

External Trade – 3rd Quarter 2006

Introduction

This issue of the Economic and Social Indicators presents external trade statistics for the third quarter of 2006 and for the years 2004 and 2005. These statistics are compiled from declarations lodged at Customs by importers and exporters. Some of these declarations are at times revised at a later period and corrections made accordingly on the computerised database of the Customs Department.

Thus while figures for 2004 and 2005 published in this indicator are final, those for 2006 are subject to revision as and when the Customs Department submits latest amendments to the Central Statistics Office. It is to be noted that export figures for the second quarter of 2006 have been revised to include the re-exports of an aircraft worth Rs 230 million.

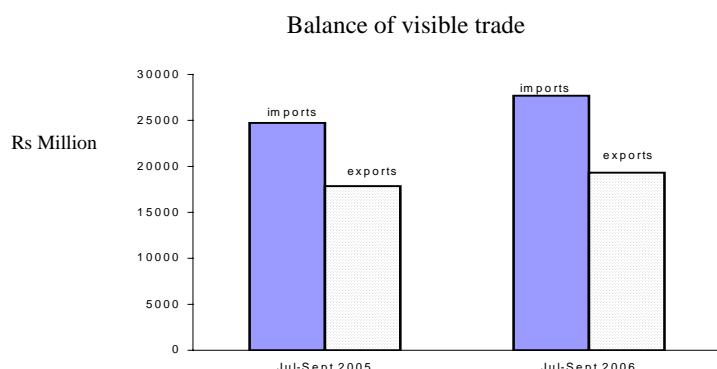
Data on international trade are compiled as per the recommendations of the United Nations General Trade System. According to this system, all goods entering and leaving the national frontier, including trading activities of the Freeport zone should be accounted for. However, it was not possible prior to 2002 to include Freeport transactions in our general trade statistics because of different processing systems at the Customs Department and at the Mauritius Freeport Authority. Since mid-October 2001, transactions of the Freeport are being lodged through the Customs Management System (CMS), thus making it possible to integrate data of the Freeport zone with those of Customs.

Hence, as from 2002, data on imports and exports include transactions through the Mauritius Freeport. It is to be noted that all exports of the Freeport are included in re-exports of Mauritius because it is not possible to distinguish between domestic exports and re-exports of freeport licensees. It is estimated that currently some 33% of freeport exports are sourced locally.

1. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total international trade for the third quarter of 2006 was valued at Rs 47,002 million, a figure which is 5.4% higher than the previous quarter and 10.4% higher than the corresponding quarter of 2005.

During the third quarter of 2006, total exports attained Rs 19,305 million and total imports Rs 27,697 million, resulting in a trade deficit of Rs 8,392 million.



Based on trends for previous years and the first nine months of 2006, total exports for the year are expected to be of the order of Rs 73,328 million, against Rs 115,170 million for imports which would include aircraft worth Rs 6,825 million. The trade deficit would be around Rs 41,842 million.

2. Exports

2.1 Total exports (Table 1)

Total export proceeds for the third quarter of 2006, including domestic exports¹, re-exports² and ship's stores and bunkers, amounted to Rs 19,305 million, showing increases of 11.1% over the previous quarter and 8.1% over the corresponding quarter of 2005.

Domestic exports, which accounted for 71% of total exports, went up by 39.5% from the previous quarter to reach Rs 13,768 million in the third quarter of 2006. Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2005, domestic exports rose by 13.5%.

Total exports for January to September 2006 attained Rs 52,484 million, indicating a 15.6% increase over the corresponding period of 2005. During this period domestic exports rose by 9.2% and re-exports by 26.0% as a result of growing transactions of the Freeport.

2.2 Exports by SITC sections (Table 3)

Exports of "Food and live animals" for the first nine months of 2006 expanded by 12.4% to reach Rs 13,668 million. Exports of sugar, representing 14.9% of total exports, fell by 4.0% compared to the corresponding period of last year to reach Rs 7,253 million. This decrease was offset by a substantial rise in the exports of fish and fish preparations (53.3%).

During the first nine months of 2006, export receipts from "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" stood at Rs 4,099 million, showing a growth of 12.2% over the corresponding period of 2005.

Export proceeds from "Miscellaneous manufactured articles", representing 42.1% of total exports for the first nine months of 2006 reached Rs 20,500 million. This figure represented an increase of 7.9% when compared to the corresponding period of 2005, being the outcome of a 7.5% increase in the exports of "Articles of apparel & clothing accessories" which were valued at Rs 17,391 million.

2.3 Exports of EPZ (Table 1)

During the third quarter of 2006, exports of EPZ products declined by 3.1% to reach Rs 8,589 million. However, compared to the third quarter of 2005, these exports boosted by 20.2%.

¹ Domestic exports are defined as goods of national origin

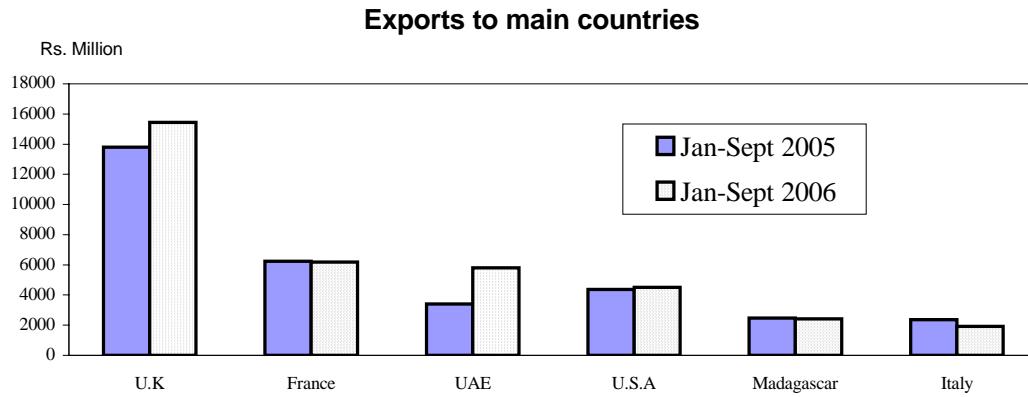
² Re-exports are goods which are exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.

For the first nine months of the year, exports of EPZ sector amounted to Rs 24,079 million, registering an increase of 13.3% over the corresponding period of 2005. Details on exports of EPZ are presented in the Economic and Social Indicator on the Export Processing Zone, which will be released on 18 December 2006.

2.4 Exports by Country of destination (Table 6)

Analysis by country of destination for the first nine months of 2006 shows that our main purchasers, i.e the European countries, acquired some 60.8% of our exports for an amount of Rs 29,647 million. Our major market remained the United Kingdom with Rs 15,437 million, or 31.6% of total exports. The other major destinations for our exports were France (12.7%), UAE (11.9%), U.S.A (9.3%), Madagascar (4.9%) and Italy (3.9%).

Compared to the first nine months of 2005, total exports to UK and U.S.A went up by 11.8% and 3.7% respectively while those to France fell slightly by 0.7%. During this period total exports to the UAE increased from Rs 3,402 million to Rs 5,795 million (+70%) as a result of a 70% increase in re-exports of cellular phones by Freeport operators. It is worth noting that exports to South Africa doubled during that period, from Rs 539 million to Rs 1,080 million, on account of an increase in exports of textile products.



3 Imports

3.1 Total imports (Table 1)

Total imports for the third quarter of 2006 stood at Rs 27,697 million, showing increases of 1.7% over the previous quarter and 12.1% over the corresponding quarter of 2005.

Total imports for the first nine months of 2006 amounted to Rs 78,539 million, moving up by 16.1% over the corresponding period of 2005.

3.2 Imports by SITC sections (Table 9)

Imports of “*Food and live animals*” for the first nine months of 2006 expanded by 22.9% over the corresponding period of last year to attain Rs 12,009 million.

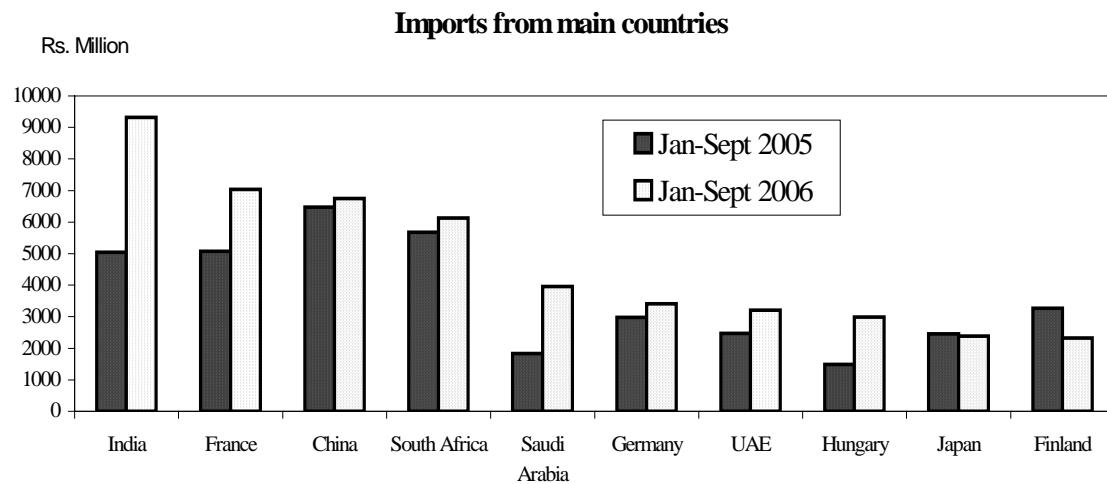
Import bill of “*Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products*” reached Rs 14,517 million, that is 33.3% higher than the matching period of last year.

From January to September 2006, imports of “*Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material*” stood at Rs 15,466 million, going up by 7.7% in comparison with the same period of 2005. Imports of “*Machinery & transport equipment*”, representing 27.6% of total imports, went up by 11.8% to reach Rs 21,695 million.

3.3 Imports by country of origin (Table 11)

During the first nine months of 2006, imports of goods from Asia reached Rs 37,772 million, with a share of 48.1% of total imports for that period.

Our imports originated mainly from the following countries: India (11.9%), France (9.0%), China (8.6%), South Africa (7.8%), Saudi Arabia (5.0%), Germany (4.3%), UAE (4.1%), Hungary (3.8%), Japan (3.0%) and Finland (3.0%).



3. Trade with Regional Organisations (Tables 12-14)

Total exports to African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States during the third quarter of 2006 stood at Rs 1,536 million, against imports of Rs 2,967 million.

During the first nine months, total exports to these countries were valued at Rs 4,637 million and imports, Rs 8,595 million.

During the third quarter of 2006, Mauritius exported goods to a value of Rs 1,023 million to COMESA countries. Imports from these countries amounted to Rs 813 million, resulting in a favourable balance of Rs 210 million for Mauritius.

For the first nine months, total exports to COMESA countries amounted to Rs 3,062 million and imports, Rs 2,318 million. Madagascar was the main buyer (78.8%) while the main suppliers were Seychelles (32.0%), Egypt (15.7%) and Madagascar (15.4%). The main products exported to Madagascar were yarn of carded wool, preparations used in animal feeding and carded yarn of fine animal hair. The main products imported from Seychelles were frozen yellowfin tunas and frozen skipjack while urea and iron bars constituted the main imports from Egypt.

Trade with SADC countries for the third quarter of 2006 showed a deficit of Rs 1,104 million, resulting from imports to a value of Rs 2,371 million and exports amounting to Rs 1,267 million.

For the first nine months, Mauritius imported Rs 7,236 million worth of goods from SADC countries while exports were of the order of Rs 3,632 million. The main supplier was South Africa (84.7%) while our main buyers were Madagascar (66.4%) and South Africa (29.8%).

5. Trade in Freeport Zone (Table 2)

During the third quarter of 2006, total imports of the Freeport Zone were Rs 2,978 million, a figure which is lower by 25.3% compared to the previous quarter and by 1.7% compared to the corresponding quarter of 2005. Re-exports to overseas markets were valued at Rs 3,511 million, showing a contraction of 27.7% over the previous quarter and another of 15.8% over the corresponding quarter of 2005.

For the first nine months of the year, total imports totalled Rs 10,444 million compared to Rs 12,538 million worth of re-exports.

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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 (HS2002). 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. Symbols used

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

Table 1 - Summary of External Trade, 2004 - 2006

Value : Million Rupees

	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
Exports of goods	52,704	59,095	12,070	13,803	16,897	42,770	16,325	14,485	16,265	17,991	48,741
<i>Domestic exports</i>	43,676	42,104	9,312	9,090	12,131	30,533	11,571	9,688	9,872	13,768	33,328
<i>Re-exports</i>	9,028	16,991	2,758	4,713	4,766	12,237	4,754	4,797	6,393 ¹	4,223	15,413
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	2,201	4,124	839	837	968	2,644	1,480	1,323	1,106	1,314	3,743
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	54,905	63,219	12,909	14,640	17,865	45,414	17,805	15,808	17,371	19,305	52,484
<i>of which:</i>											
<i>(EPZ products)</i>	32,046	28,954	6,500	7,616	7,145	21,261	7,693	6,629	8,861	8,589	24,079
B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)	76,387	93,282	18,333	24,585	24,717	67,635	25,647	23,606	27,236	27,697	78,539
<i>of which:</i>											
<i>(EPZ products)</i>	17,195	15,518	3,442	4,485	3,993	11,920	3,598	4,075	4,915	4,879	13,869
Total Value of Trade (A+B)	131,292	156,501	31,242	39,225	42,582	113,049	43,452	39,414	44,607	47,002	131,023
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-21,482	-30,063	-5,424	-9,945	-6,852	-22,221	-7,842	-7,798	-9,865	-8,392	-26,055

¹ Revised

² Provisional

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Table 2 - Imports and exports of the Freeport Zone, 2004-2006

	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
IMPORTS											
Value (c.i.f Rs Mn)	4,251	11,981	1,969	3,571	3,030	8,570	3,411	3,481	3,985	2,978	10,444
Volume (tonne)	58,512	75,778	16,511	16,939	18,015	51,465	24,313	17,611	20,265	29,979	67,855
RE-EXPORTS											
Value (f.o.b Rs Mn)	6,817	14,398	2,019	4,158	4,172	10,349	4,049	4,172	4,855	3,511	12,538
Volume (tonne)	113,683	85,740	19,584	19,578	19,402	58,564	27,176	17,968	18,344	22,926	59,238

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Source : Customs Department

Table 3 - Total exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	2004	2005 ²	2005 ²					2006 ³			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr ²	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
All sections	52,704	59,095	12,070	13,803	16,897	42,770	16,325	14,485	16,265	17,991	48,741
0 - Food and live animals	14,550	17,248	3,711	2,393	6,055	12,159	5,089	4,393	2,459	6,816	13,668
of which :											
Cane Sugar											
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	551	537	122	42	222	386	151	129	19	213	361
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	9,631	10,536	2,285	856	4,412	7,553	2,983	2,465	449	4,339	7,253
Cane Molasses											
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	154	111	-	-	49	49	62	-	-	24	24
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	190	173	-	-	84	84	89	-	-	52	52
Fish and fish preparations											
Quantity: (Tonne)	54,163	66,881	14,202	14,550	16,250	45,002	21,879	17,587	19,804	21,551	58,942
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	3,355	4,785	975	1,078	1,239	3,292	1,493	1,480	1,681	1,886	5,047
1 - Beverages and tobacco	159	204	35	49	52	136	68	38	64	47	149
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	449	560	108	143	151	402	158	176	198	198	572
of which :											
Cut flowers and foliage											
100	100	28	25	18	71	29	26	24	18	68	
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	46	50	8	10	10	28	22	7	35	16	58
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	31	32	9	4	14	27	5	7	2	5	14
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	939	860	232	202	183	617	243	156	202	189	547
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	4,582	5,002	1,039	1,305	1,308	3,652	1,350	1,223	1,408	1,468	4,099
of which :											
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles											
2,271	2,197	459	579	617	1,655	542	536	681	646	1,863	
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones											
1,281	1,431	313	400	359	1,072	359	342	373	416	1,131	
Corks & wood manufactures											
49	39	8	9	16	33	6	7	17	18	42	

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Revised

³ Provisional

Table 3 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2004	2005 ²	2005 ²					2006 ³			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	2,490	9,335	789	2,965	2,966	6,720	2,615	2,675	4,383 ²	2,011	9,069
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	29,432	25,757	6,137	6,720	6,139	18,996	6,761	5,784	7,489	7,227	20,500
of which :											
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	25,733	21,843	5,219	5,757	5,197	16,173	5,670	4,868	6,272	6,251	17,391
Optical goods, n.e.s.	159	155	35	33	38	106	49	52	60	36	148
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	117	154	33	36	42	111	43	40	44	44	128
Watches & clocks	480	512	160	129	107	396	116	137	150	119	406
Toys, games & sporting goods	208	201	39	59	52	150	51	41	40	40	121
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	1,097	1,139	277	286	241	804	335	274	254	262	790
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	252	278	53	76	76	205	73	55	77	81	213
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	26	47	2	12	19	33	14	26	25	14	65

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Revised

³ Provisional

Table 4 - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qur	2nd Qur	3rd Qur	Jan-Sept	4th Qur	1st Qur	2nd Qur	3rd Qur	Jan-Sept
All sections	43,676	42,104	9,312	9,090	12,131	30,533	11,571	9,688	9,872	13,768	33,328
0 - Food and live animals	13,277	15,437	3,208	2,079	5,670	10,957	4,480	3,815	2,099	6,208	12,122
of which :											
Cane Sugar											
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	551	537	122	42	222	386	151	129	19	213	361
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	9,631	10,536	2,285	856	4,412	7,553	2,983	2,465	449	4,339	7,253
Cane Molasses											
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	154	111	-	-	49	49	62	-	-	24	24
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	190	173	-	-	84	84	89	-	-	52	52
Fish and fish preparations											
Quantity: (Tonne)	32,032	36,401	6,500	9,618	9,983	26,101	10,300	10,501	14,343	12,510	37,354
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	2,250	3,168	518	809	904	2,231	937	952	1,382	1,332	3,666
1 - Beverages and tobacco	35	48	12	12	12	36	12	10	12	13	35
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	299	386	77	91	105	273	113	97	122	125	344
of which :											
Cut flowers and foliage	100	100	28	25	18	71	29	26	24	18	68
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	387	306	88	44	75	207	99	55	94	94	243
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	3,371	3,438	743	936	863	2,542	896	807	946	1,006	2,759
of which :											
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	1,453	1,325	295	352	335	982	343	303	399	393	1,095
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	1,252	1,379	302	376	355	1,033	346	311	355	377	1,043
Corks & wood manufactures	43	23	6	8	5	19	4	5	9	16	30

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² Provisional

Table 4 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	152	141	22	47	36	105	36	44	59	25	128
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	26,136	22,330	5,161	5,876	5,360	16,397	5,933	4,846	6,528	6,292	17,666
of which :											
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	23,386	19,534	4,527	5,174	4,672	14,373	5,161	4,224	5,796	5,584	15,604
Optical goods, n.e.s.	145	148	34	31	37	102	46	50	60	35	145
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	103	137	31	32	37	100	37	37	42	41	120
Watches & clocks	410	416	120	113	94	327	89	103	125	92	320
Toys, games & sporting goods	177	139	31	41	34	106	33	24	34	33	91
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	850	861	182	220	197	599	262	179	195	194	568
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	167	172	34	51	49	134	38	46	60	61	167
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	18	18	1	5	10	16	2	14	12	5	31

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 5 - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr ¹	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
All sections	9,028	16,991	2,758	4,713	4,766	12,237	4,754	4,797	6,393	4,223	15,413
0 - Food and live animals	1,273	1,811	503	314	385	1,202	609	578	360	608	1,546
of which :											
Fish and fish preparations	1,105	1,617	457	269	335	1,061	556	528	299	554	1,381
1 - Beverages and tobacco	124	156	23	37	40	100	56	28	52	34	114
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	150	174	31	52	46	129	45	79	76	73	228
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	46	50	8	10	10	28	22	7	35	16	58
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	30	32	9	4	14	27	5	7	2	5	14
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	552	554	144	158	108	410	144	101	108	95	304
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	1,211	1,564	296	369	445	1,110	454	416	462	462	1,340
of which :											
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	818	872	164	227	282	673	199	233	282	253	768
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	29	52	11	24	4	39	13	31	18	39	88
Corks & wood manufactures	6	16	2	1	11	14	2	2	8	2	12

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Table 5 (cont'd) - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qur	2nd Qur	3rd Qur	Jan-Sept	4th Qur	1st Qur	2nd Qur	3rd Qur	Jan-Sept
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	2,338	9,194	767	2,918	2,930	6,615	2,579	2,631	4,324 ¹	1,986	8,941
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	3,296	3,427	976	844	779	2,599	828	938	961	935	2,834
of which :											
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	2,347	2,309	692	583	525	1,800	509	644	476	667	1,787
Optical goods, n.e.s.	14	7	1	2	1	4	3	2	-	1	3
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	14	17	2	4	5	11	6	3	2	3	8
Watches & clocks	70	96	40	16	13	69	27	34	25	27	86
Toys, games & sporting goods	31	62	8	18	18	44	18	17	6	7	30
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	247	278	95	66	44	205	73	95	59	68	222
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	85	106	19	25	27	71	35	9	17	20	46
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	8	29	1	7	9	17	12	12	13	9	34

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 6 - Total exports¹ by country of destination, 2004 - 2006

Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees

Country of destination	2004	2005 ²	2005 ²					2006 ³			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
All countries	52,704	59,095	12,070	13,803	16,897	42,770	16,325	14,485	16,265	18,025	48,775
Europe	35,240	38,478	8,291	8,276	11,440	28,007	10,471	9,064	8,566	12,017	29,647
Austria	73	201	41	63	48	152	49	35	41	39	115
Belgium	1,363	1,559	394	430	372	1,196	363	374	448	516	1,338
France	9,084	8,391	1,979	2,380	1,880	6,239	2,152	1,816	2,257	2,123	6,196
Germany	1,268	1,070	244	312	286	842	228	250	347	283	880
Italy	2,156	3,308	574	781	1,000	2,355	953	616	692	615	1,923
Netherlands	914	723	187	176	168	531	192	179	164	174	517
Portugal	732	558	63	24	425	512	46	29	36	35	100
Spain	860	1,589	279	262	385	926	663	462	539	608	1,609
Sweden	39	29	7	7	8	22	7	115	6	2	123
Switzerland	640	647	178	173	137	488	159	190	186	143	519
United Kingdom	17,356	19,215	4,128	3,378	6,298	13,804	5,411	4,724	3,398	7,315	15,437
Other	755	1,188	217	290	433	940	248	274	452	164	890
Asia	2,726	7,295	810	2,210	1,991	5,011	2,284	2,490	3,395	2,297	8,182
China	174	187	33	28	24	85	102	32	43	51	126
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ⁴	177	194	22	34	93	149	45	41	41	65	147
India	499	257	52	52	66	170	87	90	99	84	273
Japan	438	507	196	89	127	412	95	276	75	146	497
Singapore	144	219	29	55	61	145	74	31	34	38	103
Taiwan	75	482	22	173	76	271	211	577	83	36	696
United Arab Emirates	778	4,903	364	1,673	1,365	3,402	1,501	1,345	2,826	1,624	5,795
Other	441	546	92	106	179	377	169	98	194	253	545
Africa	6,473	7,173	1,499	1,737	1,809	5,045	2,128	1,757	1,996	2,096	5,849
Comoros Islands	119	110	19	26	31	76	34	26	27	40	93
French Southern Territories	194	229	39	42	67	148	81	80	88	106	274
Kenya	249	207	70	39	32	141	66	46	17	32	95
Madagascar	2,689	3,373	708	901	876	2,485	888	740	869	803	2,412
Mozambique	91	38	8	21	8	37	1	2	1	6	9
Reunion	1,485	1,561	341	353	351	1,045	516	283	408	409	1,100
Seychelles	326	419	80	101	109	290	129	98	138	111	347
South Africa	775	788	145	158	236	539	249	336	324	420	1,080
Tanzania	162	79	19	15	14	48	31	17	8	6	31
Zimbabwe	97	53	15	17	12	44	9	11	17	11	39
Other	286	316	55	64	73	192	124	118	99	152	369
America	8,048	5,916	1,404	1,529	1,629	4,562	1,354	1,121	2,037	1,578	4,736
Canada	143	89	21	20	16	57	32	26	33	34	93
U.S.A.	7,768	5,640	1,335	1,471	1,552	4,358	1,282	1,061	1,958	1,500	4,519
Other	137	187	48	38	61	147	40	34	46	44	124
Oceania	217	233	66	51	28	145	88	53	271 ²	37	361
Australia	139	116	22	32	27	81	35	26	37	34	97
Samoa	68	93	23	17	-	40	53	23	-	-	23
Other	10	24	21	2	1	24	-	4	234	3	241

¹ Excluding Ship's stores & Bunkers

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Table 7 - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2004 - 2006

Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees

Country of destination	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
All countries	43,676	42,104	9,312	9,090	12,131	30,533	11,571	9,688	9,872	13,768	33,328
Europe	31,818	32,450	7,070	6,618	9,611	23,299	9,151	7,591	7,432	10,999	26,022
Austria	69	184	38	52	47	137	47	35	39	39	113
Belgium	1,098	1,362	309	370	347	1,026	336	290	413	427	1,130
France	7,400	6,414	1,435	1,864	1,378	4,677	1,737	1,333	1,883	1,640	4,856
Germany	1,179	827	225	216	174	615	212	180	255	268	703
Italy	1,576	1,348	326	292	318	936	412	407	529	407	1,343
Netherlands	882	670	168	147	167	482	188	177	163	167	507
Portugal	731	541	63	23	421	507	34	26	36	31	93
Spain	505	971	109	146	233	488	483	325	475	483	1,283
Sweden	36	25	4	6	8	18	7	5	3	2	10
Switzerland	565	610	158	170	134	462	148	163	175	136	474
United Kingdom	17,185	18,802	4,076	3,170	6,189	13,435	5,367	4,496	3,250	7,261	15,007
Other	592	696	159	162	195	516	180	154	211	138	503
Asia	624	564	128	149	131	408	156	147	150	162	459
China	12	13	-	3	-	3	10	11	14	14	39
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	110	76	15	17	22	54	22	18	21	35	74
India	106	114	20	37	26	83	31	30	33	36	99
Japan	138	95	31	30	14	75	20	21	9	9	39
Singapore	39	41	9	10	11	30	11	14	12	5	31
Taiwan	12	19	6	1	5	12	7	16	9	15	40
United Arab Emirates	22	18	4	4	3	11	7	7	11	6	24
Other	185	188	43	47	50	140	48	30	41	42	113
Africa	3,190	3,261	724	803	780	2,307	954	879	933	1,105	2,917
Comoros Islands	55	41	9	8	9	26	15	7	8	8	23
French Southern Territories	93	89	16	18	32	66	23	8	20	44	72
Kenya	211	176	56	26	31	113	63	43	16	28	87
Madagascar	1,018	1,194	282	322	257	861	333	273	326	334	933
Mozambique	86	23	5	14	3	22	1	1	1	1	3
Reunion	774	759	159	189	206	554	205	153	196	196	545
Seychelles	120	163	26	53	31	110	53	40	55	46	141
South Africa	492	539	110	114	142	366	173	293	236	351	880
Tanzania	103	46	7	15	14	36	10	13	6	5	24
Zimbabwe	66	23	6	9	4	19	4	7	6	10	23
Other	172	208	48	35	51	134	74	41	63	82	186
America	7,925	5,740	1,373	1,493	1,589	4,455	1,285	1,048	1,322	1,474	3,844
Canada	140	76	20	16	16	52	24	16	29	33	78
U.S.A.	7,678	5,516	1,309	1,448	1,535	4,292	1,224	1,001	1,249	1,403	3,653
Other	107	148	44	29	38	111	37	31	44	38	113
Oceania	119	89	17	27	20	64	25	23	35	28	86
Australia	114	86	16	25	20	61	25	22	34	27	83
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other	5	3	1	2	-	3	-	1	1	1	3

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Table 8 - Re-exports by country of destination, 2004 - 2006

Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees

Country of destination	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
All countries	9,028	16,991	2,758	4,713	4,766	12,237	4,754	4,797	6,393	4,257	15,447
Europe	3,422	6,028	1,221	1,658	1,829	4,708	1,320	1,473	1,134	1,018	3,625
Austria	4	17	3	11	1	15	2	-	2	-	2
Belgium	265	197	85	60	25	170	27	84	35	89	208
France	1,684	1,977	544	516	502	1,562	415	483	374	483	1,340
Germany	89	243	19	96	112	227	16	70	92	15	177
Italy	580	1,960	248	489	682	1,419	541	209	163	208	580
Netherlands	32	53	19	29	1	49	4	2	1	7	10
Portugal	1	17	0	1	4	5	12	3	-	4	7
Spain	355	618	170	116	152	438	180	137	64	125	326
Sweden	3	4	3	1	-	4	-	110	3	-	113
Switzerland	75	37	20	3	3	26	11	27	11	7	45
United Kingdom	171	413	52	208	109	369	44	228	148	54	430
Other	163	492	58	128	238	424	68	120	241	26	387
Asia	2,102	6,731	682	2,061	1,860	4,603	2,128	2,343	3,245	2,135	7,723
China	162	174	33	25	24	82	92	21	29	37	87
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	67	118	7	17	71	95	23	23	20	30	73
India	393	143	32	15	40	87	56	60	66	48	174
Japan	300	412	165	59	113	337	75	255	66	137	458
Singapore	105	178	20	45	50	115	63	17	22	33	72
Taiwan	63	463	16	172	71	259	204	561	74	21	656
United Arab Emirates	756	4,885	360	1,669	1,362	3,391	1,494	1,338	2,815	1,618	5,771
Other	256	358	49	59	129	237	121	68	153	211	432
Africa	3,283	3,912	775	934	1,029	2,738	1,174	878	1,063	991	2,932
Comoros Islands	64	69	10	18	22	50	19	19	19	32	70
French Southern Territories	101	140	23	24	35	82	58	72	68	62	202
Kenya	38	31	14	13	1	28	3	3	1	4	8
Madagascar	1,671	2,179	426	579	619	1,624	555	467	543	469	1,479
Mozambique	5	15	3	7	5	15	-	1	-	5	6
Reunion	711	802	182	164	145	491	311	130	212	213	555
Seychelles	206	256	54	48	78	180	76	58	83	65	206
South Africa	283	249	35	44	94	173	76	43	88	69	200
Tanzania	59	33	12	-	-	12	21	4	2	1	7
Zimbabwe	31	30	9	8	8	25	5	4	11	1	16
Other	114	108	7	29	22	58	50	77	36	70	183
America	123	176	31	36	40	107	69	73	715	104	892
Canada	3	13	1	4	-	5	8	10	4	1	15
U.S.A.	90	124	26	23	17	66	58	60	709	97	866
Other	30	39	4	9	23	36	3	3	2	6	11
Oceania	98	144	49	24	8	81	63	30	236 ¹	9	275
Australia	25	30	6	7	7	20	10	4	3	7	14
Samoa	68	93	23	17	-	40	53	23	-	-	23
Other	5	21	20	-	1	21	-	3	233	2	238

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Table 9 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

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

SITC section/description	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
All sections	76,387	93,282	18,333	24,585	24,717	67,635	25,647	23,606	27,236	27,697	78,539
0 - Food and live animals	11,947	13,820	2,958	3,512	3,300	9,770	4,050	3,581	3,969	4,459	12,009
Meat and meat preparations	977	999	216	210	255	681	318	228	208	325	761
Dairy products and bird's eggs	1,531	1,815	437	450	429	1,316	499	485	423	392	1,300
Fish and fish preparations	3,170	4,266	770	1,014	1,137	2,921	1,345	1,246	1,501	1,983	4,730
Wheat	565	898	271	246	117	634	264	141	267	149	557
Rice	893	909	162	280	219	661	248	208	193	269	670
Wheaten flour	311	41	40	1	-	41	-	-	-	-	-
Cereal preparations	400	456	95	104	123	322	134	99	110	135	344
Vegetables and fruits	1,325	1,443	347	434	362	1,143	300	439	414	341	1,194
Other	2,775	2,993	620	773	658	2,051	942	735	853	865	2,453
1 - Beverages and tobacco	698	839	148	195	198	541	298	213	194	186	593
Beverages	506	584	105	130	136	371	213	149	118	143	410
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	192	255	43	65	62	170	85	64	76	43	183
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	2,061	2,097	539	612	482	1,633	464	799	684	639	2,122
Cork and wood	523	491	112	121	159	392	99	144	175	110	429
Textile fibres	1,112	1,130	321	360	208	889	241	558	391	366	1,315
Other	426	476	106	131	115	352	124	97	118	163	378

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Table 9 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

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

SITC section/description	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products	10,020	15,394	2,876	3,826	4,187	10,889	4,505	4,583	4,814	5,120	14,517
Refined petroleum products	8,791	13,471	2,476	3,290	3,805	9,571	3,900	4,036	4,275	4,557	12,868
Gas, natural and manufactured	642	1,051	203	236	258	697	354	290	198	396	884
Other	587	872	197	300	124	621	251	257	341	167	765
4 - Animal & vegetable oils and fats	712	845	194	247	213	654	191	76	263	154	493
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	596	720	157	222	184	563	157	50	233	122	405
Other	116	125	37	25	29	91	34	26	30	32	88
5 - Chemicals & related products	6,412	7,386	1,693	1,735	1,900	5,328	2,058	1,880	1,870	2,145	5,895
Dyeing & tanning materials	550	571	121	143	147	411	160	132	152	152	436
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	1,476	1,516	430	373	316	1,119	397	451	523	489	1,463
Fertilisers	310	536	119	84	156	359	177	27	89	245	361
Plastics in primary forms	961	1,193	271	298	297	866	327	306	228	311	845
Plastics in non-primary forms	582	674	111	157	242	510	164	219	130	163	512
Other	2,533	2,896	641	680	742	2,063	833	745	748	785	2,278
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	19,806	19,297	4,050	5,097	5,212	14,359	4,938	4,594	5,267	5,605	15,466
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	1,293	1,435	307	344	373	1,024	411	404	344	399	1,147
Textile yarn	4,189	3,167	747	930	817	2,494	673	725	1,151	1,150	3,026
Cotton fabrics	2,210	1,751	388	541	422	1,351	400	425	471	439	1,335
Other textile fabrics	2,820	2,509	489	680	647	1,816	693	510	562	630	1,702
Cement	1,112	1,262	252	302	376	930	332	400	258	360	1,018
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	1,457	1,647	367	443	391	1,201	446	442	379	455	1,276
Iron and steel	1,886	2,235	504	558	615	1,677	558	453	638	622	1,713
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	1,952	2,247	411	506	742	1,659	588	560	615	592	1,767
Other	2,887	3,044	585	793	829	2,207	837	675	849	958	2,482

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Table 9 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2004 - 2006

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

SITC section/description	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	17,916	26,110	4,579	7,568	7,261	19,408	6,702	6,190	8,258	7,247	21,695
Power generating machinery & equipment	615	958	83	146	616	845	113	133	335	778	1,246
Machinery specialised for particular industries	3,451	3,046	754	975	758	2,487	559	629	944	782	2,355
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	2,368	2,795	577	848	661	2,086	709	564	871	828	2,263
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	1,398	1,847	340	613	477	1,430	417	930	509	419	1,858
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	2,666	9,739	1,431	3,112	2,504	7,047	2,692	2,303	3,432	2,275	8,010
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	2,796	2,996	583	653	916	2,152	844	576	739	829	2,144
Road vehicles	4,028	4,216	742	1,002	1,207	2,951	1,265	960	1,197	1,163	3,320
Aircraft , marine vessels and parts	463	403	47	189	93	329	74	61	200	89	350
Other	131	110	22	30	29	81	29	34	31	84	149
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	6,624	7,257	1,252	1,742	1,874	4,868	2,389	1,556	1,851	2,079	5,486
Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s	313	272	52	63	74	189	83	60	79	96	235
Articles of apparel and clothing	889	1,195	142	308	315	765	430	189	272	299	760
Footwear	331	388	45	88	91	224	164	55	98	103	256
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s	499	490	110	138	111	359	131	156	204	158	518
Watches and clocks & optical goods	504	586	107	125	159	391	195	118	142	119	379
Printed matter	631	638	154	143	141	438	200	181	164	164	509
Articles n.e.s., of plastic	787	857	151	220	238	609	248	216	234	233	683
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares, n.e.s	697	729	142	149	180	471	258	161	170	296	627
Other	1,973	2,102	349	508	565	1,422	680	420	488	611	1,519
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	191	237	44	51	90	185	52	134	66	63	263

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Table 10 - Imports of selected commodities, 2004 - 2006

Commodity	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
Rice :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	72	62	9	20	16	45	17	14	13	16	43
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	893	909	162	280	219	661	248	208	193	269	670
Wheaten flour :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	36	4	4	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	311	41	40	1	-	41	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	98	148	46	41	18	105	43	26	44	26	96
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	565	898	271	246	117	634	264	141	267	149	557
Dairy products :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	23	22	6	5	5	16	6	6	5	4	15
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,531	1,815	437	450	429	1,316	499	485	423	392	1,300
Fixed vegetable edible oils and fats :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	32	39	8	12	11	31	8	3	13	6	22
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	596	720	157	222	184	563	157	50	233	122	405
Refined petroleum products :											
Quantity: --	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	8,791	13,471	2,476	3,290	3,805	9,571	3,900	4,036	4,275	4,557	12,868
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	3	4	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	3
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,476	1,516	430	373	316	1,119	397	451	523	489	1,463
Fertilisers manufactured :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	49	62	9	9	21	39	23	3	11	29	43
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	310	536	119	84	156	359	177	27	89	245	361
Cotton fabrics :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	9	7	1	2	1	4	3	1	2	2	5
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2,210	1,751	388	541	422	1,351	400	425	471	439	1,335
Cement :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	721	677	144	163	199	506	171	209	137	160	506
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,112	1,262	252	302	376	930	332	400	258	360	1,018
Iron and steel :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	110	104	25	26	27	78	26	21	31	26	78
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,886	2,235	504	558	615	1,677	558	453	638	622	1,713

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Table 11 - Imports by country of origin, 2004 - 2006

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

Country of origin	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
All countries	76,387	93,282	18,333	24,585	24,717	67,635	25,647	23,606	27,236	27,697	78,539
Europe	21,864	30,202	5,543	8,186	8,497	22,226	7,976	7,530	9,316	8,707	25,553
Austria	157	187	34	55	47	136	51	50	47	38	135
Belgium	1,368	1,488	370	366	331	1,067	421	467	424	414	1,305
Denmark	196	1,010	72	81	753	906	104	77	69	38	184
Finland	822	4,485	511	1,429	1,319	3,259	1,226	719	1,158	450	2,327
France	6,818	6,958	1,606	1,799	1,672	5,077	1,881	1,866	2,194	2,981	7,041
Germany	2,852	3,794	659	1,030	1,294	2,983	811	1,140	1,389	880	3,409
Greece	48	33	13	8	5	26	7	23	3	6	32
Hungary	226	2,141	351	815	319	1,485	656	766	1,202	1,023	2,991
Ireland	185	253	54	54	80	188	65	75	55	65	195
Israel	284	275	84	41	85	210	65	34	53	98	185
Italy	2,431	2,402	416	805	546	1,767	635	543	673	784	2,000
Netherlands	462	466	86	130	119	335	131	124	141	147	412
Portugal	144	88	13	23	25	61	27	28	21	52	101
Russian Federation	27	16	3	1	2	6	10	20	3	9	32
Spain	1,475	2,091	346	499	592	1,437	654	448	625	571	1,644
Sweden	183	220	45	76	43	164	56	35	64	34	133
Switzerland	1,444	1,121	238	249	298	785	336	312	337	304	953
Turkey	143	192	33	42	52	127	65	46	54	88	188
Ukraine	9	9	3	5	1	9	-	1	17	2	20
United Kingdom	2,377	2,589	540	596	798	1,934	655	663	683	639	1,985
Other	213	384	66	82	116	264	120	93	104	84	281
Asia	35,684	44,326	8,811	11,554	11,605	31,970	12,356	11,740	12,421	13,611	37,772
Bahrain	4,021	5,086	908	2,238	952	4,098	988	878	332	137	1,347
China	7,068	9,166	1,735	2,361	2,380	6,476	2,690	1,793	2,326	2,624	6,743
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	771	652	142	209	145	496	156	138	162	142	442
India	6,989	6,461	1,702	1,612	1,731	5,045	1,416	2,330	2,308	4,684	9,322
Indonesia	1,558	2,112	436	594	558	1,588	524	558	630	528	1,716
Iran	194	59	13	6	20	39	20	10	29	20	59
Japan	3,083	3,333	708	823	926	2,457	876	677	951	756	2,384
Jordan	42	96	-	-	57	57	39	-	1	92	93
Korea, Republic of	797	906	153	223	246	622	284	220	292	261	773
Malaysia	2,285	2,670	484	638	719	1,841	829	574	712	878	2,164
Pakistan	1,182	1,011	221	293	255	769	242	298	257	316	871

¹ Revised ² Provisional ³ Special Administrative Region of China

Table 11 (Cont'd) - Imports by country of origin, 2004 - 2006

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

Country of origin	2004	2005 ¹	2005 ¹					2006 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
Asia (cont'd)											
Philippines	407	580	192	70	165	427	153	184	124	212	520
Saudi Arabia	1,418	3,409	366	368	1,108	1,842	1,567	1,194	2,099	661	3,954
Singapore	1,175	1,586	210	251	843	1,304	282	244	252	238	734
Sri Lanka	123	88	20	27	21	68	20	23	18	17	58
Taiwan	1,246	1,718	408	326	381	1,115	603	509	522	807	1,838
Thailand	1,168	1,532	246	356	433	1,035	497	357	349	435	1,141
United Arab Emirates	1,737	3,588	807	1,058	610	2,475	1,113	1,469	1,001	732	3,202
Other	420	273	60	101	55	216	57	284	56	71	411
Africa	11,821	11,355	2,413	2,786	2,883	8,082	3,273	2,856	3,238	3,297	9,391
Burkina Faso	61	11	-	11	-	11	-	-	17	9	26
Cameroon	88	46	12	9	12	33	13	8	10	10	28
Egypt	521	630	114	160	179	453	177	121	243	267	631
Kenya	152	283	109	52	49	210	73	74	135	130	339
Madagascar	932	436	95	106	103	304	132	113	123	120	356
Mali	50	35	4	12	14	30	5	14	-	48	62
Morocco	92	95	26	25	26	77	18	32	23	38	93
Mozambique	303	461	118	128	88	334	127	5	76	80	161
Reunion	102	116	49	27	19	95	21	32	24	21	77
Seychelles	187	282	23	76	95	194	88	246	157	339	742
South Africa	8,562	8,066	1,673	2,026	1,987	5,686	2,380	1,963	2,246	1,922	6,131
Swaziland	221	195	35	36	55	126	69	47	44	102	193
Tanzania	83	77	67	1	1	69	8	13	5	10	28
Zambia	227	254	45	44	60	149	105	79	66	100	245
Zimbabwe	69	84	12	16	39	67	17	38	14	19	71
Other	171	284	31	57	156	244	40	71	55	82	208
America	3,399	3,743	660	1,138	862	2,660	1,083	716	1,195	1,087	2,998
Argentina	910	1,137	208	325	222	755	382	124	309	229	662
Brazil	473	394	79	149	99	327	67	56	125	41	222
Canada	89	60	13	17	14	44	16	13	20	36	69
Chile	42	55	14	8	17	39	16	10	10	15	35
Mexico	23	45	8	19	8	35	10	7	11	43	61
Panama	4	17	-	1	-	1	16	2	4	-	6
U. S. A.	1,651	1,972	320	606	492	1,418	554	486	628	613	1,727
Other	207	63	18	13	10	41	22	18	88	110	216
Oceania	3,619	3,656	906	921	870	2,697	959	764	1,066	995	2,825
Australia	2,845	2,699	620	655	683	1,958	741	561	819	816	2,196
New Zealand	506	823	205	239	174	618	205	203	224	179	606
Other	268	134	81	27	13	121	13	-	23	-	23

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Table 12 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2005 - 2006

Value : Thousand Rupees

ACP States	2005 ¹		2006 ²								
			1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		Jan-Sept		
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)							
Total	10,637,375	5,480,893	2,666,694	1,378,399	2,961,188	1,722,087	2,966,977	1,536,259	8,594,859	4,636,745	
Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	238	-	-	-	209	-	447	-	
Bahamas	619	273	552	485	434	58	1,471	-	2,457	543	
Barbados	905	16,395	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Benin	50,442	10,196	-	2,387	10,859	5,541	-	3,574	10,859	11,502	
Botswana	11,270	10,845	100	1,156	1,084	1,961	668	1,551	1,852	4,668	
Burkina Faso	11,321	250	-	955	17,414	506	9,100	1,451	26,514	2,912	
Burundi	-	11,325	-	-	-	789	-	1,710	-	2,499	
Cameroon	45,704	1,857	8,435	590	9,847	23,968	10,498	18,151	28,780	42,709	
Chad	34,826	67	23,307	-	-	-	42,609	-	65,916	-	
Comoros Islands	303	110,468	20	25,624	18	27,033	119	39,582	157	92,239	
Congo	29,687	11,503	10,347	2,488	11,182	1,571	8,682	9,870	30,211	13,929	
Cook Islands	57,165	52	-	-	-	-	-	206	-	206	
Cote D'Ivoire	8,533	6,705	2,369	400	12,390	1,458	1,635	3,706	16,394	5,564	
Cuba	3,254	-	1,369	-	832	-	656	-	2,857	-	
Ethiopia	1,912	23,483	895	14,828	4	1,509	321	284	1,220	16,621	
Fiji	3,653	-	7	-	-	230,077 ¹	-	-	7	230,077	
Gabon	-	5,613	-	104	-	46	3	204	3	354	
Gambia	145	4,105	-	2,609	-	1,101	-	-	-	3,710	
Ghana	44,002	20,643	-	14,080	-	17,546	-	17,013	-	48,639	
Guinea	3,790	14,270	1,140	1,584	2,069	1,103	867	96	4,076	2,783	
Kenya	283,154	207,080	73,740	45,580	135,223	17,268	130,238	32,275	339,201	95,123	
Lesotho	23,025	17,269	21,431	5,599	6,762	6,332	15,854	9,403	44,047	21,334	
Liberia	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	
Madagascar	436,058	3,372,880	113,477	739,506	123,344	869,090	119,698	802,979	356,519	2,411,575	
Malawi	2,504	3,703	450	216	949	32	504	64	1,903	312	
Mali	35,107	1,545	14,498	-	17	118	48,463	2,286	62,978	2,404	
Micronesia	40,794	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mozambique	460,634	38,047	5,304	1,618	75,575	1,188	79,799	6,194	160,678	9,000	
Namibia	9,101	3,284	343	-	382	-	2,194	-	2,919	-	
Nigeria	457	20,803	34	891	414	1,328	194	1,740	642	3,959	
Niue	-	-	75	-	284	-	-	-	359	-	
Rwanda	3	30,396	-	1,082	4	1,659	11	1,653	15	4,394	
Samoa	-	93,219	-	23,091	-	-	3	-	3	23,091	
Senegal	175	23,427	57	7,401	147	10,122	272	8,163	476	25,686	
Seychelles	281,756	419,233	245,737	98,337	156,791	137,631	339,049	110,653	741,577	346,621	
Sierra Leone	30,484	-	20	-	929	968	5	-	954	968	
Solomon Islands	27,694	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	3	2	
South Africa	8,065,789	787,869	1,962,640	336,301	2,246,055	324,216	1,921,798	420,244	6,130,493	1,080,761	
Sudan	-	53	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	
Swaziland	195,068	3,293	47,327	3,933	43,581	-	101,617	1	192,525	3,934	
Tanzania	77,281	78,977	12,943	17,069	5,125	7,608	10,210	5,604	28,278	30,281	
Togo	171	18,797	-	389	-	384	-	5,689	-	6,462	
Trinidad & Tobago	-	1,538	-	-	-	224	-	-	-	224	
Uganda	16,073	16,813	961	208	5	2,574	8	9,312	974	12,094	
Vanuatu	-	459	-	2,575	-	775	-	-	-	3,350	
Zambia	254,365	15,611	79,243	10,180	66,007	4,243	100,474	4,231	245,724	18,654	
Zimbabwe	84,178	52,548	38,291	10,582	14,162	16,538	18,592	10,849	71,045	37,969	
Other	5,973	25,999	1,338	6,549	19,299	5,522	1,154	7,521	21,791	19,592	

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² Provisional

³ Excluding ships' stores & bunkers

Table 13 - Trade with COMESA States, 2005- 2006

Value : Thousand Rupees

COMESA States	2005 ¹		2006 ²							
			1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		Jan-Sept	
	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)
Total	2,196,928	4,280,206	721,766	955,922	783,582	1,083,506	813,094	1,022,896	2,318,442	3,062,324
Angola	-	1,490	-	2,247	11	5,115	-	6,080	11	13,442
Burundi	-	11,325	-	-	-	789	-	1,710	-	2,499
Comoros Islands	303	110,468	20	25,624	18	27,033	119	39,582	157	92,239
Djibouti	1,939	5,955	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
D. R. Congo	196	-	-	-	-	-	-	152	-	152
Egypt	629,971	2,591	121,282	27	243,101	20	267	3,071	364,650	3,118
Eritrea	-	-	-	3,572	-	-	-	-	-	3,572
Ethiopia	1,912	23,483	895	14,828	4	1,509	321	284	1,220	16,621
Kenya	283,154	207,080	73,740	45,580	135,223	17,268	130,238	32,275	339,201	95,123
Libyan Arab	347	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	436,058	3,372,880	113,477	739,506	123,344	869,090	119,698	802,979	356,519	2,411,575
Malawi	2,504	3,703	450	216	949	32	504	64	1,903	312
Namibia	9,101	3,284	343	-	382	-	2,194	-	2,919	-
Rwanda	3	30,396	-	1,082	4	1,659	11	1,653	15	4,394
Seychelles	281,756	419,233	245,737	98,337	156,791	137,631	339,049	110,653	741,577	346,621
Sudan	-	53	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
Swaziland	195,068	3,293	47,327	3,933	43,581	-	101,617	1	192,525	3,934
Uganda	16,073	16,813	961	208	5	2,574	8	9,312	974	12,094
Zambia	254,365	15,611	79,243	10,180	66,007	4,243	100,474	4,231	245,724	18,654
Zimbabwe	84,178	52,548	38,291	10,582	14,162	16,538	18,592	10,849	71,045	37,969

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² Provisional

³ Excluding ships' stores & bunkers

Table 14 - Trade with SADC States, 2005 - 2006

Value : Thousand Rupees

SADC States	2005 ¹		2006 ²							
			1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		Jan-Sept	
	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)
Total	9,619,469	4,385,816	2,281,549	1,128,407	2,583,037	1,236,323	2,371,408	1,267,352	7,235,994	3,632,082
Angola	-	1,490	-	2,247	11	5,115	-	6,080	11	13,442
Botswana	11,270	10,845	100	1,156	1,084	1,961	668	1,551	1,852	4,668
D.R Congo	196	-	-	-	-	-	-	152	-	152
Lesotho	23,025	17,269	21,431	5,599	6,762	6,332	15,854	9,403	44,047	21,334
Madagascar	436,058	3,372,880	113,477	739,506	123,344	869,090	119,698	802,979	356,519	2,411,575
Malawi	2,504	3,703	450	216	949	32	504	64	1,903	312
Mozambique	460,634	38,047	5,304	1,618	75,575	1,188	79,799	6,194	160,678	9,000
Namibia	9,101	3,284	343	-	382	-	2,194	-	2,919	-
South Africa	8,065,789	787,869	1,962,640	336,301	2,246,055	324,216	1,921,798	420,244	6,130,493	1,080,761
Swaziland	195,068	3,293	47,327	3,933	43,581	-	101,617	1	192,525	3,934
Tanzania	77,281	78,977	12,943	17,069	5,125	7,608	10,210	5,604	28,278	30,281
Zambia	254,365	15,611	79,243	10,180	66,007	4,243	100,474	4,231	245,724	18,654
Zimbabwe	84,178	52,548	38,291	10,582	14,162	16,538	18,592	10,849	71,045	37,969

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³ Excluding ships' stores & bunkers