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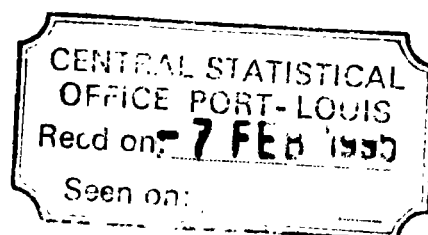
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External Trade - 3rd Quarter 1994

1. Total value of trade and trade balance

During the third quarter of 1994, total international trade for the country was valued at around Rs 15,600 million, 5 per cent higher than that of the corresponding period of 1993 and 18 percent above the previous quarter's level. With exports worth Rs 7,200 million and imports, Rs 8,500 million, the balance of visible trade for the third quarter of 1994 showed a deficit of some Rs 1,300 million compared to Rs 500 million in the corresponding quarter of 1993 and Rs 2,100 million in the previous quarter.

Total exports for the first nine months of the year 1994, reached Rs 17,800 million increasing by Rs 600 million or 4 percent over the corresponding period of 1993. During the same period imports went up by Rs 1,500 million (+7%) to Rs 23,150 million, resulting in a higher trade deficit of around Rs 5,400 million against Rs 4,500 million for the corresponding period a year earlier.

On the basis of the above trend, total trade estimates for the year 1994 have been revised downwards. Exports are expected to reach Rs 24,800 million and imports, to around Rs 34,800 million. The net result will be a deficit, for the year 1994, of about Rs 10,000 million against Rs 6,800 million in 1993. It is worth pointing out that import figures include an aircraft worth some Rs 2,000 million.

(Rs million)

	(Jan-Sept)		(Year)	
	1993	1994	1993	1994*
Exports (f.o.b)	17,161	17,795	23,522	24,800
Imports (c.i.f)	21,647	23,153	30,319	34,800
Trade balance	- 4,486	- 5,358	- 6,797	- 10,000

* Revised estimates

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

During the third quarter the terms of trade index which shows price movements of exports relative to those of imports, fell by 3 percentage points to 96 from 99 in the second quarter of 1994. This unfavourable movement was attributable to a fall of 3 percent in export prices.

However, price movements during the first nine months of 1994 relative to the comparative period for the year 1993 indicate a rise of 7 percent in respect of import prices whilst those of exports lagged behind rising by only 4 percent. Prices of EPZ exports were up by nearly 6 percent and those of sugar by 2 percent. Details on price changes in imported goods (Table 3b) show increases in all product goods with the exception of fuel which registered a drop of 8 percent.

3. Exports

Total export proceeds for the third quarter of 1994 amounting to Rs 7,160 million remained at last year's corresponding figure but increased by 28 percent above the previous quarter's level of Rs 5,600 million.

Consequently, exports for the first nine months of 1994 totalled Rs 17,800 million, representing, a nominal increase of Rs 630 million or 4 percent over the corresponding period of 1993. After allowing for price increases of around 4 percent exports showed no growth, in real terms. EPZ exports fetched Rs 12,000 million compared to Rs 11,600 million a year ago. Proceeds from sugar amounted to Rs 4,000 million against Rs 4,200 million in 1993.

On the basis of export performance between January and September 1994, it is most likely that total exports for the year will reach Rs 24,800 million with sugar and EPZ accounting for Rs 5,800 million and Rs 16,800 million respectively.

The table below summarises export performance during the first nine months of the year and gives an estimate for the year 1994.

EXPORTS

(f.o.b Rs million)

	(Jan- Sept)		(Year)	
	1993	1994	1993	1994
Total exports	17,161	17,795	23,522	24,800
of which				
Sugar	4,215	4,034	5,770	5,800
EPZ	11,561	11,965	15,821	16,800

Exports by country of destination for the first nine months of the year 1994 (Table 5) show a decline in the share of our main buyer, the EEC, which fell from 73 percent to 70 percent. The US market absorbed Rs 3,245 million (19%) compared to Rs 3,000 million (18%) last year.

4. Imports

The import bill for the third quarter of 1994 was valued at Rs 8,500 million, 11 percent above the corresponding quarter's figure of 1993 which stood at Rs 7,700 million.

Cummulative imports for January to September 1994 therefore reached Rs 23,150 million against Rs 21,650 million last year. This nominal increase of 7 percent over last year's level is mostly explained by price effects and shows no overall increase in volume.

As shown in the table below, all product groups have recorded increases ranging from 7 percent to 21 percent with the exception of machinery and equipment which fell by 8 percent. Increases in the volume of food (+16%), fuel (+18%), manufactured goods (+2%) were offset by decreases in that of chemicals (-7% and machinery (-15%).

IMPORTS

(c.i.f Rs million)

(Product group)	1993	Jan-Sept 1994	Value	Change %	
				Price	Volume
1. Food, beverages and tobacco	2,705	3,270	+21%	+4%	+16%
2. Petroleum products	1,403	1,530	+9%	-8%	+18%
3. Chemicals	1,614	1,719	+7%	+14%	-7%
4. Manufactured goods	9,878	10,735	+9%	+7%	+2%
5. Machinery	5,022	4,664	-7%	+9%	-15%
6. Other goods	1,025	1,235	+20%	+15%	+5%
Total imports	21,647	23,153	+7%	+7%	-

Table 8 on imports by country of origin shows that during the first nine months of 1994 our major suppliers remained the EEC (32%). Besides the EEC and on an individual country basis the Republic of South Africa remained our main supplier (14%) followed by India, (7%), Hong kong, (6%) and Japan, (5%).

Total imports for the year 1994 is now estimated at Rs 34,800 million against Rs 30,300 million last year.

5. The EPZ Sector

During the third quarter of 1994 ,the EPZ enterprises exported Rs 4,600 million worth of goods, the same amount as in the corresponding quarter of 1993 yielding a total for the first nine months of Rs 12,000 million. This figure represents a nominal increase of 3% over last year's achievement (Rs 11,600 million) resulting from the effect of higher prices (+6%) and 2 percent decrease in volume.

From January to September, 1994 ,an increase of 7 percent is noted in EPZ imports which attained Rs 7,400 million with raw materials amounting to Rs 6,650 million and machinery and equipment, Rs 750 million. Raw materials increased by 10 percent whilst machinery and equipment, fell by 15 percent compared to last year's corresponding period.

Net EPZ earnings for the first nine months of the year therefore yielded Rs 4,600 million, and the ratio of net exports to total EPZ exports declined from 40 to 38 percent.

On the basis of EPZ export performance during the first nine months it is most likely that total exports for 1994 will reach Rs 16,800 million compared to Rs 15,800 million in 1993.

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N O T E S

Figures for 1993 and 1994 are provisional and subject to revision.

1. COVERAGE

EXPORTS

- | | | |
|---------|---|---|
| Cover | : | 1. Domestic exports (including exports from Export Processing Zone) |
| | | 2. Re-Exports |
| | | 3. Export ex Warehouse |
| | | 4. Returned goods |
| Include | : | 1. Government, parcel post and air freight |
| Exclude | : | 2. Ships' stores and bunkers |

IMPORTS

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

2. VALUATION

Exports are valued on an F.O.B. (free on board) basis and imports C.I.F. (cost, freight and insurance) basis.

3. COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION

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

4. ROUNDING OF FIGURES

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

5. SYMBOLS

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

6. ABBREVIATIONS

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

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Table 1 - Summary of External Trade , 1992 - 1994

Value: Rs Mn

	1992 ¹	1993 ²	1993				1994 ²				
			1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sept	4th Qr.	1st. Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sept
Exports of goods	20,244	22,992	4,459	5,287	7,025	16,771	6,221	4,877	5,457	7,011	17,345
Domestic exports	19,685	22,443	4,310	5,141	6,909	16,360	6,083	4,741	5,057	6,816	16,614
Re-exports	559	549	149	146	116	411	138	136	400	195	731
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	500	530	125	125	140	390	140	150	150	150	450
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	20,744	23,522	4,584	5,412	7,165	17,161	6,361	5,027	5,607	7,161	17,795
B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)	25,280	30,319	6,276	7,702	7,669	21,647	8,672	6,988	7,687	8,478	23,153
Total Value of Trade (A + B)	46,024	53,841	10,860	13,114	14,834	38,808	15,033	12,015	13,294	15,639	40,948
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-4,536	-6,797	-1,692	-2,290	-504	-4,486	-2,311	-1,961	-2,080	-1,317	-5,358

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 2 - Price (unit value) indices of exports and imports and terms of trade, 1991 - 1994

Period	Price indices		Terms of trade*	
	Export	Import		
Base year : 1988 = 100				
1991	133	133	100	
1992	142	135	105	
Base year : 1992 = 100				
1993	109	111	98	
1993	Qr. 1	103	107	96
	Qr. 2	110	108	102
	Qr.3	111	114	97
	Qr.4	111	115	97
1994	Qr. 1	107	116	92
	Qr. 2	116	117	99
	Qr.3	113	118	96

* Ratio of export to import price index

A rise in this ratio indicates that the terms of trade have moved in favour of Mauritius.

Table 3(a) - Price indices (unit value) of exports , 1993-1994

Description	Weight	Export Price Indices, 1992 = 100					
		1993 ¹			1994 ¹		
		1st. Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	1st. Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.
Domestic Exports	1,000	103	110	111	107	116	113
Sugar	306	105	110	108	109	111	110
Molasses	5	88	107	115	107	125	110
Tea	5	145	138	123	131	95	95
EPZ	661	102	110	112	107	118	117
Other	23	115	120	119	90	128	80

Table 3 (b) - Price indices (unit value) of imports, 1993-1994

Description	Weight	Import Price Indices, 1992 = 100					
		1993 ¹			1994 ¹		
		1st. Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	1st. Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.
Total imports :	1,000	107	108	114	116	117	118
Food and live animals	120	106	108	113	115	113	110
Beverages and tobacco	5	83	97	109	112	122	96
Crude materials, inedible except fuels	31	106	125	155	146	152	155
Mineral fuels, lubricants & rel. material	80	106	108	103	95	97	101
Animals and vegetables oils & fats	11	120	109	127	129	137	130
Chemicals	78	108	108	108	135	115	118
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	362	108	107	111	116	120	118
Machinery and transport equipment	222	107	110	119	120	118	127
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	91	108	104	103	107	109	106

¹ Provisional

Table 4 - Domestic exports by main product/sector, 1992 - 1994

	1992 ¹	1993 ²	1993				1994 ²				
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st. Qr.	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
Total domestic exports	19,685	22,443	4,310	5,141	6,909	16,360	6,083	4,741	5,057	6,816	16,614
<i>of which:</i>											
EPZ Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	13,081	15,821	2,815	4,180	4,566	11,561	4,260	3,162	4,196	4,607	11,965
Sugar											
Quantity (000 m.tons)	598	540	124	74	197	395	145	127	61	181	369
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	5,841	5,770	1,294	792	2,129	4,215	1,555	1,376	670	1,988	4,034
Molasses											
Quantity (000 m.tons)	131	125	18	22	38	78	47	36	7	18	61
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	92	93	11	16	30	57	36	27	6	15	48
Tea											
Quantity (m.tons)	5,418	4,367	1,319	1,104	1,060	3,483	884	1,393	1,257	471	3,121
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	95	103	33	26	21	80	23	33	22	9	64
Cut flowers (non-EPZ)											
Quantity (m.tons)	450	522	107	127	94	328	194	140	92	111	343
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	87	104	28	24	19	71	33	30	19	20	69
Chemicals (non-EPZ)											
Quantity (m.tons)	21,106	28,510	10,372	1,419	9,119	20,910	7,600	2,738	699	9,879	13,316
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	106	136	44	9	44	97	39	16	9	47	72
Wheaten flour (Non-EPZ)											
Quantity (m.tons)	9,509	13,773	4,587	4,746	1,036	10,369	3,404	5,874	3,806	3,277	12,957
Value (f.o.b Rs mn)	31	51	16	17	5	38	13	24	15	13	52
Other (value f.o.b Rs mn)	352	365	69	77	95	241	124	73	120	117	310

¹ Revised² Provisional

Table 5-Total exports¹ by main countries of destination, 1992 - 1994

Value (f.o.b) Rs Mn

Country of destination	1992 ²			1993			1994 ³					
	1992 ²	1993 ³	1993 ³	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sept	
Total Exports	20,244	22,992	22,321	4,459	5,287	7,025	16,771	6,221	4,877	5,457	7,011	17,345
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	19,654	22,321	22,321	4,332	5,129	6,802	16,263	6,058	4,718	5,021	6,759	16,498
(a) E.E.C. Countries	16,135	16,861	16,861	3,334	3,835	5,066	12,235	4,626	3,512	3,673	4,968	12,153
Belgium	357	496	496	96	130	144	370	126	123	123	142	388
France	4,206	4,709	4,709	868	1,330	1,149	3,347	1,362	914	1,330	1,205	3,449
Germany	1,778	1,633	1,633	234	443	523	1,200	433	300	412	347	1,059
Italy	937	917	917	189	184	213	586	331	191	231	219	641
Netherlands	368	480	480	108	127	150	385	95	95	120	145	360
Reunion	453	483	483	84	107	143	334	149	79	115	135	329
United Kingdom	7,149	7,440	7,440	1,681	1,301	2,450	5,432	2,008	1,756	1,185	2,408	5,349
Spain	483	570	570	58	195	216	469	101	44	143	142	329
Other	404	133	133	16	18	78	112	21	10	14	225	249
(b) Other Pref. Tariff Countries	3,519	5,460	5,460	998	1,294	1,736	4,028	1,432	1,206	1,348	1,791	4,345
Australia	52	48	48	10	9	23	42	6	4	7	7	18
Canada	163	122	122	24	35	35	94	28	25	39	42	106
Hong Kong	82	125	125	23	35	32	90	35	38	43	72	153
Malagasy Republic	224	463	463	86	133	106	325	138	113	152	144	409
Pakistan	41	35	35	13	10	11	34	1	10	13	1	24
Seychelles	41	51	51	13	11	15	39	12	11	11	16	38
Singapore	95	100	100	26	23	28	77	23	25	0	19	44
South Africa, Rep. of	162	119	119	41	31	29	101	18	29	22	23	74
U.S.A.	2,508	4,117	4,117	680	974	1,369	3,023	1,094	851	988	1,406	3,245
Zimbabwe	56	85	85	14	18	21	53	32	22	20	19	61
Other	95	195	195	68	15	67	150	45	78	53	42	173
2. General Tariff Countries	590	671	671	127	158	223	508	163	159	436	252	847
Japan	37	91	91	14	25	24	63	28	19	23	26	68
Sweden	72	16	16	3	9	2	14	2	6	9	10	25
Switzerland	241	300	300	66	75	83	224	76	64	72	80	216
Other	240	264	264	44	49	114	207	57	70	332	136	538

¹ Excluding Ship's stores & Bunkers

² Revised

³ Provisional

Table 6- Total imports by section / main commodity, 1992 - 1994

Value (c.i.f.) Rs. Mn.

SITC Sect.	Description	1992 ¹		1993 ²		1993			1994 ²			
		1992 ¹	1993 ²	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
0	Total imports	25,280	30,319	6,276	7,702	7,669	21,647	8,672	6,988	7,687	8,478	23,153
	Food and live animals	2,915	3,744	701	1,041	862	2,604	1,140	974	1,019	1,161	3,154
	of which:											
	Meat and meat preparations	380	420	86	87	104	277	143	127	115	155	397
	Dairy products and bird's eggs	597	668	148	139	190	477	191	207	197	164	568
	Fish and fish preparations	221	375	57	91	91	239	136	121	114	113	348
	Wheat	197	288	37	123	34	194	94	85	0	143	228
	Rice	276	464	56	206	75	337	127	52	166	159	377
	Wheaten flour	53	45	5	11	6	22	23	11	0	0	11
	Cereal preparations	130	135	23	28	36	87	48	33	37	48	118
1	Vegetables and fruits	383	470	95	147	116	358	112	107	148	151	406
	Beverages and tobacco	132	152	30	34	37	101	51	36	36	44	116
	of which:											
2	Beverages	117	131	24	31	31	86	45	30	30	37	97
	Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	15	20	6	3	6	15	5	6	5	7	18
3	Crude materials, inedible	749	951	179	237	277	693	258	234	266	289	789
	of which:											
	Cork and wood	237	327	45	77	120	242	85	67	100	69	236
4	Textile fibres	375	463	101	123	116	340	123	131	122	177	430
	Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc.	1,945	2,109	515	456	432	1,403	706	425	488	617	1,530
5	of which:											
	Refined petroleum products	1,624	1,771	459	375	367	1,201	570	353	393	526	1,272
5	Animal & veg oils and fats	163	181	39	48	46	133	48	52	52	54	158
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	274	290	53	103	48	204	86	82	85	121	288
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	218	203	30	90	24	144	59	76	46	97	219
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	1,901	2,216	436	561	617	1,614	602	515	551	653	1,719
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	265	301	50	76	93	219	82	67	82	91	240
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	402	473	96	127	132	355	118	118	134	121	373
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	119	156	27	37	51	115	41	31	14	22	67
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	210	240	47	64	62	173	67	71	68	76	215
	of which:											
5	Chemicals	132	180	38	41	57	136	44	38	48	53	139
	of which:											

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 6 (Cont.) - Total imports by section / main commodity, 1992 - 1994

Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn

SITC Sect.	Description	1992 ¹		1993 ²		1993				1994 ²			
		9,141	11,039	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	
6	Manufactured goods	9,141	11,039	2,320	2,699	2,977	7,996	3,043	2,678	2,912	3,070	8,660	
	of which:												
	Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	387	463	104	92	125	321	142	125	89	152	366	
	Textile yarn	1,829	2,254	545	566	598	1,709	545	575	536	596	1,707	
	Cotton fabrics	1,361	1,767	349	468	456	1,273	494	470	583	493	1,546	
	Other textile fabrics	2,218	2,608	568	679	659	1,906	702	567	682	724	1,973	
	Cement	553	630	113	173	186	472	158	174	153	210	537	
	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	351	482	107	100	142	349	133	121	132	105	358	
	Iron and steel	688	777	148	139	208	495	282	212	260	259	731	
	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	642	769	141	182	216	539	230	157	170	189	516	
7	Machinery & transport equip.	5,715	6,787	1,502	1,884	1,636	5,022	1,765	1,385	1,575	1,704	4,664	
	of which:												
	Power gen. mach. & equipment	532	179	39	47	50	136	43	62	58	52	172	
	Machinery spec. for particular industries	977	1,601	440	328	465	1,233	368	250	356	417	1,023	
	Gen. industrial mach. equipment	793	918	173	256	225	654	264	198	306	252	756	
	Office machines & automated data processing machines	327	405	71	99	102	272	133	90	126	117	333	
	Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing app. & equipment	491	647	201	141	125	467	180	79	87	131	297	
	Road vehicles	1,312	1,395	317	324	392	1,033	362	355	380	387	1,122	
	Aircraft, marine vessels and parts	325	474	20	320	20	360	114	154	25	25	204	
	Miscellaneous manufactures	2,361	2,871	506	641	735	1,882	989	607	700	768	2,075	
of which:													
Articles of apparel and clothing	362	424	71	106	132	309	115	83	106	96	285		
Footwear	106	95	16	15	30	61	34	18	22	23	63		
Watches and clocks & optical goods	425	549	109	110	90	309	240	93	114	118	325		
9	Commodities n. e. s.	147	160	34	46	48	128	32	52	55	51	158	

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 7 - Imports of selected commodities, quantity, 1992 - 1994

Commodity	Unit	1992 ¹	1993 ²	1993				1994 ²				
				1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sept	4th Qr.	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	Jan-Sept
Meat and meat preparations	000 m. ton	16	17	3	3	4	10	7	4	4	6	14
Dairy products and birds eggs	"	16	17	4	4	4	12	5	5	5	4	14
Fish and fish preparations	"	8	17	2	5	4	11	6	5	5	5	15
Wheat	"	90	124	19	52	12	83	41	35	0	59	94
Rice	"	64	90	13	39	13	65	25	13	33	30	76
Wheaten flour	"	12	8	1	2	1	4	4	2	0	0	2
Vegetable edible oils and fats	"	26	22	3	11	2	16	6	6	4	9	19
Fertilisers manufactured	"	53	63	10	16	19	45	18	10	6	8	24
Cement	"	553	548	100	157	159	416	132	146	132	182	460
Iron and steel	"	88	95	18	18	26	62	33	24	32	31	87

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Table 8 - Imports by main countries of origin, 1992- 1994

Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn

Country of origin	1992 ¹			1993 ²			1993			1994 ²			
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
Total imports	25,280	30,319	30,319	6,276	7,702	7,669	21,647	8,672	8,672	6,988	7,687	8,478	23,153
1. Preferential Tariff Countries	18,250	22,720	22,720	4,589	5,805	5,739	16,133	6,587	6,587	5,358	5,982	6,188	17,528
(i) E.E.C. Countries	8,184	10,145	10,145	2,035	2,822	2,496	7,353	2,792	2,792	2,250	2,533	2,718	7,501
Belgium	362	748	748	106	258	197	561	187	187	163	125	125	413
Denmark	72	382	382	16	315	29	360	22	22	21	24	27	72
France	3,374	3,830	3,830	878	1,000	844	2,722	1,108	1,108	791	1,013	1,126	2,930
Germany	1,249	1,458	1,458	366	333	400	1,099	359	359	421	343	438	1,202
Greece	161	14	14	9	1	2	12	2	2	2	5	2	9
Ireland	68	86	86	10	24	24	58	28	28	33	26	23	82
Italy	744	1,025	1,025	184	281	259	724	301	301	200	256	259	715
Luxembourg	4	5	5	1	1	1	3	2	2	2	1	2	5
Netherlands	186	219	219	38	48	63	149	70	70	48	59	61	168
Portugal	62	46	46	8	13	13	34	12	12	5	13	14	32
Reunion	6	7	7	2	2	0	4	3	3	2	5	6	13
Spain	125	181	181	25	57	31	113	68	68	42	54	90	186
United Kingdom	1,771	2,144	2,144	392	489	633	1,514	630	630	520	609	545	1,674
(ii) Other Pref. Tariff Countries	10,066	12,575	12,575	2,554	2,983	3,243	8,780	3,795	3,795	3,108	3,449	3,470	10,027
Australia	804	898	898	175	204	268	647	251	251	230	221	302	753
Burma	88	17	17	4	4	4	12	5	5	3	2	1	6
Canada	32	35	35	7	13	10	30	5	5	6	8	7	21
Hong Kong	1,082	1,393	1,393	256	391	365	1,012	381	381	352	456	482	1,290
India	1,323	1,773	1,773	367	379	438	1,184	589	589	482	517	558	1,557
Kenya	353	345	345	60	114	80	254	91	91	94	75	123	292
Malagasy Republic	229	253	253	41	47	66	154	99	99	41	54	54	149
Malaysia	664	834	834	139	179	271	589	245	245	182	204	191	577
New Zealand	337	362	362	75	105	88	268	94	94	86	75	87	248
Pakistan	305	463	463	77	145	87	309	154	154	94	149	131	374
Singapore	808	893	893	187	193	252	632	261	261	231	244	262	737
South Africa, Republic of	3,274	4,311	4,311	864	942	1,091	2,897	1,414	1,414	1,024	1,153	1,049	3,226
U. S. A.	545	699	699	209	170	176	555	144	144	163	210	175	548
U.S.S.R.	58	70	70	0	51	19	70	0	0	0	3	2	5
Zimbabwe	61	102	102	43	30	7	80	22	22	30	43	22	95
Other	103	127	127	50	16	21	87	40	40	90	35	24	149

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Table 8 (Cont.) - Imports by main countries of origin, 1992 - 1994

Country of origin	Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn											
	1992 ¹			1993			1994 ²					
	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or	1st Or	2nd Or	3rd Or
2. General Tariff Countries	7,030	7,599	7,599	1,687	1,897	1,930	5,514	2,085	1,631	1,705	2,290	5,626
Argentina	266	233	233	48	80	40	168	65	60	47	106	213
Austria	44	41	41	8	12	12	32	9	9	7	18	34
Bahrain	240	13	13	4	0	0	4	9	8	0	56	64
Brazil	152	82	82	8	34	17	59	23	14	12	12	38
China	844	1,277	1,277	255	332	314	901	376	290	324	344	958
Hungary	7	7	7	2	2	1	5	2	4	2	2	8
Indonesia	227	404	404	75	89	125	289	115	59	71	69	199
Israel	135	82	82	19	20	20	59	23	27	11	16	54
Japan	2,176	1,792	1,792	440	433	477	1,350	442	388	377	436	1,201
Korea, Republic of	367	448	448	114	113	89	316	132	102	116	96	314
Macao	46	25	25	14	5	2	21	4	23	15	9	47
Morocco	26	33	33	9	10	8	27	6	7	10	8	25
Philippines	68	156	156	37	36	42	115	41	24	9	19	52
Sweden	70	92	92	8	41	12	61	31	9	12	11	32
Switzerland	432	557	557	124	127	146	397	160	129	167	133	429
Taiwan	948	1,263	1,263	292	285	340	917	346	248	306	294	848
Thailand	327	368	368	77	92	101	270	98	50	57	113	220
United Arab Emirates	138	107	107	0	40	21	61	46	0	17	8	25
Other	517	619	619	153	146	163	462	157	180	145	540	865

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Table 9 - Net EPZ exports, 1992-1994

Value Rs Mn

	1992 ¹	1993 ²	1993				1994 ²				
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
A. Total exports (f.o.b)	13,081	15,821	2,815	4,180	4,566	11,561	4,260	3,162	4,196	4,607	11,965
B. Total imports (c.i.f)	7,132	9,326	2,109	2,386	2,423	6,918	2,408	2,294	2,536	2,552	7,382
of which											
Raw materials	(6,455)	(8,221)	(1,818)	(2,134)	(2,098)	(6,050)	(2,171)	(2,081)	(2,293)	(2,265)	(6,639)
Machinery	(677)	(1,105)	(291)	(252)	(325)	(868)	(237)	(213)	(243)	(287)	(743)
Net Exports (A-B)	5,949	6,495	706	1,794	2,143	4,643	1,852	868	1,660	2,055	4,583
Net Exports as % of Total Exports	45%	41%	25%	43%	47%	40%	43%	27%	40%	45%	38%

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Table 10 - EPZ exports by main countries of destination, 1992-1994

Value (f.o.b.) Rs Mn

	1992 ¹	1993 ²	1993				1994 ²				
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
Total EPZ Exports	13,081	15,821	2,815	4,180	4,566	11,561	4,260	3,162	4,196	4,607	11,965
Belgium	294	430	75	112	133	320	110	104	115	129	348
France	4,006	4,390	834	1,286	967	3,087	1,303	882	1,274	1,156	3,312
Germany	1,694	1,564	218	424	507	1,149	415	276	390	330	996
Italy	769	831	166	169	192	527	304	169	214	200	583
Netherlands	310	401	75	116	134	325	76	81	109	129	319
Reunion	200	254	38	63	81	182	72	40	70	74	184
Spain	410	509	49	184	188	421	88	32	131	134	297
United Kingdom	2,170	2,268	450	563	657	1,670	598	491	591	768	1,850
Canada	105	117	22	34	34	90	27	25	39	41	105
Hong kong	42	89	17	19	26	62	27	21	34	63	118
Madagascar	97	224	48	73	44	165	59	59	92	82	233
Singapore	67	69	18	17	21	56	13	6	6	8	20
South Africa	40	38	9	13	9	31	7	8	9	7	24
U.S.A.	2,329	3,972	670	964	1,343	2,977	995	823	974	1,300	3,097
Zimbabwe	47	77	13	16	19	48	29	21	18	18	57
Switzerland	200	261	59	66	71	196	65	54	63	68	185
Other countries	301	327	54	61	140	255	72	70	67	100	237

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Table 11 - EPZ exports by section / commodity, 1992-1994

Value (f.o.b.) Rs Mn

SITC Sect.	Description	1992 ¹	1993 ²	1993				1994 ²				
				1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
0	Total exports	13,081	15,821	2,815	4,180	4,566	11,561	4,260	3,162	4,196	4,607	11,965
	Food and live animals of which:	341	542	83	135	155	373	169	205	204	197	606
	Fish & fish preparations	(295)	(384)	(68)	(94)	(111)	(273)	(111)	(120)	(123)	(124)	(367)
2	Crude mats, inedible exc., fuels	14	14	3	4	2	9	5	4	5	4	13
5	Chemicals	57	58	13	21	15	49	9	11	11	13	35
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials of which:	879	1,089	230	288	283	801	288	282	313	367	962
	Text. yarn, fabrics, made up articles	(469)	(574)	(135)	(161)	(128)	(424)	(150)	(145)	(167)	(220)	(532)
	Pearls & precious stones	(320)	(409)	(73)	(99)	(130)	(302)	(107)	(109)	(116)	(114)	(339)
7	Machinery and transport equipment	34	70	1	3	59	63	7	7	5	12	24
8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles of which:	11,756	14,047	2,485	3,730	4,051	10,266	3,781	2,653	3,658	4,013	10,324
	Articles of apparel and clothing	(10,476)	(12,719)	(2,179)	(3,365)	(3,734)	(9,278)	(3,441)	(2,389)	(3,299)	(3,634)	(9,322)
	Optical goods	(164)	(176)	(40)	(47)	(41)	(128)	(48)	(40)	(44)	(42)	(126)
	Watches and clocks	(630)	(612)	(155)	(172)	(135)	(462)	(150)	(125)	(146)	(105)	(376)
	Toys, games and sporting goods	(167)	(166)	(37)	(50)	(42)	(129)	(37)	(23)	(46)	(51)	(120)
	Jewel., goldsmiths & silversmiths ware	(154)	(171)	(32)	(46)	(49)	(127)	(44)	(29)	(54)	(57)	(140)

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Table 12- EPZ imports by section / commodity, 1992-1994

Value (c.i.f.) Rs Mn

SITC Sect	Description	1992 ¹	1993 ²	1993			1994 ²					
				1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept	4th Qr	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr	Jan-Sept
0	Total imports	7,132	9,326	2,109	2,386	2,423	6,918	2,408	2,294	2,536	2,552	7,382
	Food and live animals	20	171	13	48	34	95	76	74	60	62	196
2	Crude mats, inedible exc fuels	398	485	108	132	115	355	130	137	129	182	448
	- synt. fibres suit. for spinning	(27)	(12)	(2)	(2)	(4)	(8)	(4)	(3)	(4)	(2)	(9)
	- wool and other animal hair	(215)	(282)	(70)	(88)	(66)	(224)	(58)	(74)	(83)	(86)	(243)
5	Chemicals	291	318	68	80	89	237	81	70	71	90	231
6	Man. goods classified chiefly by material	4,856	6,102	1,397	1,596	1,588	4,581	1,521	1,543	1,762	1,631	4,936
	- leather	(124)	(148)	(32)	(39)	(40)	(111)	(37)	(22)	(26)	(29)	(77)
	- textile yarn and fabrics	(4,204)	(5,214)	(1,206)	(1,393)	(1,345)	(3,944)	(1,270)	(1,345)	(1,531)	(1,409)	(4,285)
	- pearls and precious stones	(314)	(434)	(95)	(87)	(126)	(308)	(126)	(105)	(124)	(98)	(327)
7	Machinery & transport equip.	677	1,105	291	252	325	868	237	213	243	287	743
8	Misc. manufactured goods	820	1,025	209	240	238	687	338	226	247	256	729
	- optical goods, watches etc.	(348)	(423)	(89)	(89)	(66)	(244)	(179)	(80)	(94)	(91)	(265)
9	Commodities n. e. s.	70	120	22	33	33	88	32	29	34	39	102

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