dressed furskins			148,878
Group :611	- Leather	tonne	250	134,347
:612	- Manufactures of leather or of composition leather, n.e.s.; saddlery & harness	"	20	14,494
:613		"	37	
Division :62	- Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.			289,607
Group :621	- Materials of rubber (e.g., pastes, plates, sheets, rods, thread, tubes of rubber)	tonne	789	51,524
:625	- Rubber tyres, interchangeable tyre treads, tyre flaps & inner tubes for wheels of all kinds	-.-	-.-	176,332
:629	- Articles of rubber, n.e.s.	tonne	339	61,751
Division :63	- Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)			206,120
Group :633	- Cork manufactures	tonne	7	1,093
:634	- Veneers, plywood, particle board, and other wood, worked, n.e.s.	-.-	-.-	182,279
:635	- Wood manufactures, n.e.s.	tonne	636	22,748
Division :64	- Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard			680,503
Group :641	- Paper and paperboard	tonne	28,991	479,774
:642	- Paper and paperboard, cut to size or shaped, and articles of paper or paperboard	"	3,498	200,729
Division :65	- Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., & related products			8,217,982
Group :651	- Textile yarn	tonne	39,607	3,436,881
:652	- Cotton fabrics, woven (not including narrow or special fabrics)	"	11,182	2,008,791
:653	- Fabrics, woven, of man-made textile materials (not including narrow or special fabrics)	"	5,586	931,568
:654	- Other textile fabrics, woven	"	426	334,582
:655	- Knitted or crocheted fabrics (including tubular knit fabrics n.e.s., pile fabrics & open-work fabrics), n.e.s.	"	4,817	862,473
:656	- Tullies, lace, embroidery, ribbons, trimmings & other small wares	"	996	379,310
:657	- Special yarns, special textile fabrics & related products	"	1,575	206,042
:658	- Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.s.	"	424	32,276
:659	- Floor coverings, etc.	-.-	-.-	26,059

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity		Unit	Quantity	Value
Division	- <i>Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.</i>			1,908,189
Group	- Lime, cement & fabricated construction materials (except glass & clay materials)	tonne	606,806	823,491
	- Clay construction materials & refractory construction material	- -	- -	293,751
	- Mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	tonne	1,023	47,928
	- Glass	- -	- -	84,823
	- Glassware	"	"	145,126
	- Pottery	"	"	39,414
	- Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	"	"	473,656
Division	- <i>Iron and steel</i>			1,254,510
Group	- Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, iron or steel granules and powders & ferro-alloys	tonne	58	501
	- Ingots & other primary forms, of iron & steel; semi-finished products of iron or steel	"	39,486	264,292
	- Flat-rolled products, of iron or non-alloy steel, not clad, plated or coated	"	3,323	30,240
	- Flat-rolled products, of iron or non-alloy steel, clad, plated or coated	"	10,751	262,270
	- Flat-rolled products of alloy steel.	"	2,125	31,617
	- Iron & steel bars, rods, angles, shapes & sections (including sheet piling)	"	28,374	277,809
	- Rails and railway track construction material, of iron or steel	"	70	2,559
	- Wire of iron or steel	"	1,880	23,710
	- Tubes, pipes & hollow profiles, & tube or pipe fittings, of iron or steel	"	16,296	361,512
Division	- <i>Non-ferrous metals</i>			198,715
Group	- Silver, platinum & other metals of the platinum group	tonne	3	35,970
	- Copper	"	464	47,218
	- Nickel	"	1	282
	- Aluminium	"	1,061	85,641
	- Lead	"	28	1,239
	- Zinc	"	797	18,806
	- Tin	"	428	9,516
	- Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metal employed in metallurgy, and cerments	"	-	43

Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Thousand Rupees

		Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division	:69	- <i>Manufacture of metal, n.e.s.</i>			803,591
Group	:691	- Structures & parts of structures, n.e.s., of iron, steel or aluminium	tonne	1,744	90,778
	:692	- Metal containers for storage or transport	"	1,183	88,586
	:693	- Wire products (excluding insulated electrical wiring) & fencing grills	"	879	35,033
	:694	- Nails, screws, nuts, bolts, rivets & the like, of iron, steel, copper or aluminium	--	--	62,243
	:695	- Tools for use in the hand or in machines	tonne	605	88,965
	:696	- Cutlery	--	--	30,809
	:697	- Household equipment of base metals, n.e.s.	"	"	127,533
	:699	- Manufactures of base metal, n.e.s.	tonne	3,206	279,644
Section	:7	- Machinery and transport equipment			(8,925,967)
Division	:71	- <i>Power generating machinery and equipment</i>			767,991
Group	:711	- Steam and other vapour generating boilers, super-heated water boilers, & auxiliary plant for use therewith; & parts thereof	tonne	389	36,733
	:712	- Steam turbines & other vapour turbines, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	--	--	14,754
	:713	- Internal combustion piston engines, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	150,948
	:714	- Engines & motors, non-electric (other than those of groups 712, 713 & 718); parts, n.e.s. of these engines & motors	"	"	5,147
	:716	- Rotating electric plant & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	552,017
	:718	- Other power generating machinery & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	8,392
Division	:72	- <i>Machinery specialized for particular industries</i>			1,548,501
Group	:721	- Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors) & parts thereof	--	--	34,679
	:722	- Tractors (other than those of headings 744.24 & 744.15)	u	67	40,026
	:723	- Civil engineering & contractors' plant & equipment	--	--	249,397
	:724	- Textile & leather machinery, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	753,968
	:725	- Paper mill & pulp mill machinery, paper cutting machines & other machinery for the manufacture of paper articles; parts thereof	"	"	23,013
	:726	- Printing & bookbinding machinery, and parts thereof	"	"	124,789
	:727	- Food- processing machines (excluding domestic)	"	"	38,546
	:728	- Other machinery & equipment specialised for particular industries, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	284,083
Division	:73	- <i>Metalworking machinery</i>			96,396
Group	:731	- Machine-tools working by removing metal or other material	u	1,456	21,607
	:733	- Machine-tools for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets, without removing material	"	348	16,966
	:735	- Parts, n.e.s. & accessories suitable for use solely or principally with the machines falling within headings 731 & 733, etc.	tonne	3	1,264
	:737	- Metalworking machinery (other than machine-tools), & parts thereof, n.e.s.	--	--	56,559

Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity		Unit	Quantity	Value
Division :74	- General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s. & machine parts, n.e.s.			1,147,651
Group :741	- Heating & cooling equipment & parts thereof, n.e.s.	-.-	-.-	255,116
:742	- Pumps for liquids, whether or not fitted with a measuring device; liquid elevators; parts for such pumps & liquid elevators	"	"	73,182
:743	- Pumps (other than pumps for liquids), air or other gas compressors and fans, etc. and parts thereof	"	"	189,971
:744	- Mechanical handling equipment & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	206,143
:745	- Other non-electrical machinery, tools & mechanical apparatus. & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	199,633
:746	- Ball or roller bearings	"	"	36,496
:747	- Taps, cocks, valves & similar appliances for pipes, etc.	tonne	617	105,098
:748	- Transmission shafts (including cam shafts & crank shafts) ; bearing housings & plain shaft bearings; etc	-.-	-.-	43,886
:749	- Non-electric parts & accessories of machinery, n.e.s.	tonne	109	38,126
Division :75	- Office machines and automatic data processing machines			621,365
Group :751	- Office machines	u	133,630	74,502
:752	- Automatic data processing machines & units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, etc.	"	19,745	391,257
:759	- Parts & accessories suitable for use solely or principally with machine falling within groups 751 & 752	tonne	107	155,606
Division :76	- Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus & equipment			1,013,551
Group :761	- Television receivers (including video monitors & video projectors), whether or not combined, in the same housing, with radio-broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus	u	21,349	102,151
:762	- Radio-broadcast receivers, whether or not combined, in the same housing with sound recording or reproducing apparatus or a clock	"	31,239	44,249
:763	- Sound recorders or reproducers; television image & sound recorders or reproducers; prepared unrecorded media	"	37,396	100,681
:764	- Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s.; & parts, n.e.s., & accessories etc.	-.-	-.-	766,470
Division :77	- Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s., & parts thereof			1,413,945
Group :771	- Electric power machinery & parts thereof	-.-	-.-	97,488

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Group :772	- Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits or for making connections to or in electrical circuits, n.e.s.	tonne	666	274,315
:773	- Equipment for distributing electricity, n.e.s.	"	3,225	244,627
:774	- Electro-diagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences & radiological apparatus	-.-	-.-	18,765
:775	- Household type, electrical & non-electrical equipment, n.e.s.	"	"	392,061
:776	- Thermionic, cold cathode or photo-cathode valves & tubes; diodes, transistors & similar semi-conductor devices, etc.	"	"	36,809
:778	- Electrical machinery & apparatus, n.e.s.	"	"	347,367
Division :78	Road vehicles (including air-cushions vehicles)			1,711,223
Group :781	- Motor cars & other motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons, including station wagons & racing cars	u	4,044	798,385
:782	- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods & special purpose motor vehicles	"	2,063	458,313
:783	- Road motor vehicles, n.e.s.	"	241	106,799
:784	- Parts & accessories of the motor vehicles of groups 722, 781, 782 & 783	-.-	-.-	224,294
:785	- Motorcycles (including mopeds) & cycles, motorised & non-motorised; invalid carriages	"	"	105,932
:786	- Trailers & semi-trailers; other vehicles not mechanically propelled; specially designed & equipped transport containers	"	"	17,500
Division :79	Other transport equipment			605,344
Group :791	- Railway vehicles (including hovertrains) and associated equipment	-.-	-.-	142
:792	- Aircraft & associated equipment; spacecraft (including satellites) & parts thereof	"	"	264,664
:793	- Ships, boats (including hovercraft) & floating structures	u	4,762	340,538
Section :8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles			(3,271,285)
Division :81	Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.			175,580
Group :811	- Prefabricated buildings	tonne	399	17,088
:812	- Sanitary, plumbing & heating fixtures & fittings, n.e.s.	-.-	-.-	79,112
:813	- Lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s.	"	"	79,380
Division :82	Furniture & parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress support, cushions & similar stuffed furnishing			87,216
Group :821	- Furniture & parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress support, cushions & similar stuffed furnishing	-.-	-.-	87,216

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	Quantity	Value
Division :83	- <i>Travel goods, handbags and similar containers</i>			
Group :831	- Trunks, suit-cases, vanity-cases, executive-cases, brief-cases, school satchels & similar containers	- . -	- . -	25,096
Division :84	- <i>Articles of apparel and clothing accessories</i>			
Group :841	- Men's or boys' coats, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear, knitwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	- . -	- . -	357,097
:842	- Women's & girls' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	"	"	16,186
:843	- Men's or boys' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear, nightwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	u	73,564	6,762
:844	- Women's & girls' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear, nightwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	"	741,650	9,344
:845	- Articles of apparel, of textile fabrics, whether or not knitted or crocheted, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	194,453
:846	- Clothing accessories, of textile fabrics, whether or not knitted or crocheted, (other than those for babies)	"	"	49,916
:848	- Articles of apparel & clothing accessories of other than textile fabrics; headgear of all materials	"	"	44,110
Division :85	- <i>Footwear</i>			
Group :851	- Footwear	- . -	- . -	128,263
Division :87	- <i>Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s</i>			
Group :871	- Optical instruments & apparatus, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	264,485
:872	- Instruments & appliances, n.e.s., for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	"	"	11,682
:873	- Meters & counters, n.e.s.	"	"	75,377
:874	- Measuring, checking, analysis & controlling instrument & apparatus, n.e.s.	"	"	29,667
Division :88	- <i>Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches & clocks</i>			
Group :881	- Photographic apparatus and equipment, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	538,615
:882	- Photographic and cinematographic supplies	"	"	27,776
:883	- Cinematograph film, exposed and developed, whether or not incorporating sound track or consisting only of sound track	"	"	78,258
:884	- Optical goods, n.e.s.	metre	3,034,359	7,668
:885	- Watches and clocks	- . -	- . -	76,907
		"	"	348,006

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Table 19 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, year 1996¹

Value (c.i.f.) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity		Unit	Quantity	Value
Division :89	- <i>Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.</i>			1,694,933
Group :891	- Arms and ammunition	- . -	- . -	10,071
:892	- Printed matter	tonne	1,946	359,597
:893	- Articles, n.e.s. of plastics	"	7,397	462,585
:894	- Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods	- . -	- . -	121,193
:895	- Office and stationary supplies, n.e.s.	"	"	62,956
:896	- Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	"	"	2,530
:897	- Jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares, & other articles of of precious or semi-precious materials, n.e.s.	tonne	50	307,015
:898	- Musical instruments & parts & accessories thereof; records, tapes & other sound or similar recordings (excluding goods of groups 563,882 & 883)	- . -	- . -	82,264
:899	- Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	"	"	286,722
Section :9	- Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the S.I.T.C.			(414,129)
Division :97	- <i>Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)</i>			414,129
Group :971	- Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	tonne	4	414,129

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Table 20 - Net EPZ exports, 1995 - 1996

Value : Million Rupees

Description	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
			A. Total EPZ exports (f.o.b)	18,267	21,001	3,498	4,843	4,950	4,976	4,210	5,445	5,678	5,668
B. Total EPZ imports (c.i.f)	10,856	12,109	2,482	2,676	2,887	2,811	2,671	3,183	3,301	2,954
<i>Raw materials</i>	9,869	10,992	2,292	2,391	2,632	2,554	2,393	2,890	3,006	2,703
<i>Machinery</i>	987	1,117	190	285	255	257	278	293	295	251
Net Exports (A-B)	7,411	8,892	1,016	2,167	2,063	2,165	1,539	2,262	2,377	2,714
Net Exports as % of Total Exports	41	42	29	45	42	44	37	42	42	48

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Table 21 - EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1995 - 1996

Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	1995				1996 ¹				1995				1996			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
1. Preferential tariff countries	18,267	17,730	20,312	21,001	20,312	17,730	18,267	17,730	20,312	17,730	18,267	20,312	21,001	17,730	18,267	20,312
(a) European Union Countries	(12,663)	(12,663)	(14,965)	(14,965)	(14,965)	(12,663)	(12,663)	(14,965)	(14,965)	(12,663)	(12,663)	(14,965)	(14,965)	(12,663)	(12,663)	(14,965)
Belgium	435	435	651	651	651	435	435	651	651	435	435	651	651	435	435	651
France	5,208	5,208	5,762	5,762	5,762	5,208	5,208	5,762	5,762	5,208	5,208	5,762	5,762	5,208	5,208	5,762
Germany	1,445	1,445	1,607	1,607	1,607	1,445	1,445	1,607	1,607	1,445	1,445	1,607	1,607	1,445	1,445	1,607
Italy	1,015	1,015	1,141	1,141	1,141	1,015	1,015	1,141	1,141	1,015	1,015	1,141	1,141	1,015	1,015	1,141
Netherlands	491	491	685	685	685	491	491	685	685	491	491	685	685	491	491	685
Reunion	246	246	221	221	221	246	246	221	221	246	246	221	221	246	246	221
Spain	308	308	552	552	552	308	308	552	552	308	308	552	552	308	308	552
United Kingdom	3,412	3,412	4,234	4,234	4,234	3,412	3,412	4,234	4,234	3,412	3,412	4,234	4,234	3,412	3,412	4,234
Other	103	103	112	112	112	103	103	112	112	103	103	112	112	103	103	112
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(5,067)	(5,067)	(5,347)	(5,347)	(5,347)	(5,067)	(5,067)	(5,347)	(5,347)	(5,067)	(5,067)	(5,347)	(5,347)	(5,067)	(5,067)	(5,347)
Australia	41	41	67	67	67	41	41	67	67	41	41	67	67	41	41	67
Canada	246	246	204	204	204	246	246	204	204	246	246	204	204	246	246	204
Hong kong	152	152	160	160	160	152	152	160	160	152	152	160	160	152	152	160
Malagasy, Republic of	410	410	526	526	526	410	410	526	526	410	410	526	526	410	410	526
Singapore	31	31	29	29	29	31	31	29	29	31	31	29	29	31	31	29
South Africa, Republic of	59	59	179	179	179	59	59	179	179	59	59	179	179	59	59	179
Sweden	66	66	117	117	117	66	66	117	117	66	66	117	117	66	66	117
U.S.A.	3,860	3,860	3,787	3,787	3,787	3,860	3,860	3,787	3,787	3,860	3,860	3,787	3,787	3,860	3,860	3,787
Zimbabwe	106	106	139	139	139	106	106	139	139	106	106	139	139	106	106	139
Other	96	96	139	139	139	96	96	139	139	96	96	139	139	96	96	139
2. General Tariff Countries	537	537	689	689	689	537	537	689	689	537	537	689	689	537	537	689
Japan	98	98	131	131	131	98	98	131	131	98	98	131	131	98	98	131
Switzerland	322	322	344	344	344	322	322	344	344	322	322	344	344	322	322	344
Other	117	117	214	214	214	117	117	214	214	117	117	214	214	117	117	214

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Table 22 - EPZ exports of selected commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (f.o.b.) : Million Rupees

SITC section/description	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
			Total EPZ Exports	18,267	21,001	3,498	4,843	4,950	4,976	4,210	5,445	5,678	5,668
0 - Food and live animals of which	993	978	218	255	295	225	228	244	263	243
<i>Fish and fish preparations</i>	640	719	128	170	191	151	164	202	190	163
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	23	21	5	9	4	5	4	6	4	7
5 - Chemicals & related products, n. e. s.	53	16	9	15	17	12	8	3	3	2
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material of which	1,657	2,135	351	406	423	477	465	558	565	547
<i>Textile yarn, fabrics, made up articles</i>	1,035	1,447	218	243	264	310	338	380	372	357
<i>Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones</i>	464	509	119	126	116	103	89	134	148	138
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	79	99	13	10	27	29	11	6	54	28
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles of which	15,460	17,748	2,902	4,148	4,182	4,228	3,494	4,627	4,789	4,838
<i>Articles of apparel and clothing</i>	13,780	16,187	2,529	3,695	3,755	3,801	3,131	4,192	4,400	4,464
<i>Optical goods</i>	235	211	56	56	60	63	54	59	42	56
<i>Watches and clocks</i>	452	405	108	135	99	110	101	105	86	113
<i>Toys, games and sporting goods</i>	207	194	37	54	63	53	40	54	54	46
<i>Jewellery, goldsmiths & silversmiths wares</i>	229	286	46	60	58	65	56	77	80	73

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Table 23 - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
017.60.00			3,334	171,411
Meat & offal (other than liver), of bovine animals, prepared or preserved, n.e.s	United Kingdom	tonne	3,226	163,590
	Other	"	108	7,821
037.13.00			13,035	700,591
Tunas, Skipjack & Atlantic bonito	Belgium	tonne		
	France	"	3,362	166,737
	Germany	"	711	38,168
	Spain	"	518	31,567
	United Kingdom	"	7,621	423,224
	Other	"	823	40,895
081.99.20			2,590	60,284
Pet foods other than dog or cat food	Japan	tonne	2,342	54,490
	Other	"	248	5,794
651.13.00			561	129,685
Yarn of combed wool, not put up for retail sales containing > 85% of wool	Malagasy, Rep.	tonne	555	128,574
	Other	"	6	1,111
651.33.11			419	30,796
Uncombed single cotton yarn, with > =85% cotton, not put up for retail sale, < =14mm	Hong Kong	tonne	316	19,498
	Malagasy, Rep.	"	103	11,298
652.34.90			217	30,752
Printed woven fabrics of cotton, containing not less than 85% by weight of cotton, n.e.s not more than 200g/m ²	Ireland	tonne	23	10,731
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	50	14,085
	Other	"	144	5,936
652.43.00			9,791	743,703
Other woven fabrics; containing 85% or more by weight of cotton, denim, weighing more than 200g/m ²	Belgium	tonne	355	27,620
	Spain	"	398	29,401
	Hong Kong	"	601	39,750
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	1,794	141,389
	United Kingdom	"	2,202	160,627
	South Africa	"	2,025	157,288
	Zimbabwe	"	1,389	110,580
	Other	"	1,027	77,048
652.92.00			277	92,055
Dyed woven fabrics of cotton, = < 200g/m ² , nes	United Kingdom	tonne	101	45,135
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	38	10,877
	Sri Lanka	"	40	13,766
	Zimbabwe	"	47	12,009
	Other	"	51	10,268

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
655.12.10 Pile fabrics, including "long pile" fabrics,	Malagasy, Rep of	tonne	545	92,209
	Other	"	544	92,145
			1	64
658.47.10 Toilet & kitchen of linen, of cotton			883	181,258
	Germany	tonne	841	172,435
	Other	"	42	8,823
664.94.90 Clock and watch glasses and similar glasses, glasses for non-corrective spectacles, etc			7	100,407
	Switzerland	tonne	4	100,014
	Other	"	3	393
667.29.00 Non-industrial diamonds, otherwise worked but not mounted or set				471,043
	Australia	carrat	--	53,908
	Belgium	"	"	334,973
	U.S.A	"	"	78,071
	Other	"	"	4,091
744.89.91 Sugar cane loaders			138	75,405
	Phillipines	u	16	8,700
	South Africa	"	13	4,752
	Singapore	"	8	4,167
	Thailand	"	76	40,173
	Other	"	25	17,613
831.11.00 Handbags, with outer surface of leather, of composition leather or of patent leather			110	27,924
	France	Thousand	110	27,924
841.21.00 Suits of wool or fine animal hair			17	26,872
	Germany	Thousand	17	26,872
841.22.90 Men's or boys' suit of textile, nes, excl 620311-12, not knitted/crocheted			26	32,463
	Germany	Thousand	18	31,198
	Other	"	8	1,265
841.30.10 Men's or boy's jacket & blazers of wool or fine animal hair not knitted/crocheted			37	37,617
	Germany	Thousand	30	32,129
	Other	"	7	5,488
841.30.20 Men's or boy's jacket & blazers of cotton not knitted/crocheted			236	59,863
	France	Thousand	51	11,730
	United Kingdom	"	85	16,656
	U. S. A	"	62	22,180
	Other	"	38	9,297

Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
841.30.30			42	36,245
Men's or boys' jackets and blazers of synthetic fibres, not knitted/crocheted	Germany	Thousand	31	31,610
	Other	"	11	4,635
841.30.90			90	38,609
Men's or boy's jacket & blazers of other textile materials not knitted/crocheted	France	Thousand	71	28,613
	Germany	"	12	7,982
	Other	"	7	2,014
841.40.10			65	28,864
Men's or boys' bib, short etc of wool, not knitted or crocheted	Germany	Thousand	42	23,531
	Other	"	23	5,333
841.40.20			14,565	2,251,068
Men's or boy's trousers, bib & brace, overalls, breeches & shorts of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	Belgium	Thousand	854	151,292
	France	"	1,916	342,005
	Germany	"	52	11,566
	Italy	"	97	8,736
	Netherlands	"	887	154,796
	Reunion	"	226	22,643
	Spain	"	164	27,565
	United Kingdom	"	4,200	676,359
	Canada	"	91	11,899
	Sweden	"	68	13,494
	U.S.A	"	5,805	804,930
	Other	"	205	25,783
841.40.30			152	41,286
Men's or boy's trousers, bib & brace, overalls, breeches & shorts of synthetic fibres, not knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	129	28,749
	Germany	"	21	11,727
	Other	"	2	810
841.40.90			562	101,074
Trousers, bib & brace overalls, breeches & shorts of other textile materials	Germany	Thousand	61	15,812
	France	"	234	56,625
	United Kingdom	"	107	19,551
	U.S.A	"	150	6,068
	Other	"	10	3,018

Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
841.51.00			10,883	2,343,464
Men's or boy's shirts of cotton not knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	1,774	384,561
	Germany	"	82	16,951
	Italy	"	304	80,962
	Netherlands	"	508	157,300
	Spain	"	889	171,534
	United Kingdom	"	2,481	431,612
	Canada	"	130	23,991
	Hong Kong	"	137	45,961
	Sweden	"	63	14,651
	U.S.A	"	4,016	918,619
	Japan	"	120	30,240
	Other	"	379	67,082
841.59.90			1,246	173,788
Men's or boys' shirts of other textile materials	France	Thousand	362	52,798
	United Kingdom	"	471	52,554
	U.S.A	"	294	47,970
	Other	"	119	20,466
841.62.10			257	41,703
Men's/boys' nightshirt & pyjamas of cotton,not knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	23	4,942
	United Kingdom	"	18	2,229
	Italy	"	9	2,348
	U.S.A	"	195	30,166
	Other	"	12	2,018
842.22.20			285	37,470
Women's or girls' ensembles of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	U.S.A	Thousand	212	28,627
	Other	"	73	8,843
842.22.90			263	25,404
Women's/girls' ensemble of textile,nes,excl,620421-23,not knitted/crochet	U.S.A	Thousand	208	15,958
	Other	"	55	9,446
842.40.20			629	88,769
Dresses of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	145	18,062
	United Kingdom	"	200	35,923
	U.S.A	"	226	27,021
	Other	"	58	7,763

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
842.50.20			1,369	174,979
Women's or girls' skirts & divided skirts of cotton	United Kingdom	Thousand	124	25,203
	U.S.A	"	1,090	128,495
	Other	"	155	21,281
842.50.90			237	35,758
Women's/girls' skirt/divided skirt of textile nes,not knitted/crocheted	France	Thousand	62	12,033
	United Kingdom	"	48	5,792
	U.S.A	"	74	10,335
	Other	"	53	7,598
842.60.20			3,407	469,417
Women's or girls' trousers, bib & brace, overalls , breeches & shorts of cotton not knitted or crocheted	Belgium	Thousand	104	17,446
	France	"	259	37,901
	Netherlands	"	210	34,090
	United Kingdom	"	522	74,820
	Canada	"	94	11,920
	U.S.A	"	2,106	278,789
	Other	"	112	14,451
842.60.90			409	71,757
Women's or girls' trousers, bib & brace , overalls , breeches & shorts of other textile materials	France	Thousand	86	31,180
	Germany	"	252	22,467
	Italy	"	38	13,712
	Other	"	33	4,398
842.70.30			808	131,813
Women's or girls' blouses, shirts & shorts-blouses of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	209	33,424
	United Kingdom	"	121	17,261
	Italy	"	106	29,844
	U.S.A.	"	209	38,430
	Other	"	163	12,854
842.70.90			576	103,598
Women's or girls blouses, etc of other textile materials	France	Thousand	48	5,001
	Germany	"	407	71,179
	Italy	"	68	21,459
	Other	"	53	5,959
843.23.90			375	40,484
Men's / boys' jacket etc of other textile knitted or crocheted, other	France	Thousand	28	6,097
	Germany	"	21	4,310
	U.S.A.	"	295	23,842
	Other	"	31	6,235

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
843.24.20			795	84,769
Women's or girls dresses of cotton knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	189	19,735
	United Kingdom	"	240	18,447
	Italy	"	170	23,773
	Reunion	"	63	5,285
	U.S.A.	"	57	8,417
	Other	"	76	9,112
843.24.90			329	30,037
Men's or boys' trouser, bib, breech etc of other textiles, knitted/crocheted	France	Thousand	35	2,526
	United Kingdom	"	25	3,541
	Italy	"	17	2,878
	Reunion	"	88	7,981
	U.S.A.	"	152	11,288
	Other	"	12	1,823
843.71.00			2,158	225,529
Men's or boys' shirts, knitted or crocheted, of cotton	France	Thousand	556	63,613
	United Kingdom	"	817	66,195
	U.S.A	"	540	65,256
	Other	"	245	30,465
843.82.10			291	38,387
Men's or boys' nightshirts and pyjamas, knitted or crocheted, of cotton	France	Thousand	208	26,110
	Italy	"	32	7,602
	U.S.A.	"	50	4,602
	Other	"	1	73
844.24.20			483	51,726
Women's or girls' dresses of cotton knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	251	28,032
	Germany	"	159	5,761
	United Kingdom	"	58	6,486
	Other	"	15	11,447
844.26.20			1,523	104,927
Women's or girls' trouser, bib, breech, short etc of cotton, knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	424	39,224
	Germany	"	137	10,522
	United Kingdom	"	318	18,207
	U.S.A	"	467	23,688
	Other	"	177	13,286
844.26.90			1,839	122,602
Women's or girls' trouser, etc of textile excl 610461-63, knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	284	30,484
	Canada	"	846	49,651
	U.S.A	"	583	33,843
	Other	"	126	8,624

Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
844.82.10 Women's or girls' briefs and panties of cotton, knitted or crocheted			3,499	64,531
	France	Thousand	1,000	18,184
	United Kingdom	"	222	3,875
	U.S.A	"	2,155	38,590
	Other	"	122	3,882
845.11.20 Babies' garment & clothing accessories of cotton, not knitted or crocheted			286	27,371
	Spain	Tonne	244	3,298
	U.S.A	"	31	17,603
	Other	"	11	6,470
845.12.20 Babies' garment & clothing accessories of cotton, knitted or crocheted			154	61,828
	Germany	Tonne	12	8,309
	United Kingdom	"	24	10,686
	U.S.A	"	107	34,372
	Other	"	11	8,461
845.30.10 Jerseys, pullovers, cardigan, waist-coat etc of wool, knitted or crocheted			6,612	1,479,935
	France	Thousand	2,172	581,139
	Germany	"	993	210,838
	Italy	"	595	117,493
	Spain	"	634	110,051
	Netherlands	"	194	35,372
	United Kingdom	"	1,327	274,137
	U.S.A	"	328	76,996
	Other	"	369	73,909
845.30.20 Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waistcoats & similar articles, knitted or crocheted of cotton			4,834	787,420
	France	Thousand	885	158,419
	Germany	"	1,154	175,600
	Italy	"	343	67,149
	Spain	"	139	24,889
	Netherlands	"	123	21,092
	United Kingdom	"	1,895	297,147
	Sweden	"	90	16,311
	Other	"	205	26,813
845.30.90 Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waistcoats & similar articles, of other textile materials, knitted or crocheted			3,563	884,437
	Belgium	Thousand	61	13,592
	France	"	1,667	452,086
	Germany	"	319	81,722
	Italy	"	248	65,296
	United Kingdom	"	743	152,918
	Sweden	"	55	11,100
	U.S.A.	"	68	16,495
	Other	"	402	91,228

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
845.40.10			59,136	4,509,312
T-Shirts ,singlets & other vests, of cotton, knitted or crocheted	Belgium	Thousand	811	139,352
	France	"	22,204	1,717,098
	Germany	"	5,862	385,789
	Italy	"	4,875	509,887
	Netherlands	"	840	75,460
	Reunion	"	1,329	64,665
	Spain	"	559	53,784
	United Kingdom	"	15,396	1,068,024
	Sweden	"	537	43,752
	U.S.A.	"	4,850	396,602
	Other	"	1,873	54,899
			7,119	427,843
845.40.90				
T-Shirts ,singlets & other vests, of other textile materials, knitted or crocheted	France	Thousand	907	76,994
	Germany	"	156	12,596
	United Kingdom	"	218	20,272
	Canada	"	1,235	61,718
	U.S.A.	"	4,435	241,264
	Other	"	168	14,999
			196	152,585
845.51.00				
Brassieres	France	tonne	40	31,097
	Germany	"	38	32,744
	Netherlands	"	97	67,425
	U.S.A	"	15	16,278
	Other	"	6	5,041
			244	87,575
845.91.90				
Track suits of other textile materials	France	Thousand	129	51,138
	Germany	"	33	11,482
	Italy	"	19	10,160
	Other	"	63	14,795
			957	102,011
874.46.00				
Other instruments & apparatus for physical or chemical analysis	Spain	Thousand	206	24,233
	Netherlands	"	450	62,253
	Other	"	301	15,525
			204	28,926
884.21.90				
Frames & mountings for spectacles, goggles or the like, and parts thereof	France	Thousand	204	28,926
			3,679	116,571
884.23.10				
Sunglasses	France	Thousand	696	26,460
	New Zealand	"	130	6,012
	U.S.A	"	2,171	58,114
	Switzerland	"	113	7,395
	Other	"	569	18,590
			1,024	31,943
884.23.95				
Spectacles, goggles, corrective/protective gears	U.S.A	Thousand	1,005	30,996
	Other	"	19	947

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1996¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
885.39.10			370	34,800
Pocket watches etc nes of precious metal, battery operated excl wrist-watch	France	Thousand	370	34,800
885.51.20			962	56,202
Watch movements, battery or accumulator powered with opto electronic display only	France	Thousand	791	44,162
	Hong kong	"	171	12,040
885.51.90			3,027	150,098
Other watch movements, complete or assembled, battery or accumulator powered	France	Thousand	1,557	91,303
	Switzerland	"	1,470	58,795
885.93.90			12	53,770
Watch straps, bands and bracelets and parts thereof	France	Thousand	10	40,882
	Switzerland	"	2	12,888
885.98.12			6	35,965
Incomplete watch movements, assembled	France	tonne	4	24,186
	Switzerland	"	2	11,779
885.99.30			4	54,801
Dials of clocks and watches	Switzerland	tonne	3	49,936
	Other	"	1	4,865
894.25.10			1,643	126,870
Toys representing animals or non human creatures stuffed	France	Thousand	1,395	98,777
	Germany	"	198	22,238
	Other	"	50	5,855
894.49.00			123	29,322
Other entertainment articles	France	tonne	46	15,070
	U.S.A	"	65	9,255
	Other	"	12	4,997
895.93.90			27	146,853
Date, sealing or numbering stamps, and the like, designed for operating in the hand, etc.	France	tonne	22	114,740
	Switzerland	"	4	31,516
	Other	"	1	597
897.31.19				165,473
Articles or jewellery & parts thereof of other precious metal whether or not plated or clad with precious metal	France	..	..	157,172
	Other	..	..	8,301
897.32.19				40,758
Articles of other precious metal, whether or not plated or clad with precious metal	France	..	..	8,438
	Germany	..	..	13,756
	U.S.A	..	..	17,979
	Other	..	..	585

Table 24 - EPZ Imports of selected commodities by section, 1995 - 1996

Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees

SITC section/description	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total EPZ imports	10,856	12,102	2,482	2,676	2,887	2,811	2,671	3,183	3,301	2,954
0 - Food and live animals	368	424	82	38	106	142	93	102	88	141
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	750	1,089	173	160	223	194	263	234	397	195
of which										
Cotton	347	491	50	70	113	114	153	66	233	39
Synthetic fibres suitable for spinning	22	21	4	6	8	4	4	3	5	9
Wool and other fine animal hair	307	340	109	77	73	48	64	104	91	81
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants & related products	25	16	6	4	1	14	1	12	1	2
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	426	483	82	95	136	113	95	122	135	131
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	7,071	7,681	1,651	1,774	1,885	1,761	1,640	2,067	2,045	1,929
of which										
Leather	160	138	38	44	45	33	39	32	34	33
Textile yarn and fabrics	5,984	6,643	1,399	1,499	1,608	1,478	1,365	1,829	1,777	1,672
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	470	366	124	128	102	116	96	82	86	102
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	987	1,117	190	285	255	257	278	293	295	251
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,079	1,055	268	268	246	297	250	273	264	268
of which										
Optical goods, watches & clocks	398	321	102	102	81	113	93	86	62	80
9 - Commodities & transactions not classified elsewhere	150	244	30	52	35	33	51	80	76	37

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Table 25 - EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1995 - 1996

Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	1995	1996 ¹	1995				1996			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr		
Total EPZ imports	10,856	12,109	2,482	2,676	2,887	2,811	2,671	3,183	3,301	2,954
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	8,287	9,032	1,915	2,065	2,170	2,137	1,961	2,310	2,382	2,359
(a) European Union Countries	(3,725)	(4,016)	(867)	(1,008)	(909)	(941)	(924)	(1,073)	(900)	(1,039)
Belgium	245	310	53	58	60	74	66	73	85	86
France	1,718	1,554	418	465	445	390	391	436	338	389
Germany	695	776	151	206	172	166	209	179	232	156
Italy	540	664	108	156	107	169	133	165	178	188
Netherlands	29	32	6	5	11	7	7	8	11	6
Spain	119	258	42	11	24	42	31	69	39	119
United Kingdom	340	368	82	95	81	82	76	121	87	84
Other	39	54	7	12	9	11	11	22	10	11
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(4,562)	(5,016)	(1,048)	(1,057)	(1,261)	(1,196)	(1,057)	(1,237)	(1,402)	(1,320)
Australia	237	254	72	53	71	41	68	60	71	55
Hong kong	1,438	1,225	343	392	380	323	269	321	323	312
India	1,429	1,875	315	289	405	420	331	432	582	530
Malagasy, Republic of	91	97	23	28	22	18	20	24	26	27
Malaysia	104	195	4	26	36	38	58	51	27	59
New Zealand	149	126	49	42	42	16	24	34	42	26
Pakistan	169	292	20	17	45	87	97	60	70	65
Singapore	413	288	116	97	104	96	53	96	82	57
South Africa, Republic of	275	353	55	67	81	72	56	108	85	104
U.S.A.	144	202	36	33	42	33	47	43	50	62
Other	113	109	15	13	33	52	34	8	44	23
2. General Tariff Countries	2,569	3,077	567	611	717	674	690	873	919	595
Burkina Faso	74	226	25	33	7	9	40	55	106	25
China	464	874	79	102	133	150	154	307	242	171
Indonesia	77	111	22	13	21	21	28	23	24	36
Japan	367	380	55	104	125	83	129	108	87	56
Korea, Republic of	103	76	36	32	23	12	22	10	34	10
Mali	38	69	-	-	-	38	37	26	-	6
Switzerland	300	378	70	75	57	98	73	110	111	84
Taiwan	681	650	177	158	190	156	155	167	180	148
Thailand	70	48	12	14	14	30	13	9	7	19
Other	395	265	91	80	147	77	39	58	128	40

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Table 26 - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
034..23.20			20,809	378,968
Tunas, Skipjack or strippe-bellied bonito, frozen	France	tonne	6,755	122,227
	Spain	"	11,118	204,160
	Bahamas	"	692	12,802
	Russian Fed	"	430	5,486
	Other	"	1,814	34,293
263.10.00			11,980	483,093
Cotton not carded or combed	Burkina Faso	tonne	5,535	226,235
	Mali	"	1,759	70,105
	Pakistan	"	1,669	67,369
	Nigeria	"	1,155	44,097
	Other	"	1,862	75,287
268.21.90			1,896	157,857
Other wool, not carded or combed	Australia	tonne	361	38,495
	New Zealand	"	1,442	111,150
	Other	"	93	8,212
268.59.00			357	39,116
Other coarse animal hair, not carded or combed	Australia	tonne	186	22,078
	New Zealand	"	84	5,697
	South Africa	"	65	7,018
	Other	"	22	4,323
268.73.00			409	54,373
Wool tops and other combed wool of other animal hair, fine or coarse	South Africa	tonne	340	44,645
	Other	"	69	9,728
598.91.11			1,155	40,489
Finishing agent, dye carriers with a basis of amylaceous substances of a kind used in the textile industry	United Kingdom	tonne	1,016	32,744
	Other	"	139	7,745
611.72.90			41	33,522
Leather of other reptiles	France	tonne	18	10,003
	Germany	"	23	23,519
611.79.00			38	43,014
Leather of other animal hairs other than, leather of heading 611.8	France	tonne	29	31,836
	Brazil	"	3	1,702
	Other	"	6	9,476
641.41.90			3,195	26,390
Other uncoated kraft paper & paperboard in rolls or sheets	South Africa	tonne	1,533	12,570
	Indonesia	"	696	5,366
	Other	"	966	8,454
651.12.00			448	93,157
Yarn or carded wool, not put up for retail sale, containing >85% by weight of wool	China	tonne	112	20,096
	Hong Kong	"	72	12,029
	Macau	"	163	41,111
	Taiwan	"	32	5,222
	Other	"	69	14,699

Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
651.13.00			142	36,701
Yarn of combed wool, not put up for retail sale, containing $\geq 85\%$ of wool	Hong Kong	tonne	25	5,400
	China	"	37	8,713
	Korea, Republic	"	24	6,229
	Macau	"	29	8,328
	Other	"	27	8,031
651.17.00			300	70,247
Yarn of carded wool, not put up for retail sales containing $< 85\%$ of weight of wool	Italy	tonne	246	56,000
	Macau	"	14	3,436
	Taiwan	"	20	4,959
	Other	"	20	5,852
651.32.00			130	25,585
Cotton yarn (excl. sewing), put up for retail sale, with $< 85\%$ cotton	France	tonne	41	8,299
	Mexico	"	72	15,849
	Other	"	17	1,437
651.33.11			5,466	435,759
Uncombed single cotton yarn, containing $> 85\%$ by weight of cotton, not for retail sale	Italy	tonne	134	19,578
	India	"	3,448	260,020
	Pakistan	"	677	41,490
	South Africa	"	378	13,054
	China	"	640	84,966
	Other	"	189	16,651
651.33.21			1,211	97,114
Single yarn, of combed fibres measuring 714.29 decitex or more	Italy	tonne	93	12,419
	India	"	1,027	81,096
	Other	"	91	3,599
651.33.24			1,660	137,011
Cotton yarn measuring < 192.31 decitex but not less than 125 decitex	India	tonne	461	35,573
	Pakistan	"	504	41,751
	Taiwan	"	565	47,772
	Other	"	130	11,915
651.33.44			1,071	82,676
Multiple (folded) or cabled yarn, of combed fibres measuring per single yarn not less than 192.31 decitex, etc	Australia	tonne	507	39,778
	India	"	516	38,290
	Other	"	48	4,608

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Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
651.33.45 Combed cabled cotton yarn containing not less than 85% by weight of cotton, not for retail sale			21,689	1,625,787
	Italy	tonne	843	139,173
	Australia	"	1,141	67,678
	India	"	16,888	1,175,014
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	662	54,571
	Pakistan	"	1,450	105,276
	Other	"	705	84,075
651.34.11 Uncomb single cotton yarn, with < 85% cotton, not put up for retail sales, < = 14mn			175	25,536
	Hong Kong	tonne	153	21,994
	Other	"	22	3,542
651.34.45 Cotton yarn measuring per single yarn < 125 decitex			845	67,501
	India	tonne	757	59,357
	Other	"	88	8,144
651.62.20 High tenacity yarn of polyesters, not for retail sale			202	26,234
	Hong Kong	tonne	135	15,008
	Other	"	67	11,226
651.84.21 Yarn, < 85% acrylic or modacrylic staple fibres, with wool, not put up for retail sales			191	31,136
	France	tonne	40	7,458
	Italy	"	27	7,549
	Indonesia	"	111	13,639
	Other	"	13	2,490
652.15.10 Cut curduroy of cotton			527	87,377
	Hong Kong	tonne	312	50,850
	China	"	141	13,496
	Korea, Republic of	"	23	9,846
	Taiwan	"	30	6,742
	Other	"	21	6,443
652.21.90 Coloured plain cotton weave containing > 85% by weight of cotton			483	55,883
	Hong Kong	tonne	95	11,760
	Malagasy , Rep of	"	93	7,442
	Pakistan	"	33	3,241
	China	"	24	26,965
	Other	"	238	6,475
652.33.20 Coloured plain cotton weave containing > 85% by weight of cotton			104	54,391
	France	tonne	23	11,845
	Italy	"	26	17,087
	Portugal	"	15	6,855
	Switzerland	"	8	6,030
	Taiwan	"	11	3,044
	Other	"	21	9,530

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Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
652.33.90			307	107,531
Coloured woven cotton fabrics, with $\geq 85\%$ cotton, nes	France	tonne	58	33,245
	Italy	"	13	6,129
	Hong Kong	"	39	5,480
	Indonesia	"	27	5,903
	Taiwan	"	106	34,562
	Other	"	64	22,212
652.34.90			1,576	310,954
Printed woven cotton fabrics, with $\geq 85\%$ cotton, nes	Germany	tonne	29	12,015
	France	"	70	30,560
	Italy	"	94	27,999
	Hong Kong	"	385	67,097
	China	"	556	80,373
	Taiwan	"	234	41,437
	Other	"	208	51,473
652.41.20			259	46,592
Bleached 3 or 4-thread twill, $\geq 85\%$ cotton, $\geq 200\text{g/m}^2$	China	tonne	213	37,918
	Other	"	46	8,674
652.41.90			946	157,468
Bleached woven cotton fabrics, with $\geq 85\%$ cotton, $\geq 200\text{g/m}^2$, n.e.s	Hong Kong	tonne	916	146,162
	Other	"	30	11,306
652.43.00			1,176	137,143
Denim, containing more than 85% by weight of cotton, weighing $> 200\text{g/m}^2$	Hong Kong	tonne	409	49,434
	India	"	168	12,536
	China	"	148	23,642
	Macau	"	325	33,204
	Other	"	126	18,327
652.92.00			307	38,884
Other woven fabrics of cotton dyed, weighing $= < 200\text{g/m}^2$	U.K	tonne	48	5,216
	Hong kong	"	42	5,106
	India	"	80	5,849
	China	"	42	6,936
	Other	"	95	15,777
652.96.00			2,122	479,359
Other woven fabrics of cotton; dyed; weighing $> 200\text{g/m}^2$	Hong kong	tonne	76	14,171
	China	"	1,598	316,293
	Taiwan	"	181	50,038
	Japan	"	165	74,756
	Other	"	102	24,101
652.98.00			175	35,817
Other woven fabrics of cotton; printed; weighing $> 200\text{g/m}^2$	France	tonne	6	5,764
	Hong kong	"	63	11,004
	India	"	63	6,892
	Other	"	43	12,157

Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
653.31.12			150	29,463
3 or 4-thread twill, <85% polyester staple fibres + cotton, = < 170g/m2	Malaysia	tonne	24	5,072
	Indonesia	"	64	11,181
	Taiwan	"	15	4,218
	Other	"	47	8,992
653.32.30			195	38,177
Other woven fabrics ,of synthetic staple fibres, dyed	Germany	tonne	9	7,587
	Malaysia	"	54	6,233
	China	"	54	7,503
	Taiwan	"	20	5,039
	Other	"	58	11,815
654.11.00			13	147,352
Fabrics of noil silk	France	tonne	13	141,568
	Other	"	-	5,784
654.21.90			115	93,368
Fabrics of carded wool or fine animal hair containig > =85% by weight of wool or fine animal hair	Germany	tonne	110	90,232
	Other	"	5	3,136
655.12.10			173	36,194
Looped pile fabrics of cotton	Hong Kong	tonne	45	11,700
	Malaysia	"	46	7,527
	Singapore	"	57	10,230
	Other	"	25	6,737
655.19.10			408	99,516
Pile & terry fabrics of textile materials, knitted or crocheted	Germany	tonne	57	30,146
	Hong Kong	"	193	41,137
	Malaysia	"	61	8,898
	Singapore	"	59	13,989
	Other	"	38	5,346
655.19.90			1,189	197,340
Pile & terry fabrics of textile materials, knitted or crocheted	France	tonne	55	18,264
	Malaysia	"	553	81,707
	Singapore	"	178	24,544
	Taiwan	"	378	68,904
	Other	"	25	3,921
655.23.20			223	27,041
Other fabrics, warp knit of cotton	Singapore	tonne	198	19,574
	Other	"	25	7,467

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Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
655.23.90			296	51,731
Other fabrics, warp knit	Italy	tonne	19	7,971
	Malaysia	"	195	29,523
	Singapore	"	60	10,603
	Other	"	22	3,634
			1,143	207,031
655.29.20				
Knitted or crocheted fabrics, n.e.s., of man-made fibres	Hong Kong	tonne	521	96,033
	China	"	571	101,570
	Other	"	51	9,428
			810	134,795
655.29.90				
Fabrics, warp knit, n.e.s	Germany	tonne	57	28,432
	Italy	"	35	13,627
	Hong Kong	"	146	27,232
	Singapore	"	308	26,261
	China	"	55	10,958
	Taiwan	"	195	23,995
	Other	"	14	4,290
			154	60,120
656.12.00				
Other woven fabrics containing by weight 5% or more of elastic yarn or rubber thread	France	tonne	13	13,469
	Germany	"	25	13,437
	Italy	"	29	14,450
	Hong Kong	"	56	14,541
	Other	"	31	4,223
			58	92,317
656.21.00				
Woven labels; badges & similar articles of textile materials, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size embroidered	France	tonne	9	63,576
	Hong Kong	"	19	11,330
	Singapore	"	15	6,191
	Other	"	15	11,220
			83	59,105
656.29.00				
Other labels; badges & similar articles of textile materials, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size not embroidered	Hong Kong	tonne	57	42,463
	Other	"	26	16,642
			177	52,880
657.32.95				
Other textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with plastics	Germany	tonne	46	23,324
	France	"	38	7,193
	United Kingdom	"	20	6,254
	Hong Kong	"	45	9,778
	Other	"	28	6,331
				238,466
667.22.00				
Non-industrial diamonds, worked or simply sawn, cleared or bruted	Belgium	carat	- - -	51,524
	United Kingdom	"	"	38,506
	U.S.A	"	"	101,483
	Australia	"	"	39,566
	Other	"	"	7,387

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Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
667.29.00				37,043
Diamonds(other than industrial-diamonds), otherwise worked, but not mounted or set	Belgium	carat	- . -	20,948
	United ingdomK	"	"	6,528
	Australia	"	"	4,310
	U.S.A	"	"	4,026
	Other	"	"	1,231
667.49.00				81,571
Synthetic or reconstituted precious or semi-precious stones, n.e.s	Switzerland	- . -	- . -	80,122
	Other	"	"	1,449
674.11.90			4,076	139,067
Other flat-rolled products of steel electrolytically coated or plated with zinc	Japan	tonne	3,584	116,567
	Thailand	"	389	17,978
	Other	"	103	4,522
723.99.00			350	40,003
Parts of machinery of 8426, 8429 and 8430, excluding 842641-42-43	South Africa	tonne	348	39,201
	Other	"	2	802
724.35.19			1,048	54,240
Other sewing machines, of household type	Italy	u	30	6,540
	Hong kong	"	297	6,044
	Singapore	"	309	9,248
	Japan	"	268	22,735
	Other	"	144	9,673
724.39.90			33	34,299
Parts of sewing machines, excl. 845230-40	Hong kong	tonne	8	6,292
	Japan	"	13	20,293
	Other	"	12	7,714
724.51.29			14	36,181
Machines for weaving fabrics, > 30cm wide,shuttle type excl. power looms	Switzerland	u	14	36,181
724.53.00			528	55,476
Other circular knitting machines	Germany	u	15	15,611
	Japan	"	65	19,719
	Taiwan	"	430	17,342
	Other	"	18	2,804
724.74.20			34	35,825
Washing, bleaching or dyeing machines	Germany	u	3	14,549
	Italy	"	4	6,075
	Hong kong	"	11	5,557
	Other	"	16	9,644
724.74.40			923	51,540
Other drying machines	France	u	390	3,015
	Germany	"	12	29,589
	Italy	"	8	4,099
	Switzerland	"	8	4,608
	Other	"	505	10,229

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Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
724.92.90			61	30,037
Other parts of machines for washing, cleaning, drying etc	France	tonne	14	2,282
	Germany	"	8	9,070
	United Kingdom	"	1	2,492
	Italy	"	7	4,068
	Hong Kong	"	10	2,743
	U.S.A	"	1	2,490
	Other	"	20	6,892
			10	29,196
726.67.00				
Printing machinery ,excl 844311 to 844340	Germany	u	1	25,274
	U.S.A	"	1	2,469
	Other	"	8	1,453
			163	33,956
728.12.93				
Grinding, sanding or polishing machines for working wood, cork, etc	Switzerland	u	82	30,901
	Other	"	81	3,055
			84	25,354
884.19.90				
Other optical fibres & optical fibre bundles, n.e.s	Taiwan	tonne	81	18,752
	Other	"	3	6,602
			36	261,168
885.99.90				
Clock or watch parts excluding springs, jewels, dial plates & bridges	France	tonne	17	126,352
	Switzerland	"	14	117,252
	Other	"	5	17,564
			215	61,231
892.81.90				
Other paper or paperboard labels of all kinds, whether or not printed	France	tonne	16	5,389
	Germany	"	12	3,933
	Italy	"	13	4,350
	United Kingdom	"	31	11,688
	Hong Kong	"	106	30,509
	Other	"	37	5,362
			414	60,686
893.99.99				
Articles of plastics & polymers of ethyl (excluding articles of plastic & other materials)	France	tonne	73	17,002
	United Kingdom	"	52	7,488
	Hong Kong	"	114	13,538
	Singapore	"	100	10,408
	Other	"	75	12,250
				93,706
897.31.19				
Articles of jewellery & parts of other metal, whether or not plated or clad with precious stone	Germany	tonne	- . -	72,072
	Other	"	- . -	21,634

Table 26 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1996¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item		Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
899.83.21	Buttons of plastics not covered with textile material	Hong Kong	tonne	91	52,428
		Other	"	67	39,230
				24	13,198
899.83.29	Other buttons, n.e.s	France	tonne	99	39,615
		Hong Kong	"	4	3,617
		Other	"	79	24,707
				16	11,291
899.85.90	Other slide fasteners	Hong Kong	tonne	144	63,859
		Taiwan	"	100	41,469
		Singapore	"	16	8,454
		Other	"	11	4,988
			"	17	8,948
971.01.20	Non-monetary gold in unwrought form excluding powder	Germany	tonne	-	60,887
		Other	"	-	50,647
				"	10,240
971.01.30	Other non-monetary coin in semi-manufactured forms	France	tonne	-	180,971
		Other	"	-	172,149
				"	8,822

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Table 27 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 1994 - 1996

Value: Thousand Rupees

ACP States	1994		1995		1996 ¹	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)
Total	888,529	917,867	1,312,625	1,018,365	1,304,928	1,457,000
Angola	-	263	-	-	-	-
Benin	-	-	37,316	-	-	136
Botswana	3,087	193	1,316	17	787	2,819
Burkina Faso	-	-	75,977	-	226,235	3,656
Burundi	-	39,988	-	6,751	-	9,655
Cameroon	23,777	1,135	132,731	100	8,220	372
Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central African Republic	-	187	2,257	407	42,891	-
Chad	11	-	-	-	52	532
Comoros Islands	33	44,318	1,080	41,108	177	32,453
Congo	3,410	819	11,644	16	8,541	38
Cote D'Ivoire	4,055	75	6,309	1,813	3,486	58
Djibouti	34	747	-	306	3,386	2,543
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	30	17	5,440	138	6	-
Gabon	-	75	-	1,168	7,006	677
Gambia	-	-	-	-	6	-
Ghana	17,397	5	7,560	-	-	-
Guinea	-	70	3	-	123	-
Guinea Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	366,904	36,883	371,297	30,729	256,505	69,120
Lesotho	-	7	-	-	-	17,384
Liberia	7	-	-	-	183	-
Malagasy, Republic of	208,994	566,697	353,779	692,777	464,560	915,395
Malawi	92	21,824	2,251	9,164	8,063	67,791
Mali	15,698	20	39,185	-	70,118	-
Mauritania	-	-	8,009	23	500	28
Mozambique	-	18,663	2,079	3,369	4	554
Niger	517	173	-	113	2	-
Nigeria	12,786	578	9	1,657	45,086	868
Rwanda	85	20,044	-	15,902	-	22,015
Sao Tome & Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	277	643	132	1,152	86	383
Seychelles	4,931	52,358	3,978	45,643	2,166	47,547
Sierra Leone	641	-	461	-	299	-
Somalia	5	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	1,470	-	51	-	4,351	-
Swaziland	58,264	3,424	61,169	1,843	66,209	271
Tanzania	16,367	2,620	28,020	16,317	4,116	83,692
Togo	-	74	-	-	-	348
Uganda	1,744	12,053	-	27,623	-	14,592
Zaire	-	-	3,227	793	20,424	59
Zambia	7	10,962	217	4,394	14	4,155
Zimbabwe	147,906	82,952	157,128	115,042	61,326	159,859

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² Total Exports excluding Ships' stores & bunkers

Table 28 - Trade with COMESA States, 1994 - 1996

Value: Thousand Rupees

COMESA States	1994		1995		1996 ¹	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)
Total	827,500	913,832	1,026,233	1,011,930	911,438	1,447,173
Angola	-	263	-	-	-	-
Burundi	-	39,988	-	6,751	-	9,655
Comoros Islands	33	44,318	1,080	41,108	177	32,453
Djibouti	34	747	-	306	3,386	2,543
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	30	17	5,440	138	6	-
Kenya	366,904	36,883	371,297	30,729	256,505	69,120
Lesotho	-	7	-	-	-	17,384
Malagasy, Republic of	208,994	566,697	353,779	692,777	464,560	915,395
Malawi	92	21,824	2,251	9,164	8,063	67,791
Mozambique	-	18,663	2,079	3,369	4	554
Namibia	20,634	12	36,517	31	20,131	88
Rwanda	85	20,044	-	15,902	-	22,015
Seychelles	4,931	52,358	3,978	45,643	2,166	47,547
Somalia	5	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	1,470	-	51	-	4,351	-
Swaziland	58,264	3,424	61,169	1,843	66,209	271
Tanzania	16,367	2,620	28,020	16,317	4,116	83,692
Uganda	1,744	12,053	-	27,623	-	14,592
Zaire	-	-	3,227	793	20,424	59
Zambia	7	10,962	217	4,394	14	4,155
Zimbabwe	147,906	82,952	157,128	115,042	61,326	159,859

Table 29 - Trade with SADC States, 1994 - 1996

Value: Thousand Rupees

SADC States	1994		1995		1996 ¹	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ² : value(f.o.b)
Total	4,360,660	231,023	4,114,055	266,806	5,053,178	575,380
Angola	-	263	-	-	-	-
Botswana	3,087	193	1,316	17	787	2,819
Lesotho	-	7	-	-	-	17,384
Malawi	92	21,824	2,251	9,164	8,063	67,791
Mozambique	-	18,663	2,079	3,369	4	554
Namibia	20,634	12	36,517	31	20,131	88
South Africa	4,114,303	90,103	3,825,358	116,629	4,892,528	238,767
Swaziland	58,264	3,424	61,169	1,843	66,209	271
Tanzania	16,367	2,620	28,020	16,317	4,116	83,692
Zambia	7	10,962	217	4,394	14	4,155
Zimbabwe	147,906	82,952	157,128	115,042	61,326	159,859

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² Total Exports excluding Ships' stores & bunkers