

External Merchandise Trade Statistics – 3rd Quarter 2015

1. Introduction

This issue of Economic and Social Indicators presents external merchandise trade statistics for the first three quarters 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 and 2014 are published in this indicator, those for 2015 are provisional and subject to revision as and when MRA - Customs Department submits latest amendments 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.

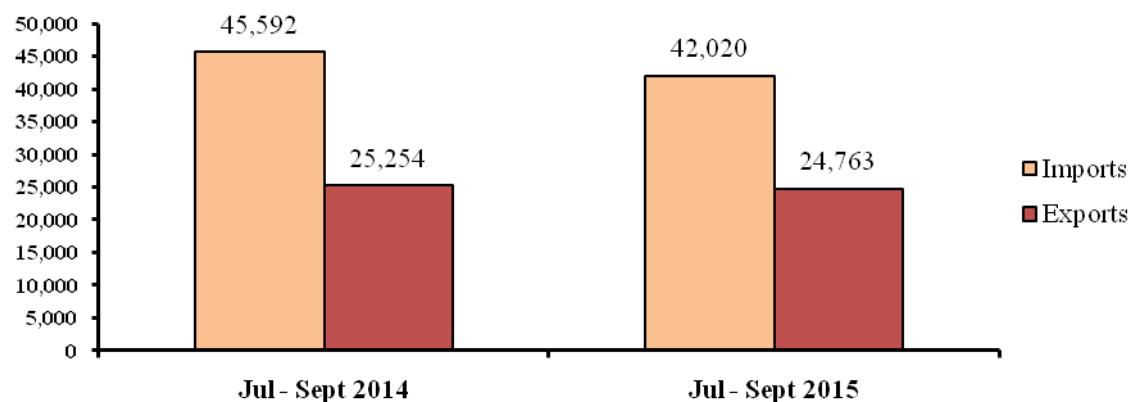
It is to be noted that all exports of the Freeport are included in re-exports of Mauritius. It is estimated that for the third quarter of 2015 some 6% of Freeport exports were sourced locally.

2. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total external merchandise trade for the third quarter of 2015 was valued at Rs 66,783 million, i.e. 1.9% lower than the previous quarter and 5.7% lower compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014.

During the third quarter of 2015, total exports were valued at Rs 24,763 million against imports of Rs 42,020 million. The resulting trade deficit worked out to Rs 17,257 million, 2.2% lower than the deficit of Rs 17,640 million of the previous quarter and 15.1% lower than the deficit of Rs 20,338 million of the corresponding quarter.

Rs Million **Total external merchandise trade, Jul-Sept 2014 & Jul-Sept 2015**



3. Exports

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

Total export proceeds for the third quarter of 2015, including domestic exports¹, re-exports² and ship's stores and bunkers amounted to Rs 24,763 million, showing a decrease of 1.8% compared to the previous quarter. This is mainly explained by decreases in the exports of “Machinery and transport equipment” (-25.3%), “Manufactured goods classified by materials”(-12.8%) and “Ships' stores & bunkers” (-4.3%), partly offset by increases in exports of “Miscellaneous manufactured goods” (+11.6%) and “Food & live animals” (+5.0%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014, total exports for the third quarter of 2015 declined by 1.9%. This is mainly explained by decreases in “Ships' stores & bunkers” (-33.9%), “Machinery and transport equipment” (-18.4%), “Chemicals & related products” (-9.1%), partly offset by increases in “Miscellaneous manufactured goods”(+17.8%) and “Manufactured goods classified by materials”(+6.1%).

Domestic exports, which accounted for 63.5% of total exports, increased by 3.1% from Rs 15,260 million in the previous quarter to Rs 15,727 million in the third quarter of 2015. Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014, domestic exports were higher by 6.1%.

In the third quarter of 2015, re-exports stood at Rs 6,836 million, i.e. lower by 10.7% compared to the previous quarter and by 3.8% compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014. This is mainly due to decreases in the re-exports of “Telecommunications equipment & accessories” by 39.1% compared to the previous quarter and by 36.7% compared to the corresponding quarter.

3.2 Exports by SITC section (Tables 1 & 3) – Jan to Sept 2015

Around 33.3% of total exports in the first nine months of 2015 consisted of “Miscellaneous manufactured goods” (Rs 24,238 million), 25.7% of “Food and live animals” (Rs 18,657 million) and 17.0% of “Machinery and transport equipment” (Rs 12,332 million). Compared to the first nine months of 2014, total exports rose by 3.6%. The main sections changed as follows:

“Machinery and transport equipment” increased by 59.4%, due to an increase in the re-exports of “Telecommunications equipment & accessories” (+61.9%).

“Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material”, valued at Rs 6,831 million, rose by 9.4 %, mainly explained by higher exports of “Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones” (+23.9%)”.

“Miscellaneous manufactured goods” went up by 6.2% due to rise in the exports of “Articles of apparel & clothing accessories” (+5.5%).

“Food and live animals” showed a decrease of 3.3%. Within the section, exports of “Live Primates”, “Cane Sugar” and “Fish and fish preparations” fell by 10.1%, 9.3% and 3.8% respectively.

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.

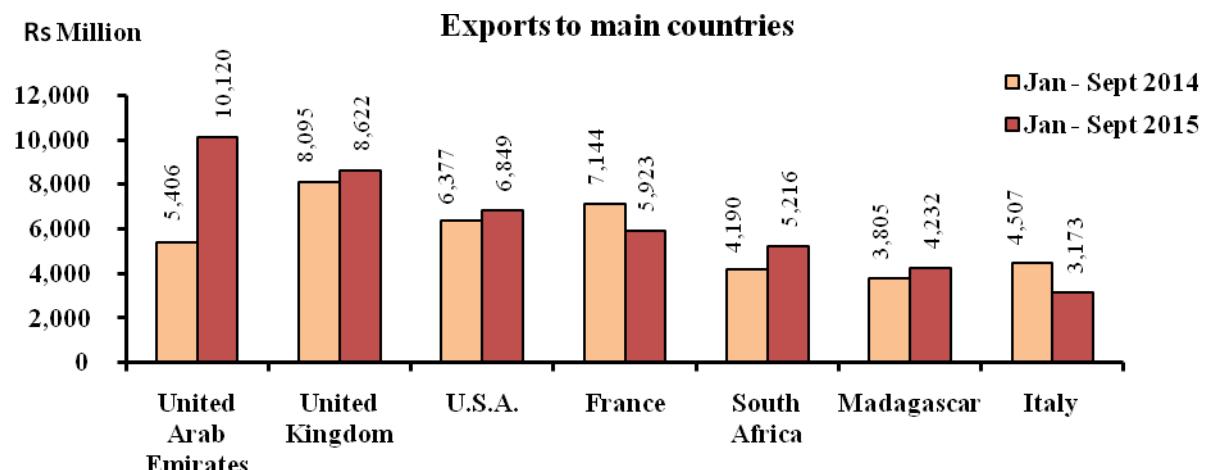
3.3 Exports of Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) – Jan to Sept 2015

During the first nine months of 2015, exports of EOE amounted to Rs 37,163 million, compared to Rs 37,131 million in the corresponding period 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 22 December 2015.

3.4 Exports by country of destination (Table 7) – Jan to Sept 2015

Analysis of exports figures by country of destination for the first nine months of 2015 shows that the European countries were our main buyers, purchasing some 41.6% of our exports for a value of Rs 27,465 million. The major destinations for our exports were U.A.E (15.3%), U.K (13.1%), U.S.A (10.4%), France (9.0%), South Africa (7.9%), Madagascar (6.4%) and Italy (4.8%).

Compared to corresponding period of 2014, total exports to U.A.E went up by 87.2% comprising mainly re-exports of “Telecommunication equipment and accessories”. Exports to South Africa, Madagascar, U.S.A and United Kingdom went up by 24.5%, 11.2%, 7.4% and 6.5% respectively. On the other hand, exports to Italy and France fell by 29.6% and 17.1% respectively.



4. Imports

4.1 Total imports (Table 10) – 3rd Quarter 2015

Total imports for the third quarter of 2015 amounted to Rs 42,020 million, showing a decrease of 1.9% over the previous quarter. This is mainly due to decreases in imports of “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related products” (-16.2%) and “Machinery and transport equipment” (-12.6%), partly offset by an increase of 13.7% in “Food and live animals”.

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2014, imports in the third quarter of 2015 fell by 7.8%. This decline is mainly due to decreases in imports of “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related products” (-32.8%) and “Machinery and transport equipment” (-18.2%), partly offset by increases in the imports of “Chemicals & related products” (+9.7%), “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials” (+6.9%) and “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (+5.7%).

4.2 Imports by SITC section (Table 10) – Jan to Sept 2015

Around 25.2% of imports in the first nine months of 2015 consisted of “Machinery and transport equipment” (Rs 31,133 million), 18.9% of “Food and live animals” (Rs 23,333 million), 18.2% of “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials” (Rs 22,532 million) and 15.5% of “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials” (Rs 19,176 million). Compared to the first nine months of 2014, total imports increased by 0.5%, changes of the main sections are as follows:

“Food and live animals” increased by 3.3%, due to higher imports of “Vegetable and fruits” (+18.8%) and “Meat and meat preparations” (+17.1%), partly offset by decreases in “Dairy products and bird’s eggs” (-14.3%) and “Fish and fish preparations” (-5.8%).

“Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products” decreased by 24.3%, mainly due to a drop of 29.1% in the imports of “Refined petroleum products”.

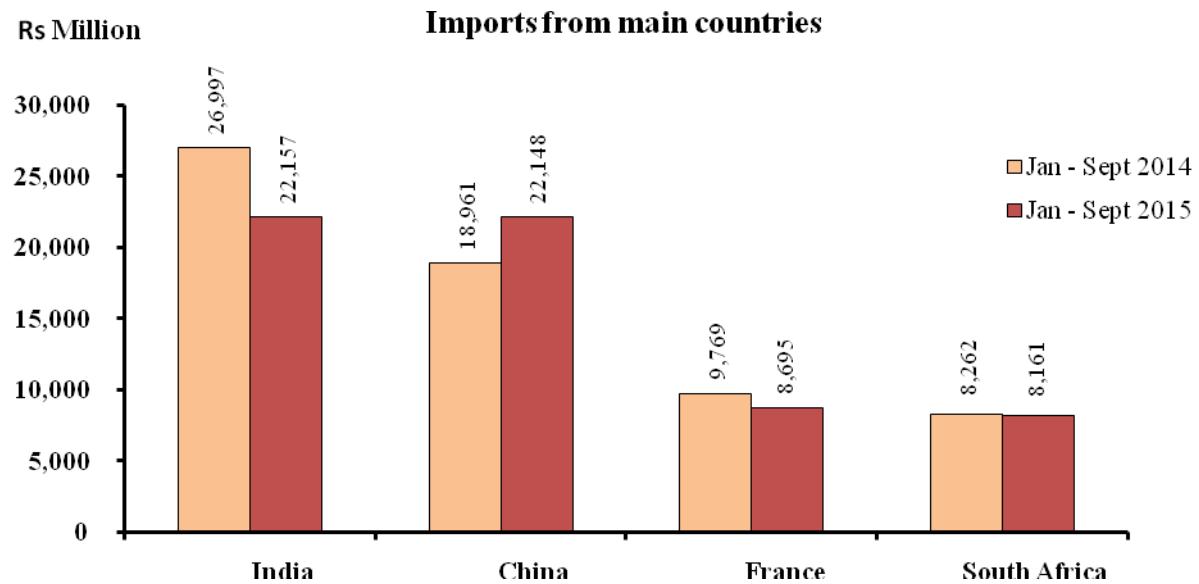
“Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” rose by 12.3%, mainly due to increases in the imports of “Iron and steel” (+47.3%), “Cotton fabrics” (+16.7%) and “Pearls & precious stones” (+13.5%).

“Machinery & transport equipment” increased by 9.6%, mainly due to an increase in imports of “Telecommunications & other equipment” (+32.8%).

4.3 Imports by country of origin – Jan to Sept 2015

During the first nine months of 2015, imports from the Asian continent, our major supplier, amounted to Rs 69,847 million, representing 56.4% of total imports. Our imports originated mainly from the following countries: India (17.9%), China (17.9%), France (7.0%) and South Africa (6.6%) - (Table 13).

Compared to the corresponding period of 2014, total imports from China rose by 16.8% while those from India and France declined by 17.9% and 11.0% respectively.



5. Trade with Regional Organisations – Jan to Sept 2015

Total exports to African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States during the first nine months of 2015 stood at Rs 11,920 million against imports of Rs 13,564 million (Table 14). The trade deficit with ACP countries worked out to Rs 1,644 million.

During the first nine months of 2015, exports to COMESA member states attained Rs 6,040 million while imports from these countries amounted to Rs 4,489 million, resulting in a trade surplus of Rs 1,551 million. Madagascar was the main buyer with a share of 70.1%. Our main suppliers were Seychelles (29.1%) and Madagascar (27.1%) - (Table 15).

Trade with SADC countries for the first nine months of 2015 showed a deficit of Rs 1,237 million, resulting from imports value of Rs 11,808 million against exports worth Rs 10,571 million. The main supplier was South Africa (69.1%) and our main buyers were South Africa (49.3%) and Madagascar (40.0%) - (Table 16).

6. Trade in Freeport Zone – Jan to Sept 2015

During the first nine months of 2015, total imports of the Freeport Zone stood at Rs 17,846 million, higher by 44.5% compared to the corresponding period of 2014 – (Table 12). Re-exports to overseas market were valued at Rs 18,026 million, representing an increase of 39.2% over the same period of 2014 (Table 6). The main item imported and re-exported was “Telecommunications equipment & accessories”.

7. Forecast 2015

Based on data for the first nine months, total exports for 2015 would be around Rs 97,000 million and imports Rs 176,000 million. Trade deficit for 2015 is therefore expected to be around Rs 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 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value: Rs Million

	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
Exports of goods	71,867	81,176	17,226	20,922	21,924	60,072	21,104	20,584	22,913	22,563	66,060
<i>Domestic exports</i>	58,136	57,948	13,633	15,523	14,820	43,976	13,972	12,956	15,260	15,727	43,943
<i>Re-exports</i>	13,731	23,228	3,593	5,399	7,104	16,096	7,132	7,628	7,653	6,836	22,117
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	16,181	13,600	3,250	3,525	3,330	10,105	3,495	2,150	2,300	2,200	6,650
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	88,048	94,776	20,476	24,447	25,254	70,177	24,599	22,734	25,213	24,763	72,710
<i>of which:</i>											
<i>Export Oriented Enterprises</i>	46,778	49,069	11,355	13,083	12,693	37,131	11,938	11,054	13,123	12,986	37,163
B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)	165,594	172,038	35,638	41,906	45,592	123,136	48,902	38,899	42,853	42,020	123,772
<i>of which:</i>											
<i>Export Oriented Enterprises</i>	29,340	28,596	6,671	6,942	7,719	21,332	7,264	6,329	7,189	6,641	20,159
Total Value of Trade (A+B)	253,642	266,814	56,114	66,353	70,846	193,313	73,501	61,633	68,066	66,783	196,482
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-77,546	-77,262	-15,162	-17,459	-20,338	-52,959	-24,303	-16,165	-17,640	-17,257	-51,062

¹ Revised

² Provisional

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Table 2 - Imports and exports of the Freeport Zone, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value: Rs Million

	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
IMPORTS											
Value (c.i.f)	10,287	18,114	2,190	4,363	5,798	12,351	5,763	6,506	5,987	5,353	17,846
Volume (tonne)	103,498	140,215	21,958	27,461	40,562	89,981	50,234	42,515	35,076	64,487	142,078
RE-EXPORTS											
Value (f.o.b)	9,617	18,825	2,642	4,287	6,020	12,949	5,876	6,385	6,212	5,429	18,026
Volume (tonne)	102,731	147,109	54,193	22,646	34,223	111,062	36,047	28,424	26,069	33,469	87,962

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² Provisional

Table 3 - Exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

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

S.I.T.C. section/description	2013	2014 ²	2014 ²					2015 ³			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
Exports of goods	71,867	81,176	17,226	20,922	21,924	60,072	21,104	20,584	22,913	22,563	66,060
0 - Food and live animals	27,203	24,984	6,214	6,501	6,582	19,297	5,687	5,927	6,210	6,520	18,657
of which:											
Cane sugar											
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	421	422	107	115	105	327	95	112	109	98	319
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	9,480	7,717	2,127	2,143	1,813	6,083	1,634	1,828	1,876	1,811	5,515
Fish and fish preparations											
Quantity: (Tonne)	108,420	126,620	27,749	26,217	39,024	92,990	33,630	35,077	29,110	37,453	101,640
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	14,599	13,934	3,378	3,451	3,971	10,800	3,134	3,230	3,329	3,826	10,385
Live Primates											
Quantity: (Number)	6,054	8,992	2,095	2,823	1,673	6,591	2,401	2,115	2,067	1,397	5,579
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	520	720	169	222	134	525	195	182	175	115	472
1 - Beverages & Tobacco	657	743	149	224	160	533	210	109	201	157	467
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,102	1,079	282	274	253	809	270	245	336	288	869
of which:											
Cut flowers and foliage											
Quantity: (Tonne)	158	135	32	33	29	94	41	31	30	26	87
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	60	53	14	13	11	38	15	13	14	12	39
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	29	48	30	4	8	42	6	4	10	4	18
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	124	191	53	36	25	114	77	56	33	23	112
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	2,429	3,053	543	729	921	2,193	860	587	855	837	2,279
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	7,333	8,498	1,857	2,299	2,088	6,244	2,254	2,075	2,540	2,216	6,831
of which:											
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	3,481	3,664	876	1,031	921	2,828	836	894	1,080	874	2,848
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	2,696	3,613	732	958	870	2,560	1,053	868	1,199	1,104	3,171
Corks & wood manufactures	40	36	9	10	8	27	9	5	11	10	26

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

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Table 3 (cont'd) - Exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2013	2014 ²	2014 ²					2015 ³			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,509	11,586	1,008	2,705	4,025	7,738	3,848	4,649	4,398	3,285	12,332
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured goods	29,214	30,635	7,026	8,022	7,779	22,827	7,808	6,862	8,213	9,163	24,238
of which:											
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	23,348	24,647	5,635	6,478	6,262	18,375	6,272	5,430	6,552	7,409	19,391
Optical goods n.e.s.	230	271	82	68	47	197	74	88	81	55	224
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	412	456	99	118	117	334	122	120	104	118	342
Watches & clocks	785	772	172	210	207	589	183	192	177	188	557
Toys, games & sporting goods	212	247	51	55	69	175	72	55	75	62	192
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' ware	1,665	1,521	389	410	376	1,175	346	328	445	360	1,133
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	513	310	64	114	67	245	65	63	79	82	224
9 - Commodities, n.e.s	267	359	64	128	83	275	84	70	117	70	257

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

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Table 4 - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value (f.o.b): Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
All sections	58,136	57,948	13,633	15,523	14,820	43,976	13,972	12,956	15,260	15,727	43,943
0 - Food and live animals	23,270	21,078	5,321	5,803	5,353	16,477	4,601	4,710	5,185	4,864	14,759
of which :											
Cane Sugar											
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	421	422	107	115	105	327	95	112	109	98	319
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	9,480	7,715	2,127	2,141	1,812	6,080	1,635	1,828	1,871	1,811	5,510
Fish and fish preparations											
Quantity: (Tonne)	59,219	69,899	16,034	20,011	18,135	54,180	15,719	15,500	17,968	16,320	49,788
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	11,336	10,763	2,640	2,977	2,927	8,544	2,219	2,273	2,692	2,445	7,410
Live primates											
Quantity: (Number)	6,054	8,992	2,095	2,823	1,673	6,591	2,401	2,115	2,067	1,397	5,579
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	520	720	169	221	134	524	196	182	175	115	472
1 - Beverages and tobacco	102	72	17	19	17	53	19	11	21	21	53
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	571	500	119	140	123	382	118	108	144	116	368
of which :											
Cut flowers and foliage											
Quantity: (Tonne)	158	133	32	32	28	92	41	31	30	26	87
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	60	53	13	13	11	37	16	13	14	12	39
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	73	67	9	23	14	46	21	23	29	23	75
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	581	710	96	186	204	486	224	121	192	243	556
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	6,071	7,376	1,586	1,948	1,862	5,396	1,980	1,819	2,201	1,911	5,931
of which :											
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	2,764	3,010	711	817	791	2,319	691	750	854	712	2,316
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	2,613	3,568	716	953	868	2,537	1,031	846	1,190	1,093	3,129
Corks & wood manufactures	29	28	8	7	6	21	7	4	7	5	16

¹ Revised ² Provisional

Table 4 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(f.o.b): Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	169	175	30	46	68	144	31	31	30	54	115
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	27,291	27,966	6,454	7,355	7,179	20,988	6,978	6,133	7,457	8,494	22,084
of which :											
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	22,986	23,968	5,509	6,314	6,147	17,970	5,998	5,223	6,386	7,302	18,911
Optical goods, n.e.s.	218	253	77	65	45	187	66	85	77	50	212
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	391	409	90	106	105	301	108	86	91	105	282
Watches & clocks	531	546	129	154	143	426	120	134	114	125	373
Toys, games & sporting goods	172	164	32	35	49	116	48	41	54	49	144
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	1,607	1,449	353	401	364	1,118	331	304	438	342	1,084
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	457	215	47	56	56	159	56	46	54	62	162
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	8	4	1	3	-	4	-	-	1	1	2

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 5 - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value (f.o.b): Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qtr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
All sections	13,731	23,228	3,593	5,399	7,104	16,096	7,132	7,628	7,653	6,836	22,117
0 - Food and live animals	3,933	3,906	893	698	1,229	2,820	1,086	1,217	1,025	1,656	3,898
of which :											
Fish and fish preparations	3,263	3,171	738	474	1,044	2,256	915	957	637	1,381	2,975
1 - Beverages and tobacco	555	671	132	205	143	480	191	98	180	136	414
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	531	579	163	134	130	427	152	137	192	172	501
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	29	48	30	4	8	42	6	4	10	4	18
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	51	124	44	13	11	68	56	33	4	-	37
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	1,848	2,343	447	543	717	1,707	636	466	663	594	1,723
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	1,262	1,122	271	351	226	848	274	256	339	305	900
of which :											
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	717	654	165	214	130	509	145	144	226	162	532
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	83	45	16	5	2	23	22	22	9	11	42
Corks & wood manufactures	11	8	1	3	2	6	2	1	4	5	10

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 5 (cont'd) - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value (f.o.b): Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,340	11,411	978	2,659	3,957	7,594	3,817	4,618	4,368	3,231	12,217
of which :											
<i>Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.</i>	1,732	9,164	600	1,981	3,461	6,042	3,122	3,995	3,597	2,190	9,782
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,923	2,669	572	667	600	1,839	830	729	756	669	2,154
of which :											
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	362	679	126	164	115	405	274	207	166	107	480
Optical goods, n.e.s.	12	18	5	3	2	10	8	3	4	5	12
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	21	47	9	12	12	33	14	34	13	13	60
Watches & clocks	254	226	43	56	64	163	63	58	63	63	184
Toys, games & sporting goods	40	83	19	20	20	59	24	14	21	13	48
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' ware	58	72	36	9	12	57	15	24	7	18	49
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	56	95	17	58	11	86	9	17	25	20	62
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	259	355	63	125	83	271	84	70	116	69	255

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Table 6 - Freeport re-exports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value (f.o.b): Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
Total freeport re-exports	<u>9,617</u>	<u>18,825</u>	<u>2,642</u>	<u>4,287</u>	<u>6,020</u>	<u>12,949</u>	<u>5,876</u>	<u>6,385</u>	<u>6,212</u>	<u>5,429</u>	<u>18,026</u>
0 - Food and live animals	3,544	3,537	820	650	1,142	2,612	925	1,135	960	1,563	3,658
of which :											
<i>Fish and fish preparations</i>											
Quantity: (Tonne)	47,703	54,258	11,207	6,095	20,406	37,708	16,550	19,068	11,068	21,027	51,163
Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees	3,118	2,965	702	465	999	2,166	799	925	630	1,371	2,926
1 - Beverages and tobacco	512	606	117	178	131	426	180	86	168	124	378
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	447	475	145	102	102	349	126	113	147	148	408
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	15	5	1	1	2	4	1	1	1	2	4
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	37	120	44	11	9	64	56	31	-	-	31
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	1,455	1,886	368	448	542	1,358	528	410	587	497	1,494
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	345	348	89	104	60	253	95	68	132	67	267
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	2,216	10,256	748	2,411	3,679	6,838	3,418	4,054	3,727	2,631	10,412
of which :											
<i>Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.</i>											
1,694	9,072	591	1,967	3,441	5,999	3,073	3,900	3,381	2,183	9,464	
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,015	1,587	306	381	353	1,040	547	487	490	397	1,374
of which :											
<i>Articles of apparel & clothing accessories</i>											
294	549	108	130	75	313	236	194	134	83	411	
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	31	5	4	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 7 - Total exports¹ by country of destination, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Country of destination	2013	2014 ²	2014 ²					2015 ³				Value (f.o.b): Rs Million	
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept		
			All countries	71,867	81,176	17,226	20,922	21,924	60,072	21,104	20,584	22,913	22,563
Europe	40,300	38,398	9,583	10,409	9,534	29,526	8,872	8,611	9,765	9,089	27,465		
	Austria	325	368	85	106	94	285	83	43	39	36	118	
	Belgium	2,193	2,248	677	675	444	1,796	452	372	475	412	1,259	
	Czech Republic	244	175	71	50	34	155	20	51	44	22	117	
	France	8,553	9,203	2,345	2,630	2,169	7,144	2,059	1,754	2,210	1,959	5,923	
	Germany	1,091	726	168	213	171	552	174	267	249	255	771	
	Italy	6,663	5,244	1,714	1,509	1,284	4,507	737	1,089	1,091	993	3,173	
	Netherlands	1,827	2,055	361	472	639	1,472	583	506	684	609	1,799	
	Portugal	424	292	50	91	106	247	45	77	116	82	275	
	Spain	4,090	4,260	888	1,237	1,065	3,190	1,070	1,133	989	969	3,091	
Asia	Switzerland	789	845	195	210	182	587	258	237	280	235	752	
	United Kingdom	11,935	10,903	2,650	2,686	2,759	8,095	2,808	2,522	3,077	3,023	8,622	
	Other	2,166	2,079	379	530	587	1,496	583	560	511	494	1,565	
	8,454	17,546	2,329	4,017	5,792	12,138	5,408	6,075	5,873	5,596	17,544		
	China	415	465	80	135	151	366	99	131	155	192	478	
	Hong Kong (S.A.R) ⁴	1,075	1,019	296	264	403	963	56	43	63	76	182	
	India	541	504	113	138	138	389	115	123	201	244	568	
Africa	Japan	787	1,166	172	326	407	905	261	212	271	298	781	
	Malaysia	158	167	49	30	28	107	60	20	43	35	98	
	Phillipines	18	34	7	11	10	28	6	5	6	14	25	
	Singapore	662	790	175	122	254	551	239	161	215	396	772	
	Thailand	354	383	96	36	161	293	90	119	54	131	304	
	United Arab Emirates	1,025	8,698	401	1,863	3,142	5,406	3,292	4,079	3,593	2,448	10,120	
	Other	3,419	4,320	940	1,092	1,098	3,130	1,190	1,182	1,272	1,762	4,216	
	15,040	15,650	3,213	4,117	3,952	11,282	4,368	3,740	4,369	4,955	4,955	13,064	
	Comoros Islands	141	161	33	37	47	117	44	51	53	40	144	
	Ghana	13	16	2	10	-	12	4	4	10	4	18	
America	Kenya	306	164	22	36	31	89	75	129	190	188	507	
	Madagascar	4,503	5,294	1,186	1,433	1,186	3,805	1,489	1,336	1,403	1,493	4,232	
	Mayotte	266	565	82	323	94	499	66	68	104	67	239	
	Mozambique	74	37	9	7	6	22	15	13	7	15	35	
	Reunion	1,922	2,033	389	572	496	1,457	576	324	398	427	1,149	
	Seychelles	939	866	185	223	208	616	250	214	237	220	671	
	South Africa	6,039	5,770	1,172	1,343	1,675	4,190	1,580	1,412	1,559	2,245	5,216	
	Zambia	29	112	11	7	24	42	70	11	23	73	107	
	Other	808	632	122	126	185	433	199	178	385	183	746	
	7,757	9,210	2,010	2,303	2,544	6,857	2,353	2,040	2,605	2,747	2,747	7,392	
Oceania	Canada	224	260	50	69	70	189	71	57	120	73	250	
	U.S.A.	7,242	8,515	1,850	2,154	2,373	6,377	2,138	1,877	2,372	2,600	6,849	
	Panama	95	103	27	19	39	85	18	50	39	21	110	
	Other	196	332	83	61	62	206	126	56	74	53	183	
	316	372	91	76	102	269	103	118	301	176	176	595	
	Australia	277	314	84	62	83	229	85	106	139	157	402	
	New Zealand	38	50	7	14	19	40	10	10	12	18	40	
	Other	1	8	-	-	-	-	8	2	150	1	153	

¹ Excluding Ship's stores & Bunkers

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Table 8 - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(f.o.b): Rs Million

Country of destination	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
All countries	58,136	57,948	13,633	15,523	14,820	43,976	13,972	12,956	15,260	15,727	43,943
Europe	37,366	35,077	8,793	9,566	8,637	26,996	8,081	7,531	8,831	8,362	24,724
Austria	324	365	85	106	93	284	81	43	38	35	116
Belgium	2,141	2,163	647	654	421	1,722	441	345	472	408	1,225
Czech Republic	243	171	71	50	34	155	16	39	38	22	99
France	7,316	7,688	1,967	2,202	1,747	5,916	1,772	1,446	1,803	1,759	5,008
Germany	841	579	144	161	133	438	141	150	115	119	384
Italy	6,563	4,994	1,636	1,502	1,211	4,349	645	1,051	1,080	978	3,109
Netherlands	1,772	1,997	352	455	624	1,431	566	476	653	577	1,706
Portugal	182	127	31	30	37	98	29	34	37	81	152
Spain	3,435	3,459	697	1,047	894	2,638	821	758	789	725	2,272
Asia	721	783	181	202	158	541	242	227	262	221	710
United Kingdom	11,801	10,771	2,617	2,650	2,729	7,996	2,775	2,497	3,050	2,989	8,536
Other	2,027	1,980	365	507	556	1,428	552	465	494	448	1,407
China	193	214	44	80	28	152	62	49	84	63	196
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	142	148	42	28	38	108	40	32	43	60	135
India	337	298	69	92	67	228	70	58	76	70	204
Japan	76	789	93	269	300	662	127	101	155	88	344
Malaysia	8	19	1	4	7	12	7	5	6	5	16
Phillipines	16	31	5	11	10	26	5	5	1	1	7
Singapore	90	103	27	21	30	78	25	16	16	48	80
Thailand	65	36	10	5	9	24	12	4	11	3	18
United Arab Emirates	172	122	22	40	31	93	29	20	31	137	188
Other	2,240	2,854	589	840	651	2,080	774	908	1,016	961	2,885
Africa	9,846	9,244	2,004	2,240	2,519	6,763	2,481	2,236	2,465	3,284	7,985
Comoros Islands	64	48	9	11	17	37	11	19	13	21	53
Ghana	6	4	1	1	-	2	2	1	3	2	6
Kenya	222	96	17	29	24	70	26	126	185	183	494
Madagascar	2,253	2,358	568	630	580	1,778	580	544	657	705	1,906
Mayotte	94	99	22	28	33	83	16	27	34	32	93
Mozambique	47	12	3	3	-	6	6	1	-	8	9
Reunion	694	738	131	188	200	519	219	117	144	218	479
Seychelles	454	396	100	96	94	290	106	97	99	95	291
South Africa	5,635	5,108	1,062	1,187	1,468	3,717	1,391	1,187	1,214	1,898	4,299
Zambia	7	70	2	3	19	24	46	4	7	63	74
Other	370	315	89	64	84	237	78	113	109	59	281
America	7,345	8,696	1,853	2,263	2,405	6,521	2,175	1,884	2,451	2,545	6,880
Canada	194	244	50	68	69	187	57	57	120	72	249
U.S.A.	6,898	8,051	1,701	2,123	2,239	6,063	1,988	1,724	2,225	2,403	6,352
Panama	94	103	27	19	39	85	18	50	39	21	110
Other	159	298	75	53	58	186	112	53	67	49	169
Oceania	240	317	81	64	88	233	84	107	74	100	281
Australia	237	295	77	60	77	214	81	102	70	91	263
New Zealand	2	22	4	4	11	19	3	5	4	9	18
Other	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 9 - Re-exports by country of destination, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(f.o.b): Rs Million

Country of destination	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
All countries	13,731	23,228	3,593	5,399	7,104	16,096	7,132	7,628	7,653	6,836	22,117
Europe	2,934	3,321	790	843	897	2,530	791	1,080	934	727	2,741
Austria	1	3	-	-	1	1	2	-	1	1	2
Belgium	52	85	30	21	23	74	11	27	3	4	34
Czech Republic	1	4	-	-	-	-	4	12	6	-	18
France	1,237	1,515	378	428	422	1,228	287	308	407	200	915
Germany	250	147	24	52	38	114	33	117	134	136	387
Italy	100	250	78	7	73	158	92	38	11	15	64
Netherlands	55	58	9	17	15	41	17	30	31	32	93
Portugal	242	165	19	61	69	149	16	43	79	1	123
Spain	655	801	191	190	171	552	249	375	200	244	819
Switzerland	68	62	14	8	24	46	16	10	18	14	42
United Kingdom	134	132	33	36	30	99	33	25	27	34	86
Other	139	99	14	23	31	68	31	95	17	46	158
Asia	5,115	12,932	1,427	2,627	4,621	8,675	4,257	4,877	4,434	4,160	13,471
China	222	251	36	55	123	214	37	82	71	129	282
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	933	871	254	236	365	855	16	11	20	16	47
India	204	206	44	46	71	161	45	65	125	174	364
Japan	711	377	79	57	107	243	134	111	116	210	437
Malaysia	150	148	48	26	21	95	53	15	37	30	82
Phillipines	2	3	2	-	-	2	1	-	5	13	18
Singapore	572	687	148	101	224	473	214	145	199	348	692
Thailand	289	347	86	31	152	269	78	115	43	128	286
United Arab Emirates	853	8,576	379	1,823	3,111	5,313	3,263	4,059	3,562	2,311	9,932
Other	1,179	1,466	351	252	447	1,050	416	274	256	801	1,331
Africa	5,194	6,406	1,209	1,877	1,433	4,519	1,887	1,504	1,904	1,671	5,079
Comoros Islands	77	113	24	26	30	80	33	32	40	19	91
Ghana	7	12	1	9	-	10	2	3	7	2	12
Kenya	84	68	5	7	7	19	49	3	5	5	13
Madagascar	2,250	2,936	618	803	606	2,027	909	792	746	788	2,326
Mayotte	172	466	60	295	61	416	50	41	70	35	146
Mozambique	27	25	6	4	6	16	9	12	7	7	26
Reunion	1,228	1,295	258	384	296	938	357	207	254	209	670
Seychelles	485	470	85	127	114	326	144	117	138	125	380
South Africa	404	662	110	156	207	473	189	225	345	347	917
Zambia	22	42	9	4	5	18	24	7	16	10	33
Other	438	317	33	62	101	196	121	65	276	124	465
America	412	514	157	40	139	336	178	156	154	202	512
Canada	30	16	-	1	1	2	14	-	-	1	1
U.S.A.	344	464	149	31	134	314	150	153	147	197	497
Panama	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	37	34	8	8	4	20	14	3	7	4	14
Oceania	76	55	10	12	14	36	19	11	227	76	314
Australia	40	19	7	2	6	15	4	4	69	66	139
New Zealand	36	28	3	10	8	21	7	5	8	9	22
Other	-	8	-	-	-	-	8	2	150	1	153

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Table 10 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(c.i.f): Rs Million

	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
All sections	165,594	172,038	35,638	41,906	45,592	123,136	48,902	38,899	42,853	42,020	123,772
0 - Food and live animals	31,573	31,361	6,851	7,168	8,573	22,592	8,769	7,029	7,628	8,676	23,333
Meat and meat preparations	2,136	2,276	466	537	571	1,574	702	502	631	710	1,843
Dairy products and bird's eggs	3,362	3,902	873	1,007	952	2,832	1,070	779	817	831	2,427
Fish and fish preparations	11,880	10,353	1,890	2,328	3,375	7,593	2,760	2,009	2,203	2,941	7,153
Wheat	1,979	1,483	405	193	676	1,274	209	456	220	607	1,283
Rice	1,780	1,888	386	424	457	1,267	621	394	480	417	1,291
Wheaten flour	57	37	14	1	11	26	11	1	2	4	7
Cereal preparations	1,265	1,362	245	362	341	948	414	288	374	413	1,075
Vegetables and fruits	2,821	3,032	714	858	730	2,302	730	855	1,020	860	2,735
Other	6,293	7,028	1,858	1,458	1,460	4,776	2,252	1,745	1,881	1,893	5,519
1 - Beverages and tobacco	3,312	3,351	750	800	852	2,402	949	756	693	1,010	2,459
Beverages	1,246	1,271	237	293	275	805	466	266	311	358	935
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	2,066	2,080	513	507	577	1,597	483	490	382	652	1,524
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	4,158	4,129	1,058	1,004	933	2,995	1,134	854	1,146	999	2,999
Cork and wood	660	707	125	177	180	482	225	121	161	171	453
Textile fibres	2,330	2,202	654	504	456	1,614	588	538	471	602	1,611
Other	1,168	1,220	279	323	297	899	321	195	514	226	935

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Table 10 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(c.i.f): Rs Million

SITC section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 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	35,897	32,942	8,244	8,361	8,719	25,324	7,618	6,329	6,988	5,859	19,176
Refined petroleum products	31,263	27,305	7,022	6,844	7,439	21,305	6,000	4,932	5,731	4,435	15,098
Gas, natural and manufactured	2,089	3,231	474	877	842	2,193	1,038	768	617	1,037	2,422
Other	2,545	2,406	748	640	438	1,826	580	629	640	387	1,656
4 - Animal & vegetable oils and fats	1,534	1,690	358	445	419	1,222	467	335	245	470	1,050
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	1,331	1,501	318	400	374	1,092	409	304	206	431	941
Other	203	189	40	45	46	131	58	31	39	39	109
5 - Chemicals & related products	12,892	13,470	2,730	3,423	3,506	9,659	3,811	3,005	3,556	3,845	10,406
Dyeing & tanning materials	946	980	187	277	268	732	248	227	292	259	778
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	3,178	3,572	799	877	986	2,662	910	971	1,100	1,091	3,162
Fertilisers	596	683	30	203	151	384	299	50	41	248	339
Plastics in primary forms	1,799	1,849	391	436	486	1,313	536	374	456	480	1,310
Plastics in non-primary forms	984	1,020	227	243	281	751	269	192	313	280	785
Other	5,389	5,366	1,096	1,387	1,334	3,817	1,549	1,191	1,354	1,487	4,032
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	28,616	27,597	5,900	6,930	7,240	20,070	7,527	6,850	7,945	7,737	22,532
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	1,900	1,925	365	513	521	1,399	526	461	521	510	1,492
Textile yarn	2,400	2,374	504	672	640	1,816	558	485	718	526	1,729
Cotton fabrics	2,825	2,790	619	759	615	1,993	797	636	928	761	2,325
Other textile fabrics	3,073	3,048	605	803	709	2,117	931	637	812	756	2,205
Cement	1,757	1,457	284	392	401	1,077	380	401	393	459	1,253
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	3,054	3,719	977	706	1,082	2,765	954	1,082	1,084	973	3,139
Iron and steel	3,287	2,778	612	693	739	2,044	734	998	1,134	878	3,010
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	4,303	3,583	742	861	946	2,549	1,034	832	871	1,240	2,943
Other	6,017	5,923	1,192	1,531	1,587	4,310	1,613	1,318	1,484	1,634	4,436

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² Provisional

Table 10 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(c.i.f): Rs Million

SITC section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	32,553	42,012	6,955	9,809	11,641	28,405	13,607	10,710	10,899	9,524	31,133
Power generating machinery & equipment	1,096	1,473	191	337	623	1,151	322	194	273	259	726
Machinery specialised for particular industries	2,830	2,825	689	706	684	2,079	746	532	725	626	1,883
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	4,416	4,474	867	998	1,183	3,048	1,426	971	948	1,093	3,012
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	3,209	3,132	726	693	729	2,148	984	698	861	761	2,320
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	5,879	13,361	1,266	3,345	4,573	9,184	4,177	4,889	4,310	2,994	12,193
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	4,724	5,210	1,264	1,267	1,294	3,825	1,385	1,052	1,326	1,329	3,707
Road vehicles	7,866	8,804	1,830	2,230	2,368	6,428	2,376	2,146	2,316	2,329	6,791
Aircraft , marine vessels and parts	2,339	2,586	100	182	153	435	2,151	194	105	94	393
Other	194	147	22	51	34	107	40	34	35	39	108
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	14,452	14,763	2,637	3,741	3,520	9,898	4,865	2,836	3,518	3,720	10,074
Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s	732	747	106	179	214	499	248	145	167	224	536
Articles of apparel and clothing	2,635	2,887	480	807	606	1,893	994	587	684	649	1,920
Footwear	1,044	1,211	163	319	272	754	457	214	368	340	922
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s	1,121	1,442	271	300	395	966	476	283	328	357	968
Watches and clocks & optical goods	1,052	964	190	264	215	669	295	189	238	255	682
Printed matter	753	768	161	188	202	551	217	162	178	198	538
Articles n.e.s., of plastic	1,453	1,551	281	418	366	1,065	486	292	455	459	1,206
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares, n.e.s	1,313	918	237	194	209	640	278	166	163	189	518
Other	4,349	4,275	748	1,072	1,041	2,861	1,414	798	937	1,049	2,784
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	607	723	155	225	189	569	154	195	234	180	609

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Table 11 - Imports of selected commodities, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Commodity	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - sept
Rice :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	60	57	12	13	13	38	19	13	15	14	42
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,780	1,888	386	424	457	1,267	621	394	480	417	1,291
Wheat :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	163	143	39	19	64	122	21	45	21	55	121
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,979	1,483	405	193	676	1,274	209	456	220	607	1,283
Fish and fish preparations :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	169	179	34	39	54	127	52	42	40	50	132
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	11,880	10,353	1,890	2,328	3,375	7,593	2,760	2,009	2,203	2,941	7,153
Dairy products :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	22	26	6	7	6	19	7	5	5	6	16
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	3,362	3,902	873	1,007	952	2,832	1,070	779	817	831	2,427
Meat and meat preparations :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	17	16	4	4	4	12	4	3	4	5	12
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2,136	2,276	466	537	571	1,574	702	502	631	710	1,843
Fixed vegetable edible oils and fats :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	35	45	9	12	11	32	13	9	5	13	27
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,331	1,501	318	400	374	1,092	409	304	206	431	941
Refined petroleum products :											
Quantity: --	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	31,263	27,305	7,022	6,844	7,439	21,305	6,000	4,932	5,731	4,435	15,098
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	4	6	1	2	1	4	2	1	2	2	5
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	3,178	3,572	799	877	986	2,662	910	971	1,100	1,091	3,162
Cotton fabrics :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	8	7	2	2	1	5	2	2	2	2	6
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2,825	2,790	619	759	615	1,993	797	636	928	761	2,325
Cement :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	711	615	121	164	171	456	159	167	161	177	505
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,757	1,457	284	392	401	1,077	380	401	393	459	1,253
Iron and steel :											
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	114	103	23	25	28	76	27	33	33	29	95
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	3,287	2,778	612	693	739	2,044	734	998	1,134	878	3,010
Motor cars and other motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons:											
Quantity: (Thousand Number)	15	16	3	4	4	11	5	4	4	4	12
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	5,095	5,599	1,107	1,443	1,557	4,107	1,492	1,525	1,564	1,580	4,669

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² Provisional

Table 12 - Freeport imports of main commodities by section, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(c.i.f): Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
Total freeport imports	10,287	18,114	2,190	4,363	5,798	12,351	5,763	6,506	5,987	5,353	17,846
0 - Food and live animals	2,879	2,777	487	625	890	2,002	775	848	698	1,415	2,961
of which :											
<i>Fish and fish preparations</i>											
Quantity: (Tonne)	54,461	51,752	8,680	8,836	20,033	37,549	14,203	14,709	10,959	22,377	48,045
Value (c.i.f): Million Rupees	2,658	2,406	419	491	833	1,743	663	620	534	1,211	2,365
1 - Beverages and tobacco	482	420	85	131	104	320	100	78	122	93	293
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	457	526	131	148	111	390	136	81	333	71	485
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	16	931	1	2	344	347	584	445	264	665	1,374
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	36	106	35	8	9	52	54	21	-	-	21
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	1,426	1,641	331	431	379	1,141	500	434	470	341	1,245
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	913	443	108	148	89	345	98	121	113	93	327
of which :											
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	108	124	32	41	18	91	33	47	31	22	100
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,315	10,427	850	2,650	3,730	7,230	3,197	4,201	3,777	2,480	10,458
of which :											
<i>Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s.; & parts, n.e.s., & accessories etc.</i>	549	8,848	518	2,169	3,368	6,055	2,793	3,969	3,334	2,132	9,435
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	763	843	162	220	141	523	320	277	210	195	682
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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² Provisional

Table 13 - Imports by country of origin, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(c.i.f): Rs Million

Country of origin	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
All countries	165,594	172,038	35,638	41,906	45,592	123,136	48,902	38,899	42,853	42,020	123,772
Europe	40,354	40,300	8,707	10,047	11,045	29,799	10,500	8,452	9,488	10,112	28,052
Austria	311	339	88	64	58	210	129	79	105	52	236
Belgium	1,111	1,187	285	288	283	856	332	266	302	321	889
Denmark	303	431	53	77	136	266	165	62	99	96	257
Finland	76	77	10	12	19	41	36	12	36	31	79
France	13,368	13,087	2,891	3,481	3,397	9,769	3,318	2,537	2,973	3,186	8,696
Germany	4,112	4,326	862	1,188	1,159	3,209	1,117	941	990	1,007	2,938
Hungary	127	197	21	57	59	137	60	80	64	45	189
Ireland	401	467	96	130	124	350	117	147	82	103	332
Israel	204	203	29	93	37	159	44	34	46	42	122
Italy	3,597	3,521	778	902	892	2,572	949	747	933	836	2,516
Netherlands	1,227	855	219	217	219	655	200	294	172	178	644
Poland	414	498	91	141	155	387	111	92	114	121	327
Portugal	466	423	44	143	135	322	101	63	155	126	344
Russian Federation	260	607	99	118	218	435	172	175	227	180	582
Spain	6,564	5,972	1,403	1,203	1,877	4,483	1,489	1,194	1,068	1,668	3,930
Sweden	238	274	65	71	58	194	80	65	45	64	174
Switzerland	1,388	1,408	399	346	314	1,059	349	270	301	328	899
Turkey	1,457	1,458	318	330	400	1,048	410	331	365	388	1,084
United Kingdom	3,561	3,048	650	805	772	2,227	821	741	916	976	2,633
Other	1,169	1,922	306	381	733	1,420	500	322	495	364	1,181
Asia	93,811	97,974	19,507	24,344	25,661	69,512	28,463	22,327	25,119	22,401	69,847
China	24,312	27,789	4,746	6,965	7,250	18,961	8,828	7,272	7,619	7,253	22,144
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	695	737	167	172	232	571	166	133	189	159	481
India	39,896	37,225	9,024	9,251	8,722	26,997	10,228	6,948	8,550	6,658	22,156
Indonesia	2,793	2,493	466	639	663	1,768	725	530	639	674	1,843
Iran	14	10	1	2	4	7	3	5	6	3	14
Japan	3,913	3,925	879	910	1,091	2,880	1,045	786	1,080	1,110	2,976
Korea, Republic of	3,162	2,236	434	636	712	1,782	454	480	565	500	1,545
Malaysia	3,903	3,156	652	748	784	2,184	972	639	777	842	2,258
Myanmar	28	32	8	5	11	24	8	4	30	8	42
Pakistan	880	963	229	256	250	735	228	174	257	164	595
Philippines	173	275	29	105	108	242	33	23	29	29	81
Saudi Arabia	189	232	25	97	20	142	90	29	29	110	168

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Special Administrative Region of China

Table 13 (cont'd) - Imports by country of origin, 2013 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value(c.i.f): Rs Million

Country of origin	2013	2014 ¹	2014 ¹					2015 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan - Sept
Asia (cont'd)											
Singapore	1,063	1,919	284	605	477	1,366	553	361	218	228	807
Thailand	3,445	3,706	724	874	1,065	2,663	1,043	952	785	811	2,548
United Arab Emirates	2,978	3,220	607	795	931	2,333	887	538	427	894	1,859
Vietnam	2,644	6,129	505	1,446	2,060	4,011	2,118	2,289	2,881	1,600	6,770
Other	3,723	3,927	727	838	1,281	2,846	1,082	1,164	1,038	1,358	3,560
Africa	17,739	18,411	3,856	4,319	5,174	13,349	5,062	4,640	4,729	5,152	14,521
Cameroon	39	15	6	4	2	12	2	13	2	16	31
Congo	32	31	6	10	7	23	8	10	8	10	28
Egypt	1,085	1,016	202	241	266	709	307	223	172	229	624
Kenya	1,375	1,268	368	307	321	996	272	398	145	367	910
Madagascar	751	1,159	205	338	316	859	300	273	414	529	1,216
Mali	5	59	43	9	3	55	4	4	-	-	4
Morocco	230	260	53	67	63	183	77	71	94	68	233
Mozambique	567	370	148	46	48	242	128	217	57	15	289
Reunion	176	101	35	20	21	76	25	29	32	21	82
Seychelles	1,498	1,120	49	209	461	719	401	378	471	459	1,308
South Africa	10,230	11,345	2,322	2,687	3,253	8,262	3,083	2,477	2,767	2,919	8,163
Swaziland	276	300	45	94	75	214	86	70	110	79	259
Tanzania	397	370	109	78	44	231	139	141	92	154	387
Zambia	140	101	101	-	-	101	-	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	238	9	3	3	1	7	2	13	1	1	15
Other	700	887	161	206	293	660	228	323	364	285	972
America	7,110	8,531	2,119	1,576	1,902	5,597	2,934	1,867	2,099	2,526	6,492
Argentina	2,173	2,183	406	527	466	1,399	784	380	320	497	1,197
Brazil	835	1,084	376	123	132	631	453	107	453	236	796
Canada	999	1,392	498	281	319	1,098	294	358	374	328	1,060
Chile	58	27	5	10	7	22	5	7	8	4	19
Mexico	111	102	21	26	23	70	32	25	23	34	82
U. S. A.	2,438	2,658	467	553	903	1,923	735	506	631	711	1,848
Other	496	1,085	346	56	52	454	631	484	290	716	1,490
Oceania	6,580	6,822	1,450	1,620	1,809	4,879	1,943	1,613	1,418	1,829	4,860
Australia	4,386	4,367	980	777	1,282	3,039	1,328	1,067	732	1,259	3,058
New Zealand	2,186	2,448	468	840	525	1,833	615	545	686	570	1,801
Other	8	7	2	3	2	7	-	1	-	-	1

¹ Revised ² Provisional

Table 14 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2014 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value : Rs Thousands

ACP States	2014 ¹		2015 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	17,045,151	13,558,125	4,335,642	3,394,368	4,397,016	4,014,450	4,830,923	4,511,092	13,563,581	11,919,910
Antigua and Barbuda	14,291	-	708	-	-	-	-	-	708	-
Bahamas	19,431	48	6	-	7	-	17	-	30	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	334	-	334
Belize	6,429	5,222	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-
Benin	2,240	12,340	5,924	-	18,947	-	26,278	-	51,149	-
Botswana	10,339	21,189	23,092	246	17,915	519	92	270	41,099	1,035
Burkina Faso	12,401	189	6,164	22	28,056	86	5,805	-	40,025	108
Burundi	14	23,572	-	3,348	4	3,288	11	3,362	15	9,998
Cameroon	15,072	1,399	13,234	374	2,188	924	15,986	747	31,408	2,045
Chad	2	922	-	999	-	1,038	-	1,118	-	3,155
Comoros Islands	12,448	160,778	65,654	51,008	576	53,079	-	39,906	66,230	143,993
Congo	31,335	21,966	10,094	3,364	8,146	10,371	9,750	19,356	27,990	33,091
Cook Islands	33,123	-	10,036	-	-	-	24,958	1,119	34,994	1,119
Ivory Coast	73,212	23,375	69,958	2,270	54,920	9,810	17,863	7,136	142,741	19,216
Cuba	7,488	-	2,020	-	778	-	1,710	-	4,508	-
Ethiopia	3,241	14,331	412	11,048	302	1,733	150	307	864	13,088
Fiji	65	-	44	-	5	-	2	-	51	-
Gabon	616	1,785	-	2,015	967	32,414	774	1,717	1,741	36,146
Gambia	240	780	-	-	40	99	2	-	42	99
Ghana	10,286	16,081	16	4,160	7,525	10,130	80	3,977	7,621	18,267
Guinea	1,281	984	34	-	92	-	1,439	-	1,565	-
Kenya	1,267,965	163,646	397,508	129,409	144,634	189,630	366,549	187,841	908,691	506,880
Lesotho	55,754	5,845	3,873	-	18,127	37	9,089	550	31,089	587
Liberia	32,921	942	450	-	61	-	1,016	-	1,527	-
Madagascar	1,158,549	5,293,989	272,881	1,336,478	414,498	1,402,717	529,437	1,493,028	1,216,816	4,232,223

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² Provisional

³ Excluding Ship's stores and bunkers

Table 14 (cont'd) - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2014 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value : Rs Thousands

ACP States	2014 ¹		2015 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)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ³ : value(f.o.b)
Malawi	90,864	6,891	-	556	285	387	74,135	1,614	74,420	2,557		
Mali	59,494	24	4,033	-	-	45	9	2	4,042	47		
Micronesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Mozambique	369,813	37,320	217,041	13,157	57,092	6,710	14,904	15,168	289,037	35,035		
Namibia	24,916	8,024	10,921	1,519	8,014	2,084	4,107	2,352	23,042	5,955		
Nigeria	2,243	44,715	103	2,397	2,672	3,312	217	12,187	2,992	17,896		
Niue	-	7	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-		1
Rwanda	9	105,682	1,171	40,937	196	43,847	97	8,153	1,464	92,937		
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Senegal	20,822	2,015	1,228	3,346	4,800	-	-	-	8,532	3,346		
Seychelles	1,119,685	865,991	377,513	214,083	470,606	237,356	458,559	220,117	1,306,678	671,556		
Sierra Leone	399,984	43	113,023	-	141,201	-	-	-	350,759	-		
Solomon Islands	6,598	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
South Africa	11,345,037	5,770,071	2,477,454	1,412,108	2,766,771	1,558,586	2,918,837	2,244,628	8,163,062	5,215,322		
Sudan	9	2,638	-	1,198	-	-	-	831	-	2,029		
Swaziland	299,525	405	70,435	182	109,654	-	-	-	258,755	182		
Tanzania	369,787	60,066	140,608	2,856	92,228	107,363	153,959	40,282	386,795	150,501		
Togo	4	61	-	-	74	-	-	-	274	-		
Trinidad & Tobago	44	802	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Uganda	15,250	29,137	-	12,137	16,097	9,503	0	7,506	16,097	29,146		
Vanuatu	1,693	6,973	-	802	-	148,984	0	245	-	150,031		
Zambia	100,565	112,389	319	10,753	-	22,721	55	72,580	374	106,054		
Zimbabwe	8,802	129,538	12,922	42,254	1,138	44,578	1,274	35,108	15,334	121,940		
Other	41,264	605,915	26,763	91,341	8,368	113,099	15,822	89,551	50,953	293,991		

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Excluding Ship's stores and bunkers

Table 15 - Trade with COMESA States, 2014 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value : Rs Thousands

COMESA States	2014 ¹		2015 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	5,093,603	6,959,806	1,421,506	1,862,312	1,329,972	2,096,152	1,737,969	2,081,614	4,489,447	6,040,078
Burundi	14	23,572	-	3,348	4	3,288	11	3,362	15	9,998
Comoros Islands	12,448	160,778	65,654	51,008	576	53,079	-	39,906	66,230	143,993
Djibouti	151	26,359	-	1,335	-	937	181	71	-	2,343
D. R. Congo	-	1,731	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	1,016,495	22,498	222,691	7,586	171,982	86,376	228,855	11,190	623,528	105,152
Eritrea	31	231	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	3,241	14,331	412	11,048	302	1,733	150	307	864	13,088
Kenya	1,267,965	163,646	397,508	129,409	144,634	189,630	366,549	187,841	908,691	506,880
Libyan Arab	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	1,158,549	5,293,989	272,881	1,336,478	414,498	1,402,717	529,437	1,493,028	1,216,816	4,232,223
Malawi	90,864	6,891	-	556	285	387	74,135	1,614	74,420	2,557
Rwanda	9	105,682	1,171	40,937	196	43,847	97	8,153	1,464	92,937
Seychelles	1,119,685	865,991	377,513	214,083	470,606	237,356	458,559	220,117	1,306,678	671,556
Sudan	9	2,638	-	1,198	-	-	-	831	-	2,029
Swaziland	299,525	405	70,435	182	109,654	-	78,666	-	258,755	182
Uganda	15,250	29,137	-	12,137	16,097	9,503	-	7,506	16,097	29,146
Zambia	100,565	112,389	319	10,753	-	22,721	55	72,580	374	106,054
Zimbabwe	8,802		12,922	42,254	1,138	44,578	1,274	35,108	15,334	121,940

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Excluding Ship's stores and bunkers

Table 16 - Trade with SADC States, 2014 - Jan-Sept 2015

Value : Rs Thousands

SADC States	2014 ¹		2015 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	14,953,636	12,320,854	3,608,116	3,038,617	3,956,600	3,385,863	4,243,754	4,146,777	11,808,470	10,571,257
Angola	-	7,405	1,057	4,425	272	2,805	640	21,080	1,969	28,310
Botswana	10,339	21,189	23,092	246	17,915	519	92	270	41,099	1,035
D.R Congo	-	1,731	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lesotho	55,754	5,845	3,873	-	18,127	37	9,089	550	31,089	587
Madagascar	1,158,549	5,293,989	272,881	1,336,478	414,498	1,402,717	529,437	1,493,028	1,216,816	4,232,223
Malawi	90,864	6,891	-	556	285	387	74,135	1,614	74,420	2,557
Mozambique	369,813	37,320	217,041	13,157	57,092	6,710	14,904	15,168	289,037	35,035
Namibia	24,916	8,024	10,921	1,519	8,014	2,084	4,107	2,352	23,042	5,955
Seychelles	1,119,685	865,991	377,513	214,083	470,606	237,356	458,559	220,117	1,306,678	671,556
South Africa	11,345,037	5,770,071	2,477,454	1,412,108	2,766,771	1,558,586	2,918,837	2,244,628	8,163,062	5,215,322
Swaziland	299,525	405	70,435	182	109,654	-	78,666	-	258,755	182
Tanzania	369,787	60,066	140,608	2,856	92,228	107,363	153,959	40,282	386,795	150,501
Zambia	100,565	112,389	319	10,753	-	22,721	55	72,580	374	106,054
Zimbabwe	8,802	129,538	12,922	42,254	1,138	44,578	1,274	35,108	15,334	121,940

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