

External Merchandise Trade Statistics – 1st Quarter 2015

1. Introduction

This issue of Economic and Social Indicators presents external merchandise trade statistics for the first quarter of 2015 and for the years 2013 and 2014. 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 Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) - Customs Department.

Thus, while revised figures for 2013 are published in this indicator, those for 2014 are subject to revision by mid July 2015 following submission of latest yearly amendments from the MRA - Customs Department to Statistics Mauritius.

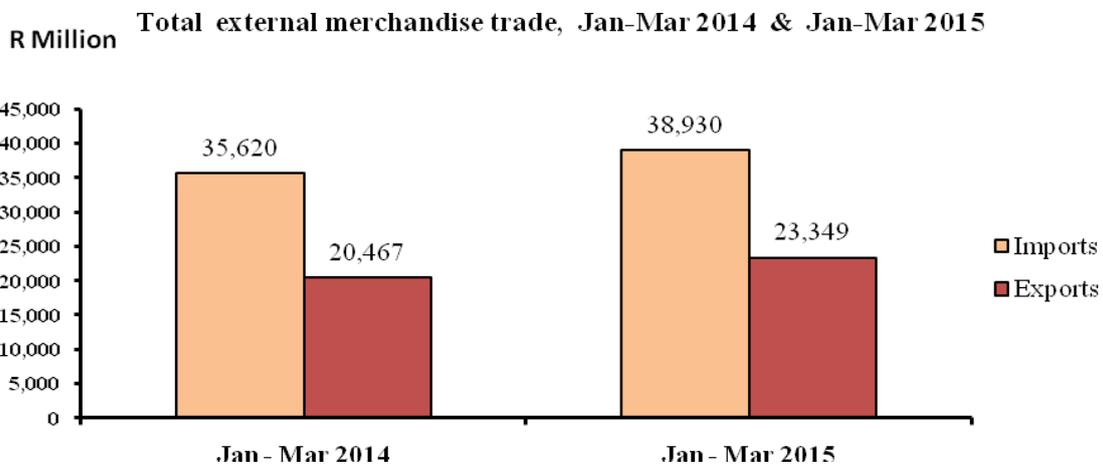
Data on external merchandise trade are compiled as per the recommendations of the United Nations General Trade System. According to this system, all goods entering and leaving the national frontier, including trading activities of the Freeport zone should be accounted for.

It is to be noted that all exports of the Freeport are included in re-exports of Mauritius. It is estimated that for the first quarter of 2015 some 6% of Freeport exports were sourced locally.

2. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total external merchandise trade for the first quarter of 2015 was valued at R 62,279 million, i.e. 15.4% lower than the previous quarter and 11.0% higher compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014.

During the first quarter of 2015, total exports were valued at R 23,349 million against imports of R 38,930 million. The resulting trade deficit worked out to R 15,581 million, 35.5% lower than the deficit of R 24,143 of the previous quarter and 2.8% higher than the deficit of R 15,153 million of the corresponding quarter.



3. Exports

3.1 Total exports (Tables 1 & 3) – 1st Quarter 2015

Total export proceeds for the first quarter of 2015, including domestic exports¹, re-exports² and ship's stores and bunkers amounted to R 23,349 million, showing a decrease of 5.7% compared to the previous quarter. This is mainly explained by decreases in the exports of "Articles of wearing apparel and clothing accessories" (-13.4%), partly offset by increases in exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (+20.4%) and "Cane sugar" (+19.1%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014, total exports for the first quarter of 2015 rose by 14.1%. This is mainly explained by increases in "Machinery and transport equipment" (+361.2%) and "Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones" (+18.6%). The rise in "Machinery and transport equipment" is due to increases in the re-exports of "Telecommunications equipment & accessories" (+565.8%). However, decreases were noted in exports of "Cane sugar" (-13.2%), "Fish and fish preparations" (-4.4%) and "Articles of wearing apparel and clothing accessories" (-1.1%).

Domestic exports, which accounted for 56.2% of total exports, decreased by 6.9% from R 14,091 million in the previous quarter to R 13,117 million in the first quarter of 2015. Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014, domestic exports were lower by 3.7%. In the first quarter of 2015, re-exports stood at R 7,632 million, i.e. higher by 6.5% compared to the previous quarter and by 112.2% compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014.

3.2 Exports by SITC section (Table 3) – 1st Quarter 2015

Around 33.8% of exports of goods for the first quarter of 2015 consisted of "Miscellaneous manufactured goods" (R 7,020 million), 28.6% of "Food and live animals" (R 5,937 million) and 22.4% of "Machinery and transport equipment" (R 4,649 million).

Exports of "Food and live animals" for the first quarter of 2015 amounted to R 5,937 million, showing a decrease of 4.2% compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014. Exports of "Cane Sugar" and "Fish and fish preparations" fell by 13.2% and 4.4% respectively, partly offset by a rise in "Live Primates" (+7.7%).

For the first quarter of 2015, exports of "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" were valued at R 2,069 million, higher by 11.4% compared to the figure of R 1,857 million in the corresponding quarter of 2014. This increase is explained by higher exports of "Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones" (+18.6%) and "Textile yarn, fabrics, made up articles" (+1.4%).

Export proceeds for "Miscellaneous manufactured goods", representing 33.8% of total exports for the first quarter of 2015, decreased slightly by 0.2% compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014. Exports of "Articles of apparel & clothing accessories", representing 79.6% of exports of this section, decreased by 1.1% compared to the same period of 2014.

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.

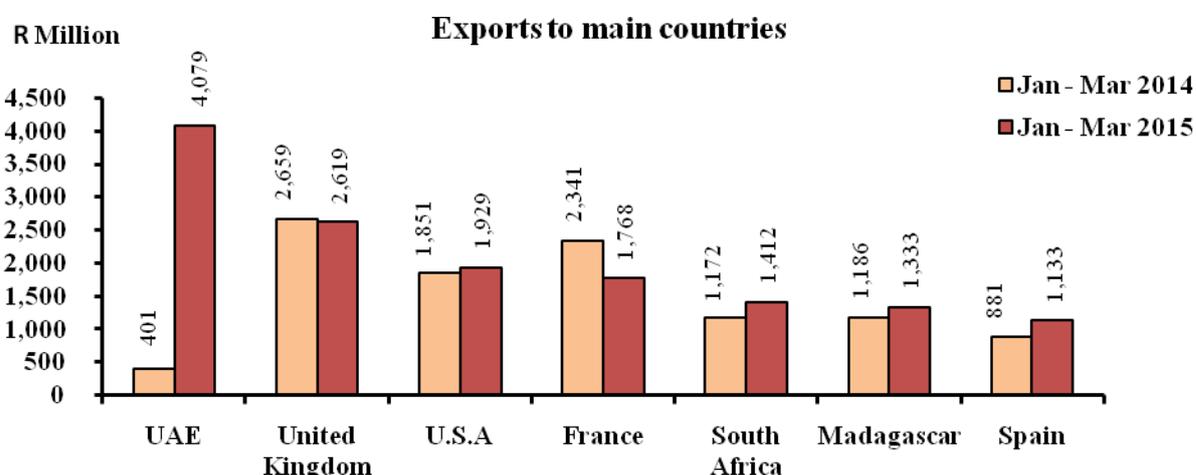
3.3 Exports of Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) – 1st Quarter 2015

During the first quarter of 2015, exports of EOE amounted to R 10,818 million, showing a decrease of 1.4% compared to corresponding quarter of 2014 (Table 1). Further details on these transactions will be presented in the issue of the Economic and Social Indicator on Export Oriented Enterprises, to be released on 29 June 2015.

3.4 Exports by country of destination (Table 7) - 1st Quarter 2015

Analysis of exports figures by country of destination for the first quarter of 2015 shows that the European countries were our main buyers, purchasing some 42.0% of our exports for a value of R 8,723 million. The major destinations for our exports were U.A.E (19.7%), U.K (12.6%), U.S.A (9.3%), France (8.5%), South Africa (6.8%), Madagascar (6.4%) and Spain (5.5%).

Compared to first quarter of 2014, total exports to U.A.E went up by 917.2% comprising mainly re-exports of “Telecommunication equipment and accessories”. Exports to Spain, South Africa, Madagascar and U.S.A went up by 28.6%, 20.5%, 12.4% and 4.2% respectively, while those to France and United Kingdom fell by 24.5% and 1.5% respectively.



4. Imports

4.1 Total imports (Table 10) – 1st Quarter 2015

Total imports for the first quarter of 2015 amounted to R 38,930 million, showing a decrease of 20.4% over the previous quarter. This is mainly due to decreases in imports of “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (-41.7%), “Crude materials, inedible, except fuels” (-24.7%), “Machinery & transport equipment” (-21.1%), “Food and live animals” (-19.8%) and “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related products” (-16.9%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014, imports in the first quarter of 2015 rose by 9.3% mainly due to increases in imports of “Machinery and transport equipment” (+54.0%), “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials” (+16.1%) and “Food & live animals” (+3.1%), partly offset by decreases in the imports of “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related products” (-23.2%) and “Crude materials, inedible, except fuels” (-19.3%).

4.2 Imports by SITC section (Table 10) - 1st Quarter 2015

Around 27.5% of imports in the first quarter of 2015 consisted of “Machinery and transport equipment” (R 10,711 million), 17.6% of “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials” (R 6,852 million) and 16.3% of “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials” (R 6,329 million).

Imports of “Food and live animals” for the first quarter of 2015 were valued at R 7,042 million, increased by 3.1% compared to corresponding period of 2014. Increases were noted in imports of “Vegetable and fruits” (+21.4%), “Cereal preparations” (+18.0%), “Wheat” (+12.6%), “Meat and meat preparations” (+7.7%) and “Fish and fish preparations” (+7.3%), partly offset by decreases in “Dairy products and bird’s eggs” (-10.8%) and “Wheaten flour” (-92.9%).

The import bill of “Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products” stood at R 6,329 million, representing a decrease of 23.2% compared to the same period of 2014. This is mainly due to a drop of 29.8% in the imports of “Refined petroleum products”.

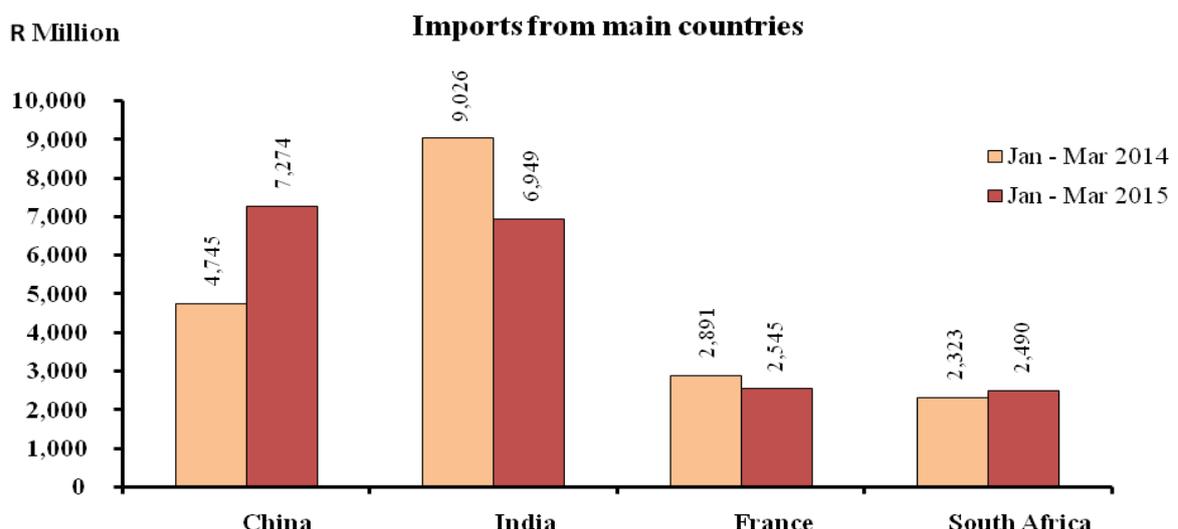
Imports of “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” for the first quarter of 2015 rose by 16.1% to reach R 6,852 million from R 5,900 million compared to the same period of 2014. Increases were noted in imports of “Iron and steel” (+63.1%), “Cement” (+40.7%), “Manufactures of metals” (+12.3%) and “Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones” (+10.7%).

For the first quarter of 2015, imports of “Machinery & transport equipment” which were valued at R 10,711 million increased by 54.0% compared to corresponding period of 2014. This is mainly due to increases in imports of “Telecommunications equipment & accessories” (+286.2%), mostly meant for re-exports.

4.3 Imports by country of origin – 1st Quarter 2015

During the first quarter of 2015, imports from the Asian continent, our major supplier, amounted to R 22,331 million, representing 57.4% of total imports. Our imports originated mainly from the following countries: China (18.7%), India (17.8%), France (6.5%) and South Africa (6.4%) - (Table13).

Compared to the first quarter of 2014, total imports from China and South Africa rose by 53.3% and 7.2% while those from India and France declined by 23.0% and 12.0% respectively.



5. Trade with Regional Organisations – 1st Quarter 2015

Total exports to African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States during the first quarter of 2015 stood at R 3,392 million, against imports of R 4,347 million (Table 14). The trade deficit with ACP countries worked out to R 955 million.

During the first quarter of 2015, our exports to COMESA member states attained R 1,860 million, while imports from these countries amounted to R 1,422 million resulting in a trade surplus of R 438 million for Mauritius. Madagascar was the main buyer with a share of 71.7%. Our main suppliers were Kenya (28.0%) and Seychelles (26.6%) - (Table 15).

Trade with SADC countries for the first quarter of 2015 showed a deficit of R 586 million, resulting from imports value of R 3,621 million against exports worth R 3,035 million. The main supplier was South Africa (68.8%) and our main buyers were South Africa (46.5%) and Madagascar (43.9%) - (Table 16).

6. Trade in Freeport Zone - 1st Quarter 2015

During the first quarter of 2015, total imports of the Freeport Zone stood at R 6,506 million, higher by 197.1% compared to the corresponding period of 2014 – (Table 12). Re-exports to overseas market were valued at R 6,389 million, representing an increase of 141.4% over the first quarter of 2014. The main item imported and re-exported was “Telecommunications equipment & accessories”.

7. Forecast 2015

Based on past trends and information from various sources, total exports for 2015 is forecasted at R 106,000 million and imports at R 185,000 million. Trade deficit for 2015 is therefore expected to be around R 79,000 million.

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Notes

(1) Scope and coverage

External merchandise trade statistics 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 defined as goods of national origin, that is goods produced in the exporting country.
- Re-exports which are exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged and include re-exports from customs bonded warehouses.
- Ship's Stores and Bunkers (SSB) 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.

Cost, Insurance and Freight (C.I.F) value is the value of a country's imports of goods, 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 unless it is borne by the carrier.

Free on Board (F.O.B) value is the value of a country's exports of goods, including all costs of transporting the goods to the customs frontier, export duties.

(3) Classification of commodities

Commodities are coded according to the **Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System Nomenclature (HS2012)**. 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 4) (SITC Rev. 4)**. The HS and the SITC Rev. 4 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 Merchandise Trade, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value: R Million

	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
Exports of goods	71,867	81,591	17,217	21,027	22,092	21,255	20,749
<i>Domestic exports</i>	<i>58,136</i>	<i>58,249</i>	<i>13,620</i>	<i>15,572</i>	<i>14,966</i>	<i>14,091</i>	<i>13,117</i>
<i>Re-exports</i>	<i>13,731</i>	<i>23,342</i>	<i>3,597</i>	<i>5,455</i>	<i>7,126</i>	<i>7,164</i>	<i>7,632</i>
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	16,181	13,600	3,250	3,525	3,330	3,495	2,600
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	88,048	95,191	20,467	24,552	25,422	24,750	23,349
<i>of which:</i>							
<i>Export Oriented Enterprises</i>	<i>46,778</i>	<i>47,215</i>	<i>10,968</i>	<i>12,507</i>	<i>12,136</i>	<i>11,604</i>	<i>10,818</i>
B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)	165,594	172,023	35,620	41,912	45,598	48,893	38,930
<i>of which:</i>							
<i>Export Oriented Enterprises</i>	<i>29,340</i>	<i>27,473</i>	<i>6,396</i>	<i>6,638</i>	<i>7,427</i>	<i>7,012</i>	<i>6,158</i>
Total Value of Trade (A+B)	253,642	267,214	56,087	66,464	71,020	73,643	62,279
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-77,546	-76,832	-15,153	-17,360	-20,176	-24,143	-15,581

¹ Revised

² Provisional

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Table 2 - Imports and exports of the Freeport Zone, 2013 -1st Quarter 2015

Value: R Million

	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
IMPORTS							
Value (c.i.f)	10,287	18,120	2,190	4,362	5,804	5,764	6,506
Volume (tonne)	103,498	140,133	21,934	27,448	40,554	50,197	42,543
RE-EXPORTS							
Value (f.o.b)	9,617	18,928	2,647	4,343	6,043	5,895	6,389
Volume (tonne)	102,731	148,322	54,328	23,165	34,255	36,574	28,547

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Table 3 - Exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

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

S.I.T.C. section/description	2013 ²	2014 ³	2014 ³				2015 ³
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
Exports of goods	<u>71,867</u>	<u>81,591</u>	<u>17,217</u>	<u>21,027</u>	<u>22,092</u>	<u>21,255</u>	<u>20,749</u>
0 - Food and live animals	27,203	25,095	6,196	6,555	6,730	5,614	5,937
of which:							
Cane sugar							
<i>Quantity: (Thousand tonne)</i>	421	421	107	115	105	94	112
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	9,480	7,783	2,106	2,183	1,959	1,535	1,828
Fish and fish preparations							
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	108,420	128,212	27,827	26,151	40,181	34,053	36,368
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	14,599	13,954	3,381	3,452	3,971	3,150	3,233
Live Primates							
<i>Quantity: (Number)</i>	6,054	8,992	2,095	2,823	1,673	2,401	2,124
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	520	720	169	221	134	196	182
1 - Beverages & Tobacco	657	746	150	227	160	209	109
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,102	1,084	282	274	253	275	245
of which:							
Cut flowers and foliage							
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	158	136	33	33	29	41	31
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	60	53	13	13	11	16	13
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	29	48	30	5	8	5	4
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	124	192	53	35	24	80	58
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	2,429	3,061	545	729	921	866	588
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	7,333	8,514	1,857	2,299	2,088	2,270	2,069
of which:							
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	3,481	3,678	876	1,031	921	850	888
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	2,696	3,614	732	958	870	1,054	868
Corks & wood manufactures	40	36	9	10	8	9	5

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers ² Revised ³ Provisional

Table 3 (cont'd) - Exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2013 ²	2014 ³	2014 ³				2015 ³
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,509	11,658	1,008	2,743	4,046	3,861	4,649
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured goods	29,214	30,834	7,032	8,032	7,779	7,991	7,020
of which:							
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	23,348	24,854	5,650	6,488	6,262	6,454	5,590
Optical goods n.e.s.	230	271	82	68	47	74	88
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	412	456	99	118	117	122	120
Watches & clocks	785	772	172	210	207	183	192
Toys, games & sporting goods	212	247	52	54	69	72	55
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' ware	1,665	1,511	378	410	376	347	328
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	513	310	64	114	67	65	63
9 - Commodities, n.e.s	267	359	64	128	83	84	70

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Revised

³ Provisional

Table 4 - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value (f.o.b): R Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
<u>All sections</u>	<u>58,136</u>	<u>58,249</u>	<u>13,620</u>	<u>15,572</u>	<u>14,966</u>	<u>14,091</u>	<u>13,117</u>
0 - Food and live animals	23,270	21,164	5,302	5,843	5,499	4,520	4,716
of which :							
Cane Sugar							
<i>Quantity: (Thousand tonne)</i>	421	421	107	115	105	94	112
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	9,480	7,781	2,106	2,181	1,959	1,535	1,828
Fish and fish preparations							
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	59,219	70,012	16,085	20,031	18,132	15,764	15,513
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	11,336	10,773	2,642	2,977	2,927	2,227	2,273
Live primates							
<i>Quantity: (Number)</i>	6,054	8,992	2,095	2,823	1,673	2,401	2,124
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	520	720	169	221	134	196	182
1 - Beverages and tobacco	102	72	17	19	17	19	11
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	571	501	119	140	124	118	108
of which :							
Cut flowers and foliage							
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	158	134	33	32	28	41	31
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	60	53	13	13	11	16	13
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	73	67	9	24	13	21	23
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	581	710	96	186	204	224	122
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	6,071	7,391	1,587	1,948	1,862	1,994	1,814
of which :							
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	2,764	3,025	711	817	790	707	743
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	2,613	3,568	716	953	868	1,031	846
Corks & wood manufactures	29	28	8	7	6	7	4

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Table 4 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(f.o.b): R Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	169	175	30	46	68	31	31
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	27,291	28,164	6,459	7,363	7,179	7,163	6,292
of which :							
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	22,986	24,174	5,524	6,323	6,147	6,180	5,382
Optical goods, n.e.s.	218	253	77	65	45	66	85
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	391	409	90	106	105	108	86
Watches & clocks	531	546	129	154	143	120	134
Toys, games & sporting goods	172	165	33	36	49	47	41
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	1,607	1,439	342	401	364	332	304
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	457	215	47	56	56	56	46
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	8	4	1	3	-	-	-

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Table 5 - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value (f.o.b): R Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qtr
<u>All sections</u>	<u>13,731</u>	<u>23,342</u>	<u>3,597</u>	<u>5,455</u>	<u>7,126</u>	<u>7,164</u>	<u>7,632</u>
0 - Food and live animals	3,933	3,931	894	712	1,231	1,094	1,221
of which :							
Fish and fish preparations	3,263	3,181	739	475	1,044	923	960
1 - Beverages and tobacco	555	674	133	208	143	190	98
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	531	583	163	134	129	157	137
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	29	47	30	5	8	4	4
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	51	125	44	11	11	59	35
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	1,848	2,351	449	543	717	642	466
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	1,262	1,123	270	351	226	276	255
of which :							
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	717	653	165	214	131	143	145
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	83	46	16	5	2	23	22
Corks & wood manufactures	11	8	1	3	2	2	1

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Table 5 (cont'd) - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value (f.o.b): R Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,340	11,483	978	2,697	3,978	3,830	4,618
of which :							
<i>Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.</i>	1,732	9,218	600	2,014	3,481	3,123	3,995
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,923	2,670	573	669	600	828	728
of which :							
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	362	680	126	165	115	274	208
Optical goods, n.e.s.	12	18	5	3	2	8	3
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	21	47	9	12	12	14	34
Watches & clocks	254	226	43	56	64	63	58
Toys, games & sporting goods	40	82	19	18	20	25	14
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' ware:	58	72	36	9	12	15	24
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	56	95	17	58	11	9	17
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	259	355	63	125	83	84	70

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Table 6 - Freeport re-exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value (f.o.b): R Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
Total freeport re-exports	<u>9,617</u>	<u>18,928</u>	<u>2,647</u>	<u>4,343</u>	<u>6,043</u>	<u>5,895</u>	<u>6,389</u>
0 - Food and live animals	3,544	3,561	821	664	1,143	933	1,139
of which :							
<i>Fish and fish preparations</i>							
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	<i>47,703</i>	<i>55,729</i>	<i>11,223</i>	<i>6,010</i>	<i>21,567</i>	<i>16,929</i>	<i>20,345</i>
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	<i>3,118</i>	<i>2,974</i>	<i>703</i>	<i>466</i>	<i>999</i>	<i>806</i>	<i>928</i>
1 - Beverages and tobacco	512	609	118	181	131	179	86
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	447	476	145	102	102	127	113
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	15	5	1	1	2	1	1
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	37	121	44	11	9	57	32
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	1,455	1,894	371	448	542	533	411
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	345	350	89	105	60	96	68
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	2,216	10,319	748	2,449	3,701	3,421	4,054
of which :							
<i>Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s.; & parts, n.e.s. & accessories etc.</i>	<i>1,694</i>	<i>9,126</i>	<i>592</i>	<i>2,000</i>	<i>3,462</i>	<i>3,072</i>	<i>3,900</i>
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,015	1,589	306	382	353	548	485
of which :							
<i>Articles of apparel & clothing accessories</i>	<i>294</i>	<i>550</i>	<i>108</i>	<i>131</i>	<i>75</i>	<i>236</i>	<i>194</i>
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	31	4	4	-	-	-	-

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Table 7 - Total exports¹ by country of destination, 2013-1st Quarter 2015

Value (f.o.b): R Million

Country of destination	2013 ²	2014 ³	2014 ³				2015 ³
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
All countries	71,867	81,591	17,217	21,027	22,092	21,255	20,749
Europe	40,300	38,665	9,569	10,458	9,678	8,960	8,723
Austria	325	365	83	107	94	81	43
Belgium	2,193	2,244	674	676	445	449	372
Czech Republic	244	174	71	49	34	20	51
France	8,553	9,240	2,341	2,632	2,169	2,098	1,768
Germany	1,091	729	169	213	171	176	267
Italy	6,663	5,327	1,710	1,540	1,367	710	1,089
Netherlands	1,827	2,060	361	472	639	588	506
Portugal	424	293	50	91	106	46	77
Spain	4,090	4,242	881	1,234	1,093	1,034	1,133
Switzerland	789	843	194	209	182	258	237
United Kingdom	11,935	11,085	2,659	2,703	2,783	2,940	2,619
Other	2,166	2,063	376	532	595	560	561
Asia	8,454	17,630	2,329	4,059	5,814	5,428	6,077
China	415	464	80	135	151	98	131
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ⁴	1,075	1,018	296	263	403	56	43
India	541	509	113	138	139	119	123
Japan	787	1,167	172	327	407	261	215
Malaysia	158	167	49	30	28	60	20
Phillipines	18	34	7	11	10	6	5
Singapore	662	789	175	123	254	237	161
Thailand	354	383	96	37	161	89	119
United Arab Emirates	1,025	8,760	401	1,905	3,163	3,291	4,079
Other	3,419	4,339	940	1,090	1,098	1,211	1,181
Africa	15,040	15,687	3,216	4,129	3,952	4,390	3,738
Comoros Islands	141	161	33	37	47	44	51
Ghana	13	16	1	10	-	5	4
Kenya	306	163	22	36	31	74	129
Madagascar	4,503	5,318	1,186	1,444	1,186	1,502	1,333
Mayotte	266	565	82	323	94	66	68
Mozambique	74	37	9	7	6	15	13
Reunion	1,922	2,042	391	572	496	583	324
Seychelles	939	866	185	223	208	250	214
South Africa	6,039	5,773	1,172	1,343	1,675	1,583	1,412
Zambia	29	112	11	7	24	70	11
Other	808	634	124	127	185	198	179
America	7,757	9,235	2,011	2,305	2,546	2,373	2,093
Canada	224	260	50	70	70	70	57
U.S.A.	7,242	8,536	1,851	2,155	2,375	2,155	1,929
Panama	95	103	27	19	39	18	50
Other	196	336	83	61	62	130	57
Oceania	316	374	92	76	102	104	118
Australia	277	315	84	62	83	86	106
New Zealand	38	51	8	14	19	10	10
Other	1	8	-	-	-	8	2

¹ Excluding Ship's stores & Bunkers

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Table 8 - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(f.o.b): R Million

Country of destination	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
All countries	58,136	58,249	13,620	15,572	14,966	14,091	13,117
Europe	37,366	35,338	8,779	9,614	8,780	8,165	7,643
Austria	324	363	83	107	94	79	43
Belgium	2,141	2,158	645	655	422	436	345
Czech Republic	243	170	71	49	34	16	39
France	7,316	7,721	1,962	2,204	1,747	1,808	1,460
Germany	841	583	145	162	133	143	150
Italy	6,563	5,078	1,632	1,532	1,294	620	1,051
Netherlands	1,772	2,002	352	455	624	571	477
Portugal	182	128	31	30	37	30	34
Spain	3,435	3,440	689	1,043	923	785	758
Switzerland	721	781	180	201	158	242	228
United Kingdom	11,801	10,953	2,626	2,667	2,752	2,908	2,594
Other	2,027	1,961	363	509	562	527	464
Asia	3,339	4,619	901	1,389	1,171	1,158	1,197
China	193	212	44	80	28	60	49
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	142	147	42	28	38	39	32
India	337	301	69	92	67	73	59
Japan	76	789	93	269	300	127	101
Malaysia	8	19	1	4	7	7	5
Phillipines	16	31	5	11	10	5	5
Singapore	90	102	27	21	30	24	16
Thailand	65	36	10	5	9	12	4
United Arab Emirates	172	122	23	40	31	28	20
Other	2,240	2,860	587	839	651	783	906
Africa	9,846	9,255	2,004	2,240	2,519	2,492	2,233
Comoros Islands	64	48	10	11	17	10	19
Ghana	6	4	1	1	-	2	1
Kenya	222	95	17	29	24	25	126
Madagascar	2,253	2,366	568	630	580	588	541
Mayotte	94	99	22	29	33	15	27
Mozambique	47	12	3	3	-	6	1
Reunion	694	738	131	188	200	219	118
Seychelles	454	396	100	96	94	106	97
South Africa	5,635	5,111	1,063	1,187	1,468	1,393	1,187
Zambia	7	70	2	3	19	46	4
Other	370	316	87	63	84	82	112
America	7,345	8,719	1,854	2,264	2,408	2,193	1,937
Canada	194	245	50	69	70	56	57
U.S.A.	6,898	8,069	1,702	2,123	2,241	2,003	1,776
Panama	94	103	27	19	39	18	50
Other	159	302	75	53	58	116	54
Oceania	240	318	82	65	88	83	107
Australia	237	295	77	60	77	81	102
New Zealand	2	23	5	5	11	2	5
Other	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 9 - Re-exports by country of destination, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(f.o.b): R Million

Country of destination	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
Europe	<u>13,731</u>	<u>23,342</u>	<u>3,597</u>	<u>5,455</u>	<u>7,126</u>	<u>7,164</u>	<u>7,632</u>
All countries	2,934	3,327	790	844	898	795	1,080
Austria	1	2	-	-	-	2	-
Belgium	52	86	29	21	23	13	27
Czech Republic	1	4	-	-	-	4	12
France	1,237	1,519	379	428	422	290	308
Germany	250	146	24	51	38	33	117
Italy	100	249	78	8	73	90	38
Netherlands	55	58	9	17	15	17	29
Portugal	242	165	19	61	69	16	43
Spain	655	802	192	191	170	249	375
Switzerland	68	62	14	8	24	16	9
United Kingdom	134	132	33	36	31	32	25
Other	139	102	13	23	33	33	97
Asia	5,115	13,011	1,428	2,670	4,643	4,270	4,880
China	222	252	36	55	123	38	82
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	933	871	254	235	365	17	11
India	204	208	44	46	72	46	64
Japan	711	378	79	58	107	134	114
Malaysia	150	148	48	26	21	53	15
Phillipines	2	3	2	-	-	1	-
Singapore	572	687	148	102	224	213	145
Thailand	289	347	86	32	152	77	115
United Arab Emirates	853	8,638	378	1,865	3,132	3,263	4,059
Other	1,179	1,479	353	251	447	428	275
Africa	5,194	6,432	1,212	1,889	1,433	1,898	1,505
Comoros Islands	77	113	23	26	30	34	32
Ghana	7	12	-	9	-	3	3
Kenya	84	68	5	7	7	49	3
Madagascar	2,250	2,952	618	814	606	914	792
Mayotte	172	466	60	294	61	51	41
Mozambique	27	25	6	4	6	9	12
Reunion	1,228	1,304	260	384	296	364	206
Seychelles	485	470	85	127	114	144	117
South Africa	404	662	109	156	207	190	225
Zambia	22	42	9	4	5	24	7
Other	438	318	37	64	101	116	67
America	412	516	157	41	138	180	156
Canada	30	15	-	1	-	14	-
U.S.A.	344	467	149	32	134	152	153
Panama	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	37	34	8	8	4	14	3
Oceania	76	56	10	11	14	21	11
Australia	40	20	7	2	6	5	4
New Zealand	36	28	3	9	8	8	5
Other	-	8	-	-	-	8	2

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Table 10 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(c.i.f): R Million

	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
<u>All sections</u>	<u>165,594</u>	<u>172,023</u>	<u>35,620</u>	<u>41,912</u>	<u>45,598</u>	<u>48,893</u>	<u>38,930</u>
0 - Food and live animals	31,573	31,353	6,832	7,171	8,571	8,779	7,042
Meat and meat preparations	2,136	2,276	466	537	571	702	502
Dairy products and bird's eggs	3,362	3,902	873	1,007	952	1,070	779
Fish and fish preparations	11,880	10,344	1,870	2,332	3,373	2,769	2,006
Wheat	1,979	1,483	405	193	676	209	456
Rice	1,780	1,889	387	424	457	621	395
Wheaten flour	57	37	14	1	11	11	1
Cereal preparations	1,265	1,362	245	362	341	414	289
Vegetables and fruits	2,821	3,032	714	858	730	730	867
Other	6,293	7,028	1,858	1,457	1,460	2,253	1,747
1 - Beverages and tobacco	3,312	3,358	750	800	853	955	758
Beverages	1,246	1,278	237	293	275	473	266
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	2,066	2,080	513	507	578	482	492
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	4,158	4,129	1,058	1,004	933	1,134	854
Cork and wood	660	707	125	177	180	225	121
Textile fibres	2,330	2,202	654	504	456	588	538
Other	1,168	1,220	279	323	297	321	195

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Table 10 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(c.i.f): R Million

SITC section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products	35,897	32,942	8,244	8,361	8,719	7,618	6,329
Refined petroleum products	31,263	27,305	7,022	6,844	7,439	6,000	4,932
Gas, natural and manufactured	2,089	3,231	474	877	842	1,038	768
Other	2,545	2,406	748	640	438	580	629
4 - Animal & vegetable oils and fats	1,534	1,690	358	445	419	468	335
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	1,331	1,501	318	400	374	409	304
Other	203	189	40	45	45	59	31
5 - Chemicals & related products	12,892	13,471	2,729	3,425	3,506	3,811	3,017
Dyeing & tanning materials	946	980	187	277	268	248	227
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	3,178	3,573	799	879	986	909	971
Fertilisers	596	683	30	203	151	299	50
Plastics in primary forms	1,799	1,849	391	436	486	536	374
Plastics in non-primary forms	984	1,019	225	243	281	270	192
Other	5,389	5,367	1,097	1,387	1,334	1,549	1,203
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	28,616	27,598	5,900	6,931	7,240	7,527	6,852
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	1,900	1,925	365	513	521	526	461
Textile yarn	2,400	2,374	504	672	640	558	485
Cotton fabrics	2,825	2,792	619	759	616	798	636
Other textile fabrics	3,073	3,047	605	803	709	930	638
Cement	1,757	1,457	285	392	401	379	401
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	3,054	3,719	977	706	1,082	954	1,082
Iron and steel	3,287	2,778	612	693	739	734	998
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	4,303	3,583	742	862	946	1,033	833
Other	6,017	5,923	1,191	1,531	1,586	1,615	1,318

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Table 10 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(c.i.f): R Million

SITC section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	32,553	41,991	6,955	9,809	11,647	13,580	10,711
Power generating machinery & equipment	1,096	1,473	191	337	623	322	194
Machinery specialised for particular industries	2,830	2,828	689	706	684	749	534
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	4,416	4,474	867	998	1,183	1,426	971
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	3,209	3,137	726	693	729	989	698
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	5,879	13,368	1,266	3,345	4,579	4,178	4,889
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	4,724	5,210	1,264	1,267	1,294	1,385	1,051
Road vehicles	7,866	8,804	1,830	2,230	2,368	2,376	2,146
Aircraft , marine vessels and parts	2,339	2,551	100	182	153	2,116	194
Other	194	146	22	51	34	39	34
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	14,452	14,768	2,639	3,741	3,521	4,867	2,837
Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s	732	747	106	179	214	248	145
Articles of apparel and clothing	2,635	2,888	480	807	605	996	587
Footwear	1,044	1,210	163	319	271	457	214
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus n.e.s	1,121	1,442	271	300	395	476	283
Watches and clocks & optical goods	1,052	964	190	196	215	363	188
Printed matter	753	768	161	188	202	217	162
Articles n.e.s., of plastic	1,453	1,552	282	418	366	486	292
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares, n.e.s	1,313	918	237	194	209	278	166
Other	4,349	4,279	749	1,140	1,044	1,346	800
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	607	723	155	225	189	154	195

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Table 11 - Imports of selected commodities, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Commodity	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
Rice :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	60	57	12	13	13	19	13
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,780	1,889	387	424	457	621	395
Wheat :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	163	143	39	19	64	21	45
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,979	1,483	405	193	676	209	456
Fish and fish preparations :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	169	183	35	39	56	53	43
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	11,880	10,344	1,870	2,332	3,373	2,769	2,006
Dairy products :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	22	26	6	7	6	7	5
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	3,362	3,902	873	1,007	952	1,070	779
Meat and meat preparations :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	17	16	4	4	4	4	3
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2,136	2,276	466	537	571	702	502
Fixed vegetable edible oils and fats :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	35	45	9	12	11	13	9
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,331	1,501	318	400	374	409	304
Refined petroleum products :							
Quantity: --	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	31,263	27,305	7,022	6,844	7,439	6,000	4,932
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	4	6	1	2	1	2	1
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	3,178	3,573	799	879	986	909	971
Cotton fabrics :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	8	7	2	2	2	1	2
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2,825	2,792	619	759	616	798	636
Cement :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	711	615	121	164	171	159	167
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,757	1,457	285	392	401	379	401
Iron and steel :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	114	103	23	25	28	27	33
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	3,287	2,778	612	693	739	734	998
Motor cars and other motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons:							
Quantity: (Thousand Number)	15	16	3	4	4	5	4
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	5,095	5,602	1,108	1,445	1,557	1,492	1,525

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Table 12 - Freeport imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(c.i.f): R Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
Total freeport imports	<u>10,287</u>	<u>18,120</u>	<u>2,190</u>	<u>4,362</u>	<u>5,804</u>	<u>5,764</u>	<u>6,506</u>
0 - Food and live animals	2,879	2,777	486	625	890	776	848
of which :							
<i>Fish and fish preparations</i>							
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	<i>54,461</i>	<i>54,445</i>	<i>8,693</i>	<i>8,101</i>	<i>21,974</i>	<i>15,677</i>	<i>15,839</i>
<i>Value (c.i.f): Million Rupees</i>	<i>2,658</i>	<i>2,405</i>	<i>418</i>	<i>490</i>	<i>833</i>	<i>664</i>	<i>620</i>
1 - Beverages and tobacco	482	420	85	131	104	100	78
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	457	526	131	148	111	136	81
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	16	931	1	2	344	584	445
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	36	106	35	8	9	54	21
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	1,426	1,641	331	430	379	501	434
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	913	442	109	148	89	96	121
of which :							
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	<i>108</i>	<i>124</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>47</i>
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,315	10,433	850	2,650	3,737	3,196	4,201
of which :							
<i>Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.</i>	<i>549</i>	<i>8,979</i>	<i>518</i>	<i>2,169</i>	<i>3,375</i>	<i>2,917</i>	<i>3,969</i>
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	763	844	162	220	141	321	277
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 13 - Imports by country of origin, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(c.i.f): R Million

Country of origin	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
All countries	165,594	172,023	35,620	41,912	45,598	48,893	38,930
Europe	40,354	40,280	8,686	10,051	11,043	10,500	8,465
Austria	311	339	88	64	58	129	79
Belgium	1,111	1,187	285	288	283	331	267
Denmark	303	431	53	77	136	165	62
Finland	76	77	10	12	19	36	12
France	13,368	13,099	2,891	3,485	3,397	3,326	2,545
Germany	4,112	4,326	862	1,188	1,159	1,117	942
Hungary	127	197	21	57	59	60	80
Ireland	401	467	96	130	124	117	147
Israel	204	203	29	93	37	44	34
Italy	3,597	3,521	778	902	892	949	748
Netherlands	1,227	852	215	217	219	201	294
Poland	414	498	91	141	155	111	94
Portugal	466	423	44	142	135	102	63
Russian Federation	260	607	99	118	218	172	175
Spain	6,564	5,942	1,385	1,204	1,874	1,479	1,190
Sweden	238	274	65	71	58	80	65
Switzerland	1,388	1,408	399	346	314	349	271
Turkey	1,457	1,458	318	330	400	410	331
United Kingdom	3,561	3,050	651	805	773	821	744
Other	1,169	1,921	306	381	733	501	322
Asia	93,811	97,956	19,507	24,344	25,671	28,434	22,331
China	24,312	27,798	4,745	6,966	7,251	8,836	7,274
Hong Kong (S.A.R.) ³	695	737	167	172	232	166	133
India	39,896	37,192	9,026	9,251	8,722	10,193	6,949
Indonesia	2,793	2,493	466	639	663	725	530
Iran	14	10	1	2	4	3	5
Japan	3,913	3,925	879	910	1,091	1,045	785
Korea, Republic of	3,162	2,236	434	636	712	454	480
Malaysia	3,903	3,156	652	748	784	972	641
Myanmar	28	32	8	5	11	8	4
Pakistan	880	963	228	256	250	229	174
Philippines	173	275	29	105	108	33	23
Saudi Arabia	189	232	25	97	20	90	28

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Special Administrative Region of China

Table 13 (cont'd) - Imports by country of origin, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value(c.i.f): R Million

Country of origin	2013 ¹	2014 ²	2014 ²				2015 ²
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr
Asia (cont'd)							
Singapore	1,063	1,920	284	605	479	552	361
Thailand	3,445	3,706	724	874	1,065	1,043	952
United Arab Emirates	2,978	3,220	607	795	931	887	538
Vietnam	2,644	6,135	505	1,446	2,067	2,117	2,289
Other	3,723	3,926	727	837	1,281	1,081	1,165
Africa	17,739	18,427	3,858	4,321	5,173	5,075	4,652
Cameroon	39	15	6	4	2	3	13
Congo	32	31	6	10	7	8	10
Egypt	1,085	1,016	202	241	266	307	223
Kenya	1,375	1,268	368	307	321	272	398
Madagascar	751	1,159	205	338	316	300	273
Mali	5	59	43	9	4	3	4
Morocco	230	260	53	67	63	77	71
Mozambique	567	370	148	46	48	128	217
Reunion	176	101	35	20	21	25	29
Seychelles	1,498	1,134	50	210	461	413	378
South Africa	10,230	11,346	2,323	2,687	3,253	3,083	2,490
Swaziland	276	300	45	94	75	86	70
Tanzania	397	370	109	78	44	139	141
Zambia	140	101	101	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	238	9	3	3	1	2	13
Other	700	888	161	207	291	229	322
America	7,110	8,539	2,119	1,576	1,902	2,942	1,869
Argentina	2,173	2,183	406	527	466	784	380
Brazil	835	1,084	376	123	132	453	107
Canada	999	1,392	498	281	319	294	358
Chile	58	27	5	10	7	5	7
Mexico	111	102	21	26	23	32	25
U. S. A.	2,438	2,665	467	553	903	742	508
Other	496	1,086	346	56	52	632	484
Oceania	6,580	6,821	1,450	1,620	1,809	1,942	1,613
Australia	4,386	4,366	980	777	1,282	1,327	1,067
New Zealand	2,186	2,448	468	840	525	615	545
Other	8	7	2	3	2	-	1

¹ Revised ² Provisional

Table 14 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value : R Thousands

ACP States	2013 ¹		2014 ²		2014 ²								2015 ²	
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr		1st Qr	
					Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)								
Total	16,264,048	13,077,879	17,060,520	13,585,812	3,551,833	2,816,738	3,991,772	3,555,078	4,843,173	3,405,202	4,673,742	3,808,794	4,347,426	3,391,851
Antigua and Barbuda	4,788	239	14,291	-	18	-	14,006	-	267	-	-	-	708	-
Bahamas	674	2	19,551	48	65	-	39	48	15,243	-	4,204	-	6	-
Barbados	50	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belize	19,529	560	6,430	5,222	2,705	-	-	5,222	3,717	-	8	-	-	-
Benin	2,248	9,206	2,240	12,340	2,240	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,340	5,924	-
Botswana	9,235	108,398	10,339	21,189	819	1,684	2,208	828	3,753	549	3,559	18,128	23,092	246
Burkina Faso	4,876	201	12,401	189	-	78	93	2	12,308	-	-	109	6,164	22
Burundi	-	35,034	14	24,304	-	12,018	14	8,302	-	-	-	3,984	-	3,348
Cameroon	38,787	898	15,072	1,399	6,487	-	4,410	152	2,274	246	1,901	1,001	13,234	374
Chad	113	2,319	2	922	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	922	-	999
Comoros Islands	61,162	140,819	12,448	160,778	9,729	33,447	525	37,354	473	46,809	1,721	43,168	65,654	51,008
Congo	31,743	85,371	31,335	21,966	5,709	5,465	10,087	14,866	7,149	43	8,390	1,592	10,094	3,364
Cook Islands	24,461	856	32,552	-	-	-	9,275	-	14,476	-	8,801	-	9,119	-
Ivory Coast	16,899	2,765	73,212	23,375	39,064	64	28,649	4,253	5,190	6,573	309	12,485	69,958	2,270
Cuba	6,823	-	7,488	-	2,719	-	1,493	-	2,274	-	1,002	-	2,064	-
Ethiopia	1,699	12,525	3,241	14,331	121	8,029	2,311	2,793	83	2,130	726	1,379	412	11,047
Fiji	227	-	65	-	-	-	9	-	30	-	26	-	44	-
Gabon	5,057	4,528	616	1,785	616	-	-	314	-	50	-	1,421	-	2,015
Gambia	91	113	240	780	36	-	38	-	166	-	-	780	-	-
Ghana	19,769	13,351	10,286	16,165	6,559	1,449	1,637	10,417	304	211	1,786	4,088	16	4,160
Guinea	215	884	1,281	984	77	31	881	498	177	-	146	455	34	-
Kenya	1,375,397	305,599	1,268,100	162,649	368,023	22,246	307,175	36,207	321,298	30,674	271,604	73,522	397,508	129,409
Lesotho	67,805	23,087	55,754	5,845	14,135	1,390	22,772	3,299	11,323	1,142	7,524	14	3,873	-
Liberia	2,040	1,466	32,921	942	531	402	25,649	225	6,741	315	-	-	450	-
Madagascar	751,407	4,502,878	1,158,549	5,317,703	205,168	1,186,415	338,161	1,443,872	315,969	1,186,225	299,251	1,501,191	272,886	1,332,952

¹ Revised ² Provisional ³ Excluding Ship's stores and bunkers

Table 14 (cont'd) - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value : R Thousands

ACP States	2013 ¹		2014 ²		2014 ²								2015 ²	
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr		1st Qr	
					Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)								
Malawi	22,677	5,418	90,864	6,891	1,073	1,958	-	3,076	62,333	867	27,458	990	-	556
Mali	4,653	468	59,494	24	43,024	-	8,709	-	3,560	-	4,201	24	4,033	-
Micronesia	-	139	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mozambique	567,051	74,465	369,813	37,337	148,461	8,527	45,891	6,647	48,454	6,475	127,007	15,688	216,885	13,157
Namibia	39,870	12,367	24,916	9,145	6,662	177	6,885	2,342	6,530	1,514	4,839	5,112	10,921	1,519
Nigeria	11,076	13,263	2,243	44,715	9	9,569	31	16,257	2,063	5,671	140	13,218	103	2,397
Niue	3	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	1
Rwanda	-	159,695	9	105,778	-	18,345	-	22,007	9	36,659	-	28,767	1,171	41,843
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	36,095	3,550	20,822	2,015	1,168	369	1,341	-	5,022	109	13,291	1,537	1,228	3,346
Seychelles	1,497,851	938,951	1,134,329	866,112	50,148	185,051	210,322	222,979	461,462	207,808	412,397	250,274	378,229	214,004
Sierra Leone	253,446	1,371	399,984	43	35,482	37	78,593	6	140,254	-	145,655	-	113,023	-
Solomon Islands	73,804	-	6,598	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,598	35	-	-
South Africa	10,230,158	6,038,841	11,346,049	5,772,870	2,322,649	1,172,215	2,687,031	1,342,765	3,252,945	1,674,841	3,083,424	1,583,049	2,489,526	1,411,874
Sudan	2,067	2,835	9	2,638	-	956	-	239	-	1,443	9	-	-	1,198
Swaziland	276,496	67	299,525	405	45,254	-	94,179	343	75,021	62	85,071	-	70,436	182
Tanzania	396,611	127,870	369,786	60,066	109,200	7,422	78,107	8,701	44,377	20,690	138,102	23,253	140,608	2,856
Togo	22	68	4	61	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	61	-	-
Trinidad & Tobago	72	104	44	802	-	-	11	-	23	794	10	8	-	-
Uganda	1,271	22,972	15,250	29,137	12,971	4,482	173	5,859	1,316	8,192	790	10,604	-	12,137
Vanuatu	-	15	1,693	6,973	-	-	1,693	-	-	6	-	6,967	-	802
Zambia	139,951	28,890	100,565	112,389	100,560	11,323	-	6,800	5	23,989	-	70,277	319	10,753
Zimbabwe	238,380	88,324	8,802	129,538	2,849	37,093	2,959	19,091	1,377	29,529	1,617	43,825	12,921	42,671
Other	27,399	307,038	41,293	605,915	7,500	86,496	6,411	329,314	15,207	111,586	12,175	78,519	26,783	91,341

¹ Revised

² Provisional ³ Excluding Ship's stores and bunkers

Table 15 - Trade with COMESA States, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value : R Thousands

COMESA States	2013 ¹		2014 ²		2014 ²								2015 ²	
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr		1st Qr	
					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	5,454,898	6,303,042	5,108,373	6,983,445	998,036	1,531,569	1,196,774	1,821,782	1,504,924	1,594,326	1,408,639	2,035,768	1,422,181	1,860,029
Burundi	-	35,034	14	24,304	-	12,018	14	8,302	-	-	-	3,984	-	3,348
Comoros Islands	61,162	140,819	12,448	160,778	9,729	33,447	525	37,354	473	46,809	1,721	43,168	65,654	51,008
Djibouti	1,875	28,484	142	26,359	142	1,565	-	4,316	-	13,376	-	7,102	-	1,335
D. R. Congo	-	-	-	1,731	-	-	-	-	-	1,731	-	-	-	-
Egypt	1,084,665	29,152	1,016,495	22,471	201,998	8,641	240,955	8,534	265,547	4,628	307,995	668	222,645	7,586
Eritrea	-	1,199	31	231	-	-	-	10	31	204	-	17	-	-
Ethiopia	1,699	12,525	3,241	14,331	121	8,029	2,311	2,793	83	2,130	726	1,379	412	11,047
Kenya	1,375,397	305,599	1,268,100	162,649	368,023	22,246	307,175	36,207	321,298	30,674	271,604	73,522	397,508	129,409
Libyan Arab	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	751,407	4,502,878	1,158,549	5,317,703	205,168	1,186,415	338,161	1,443,872	315,969	1,186,225	299,251	1,501,191	272,886	1,332,952
Malawi	22,677	5,418	90,864	6,891	1,073	1,958	-	3,076	62,333	867	27,458	990	-	556
Rwanda	-	159,695	9	105,778	-	18,345	-	22,007	9	36,659	-	28,767	1,171	41,843
Seychelles	1,497,851	938,951	1,134,329	866,112	50,148	185,051	210,322	222,979	461,462	207,808	412,397	250,274	378,229	214,004
Sudan	2,067	2,835	9	2,638	-	956	-	239	-	1,443	9	-	-	1,198
Swaziland	276,496	67	299,525	405	45,254	-	94,179	343	75,021	62	85,071	-	70,436	182
Uganda	1,271	22,972	15,250	29,137	12,971	4,482	173	5,859	1,316	8,192	790	10,604	-	12,137
Zambia	139,951	28,890	100,565	112,389	100,560	11,323	-	6,800	5	23,989	-	70,277	319	10,753
Zimbabwe	238,380	88,324	8,802	129,538	2,849	37,093	2,959	19,091	1,377	29,529	1,617	43,825	12,921	42,671

¹ Revised ² Provisional ³ Excluding Ship's stores and bunkers

Table 16 - Trade with SADC States, 2013 - 1st Quarter 2015

Value : R Thousands

SADC States	2013 ¹		2014 ²		2014 ²								2015 ²	
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)	1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr		1st Qr	
					Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)								
Total	14,237,691	11,952,742	14,969,291	12,348,626	3,006,978	2,615,077	3,488,515	3,060,743	4,283,549	3,156,965	4,190,249	3,515,841	3,620,753	3,035,195
Angola	199	3,186	-	7,405	-	1,822	-	-	-	1,543	-	4,040	1,058	4,425
Botswana	9,235	108,398	10,339	21,189	819	1,684	2,208	828	3,753	549	3,559	18,128	23,092	246
D.R Congo	-	-	-	1,731	-	-	-	-	-	1,731	-	-	-	-
Lesotho	67,805	23,087	55,754	5,845	14,135	1,390	22,772	3,299	11,323	1,142	7,524	14	3,873	-
Madagascar	751,407	4,502,878	1,158,549	5,317,703	205,168	1,186,415	338,161	1,443,872	315,969	1,186,225	299,251	1,501,191	272,886	1,332,952
Malawi	22,677	5,418	90,864	6,891	1,073	1,958	-	3,076	62,333	867	27,458	990	-	556
Mozambique	567,051	74,465	369,813	37,337	148,461	8,527	45,891	6,647	48,454	6,475	127,007	15,688	216,885	13,157
Namibia	39,870	12,367	24,916	9,145	6,662	177	6,885	2,342	6,530	1,514	4,839	5,112	10,921	1,519
Seychelles	1,497,851	938,951	1,134,329	866,112	50,148	185,051	210,322	222,979	461,462	207,808	412,397	250,274	378,229	214,004
South Africa	10,230,158	6,038,841	11,346,049	5,772,870	2,322,649	1,172,215	2,687,031	1,342,765	3,252,945	1,674,841	3,083,424	1,583,049	2,489,526	1,411,874
Swaziland	276,496	67	299,525	405	45,254	-	94,179	343	75,021	62	85,071	-	70,435	182
Tanzania	396,611	127,870	369,786	60,066	109,200	7,422	78,107	8,701	44,377	20,690	138,102	23,253	140,608	2,856
Zambia	139,951	28,890	100,565	112,389	100,560	11,323	-	6,800	5	23,989	-	70,277	319	10,753
Zimbabwe	238,380	88,324	8,802	129,538	2,849	37,093	2,959	19,091	1,377	29,529	1,617	43,825	12,921	42,671

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