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Foreword

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

This issue contains quarterly and yearly data on exports and imports relating to the year 1997 and 1998. Data relating to the year 1997 have been revised.

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It is hoped that data given in this report proves useful to the public in general and to users of external trade statistics in particular.

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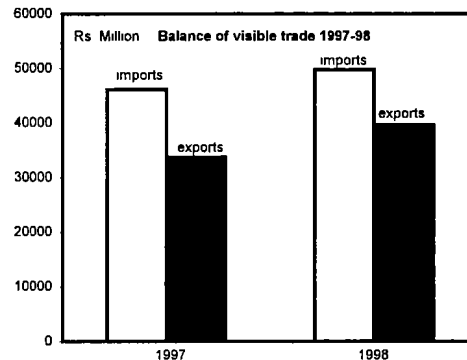
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Introduction

Data on international trade are compiled as per the recommendations of the United Nations General Trade System. As this system accounts for all goods entering and leaving the national frontier, trading activities of the freeport zone should also be covered. However, for the sake of comparability and continuity, data from the two sources, namely the Customs Department and the Mauritius Freeport Authority are shown separately. Data pertaining to imports and re-exports of the Freeport are given in Table 2. With the exception of this table, all the other tables refer to usual customs data.

1. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total exports for the year 1998 reached Rs.40,051 million, that is 19% higher than 1997 figures, while imports amounted to Rs.49,742 million, 8% more than in 1997. Thus the balance of visible trade showed a deficit of Rs.9,691 million in 1998, compared to Rs.12,399 million in 1997 (Table 1). It is to be noted, however, that imports of machinery and transport equipment in 1997 amounted to Rs.11,702 million, mostly due to imports of aircraft and marine vessels to the tune of Rs.3,662 million.



2. Terms of Trade (base year 1997=100)

The terms of trade for the year 1998 improved by 8 percentage points to 108 from a figure of 100 for the previous year. Between 1997 and 1998, export prices increased by 14% on the average while import prices went up by 6%. Prices of EPZ products were up by 17% and those of sugar increased by 9% (Tables 4 and 5).

3. Exports

Total export proceeds for the year 1998, including domestic exports, re-exports and ship's stores and bunkers, amounted to Rs.40,051 million, showing an increase of Rs.6,357 million or 19% over the year 1997.

Domestic exports which represents 94% of total exports increased from Rs.31,888 million to Rs.37,762 million (i.e 18%) over these two years. After allowing for a price increase of around 14%, domestic exports showed a growth of 4% in volume.

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

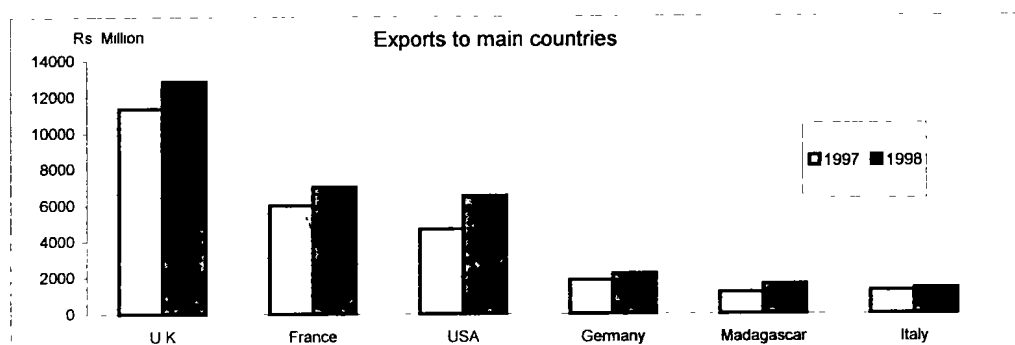
(f.o.b value: Million Rupees)

Exports	1997	1998	Change (%)		
			Value	Price	Volume
Total	33,694	40,051	+19	+14	+ 4
<i>of which</i>					
Sugar	7,495	8,907	+19	+ 9	+ 9
EPZ products	23,049	26,075	+13	+17	- 3

Proceeds from EPZ, which accounted for 69% of total domestic exports during the year 1998, increased by 13% over 1997. Exports of sugar, with a share of 24%, increased by 19% in value.

Re-exports in 1998 totalled Rs.1,567 million against Rs.1,130 million in 1997.

In 1998, nearly 72% of our proceeds from exports originated from countries of the European Union. The value of exports to these countries increased from Rs.24,478 million in 1997 to Rs.28,333 million in 1998, that is 16%. On a countrywise basis, our main buyers were the United Kingdom, France and the U.S.A with shares of 34%, 18% and 17% respectively. Exports to these countries increased by 16%, 17% and 39% respectively. (Table 12)



4. Imports

The import bill for the year 1998 was valued at Rs.49,742 million, representing an increase of 8% over the previous year's figure of Rs.46,093 million. If imports of aircraft and marine vessels are excluded from 1997 figures, the increase would be around 17%.

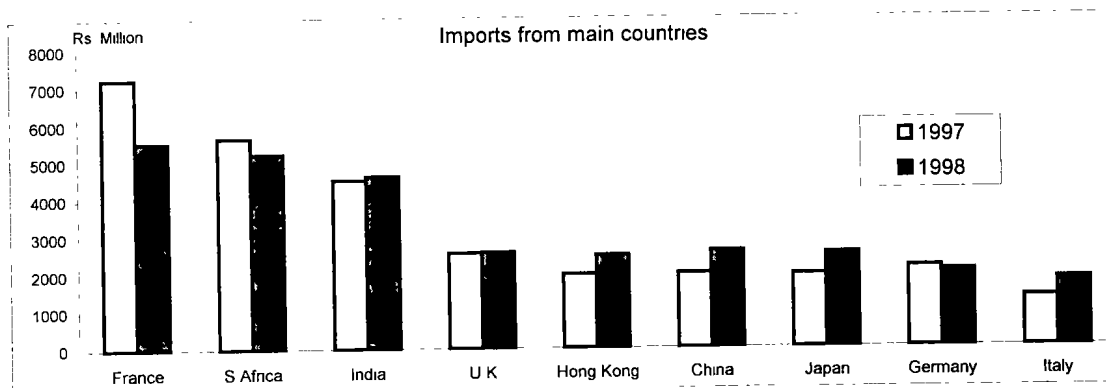


Table 20 shows that during the year 1998, 30% of our imports originated from the European Union countries. On a countrywise basis, France, with a share of 11% of total imports, remained our main supplier, followed by the Republic of South Africa with a share of 10%. Other major suppliers were India, United Kingdom, China, Hong Kong, Japan, Germany, and Italy with respective shares of 9%, 5%, 5%, 5%, 5%, 4% and 4%.

5. The EPZ Sector

During the year 1998, exports from EPZ enterprises reached Rs.26,075 million against Rs.23,049 million in 1997. This nominal increase of 13% reflects a 12% increase in price and a 1% increase in volume. About 68% of the exports were directed to countries of the European Union.

On the other hand, imports rose from Rs.13,880 million to Rs.16,179 million (17%) during the same period. Purchase of raw materials went up by Rs.2,251 million (18%) and machinery by Rs.48 million (3%).

Net EPZ exports, which is the difference between exports and imports, works out to Rs.9,896 million in 1998, that is 8% higher than that of 1997. The ratio of net exports to total exports stood at 38%, compared to a figure of 40% registered last year.

6. Freeport Statistics

A summary table on data pertaining to activities in the Freeport compiled by the Mauritius Freeport Authority is given at Table 2.

During the year 1998, total imports of the Freeport amounted to Rs.3,509 million compared to Rs.2,421 million in 1997, i.e an increase of 45%. During that same period re-exports increased from Rs.2,101 million to Rs.3,952 (88%).

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Notes

(1) Coverage

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

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

(2) Valuation

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

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

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

(3) Classification

(i) Commodity Code

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

4. **Terms of trade**

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

5. **Symbols used**

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

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Table 1 - Summary of External Trade, 1997 - 1998

Value : Million Rupees

	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
			33,018	39,329	6,600	6,949	9,700	9,769	7,534	8,601
<i>Domestic exports</i>	31,888	37,762	6,328	6,698	9,367	9,495	7,176	8,202	11,466	10,918
<i>Re-exports³</i>	1,130	1,567	272	251	333	274	358	399	391	419
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	676	722	170	161	164	181	158	181	188	195
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	33,694	40,051	6,770	7,110	9,864	9,950	7,692	8,782	12,045	11,532
B. Total Imports² (c.i.f.)	46,093	49,742	8,877	11,080	11,655	14,481	10,883	12,303	12,731	13,825
Total Value of Trade (A+B)	79,787	89,793	15,647	18,190	21,519	24,431	18,575	21,085	24,776	25,357
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-12,399	-9,691	-2,107	-3,970	-1,791	-4,531	-3,191	-3,521	-686	-2,293

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Includes irregular transactions involving ships and aircraft

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Table 2 - Total trade carried out in Freeport Zone, 1997 - 1998

	1997			1998		
	Sea & Air	Sourced locally	Total	Sea & Air	Sourced locally	Total
IMPORTS						
Value (Rs)	2,060,282,969	360,571,550	2,420,854,519	3,254,587,000	254,160,463	3,508,747,463
Volume (Kg)	217,999,205	9,613,624	227,612,829	46,866,000	3,561,763	50,427,763
RE-EXPORTS						
Value (Rs)	2,044,194,734	57,139,832	2,101,334,566	3,658,653,000	292,590,440	3,951,243,440
Volume (Kg)	100,635,863	863,943	101,499,806	50,546,000	3,963,798	54,509,798

Source: Mauritius Freeport Authority

Table 3 - Balance of visible trade, 1994 - 1998

Period	Exports (f.o.b.) value	Ships' stores & bunkers	Total Exports ¹ (f.o.b.) value	Imports ¹ (c.i.f.) value	Balance of visible trade*
1994	24,097	600	24,697	34,548	- 9,851
1995	26,756	570	27,326	34,363	- 7,037
1996	10,686	220	10,906	15,048	- 4,142
1997 ²	33,018	676	33,694	46,093	- 3,886
1998 ³	39,329	722	40,051	49,742	-9,691
1997 ²					
January	2,076	58	2,134	3,262	- 1,128
February	2,396	55	2,451	2,652	- 201
March	2,128	57	2,185	2,963	- 778
1st Quarter	6,600	170	6,770	8,877	-2,107
April	2,192	54	2,246	4,012	- 1,766
May	2,519	55	2,574	3,791	- 1,217
June	2,238	52	2,290	3,277	- 987
2nd Quarter	6,949	161	7,110	11,080	-3,970
July	3,217	54	3,271	3,749	- 478
August	3,671	57	3,728	3,536	+ 192
September	2,812	53	2,865	4,370	- 1,505
3rd Quarter	9,700	164	9,864	11,655	-1,791
October	3,177	58	3,235	6,393	- 3,158
November	3,084	65	3,149	3,650	- 501
December	3,508	58	3,566	4,438	- 872
4th Quarter	9,769	181	9,950	14,481	-4,531
1998 ³					
January	2,259	60	2,319	3,391	- 1,072
February	2,628	55	2,683	3,632	- 949
March	2,647	43	2,690	3,860	- 1,170
1st Quarter	7,534	158	7,692	10,883	-3,191
April	2,627	62	2,689	4,244	- 1,555
May	3,046	61	3,107	3,689	- 582
June	2,928	58	2,986	4,370	- 1,384
2nd Quarter	8,601	181	8,782	12,303	-3,521
July	3,991	65	4,056	4,094	- 38
August	4,275	60	4,335	4,365	- 30
September	3,591	63	3,654	4,272	- 618
3rd Quarter	11,857	188	12,045	12,731	-686
October	3,676	63	3,739	4,466	- 727
November	3,751	67	3,818	4,670	- 852
December	3,910	65	3,975	4,689	- 714
4th Quarter	11,337	195	11,532	13,825	-2,293

¹ Includes irregular transactions involving ships and aircraft

² Revised

³ Provisional

* + Surplus / - Deficit

**Table 4 - Price indices (unit value) of exports and imports and terms of trade,
1995 - 1998**

Period	Price indices		Terms of trade*
	Export	Import	
Base year : 1992 = 100			
1995	121	126	96
1996	134	135	99
1997 ¹	140	138	101
Base year : 1997 = 100			
1997 ¹	100	100	100
1998 ²	114	106	108
1998 ² 1st Qr	108	103	105
2nd Qr	115	108	106
3rd Qr	116	106	109
4th Qr	117	109	107

¹ Revised

² Provisional

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

Table 5 - Annual % change in the price (unit value) and volume of domestic exports, 1997 and 1998

Description	Weight	Base year 1997 = 100			
		1997 ¹		1998 ²	
		% change		% change	
		Price	Volume ³	Price	Volume ³
Domestic Exports	10000	+ 1	+ 3	+ 14	+ 4
of which					
Sugar	2705	+ 4	+ 14	+ 9	+ 9
EPZ products	6771	+ 6	+ 3	+ 17	- 3

Table 6 - Annual % change in the price (unit value) and volume of imports, 1997 and 1998

Description	Weight	Base Year 1997 = 100			
		1997 ¹		1998 ²	
		% change		% change	
		Price	Volume ³	Price	Volume ³
Total imports (excluding aircraft)	10000	+ 1	+ 4	+ 6	+ 9
Food and live animals	1431	- 7	+ 13	+ 7	+ 5
Beverages and tobacco	62	+ 6	+ 16	+ 6	+ 12
Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	368	+ 3	- 5	+ 4	+ 18
Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	815	+ 5	+ 3	- 18	+ 10
Animals and vegetables oils & fats	114	+ 3	+ 1	+ 21	+ 1
Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	784	+ 3	+ 2	+ 10	+ 6
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	3510	- 1	+ 10	+ 8	+ 7
Machinery and transport equipment (excluding aircraft)	2022	+ 11	- 14	+ 11	+ 17
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	894	+ 1	+ 15	+ 6	+ 5

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Volume change has been derived from the ratio of value to price change

Table 7 - Domestic exports by main products/sector, 1997 - 1998

Description	1997 ¹		1998 ²		1997 ¹				1998 ²			
	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr		
Total domestic exports: value (f.o.b.) - Million Rupees	31,888	37,762	6,328	6,698	9,367	9,495	7,176	8,202	11,466	10,918		
EPZ exports: value (f.o.b.) - Million Rupees	23,049	26,075	4,675	5,971	6,016	6,387	5,042	6,676	6,704	7,653		
Non-EPZ exports: value (f.o.b.) - Million Rupees	8,839	11,687	1,653	727	3,351	3,108	2,134	1,526	4,762	3,265		
<i>Live animals</i>												
Quantity : (Thousand unit)	80	52	23	12	40	5	9	12	16	15		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	74	87	25	22	12	15	12	15	37	23		
<i>Wheaten flour</i>												
Quantity : (tonne)	29,612	21,907	5,402	7,199	11,215	5,796	5,435	6,050	5,066	5,356		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	155	104	30	40	59	26	25	27	22	30		
<i>Cane Sugar</i>												
Quantity : (Thousand tonne)	575	602	101	30	242	202	116	46	271	169		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	7,495	8,907	1,354	428	3,020	2,693	1,680	698	3,936	2,593		
<i>Cane Molasses</i>												
Quantity : (Thousand tonne)	112	133	28	-	40	44	27	-	60	46		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	102	70	23	-	40	39	26	-	31	13		
<i>Tea, whether or not flavoured</i>												
Quantity : (tonne)	518	211	374	116	16	12	60	105	37	9		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	13	10	7	3	1	2	3	4	2	1		
<i>Cut flowers and foliage</i>												
Quantity : (tonne)	576	456	170	134	99	173	140	111	86	119		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	123	110	38	29	21	35	32	27	22	29		
<i>Chemicals & related products, n.e.s</i>												
Quantity : (tonne)	19,306	22,525	5,485	4,649	4,887	4,285	4,626	5,653	6,994	5,252		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	115	147	30	31	29	25	24	48	44	31		
<i>Articles of apparel & clothing</i>												
Quantity : not applicable	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	245	1,030	48	58	39	100	154	402	158	316		
<i>Other commodities & transactions</i>												
Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees	517	1,222	98	116	130	173	178	305	510	229		

¹ Revised² Provisional

Table 8 - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

S.I.T.C section/description	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Domestic exports	31,888	37,762	6,328	6,698	9,367	9,495	7,176	8,202	11,466	10,918
0 - Food and live animals	9,159	10,589	1,675	842	3,456	3,186	2,071	1,074	4,411	3,033
of which :										
Cane Sugar	7,495	8,907	1,354	428	3,020	2,693	1,680	698	3,936	2,593
Cane Molasses	102	70	23	-	40	39	26	-	31	13
Tea, whether or not flavoured	13	10	7	3	1	2	3	4	2	1
Fish and fish preparations	922	972	171	243	222	286	227	206	292	247
1 - Beverages and tobacco	17	88	6	4	3	4	3	17	24	44
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	294	334	57	77	46	114	58	83	83	110
of which :										
Cut flowers and foliage	130	136	39	30	22	39	34	30	26	46
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	11	14	-	-	9	2	4	8	1	1
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	147	203	37	37	40	33	42	39	57	65
6 - Manufacture goods classified chiefly by material	2,170	2,323	532	601	522	515	568	599	593	563
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	1,392	1,483	346	386	322	338	395	353	393	342
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	488	473	122	134	130	102	100	150	109	114
Corks & wood manufacturers	34	34	11	9	6	8	11	7	6	10

¹ Revised² Provisional

Table 8 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

S.I.T.C section/description	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	105	129	24	22	31	28	24	46	37	22
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	19,983	24,079	3,997	5,115	5,260	5,611	4,405	6,335	6,260	7,079
of which :										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	18,387	22,151	3,667	4,709	4,879	5,132	3,999	5,844	5,763	6,545
Optical goods, n.e.s.	218	238	49	57	52	60	49	54	64	71
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	82	53	19	24	21	18	13	23	7	10
Watches & clocks	433	572	95	103	98	137	114	141	160	157
Toys, games & sporting goods	159	150	31	41	49	38	36	53	38	23
Jewellery goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	295	382	62	82	63	88	71	102	96	113
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	78	90	15	21	21	21	18	28	24	20
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	2	3	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	2

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 9 - Main domestic exports excluding EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3)	Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value (f.o.b) Rs. 000		
Div. 00	Live animals other than animals of Div. 03		u	51,729	87,203		
		France	"	1,828	61,581		
		Italy	"	120	19,462		
		Mexico	"	100	3,421		
		Other	"	49,681	2,739		
061.11.00	Cane sugar		tonne	602,072	8,906,781		
		Belgium	"	4,502	85,571		
		France	"	3,255	60,910		
		Germany	"	4,151	77,277		
		Italy	"	3,301	65,307		
		Netherlands	"	2,286	42,490		
		Portugal	"	66,250	919,560		
		Spain	"	3,834	71,937		
		United Kingdom	"	491,199	7,302,568		
		Switzerland	"	2,895	25,562		
		U.S.A.	"	17,515	217,455		
		Other	"	2,884	38,144		
		061.51.00	Cane molasses		tonne	133,321	70,162
				Spain	"	8,751	2,564
United Kingdom	"			45,870	13,440		
U.S.A.	"			78,700	54,158		
292.7	Cut flowers and foliage		tonne	456	109,934		
		Australia	"	35	6,265		
		France	"	22	4,987		
		Hong Kong	"	31	8,343		
		Italy	"	130	24,127		
		Japan	"	143	46,031		
		Reunion	"	21	4,312		
		Taiwan	"	18	3,216		
		U.S.A	"	28	6,080		
		Other	"	28	6,573		
Sect. 8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods		- . -	- . -	1,404,918		
		Austria	"	"	72,822		
		Belgium	"	"	12,639		
		France	"	"	351,661		
		Germany	"	"	120,898		
		Italy	"	"	97,888		
		Netherlands	"	"	50,912		
		Reunion	"	"	114,726		
		Spain	"	"	17,793		
		Switzerland	"	"	49,583		
		United Kingdom	"	"	307,189		
		USA	"	"	122,607		
		Zimbabwe	"	"	18,833		
		Other	"	"	67,367		

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Table 10 - Domestic exports by countries of destination, 1997 - 1998

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

Country of destination	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total Domestic Exports	31,888	37,762	6,698	9,367	7,176	8,202	11,466	10,918
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	31,024	36,746	6,491	9,255	6,965	7,985	11,172	10,624
(a) European Union Countries	(24,186)	(27,835)	(4,737)	(7,032)	(5,319)	(5,643)	(8,535)	(8,338)
Belgium	667	754	184	157	146	212	193	203
France	5,938	6,795	1,599	1,325	1,129	1,882	1,457	2,327
Germany	1,733	2,128	420	455	382	520	683	543
Italy	1,264	1,377	265	258	308	357	281	431
Netherlands	737	884	152	175	167	242	212	263
Portugal	759	978	3	408	40	4	735	199
Reunion	439	496	112	113	70	127	141	158
United Kingdom	11,326	13,162	1,724	3,622	2,832	2,000	4,444	3,886
Spain	806	924	207	250	163	224	300	237
Sweden	152	150	38	38	39	44	34	33
Other	365	187	33	231	43	31	55	58
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(6,838)	(8,911)	(1,754)	(2,120)	(1,646)	(2,342)	(2,637)	(2,286)
Australia	130	77	23	44	15	22	22	18
Canada	186	265	43	55	49	92	81	43
Hong Kong	117	136	25	17	49	32	36	19
Malagasy, Republic of	890	1,219	218	216	278	296	330	315
Malawi	68	36	14	23	15	10	11	-
Seychelles	44	65	8	15	9	23	15	18
Singapore	47	33	10	8	7	7	9	10
South Africa, Rep. of	98	121	34	20	28	34	23	36
Tanzania	13	52	3	3	2	13	9	28
U.S.A.	4,661	6,470	736	1,570	1,076	1,708	1,995	1,691
Zimbabwe	241	144	45	54	35	49	46	14
Other	343	293	56	95	83	56	60	94
2. General Tariff Countries	864	1,016	202	215	211	217	294	294
Japan	186	194	50	51	41	49	52	52
Norway	31	33	6	7	7	7	7	12
Switzerland	418	469	93	107	95	123	118	133
Taiwan	20	13	12	2	5	-	6	2
Other	209	307	41	50	63	38	111	95

¹ Revised² Provisional

Table 11 - Total exports¹ of main commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

S.I.T.C. section/description	1997 ²	1998 ³	1997 ²				1998 ³			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total Exports	33,018	39,329	6,600	6,949	9,700	9,769	7,534	8,601	11,857	11,337
0 - Food and live animals	9,192	10,618	1,680	852	3,460	3,200	2,082	1,081	4,414	3,041
of which:										
Cane sugar	7,495	8,907	1,354	428	3,020	2,693	1,680	698	3,936	2,593
Cane molasses	102	70	23	-	40	39	26	-	31	13
Tea, whether or not flavoured	13	10	7	3	1	2	2	4	2	2
Fish and fish preparations	927	973	175	243	222	287	227	206	292	248
1 - Beverages & Tobacco	18	95	6	5	3	4	3	19	28	45
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	319	351	58	78	69	114	60	86	87	118
of which:										
Cut flowers and foliage	130	136	39	30	22	39	34	30	26	46
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	11	14	-	-	9	2	4	8	1	1
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	192	270	45	46	54	47	59	54	71	86
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	2,661	2,974	617	727	679	638	718	753	780	723
of which:										
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	1,657	1,809	391	449	399	418	440	463	475	431
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	655	715	153	182	192	128	181	170	194	170
Corks & wood manufacturers	35	35	12	9	7	7	11	7	6	11

¹ Excludes ship's stores & Bunkers

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Table 11 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ of main commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	1997 ²	1998 ³	1997 ²				1998 ³			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	452	635	123	79	141	109	168	219	133	115
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured goods	20,152	24,351	4,064	5,153	5,283	5,652	4,435	6,375	6,342	7,199
of which:										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	18,408	22,172	3,671	4,716	4,884	5,137	4,004	5,846	5,769	6,553
Optical goods n.e.s.	219	240	50	58	53	58	49	55	65	71
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	82	55	19	25	21	17	14	23	7	11
Watches & clocks	457	625	102	111	100	144	119	148	177	181
Toys, games & sporting goods	162	155	32	41	50	39	37	56	38	24
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	355	482	101	88	64	102	71	107	128	176
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	86	100	16	23	23	24	20	30	27	23
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s	10	12	2	4	2	2	2	4	-	6

¹ Excluding Ships' Stores & Bunkers

² Revised

³ Provisional

Table 12 - Total exports¹ by countries of destination, 1997 - 1998

Country of destination	Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees													
	1997 ²			1998 ³				1997 ¹				1998 ³		
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr		
Total Exports	33,018	39,329	6,600	9,769	7,534	8,601	11,857	11,337	7,291	8,337	11,503	10,996		
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	32,033	38,127	6,347	9,504	7,291	8,337	11,503	10,996	(5,003)	(4,784)	(8,622)	(8,483)		
(a) European union countries	(24,478)	(28,333)	(5,003)	(7,573)	(5,444)	(5,784)	(8,622)	(8,483)	12	13	31	21		
Austria	48	77	12	11	12	13	31	21	150	228	196	208		
Belgium	675	782	133	198	150	228	196	208	5	2	4	1		
Finland	199	12	5	4	5	2	4	1	1,186	1,902	1,488	2,419		
France	5,990	6,995	1,266	1,777	1,186	1,902	1,488	2,419	410	550	700	559		
Germany	1,860	2,219	385	536	410	550	700	559	310	380	283	434		
Italy	1,272	1,407	341	404	310	380	283	434	181	243	212	264		
Netherlands	744	900	183	228	181	243	212	264	41	14	735	199		
Portugal	760	989	5	343	41	14	735	199	81	136	156	176		
Reunion	477	549	103	135	81	136	156	176	163	233	301	238		
Spain	818	935	124	230	163	233	301	238	39	44	34	34		
Sweden	153	151	32	44	39	44	34	34	2,840	2,007	4,460	3,896		
United Kingdom	11,356	13,203	2,368	3,635	2,840	2,007	4,460	3,896	26	32	22	34		
Other	126	114	46	28	26	32	22	34	(1,847)	(2,553)	(2,881)	(2,513)		
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(7,555)	(9,794)	(1,344)	(1,931)	(1,847)	(2,553)	(2,881)	(2,513)	17	23	23	19		
Australia	133	82	23	45	17	23	23	19	49	92	81	44		
Canada	188	266	44	56	49	56	81	44	8	5	5	8		
Comoro Islands	24	26	5	8	5	8	5	8	56	38	71	34		
Hong Kong	152	199	30	27	50	27	50	34	109	36	12	12		
India	282	169	47	107	75	107	53	12	19	35	33	45		
Kenya	83	132	13	20	24	20	26	45	345	407	458	419		
Malagasy, Republic of	1,193	1,629	267	300	327	300	299	419	2	5	2	4		
Malaysia	16	13	3	3	4	3	6	4	16	34	29	28		
Seychelles	73	107	13	16	18	16	16	28	11	18	11	52		
Singapore	64	92	11	10	19	10	24	52	30	59	42	53		
South Africa, Rep. of	142	184	44	34	25	34	39	53	3	14	14	40		
Tanzania	19	71	3	7	-	7	9	40	11	-	-	7		
Uganda	13	18	3	1	4	1	5	7	1,079	1,711	2,017	1,698		
U.S.A.	4,687	6,505	743	1,213	1,158	1,573	1,213	1,698	36	50	49	15		
Zimbabwe	254	150	55	66	78	55	66	15	56	26	34	35		
Other	232	151	40	79	61	79	52	35	243	264	354	341		
2. General Tariff Countries	985	1,202	253	236	236	231	265	341	47	63	57	75		
Japan	200	242	53	41	41	56	50	75	7	7	7	13		
Norway	31	34	6	7	7	7	11	13	98	129	158	140		
Switzerland	463	525	125	112	112	112	114	140	6	1	6	6		
Taiwan	24	19	12	5	5	3	4	6	1	1	1	1		
Thailand	9	4	1	1	1	1	6	1	84	63	125	106		
Other	258	378	56	70	70	52	80	106						

¹ Excluding Ship's stores & Bunkers² Revised³ Provisional

Table 13 - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, 1997²

Country of destination	Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees										All sections
	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
Total exports	9,192	18	319	11	11	192	2,661	452	20,152	10	33,018
I. Preferential Tariff Countries	9,058	15	250	11	11	177	2,450	390	19,661	10	32,033
(a) European Union Countries	(8,537)	(4)	(135)	(-)	(4)	(54)	(649)	(210)	(14,875)	(10)	(24,478)
Austria	10	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	36	-	48
Belgium	60	-	65	-	-	-	280	14	256	-	675
Denmark	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	72	-	78
Finland	186	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	199
France	160	1	11	-	-	3	99	18	5,689	9	5,990
Germany	301	1	1	-	-	-	11	118	1,427	1	1,860
Greece	18	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	9	-	29
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	16	-	19
Italy	99	-	29	-	-	1	3	4	1,136	-	1,272
Netherlands	167	-	1	-	-	-	3	3	570	-	744
Portugal	729	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	30	-	760
Reunion	58	1	5	-	2	49	36	17	309	-	477
Spain	100	-	11	-	-	-	20	12	675	-	818
Sweden	9	-	-	-	2	-	2	1	139	-	153
United Kingdom	6,638	1	10	-	-	1	191	17	4,498	-	11,356

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Revised

Table 13 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, 1997²

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
	(521)	(11)	(115)	(11)	(7)	(123)	(1,801)	(180)	(4,786)	(-)	(7,555)
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries											
Australia	1	-	7	-	-	17	94	-	14	-	133
Canada	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	184	-	188
Hong Kong	2	-	16	-	-	-	82	2	50	-	152
India	-	-	62	-	-	1	209	4	6	-	282
Kenya	4	-	-	-	-	12	26	7	34	-	83
Comoro Islands	4	4	-	-	-	1	4	2	9	-	24
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	38
Malagasy, Republic of	62	1	7	-	4	25	989	41	64	-	1,193
Malawi	52	-	-	-	-	12	-	4	-	-	68
Malaysia	-	1	1	-	-	-	7	3	4	-	16
Rwanda	22	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	34
Sri Lanka	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Seychelles	10	2	-	9	3	8	12	6	23	-	73
Singapore	4	1	4	1	-	2	34	10	8	-	64
South Africa, Republic of	-	1	9	1	-	4	45	58	24	-	142
Tanzania	2	-	-	-	-	8	1	1	7	-	19
Uganda	2	-	-	-	-	4	-	3	4	-	13
U.S.A	339	-	6	-	-	1	111	6	4,224	-	4,687
Zimbabwe	2	-	-	-	-	1	133	12	106	-	254
Other	14	1	2	-	-	15	12	20	25	-	89

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Revised

Table 13 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, 1997²

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries	134	3	69	-	-	15	211	62	491	-	985
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	20
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	14
China	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	8	3	-	23
French Southern Territories	12	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	16	-	33
Japan	72	-	49	-	-	1	1	10	67	-	200
Norway	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	27	-	31
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	4	-	13
Philippines	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Switzerland	40	-	3	-	-	-	155	4	261	-	463
Taiwan	-	-	13	-	-	-	1	2	8	-	24
Thailand	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	9
Other	10	-	2	-	-	3	38	32	69	-	154

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Revised

Table 14 - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, 1998²

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
Total exports	10,618	95	351	8	14	270	2,974	635	24,352	12	39,329
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	10,481	88	292	8	14	252	2,650	545	23,786	11	38,127
(a) European Union Countries	(9,988)	(11)	(196)	-	(7)	(68)	(691)	(264)	(17,099)	(9)	(28,333)
Austria	16	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	58	-	77
Belgium	96	-	102	-	-	2	296	25	261	-	782
Denmark	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	49	-	51
Finland	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	12
France	173	7	19	-	-	2	126	95	6,568	5	6,995
Germany	394	-	2	-	-	1	18	71	1,730	3	2,219
Greece	9	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	26
Ireland	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	22	-	24
Italy	98	-	34	-	-	-	9	18	1,248	-	1,407
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	13	-	-	14
Netherlands	173	-	1	-	-	-	13	5	708	-	900
Portugal	919	-	-	-	-	1	-	11	57	-	988
Reunion	57	1	10	-	-	52	51	9	368	1	549
Spain	91	-	15	-	-	8	18	6	797	-	935
Sweden	14	-	-	-	7	-	2	-	128	-	151
United Kingdom	7,945	3	11	-	-	2	153	11	5,078	-	13,203

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Provisional

Table 14 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, 1998²

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(493)	(77)	(96)	(8)	(7)	(184)	(1,959)	(281)	(6,687)	(2)	(9,794)
Australia	2	-	7	-	-	3	60	2	8	-	82
Canada	5	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	256	-	266
Hong Kong	2	-	12	-	-	4	129	6	46	-	199
India	1	-	21	-	-	1	120	19	7	-	169
Kenya	8	46	-	-	-	29	6	10	33	-	132
Comoro Islands	4	2	-	-	-	1	9	3	7	-	26
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	10
Malagasy, Republic of	63	-	28	-	1	53	1,296	83	105	-	1,629
Malawi	11	-	-	-	-	26	-	1	-	-	38
Malaysia	-	1	1	-	-	1	5	4	1	-	13
Rwanda	1	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	12
Sri Lanka	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	3	-	14
Seychelles	12	9	-	6	6	12	12	20	30	-	107
Singapore	3	1	7	-	-	1	55	9	16	-	92
South Africa, Republic of	4	-	10	2	-	7	41	82	38	-	184
Tanzania	1	16	1	-	-	12	2	20	19	-	71
Uganda	4	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	3	-	18
U.S.A	354	-	7	-	-	1	106	9	6,028	-	6,505
Zimbabwe	2	-	-	-	-	-	83	5	60	-	150
Other	16	2	1	-	-	11	10	8	27	2	77

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Provisional

Table 14 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section and countries of destination, 1998²

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

Country of destination	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries	137	7	59	-	-	18	324	90	566	1	1,202
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	-	27
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	24	-	25
China	2	-	-	-	-	-	9	3	6	-	20
French Southern Territories	13	7	-	-	-	-	13	-	18	-	51
Japan	72	-	50	-	-	-	4	42	74	-	242
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	33	-	34
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	14
Philippines	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	1	-	-	11
Switzerland	32	-	2	-	-	2	233	3	252	1	525
Taiwan	1	-	4	-	-	1	8	1	4	-	19
Thailand	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	4
Other	17	-	2	-	-	15	45	38	113	-	230

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Provisional

Table 15 - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
TOTAL EXPORTS			33,018,476		39,328,727
Section : 0 - Food and live animals			(9,191,710)		(10,617,513)
Division :00 - Live animals other than animals of Division 03			133,089		216,856
Group :001 - Live animals other than animals of Division 03	No.	89,627	133,089	57,803	216,856
Division :01 - Meat and meat preparations			221,559		148,121
Group :011 - Meat of bovine animals, fresh, chilled or frozen	tonne	-	-	8	562
:012 - Other meat & edible meat offal, fresh, chilled or frozen	"	2	113	46	2,445
:017 - Meat and edible meat offal, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	3,851	221,446	2,297	145,114
Division :02 - Dairy products and birds' eggs			5,993		4,279
Group :022 - Milk and cream and milk products other than butter or cheese	tonne	140	3,590	22	1,072
:023 - Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk	"	4	333	1	15
:024 - Cheese and curd	"	-	33	43	1,962
:025 - Eggs, birds', and egg yolks, fresh, dried or otherwise preserved, sweetened or not ; egg albumin	"	46	2,037	32	1,230
Division :03 - Fish, crustaceans, molluscs, and aquatic invertebrates and preparations thereof			926,867		972,579
Group :034 - Fish, fresh (live or dead), chilled or frozen	tonne	415	37,787	238	26,168
:035 - Fish, dried, salted or in brine; smoked fish	"	140	8,528	113	8,546
:036 - Crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, whether in shell or not, fresh (live or dead), chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; crustaceans, in shell, cooked by steaming or boiling in water	"	6	632	3	497
:037 - Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	15,266	879,920	12,669	937,368

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :04 - Cereals and cereal preparations			162,193		110,311
:041 - Wheat (including spelt) & meslin, unmilled	tonne	5	43	-	1
:042 - Rice	"	2	27	107	1,108
:044 - Maize, unmilled	"	-	-	1	7
:046 - Meal and flour of wheat and flour of meslin	"	30,495	160,210	21,907	103,681
:047 - Other cereal meals and flours	"	8	37	1	24
:048 - Cereal preparations and preparations of flour or starch of fruits or vegetables	"	52	1,876	121	5,490
Division :05 - Vegetables and fruit			29,339		49,920
Group :054 - Vegetables, fresh, chilled, frozen or simply preserved (including dried leguminous vegetables), roots, tubers and other edible products, n.e.s. fresh or	tonne	130	3,626	237	6,220
:056 - Vegetables, roots and tubers, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	72	5,481	85	7,455
:057 - Fruits and nuts (not including oil nuts), fresh or dried	"	558	19,070	738	35,525
:058 - Fruit, preserved, and fruit preparations (excluding fruit juices)	"	17	983	8	604
:059 - Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, unfermented and not containing added spirit, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	"	9	179	4	116
Division :06 - Sugars, sugar preparations and honey			7,602,829		8,983,733
Group :061 - Sugar, molasses and honey	tonne	687,406	7,597,196	735,393	8,977,007
:062 - Sugar confectionery	"	83	5,633	50	6,726
Division :07 - Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof			20,342		25,062
Group :071 - Coffee and coffee substitutes	tonne	1	140	1	359
:072 - Cocoa	"	-	-	-	-
:073 - Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa, n.e.s.	"	1	127	10	275
:074 - Tea and mate	"	518	12,774	212	10,430
:075 - Spices	"	60	7,301	74	13,998

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

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

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :08	- <i>Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)</i>					
Group :081	- Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	tonne	4,424	86,682	6,229	102,236
Division :09	- <i>Miscellaneous edible products and preparations</i>					
Group :091	- Margarine and shortening	tonne	-	4	1	31
:098	- Edible products and preparations, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	2,813	- . -	4,385
Section :1	- Beverages and tobacco					
Division :11	- <i>Beverages</i>					
Group :111	- Non-alcoholic beverages, n.e.s.					
:112	- Alcoholic beverages	Litres	1,555	12,402	1,390	15,405
Division :12	- <i>Tobacco and tobacco manufactures</i>					
Group :121	- Tobacco, unmanufactured; tobacco refuse	tonne	-	-	-	-
:122	- Tobacco, manufactured (whether or not containing tobacco substitutes)	"	-	8	1	155
Section :2	- Crude materials, inedible, except fuels					
Division :21	- <i>Hides, skins, and furskins, raw</i>					
Group :211	- Hides and skins, (except furskins), raw	tonne	-	102	1	431
Division :22	- <i>Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits</i>					
Group :222	- Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits of a kind used for the extraction of "soft" fixed vegetable oils (excluding flours and meals)	tonne	1	35	14	450
:223	- Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, whole or broken, of a kind used for extraction of other fixed vegetable oils (including flours and meals of oil seeds or oleaginous fruit, n.e.s)	"	8	1,493	6	1,007
Division :23	- <i>Crude rubber (including synthetic & reclaimed)</i>					
Group :232	- Synthetic rubber ; reclaimed rubber ; waste, paring & scrap of unhardened rubber	tonne	2	77	1	32
Division :24	- <i>Cork and wood</i>					
Group :247	- <i>Wood in chips or particles and wood waste</i>	- . -	- . -	-	- . -	745
:248	- Wood, simply worked, and railway sleepers of wood	tonne	3	529	-	119
Division :25	- <i>Pulp and waste paper</i>					
Group :251	- Pulp and waste paper	tonne	385	672	113	106

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :26 - <i>Textile fibres (other than wool tops and other combed wool) and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)</i>					
Group :263 - Cotton	tonne	2,437	37,732	2,590	51,505
:266 - Synthetic fibres suitable for spinning	"	488	22,316	50	36,133
:267 - Other man-made fibres suitable for spinning and waste of man-made fibres	"	415	3,516	696	949
:268 - Wool and other animal hair (including wool tops)	"	195	4,416	134	8,514
:269 - Worn clothing and other worn textile articles; rags	"	149	4,362	136	2,990
Division :27 - <i>Crude fertilisers other than those of division 56, and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)</i>					
Group :273 - Stone, sand and gravel	tonne	21	88,916	40	112,743
:277 - Natural abrasives, n.e.s. (including industrial diamonds)	- . -	- . -	49	- . -	33
:278 - Other crude minerals	- . -	- . -	88,054	- . -	108,808
Division :28 - <i>Metalliferous ores and metal scrap</i>					
Group :282 - Ferrous waste and scrap; remelting ingots or iron or steel	tonne	305	813	96	3,902
:284 - Nickel ores & concentrates ; nickel mattes, nickel oxide, sinters etc	"	20,600	57,243	12,698	44,215
:287 - Ores and concentrates of base metal, n.e.s.	"	-	38,535	-	23,279
:288 - Non-ferrous base metal waste and scrap, n.e.s.	"	-	5	-	-
:289 - Ores and concentrates of precious metals; waste, scrap and sweepings of precious metals (other than of gold)	"	1,265	18,097	1,368	19,082
Division :29 - <i>Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.</i>					
Group :291 - Crude animal materials, n.e.s.	tonne	-	606	-	1,854
:292 - Crude vegetable materials, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	132,456	- . -	139,806
			2,266		3,448
			130,190		136,358

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b): Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Section :3	- Minerals fuels, lubricants and related materials			(10,827)		(8,163)
Division :33	- Petroleum, petroleum products, and related materials			741		579
Group :333	- Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	tonne	-	-	25	191
:334	- Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals (other than crude); preparations, n.e.s.	"	28	697	14	366
:335	- Residual petroleum products, n.e.s. and related materials	"	1	44	-	22
Division :34	- Gas, natural and manufactured			10,086		7,584
Group :342	- Liquefied propane and butane	tonne	1,040	10,077	857	7,584
:344	- Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons, n.e.s.	"	-	9	-	-
Section :4	- Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes			(10,867)		(13,736)
Division :42	- Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated			10,863		13,709
Group :421	- Fixed vegetable fats and oils, "soft", crude, refined or fractionated	tonne	706	10,863	612	13,709
Division :43	- Animal or vegetable fats & oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, n.e.s.			4		27
Group :431	- Animal or vegetable fats & oils, processed, waxes, and inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, n.e.s.	tonne	-	4	1	27
Section :5	- Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.			(191,721)		(269,866)
Division :51	- Organic chemicals			8,419		19,363
Group :511	- Hydrocarbons, n.e.s. and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated, or nitrosated derivatives	tonne	7	338	3	162
:512	- Alcohols, phenols, phenol-alcohols, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	"	280	7,831	1,161	19,016
:513	- Carboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peroxyacids; their halogenated, sulfonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	"	4	162	-	43
:514	- Nitrogen- function compounds	"	1	45	-	68
:516	- Other organic chemicals	"	1	43	1	74
Division :52	- Inorganic chemicals			3,054		4,963
Group :522	- Inorganic chemical elements, oxides and halogen salts	tonne	163	1,853	253	3,057
:523	- Metallic salts and peroxy salts, of inorganic acids	"	40	1,165	270	1,384
:524	- Other inorganic chemicals; organic & inorganic compounds of precious metals	"	1	36	29	522

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :53 - Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials			4,044		6,532
Group :531 - Synthetic organic colouring matter & colour lakes & preparations based thereon	tonne	4	1,061	8	3,037
:532 - Dyeing & tanning extracts, & synthetic tanning materials	"	-	8	1	583
:533 - Pigments, paints, varnishes, and related materials	"	53	2,975	42	2,912
Division :54 - Medicinal and pharmaceutical products			19,165		61,535
Group :541 - Medicinal & pharmaceutical products, other than medicaments of group 542	tonne	-	2,093	9	10,564
:542 - Medicaments (including Veterinary medicaments)	"	84	17,072	175	50,971
Division :55 - Essential oils and resins¹ & perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations			7,470		7,783
Group :551 - Essential oils, perfume and flavour materials	tonne	1	57	-	345
:553 - Perfumery, cosmetics or toilet preparations (excluding soaps)	"	43	3,039	13	1,331
:554 - Soap, cleansing and polishing preparations	"	151	4,374	197	6,107
Division :56 - Fertilizers (other than those of group 272)			121,252		139,376
Group :562 - Fertilizers (other than those of group 272)	tonne	25,912	121,252	30,027	139,376
Division :57 - Plastics in primary forms			548		1,719
Group :571 - Polymers of ethylene, in primary forms	tonne	9	356	12	343
:573 - Polymers of vinyl chloride, or of other halogenated olefins, in primary forms	"	2	19	3	413
:574 - Polyacetals, other polyethers & epoxide resins, in primary forms; polycarbonates, alkyd resins & other polyesters, in primary forms	"	-	-	-	-
:575 - Other plastics, in primary forms	"	9	173	8	963
Division :58 - Plastics in non-primary forms			14,773		11,042
Group :581 - Tubes, pipes and hoses of plastics	tonne	309	10,428	80	4,752
:582 - Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics	"	45	3,530	69	5,872
:583 - Monofilament, rods, sticks and profile shapes, etc. of plastics	"	3	815	2	418

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :59 - Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.			12,996		17,553
Group :591 - Insecticides, rodenticides, fungicides, herbicides, anti-sprouting products etc.	tonne	11	3,422	10	3,589
:592 - Starches, insulin & wheat gluten; albuminoidal substances; glues	"	7	756	9	721
:597 - Prepared additives for mineral oils & the like; prepared liquids for hydraulic transmission, etc.	"	10	347	-	72
:598 - Miscellaneous chemical products, n.e.s.	"	146	8,471	219	13,171
Section :6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material			(2,661,011)		(2,974,467)
Division :61 - Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s., & dressed furskins			25,693		25,802
Group :611 - Leather	tonne	10	4,502	6	2,029
:612 - Manufactures of leather or of composition leather, n.e.s.; saddlery & harness	"	33	21,149	33	23,773
:613 - Furskins, tanned or dressed (incl heads, tails, paws & other pieces or cuttings), unassembled or assembled (without the addition of other materials), n.e.s.	"	-	42	-	-
Division :62 - Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.			10,606		20,336
Group :621 - Materials of rubber (e.g., pastes, plates, sheets, rods, thread, tubes of rubber)	tonne	9	2,319	289	8,419
:625 - Rubber tyres, interchangeable tyre treads, tyre flaps & inner tubes for wheels of all kinds	- - -	- - -	7,607	- - -	11,429
:629 - Articles of rubber, n.e.s.	tonne	8	680	1	488
Division :63 - Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)			35,479		34,600
Group :634 - Veneers, plywood, particle board, and other wood, worked, n.e.s.	tonne	6	763	2	477
:635 - Wood manufactures, n.e.s.	tonne	86	34,716	80	34,123
Division :64 - Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard			47,900		65,413
Group :641 - Paper and paperboard	tonne	181	6,406	227	6,313
:642 - Paper and paperboard, cut to size or shape, and articles of paper or paperboard	"	762	41,494	841	59,100

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Division	Commodity	Unit	1997		1998	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Group :65	- <i>Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., & related products</i>	tonne		1,657,194		1,809,314
:651	- Textile yarn	"	1,710	307,959	2,052	409,782
:652	- Cotton fabrics, woven (not including narrow or special fabrics)	"	9,491	846,942	9,261	830,572
:653	- Fabrics, woven, of man-made textile materials (not including narrow or special fabrics)	"	366	42,605	524	58,370
:654	- Other textile fabrics, woven	"	11	1,736	6	4,423
:655	- Knitted or crocheted fabrics (including tubular knit fabrics, n.e.s., pile fabrics & open-work fabrics), n.e.s.	"	2,255	364,949	2,390	422,769
:656	- Tullies, lace, embroidery, ribbons, trimmings & other small wares	"	66	21,219	119	33,101
:657	- Special yarns, special textile fabrics & related products	"	44	9,591	93	11,033
:658	- Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.s.	"	335	54,577	163	33,240
:659	- Floor coverings, etc.	- . -	- . -	7,616	- . -	6,024
Division :66	- <i>Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.</i>			818,810		932,238
Group :661	- Lime, cement & fabricated construction materials (except glass & clay materials)	tonne	1,472	3,508	1,271	4,518
:662	- Clay construction materials & refractory construction materials	- . -	- . -	346	- . -	230
:663	- Mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	tonne	12	714	- 9	934
:664	- Glass	- . -	- . -	153,507	- . -	206,899
:665	- Glassware	"	"	4,108	"	4,177
:666	- Pottery	"	"	1,104	"	508
:667	- Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	"	"	655,523	"	714,972
Division :67	- <i>Iron and steel</i>			14,446		15,260
Group :671	- Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, iron or steel granules & powders & ferro-alloys	tonne	191	12,633	-	-
:672	- Ingots & other primary forms of iron or steel & semi-finished products thereof	"	6	104	66	133
:673	- Flat-rolled products, of iron or non-alloy steel, not clad, plated or coated	"	17	213	57	461
:674	- Flat-rolled products, of iron or non-alloy steel, clad, plated or coated	"	1	7	69	900
:675	- Flat-rolled products of alloy steel.	"	2	52	-	1
:676	- Iron & steel bars, rods, angles, shapes & sections (including sheet piling)	"	13	260	128	2,144
:678	- Wire of iron or steel	"	4	156	146	1,659
:679	- Tubes, pipes & hollow profiles, & tube or pipe fittings, of iron or steel	"	29	1,021	427	9,962

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :68	Non-ferrous metals			2,319		7,049
Group	Silver, platinum & other metals of the platinum group	tonne	-	1,506	-	2,531
:682	Copper	"	-	5	-	158
:684	Aluminium	"	7	184	43	1,295
:685	Lead	"	-	-	-	8
:686	Zinc	"	60	624	215	2,610
:687	Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals employed in metallurgy, and cements	"	-	-	3	447
Division :69	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.			48,564		64,455
Group	Structures & parts of structures, n.e.s., of iron, steel or aluminium	tonne	101	9,082	161	16,018
:692	Metal containers for storage or transport	"	114	1,989	275	5,754
:693	Wire products (excluding insulated electrical wiring) & fencing grills	"	74	1,292	75	1,406
:694	Nails, screws, nuts, bolts, rivets & the like, of iron, steel, copper or aluminium	-.-	-.-	1,028	-.-	673
:695	Tools for use in the hand or in machines	tonne	20	6,198	13	3,994
:696	Cutlery	-.-	-.-	142	-.-	276
:697	Household equipment of base metals, n.e.s.	"	"	20,853	"	26,529
:699	Manufactures of base metal, n.e.s.	tonne	47	7,980	65	9,805
Section :7	Machinery and transport equipment			(452,109)		(635,078)
Division :71	Power generating machinery and equipment			27,265		17,265
Group	Steam and other vapour generating boilers, super-heated water boilers, & auxiliary plant for use therewith; & parts thereof	tonne	1	235	1	271
:712	Steam turbines & other vapour turbines, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	-.-	-.-	4	-.-	-
:713	Internal combustion piston engines, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	22,048	"	10,111
:714	Engines & motors, non-electric (other than those of groups 712, 713 & 718); parts, n.e.s. of these engines & motors	"	"	1,574	"	202
:716	Rotating electric plant & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	3,129	"	5,694
:718	Other power generating machinery & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	275	"	987

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Division	Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :72	Machinery specialized for particular industries			121,771		173,612
Group :721	Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors) & parts thereof	- . -	- . -	239	- . -	179
:722	Tractors (other than those of headings 744.24 & 744.15)	No.	35	25,327	13	8,906
:723	Civil engineering & contractors' plant & equipment	- . -	- . -	8,999	- . -	63,426
:724	Textile & leather machinery, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	51,363	"	67,379
:725	Paper mill & pulp mill machinery, paper cutting machines & other machinery for the manufacture of paper articles; parts thereof	"	"	113	"	13,484
:726	Printing & bookbinding machinery, and parts thereof	"	"	4,728	"	2,932
:727	Food-processing machines (excluding domestic)	"	"	8,115	"	7,855
:728	Other machinery & equipment specialised for particular industries, & parts thereof	"	"	22,887	"	9,451
Division :73	Metal working machinery			3,137		17,883
Group :731	Machine-tools working by removing metal or other material	No.	38	1,249	70	12,878
:733	Machine-tools for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermet, without removing material	"	9	1,047	14	3,164
:735	Parts, n.e.s. & accessories suitable for use solely or principally with the machines falling within headings 731 & 733, etc.	tonne	-	2	-	347
:737	Metalworking machinery (other than machine-tools), & parts thereof, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	839	- . -	1,494
Division :74	General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s. & machine parts, n.e.s.			84,300		144,225
Group :741	Heating & cooling equipment & parts thereof, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	3,709	- . -	7,079
:742	Pumps for liquids, whether or not fitted with a measuring device; liquid elevators; parts for such pumps & liquid elevators	"	"	2,908	"	3,202
:743	Pumps (other than pumps for liquids), air or other gas compressors and fans, etc. and parts thereof	"	"	1,799	"	11,325
:744	Mechanical handling equipment & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	69,024	"	94,894
:745	Other non-electrical machinery, tools & mechanical apparatus & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	2,038	"	5,795
:746	Ball or roller bearings	"	"	607	"	215
:747	Taps, cocks, valves & similar appliances, for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, etc.	tonne	3	1,632	14	1,502
:748	Transmission shafts (including cam shafts & crank shafts) ; bearing housings & plain shaft bearings; etc	- . -	- . -	223	- . -	8,092
:749	Non-electric parts & accessories of machinery, n.e.s.	tonne	10	2,360	17	12,121

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Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :75 - Office machines and automatic data processing machines			13,874		17,471
Group :751 - Office machines	No.	4,959	1,437	2,492	1,428
:752 - Automatic data processing machines & units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, etc.	"	336	6,986	2,800	10,494
:759 - Parts & accessories suitable for use solely or principally with machine falling within groups 751 & 752	tonne	4	5,451	7	5,549
Division :76 - Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus & equipment			20,867		39,961
Group :761 - Television receivers (including video monitors & video projectors), whether or not combined, in the same housing, with radio-broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus	No.	1,105	3,871	267	6,390
:762 - Radio-broadcast receivers, whether or not combined, in the same housing with sound recording or reproducing apparatus or a clock	"	2,793	2,273	1,658	4,055
:763 - Sound recorders or reproducers; television image & sound recorders or reproducers; prepared unrecorded media	"	635	2,284	1,285	15,700
:764 - Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s.; & parts, n.e.s., & accessories etc.	- . -	- . -	12,439	- . -	13,816
Division :77 - Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s., & parts thereof			35,866		76,347
Group :771 - Electric power machinery of household type equipment (other than rotating electric plant) & parts thereof	- . -	- . -	832	- . -	3,197
:772 - Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits or for making connections to or in electrical circuits, n.e.s.	tonne	3	4,856	9	13,529
:773 - Equipment for distributing electricity, n.e.s.	"	29	7,546	23	6,585
:774 - Electro-diagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences & radiological apparatus	- . -	- . -	48	- . -	133
:775 - Household type, electrical & non-electrical equipment, n.e.s.	"	"	5,196	"	18,067
:776 - Thermionic, cold cathode or photo-cathode valves & tubes; diodes, transistors & similar semi-conductor devices, etc.	"	"	135	"	1,760
:778 - Electrical machinery & apparatus, n.e.s.	"	"	17,253	"	33,076

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :78	Road vehicles (including air-cushions vehicles)			138,160		123,203
Group :78	Motor cars & other motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons, including station wagons & racing cars	No.	150	123,717	133	92,514
:78	Motor vehicles for the transport of goods & special purpose motor vehicles	"	24	8,085	72	21,421
:78	Road motor vehicles, n.e.s	"	-	-	3	504
:78	Parts & accessories of the motor vehicles of groups 722, 781, 782 & 783	"	-	1,625	-	7,468
:78	Motorcycles (including mopeds) & cycles, motorised & non-motorised; invalid carriages	"	-	4,085	-	845
:78	Trailers & semi-trailers; other vehicles not mechanically propelled; specially designed & equipped transport containers	"	-	648	-	451
Division :79	Other transport equipment			6,869		25,111
Group :79	Aircraft & associated equipment; spacecraft (including satellites) & parts thereof	"	-	5,247	-	5,274
:79	Ships, boats (including hovercraft) & floating structures	No.	12	1,622	119	19,837
Section :8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles			(20,152,208)		(24,351,516)
Division :81	Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.			1,062		5,794
Group :81	Prefabricated buildings	tonne	-	-	2	42
:81	Sanitary, plumbing & heating fixtures & fittings, n.e.s.	"	-	213	-	298
:81	Lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s.	"	-	849	-	5,454
Division :82	Furniture & parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress support, cushions & similar stuffed furnishings			19,788		23,849
Group :82	Furniture & parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions & similar stuffed furnishings	"	-	19,788	-	23,849
Division :83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers			82,298		54,768
Group :83	Trunks, suit-cases, vanity-cases, executive-cases, brief-cases, school satchels & similar containers	"	-	82,298	-	54,768

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :84	- <i>Articles of apparel and clothing accessories</i>			18,408,398		22,171,870
Group :841	- Men's or boys' coats, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear, knitwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	- . -	- . -	5,495,023	- . -	6,982,299
:842	- Women's & girls' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts underwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	"	"	1,669,655	"	2,281,747
:843	- Men's or boys' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear, nightwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	No.	10,343,697	1,002,943	10,847,455	1,307,815
:844	- Women's & girls' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts underwear, nightwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	"	8,743,631	613,170	8,442,158	725,951
:845	- Articles of apparel, of textile fabrics, whether or not knitted or crocheted, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	9,543,678	- . -	10,822,368
:846	- Clothing accessories, of textile fabrics, whether or not knitted or crocheted, (other than those for babies)	"	"	51,554	"	26,343
:848	- Articles of apparel & clothing accessories of other than textile fabrics; headgear of all materials	"	"	32,375	"	25,347
Division :85	- <i>Footwear</i>			35,508		38,233
Group :851	- Footwear	- . -	- . -	35,508	- . -	38,233
Division :87	- <i>Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s</i>			151,002		253,178
Group :871	- Optical instruments & apparatus, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	747	- . -	2,917
:872	- Instruments & appliances, n.e.s., for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	"	"	17,693	"	15,198
:873	- Meters & counters, n.e.s.	"	"	269	"	35
:874	- Measuring, checking, analysis & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s.	"	"	132,293	"	235,028

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Total exports¹ by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	Unit	1997 ²		1998 ³	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :88 - Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches & clocks			685,076		876,760
Group :881 - Photographic apparatus and equipment, n.e.s.		- . -	759	- . -	2,048
:882 - Photographic and cinematographic supplies	"	"	2,445	"	3,090
:883 - Cinematograph film, exposed and developed, whether or not incorporating sound track or consisting only of sound track	metre	3,851,926	6,631	777,261	7,241
:884 - Optical goods, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	219,478	- . -	239,564
:885 - Watches and clocks	"	"	455,763	"	624,817
Division :89 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.			769,076		927,064
Group :891 - Arms and ammunition	- . -	- . -	-	- . -	1,141
:892 - Printed matter	tonne	882	91,917	1,010	104,405
:893 - Articles, n.e.s. of plastics	"	333	57,662	621	68,116
:894 - Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods	- . -	- . -	161,625	- . -	155,146
:895 - Office and stationary supplies, n.e.s.	"	"	1,205	"	790
:896 - Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	"	"	627	"	3,634
:897 - Jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares, & other articles of precious or semi-precious materials, n.e.s.	tonne	14	354,998	10	481,723
:898 - Musical instruments & parts & accessories thereof; records, tapes & other sound or similar recordings (excluding goods of groups 763, 882 & 883)	- . -	- . -	15,498	- . -	12,027
:899 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	"	"	85,544	"	100,082
Section :9 - Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the S.I.T.C.			(10,236)		(12,058)
Division :97 - Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)			10,236		12,058
Group :971 - Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	tonne	-	10,236	-	12,058

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Table 16 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

SITC section/description	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total imports	46,093	49,742	8,877	11,080	11,655	14,481	10,883	12,303	12,731	13,825
0 - Food and live animals	6,091	6,826	1,357	1,404	1,672	1,658	1,601	1,699	1,663	1,863
Meat and meat preparations	683	733	133	140	186	224	173	142	175	243
Dairy products and bird's eggs	964	1,038	221	194	241	308	270	228	228	312
Fish and fish preparations	867	1,113	164	235	269	199	196	288	331	298
Wheat	367	504	60	92	155	60	178	54	132	140
Rice	506	556	158	63	152	133	157	211	41	147
Wheaten flour	73	114	18	18	16	21	15	35	35	29
Cereal preparations	221	235	39	56	57	69	48	52	66	69
Vegetables and fruits	804	850	194	217	222	171	163	291	203	193
Other	1,606	1,683	370	389	374	473	401	398	452	432
1 - Beverages and tobacco	262	312	32	57	79	94	64	93	73	82
Beverages	228	275	28	50	65	85	52	79	72	72
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	34	37	4	7	14	9	12	14	1	10
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuel	1,567	1,931	320	441	385	421	437	458	531	505
Cork and wood	304	367	61	93	69	81	83	107	100	77
Textile fibres	838	1,098	179	241	183	235	253	238	306	301
Other	425	466	80	107	133	105	101	113	125	127

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Table 16 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

SITC section/description	1997 ¹				1998 ²				1997 ¹				1998 ²			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products	3,471	3,145	3,021	2,636	3,471	3,145	3,021	2,636	961	770	914	826	815	728	742	860
Refined petroleum products	339	324	111	185	339	324	111	185	119	67	66	87	85	67	55	117
Gas, natural and manufactured	484	594	375	109	484	594	375	109	11	57	24	19	79	23	13	70
Other	3,340	3,890	461	642	3,340	3,890	461	642	78	92	190	124	130	169	103	192
4 - Animal & vegetable oils and fats	3,340	3,890	461	642	3,340	3,890	461	642	56	69	158	92	100	140	80	152
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	185	170	377	244	185	170	377	244	22	23	32	32	30	29	23	40
Other	3,340	3,890	461	642	3,340	3,890	461	642	734	784	935	887	789	1,008	1,007	1,086
5 - Chemicals & related products	3,340	3,890	461	642	3,340	3,890	461	642	98	118	140	105	93	151	142	133
Dyeing & tanning materials	642	785	185	170	642	785	185	170	143	167	161	171	172	220	195	198
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	377	409	244	281	377	409	244	281	35	33	59	58	12	49	42	67
Fertilisers	1,431	1,726	14,947	733	1,431	1,726	14,947	733	78	97	99	103	94	99	102	114
Plastics in primary forms	733	851	3,782	2,377	733	851	3,782	2,377	48	59	69	68	56	66	71	88
Plastics in non-primary forms	2,377	3,153	3,088	809	2,377	3,153	3,088	809	332	310	407	382	362	423	455	486
Other	14,947	17,251	14,947	17,251	14,947	17,251	14,947	17,251	2,859	3,942	4,083	4,063	3,783	4,500	4,427	4,541
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	14,947	17,251	14,947	17,251	14,947	17,251	14,947	17,251	137	182	216	198	187	200	237	227
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	733	851	3,782	2,377	733	851	3,782	2,377	768	1,023	1,003	988	941	1,112	1,038	972
Textile yarn	2,377	3,153	3,088	809	2,377	3,153	3,088	809	448	683	650	596	725	861	830	737
Cotton fabrics	3,088	3,467	3,088	3,467	3,088	3,467	3,088	3,467	589	783	808	908	716	912	900	939
Other textile fabrics	809	674	1,077	903	809	674	1,077	903	142	210	242	215	186	257	244	282
Cement	651	674	1,077	903	651	674	1,077	903	147	159	197	148	155	145	181	193
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	1,077	1,286	1,077	1,286	1,077	1,286	1,077	1,286	192	295	304	286	306	353	276	351
Iron and steel	903	1,032	1,527	1,527	903	1,032	1,527	1,527	149	232	243	279	211	231	257	333
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	1,527	1,756	1,527	1,756	1,527	1,756	1,527	1,756	287	375	420	445	356	429	464	507
Other																

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Table 16 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

SITC section/description	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	11,702	11,369	1,647	2,672	2,365	5,018	2,392	2,604	3,005	3,368
Power generating machinery & equipment	374	918	64	115	123	72	209	158	171	380
Machinery specialised for particular industries	1,682	1,895	309	413	408	552	469	574	483	369
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	1,076	1,823	203	264	298	311	297	323	724	479
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	586	869	113	156	150	167	177	226	218	248
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	794	866	192	149	217	236	157	198	211	300
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	1,263	1,407	272	274	348	369	264	344	366	433
Road vehicles	2,139	2,764	316	514	597	712	613	599	628	924
Aircraft, marine vessels and parts	3,662	741	150	763	205	2,544	189	157	188	207
Other	126	86	28	24	19	55	17	25	16	28
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	3,804	4,233	761	850	909	1,284	824	996	1,123	1,290
Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s	287	370	54	78	63	92	52	86	160	72
Articles of apparel and clothing	468	439	67	105	128	168	68	83	133	155
Footwear	166	161	19	31	43	73	23	31	44	63
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s	278	267	76	62	77	63	65	57	68	77
Watches and clocks & optical goods	432	622	83	102	99	148	154	176	128	164
Printed matter	364	417	70	82	91	121	89	100	101	127
Articles n.e.s., of plastics	487	562	95	125	118	149	119	139	131	173
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares, n.e.s	430	380	149	55	51	175	65	99	91	125
Other	892	1,015	148	210	239	295	189	225	267	334
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	425	191	128	68	123	106	48	48	57	38

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Table 17 - Imports of selected commodities, 1997 - 1998

Commodity	1997 ¹		1998 ²		1997 ¹				1998 ²				
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	
Rice :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	65				63				20	6	22	17	16
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	506				556				158	63	152	133	147
Wheaten flour :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	12				19				3	3	3	3	5
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	73				114				18	18	16	21	29
Wheat :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	95				123				12	25	43	15	34
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	367				504				60	92	155	60	140
Dairy products :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	19				19				4	4	5	6	6
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	964				1,038				221	194	241	308	312
Vegetable edible oils and fats :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	29				28				4	5	12	8	10
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	375				472				56	69	158	92	152
Fertilisers manufactured :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	52				43				10	9	17	16	17
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	185				170				35	33	59	58	67
Cotton fabrics													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	13				16				3	4	3	3	4
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2,377				3,153				448	683	650	596	737
Cement :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	593				665				109	159	174	151	190
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	809				969				142	210	242	215	282
Iron and steel :													
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	91				104				20	25	20	26	25
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,077				1,286				192	295	304	286	351

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Table 18 - Changes in main imports, 1997 - 1998

Value (c.i.f): Million Rupees

Commodity	1997 ¹	1998 ²	Changes
			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
Meat & meat preparations	683	733	+ 50
Wheat	367	504	+ 137
Rice	506	556	+ 50
Dairy products & birds' eggs	964	1,038	+ 74
Vegetable and fruits	804	850	+ 46
Fish and fish preparations	867	1,113	+ 246
Refined petroleum products	3,021	2,636	- 385
Wood, simply worked, & railway sleepers of wood	253	321	+ 68
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s. & related products	9,247	10,683	+ 1,436
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	468	439	- 29
Chemicals & related products, n.e.s.	3,340	3,890	+ 550
Cement	809	969	+ 160
Photographic apparatus, equipment & supplies & optical goods, n.e.s., watches & clocks	562	762	+ 200
Iron and Steel	1,077	1,286	+ 209
Machinery specialised for particular industries	1,682	1,895	+ 213
Manufactures of metal	903	1,032	+ 129
Power generating machinery and equipment	374	918	+ 544
General industrial machinery & equipment	1,076	1,823	+ 747
Office machine and automatic data processing machines	586	869	+ 283
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	794	866	+ 72
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s., & parts thereof	1,263	1,407	+ 144
Road vehicles	2,139	2,764	+ 625
Other commodity & transactions	14,308	12,388	- 1,920
Total	46,093	49,742	+ 3,649

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Table 19 - Imports of fertilisers, 1996 - 1998

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

Commodity	1996		1997 ¹		1998 ²	
	Quantity (tonne)	Value	Quantity (tonne)	Value	Quantity (tonne)	Value
Total Imports	57,054	192,544	53,741	194,471	44,160	173,647
Nitrogenous fertilisers	13,511	34,563	6,094	19,437	6,796	14,529
Sulphate of ammonia	13,350	33,222	3,944	9,942	5,994	10,692
Other nitrogenous fertilisers	161	1,341	2,150	9,495	802	3,837
Potassic fertilisers	28,801	83,341	31,814	89,569	24,520	82,736
Muriate of potash	27,331	74,645	30,725	83,308	24,500	82,550
Other potassic fertilisers	1,470	8,696	1,089	6,261	20	186
Phosphatic fertilisers	2,328	8,410	3,001	12,768	1,000	3,560
Superphosphates	1,032	4,391	-	-	-	-
Phosphatic guano	1,286	3,316	2,001	9,671	1,000	3,560
Other phosphatic fertilisers	10	703	1,000	3,097	-	-
Mixed and compound fertilisers	12,414	66,230	12,832	72,697	11,844	72,822

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Table 20 - Imports by countries of origin, 1997 - 1998

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

Country of origin	1997 ¹				1998 ²				1997 ¹				1998 ²			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	46,093	35,506	36,080	49,742	46,093	35,506	36,080	49,742	46,093	35,506	36,080	49,742	46,093	35,506	36,080	49,742
(a) European Union Countries	64	774	144	80	778	201	778	80	778	201	778	80	778	201	778	80
Austria	86	86	86	93	93	93	93	93	93	93	93	93	93	93	93	93
Belgium	7,225	7,225	7,225	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527	5,527
Denmark	2,164	2,164	2,164	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056	2,056
Finland	9	9	9	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
France	238	238	238	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264
Germany	1,329	1,329	1,329	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823	1,823
Greece	21	21	21	146	146	146	146	146	146	146	146	146	146	146	146	146
Ireland	322	322	322	312	312	312	312	312	312	312	312	312	312	312	312	312
Italy	56	56	56	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66
Luxembourg	30	30	30	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
Netherlands	661	661	661	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881
Portugal	83	83	83	135	135	135	135	135	135	135	135	135	135	135	135	135
Reunion	2,562	2,562	2,562	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584
Spain	83	83	83	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881
Sweden	661	661	661	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881
United Kingdom	2,562	2,562	2,562	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584	2,584
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(19,738)	1,547	1,547	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)	(21,064)
Australia	66	66	66	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
Bahamas	14	14	14	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Myanmar (Ex Burma)	59	59	59	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
Canada	1,987	1,987	1,987	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499	2,499
Hong Kong	4,521	4,521	4,521	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617	4,617
India	238	238	238	177	177	177	177	177	177	177	177	177	177	177	177	177
Kenya	642	642	642	747	747	747	747	747	747	747	747	747	747	747	747	747
Malagasy, Republic of	1,060	1,060	1,060	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419	1,419
Malaysia	470	470	470	458	458	458	458	458	458	458	458	458	458	458	458	458
New Zealand	26	26	26	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Nigeria	618	618	618	725	725	725	725	725	725	725	725	725	725	725	725	725
Pakistan	52	52	52	62	62	62	62	62	62	62	62	62	62	62	62	62
Russian Federation	5	5	5	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31
Seychelles	1,020	1,020	1,020	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112	1,112
Singapore	5,650	5,650	5,650	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172	5,172
South Africa, Republic of	28	28	28	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29
Sri Lanka	94	94	94	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138
Kingdom of Swaziland	39	39	39	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Ukraine																

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Table 20 (cont'd) - Imports by countries of origin, 1997 - 1998

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

Country of origin	1997 ¹				1998 ²				1997 ¹				1998 ²																															
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr																												
	(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries (cont'd)																																											
U. S. A.	1,366	94	132	142	258	10,587	507	542	598	128	159	96	26	43	2,006	533	145	1,966	164	478	607	69	46	53	37	12	44	53	470	853	1,253	342	80	88	180									
Zimbabwe																																												
Other																																												
2. General Tariff Countries																																												
Argentina																																												
Bahrain																																												
Brazil																																												
Burkina Faso																																												
Cameroon																																												
Central Africa																																												
Chile																																												
China																																												
Indonesia																																												
Israel																																												
Japan																																												
Jordan																																												
Korea, Republic of																																												
Kuwait																																												
Macau																																												
Mali																																												
Mexico																																												
Morocco																																												
Norway																																												
Panama																																												
Philippines																																												
Saudi Arabia																																												
Switzerland																																												
Taiwan																																												
Thailand																																												
Turkey																																												
United Arab Emirates																																												
Other																																												

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Table 21 - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1997¹

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

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
Total imports	6,091	262	1,567	3,471	484	3,340	14,947	11,702	3,804	425	46,093
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	5,442	257	1,121	2,122	163	2,609	11,157	9,241	3,061	333	35,506
(a) European Union Countries	(1,668)	(181)	(318)	(43)	(61)	(1,423)	(3,359)	(6,806)	(1,581)	(328)	(15,768)
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	4	49	3	8	-	64
Belgium	40	1	209	1	-	84	268	139	32	-	774
Denmark	32	-	2	-	1	23	17	60	9	-	144
Finland	-	-	-	-	-	20	26	40	-	-	86
France	617	61	20	21	4	491	1,178	4,093	613	126	7,224
Germany	61	1	9	6	45	241	441	909	347	104	2,164
Greece	2	1	-	-	1	5	-	-	-	-	9
Ireland	144	1	-	-	-	10	4	71	8	-	238
Italy	25	3	14	1	3	48	662	455	118	-	1,329
Luxembourg	2	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	2	-	21
Netherlands	81	7	5	-	-	64	43	109	13	-	322
Portugal	1	1	-	-	-	4	36	12	2	-	56
Reunion	3	-	-	-	-	14	3	7	3	-	30
Spain	297	2	1	-	3	30	199	109	20	-	661
Sweden	-	1	1	-	-	2	40	31	9	-	84
United Kingdom	363	102	57	14	4	383	376	768	397	98	2,562

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Table 21 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1997¹

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

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	Chemicals and related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(3,774)	(76)	(803)	(2,079)	(102)	(1,186)	(7,798)	(2,435)	(1,480)	(5)	(19,738)
Australia	1,096	2	47	14	52	37	229	61	9	-	1,547
Bahamas	66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
Canada	14	-	3	-	-	2	4	34	2	-	59
Hong kong	4	1	28	-	-	20	1,362	145	427	-	1,987
India	407	-	46	-	2	218	3,355	154	339	-	4,521
Kenya	1	-	-	-	-	16	215	2	4	-	238
Malagasy, Republic of	103	-	28	360	-	2	96	1	52	-	642
Malaysia	70	-	191	-	33	63	446	178	79	-	1,060
New Zealand	323	-	96	-	-	1	14	35	1	-	470
Nigeria	-	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26
Pakistan	308	-	1	-	-	3	299	3	4	-	618
Russian Federation	-	-	1	-	-	50	1	-	-	-	52
S. Africa, Republic of	1,186	46	192	1,509	1	529	1,333	562	291	1	5,650
Singapore	34	-	12	167	14	125	226	326	112	4	1,020
Kingdom of Swaziland	73	-	-	-	-	-	1	20	-	-	94
Tanzania	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	20
U. S. A.	19	12	11	2	-	74	189	904	155	-	1,366
Zimbabwe	25	8	55	-	-	2	2	-	2	-	94
Other	27	7	66	27	-	44	26	8	3	-	208

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Table 21 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1997¹

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

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries	649	5	446	1,349	321	731	3,790	2,461	743	92	10,587
Argentina	179	2	2	-	319	4	1	-	-	-	507
Bahrain	1	-	-	223	-	-	-	-	-	-	224
Brazil	3	-	-	-	-	4	40	3	3	-	53
Burkina Faso	-	-	159	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	159
Cameroon	-	-	96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96
Central Africa	-	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26
Chile	42	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43
China	162	-	17	8	-	89	1,346	199	185	-	2,006
Indonesia	18	-	3	19	-	19	370	34	69	1	533
Israel	9	-	1	27	-	80	3	25	-	-	145
Japan	22	-	3	1	-	37	249	1,535	119	-	1,966
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	13	151	-	-	-	164
Korea, Democratic	-	-	-	-	-	2	9	3	1	-	15
Korea, Rep	1	-	4	-	-	44	202	196	31	-	478
Kuwait	-	-	-	607	-	-	-	-	-	-	607

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Table 21 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1997¹

Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries (cont'd)											
Macau	-	-	1	-	-	-	68	-	-	-	69
Mali	-	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46
Mexico	1	-	-	-	-	-	47	3	2	-	53
Morocco	32	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	37
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	2	2	-	12
Panama	39	-	-	2	-	-	3	-	-	-	44
Philippines	4	-	1	39	-	-	2	4	3	-	53
Saudi Arabia	1	-	-	420	-	3	36	7	3	-	470
Switzerland	19	1	5	-	-	256	203	156	122	91	853
Taiwan	5	-	10	-	-	108	732	255	143	-	1,253
Thailand	71	-	3	-	-	12	188	22	46	-	342
Turkey	7	-	17	-	2	-	51	3	-	-	80
United Arab Emirates	5	-	-	-	-	-	69	5	9	-	88
Other	28	1	52	3	-	53	14	9	5	-	165

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Table 22 - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
Total imports	6,826	312	1,931	3,145	594	3,890	17,251	11,369	4,233	191	49,742
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	6,135	305	1,196	1,421	165	3,058	12,616	7,615	3,452	117	36,080
(a) European Union Countries	(1,979)	(220)	(339)	(59)	(77)	(1,664)	(4,025)	(4,671)	(1,875)	(107)	(15,016)
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	7	51	13	9	-	80
Belgium	71	1	228	6	5	86	254	97	30	-	778
Denmark	42	-	3	-	1	39	24	82	10	-	201
Finland	4	-	-	-	-	16	35	37	1	-	93
France	916	80	28	39	4	568	1,469	1,473	931	19	5,527
Germany	21	1	9	6	54	329	444	966	195	31	2,056
Greece	3	1	2	-	-	5	6	12	1	-	30
Ireland	146	-	-	-	-	19	4	77	18	-	264
Italy	48	7	11	2	5	70	935	584	161	-	1,823
Luxembourg	5	-	-	-	-	1	2	15	123	-	146
Netherlands	82	6	4	2	-	66	28	104	20	-	312
Portugal	-	2	-	-	-	2	46	13	3	-	66
Reunion	2	-	-	-	-	20	5	8	5	-	40
Spain	304	2	1	-	4	53	247	256	14	-	881
Sweden	-	-	2	-	-	5	41	82	5	-	135
United Kingdom	335	120	51	4	4	378	434	852	349	57	2,584

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Table 22(cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(4,156)	(85)	(857)	(1,362)	(88)	(1,394)	(8,591)	(2,944)	(1,577)	(10)	(21,064)
Australia	1,196	2	109	-	54	53	193	79	8	-	1,694
Bahamas	12	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	13
Canada	10	-	15	-	-	5	16	71	9	-	126
Hong kong	9	-	38	1	-	26	1,733	134	558	-	2,499
India	380	-	73	8	1	224	3,413	229	289	-	4,617
Kenya	5	-	-	25	-	37	107	-	3	-	177
Malagasy, Republic of	100	-	55	365	-	2	165	4	56	-	747
Malaysia	87	1	173	13	19	93	715	241	77	-	1,419
New Zealand	268	-	111	-	-	1	51	26	1	-	458
Pakistan	386	-	-	-	-	4	326	4	5	-	725
Russian Federation	1	-	-	-	-	38	12	11	-	-	62
S. Africa, Republic of	1,232	56	234	732	2	656	1,438	524	295	3	5,172
Seychelles	28	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	31
Singapore	74	1	18	137	11	135	241	367	121	7	1,112
Sri Lanka	16	-	2	-	-	-	8	-	3	-	29
Kingdom of Swaziland	105	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	1	-	138
U. S. A.	34	13	12	6	-	75	144	1,208	143	-	1,635
Zimbabwe	115	9	2	-	-	2	3	-	1	-	132
Other	98	3	15	74	1	43	25	13	6	-	278

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Table 22 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1998¹

Country of origin	Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees										All sections
	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries	691	7	735	1,724	429	832	4,635	3,754	781	74	13,662
Argentina	159	4	9	-	362	6	-	2	-	-	542
Bahrain	-	-	-	598	-	-	-	-	-	-	598
Brazil	24	-	-	-	67	6	23	4	4	-	128
Burkina Faso	1	-	179	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180
Cameroon	-	-	74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74
Central Africa	-	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29
Chile	38	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39
China	164	1	23	9	-	107	1,822	251	224	-	2,601
Indonesia	16	-	17	20	-	29	853	30	88	1	1,054
Israel	10	-	-	-	-	75	6	41	4	-	136
Japan	2	-	8	2	-	53	288	2,072	105	-	2,530
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	19
Korea, Democratic	-	-	-	-	-	2	24	2	-	-	28
Korea, Rep	1	-	6	-	-	52	249	760	23	-	1,091

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Table 22 (cont'd) - Imports by section and countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

Country of origin	Sect 0	Sect 1	Sect 2	Sect 3	Sect 4	Sect 5	Sect 6	Sect 7	Sect 8	Sect 9	All sections
	Food and live animals	Beverages and tobacco	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	Animal & vegetable oils & fats	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	
2. General Tariff Countries (cont'd)											
Macau	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	30
Mali	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200
Mexico	2	-	-	-	-	-	25	2	1	-	30
Morocco	39	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	45
Norway	1	-	-	-	-	9	3	-	1	-	14
Panama	19	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	23
Philippines	3	-	-	18	-	-	6	11	1	-	39
Saudi Arabia	1	-	-	992	-	1	32	5	2	-	1,033
Switzerland	6	1	3	-	-	311	266	170	118	73	948
Taiwan	27	-	7	3	-	101	678	280	126	-	1,222
Thailand	78	-	3	2	-	25	245	98	66	-	517
Turkey	7	-	26	-	-	2	25	3	-	-	63
United Arab Emirates	5	-	-	77	-	1	20	4	9	-	116
Other	88	-	151	3	-	29	36	18	8	-	333

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Table 23 - Imports by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

Section	Division	Group	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
					Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
: 0			TOTAL IMPORTS		46,093,419		49,742,225	
	:00		Food and live animals		(6,090,628)		(6,826,321)	
			<i>Live animals other than animals of Division 03</i>		175,803		193,708	
		:001	Live animals other than animals of Division 03	1000 No.	142	175,803	223	193,708
	:01		<i>Meat and meat preparations</i>		682,578		733,073	
		:011	Meat of bovine animals, fresh, chilled or frozen	tonne	7,503	285,946	7,305	307,095
		:012	Other meat and edible meat offal, fresh, chilled or frozen	"	7,316	284,755	7,757	286,425
		:016	Meat and edible meat offal, salted, in brine, dried or smoked: edible flours and meals of meat or meat offal	"	6	656	7	1,118
		:017	Meat and edible meat offal, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	2,017	111,221	2,476	138,435
	:02		<i>Dairy products and birds' eggs</i>		963,727		1,037,700	
		:022	Milk and cream and milk products other than butter or cheese	tonne	15,773	736,396	15,829	790,161
		:023	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk	"	1,002	57,473	981	57,313
		:024	Cheese and curd	"	1,904	169,053	2,003	189,907
		:025	Eggs, birds', and egg yolks, fresh, dried or otherwise preserved, sweetened or not; egg albumin	"	47	805	9	319
	:03		<i>Fish, crustaceans, molluscs, and aquatic invertebrates and preparations thereof</i>		866,928		1,113,200	
		:034	Fish, fresh (live or dead), chilled or frozen	tonne	25,884	643,427	28,903	866,578
		:035	Fish, dried, salted or in brine; smoked fish	"	49	5,720	47	4,388
		:036	Crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, whether in shell or not, fresh (live or dead), chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; crustaceans, in shell, cooked by steaming or boiling in water	"	1,399	87,946	1,797	97,638
		:037	Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	3,579	129,835	3,584	144,596

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

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

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :04	Cereals and cereal preparations			1,351,455		1,633,557
Group :041	Wheat (including spelt) and meslin, unmilled	tonne	95,368	366,732	122,681	503,857
:042	Rice	"	65,445	506,356	62,509	555,697
:043	Barley, unmilled	"	2	136	6	142
:044	Maize (not including sweet corn), unmilled	"	48,142	173,164	55,473	215,335
:045	Cereals, unmilled (other than wheat, rice, barley and maize)	"	633	3,598	497	2,595
:046	Meal and flour of wheat and flour of meslin	"	12,178	72,778	18,754	114,137
:047	Other cereal meals and flours	"	818	7,758	703	6,423
:048	Cereal preparations and preparations of flour or starch of fruits or vegetables	"	8,966	220,933	10,479	235,371
Division :05	Vegetables and fruit			804,339		850,461
Group :054	Vegetables, fresh, chilled, frozen or simply preserved (including dried leguminous vegetables), roots, tubers and other edible products, n.e.s. fresh or dried	tonne	31,427	299,120	29,873	318,341
:056	Vegetables, roots and tubers, prepared or preserved, n.e.s.	"	3,398	83,014	3,773	97,429
:057	Fruit and nuts (not including oil nuts), fresh or dried	"	16,995	323,133	16,579	328,165
:058	Fruit, preserved, and fruit preparations (excluding fruit juices)	"	1,500	41,691	1,724	48,660
:059	Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, unfermented and not containing added spirit, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter	"	3,535	57,381	3,608	57,866
Division :06	Sugars, sugar preparations and honey			373,173		397,170
Group :061	Sugars, molasses and honey	tonne	38,844	337,413	39,331	366,942
:062	Sugar confectionery	"	955	35,760	886	30,228
Division :07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof			152,462		158,215
Group :071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	tonne	276	28,995	310	30,921
:072	Cocoa	"	46	2,291	50	2,673
:073	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa, n.e.s.	"	994	75,425	1,129	76,129
:074	Tea and mate	"	10	890	20	1,762
:075	Spices	"	1,588	44,861	1,496	46,730

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Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :08 - Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)			270,587		212,735
Group :081 - Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	tonne	34,137	270,587	27,402	212,735
Division :09 - Miscellaneous edible products and preparations			449,576		496,502
Group :091 - Margarine and shortening	tonne	2,136	75,173	2,121	80,077
:098 - Edible products and preparations, n.e.s.	"	"	374,403	"	416,425
Section :1 - Beverages and tobacco			(262,230)		(312,247)
Division :11 - Beverages			227,790		275,054
Group :111 - Non-alcoholic beverages, n.e.s.	1000 Litres	2,760	32,748	2,302	38,418
:112 - Alcoholic beverages	"	2,996	195,042	3,085	236,636
Division :12 - Tobacco and tobacco manufactures			34,440		37,193
Group :121 - Tobacco, unmanufactured; tobacco refuse	tonne	62	8,503	63	10,089
:122 - Tobacco, manufactured (whether or not containing tobacco substitutes)	"	51	25,937	47	27,104
Section :2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels			(1,566,741)		(1,931,306)
Division :21 - Hides, skins, and furskins, raw			734		617
Group :211 - Hides and skins, (except furskins), raw	tonne	2	734	1	617
Division :22 - Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits			21,681		26,690
Group :222 - Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits of a kind used for the extraction of "soft" fixed vegetable oils (excluding flours and meals)	tonne	1,609	20,562	1,797	26,060
:223 - Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, whole or broken, of a kind used for extraction of other fixed vegetable oils (including flours and meals of oil seeds or oleaginous fruit, n.e.s)	"	41	1,119	12	630
Division :23 - Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)			15,100		16,365
Group :231 - Natural rubber, balata, gutta percha, guayule, chicle and similar natural gums, in primary forms (including latex) or in plates, sheets or strip	tonne	250	6,171	312	6,439
:232 - Synthetic rubber, reclaimed rubber, waste, parings and scrap of unhardened rubber	"	330	8,929	291	9,926

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	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :24	- <i>Cork and wood</i>			303,951		367,273
Group :244	- Cork, natural, raw and waste (including natural cork in blocks or sheets)	tonne	-	-	-	-
:245	- Fuel wood (excluding wood waste) and wood charcoal	"	92	729	38	303
:246	- Woods in chips or particles and wood waste	"	4	216	-	2
:247	- Wood in the rough or roughly squared	cubic metre	6,157	50,439	6,742	45,427
:248	- Wood, simply worked, and railway sleepers of wood	- . -	- . -	252,567	- . -	321,541
Division :25	- <i>Pulp and waste paper</i>			3,506		4,950
Group :251	- Pulp and waste paper	tonne	164	3,506	213	4,950
Division :26	- <i>Textile fibres (other than wool tops and other combed wool) and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)</i>			837,775		1,098,341
Group :261	- Silk	tonne	41	5,951	8	710
:263	- Cotton	"	12,212	492,950	14,836	685,055
:264	- Jute and other textile bast fibres, n.e.s, raw or processed but not spun, etc.	"	-	20	-	23
:265	- Vegetable textile fibres (other than cotton and jute), raw or processed but not spun, etc.	"	-	9	12	864
:266	- Synthetic fibres suitable for spinning	"	253	15,094	361	18,501
:267	- Other man-made fibres suitable for spinning and waste of man-made fibres	"	123	12,258	113	12,718
:268	- Wool and other animal hair (including wool tops)	"	2,966	311,346	3,746	380,132
:269	- Worn clothing and other worn textile articles; rags	"	2	147	2	338
Division :27	- <i>Crude fertilisers other than those of division 56, and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)</i>			328,497		356,610
Group :272	- Fertilisers, crude, other than those of division 56	tonne	2,001	9,671	1,000	3,560
:273	- Stone, sand and gravel	"	2,009	11,590	2,088	13,927
:274	- Sulphur and unroasted iron pyrites	"	12	256	7	233
:277	- Natural abrasives, n.e.s. (including industrial diamonds)	- . -	- . -	253,620	- . -	276,796
:278	- Other crude minerals	tonne	12,830	53,360	13,395	62,094

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Division	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Value (c.i.f): Thousand Rupees			
Division :28	- Metalliferous ores and metal scrap					
Group	- Ferrous waste and scrap; remelting ingots or iron or steel	tonne	-	630	-	605
:282	- Copper ores and concentrates, copper mattes, cement copper		-	-	3	54
:284	- Aluminium ores and concentrates (including alumina)	"	-	2	-	58
:285	- Ores and concentrates of base metal, n.e.s.	"	40	274	1	52
:287	- Non-ferrous base metal waste and scrap, n.e.s.	"	16	272	1	83
:288	- Ores and concentrates of precious metals; waste, scrap and sweepings of precious metals (other than of gold)	"	-	55	2	268
:289	- Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.			54,867		59,855
Division :29	- Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.					
Group	- Crude animal materials, n.e.s.	tonne	38	12,150	28	15,256
:291	- Crude vegetable materials, n.e.s.		-	42,717	-	44,599
Section :3	- Minerals fuels, lubricants and related materials					
Division :32	- Coal, coke and briquettes					
Group	- Coal, whether or not pulverised, but not agglomerated	tonne	27,783	31,023	86,344	118,785
:321	- Briquettes, lignite and peat	"	35	195	4	726
:322	- Coke and semi-coke (including char) of coal, of lignite or of peat whether or not agglomerated; retort carbon	"	123	1,223	175	1,819
:325	- Petroleum, petroleum product and related materials					
Division :33	- Petroleum, petroleum product and related materials					
Group	- Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	tonne	-	-	-	11
:333	- Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, (other than crude); preparations, n.e.s.					
:334	- Residual petroleum products, n.e.s. and related materials	"	798,649	3,021,015	859,623	2,636,288
:335	- Gas, natural and manufactured	"	15,031	78,099	12,729	65,699
Division :34	- Gas, natural and manufactured					
Group	- Liquefied propane and butane	tonne	41,669	339,512	44,686	324,226
:342	- Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons, n.e.s.	"	9	328	10	323,602
:344	- Coal gas, water gas, producer gas & similar gases, other than petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	"	-	-	1	172
:345	- Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes					
Section :4	- Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes					
Division :41	- Animal oils and fats					
Group	- Animals oils and fats	tonne	5,049	51,942	3,771	50,814
						50,814

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	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :42	- <i>Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated</i>			375,418		472,143
Group :421	- Fixed vegetable fats and oils, "soft", crude, refined or fractionated	tonne	28,034	357,835	27,426	454,100
:422	- Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated, other than "soft"	"	820	17,583	837	18,043
Division :43	- <i>Animal or vegetable fats & oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, n.e.s.</i>			56,588		70,864
Group :431	- Animal or vegetable fats & oils, processed, waxes, and inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, n.e.s.	tonne	2,861	56,588	2,296	70,864
Section :5	Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.			(3,339,734)		(3,890,111)
Division :51	- <i>Organic chemicals</i>			168,266		208,720
Group :511	- Hydrocarbons, n.e.s. and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated, or nitrosated deriva	tonne	782	24,442	840	25,660
:512	- Alcohols, phenols, phenol-alcohols, and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	"	431	13,472	-461	14,810
:513	- Carboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peroxyacids; their halogenated, sulfonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	"	2,560	54,311	3,559	74,829
:514	- Nitrogen- function compounds	"	595	28,418	768	37,823
:515	- Organo-inorganic compounds, heterocyclic compounds, nucleic acids & their salts	"	224	17,995	255	27,512
:516	- Other organic chemicals	"	489	29,628	482	28,086
Division :52	- <i>Inorganic chemicals</i>			338,613		408,794
Group :522	- Inorganic chemical elements, oxides and halogen salts	tonne	28,304	163,414	33,414	184,806
:523	- Metallic salts and peroxy salts, of inorganic acids	"	20,699	155,239	24,409	187,776
:524	- Other inorganic chemicals; organic & inorganic compounds of precious metals	"	1,511	19,281	1,718	35,182
:525	- Radio-active and associated materials	"	2	679	1	1,030
Division :53	- <i>Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials</i>			460,944		518,603
Group :531	- Synthetic organic colouring matter & colour lakes & preparations based thereon	tonne	1,855	311,863	1,664	343,007
:532	- Dyeing & tanning extracts, & synthetic tanning materials	"	126	17,771	94	12,841
:533	- Pigments, paints, varnishes, and related materials	"	3,163	131,310	3,704	162,755

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Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :54 - Medicinal and pharmaceutical products			642,171		784,631
Group :541 - Medicinal & pharmaceutical products, other than medicaments of group 542	tonne	252	56,046	226	90,028
:542 - Medicaments (including Veterinary medicaments)	"	1,869	586,125	1,738	694,603
Division :55 - Essential oils and resinoids & perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations			342,844		417,876
Group :551 - Essential oils, perfume and flavour materials	tonne	248	51,061	300	66,129
:553 - Perfumery, cosmetics or toilet preparations (excluding soaps)	"	1,365	188,035	1,524	205,395
:554 - Soap, cleansing and polishing preparations	"	2,667	103,748	3,649	146,352
Division :56 - Fertilizers (other than those of group 272)			184,800		170,087
Group :562 - Fertilizers (other than those of group 272)	tonne	51,740	184,800	43,160	170,087
Division :57 - Plastics in primary forms			376,873		409,460
Group :571 - Polymers of ethylene, in primary forms	tonne	6,649	146,621	7,271	142,963
:572 - Polymers of styrene, in primary forms	"	183	6,687	474	18,737
:573 - Polymers of vinyl chloride, or of other halogenated olefins, in primary forms	"	1,944	41,842	845	25,129
:574 - Polyacetals, other polyethers & epoxide resins, in primary forms; polycarbonates, alkyd resins & other polyesters, in primary forms	"	1,641	48,744	2,006	56,146
:575 - Other plastics, in primary forms	"	4,252	132,720	6,367	165,968
:579 - Waste, parings and scrap, of plastics	"	4	259	17	517
Division :58 - Plastics in non-primary forms			243,633		280,685
Group :581 - Tubes, pipes and hoses of plastics	tonne	663	50,564	686	59,551
:582 - Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of plastics	"	2,735	173,418	3,010	200,176
:583 - Monofilament, rods, sticks and profile shapes, etc. of plastics	"	184	19,651	225	20,958
Division :59 - Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.			581,590		691,255
Group :591 - Insecticides, rodenticides, fungicides, herbicides, anti-sprouting products etc.	tonne	1,891	202,828	1,720	221,747
:592 - Starches, inulin & wheat gluten; albuminoidal substances; glues	"	2,904	53,600	3,131	54,102
:593 - Explosives and pyrotechnic products	"	255	5,838	257	7,335
:597 - Prepared additives for mineral oils & the like; prepared liquids for hydraulic transmission, etc.	"	552	28,628	708	38,001
:598 - Miscellaneous chemical products, n.e.s.	"	5,988	290,696	7,305	370,070

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Section	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material			(14,947,470)		(17,250,632)
Division :61	Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s., & dressed furskins			134,129		154,821
Group :611	Leather	tonne	251	123,380	214	146,963
:612	Manufactures of leather or of composition leather, n.e.s.; saddlery & harness	"	31	10,721	23	7,858
:613	Furskins, tanned or dressed, unassembled, or assembled, n.e.s.	"	--	28	--	--
Division :62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.			337,120		356,778
Group :621	Materials of rubber (e.g., pastes, plates, sheets, rods, thread, tubes of rubber)	tonne	1,230	66,439	749	58,293
:625	Rubber tyres, interchangeable tyre treads, tyre flaps & inner tubes for wheels of all kinds	--	--	197,494	--	217,302
:629	Articles of rubber, n.e.s.	tonne	331	73,187	388	81,183
Division :63	Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)			221,233		218,606
Group :633	Cork manufactures	tonne	22	2,768	12	2,800
:634	Veneers, plywood, particle board, and other wood, worked, n.e.s.	--	--	193,804	--	184,463
:635	Wood manufactures, n.e.s.	tonne	617	24,661	750	31,343
Division :64	Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard			732,520		851,089
Group :641	Paper and paperboard	tonne	31,697	523,130	35,547	614,895
:642	Paper and paperboard, cut to size or shape, and articles of paper or paperboard	"	3,610	209,390	3,788	236,194
Division :65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., & related products			9,247,033		10,682,944
Group :651	Textile yarn	tonne	41,960	3,782,263	40,690	4,062,949
:652	Cotton fabrics, woven (not including narrow or special fabrics)	"	13,033	2,376,504	15,930	3,153,140
:653	Fabrics, woven, of man made textile materials (not including narrow or special fabrics)	"	6,563	1,058,108	7,789	1,256,619
:654	Other textile fabrics, woven	"	460	334,615	532	390,082
:655	Knitted or crocheted fabrics (including tubular knit fabrics, n.e.s., pile fabrics & open work fabrics), n.e.s.	"	5,532	1,006,643	5,498	978,514
:656	Tulles, lace, embroidery, ribbons, trimmings & other small wares	"	1,267	386,095	1,472	453,162
:657	Special yarns, special textile fabrics & related products	"	17,145	233,494	2,054	291,937
:658	Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.s.	"	518	35,397	671	54,210
:659	Floor coverings, etc.	--	--	33,914	--	42,331

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Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :66 - Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.			2,112,992		2,423,915
Group :661 - Lime, cement & fabricated construction materials (except glass & clay materials)	tonne	598,024	885,330	669,734	1,031,916
:662 - Clay construction materials & refractory construction material	- . -	- . -	282,188	- . -	371,014
:663 - Mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	tonne	1,246	49,895	1,239	62,587
:664 - Glass	- . -	- . -	74,145	- . -	79,565
:665 - Glassware	"	"	133,683	"	164,798
:666 - Pottery	tonne	1,228	37,110	1,116	39,953
:667 - Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones, unworked or worked	- . -	"	650,641	"	674,082
Division :67 - Iron and steel			1,076,764	104,379	1,285,766
Group :671 - Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, iron or steel granules and powders & ferro-alloys	tonne	31	338	157	696
:672 - Ingots & other primary forms, of iron or steel; semi-finished products of iron or steel	"	34,608	258,987	42,947	331,544
:673 - Flat-rolled products, of iron or non-alloy steel, not clad, plated or coated	"	4,483	39,195	5,287	49,758
:674 - Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, clad, plated or coated	"	11,077	224,785	12,406	281,874
:675 - Flat-rolled products of alloy steel.	"	1,488	24,366	1,397	20,818
:676 - Iron & steel bars, rods, angles, shapes & sections (including sheet piling)	"	23,252	228,404	25,915	241,678
:677 - Rails and railway track construction material, of iron or steel	"	105	3,408	-	79
:678 - Wire of iron or steel	"	1,671	20,068	1,310	16,500
:679 - Tubes, pipes & hollow profiles, & tube or pipe fittings, of iron or steel	"	14,144	277,213	14,960	342,819
Division :68 - Non-ferrous metals			183,173		244,831
Group :681 - Silver, platinum & other metals of the platinum group	tonne	4	14,677	6	21,002
:682 - Copper	"	536	53,107	579	56,840
:683 - Nickel	"	3	893	2	1,469
:684 - Aluminium	"	1,151	87,229	1,363	122,559
:685 - Lead	"	11	453	24	1,093
:686 - Zinc	"	633	18,887	1,050	28,574
:687 - Tin	"	275	7,919	530	13,281
:689 - Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals employed in metallurgy, and cermets	"	-	8	-	13

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Division	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :69	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s			902,506		1,031,882
Group :691	Structures & parts of structures, n.e.s., of iron, steel or aluminium	tonne	2,114	100,074	1,363	73,138
:692	Metal containers for storage or transport	"	2,594	136,606	1,841	138,457
:693	Wire products (excluding insulated electrical wiring) & fencing grills	"	862	25,522	1,410	60,102
:694	Nails, screws, nuts, bolts, rivets & the like, of iron, steel, copper or aluminium	"	--	64,654	--	70,736
:695	Tools for use in the hand or in machines	tonne	724	104,129	706	108,055
:696	Cutlery	"	--	33,536	--	35,552
:697	Household equipment of base metals, n.e.s.	"	--	134,175	--	150,897
:699	Manufactures of base metal, n.e.s.	tonne	3,786	303,810	4,436	394,945
Section :7	Machinery and transport equipment			(11,702,293)		(11,368,567)
Division :71	Power generating machinery and equipment			373,971		918,216
Group :711	Steam and other vapour generating boilers, super-heated water boilers, & auxiliary plant for use therewith; & parts thereof	tonne	483	43,890	657	114,318
:712	Steam turbines & other vapour turbines, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	--	52,197	--	94,970
:713	Internal combustion piston engines, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	138,435	"	233,620
:714	Engines & motors, non-electric (other than those of groups 712, 713 & 718); parts, n.e.s. of these engines & motors	"	"	1,757	"	12,513
:716	Rotating electric plant & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	134,795	"	266,170
:718	Other power generating machinery & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	2,897	"	196,625
Division :72	Machinery specialized for particular industries			1,682,012		1,895,049
Group :721	Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors) & parts thereof	"	--	31,590	--	44,088
:722	Tractors (other than those of headings 744.24 & 744.15)	No.	87	41,535	83	56,499
:723	Civil engineering & contractors' plant & equipment	"	--	236,151	--	237,434
:724	Textile & leather machinery, & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	979,887	"	1,015,759
:725	Paper mill & pulp mill machinery, paper cutting machines & other machinery for the manufacture of paper articles; parts thereof	"	"	25,784	"	19,135
:726	Printing & bookbinding machinery, and parts thereof	"	"	94,008	"	132,208
:727	Food- processing machines (excluding domestic)	"	"	26,040	"	69,716
:728	Other machinery & equipment specialised for particular industries, & parts thereof,	"	"	247,017	"	320,210
Division :73	Metal working machinery			125,396		85,878
Group :731	Machine-tools working by removing metal or other material	No.	1,233	40,934	1,878	32,012
:733	Machine-tools for working metal, sintered metal carbides or cermets, without removing material	"	662	20,982	334	22,593
:735	Parts, n.e.s. & accessories suitable for use solely or principally with the machines falling within headings 731 & 733, etc.	tonne	4	2,080	2	772
:737	Metalworking machinery (other than machine-tools), & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	--	61,400	--	30,501

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

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

Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :74 - General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s. & machine parts, n.e.s.			1,076,319		1,822,509
Group :741 - Heating & cooling equipment & parts thereof, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	253,557	- . -	384,236
:742 - Pumps for liquids, whether or not fitted with a measuring device; liquid elevators; parts for such pumps & liquid elevators	"	"	77,513	"	132,482
:743 - Pumps (other than pumps for liquids), air or other gas compressors and fans, etc. and parts thereof	"	"	207,536	"	246,456
:744 - Mechanical handling equipment & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	167,707	"	565,619
:745 - Other non-electrical machinery, tools & mechanical apparatus & parts thereof, n.e.s.	"	"	144,093	"	179,556
:746 - Ball or roller bearings	"	"	34,947	"	37,495
:747 - Taps, cocks, valves & similar appliances, for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, etc.	tonne	433	99,101	800	160,514
:748 - Transmission shafts (including cam shafts & crank shafts) ; bearing housings & plain shaft bearings; etc	- . -	- . -	48,857	- . -	57,474
:749 - Non-electric parts & accessories of machinery, n.e.s.	tonne	106	43,008	105	58,677
Division :75 - Office machines and automatic data processing machines			585,699		869,205
Group :751 - Office machines	No.	152,077	67,209	118,791	87,887
:752 - Automatic data processing machines & units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, etc.	"	20,792	313,710	35,650	501,489
:759 - Parts & accessories suitable for use solely or principally with machine falling within groups 751 & 752	tonne	229	204,780	394	279,829
Division :76 - Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus & equipment			794,152		865,787
Group :761 - combined, in the same housing, with radio-broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus	No.	32,297	163,029	29,976	173,598
:762 - Radio-broadcast receivers, whether or not combined, in the same housing with sound recording or reproducing apparatus or a clock	"	61,489	50,189	55,681	65,472
:763 - Sound recorders or reproducers; television image & sound recorders or reproducers; prepared unrecorded media	"	34,359	72,175	30,962	113,805
:764 - Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s.; & parts, n.e.s., & accessories etc.	- . -	- . -	508,759	- . -	512,912

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

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

Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :77 - <i>Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s., & parts thereof</i>			1,263,326		1,406,947
Group :771 - Electric power machinery of household type equipment (other than rotating electric plant) & parts thereof	--	--	127,470	--	104,201
:772 - Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits or for making connections to or in electrical circuits, n.e.s.	tonne	--	271,566	731	299,861
:773 - Equipment for distributing electricity, n.e.s.	"	1,955	147,500	1,753	130,785
:774 - Electro-diagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences & radiological apparatus	--	--	28,543	--	42,414
:775 - Household type, electrical & non-electrical equipment, n.e.s.	"	"	430,705	"	516,959
:776 - Thermionic, cold cathode or photo-cathode valves & tubes; diodes, transistors & similar semi-conductor devices, etc.	"	"	41,980	"	59,484
:778 - Electrical machinery & apparatus, n.e.s.	"	"	215,562	"	253,243
Division :78 - <i>Road vehicles (including air-cushions vehicles)</i>			2,139,179		2,764,395
Group :81 - Motor cars & other motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons, including station wagons & racing cars	No.	5,088	1,071,778	5,060	1,127,460
:82 - Motor vehicles for the transport of goods & special purpose motor vehicles	"	2,641	645,678	4,093	1,093,391
:83 - Road motor vehicles, n.e.s.	"	267	96,019	405	155,091
:84 - Parts & accessories of the motor vehicles of groups 722, 781, 782 & 783	--	--	176,654	--	201,872
:85 - Motorcycles (including mopeds) & cycles, motorised & non-motorised; invalid carriages	"	"	119,426	"	151,032
:86 - Trailers & semi-trailers; other vehicles not mechanically propelled; specially designed & equipped transport containers	"	"	29,624	"	35,549
Division :79 - <i>Other transport equipment</i>			3,662,239		740,581
Group :91 - Railway vehicles (including hovertrains) and associated equipment	--	--	18	--	--
:92 - Aircraft & associated equipment; spacecraft (including satellites) & parts thereof	"	"	3,545,918	"	702,074
:93 - Ships, boats (including hovercraft) & floating structures	No.	853	116,303	699	38,507
Section :8 - <i>Miscellaneous manufactured articles</i>			(3,804,037)		(4,232,843)
Division :81 - <i>Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.</i>			286,820		369,759
Group :811 - Prefabricated buildings	tonne	1,870	85,099	1,713	173,925
:812 - Sanitary, plumbing & heating fixtures & fittings, n.e.s.	--	--	105,841	--	93,049
:813 - Lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s.	"	"	95,880	"	102,785

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :82	Furniture & parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress support, cushions & similar stuffed furnishings			120,890		139,051
Group :821	Furniture & parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions & similar stuffed furnishings	- . -	- . -	120,890	- . -	139,051
Division :83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers			19,551		23,533
Group :831	Trunks, suit-cases, vanity-cases, executive-cases, brief-cases, school satchels & similar containers	- . -	- . -	19,551	- . -	23,533
Division :84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories			468,392		439,227
Group :841	Men's or boys' coats, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear, knitwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	- . -	- . -	17,786	- . -	34,681
:842	Women's & girls' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts underwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	"	"	35,437	"	43,117
:843	Men's or boys' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts, underwear, nightwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	No.	35,902	1,396	66,213	2,326
:844	Women's & girls' coats, capes, jackets, suits, blazers, trousers, shorts, shirts underwear, nightwear & similar articles of textile fabrics, knitted or crocheted	"	503,821	8,260	818,468	11,975
:845	Articles of apparel, of textile fabrics, whether or not knitted or crocheted, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	270,127	- . -	209,450
:846	Clothing accessories, of textile fabrics, whether or not knitted or crocheted, (other than those for babies) ²	"	"	85,559	"	104,055
:848	Articles of apparel & clothing accessories of other than textile fabrics; headgear of all materials	"	"	49,827	"	33,623
Division :85	Footwear			165,816		161,429
Group :851	Footwear	- . -	- . -	165,816	- . -	161,429
Division :87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s			277,874		267,142
Group :871	Optical instruments & apparatus, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	10,675	- . -	11,782
:872	Instruments & appliances, n.e.s., for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purpose	"	"	87,957	"	76,459
:873	Meters & counters, n.e.s.	"	"	13,269	"	28,752
:874	Measuring, checking, analysis & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s.	"	"	165,973	"	150,149

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Table 23 (cont'd) - Imports by section, division and group, 1997 - 1998

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

	Commodity	Unit	1997 ¹		1998 ²	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Division :88	- <i>Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches & clocks</i>			562,163		762,434
Group :881	- Photographic apparatus and equipment, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	38,758	- . -	30,694
:882	- Photographic and cinematographic supplies	"	"	82,692	"	98,901
:883	- Cinematograph film, exposed and developed, whether or not incorporating sound track or consisting only of sound track	000 metre	3,462	9,078	3,656	10,923
:884	- Optical goods, n.e.s.	- . -	- . -	93,088	- . -	99,227
:885	- Watches and clocks	"	"	338,547	"	522,689
Division :89	- <i>Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.</i>			1,902,531		2,070,268
Group :891	- Arms and ammunition	- . -	- . -	3,385	- . -	1,985
:892	- Printed matter	tonne	1,919	364,131	1,857	416,719
:893	- Articles, n.e.s. of plastics	"	9,114	486,600	9,106	562,050
:894	- Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods	- . -	- . -	112,953	- . -	127,828
:895	- Office and stationary supplies, n.e.s.	"	"	79,440	"	84,582
:896	- Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	"	"	823	"	1,074
:897	- Jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares, & other articles of precious or semi-precious materials, n.e.s.	tonne	48	430,460	39	379,576
:898	- Musical instruments & parts & accessories thereof; records, tapes & other sound or similar recordings (excluding goods of groups 763, 882 & 883)	- . -	- . -	103,339	- . -	118,343
:899	- Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	"	"	321,400	"	378,111
Section :9	- Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the S.I.T.C.			(425,271)		(191,368)
Division :97	- <i>Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)</i>			425,271		191,368
Group :971	- Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	tonne	7	425,271	4	191,368

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Table 24 - Net EPZ exports, 1997 - 1998

Value : Million Rupees

	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
A. Total exports (f.o.b)	23,049	26,075	4,675	5,971	6,016	6,387	5,042	6,676	6,704	7,653
B. Total imports (c.i.f)	13,880	16,179	2,758	3,635	3,656	3,831	3,698	4,378	4,121	3,982
<i>Raw materials</i>	<i>12,442</i>	<i>14,693</i>	<i>2,548</i>	<i>3,282</i>	<i>3,304</i>	<i>3,308</i>	<i>3,306</i>	<i>3,896</i>	<i>3,765</i>	<i>3,726</i>
<i>Machinery</i>	<i>1,438</i>	<i>1,486</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>353</i>	<i>352</i>	<i>523</i>	<i>392</i>	<i>482</i>	<i>356</i>	<i>256</i>
Net Exports (A - B)	9,169	9,896	1,917	2,336	2,360	2,556	1,344	2,298	2,583	3,671
Net Exports as % of total exports	40	38	41	39	39	40	27	34	39	48

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Table 25 - EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1997 - 1998

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

Country of destination	1997 ¹		1998 ²		1997 ¹				1998 ²			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total EPZ Exports	23,049		26,075		4,675	5,971	6,016	6,387	5,042	6,576	6,704	7,653
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	22,355		25,322		4,509	5,798	5,853	6,195	4,890	6,538	6,485	7,409
(a) European Union Countries	(16,304)		(17,690)		(3,450)	(4,208)	(4,052)	(4,594)	(3,398)	(4,445)	(4,496)	(5,351)
Belgium	599		647		117	173	138	171	127	191	152	177
France	5,669		6,259		1,203	1,541	1,245	1,680	1,023	1,673	1,393	2,170
Germany	1,630		1,922		326	384	445	475	339	445	657	481
Italy	1,153		1,163		305	235	248	365	259	264	244	396
Netherlands	644		784		172	141	155	176	129	213	203	239
Reunion	237		277		42	63	69	63	38	81	75	83
Spain	693		796		100	182	212	199	120	196	274	206
Sweden	146		134		30	38	36	42	34	35	33	32
United Kingdom	5,341		5,488		1,093	1,418	1,451	1,379	1,254	1,318	1,406	1,510
Other	192		220		62	33	53	44	75	29	59	57
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(6,051)		(7,632)		(1,059)	(1,590)	(1,801)	(1,601)	(1,492)	(2,093)	(1,989)	(2,058)
Australia	116		67		18	33	41	24	12	19	20	16
Canada	185		253		43	48	55	39	46	90	77	40
Hong kong	98		87		18	29	12	39	44	19	8	16
Malagasy, Republic of	757		835		177	191	188	201	262	238	77	258
Singapore	38		20		8	12	6	12	5	4	3	8
South Africa, Republic of	76		99		31	10	17	18	24	28	14	33
U.S.A	4,354		6,053		695	1,133	1,369	1,157	1,010	1,635	1,766	1,642
Zimbabwe	208		88		36	71	48	53	31	35	12	10
Other	219		130		33	63	65	58	58	25	12	35
2. General Tariff Countries	694		753		166	173	163	192	152	138	219	244
Japan	138		146		38	25	41	34	31	38	40	37
Switzerland	355		367		83	98	85	89	62	71	109	125
Other	201		240		45	50	37	69	59	29	70	82

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Table 26 - EPZ exports of selected commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

SITC section/description	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total EPZ Exports	23,049	26,075	4,675	5,971	6,016	6,387	5,042	6,576	6,704	7,653
0 - Food and live animals of which :	1,249	1,315	222	334	303	390	295	319	362	339
Fish & fish preparations	894	939	164	239	209	282	204	205	288	242
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	90	145	4	25	8	53	13	33	38	61
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s	35	56	7	6	11	11	18	7	12	19
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material of which :	2,043	1,783	491	560	502	490	537	507	226	513
Textile yarn, fabrics, made up articles	1,310	1,062	316	354	309	331	391	284	72	315
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	476	446	119	134	130	93	97	144	92	113
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	96	99	23	15	29	29	22	38	22	17
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles of which :	19,536	22,674	3,926	5,031	5,163	5,416	4,157	5,772	6,043	6,702
Articles of apparel and clothing	18,142	21,121	3,619	4,650	4,840	5,033	3,845	5,442	5,605	6,229
Optical goods	213	206	48	56	52	57	46	28	62	70
Watches and clocks	409	508	95	103	87	124	91	105	158	154
Toys, games and sporting goods	104	78	31	40	24	9	4	22	35	17
Jewellery, goldsmiths & silversmiths wares	291	327	59	82	63	87	62	72	88	105

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Table 27 - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
001.90.90			5,665	129,339
Live animal excluding HS 0101-0105 & dogs	United Kingdom	Unit	1,269	39,418
	U.S.A	"	3,751	75,312
	Other	"	645	14,609
017.60.00			2,286	144,190
Meat & offal (other than liver), of bovine animals, prepared or preserved, n.e.s	United Kingdom	tonne	2,125	131,970
	Other	"	161	12,220
037.13.00			12,605	933,524
Tunas, Skipjack & Atlantic bonito	France	tonne	16	1,322
	Germany	"	4,129	310,101
	Greece	"	90	6,004
	Netherlands	"	1,864	124,731
	United Kingdom	"	5,912	451,929
	Other	"	594	39,437
081.99.20			2,873	73,350
Pet foods other than dog or cat food	Japan	tonne	2,725	68,799
	Other	"	148	4,551
277.19.00			-.-	102,444
Industrial diamonds, worked, but not mounted or set	Belgium	"	"	101,413
	Other	"	"	1,031
651.13.00			740	200,585
Yarn of combed wool, not put up for retail sales containing > 85% of wool	Malagasy, Rep of	tonne	735	199,116
	Other	"	5	1,469
652.34.90			122	38,246
Printed woven fabrics of cotton, containing not less than 85% by weight of cotton, n.e.s not more than 200g/m ²	United.Kingdom	tonne	55	23,843
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	31	8,003
	Other	"	36	6,400
652.43.00			4,839	362,626
Other woven fabrics; containing 85% or more by weight of cotton, denim, weighing more than 200g/m ²	Hong Kong	tonne	503	46,668
	Kenya	"	70	5,110
	Lesotho	"	141	10,184
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	2,770	187,269
	South Africa	"	106	8,391
	Spain	"	107	9,542
	United Kingdom	"	423	36,749
	Zimbabwe	"	421	33,481
	Other	"	298	25,232

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
655.12.10			1,047	220,219
Pile fabrics, including "long pile" fabrics,	Malagasy, Rep of	tonne	1,017	213,244
	Other	"	30	6,975
655.23.20			121	28,636
Other fabrics, warp knit (including those made on galloon knitting machines)	Malagasy, Rep of	"	121	28,625
	Other	"	-	11
664.94.90			8	183,606
Clock and watch glasses and similar glasses, glasses for non-corrective spectacles, etc	Switzerland	tonne	7	175,776
	Other	"	1	7,830
667.21.00				
Diamonds, rough, unsorted	Belgium	carrat	-.	30,149
		"	-.	30,149
667.29.00				
Non-industrial diamonds, otherwise worked but not mounted or set	Australia	carrat	-.	57,631
	Belgium	"	-.	248,662
	U.S.A	"	-.	60,538
	Other	"	-.	16,598
744.89.91			65	40,862
Sugar cane loaders	Kenya	No.	10	5,744
	Singapore	"	2	1,160
	South Africa	"	47	30,074
	Other	"	6	3,884
841.21.00			25	47,159
Suits of wool or fine animal hair	Germany	1000 No.	25	45,091
	Other	"	-	2,068
841.30.10			77	93,097
Men's or boy's jacket & blazers of wool or fine animal hair not knitted/crocheted	Germany	1000 No.	77	92,282
	Other	"	-	815

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
841.30.90			80	38,490
Men's or boy's jacket & blazers of other textile materials not knitted/crocheted	France	1000 No.	51	28,811
	United Kingdom	"	20	5,248
	Other	"	9	4,431
841.40.10			194	98,656
Men's or boys' bib,short etc of wool,not knitted or crocheted	Germany	1000 No.	123	73,461
	Other	"	71	25,195
841.40.20			16,500	3,300,901
Men's or boy's trousers, bib & brace, overalls, breeches & shorts of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	Belgium	1000 No.	117	20,135
	France	"	2,083	404,740
	Germany	"	67	9,553
	Netherlands	"	612	125,430
	Reunion	"	148	17,666
	Spain	"	50	10,999
	United Kingdom	"	5,175	979,174
	Canada	"	129	23,971
	Sweden	"	67	13,662
	U.S.A	"	7,631	1,622,872
	Zimbabwe	"	76	6,960
	Other	"	345	65,739
841.40.30			105	27,511
Men's or boy's trousers, bib & brace, overalls, breeches & shorts of synthetic fibres, not knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	87	23,403
	United Kingdom	"	3	918
	Other	"	15	3,190
841.40.90			426	101,419
Trousers, bib & brace overalls, breeches & shorts of other textile materials	Germany	1000 No.	62	15,283
	France	"	146	48,250
	Reunion	"	35	3,669
	United Kingdom	"	160	30,111
	Other	"	23	4,106

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
841.51.00	Total		11,492	2,746,761
Men's or boy's shirts of cotton not knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	1,947	449,054
	Germany	"	386	88,468
	Italy	"	239	60,060
	Netherlands	"	311	71,504
	Spain	"	679	161,685
	United Kingdom	"	2,513	522,296
	Canada	"	134	33,893
	Sweden	"	39	8,864
	U.S.A	"	4,566	1,195,274
	Japan	"	129	35,030
	Other	"	549	120,633
841.59.90	Total		1,081	192,125
Men's or boys' shirts of other textile materials	France	1000 No.	277	48,174
	Spain	"	58	9,853
	United Kingdom	"	670	123,957
	U.S.A	"	20	2,883
	Other	"	56	7,258
842.40.20	Total		609	125,170
Dresses of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	73	10,040
	United Kingdom	"	295	66,226
	U.S.A	"	181	40,727
	Other	"	60	8,177
842.50.20	Total		694	107,912
Women's or girls' skirts & divided skirts of cotton	United Kingdom	1000 No.	47	13,890
	U.S.A	"	535	77,556
	Other	"	112	16,466
842.60.20	Total		6,782	1,191,216
Women's or girls' trousers, bib & brace, overalls, breeches & shorts of cotton not knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	237	47,002
	Germany	"	49	8,158
	Netherlands	"	166	32,134
	United Kingdom	"	231	50,225
	Canada	"	78	14,969
	U.S.A	"	5,893	1,018,795
	Other	"	128	19,933

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
842.60.90			426	112,267
Women's or girls' trousers, bib & brace, overalls, breeches & shorts of other textile materials	France	1000 No.	115	50,712
	Germany	"	154	19,803
	United Kingdom	"	41	12,963
	U.S.A	"	104	27,462
	Other	"	12	1,327
842.70.30			1,452	312,656
Women's or girls' blouses, shirts & shorts-blouses of cotton, not knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	305	54,086
	United Kingdom	"	141	24,962
	Italy	"	41	12,198
	U.S.A	"	834	194,037
	Other	"	131	27,373
842.70.90			356	74,634
Women's or girls blouses, etc of other textile materials	France	1000 No.	43	8,185
	Germany	"	193	33,306
	Italy	"	55	20,760
	Other	"	65	12,383
842.81.90			560	29,611
Slips & petticoats of other textile material	France	1000 No.	521	27,182
	Other	"	39	2,429
843.23.90			481	136,635
Men's/boys' jacket etc of other textile knitted or crocheted, other	France	1000 No.	33	9,050
	Germany	"	172	48,314
	Spain	"	36	9,841
	United Kingdom	"	101	28,800
	U.S.A.	"	21	5,701
	Other	"	118	34,929
843.24.20			730	74,751
Women's or girls dresses of cotton knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	284	26,417
	United Kingdom	"	185	23,261
	Italy	"	70	6,487
	Reunion	"	86	9,227
	Spain	"	16	1,596
	Germany	"	31	2,865
	Other	"	58	4,898

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
843.24.90			481	56,657
Men's or boys' trouser, bib, breech etc of other textile nes, knitted/crocheted	Spain	1000 No.	39	9,958
	United Kingdom	"	46	8,884
	Italy	"	51	12,545
	Reunion	"	47	3,911
	U.S.A.	"	217	11,528
	Other	"	81	9,831
843.71.00			7,358	815,241
Men's or boys' shirts, knitted or crocheted, of cotton	Belgium	1000 No.	67	6,883
	France	"	2,426	274,048
	Germany	"	250	29,564
	Italy	"	241	39,615
	Spain	"	197	22,866
	United Kingdom	"	1,945	228,696
	U.S.A	"	1,843	168,247
	Other	"	389	45,322
844.22.20			256	29,383
Ensembles of wool or fine animal hair	France	1000 No.	25	3,546
	Netherlands	"	33	2,215
	Italy	"	56	7,368
	Reunion	"	16	1,154
	United Kingdom	"	71	11,806
	Zimbabwe	"	38	868
	Other	"	17	2,426
844.24.20			581	67,872
Women's or girls' dresses of cotton knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	222	27,497
	Germany	"	58	6,275
	Netherlands	"	68	5,334
	United Kingdom	"	112	14,145
	Other	"	121	14,621
844.26.20			1,778	176,354
Women's or girls' trouser, bib, breech, short etc of cotton, knitted or crocheted	France	1000 No.	563	68,469
	Italy	"	93	5,495
	Reunion	"	89	7,923
	United Kingdom	"	350	39,735
	U.S.A	"	447	37,215
	Other	"	236	17,517

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
844.26.90 Women's or girls' trouser, etc of textile excl 610461-63, knitted or crocheted			724	49,532
	Italy	1000 No.	72	5,292
	Canada	"	356	26,765
	U.S.A	"	258	13,335
	Other	"	38	4,140
844.70.10 Women's or girls' blouses, shirts etc. of cotton, knitted or crocheted			2,837	230,109
	France	1000 No.	26	3,651
	U.S.A	"	2,502	183,188
	Other	"	309	43,270
844.70.90 Women's or girls' blouses, shirts etc. of other textile material, knitted or crocheted			197	33,864
	Italy	1000 No.	45	20,275
	U.S.A	"	148	13,010
	Other	"	4	579
845.12.20 Babies' garment & clothing accessories of cotton, knitted or crocheted			69	36,905
	France	Tonne	13	7,645
	Germany	"	6	4,093
	United Kingdom	"	7	3,888
	U.S.A	"	28	13,934
	Other	"	15	7,345
845.30.10 Jerseys, pullovers, cardigan, waist-coat etc of wool, knitted or crocheted			6,343	1,670,436
	Belgium	1000 No.	104	29,564
	France	"	1,915	563,420
	Germany	"	1,144	269,218
	Italy	"	495	107,016
	Portugal	"	34	8,546
	Sweden	"	54	12,435
	Spain	"	553	102,841
	Netherlands	"	178	41,752
	United Kingdom	"	746	237,894
	U.S.A	"	910	249,155
	Other	"	210	48,595
845.30.20 Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waistcoats & similar articles, knitted or crocheted of cotton			4,752	969,099
	Belgium	1000 No.	105	14,618
	France	"	1,071	242,686
	Germany	"	784	153,738
	Italy	"	326	74,304
	Spain	"	128	26,728
	Netherlands	"	289	54,667
	Sweden	"	40	8,361
	United Kingdom	"	1,337	281,959
	U.S.A.	"	530	82,458
	Other	"	142	29,580
845.30.30 Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waistcoats & similar articles, knitted or crocheted of man-made fibres			618	87,295
	U.S.A	1000 No.	613	86,040
	Other	"	5	1,255

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
845.30.90			3,576	1,036,733
Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waistcoats & similar articles, of other textile materials, knitted or crocheted	Belgium	1000 No.	51	13,873
	France	"	1,617	473,431
	Germany	"	396	122,954
	Italy	"	310	97,906
	Netherlands	"	50	13,819
	Spain	"	303	70,455
	United Kingdom	"	420	141,197
	U.S.A.	"	275	63,692
	Other	"	154	39,406
845.40.10			61,617	5,638,338
T-Shirts, singlets & other vests, of cotton, knitted or crocheted	Austria	1000 No.	408	20,705
	Belgium	"	977	92,333
	Canada	"	222	16,452
	Denmark	"	430	30,958
	France	"	21,943	1,983,109
	Germany	"	5,910	431,934
	Italy	"	4,496	573,787
	Netherlands	"	1,656	156,546
	Norway	"	268	15,402
	Reunion	"	1,818	101,439
	Spain	"	892	102,330
	Sweden	"	804	64,789
	Switzerland	"	411	24,337
	U.S.A.	"	2,564	261,928
	United Kingdom	"	17,687	1,671,695
	Other	"	1,131	90,594
845.40.90			3,620	313,345
T-Shirts, singlets & other vests, of other textile materials, knitted or crocheted	Canada	1000 No.	1,339	75,796
	France	"	400	46,100
	Italy	"	57	16,071
	Netherlands	"	38	10,983
	Spain	"	56	14,396
	United Kingdom	"	552	54,336
	U.S.A.	"	950	70,188
	Other	"	228	25,475
845.51.00			174	203,854
Brassieres	France	tonne	54	101,281
	Netherlands	"	88	73,172
	United Kingdom	"	12	12,092
	U.S.A.	"	7	7,556
	Other	"	13	9,753
845.91.90			125	46,966
Track suits of other textile materials	France	1000 No.	42	15,956
	Spain	"	43	21,031
	Other	"	40	9,979
874.46.00			983	222,772
Other instruments & apparatus for physical or chemical analysis	Spain	1000 No.	964	187,646
	Portugal	"	19	35,126

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Table 27 (cont'd) - Main EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1998¹

Value (f.o.b) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of destination	Unit	Quantity	Value
884.15.00			1,838	49,265
Spectacle lenses of glass, unmounted	France	1000 No.	691	22,957
	United Kingdo	"	441	13,644
	Other	"	706	12,664
			2,865	118,373
884.23.10				
Sunglasses	France	1000 No.	548	24,579
	U.S.A	"	1,766	61,003
	Switzerland	"	164	11,454
	Other	"	387	21,337
		1000 No.	663	103,524
885.31.20				
Wrist watches etc nes of precious metal with opto-electronic display only	France	"	650	101,430
	Other	"	13	2,094
			1,033	127,698
885.39.10				
Pocket watches etc nes of precious metal, battery operated excl wrist-watch	France	1000 No.	1,015	124,552
	Other	"	18	3,146
			1,747	79,598
885.51.90				
Other watch movements, complete or assembled, battery or accumulator powered	France	1000 No.	691	38,689
	Switzerland	"	1,029	39,713
	Hong Kong	"	27	1,196
			19	117,051
885.93.90				
Watch straps, bands and bracelets and parts thereof	France	tonne	17	105,338
	Switzerland	"	1	11,582
	Other	"	1	131
			2	40,204
885.99.30				
Dials of clocks and watches	Switzerland	tonne	2	38,182
	Other	"	-	2,022
			347	29,265
894.25.10				
Toys representing animals or non human creatures stuffed	France	1000 No.	280	22,264
	Germany	"	43	4,366
	Other	"	24	2,635
				83,515
897.31.19				
Articles or jewellery & parts thereof of other precious metal whether or not plated or clad with precious metal	France	- . -	- . -	69,200
	Other	- . -	- . -	14,315
				41,630
897.32.11				
Articles of silversmiths' ware plated/clad or not with other precious metals	Germany	- . -	- . -	17,546
	U.S.A	- . -	- . -	16,056
	Other	- . -	- . -	8,028
				140,171
897.32.19				
Articles of other precious metal, whether or not plated or clad with precious metal	France	- . -	- . -	99,788
	U.S.A	- . -	- . -	28,496
	Other	- . -	- . -	11,887

Table 28 - EPZ imports of selected commodities by section, 1997 - 1998

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

SITC section/description	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1997 ¹				1998 ²			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Total EPZ Imports	13,880	16,179	2,758	3,635	3,656	3,831	3,698	4,378	4,121	3,982
0 - Food and live animals	545	721	102	151	186	106	113	210	224	174
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,060	1,363	225	298	250	287	318	292	379	374
of which :										
Cotton	487	679	77	147	120	143	164	124	202	189
Synthetic fibres suitable for spinning	12	15	4	5	2	1	4	3	3	5
Wool and other animal hair	311	380	89	82	57	83	79	101	93	107
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related products	21	21	1	18	1	1	16	3	2	-
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s	597	742	116	146	166	169	153	199	211	179
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	8,660	10,186	1,711	2,343	2,342	2,264	2,341	2,763	2,542	2,540
of which :										
Leather	124	144	30	29	31	34	35	38	33	38
Textile yarn and fabrics	7,520	8,888	1,491	2,072	2,007	1,950	2,032	2,424	2,237	2,195
Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones	446	433	109	102	124	111	87	104	107	135
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	1,438	1,486	210	353	352	523	392	482	356	256
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,319	1,619	320	278	296	425	357	414	394	454
of which :										
Optical goods, watches & clocks	321	511	65	78	72	106	134	148	105	124
Jewellery, goldsmiths & silversmiths wares	310	313	123	28	30	129	60	67	85	101
9 - Other commodities & transactions, n.e.s	240	40	73	48	63	56	8	15	12	5

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Table 29 - EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1997 - 1998

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

Country of origin	1997 ¹				1998 ²				1997 ¹				1998 ²			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	13,880	10,516	11,862	16,179	2,758	3,635	3,656	3,831	3,698	4,378	4,121	3,982	2,658	3,228	3,021	2,955
(a) European Union Countries	(4,552)	(418)	(5,218)	(16,179)	(965)	(1,131)	(1,159)	(1,297)	(1,157)	(1,500)	(1,256)	(1,305)	(1,157)	(1,500)	(1,256)	(1,305)
Belgium	418	437	437	437	81	105	123	109	89	115	97	136	89	115	97	136
France	1,486	2,040	2,040	2,040	328	420	355	383	478	591	456	515	478	591	456	515
Germany	1,020	755	755	755	262	208	194	356	175	228	199	153	175	228	199	153
Italy	740	1,029	1,029	1,029	135	184	211	210	226	293	258	252	226	293	258	252
Netherlands	31	32	32	32	8	6	9	8	5	8	11	8	5	8	11	8
Sweden	38	48	48	48	2	3	19	14	23	7	12	6	23	7	12	6
Spain	334	352	352	352	54	84	104	92	48	104	98	102	48	104	98	102
United Kingdom	400	416	416	416	81	101	120	98	84	130	99	103	84	130	99	103
Other	85	109	109	109	14	20	24	27	29	24	26	30	29	24	26	30
(b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries	(5,964)	(6,644)	(6,644)	(6,644)	(1,111)	(1,624)	(1,589)	(1,640)	(1,501)	(1,728)	(1,765)	(1,650)	(1,501)	(1,728)	(1,765)	(1,650)
Australia	210	219	219	219	51	54	54	51	32	72	61	54	32	72	61	54
Bahamas	66	13	13	13	24	40	2	-	13	-	-	-	13	-	-	-
Hong kong	1,711	2,173	2,173	2,173	304	483	488	436	447	602	562	562	447	602	562	562
India	2,191	2,441	2,441	2,441	392	563	599	637	571	606	662	602	571	606	662	602
Malagasy, Republic of	133	201	201	201	29	31	38	35	43	38	58	39	43	38	58	39
Malaysia	281	272	272	272	31	101	69	80	72	78	48	74	72	78	48	74
New Zealand	115	161	161	161	21	31	22	41	30	18	59	54	30	18	59	54
Pakistan	215	216	216	216	35	51	54	75	51	50	61	54	51	50	61	54
Singapore	222	204	204	204	35	60	50	77	57	69	47	31	57	69	47	31
South Africa, Republic of	475	423	423	423	76	137	127	135	117	90	90	126	117	90	90	126
U.S.A.	188	199	199	199	50	37	51	50	44	50	56	49	44	50	56	49
Other	157	122	122	122	63	36	35	23	24	32	61	5	24	32	61	5
2. General Tariff Countries	3,364	4,317	4,317	4,317	682	880	908	894	1,040	1,150	1,100	1,027	1,040	1,150	1,100	1,027
Burkina Faso	159	179	179	179	-	59	57	43	22	28	88	41	22	28	88	41
Cameroon	80	47	47	47	-	37	20	23	27	-	-	20	27	-	-	20
China	1,120	1,677	1,677	1,677	222	282	315	301	421	442	468	346	421	442	468	346
Indonesia	150	217	217	217	32	33	37	48	46	52	70	49	46	52	70	49
Japan	251	314	314	314	38	57	72	84	80	115	55	64	80	115	55	64
Korea, Republic of	54	95	95	95	20	17	9	8	19	31	28	17	19	31	28	17
Macau	69	30	30	30	24	37	7	1	10	15	5	-	10	15	5	-
Mali	46	200	200	200	17	-	-	29	97	80	23	-	97	80	23	-
Mexico	47	25	25	25	20	18	9	-	10	15	-	-	10	15	-	-
Switzerland	401	472	472	472	80	96	101	124	98	130	120	124	98	130	120	124
Taiwan	742	658	658	658	195	182	205	160	161	196	148	153	161	196	148	153
Other	245	403	403	403	34	62	76	73	49	46	95	213	49	46	95	213

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Table 30 - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) :Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
034.23.20			24,218	694,868
Tunas, Skipjack or strippe-bellied bonito, frozen	France	tonne	8,775	258,048
	Spain	"	10,245	285,394
	Bahamas	"	495	12,521
	Other	"	4,703	138,905
263.10.00			13,607	599,299
Cotton not carded or combed	Burkina Faso	tonne	4,198	179,314
	Cameroon	"	1,138	47,355
	Canada	"	250	10,890
	Central African Rep	"	500	23,107
	Cote D'Ivoire	"	1,999	95,126
	Mali	"	4,513	200,160
	South Africa	"	500	23,472
	Other	"	509	19,875
268.21.90			1,895	175,900
Other wool, not carded or combed	Australia	tonne	576	63,246
	New Zealand	"	1,120	93,138
	Other	"	199	19,516
268.59.00			606	61,101
Other coarse animal hair, not carded or combed	Australia	tonne	199	23,105
	New Zealand	"	99	7,634
	United Kingdom	"	109	8,782
	Other	"	199	21,580
268.71.20			240	32,806
Carded wool	South Africa	tonne	193	28,911
	Australia	"	32	2,838
	Other	"	15	1,057
277.11.00				100,358
Industrial diamond unworked or simply sawn, cleaved/bruted, not mounted	Belgium	carat	-.-	100,325
	Other	"	-.-	33
531.19.00			300	24,236
Other Synthetic organic colouring matter of two or more of subheading 531.1	United Kingdom	tonne	184	6,829
	China	"	74	13,951
	Other	"	42	3,456
554.23.00			609	28,852
Surface active / washing preparation containing soap or not, n.e.s	Germany	tonne	195	12,115
	South Africa	"	41	1,446
	China	"	288	5,745
	Japan	"	46	5,952
	Other	"	39	3,594
598.91.11			1,121	49,060
Finishing agent, dye carriers with a basis of amylaceous substances of a kind used in the textile industry	United Kingdom	tonne	887	39,359
	Other	"	234	9,701
611.79.00			61	73,366
Leather of other animal hairs, n.e.s. excluding those of heading 611.8	France	tonne	54	56,884
	Other	"	7	16,482

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
641.26.00			1,120	21,980
Printing paper, roll or sheet weighting $\geq 40\text{g/m}^2$	Finland	tonne	20	485
	Sweden	"	349	8,896
	South Africa	"	714	11,747
	Other	"	37	852
641.41.90			3,450	34,230
Uncoated kraft paper and paperboard, in rolls or sheets (unbleached)	Sweden	tonne	423	3,702
	Australia	"	593	5,781
	South Africa	"	2,135	21,782
	Thailand	"	264	2,065
	Other	"	35	900
651.12.00			1,425	366,723
Yarn or carded wool, not put up for retail sale, containing $> 85\%$ by weight of wool	France	tonne	210	85,348
	United Kingdom	"	63	27,036
	Italy	"	71	35,751
	New Zealand	"	209	46,148
	China	"	484	88,070
	Macau	"	56	15,672
	Taiwan	"	218	43,288
	Other	"	114	25,410
651.13.00			195	50,016
Yarn of combed wool, not put up for retail sale, containing $\geq 85\%$ of wool	United Kingdom	tonne	10	4,035
	China	"	77	17,497
	Korea, Rep of	"	65	16,662
	Other	"	43	11,822
651.14.10			12	23,628
Yarn of fine animal hair (carded or combed), not put up for retail sale	Korea, Rep of	tonne	4	8,370
	United Kingdom	"	2	6,341
	Other	"	6	8,917
651.17.00			260	69,420
Yarn of carded wool, not put up for retail sales containing $< 85\%$ of weight of wool	Italy	tonne	182	49,556
	Other	"	78	19,864
651.33.11			4,714	431,576
Uncombed single cotton yarn, containing $> 85\%$ by weight of cotton, not for retail sale	India	tonne	3,410	267,633
	Italy	"	187	27,598
	Pakistan	"	194	14,161
	South Africa	"	40	2,931
	China	"	713	100,515
	Other	"	170	18,738
651.33.21			1,762	150,235
Single yarn. of combed fibres measuring 714.29 decitex	France	tonne	34	4,490
	India	"	1,664	137,323
	Italy	"	45	6,655
	Other	"	19	1,767

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
651.33.24			2,556	230,418
Cotton yarn measuring < 192.31 decitex but not less than 125 decitex	India	tonne	1,133	88,825
	France	"	124	19,147
	Italy	"	66	8,557
	Pakistan	"	905	85,723
	Taiwan	"	268	23,159
	Other	"	60	5,007
651.33.35			2,136	177,063
Uncombed cabled cotton yarn, with greater or equal to 85%	India	tonne	2,071	168,235
	Other	"	65	8,828
651.33.42			919	88,161
Combed cabled cotton yarn, with greater or equal to 85%	India	tonne	245	19,505
	Pakistan	"	539	48,945
	Other	"	135	19,711
651.33.44			12,954	1,077,013
Multiple (folded) or cabled yarn, of combed fibres measuring per single yarn not less than 192.31decitex, etc	Australia	tonne	227	21,337
	China	"	15	2,379
	India	"	10,765	864,030
	Italy	"	550	67,329
	Pakistan	"	446	39,745
	Other	"	951	82,193
651.33.46			3,702	277,233
Multiple or cabled yarn measuring more than 106.38 decitex	India	tonne	3,531	249,286
	Other	"	171	27,947
651.34.12			1,201	123,752
Uncomb single cotton yarn, with < 85% cotton, not put up for retail sales	India	tonne	310	29,192
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	809	76,496
	Other	"	82	18,064
651.41.00			132	29,231
Sewing thread of man-made synthetic filaments	China	tonne	18	3,811
	Singapore	"	12	2,955
	Hong Kong	"	86	14,728
	Other	"	16	7,737
651.62.20			331	37,945
High tenacity yarn of polyesters, not for retail sale	Hong Kong	tonne	207	22,280
	Other	"	124	15,665
651.63.30			243	48,927
Single polyesters yarn, n.e.s, > = 50 turns/m	Hong Kong	tonne	226	46,989
	Other	"	17	1,938
651.84.21			178	32,342
Yarn, < 85% acrylic or modacrylic staple fibres, with wool, not put up for retail sales	France	tonne	117	21,042
	Italy	"	28	7,240
	Indonesia	"	33	4,060

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
651.84.99			209	48,022
Yarn, >85% synthetic staple fibres,n.e.s, not put up for retail sale	France	tonne	64	11,672
	Italy	"	112	28,800
	China	"	2	186
	Indonesia	"	4	493
	Taiwan	"	19	4,368
	Other	"	8	2,503
652.15.10			530	104,661
Cut curduroy of cotton	Hong Kong	tonne	236	46,359
	China	"	258	46,850
	Other	"	36	11,452
652.21.90			1,026	161,012
Coloured plain cotton weave containing >85% by weight of cotton	Hong Kong	tonne	106	20,610
	Indonesia	"	74	9,645
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	334	42,505
	Pakistan	"	59	7,330
	China	"	328	58,998
	Italy	"	23	10,623
	Other	"	102	11,301
652.22.90			79	15,976
Unbleached cotton fabrics,with >=85% cotton, >=200g/m ² , n.e.s.	Mexico	tonne	32	8,580
	Other	"	47	7,396
652.33.20			84	54,354
Coloured plain cotton weave containing > 85% by weight of cotton	France	tonne	16	9,095
	Italy	"	37	29,723
	Spain	"	9	6,609
	Other	"	22	8,927
652.33.90			242	69,596
Coloured woven cotton fabrics, with >=85% cotton, nes	France	tonne	20	10,830
	Italy	"	4	2,443
	Hong Kong	"	137	29,999
	Malagasy, Rep of	"	22	6,087
	Taiwan	"	37	11,247
	Other	"	22	8,990
652.34.90			2,207	489,800
Printed woven cotton fabrics, with >=85% cotton, nes	Germany	tonne	10	4,790
	France	"	49	14,419
	Italy	"	124	52,330
	Hong Kong	"	1,003	202,114
	China	"	430	82,135
	Mexico	"	61	15,420
	Taiwan	"	323	71,206
	Other	"	207	47,386
652.41.20			301	66,611
Bleached 3 or 4-thread twill, >=85% cotton, >=200g/m ²	China	tonne	262	59,924
	Other	"	39	6,687

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
652.41.90			1,194	240,406
Bleached woven cotton fabrics, with $\geq 85\%$ cotton, $\geq 200\text{g/m}^2$, n.e.s	Hong Kong	tonne	1,115	216,586
	Other	"	79	23,820
652.42.20			60	19,725
Dyed 3 or 4-thread twill $\geq 85\%$ cotton	Spain	tonne	8	2,880
	France	"	23	7,744
	Other	"	29	9,101
652.42.90			152	44,768
Dyed woven cotton fabrics with 85% or more of cotton	Germany	tonne	17	6,764
	France	"	15	7,996
	China	"	114	27,901
	Other	"	6	2,107
652.43.00			3,630	403,239
Denim, containing more than 85% by weight of cotton, weighing $> 200\text{g/m}^2$	Hong Kong	tonne	831	113,501
	India	"	1,924	171,935
	Pakistan	"	82	6,755
	China	"	579	70,545
	Macau	"	68	11,114
	Other	"	146	29,389
652.92.00			376	68,763
Other woven fabrics of cotton dyed, weighing	Hong kong	tonne	227	38,767
	China	"	48	8,968
	Other	"	101	21,028
652.96.00			2,433	790,712
Other woven fabrics of cotton; dyed; weighing $> 200\text{g/m}^2$	Hong kong	tonne	67	20,605
	China	"	2,282	746,702
	Taiwan	"	34	10,503
	Other	"	50	12,902
652.98.00			341	61,471
Other woven fabrics of cotton; printed; weighing	France	tonne	4	2,607
	Hong kong	"	125	22,675
	India	"	166	20,503
	Taiwan	"	24	5,517
	Thailand	"	14	6,392
	Other	"	8	3,777
653.19.20			97	26,035
Dyed woven fabrics of synthetic filament yarn, n.e.s.	Italy	tonne	39	7,995
	Taiwan	"	28	9,697
	Other	"	30	8,343
653.29.90			65	12,270
Woven fabrics containing $< 85\%$ synthetic fibres excluding bleached/unbleached	France	tonne	4	3,727
	Taiwan	"	44	5,438
	Other	"	17	3,105

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
653.31.12 3 or 4-thread twill, <85% polyester staple fibres + cotton, = <170g/m ²			388	90,921
	Malaysia	tonne	200	48,954
	Indonesia	"	106	22,959
	Taiwan	"	25	8,277
	Other	"	57	10,731
653.32.30 Other woven fabrics ,of synthetic staple fibres, dyed			97	24,277
	Germany	tonne	12	10,107
	France	"	5	1,047
	Malaysia	"	57	7,884
	Other	"	23	5,239
653.33.13 Woven fabrics < 85% synthetic staple fibres + cotton, n.e.s. > 170g/m			236	31,986
	China	tonne	210	26,718
	Other	"	26	5,268
654.11.00 Fabrics of noil silk			13	146,544
	France	tonne	13	146,220
	Other	"	-	324
654.21.90 Fabrics of carded wool or fine animal hair containig > =85% by weight of wool or fine animal hair			149	122,656
	Germany	tonne	83	65,414
	Italy	"	64	55,975
	Other	"	2	1,267
654.42.90 Woven fabrics of flax containing <85% by weight of flax			47	17,133
	Italy	tonne	2	2,316
	Hong Kong	"	31	10,333
	Taiwan	"	8	2,961
	Other	"	6	1,523
655.12.10 Looped pile fabrics of cotton			76	15,101
	Malaysia	tonne	47	9,668
	Indonesia	"	11	911
	Other	"	18	4,522
655.19.10 Pile & terry fabrics of cotton, knitted or crocheted			665	131,206
	Germany	tonne	40	24,814
	Hong Kong	"	138	29,504
	Malaysia	"	112	19,863
	Taiwan	"	351	51,709
	Other	"	24	5,316
655.19.20 Pile & terry fabrics of man-made fibres, knitted or crocheted			292	37,018
	Malaysia	tonne	39	6,059
	Taiwan	"	240	27,949
	Other	"	13	3,010
655.19.90 Pile & terry fabrics of textile materials, knitted or crocheted			940	164,826
	France	tonne	50	23,660
	Malaysia	"	628	95,504
	Singapore	"	60	8,320
	Taiwan	"	152	29,249
	Other	"	50	8,093
655.29.20 Knitted or crocheted fabrics, n.e.s., of man-made fibres			817	163,084
	Hong Kong	tonne	813	162,402
	Other	"	4	682

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
655.29.90			1,320	265,879
Fabrics, warp knit, n.e.s	Germany	tonne	74	37,057
	Italy	"	21	10,095
	Hong Kong	"	810	156,735
	Singapore	"	82	6,653
	China	"	100	10,298
	Taiwan	"	225	41,120
	Other	"	8	3,921
656.12.00			206	76,666
Other woven fabrics containing by weight 5% or more of elastic yarn or rubber thread	France	tonne	25	20,449
	Germany	"	22	13,268
	Italy	"	27	15,386
	Hong Kong	"	99	20,940
	Other	"	33	6,623
656.21.00			128	58,592
Woven labels; badges & similar articles of textile materials, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size embroidered	France	tonne	4	5,547
	Hong Kong	"	84	29,691
	Singapore	"	6	5,151
	Other	"	34	18,203
656.29.00			209	81,344
Other labels; badges & similar articles of textile materials, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size not embroidered	Hong Kong	tonne	147	51,487
	China	"	34	13,555
	Other	"	28	16,302
657.32.95			238	75,841
Other textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with plastics	Germany	tonne	41	29,905
	France	"	69	9,212
	United Kingdom	"	12	7,019
	Hong Kong	"	99	24,008
	Other	"	17	5,697
667.22.00				181,519
Non-industrial diamonds, worked or simply sawn, cleared or bruted	Belgium	carat	- . -	87,693
	U.S.A	"	"	45,321
	Australia	"	"	43,805
	Other	"	"	4,700
667.29.00				66,306
Non-industrial diamonds, otherwise worked but not mounted or set	Belgium	carat	- . -	47,422
	U.S.A	"	"	11,392
	Other	"	"	7,492
667.49.00				169,029
Synthetic or reconstituted precious or semi-precious stones, n.e.s	Switzerland	- . -	- . -	168,658
	Other	"	"	371
674.13.90			3,246	111,516
Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of 600 mm or more, clad, otherwise coated or plated with zinc	Japan	tonne	3,165	110,076
	Australia	"	79	1,379
	Other	"	2	61

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
699.33.90			69	29,633
Clasps, frames with clasps, buckles, buckle-clasps, hooks,eyes,	France	tonne	13	11,400
	China	"	2	2,885
	Hong Kong	"	49	13,374
	Other	"	5	1,974
699.53.90			1,094	57,032
Caps, capsules, stopper, seal & packaging accessories of base metal	Thailand	tonne	1,032	53,070
	Other	"	62	3,962
724.35.19			1,607	95,753
Other sewing machines, of household type	Hong kong	No.	514	13,202
	Singapore	"	381	17,084
	Japan	"	510	46,110
	Other	"	202	19,357
724.39.90			31	29,962
Parts of sewing machines, excl. 724.39.20 & 724.39.30	Hong kong	tonne	15	6,658
	Japan	"	8	14,082
	Other	"	8	9,222
724.42.10			4	15,596
Machines for preparing textile fibres	France	No.	2	1,334
	Italy	"	2	14,262
724.49.29			35	26,340
Parts and accessories of machines of heading No. 84.44 & 84.45 or of their auxiliary machinery	Germany	tonne	6	10,999
	South Africa	"	4	1,249
	Taiwan	"	11	1,307
	Other	"	14	12,785
724.52.12			13	15,219
Circular knitting machines with cylinder diameter > 165mm	Germany	No.	5	9,880
	Italy	"	3	4,187
	Other	"	5	1,152
724.52.20			219	34,811
Flat knitting machines, stitch-bonding machines	Germany	No.	2	2,711
	Japan	"	5	8,861
	China	"	134	1,347
	Switzerland	"	1	1,643
	Taiwan	"	66	15,095
	Other	"	11	5,154
724.53.00			854	60,462
Other circular knitting machines	Germany	No.	9	9,650
	Italy	"	8	17,506
	China	"	316	3,999
	Japan	"	23	18,927
	Taiwan	"	51	2,011
	Other	"	447	8,369
724.67.90			19	19,031
Parts and accessories of weaving machines (looms) of heading 724.51 or of their auxiliary machinery	Switzerland	tonne	6	8,207
	Other	"	13	10,824
724.73.00			62	23,330
Drying machines of a dry linen capacity > 10kg	Germany	No.	2	2,729
	Switzerland	"	2	15,063
	Other	"	58	5,538

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
724.74.20			69	99,541
Washing, bleaching or dyeing machines	Germany	No.	14	33,597
	Italy	"	12	23,068
	Hong kong	"	11	4,740
	Switzerland	"	2	9,855
	Other	"	30	28,281
724.74.40			377	123,166
Other drying machines	Germany	No.	128	38,313
	Italy	"	99	40,811
	Switzerland	"	10	17,548
	Other	"	140	26,494
724.92.90			74	30,237
Other parts of machines for washing, cleaning, drying etc	Germany	tonne	6	6,828
	United Kingdom	"	4	1,167
	Other	"	64	22,242
728.49.90			70	12,260
Machines having individual functions excluding 723.48 & 728.49.20	France	No.	17	2,450
	United Kingdom	"	11	7,371
	Other	"	42	2,439
759.97.00			117	40,822
Parts and accessories; of the machines of group 752 etc	France	tonne	2	2,230
	Singapore	"	74	25,825
	Other	"	41	12,767
845.30.20			184,471	17,214
Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waistcoats etc of cotton, knitted or crocheted	Malagasy, Rep of	No.	184,416	17,204
	Other	"	55	10
884.19.90			96	37,083
Other optical fibres & optical fibre bundles, n.e.s	France	tonne	2	1,545
	USA	"	5	10,271
	Taiwan	"	88	24,054
	Other	"	1	1,213
885.99.90			74	274,054
Clock or watch parts excluding springs, jewels, dial plates & bridges	France	tonne	12	72,410
	Hong Kong	"	54	150,247
	Switzerland	"	8	48,532
	Other	"	-	2,865
892.81.90			254	67,347
Other paper or paperboard labels of all kinds, whether or not printed	France	tonne	31	10,504
	Germany	"	8	3,052
	Italy	"	9	5,124
	Singapore	"	37	2,344
	United Kingdom	"	36	16,119
	Hong Kong	"	77	23,521
	Other	"	56	6,683

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Table 30 (cont'd) - Main EPZ imports by countries of origin, 1998¹

Value (c.i.f) : Thousand Rupees

S.I.T.C. (Rev. 3) Item	Country of origin	Unit	Quantity	Value
893.11.19			276	38,830
Sacks and bags including cones, excluding 893.11.11	Hong Kong	tonne	170	26,393
	Other	"	106	12,437
893.11.99			69	14,651
Shopping bags not designed for prolonged use with handles	United Kingdom	tonne	13	7,139
	France	"	16	2,995
	Italy	"	13	1,637
	Other	"	27	2,880
893.99.99			629	79,443
Articles of plastics & polymers of ethyl (excluding articles of plastic & other materials)	France	tonne	79	20,174
	United Kingdom	"	58	8,527
	Hong Kong	"	164	21,707
	Singapore	"	90	7,138
	Other	"	238	21,897
897.31.11			-	35,804
Jewellery & parts of precious metal, plated/clad or not with other precious metal	Germany	tonne	-	14,698
	France	"	"	21,101
	Other	"	"	5
897.31.19				232,317
Articles of jewellery & parts of other metal, whether or not plated or clad with precious stone	France	tonne	-	161,062
	Germany	"	"	30,203
	Other	"	"	41,052
899.83.21			130	48,582
Buttons of plastics not covered with textile material	Hong Kong	tonne	91	28,282
	Other	"	39	20,300
899.83.29			133	49,254
Other buttons, n.e.s	Hong Kong	tonne	113	33,399
	Other	"	20	15,855
899.85.10			70	26,583
Slide fasteners fitted with chain scoops of base metal	South Africa, Rep of	tonne	31	7,051
	Japan	"	13	10,262
	Other	"	26	9,270
899.85.90			305	105,533
Other slide fasteners	Hong Kong	tonne	243	76,074
	Taiwan	"	13	5,257
	Other	"	49	24,202

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Table 31 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 1996 - 1998

Value: Thousand Rupees

ACP States	1996		1997 ²		1998 ³	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)
Total	1,304,925	1,456,673	1,586,142	1,859,388	2,016,874	2,256,285
Angola	-	-	-	-	-	24
Benin	-	136	-	878	-	856
Botswana	787	2,819	314	10,812	663	10,110
Burkina Faso	226,235	3,656	159,355	2	179,796	3,530
Burundi	-	9,655	2	20,327	-	16,423
Cameroon	8,220	372	96,452	1,482	74,189	2,307
Cape Verde	-	-	742	-	-	-
Central African Republic	42,891	-	26,088	231	28,649	374
Chad	52	532	604	533	59	-
Comoros Islands	175	32,552	-	23,691	5,201	25,525
Congo	8,541	38	4,164	1,048	11,584	5,039
Cote D'Ivoire	3,486	58	28,291	2,057	106,306	10,822
D.R Congo (ex-Zaire)	20,424	59	1,487	816	7,043	-
Djibouti	3,386	2,543	-	1,986	37	310
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	4	-
Ethiopia	6	-	24,619	14	2	1,083
Gabon	7,006	677	-	37	-	499
Gambia	6	-	42	-	48	61
Ghana	-	-	2,526	7	-	48
Guinea	123	-	-	7	89	-
Guinea Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	256,505	69,120	237,739	82,939	176,890	132,150
Lesotho	-	17,384	932	37,598	4	10,184
Liberia	183	-	-	-	-	181
Malagasy, Republic of	464,560	914,942	641,842	1,193,110	747,462	1,628,549
Malawi	8,063	67,791	1,538	67,914	1,635	32,361
Mali	70,118	-	46,085	4	200,313	462
Mauritania	500	28	-	197	-	143
Mozambique	4	554	19,874	872	121,305	8,640
Niger	2	-	64	1,300	26,216	1,042
Nigeria	45,086	868	26,253	36	4,444	175
Rwanda	-	22,015	-	34,490	-	12,108
Sao Tome & Principe	-	-	-	-	-	438
Senegal	86	383	259	300	1,217	2,315
Seychelles	2,166	47,572	5,360	72,506	30,763	107,353
Sierra Leone	298	-	562	-	1,088	-
Somalia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	4,351	-	19,363	464	131	28
Swaziland	66,209	271	94,499	699	137,724	84
Tanzania	4,116	83,692	19,574	19,054	573	70,962
Togo	-	348	3,108	4	19,111	317
Uganda	-	14,592	2	13,469	-	17,716
Zambia	14	4,155	30,465	16,302	1,959	4,092
Zimbabwe	61,326	159,861	93,937	254,202	132,369	149,974

¹ Total Exports excluding Ships' stores & bunkers² Revised³ Provisional

Table 32 - Trade with COMESA States, 1996 - 1998

Value: Thousand Rupees

COMESA States	1996		1997 ²		1998 ³	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)
Total	919,814	1,435,899	1,191,267	1,804,167	1,273,216	2,204,205
Angola	-	-	-	-	-	24
Burundi	-	9,655	2	20,327	-	16,423
Comoros Islands	175	32,552	-	23,691	5,201	25,525
Djibouti	3,386	2,543	-	1,986	37	310
Egypt	8,382	6,991	12,626	1,940	27,201	5,387
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	6	-	24,619	14	2	1,083
Kenya	256,505	69,120	237,739	82,939	176,890	132,150
Malagasy, Republic of	464,560	914,942	641,842	1,193,110	747,462	1,628,549
Malawi	8,063	67,791	1,538	67,914	1,635	32,361
Namibia	20,131	88	8,214	244	4,226	76
Rwanda	-	22,015	-	34,490	-	12,108
Seychelles	2,166	47,572	5,360	72,506	30,763	107,353
Sudan	4,351	-	19,363	464	131	28
Swaziland	66,209	271	94,499	699	137,724	84
Tanzania	4,116	83,692	19,574	19,054	573	70,962
Uganda	-	14,592	2	13,469	-	17,716
D. R. Congo (ex-Zaire)	20,424	59	1,487	816	7,043	-
Zambia	14	4,155	30,465	16,302	1,959	4,092
Zimbabwe	61,326	159,861	93,937	254,202	132,369	149,974

Table 33 - Trade with SADC States, 1996 - 1998

Value: Thousand Rupees

SADC States	1996		1997 ²		1998 ³	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)
Total	5,067,037	617,286	5,925,767	622,734	5,610,665	577,860
Angola	-	-	-	-	-	24
Botswana	787	2,819	314	10,812	663	10,110
D.R Congo (ex-Zaire)	20,424	59	1,487	816	7,043	-
Lesotho	-	17,384	932	37,598	4	10,184
Malawi	8,063	67,791	1,538	67,914	1,635	32,361
Mozambique	4	554	19,874	872	121,305	8,640
Namibia	20,131	88	8,214	244	4,226	76
Seychelles	2,166	47,572	5,360	72,506	30,763	107,353
South Africa, Rep of	4,883,797	233,040	5,649,573	141,715	5,172,401	184,000
Swaziland	66,209	271	94,499	699	137,724	84
Tanzania	4,116	83,692	19,574	19,054	573	70,962
Zambia	14	4,155	30,465	16,302	1,959	4,092
Zimbabwe	61,326	159,861	93,937	254,202	132,369	149,974

¹ Total Exports excluding Ships' stores & bunkers

² Revised

³ Provisional

Table 34 - Trade with Indian Ocean Rim (I.O.R) States, 1996 - 1998

Value: Thousand Rupees

Country	1996		1997 ²		1998 ³	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)
Australia	1,811,435	112,280	1,547,143	132,991	1,693,523	81,915
India	3,618,892	141,139	4,521,332	281,711	4,617,437	168,994
Indonesia	446,925	6,962	532,910	8,623	1,053,885	11,597
Kenya	256,505	69,120	237,739	82,939	176,890	132,150
Malagasy, Rep of	464,560	914,942	641,842	1,193,110	747,462	1,628,549
Malaysia	963,565	28,038	1,060,214	15,777	1,418,911	13,253
Mozambique	4	554	19,874	872	121,305	8,640
Oman	13,153	5,729	4,967	10,893	30,487	10,230
Singapore	867,977	47,707	1,020,150	64,253	1,112,500	92,203
South Africa, Rep of	4,883,797	233,040	5,649,573	141,715	5,172,401	184,000
Sri Lanka	19,190	19,290	27,911	3,418	29,289	-
Tanzania	4,116	83,692	19,574	19,054	573	70,962
Yemen	-	-	970	184	-	-
TOTAL	13,350,119	1,662,493	15,284,199	1,955,540	16,174,663	2,402,493

¹ Total Exports excluding Ships' stores & bunkers

² Revised

³ Provisional

