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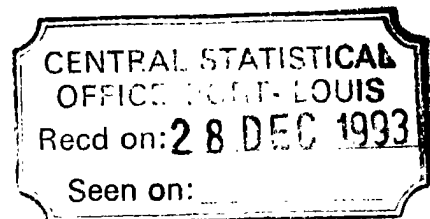
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1. EXTERNAL TRADE

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External Trade - 3rd Quarter 1993

1. Total value of trade and trade balance

During the third quarter of 1993, total international trade for the country was valued at around Rs 14,800 million, 23 per cent higher than that of the corresponding period of 1992 and 13 percent above the previous quarter's level. With exports worth Rs 7,150 million and imports, Rs 7,650 million, the balance of visible trade for the third quarter of 1993 resulted in a deficit of some Rs 500 million, about the same level as that of the corresponding period of last year.

Total exports for the first nine months of the year 1993, reached Rs 17,150 million increasing by Rs 2,550 million or 17 percent when compared to the corresponding period of 1992. At the same time imports went up by Rs 3,250 million to Rs 21,600 million, resulting in a higher trade deficit of nearly Rs 4,450 million against Rs 3,700 million for the corresponding period a year earlier.

On the basis of the above trend, total exports for the year 1993 are revised upward to Rs 23,500 million and imports to around Rs 29,500 million, leaving a trade deficit, for the current year, of about Rs 6,000 million against Rs 4,700 million in 1992.

	(Jan-Sept)		(Year)	
	1992	1993	1992	1993*
Exports (f.o.b)	14,617	17,161	20,572	23,500
Imports (c.i.f.)	18,336	21,587	25,265	29,500
Trade balance	-3,719	-4,426	-4,693	-6,000

* Revised forecast

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

The terms of trade index which shows price movements of exports relative to imports, fell by 5 percent points during the third quarter to 97 from 102 in the second quarter of 1993. Unit value indices show an increase of 6 percent for imported goods whilst export prices remained at almost the same level as that of the previous quarter.

However, price movements during the first nine months of 1993 relative to the average for the year 1992 indicate a rise of 10 percent in respect of imports whilst exports were 8 percent higher. Prices of EPZ exports were up by 8 percent and sugar by 9 percent.

3. Exports

Total export proceeds for the third quarter of 1993 increased by 26 percent over the corresponding quarter of 1992 and by 32 percent above the previous quarter to attain Rs 7,150 million. This high growth is attributable to significant increases in the export proceeds of both sugar and EPZ.

Consequently, exports for the first nine months of 1993 totalled Rs17,150 million, that is, a nominal increase of Rs 2,550 million or 17 percent over the corresponding period of 1992. After allowing for price increases of around 10 percent, exports grew, in volume terms, by 7 percent.

The table below summarises export performance during the first nine months of the year and gives an estimate for the year 1993.

	EXPORTS			
	Jan-Sept		Year	
	1992	1993	1992	1993
Total exports	14,617	17,161	20,572	23,500
of which				
Sugar	3,784	4,215	5,669	5,800
EPZ	9,579	11,561	13,081	15,500

Exports by country of destination for the first nine months of the year 1993 (Table 4) show a decline in the share of our main buyer, the EEC, which fell from 80 percent to 73 percent mainly due to the increasing exports to the USA. The US market absorbed Rs 3,000 million (18%) compared to Rs 1,800 million (13%) last year.

On the basis of export performance between January and September 1993, it is most likely that total exports for the year will reach Rs 23,500 million with sugar and EPZ sharing Rs 5,800 million and Rs 15,500 million respectively.

4. Imports

The import bill for the third quarter of 1993 was valued at Rs 7,650 million, 21 percent above the 1992 corresponding quarter's figure of Rs 6,300 million but about the same level as that of the previous quarter.

Total imports from January to September therefore reached Rs 21,600 million, increasing by 18 percent over last year's achievement of Rs 18,300 million. This increase is explained by a 10 percent rise in prices and 7 percent, in volume.

As shown in the table below, all product groups have recorded increases ranging from 13 percent to 22 percent with the exception of petroleum products which increased by only 2 percent.

IMPORTS

(Product group)	Jan-Sept		Change	
	1992	1993	Value	%
1. Food, beverages and tobacco	2,221	2,705	+ 484	+ 22%
2. Petroleum products	1,380	1,403	+ 23	+ 2%
3. Chemicals	1,429	1,614	+ 185	+ 13%
4. Manufactured goods	8,386	9,878	+ 1,492	+ 18%
5. Machinery	4,057	4,962	+ 905	+ 22%
6. Other goods	863	1,025	+ 162	+ 19%
Total imports	18,336	21,587	3,251	+ 18%
<i>EPZ : Raw materials</i>	4,946	6,050	+ 1,104	+ 22%
<i>Machinery</i>	500	868	+ 368	+ 74%

Table 7 on imports by country of origin shows that during the first nine months of 1993 our major suppliers remained the EEC (34%), Republic of South Africa (13%), Japan (6%), India (5%) and Hong kong(5%).

Total imports for the year 1993 is now estimated at Rs 29,500 million against Rs 25,265 million last year.

5. The EPZ Sector

During the third quarter of 1993, the EPZ enterprises exported Rs 4,600 million worth of goods compared with Rs 3,540 million in the corresponding quarter of 1992 and Rs 4,180 million in the previous quarter. The total for the first nine months therefore reached Rs 11,560 million, increasing by Rs 2,000 million or 20 percent over the corresponding period a year ago. This substantial increase is mainly attributable to the considerable growth in exports to the USA which rose by Rs 1,250 million or 72 percent to Rs 3,000 million. The share of the US market went up from 18 to 26 percent .

As prices of EPZ exports during the first nine months compared to the corresponding period were 10 percent higher, in quantity terms, EPZ exports grew by 10 percent.

During the period under review ,a significant increase of 27 percent was also noted in EPZ imports which attained Rs 6,900 million with raw materials amounting to Rs 6,050 million and machinery and equipment, Rs 850 million. Raw materials increased by 22 percent and machinery and equipment, by 74 percent.

Net EPZ earnings for the first nine months of the year yielded Rs 4,650 million, and the ratio of net exports to exports dropped from 43 to 40 percent.

It is most likely that EPZ exports for the year 1993 will exceed Rs 15,500 million against Rs 13,080 million in 1992.

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NOTES

Figures for 1992 and 1993 are provisional and subject to revision.

1. COVERAGE

EXPORTS

- Cover : 1. Domestic exports (including exports from Export Processing Zone)
2. Re-Exports
3. Export ex Warehouse
4. Returned goods
- Include : 1. Government, Parcel Post and Air Freight
- Exclude: 1. Trade with Outer Islands
2. Ships' stores and bunkers

IMPORTS

- Cover : 1. Landed merchandise sent to warehouse for subsequent delivery
2. Landed merchandise issued for home consumption
- Include : 1. Government parcel Post and Air Freight
2. Donations from other Government and International Organisations
- Exclude: 1. Trade with Outer Islands
2. Bullion and species

2. VALUATION AND STATUS OF FIGURES

Exports are valued F.O.B. and imports C.I.F.

F.O.B. Free on Board

C.I.F. Cost, Insurance and Freight

All figures quoted are in Mauritian Rupees

3. **COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION**

The classification used for the compilation of trade statistics is the Standard International Trade Classification (Revised III) or S.I.T.C. (Rev. III). However, import and export bills of entry are being worked upon according to the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System Nomenclature, shortly known as the Harmonized System Nomenclature (H.S.N.).

4. **ROUNDING OF FIGURES**

Figures have been rounded off to the nearest final digit and in some cases to the nearest one decimal place and as a result in some tables there may be discrepancies between the sum of the constituent items and the total.

5. **SYMBOLS**

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

6. **ABBREVIATIONS**

- Rs : Rupees
- 000 : Thousand
- Mn : Million
- M.ton : Metric ton : 1,000 kilos
- No. : Number
- M² : Square metre

Table 1 - Summary of External Trade , 1991 - 1993

	Value Rs Mn											
	1991	1992 ¹	1992				1993 ¹					
			1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sep	4th Qr.	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sep	
Exports of goods	18,700	20,072	4,375	4,287	5,580	14,242	5,830	4,459	5,287	7,025	16,771	
Domestic exports	18,084	19,513	4,211	4,186	5,465	13,862	5,651	4,310	5,141	6,909	16,360	
Re-exports	615	559	164	101	115	380	179	149	146	116	411	
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	600	500	125	125	125	375	125	125	125	140	390	
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	19,300	20,572	4,500	4,412	5,705	14,617	5,955	4,584	5,412	7,165	17,161	
B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)	24,383	25,265	5,694	6,340	6,302	18,336	6,929	6,256	7,682	7,649	21,587	
Total Value of Trade (A + B)	43,683	45,837	10,194	10,752	12,007	32,953	12,884	10,840	13,094	14,814	38,748	
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-5,083	-4,693	-1,194	-1,928	-597	-3,719	-974	-1,672	-2,270	-484	-4,426	

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Table 2 - Price (unit value) indices of exports and imports and terms of trade 1990 - 1993

Period	Price indices		Terms of trade*
	Export	Import	
Base year : 1988 = 100			
1990	125	127	98
1991	133	133	100
1992	142	135	105
1992: Qr. 1	136	132	103
Qr. 2	145	138	105
Qr. 3	140	133	105
Qr. 4	148	140	106
Base year : 1992 = 100			
1993: Qr. 1	103	107	96
Qr. 2	110	108	102
Qr. 3	111	114	97

* 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 3 - Domestic exports by main product/sector, 1991 - 1993

	1991		1992		1993		
	1991	1992	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	Jan-Sep
Total domestic exports	18,084	19,513	4,211	4,186	5,465	13,862	5,651
of which:							
EPZ Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	12,136	13,081	2,699	3,340	3,540	9,579	3,502
Sugar							
Quantity (000 m.tons)	551	598	139	68	201	408	190
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	5,298	5,669	1,347	683	1,754	3,784	1,885
Molasses							
Quantity (000 m.tons)	130	131	19	11	62	92	39
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	96	92	16	8	41	65	27
Tea							
Quantity (m.tons)	4,494	5,418	1,742	1,469	737	3,948	1,470
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	83	95	30	23	11	64	31
Cut flowers (non-EPZ)							
Quantity (m.tons)	409	450	130	77	90	297	153
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	78	87	25	15	17	57	30
Chemicals (non-EPZ)							
Quantity (m.tons)	18,663	21,106	2,320	1,690	6,756	10,766	10,340
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	95	106	12	8	34	54	52
Wheaten flour (Non-EPZ)							
Quantity (m.tons)	-	9,509	-	-	1,646	1,646	7,863
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	-	31	-	-	6	6	25
Other (value f.o.b Rs mn)	298	353	82	109	63	254	99
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	Jan-Sep
			4,310	5,141	6,909	16,360	
			2,815	4,180	4,566	11,561	
			124	74	197	395	
			1,294	792	2,129	4,215	
			18	22	38	78	
			11	16	30	57	
			1,319	1,104	1,060	3,483	
			33	26	21	80	
			107	127	94	328	
			28	24	19	71	
			10,372	1,419	9,119	20,910	
			44	9	44	97	
			4,587	4,746	1,036	10,369	
			16	17	5	38	
			68	77	95	240	

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Table 4 - Total exports by main countries of destination, 1991-1993

Country of destination	Value (f.o.b) Rs Mn											
	1991			1992			1992			1993		
	1991	1992	1	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sep	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sep
All countries	18,700	20,072		4,375	4,287	5,580	14,242	5,830	4,459	5,287	7,025	16,771
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	18,114	19,488		4,246	4,183	5,414	13,843	5,645	4,332	5,129	6,802	16,263
(i) E.E.C. Countries	15,072	15,977		3,546	3,353	4,407	11,306	4,671	3,334	3,835	5,066	12,235
Belgium	328	357		81	96	91	268	89	96	130	144	370
France	3,727	4,206		899	1,093	1,039	3,031	1,175	868	1,330	1,149	3,347
Germany	2,055	1,778		369	437	496	1,302	476	234	443	523	1,200
Italy	918	937		219	234	203	656	281	189	184	213	586
Netherlands	368	368		95	77	124	296	72	108	127	150	385
Reunion	364	453		78	96	123	297	156	84	107	143	334
United Kingdom	6,750	6,993		1,737	1,174	1,870	4,781	2,212	1,681	1,301	2,450	5,432
Spain	313	481		46	130	124	300	181	58	195	216	469
Other	249	404		22	16	337	375	29	16	18	78	112
(ii) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	3,042	3,511		700	830	1,007	2,537	974	998	1,294	1,736	4,028
Australia	55	52		15	11	7	33	19	10	9	23	42
Canada	96	163		24	31	84	139	24	24	35	35	94
Hong Kong	93	82		26	13	22	61	21	23	35	32	90
Malagasy Republic	105	224		50	55	58	163	61	86	133	106	325
Pakistan	16	41		3	9	5	17	24	13	10	11	34
Seychelles	178	41		10	10	11	31	10	13	11	15	39
Singapore	70	95		23	21	29	73	22	26	23	28	77
South Africa, Republic of	75	162		51	33	40	124	38	41	31	29	101
United States of America	2,209	2,500		474	623	695	1,792	708	680	974	1,369	3,023
Zimbabwe	56	56		12	12	17	41	15	14	18	21	53
Other	89	95		12	12	39	63	32	68	15	67	150
2. General Tariff Countries	586	584		129	104	166	399	185	127	158	223	508
Japan	52	37		9	8	7	24	13	14	25	24	63
Sweden	47	69		10	5	48	63	6	3	9	2	14
Switzerland	224	241		58	52	64	174	67	66	75	83	224
Other	263	237		52	39	47	138	99	44	49	114	207

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Table 5- Total imports by section / main commodity, 1991 - 1993

S.I.T.C. Section	Description	Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn											
		1991		1992		1993							
		1991	1992	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	4th Or	Jan-Sep	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	Jan-Sep	
0	Total imports	24,383	25,265	5,694	6,340	6,302	18,336	6,929	6,256	7,682	7,649	21,587	
	Food and live animals	2,692	2,915	653	733	744	2,130	785	701	1,041	862	2,604	
	of which:												
	Meat and meat preparations	362	380	89	91	79	259	121	86	87	104	277	
	Dairy products and bird's eggs	547	597	148	138	168	454	143	148	139	190	477	
	Fish and fish preparations	241	221	60	44	62	166	55	57	91	91	239	
	Wheat	114	197	57	46	32	135	62	37	123	34	194	
	Rice	314	276	56	73	89	218	58	56	206	75	337	
	Wheaten flour	76	53	13	27	7	47	6	5	11	6	22	
	Cereal preparations	105	130	28	29	31	88	42	23	28	36	87	
	Vegetables and fruits	370	383	72	124	100	296	87	95	147	116	358	
1	Beverages and tobacco	113	132	33	32	26	91	41	30	34	37	101	
	of which:												
	Beverages	99	117	28	27	23	78	39	24	31	31	86	
	Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	14	15	5	5	3	13	2	6	3	6	15	
2	Crude materials, inedible	801	749	202	227	180	609	140	179	237	277	693	
	of which:												
	Cork and wood	188	237	53	54	56	163	74	36	48	68	152	
	Textile fibres	468	375	119	143	89	351	24	101	123	116	340	
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc.	2,053	1,930	349	549	482	1,380	550	515	456	432	1,403	
	of which:												
	Refined petroleum products	1,783	1,624	313	443	420	1,176	448	459	375	367	1,201	
	Gas, natural and manufactured	146	163	36	39	38	113	50	39	48	46	133	
4	Animal & veg oils and fats	255	274	43	103	27	173	101	53	103	48	204	
	of which:												
	Fixed vegetables oils & fats	200	218	29	89	17	135	83	30	90	24	144	
5	Chemicals	1,739	1,901	448	472	509	1,429	472	436	561	617	1,614	
	of which:												
	Dyeing & tanning materials	215	265	62	63	78	203	62	50	76	93	219	
	Medicinal & pharm. products	338	402	88	110	113	311	91	96	127	132	355	
	Fertilisers	120	119	23	23	33	79	40	27	37	51	115	
	Plastics in primary forms	207	210	49	49	55	153	57	47	64	62	173	
	Plastics in non-primary forms	142	132	30	31	34	95	37	38	41	57	136	

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Table 5(Cont.) - Total imports by section / main commodity, 1991 - 1993

Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn

S.I.T.C. Section	Description	1991		1992		1993						
		1991	1992	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sep	
6	Manufactured goods	8,624	9,141	2,045	2,444	2,246	6,735	2,406	2,320	2,699	2,977	7,996
	Of which:	360	387	96	89	92	277	110	104	92	125	321
	Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	1,717	1,829	465	504	444	1,413	416	545	566	598	1,709
	Textile yarn	1,332	1,361	328	329	317	974	387	349	468	456	1,273
	Cotton fabrics	523	553	127	144	108	379	174	113	173	186	472
	Cement	380	351	85	90	89	264	87	107	100	142	349
	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	700	688	131	219	166	516	172	148	139	208	495
	Iron and steel	665	642	143	164	163	470	172	141	182	216	539
	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	5,840	5,715	1,439	1,141	1,477	4,057	1,658	1,482	1,864	1,616	4,962
	7	Machinery & transport equip.	843	532	67	66	328	461	71	39	47	50
Of which:		1,149	977	251	251	244	746	231	440	328	465	1,233
Power gen. mach. & equipment		739	793	208	202	200	610	183	173	256	225	654
Machinery spec. for particular industries		343	327	81	81	81	243	84	71	99	102	272
Gen. industrial mach. equipment		408	491	87	90	127	304	187	201	141	125	467
Office machines & automated data processing machines		1,188	1,312	380	264	290	934	378	317	324	392	1,033
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing app. & equipment		90	325	-	-	-	-	325	-	300	-	300
Road vehicles		2,160	2,361	476	601	574	1,651	710	506	641	735	1,882
Aircraft and marine vessels		268	362	84	84	88	256	106	71	106	132	309
8		Miscellaneous manufactures	81	106	18	20	27	65	41	16	15	30
	Of which:	339	355	83	83	85	251	104	93	91	74	258
	Articles of apparel and clothing	106	147	6	38	37	81	66	34	46	47	127
	Footwear	106	147	6	38	37	81	66	34	46	47	127
9	Watches and clocks	106	147	6	38	37	81	66	34	46	47	127
	Commodities n. e. s.	106	147	6	38	37	81	66	34	46	47	127

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Table 6 - Imports of selected commodities, quantity, 1991-1993

Commodity	Unit	1991	1992 ¹	1992				1993 ¹			
				1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sep
Meat & meat preparations	000 m ton	15	16	3	4	4	5	3	3	4	10
Dairy products & birds eggs	"	15	16	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	12
Fish and fish preparations	"	10	8	2	2	2	2	2	5	4	11
Wheat	"	56	90	29	20	16	25	19	52	12	83
Rice	"	76	64	13	16	22	13	13	39	13	65
Wheaten flour	"	18	12	3	6	2	1	1	2	1	4
Vegetable edible oils and fats	"	25	26	3	10	2	11	3	11	2	16
Fertilisers manufactured	"	48	53	12	9	13	19	10	16	19	45
Cement	"	493	553	126	141	112	174	100	157	159	416
Iron and steel	"	84	88	18	25	24	21	18	18	26	62
Cotton fabrics	Mn sq mt	76	61	15	13	15	18	15	19	18	52

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Table 7 - Total imports by main countries of origin, 1991-1993

Country of origin	1991		1992		1992		1993 ¹				
	1991	1992	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	Jan-Sep	4th Or	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	Jan-Sep
Total imports	24,383	25,265	5,694	6,340	6,302	18,336	6,929	6,256	7,682	7,649	21,587
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	17,059	18,250	4,097	4,694	4,629	13,420	4,830	4,569	5,785	5,719	16,073
(i) E.E.C. Countries	8,020	8,184	1,923	2,116	2,221	6,260	1,924	2,035	2,822	2,496	7,353
Belgium	306	362	79	89	95	263	99	106	258	197	561
Denmark	65	72	22	14	21	57	15	16	315	29	360
France	3,283	3,374	745	847	1,032	2,624	750	878	1,000	844	2,722
Germany	1,357	1,249	325	325	281	931	318	366	333	400	1,099
Greece	141	161	1	70	43	114	47	9	1	2	12
Ireland	95	68	16	14	20	50	18	10	24	24	58
Italy	781	744	218	185	167	570	174	184	281	259	724
Luxembourg	7	4	-	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	3
Netherlands	178	186	35	54	48	137	49	38	48	63	149
Portugal	38	62	6	31	19	56	6	8	13	13	34
Reunion	14	6	2	1	1	4	2	2	2	-	4
Spain	97	125	20	42	40	102	23	25	57	31	113
United Kingdom	1,658	1,771	454	443	452	1,349	422	392	489	633	1,514
(ii) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	9,039	10,066	2,174	2,578	2,408	7,160	2,906	2,534	2,963	3,223	8,720
Australia	795	804	132	263	172	567	237	175	204	268	647
Burma	55	88	5	3	41	49	39	4	4	4	12
Canada	24	32	7	14	4	25	7	7	13	10	30
Hong Kong	1,068	1,082	252	282	271	805	277	256	391	365	1,012
India	1,115	1,323	299	281	297	877	446	367	379	438	1,184
Kenya	155	353	103	101	57	261	92	60	114	80	254
Malagasy Republic	235	229	52	55	56	163	66	41	47	66	154
Malaysia	539	664	133	167	150	450	214	139	179	271	589
New Zealand	337	337	71	116	88	275	62	75	105	88	268
Pakistan	309	305	43	104	62	209	96	77	145	87	309
Singapore	730	808	160	210	202	572	236	187	193	252	632
South Africa, Republic of	2,870	3,274	659	824	792	2,275	999	864	942	1,091	2,897
United States of America	532	545	196	124	163	483	62	189	150	156	495
U.S.S.R.	66	58	21	-	16	37	21	-	51	19	70
Zimbabwe	31	61	6	5	18	29	32	43	30	7	80
Other	178	104	35	30	19	84	20	50	16	21	87

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Table 7 (Cont.) - Total imports by main countries of origin, 1991 - 1993

Country of origin	Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn											
	1991			1992			1992			1993 ¹		
	1991	1992	1	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	Jan-Sep	4th Or	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	Jan-Sep
2. General Tariff Countries	<u>7,324</u>	<u>7,015</u>		<u>1,597</u>	<u>1,645</u>	<u>1,672</u>	<u>4,914</u>	<u>2,101</u>	<u>1,687</u>	<u>1,896</u>	<u>1,930</u>	<u>5,513</u>
Argentina	159	266		21	93	30	144	122	48	80	40	168
Austria	27	44		14	16	9	39	5	8	12	12	32
Bahrain	628	240		34	104	88	226	14	4	-	-	4
Brazil	181	152		42	36	16	94	58	8	34	17	59
China	949	844		196	225	226	647	197	255	332	314	901
Hungary	11	7		2	2	2	6	1	2	2	1	5
Indonesia	144	227		29	49	66	144	83	75	89	125	289
Israel	99	135		30	21	22	73	62	19	20	20	59
Japan	1,770	2,176		487	374	431	1,292	884	440	433	477	1,350
Korea, Republic of	377	367		100	79	84	263	104	114	113	89	316
Macau	30	46		10	20	9	39	7	14	5	2	21
Morocco	33	26		6	4	9	19	7	9	10	8	27
Philippines	33	68		9	10	21	40	28	37	36	42	115
Sweden	81	70		28	22	10	60	10	8	41	12	61
Switzerland	349	432		104	103	112	319	113	124	127	146	397
Taiwan	1,104	948		214	262	228	704	244	292	285	340	917
Thailand	270	327		76	75	94	245	82	77	92	101	270
United Arab Emirates	204	123		35	31	27	93	30	-	40	21	61
Other	895	517		160	119	188	467	50	153	145	163	461

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Table 8 - Net EPZ exports , 1991 - 1993

	Value Rs Mn											
	1991			1992			1993			1993		
	1991	1992	1	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	Jan-Sep	4th Or	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	Jan-Sep
A.Total exports (f.o.b.)	12,136	13,081		2,699	3,340	3,540	9,579	3,502	2,815	4,180	4,566	11,561
B. Total imports (c.i.f.)	7,067	7,132		1,745	1,971	1,730	5,446	1,686	2,109	2,386	2,423	6,918
of which												
Raw materials	(6,348)	(6,455)		(1,549)	(1,806)	(1,591)	(4,946)	(1,509)	(1,818)	(2,134)	(2,098)	(6,050)
Machinery	(719)	(677)		(196)	(165)	(139)	(500)	(177)	(291)	(252)	(325)	(868)
Net Exports (A-B)	5,069	5,949		954	1,369	1,810	4,133	1,816	706	1,794	2,143	4,643
Net Exports as % of Total Exports	42%	45%		35%	41%	51%	43%	52%	25%	43%	47%	40%

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Table 9 - EPZ exports by main countries of destination, 1991-1993

Countries of destination	1991	1992					1993				
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		1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	4th Or	Jan-Sep	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	4th Or	Jan-Sep
All countries	12,136	13,081	2,699	3,340	3,540	9,579	2,815	4,180	4,566	3,502	11,561
Belgium	289	294	61	81	80	222	75	112	133	72	320
France	3,492	4,006	841	1,044	995	2,880	834	1,286	967	1,126	3,087
Germany	1,979	1,694	341	422	481	1,244	218	424	507	450	1,149
Italy	763	769	164	202	173	539	166	169	192	230	527
Netherlands	314	310	79	64	109	252	75	116	134	58	325
Reunion	156	200	37	42	55	134	38	63	81	66	182
Spain	275	410	40	126	119	285	49	184	188	125	421
United Kingdom	2,002	2,170	458	566	616	1,640	450	563	657	530	1,670
Canada	90	105	23	27	33	83	22	34	34	22	90
Hong kong	60	42	12	6	8	26	17	19	26	16	62
Madagascar	50	97	24	21	26	71	48	73	44	26	165
Singapore	51	67	15	17	19	51	18	17	21	16	56
South Africa	18	40	15	11	7	33	9	13	9	7	31
U.S.A.	2,019	2,329	462	603	670	1,735	670	964	1,343	594	2,977
Zimbabwe	31	47	8	9	15	32	13	16	19	15	48
Switzerland	177	200	39	45	59	143	59	66	71	57	196
Other countries	370	301	80	54	75	209	54	61	140	92	255

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Table 10 - EPZ exports by section / commodity, 1991-1993

S.I.T.C. Section	Description	1991	1992	Value (f.o.b.) Rs Mn								
				1992				1993				
				1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sep	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sep
0	Total EPZ exports	12,136	13,081	2,699	3,340	3,540	9,579	3,502	2,815	4,180	4,566	11,561
	Food and live animals	339	341	79	77	95	251	90	83	135	155	373
	of which: fish & fish preparations	(296)	(295)	(71)	(70)	(74)	(215)	(80)	(68)	(94)	(111)	(273)
2	Crude materials, inedible except fuels	21	14	4	4	3	11	3	3	4	2	9
5	Chemicals	58	57	13	14	10	37	20	13	21	15	49
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	952	879	235	225	216	676	203	230	288	283	801
	of which: textile yarn, fabrics, made up articles	(493)	(469)	(130)	(116)	(115)	(361)	(108)	(135)	(161)	(128)	(424)
	pearls & precious stones	(391)	(320)	(87)	(86)	(77)	(250)	(70)	(73)	(99)	(130)	(302)
7	Machinery and transport equipment	33	34	5	6	14	25	9	1	3	59	63
8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	10,733	11,756	2,363	3,014	3,202	8,579	3,177	2,485	3,730	4,051	10,266
	of which: articles of apparel and clothing	(9,621)	(10,476)	(2,076)	(2,680)	(2,861)	(7,617)	(2,859)	(2,179)	(3,365)	(3,734)	(9,278)
	optical goods	(145)	(164)	(44)	(36)	(44)	(124)	(40)	(40)	(47)	(41)	(128)
	watches and clocks	(550)	(630)	(143)	(175)	(163)	(481)	(149)	(155)	(172)	(135)	(462)
	toys, games and sporting goods	(121)	(167)	(34)	(42)	(48)	(124)	(43)	(37)	(50)	(42)	(129)
	jewellery, goldsmiths and silversmiths wares	(157)	(154)	(32)	(40)	(40)	(112)	(42)	(32)	(46)	(49)	(127)

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Table 11 - EPZ imports by section / commodity, 1991-1993

S.I.T.C Section	Description	Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn										
		1991				1992				1993		
		1991	1992	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	Jan-Sep	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sep
0	Total EPZ imports	7,067	7,132	1,745	1,971	1,730	5,446	1,686	2,109	2,386	2,423	6,918
2	Food and live animals	47	20	-	1	11	12	8	13	48	34	95
5	Crude materials, inedible except fuels	508	398	127	145	94	366	32	108	132	115	355
	- synthetic fibres suitable for spinning	(58)	(27)	(17)	(7)	(2)	(26)	(1)	(2)	(2)	(4)	(8)
	- wool and other animal hair	(228)	(215)	(59)	(100)	(37)	(196)	(19)	(70)	(88)	(66)	(224)
5	Chemicals	292	291	76	76	71	223	68	68	80	89	237
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	4,644	4,856	1,138	1,351	1,199	3,688	1,168	1,397	1,596	1,588	4,581
	- leather	(98)	(124)	(24)	(38)	(31)	(93)	(31)	(32)	(39)	(40)	(111)
	- textile yarn and fabrics	(3,979)	(4,204)	(996)	(1,174)	(1,037)	(3,207)	(997)	(1,206)	(1,393)	(1,345)	(3,944)
	- pearls and precious stones	(355)	(314)	(74)	(84)	(83)	(241)	(73)	(95)	(87)	(126)	(308)
7	Machinery and transport equipment	719	677	196	165	139	500	177	291	252	325	868
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	820	820	200	222	197	619	201	209	240	238	687
	- optical goods, watches & clocks	(353)	(348)	(86)	(88)	(84)	(258)	(90)	(89)	(89)	(66)	(244)
9	Other commodities and transactions	37	70	8	11	19	38	32	22	33	33	88

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