

## External Trade - 4th Quarter 2004

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### Introduction

This issue of the Social and Economic Indicators presents external trade statistics for the fourth quarter of 2004 and for the years 2003 and 2004. These statistics are compiled from declarations lodged at Customs by importers and exporters. Some of these declarations are at times revised at a later period and corrections made accordingly on the computerised database of the Customs Department.

Thus while figures for 2003 published in this indicator are final, those for 2004 are subject to revision as and when the Customs Department submits latest amendments to the Central Statistics Office.

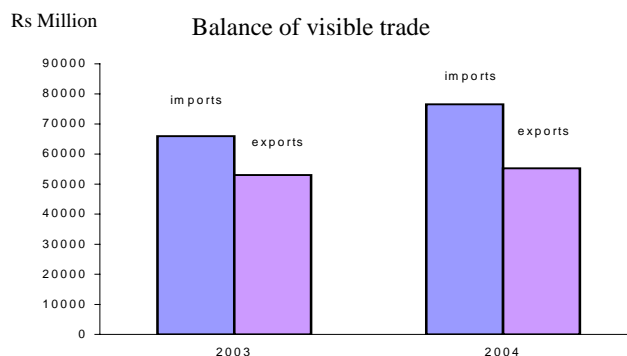
Data on international trade are compiled as per the recommendations of the United Nations General Trade System. According to this system, all goods entering and leaving the national frontier, including trading activities of the Freeport zone should be accounted for. However, it was not possible prior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

Hence, as from 2002, data on imports and exports include transactions through the Mauritius Freeport. It is to be noted that all exports of the Freeport are included in re-exports of Mauritius because it is not possible to distinguish between domestic exports and re-exports of freeport licensees. It is estimated that currently some 37% of freeport exports are sourced locally.

### 1. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total international trade for the fourth quarter of 2004 was valued at Rs 36,814 million, a figure which is 4.3% higher than that of the previous quarter and 12.6% higher than that of the corresponding quarter of 2003.

During the fourth quarter of 2004, total exports reached Rs 14,990 million compared to total imports of Rs 21,824 million, thus resulting in a trade deficit of Rs 6,834 million.



Total exports for the year 2004 reached Rs 55,223 million against Rs 76,577 million for imports. The trade deficit amounted to Rs 21,354 million.

## **2. Terms of trade (base year : 2002 = 100)**

During the fourth quarter of 2004, the terms of trade index, which shows price movements of exports relative to those of imports, decreased by 6 percentage points to 82, from 88 in the third quarter of 2004 (Table 3). This movement was due to a decrease of 1.6% in export prices while import prices increased by 5.8%. It should be noted that these price movements are based on unit value indices which, unlike genuine price changes, are affected by changes in country of origin/destination, product mix and quality.

Details of price changes for exports and imports are given in Tables 4 and 5.

An Export Price Index (EPI) which measures pure price changes of exported goods has been compiled since 1993. Work for the compilation of such an index for imports (Import Price Index) started in 2002 and the first set of indices is being published in a separate Economic and Social Indicator since the first quarter of 2004.

As from the first quarter of 2005, the terms of trade will be based on the Export and Import Price Indices instead of unit value indices and will appear in an Economic and Social Indicator presenting these two indices. Henceforth, the Economic and Social Indicator on external trade statistics will not contain information on trade indices.

## **3. Exports**

Total export proceeds for the fourth quarter of 2004, including domestic exports, re-exports and ship's stores and bunkers, amounted to Rs 14,990 million, showing a decrease of 3.9% over the previous quarter and an increase of 1.7% over the corresponding quarter of 2003.

Total exports for the year 2004 attained Rs 55,223 million, that is a 4.2% increase over the previous year.

Domestic exports for the year 2004, which represented about 80% of total exports, increased by 4% in nominal terms, compared to 2003. This change in value was accompanied by 6% rise in price and a 2% contraction in volume.

The table below shows the main changes in domestic exports between 2003 and 2004.

(f.o.b value): Million Rupees

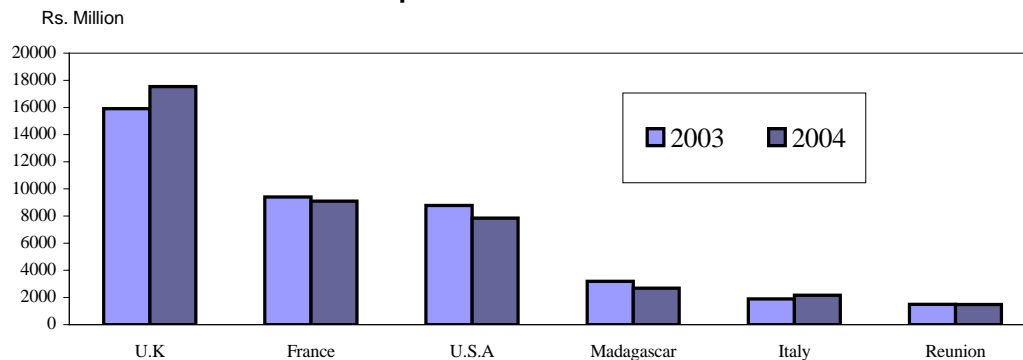
S.I.T.C Section	2003	2004	----- Change (%) -----		
			Value	Price	Volume
<b>Domestic Exports</b>	<b>42,138</b>	<b>43,983</b>	<b>+4</b>	<b>+6</b>	<b>-2</b>
<b>of which</b>					
Food and live animals	11,959	13,425	+12	+6	+6
<i>of which Sugar</i>	8,775	9,771	+11	+4	+7
Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	270	300	+11	+1	+10
Chemicals & related products	362	386	+7	+18	-9
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	2,622	3,396	+30	+1	+29
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	26,687	26,269	-2	+6	-8

The value of exports of “*Food and live animals*” increased by 12% as a result of 6% increases in both prices and volume. Export receipts from “*Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials*” improved by 30% in nominal terms, resulting from increases of 1% in prices and 29% in volume. Exports of “*Miscellaneous manufactured articles*” registered a decrease of 2% in value, following an increase of 6% in prices and a decrease of 8% in volume.

For the year 2004, exports of “*Articles of apparel and clothing accessories*”, representing 49% of total exports, reached Rs 25,870 million, i.e. a decrease of 3% over the previous year. During the same period, exports of sugar, representing 18% of total exports, registered 11% increase to reach Rs 9,771 million (Table 6).

Analysis by country of destination shows that our main buyers, i.e the European countries, purchased some 67% of our exports amounting to Rs 35,441 million in 2004. The United Kingdom remained the main buyer with Rs 17,538 million, or 33% of total exports, followed by France with Rs 9,098 million (17%). The other major markets were U.S.A (15%), Malagasy Republic (5%), Italy (4%) and Reunion (3%). Compared to 2003, total exports to UK went up by 10% while those to U.S.A and France fell by 10% and 3% respectively. Table 9 shows further details.

### Exports to main countries



#### 4. Imports

Total imports for the fourth quarter of 2004 reached Rs 21,824 million, showing increases of 11% over the previous quarter and 22% over the corresponding quarter of 2003.

Total imports for 2004 amounted to Rs 76,577 million, representing an increase of 16% over the year 2003. Overall import prices are estimated to have increased by around 14% and import volume by 4%.

During this period, imports of "*Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material*" and imports of "*Machinery and transport equipment*" represented 26% and 24% of total imports respectively while imports of "*Food and live animals*" made up for 16%.

The table below shows the main changes in imports (excluding aircraft) between 2003 and 2004.

(c.i.f value: million rupees)

S.I.T.C Section	2003 <sup>1</sup>	2004 <sup>1</sup>	-----Change (%)-----		
			Value	Price	Volume
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>64,869</b>	<b>76,358</b>	<b>+18</b>	<b>+ 14</b>	<b>+ 4</b>
of which					
Food & live animals	10,308	11,962	+16	+10	+5
Beverages & tobacco	626	698	+12	+15	-3
Crude materials, inedible except fuel	1,542	2,062	+34	+2	+31
Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	7,290	10,020	+37	+31	+5
Animals & vegetable oils & fats	639	712	+11	+6	+5
Chemicals & related products	5,770	6,409	+11	+11	-
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	18,863	19,812	+5	+16	-9
Machinery & transport equipment	13,168	17,868	+36	+4	+31
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	6,521	6,624	+2	+14	-11

(<sup>1</sup>excluding the purchase of aircraft)

All sections registered increases in value compared to 2003. In nominal terms, the highest increase was registered in the group "*Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials*" whose imports value rose by 37% as a result of a 31% increase in price and 5% in volume. An increase of 36% was noted in the value of imports of "*Machinery and transport equipment*" due to a 31% expansion in volume and a 4% increase in prices. Imports of "*Crude materials, inedible except fuel*" went up by 34% due to a rise of 2% in prices and another of 31% in volume.

Further details by section and commodity are given in tables 12 and 13.

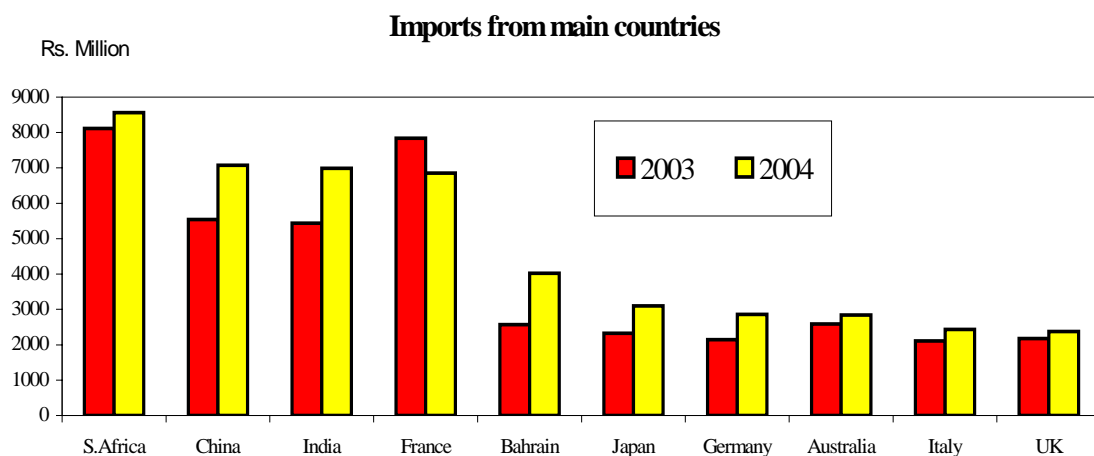


Table 14 shows imports by country of origin. During the year 2004, imports from Asia totalled Rs 35,719 million, representing 47% of total imports for that period. Our main supplier countries were Republic of South Africa (11%), China (9%), India (9%), France (9%), Bahrain (5%), Japan (4%), Germany (4%), Australia (4%), Italy (3%) and United Kingdom (3%).

Imports from France registered a 13% decrease, from Rs 7,841 million in 2003 to Rs 6,852 million in 2004. It is to be noted that the 2003 figure included the purchase of an aircraft worth Rs 1,073 million. On the other hand our imports from Bahrain increased by 56% on account of price increases of petroleum products. Significant increases were also registered in our import bill from Japan (+33%), India (+29%) and China (+28%).

## 5. Trade with Regional Organisations

Total exports to African, Carribean and Pacific (ACP) States during the fourth quarter of 2004 amounted to Rs 1,375 million, while imports stood at Rs 3,052 million (Table 15).

During 2004, total exports to these countries were valued at Rs 4,861 million and imports, Rs 11,358 million.

During the fourth quarter of 2004, Mauritius exported goods to a value of Rs 1,008 million to COMESA countries. Imports from these countries amounted to Rs 605 million, resulting in a favourable balance of Rs 403 million for Mauritius (Table 16).

For the year 2004, total exports to COMESA countries amounted to Rs 3,624 million against Rs 2,352 million worth of imports. Madagascar was the main buyer (74%) as well as the main supplier (40%).

Trade with SADC countries for the fourth quarter showed a deficit of Rs 2,410 million, resulting from imports to a value of Rs 2,838 million and exports amounting to Rs 428 million (Table 17).

For the year 2004, Mauritius imported Rs 9,710 million worth of goods from SADC countries while exports were of the order of Rs 1,552 million. The main supplier was the Republic of South Africa (88%). Our main buyers were Republic of South Africa (50%), Seychelles (21%), Tanzania (10%), Zimbabwe (6%) and Mozambique (6%).

## **6. Trade in Freeport Zone**

During the fourth quarter of 2004, total imports of the Freeport Zone from overseas amounted to Rs 1,034 million, a figure which is 29% lower when compared to the previous quarter but 3% higher than the corresponding quarter of 2003. Re-exports to overseas markets were valued at Rs 1,656 million, that is 15% lower than those of the previous quarter and 2% lower than the corresponding quarter of 2003 (Table 2).

For the year 2004, total imports amounted to Rs 4,254 million compared to Rs 6,824 million worth of re-exports.

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### Notes

(1) **Coverage**

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

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

(2) **Valuation**

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

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

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

(3) **Classification**

(i) **Commodity Code**

Commodities are coded according to the Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System Nomenclature (HS 2002). 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

**Table 1 - Summary of External Trade, 2003 - 2004**

Value : Million Rupees

	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>Exports of goods</b>	<b>50,978</b>	<b>53,025</b>	<b>11,061</b>	<b>11,265</b>	<b>14,422</b>	<b>14,230</b>	<b>11,733</b>	<b>11,891</b>	<b>15,087</b>	<b>14,314</b>
<i>Domestic exports</i>	42,138	43,983	8,668	9,247	12,496	11,727	9,772	9,630	12,621	11,960
<i>Re-exports</i>	8,840	9,042	2,393	2,018	1,926	2,503	1,961	2,261	2,466	2,354
<b>Ship's Stores and Bunkers</b>	<b>2,044</b>	<b>2,198</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>676</b>
<b>A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)</b>	<b>53,022</b>	<b>55,223</b>	<b>11,779</b>	<b>11,637</b>	<b>14,870</b>	<b>14,736</b>	<b>12,218</b>	<b>12,409</b>	<b>15,606</b>	<b>14,990</b>
<i>of which:</i>										
<i>( EPZ products )</i>	31,444	32,370	6,716	8,005	8,363	8,360	7,410	8,465	8,022	8,473
<b>B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)</b>	<b>65,942</b>	<b>76,577</b>	<b>16,435</b>	<b>14,902</b>	<b>16,661</b>	<b>17,944</b>	<b>16,127</b>	<b>18,933</b>	<b>19,693</b>	<b>21,824</b>
<i>of which:</i>										
<i>( EPZ products )</i>	15,579	17,210	3,779	3,726	4,005	4,069	3,952	4,784	4,450	4,024
<b>Total Value of Trade (A+B)</b>	<b>118,964</b>	<b>131,800</b>	<b>28,214</b>	<b>26,539</b>	<b>31,531</b>	<b>32,680</b>	<b>28,345</b>	<b>31,342</b>	<b>35,299</b>	<b>36,814</b>
<b>Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)</b>	<b>-12,920</b>	<b>-21,354</b>	<b>-4,656</b>	<b>-3,265</b>	<b>-1,791</b>	<b>-3,208</b>	<b>-3,909</b>	<b>-6,524</b>	<b>-4,087</b>	<b>-6,834</b>

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Note : As from 2002, data include transactions of the Freeport

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**Table 2 - Imports and exports of the Freeport Zone, 2003-2004**

	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>IMPORTS</b>										
Value (Rs Mn)	4,257	4,254	1,487	871	898	1,001	859	897	1,464	1,034
Volume (tonne)	59,747	58,514	14,503	14,489	15,536	15,219	15,070	15,288	13,314	14,842
<b>RE-EXPORTS</b>										
Value (Rs Mn)	6,787	6,824	1,990	1,626	1,476	1,695	1,549	1,671	1,948	1,656
Volume (tonne)	102,039	113,784	25,845	21,676	23,356	31,162	48,061	20,469	19,526	25,728

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 3 - Price (unit value) indices of exports and imports and terms of trade, 1999 - 2004**

Period	Price indices		Terms of trade <sup>1</sup>	
	Export	Import		
<b>Base year : 1997 = 100</b>				
1999	113	113	100	
2000	112	117	96	
2001	114	126	90	
2002	124	132	94	
2002	1st Qr	115	129	89
	2nd Qr	122	131	93
	3rd Qr	127	133	95
	4th Qr	130	135	96
<b>Base year : 2002 = 100</b>				
2003	109	112	97	
2004	116	128	91	
2003	1st Qr	102	109	94
	2nd Qr	110	112	98
	3rd Qr	113	113	100
	4th Qr	110	113	97
2004 <sup>2</sup>	1st Qr	106	111	95
	2nd Qr	117	118	99
	3rd Qr	122	138	88
	4th Qr	120	146	82

<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 4 - Price indices (unit value) of exports, 2003 - 2004**

Commodity/Sector	Weight	Base year : 2002 = 100									
		Price Indices									
		2003					2004 <sup>1</sup>				
		Year	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	Year	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>Domestic Exports</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>120</b>
0 - Food and live animals	<b>3,019</b>	108	103	113	106	108	115	104	118	114	124
<i>of which:</i>											
<i>Sugar</i>	<b>2,320</b>	112	106	118	110	112	117	107	123	113	124
2 - Crude materials, inedible except fuels	<b>47</b>	104	115	99	101	101	105	92	97	105	126
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s	<b>36</b>	104	111	91	104	110	123	145	117	107	123
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	<b>291</b>	104	100	97	114	103	105	102	109	104	106
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	<b>6,607</b>	110	102	110	116	111	117	107	117	127	118

<sup>1</sup> Provisional**Table 5 - Price indices (unit value) of imports, 2003 - 2004**

S.I.T.C. Section	Weight	Base year : 2002 = 100									
		Price indices									
		2003					2004 <sup>1</sup>				
		Year	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	Year	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>Total imports (excluding aircraft) :</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>146</b>
0 - Food and live animals	<b>1,747</b>	106	100	105	111	108	117	106	114	124	122
1 - Beverages and tobacco	<b>68</b>	127	115	131	127	135	146	129	150	154	152
2 - Crude materials, inedible except fuels	<b>280</b>	108	109	104	108	109	110	103	107	111	117
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials	<b>1,645</b>	107	119	98	106	105	140	113	130	149	169
4 - Animals and vegetables oils & fats	<b>118</b>	114	118	107	115	116	121	101	128	128	127
5 - Chemicals & related products, n.e.s	<b>696</b>	111	106	102	115	121	123	108	121	126	138
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	<b>2,997</b>	116	110	111	122	120	135	118	126	147	150
7 - Machinery & transport equipment (excluding aircraft)	<b>1,716</b>	117	114	137	108	107	122	109	100	130	147
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	<b>733</b>	111	95	116	109	123	126	102	99	149	152

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 6 - Total exports<sup>1</sup> of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	2003	2004 <sup>2</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>2</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>All sections</b>	<b>50,978</b>	<b>53,025</b>	<b>11,061</b>	<b>11,265</b>	<b>14,422</b>	<b>14,230</b>	<b>11,733</b>	<b>11,891</b>	<b>15,087</b>	<b>14,314</b>
<b>0 - Food and live animals</b>	<b>13,301</b>	<b>14,701</b>	<b>2,808</b>	<b>1,816</b>	<b>4,756</b>	<b>3,921</b>	<b>2,907</b>	<b>1,869</b>	<b>5,444</b>	<b>4,481</b>
of which :										
Cane Sugar										
<i>Quantity: (Thousand tonne)</i>	518	551	95	41	227	155	118	35	246	152
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	8,775	9,771	1,566	767	3,778	2,664	1,957	673	4,204	2,937
Cane Molasses										
<i>Quantity: (Thousand tonne)</i>	72	154	21	-	23	28	22	-	52	80
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	74	190	21	-	18	35	13	-	65	112
Fish and fish preparations										
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	50,329	54,242	12,583	11,349	12,735	13,662	11,814	13,887	14,124	14,417
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	3,167	3,358	952	714	712	789	668	821	908	961
<b>1 - Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>144</b>
of which :										
Cut flowers and foliage	111	101	31	28	20	32	22	22	22	35
<b>3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats &amp; waxes</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>5 - Chemicals &amp; related products, n.e.s.</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>939</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>285</b>
<b>6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material</b>	<b>4,068</b>	<b>4,610</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>999</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>1,095</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>1,305</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>1,190</b>
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	2,055	2,295	463	487	569	536	459	734	563	539
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	1,173	1,280	267	285	309	312	249	301	366	364
Corks & wood manufactures	30	49	7	7	7	9	7	11	20	11

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<sup>1</sup> Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers      <sup>2</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 6 (cont'd) - Total exports<sup>1</sup> of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2003	2004 <sup>2</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>2</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>7 - Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>1,637</b>	<b>2,495</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>923</b>	<b>566</b>
<b>8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles</b>	<b>30,340</b>	<b>29,569</b>	<b>6,562</b>	<b>7,764</b>	<b>7,769</b>	<b>8,245</b>	<b>7,174</b>	<b>7,772</b>	<b>7,040</b>	<b>7,583</b>
of which :										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	26,759	25,870	5,845	6,964	6,997	6,953	6,370	6,888	6,116	6,496
Optical goods, n.e.s.	136	161	34	37	31	34	30	55	41	35
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	98	116	21	21	25	31	26	25	29	36
Watches & clocks	455	480	104	116	112	123	115	120	114	131
Toys, games & sporting goods	236	209	57	52	60	67	47	51	58	53
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	841	1,097	197	201	205	238	227	257	274	339
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	227	252	57	62	45	63	56	63	60	73
<b>9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 7 - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b><u>All sections</u></b>	<b><u>42,138</u></b>	<b><u>43,983</u></b>	<b><u>8,668</u></b>	<b><u>9,247</u></b>	<b><u>12,496</u></b>	<b><u>11,727</u></b>	<b><u>9,772</u></b>	<b><u>9,630</u></b>	<b><u>12,621</u></b>	<b><u>11,960</u></b>
<b>0 - Food and live animals</b>	<b>11,959</b>	<b>13,425</b>	<b>2,247</b>	<b>1,540</b>	<b>4,536</b>	<b>3,636</b>	<b>2,652</b>	<b>1,555</b>	<b>5,184</b>	<b>4,034</b>
of which :										
Cane Sugar										
<i>Quantity: (Thousand tonne)</i>	518	551	95	41	227	155	118	35	246	152
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	8,775	9,771	1,566	767	3,778	2,664	1,957	673	4,204	2,937
Cane Molasses										
<i>Quantity: (Thousand tonne)</i>	72	154	21	-	23	28	22	-	52	80
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	74	190	21	-	18	35	13	-	65	112
Fish and fish preparations										
<i>Quantity: (Tonne)</i>	31,133	32,050	6,814	7,429	8,269	8,621	7,435	8,286	9,476	6,853
<i>Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees</i>	2,019	2,251	439	475	534	571	447	547	692	565
<b>1 - Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>93</b>
of which :										
Cut flowers and foliage	111	101	31	28	20	32	22	22	22	35
<b>3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats &amp; waxes</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>5 - Chemicals &amp; related products, n.e.s.</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>111</b>
<b>6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material</b>	<b>2,622</b>	<b>3,396</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>869</b>	<b>898</b>
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	1,051	1,477	245	280	271	255	292	506	323	356
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	1,109	1,251	247	268	297	297	241	295	358	357
Corks & wood manufactures	27	43	7	6	7	7	6	9	19	9

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional



**Table 7 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>7 - Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles</b>	<b>26,687</b>	<b>26,269</b>	<b>5,653</b>	<b>6,843</b>	<b>7,114</b>	<b>7,077</b>	<b>6,274</b>	<b>6,897</b>	<b>6,331</b>	<b>6,767</b>
of which :										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	24,427	23,519	5,189	6,309	6,537	6,392	5,692	6,201	5,617	6,009
Optical goods, n.e.s.	118	145	29	34	27	28	26	52	36	31
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	85	103	18	20	23	24	21	23	26	33
Watches & clocks	389	409	90	102	95	102	93	103	101	112
Toys, games & sporting goods	178	177	37	42	52	47	40	47	53	37
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	637	849	140	147	160	190	162	195	232	260
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	135	165	36	32	30	37	39	45	40	41
<b>9 - Commodities &amp; transactions not elsewhere classified</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 8 - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

Value (f.o.b) : Million Rupees

S.I.T.C section/description	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b><u>All sections</u></b>	<b>8,840</b>	<b>9,042</b>	<b>2,393</b>	<b>2,018</b>	<b>1,926</b>	<b>2,503</b>	<b>1,961</b>	<b>2,261</b>	<b>2,466</b>	<b>2,354</b>
<b>0 - Food and live animals</b>	<b>1,342</b>	<b>1,276</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>447</b>
of which :										
Fish and fish preparations	<i>1,148</i>	<i>1,107</i>	<i>513</i>	<i>239</i>	<i>178</i>	<i>218</i>	<i>221</i>	<i>274</i>	<i>216</i>	<i>396</i>
<b>1 - Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats &amp; waxes</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>5 - Chemicals &amp; related products, n.e.s.</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>174</b>
<b>6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material</b>	<b>1,446</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>292</b>
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	<i>1,004</i>	<i>818</i>	<i>218</i>	<i>207</i>	<i>298</i>	<i>281</i>	<i>167</i>	<i>228</i>	<i>240</i>	<i>183</i>
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	<i>64</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>7</i>
Corks & wood manufactures	<i>3</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 8 (cont'd) - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

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

S.I.T.C section/description	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>7 - Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>1,466</b>	<b>2,344</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>535</b>	<b>896</b>	<b>526</b>
<b>8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles</b>	<b>3,653</b>	<b>3,300</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>816</b>
of which :										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	2,332	2,351	656	655	460	561	678	687	499	487
Optical goods, n.e.s.	18	16	5	3	4	6	4	3	5	4
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	13	13	3	1	2	7	5	2	3	3
Watches & clocks	66	71	14	14	17	21	22	17	13	19
Toys, games & sporting goods	58	32	20	10	8	20	7	4	5	16
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	204	248	57	54	45	48	65	62	42	79
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	92	87	21	30	15	26	17	18	20	32
<b>9 - Commodities &amp; transactions not elsewhere classified</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 9 - Total exports<sup>1</sup> by country of destination, 2003 - 2004**

Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees

Country of destination	2003	2004 <sup>2</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>2</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>All countries</b>	<b>50,978</b>	<b>53,025</b>	<b>11,061</b>	<b>11,265</b>	<b>14,422</b>	<b>14,230</b>	<b>11,733</b>	<b>11,891</b>	<b>15,087</b>	<b>14,314</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>33,110</b>	<b>35,441</b>	<b>6,831</b>	<b>6,703</b>	<b>9,836</b>	<b>9,740</b>	<b>8,063</b>	<b>7,680</b>	<b>9,982</b>	<b>9,716</b>
Austria	103	72	22	31	32	18	17	15	24	16
Belgium	925	1,363	155	163	269	338	245	350	357	411
France	9,403	9,098	2,115	2,572	2,137	2,579	2,229	2,557	1,814	2,498
Germany	1,525	1,267	305	338	470	412	354	339	288	286
Italy	1,900	2,164	392	543	383	582	485	625	471	583
Netherlands	820	913	181	164	242	233	221	181	250	261
Portugal	648	720	-	8	604	36	21	3	655	41
Spain	651	871	127	165	131	228	136	200	160	375
Sweden	90	39	29	23	20	18	7	16	8	8
Switzerland	525	640	131	138	128	128	135	211	145	149
United Kingdom	15,915	17,538	3,236	2,432	5,244	5,003	4,059	2,900	5,675	4,904
Other	605	756	138	126	176	165	154	283	135	184
<b>Asia</b>	<b>1,845</b>	<b>2,746</b>	<b>678</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>1,066</b>	<b>678</b>
China	211	178	122	32	25	32	65	13	30	70
Hong Kong (S.A.R) <sup>3</sup>	174	177	37	58	42	37	38	73	29	37
India	169	500	19	82	28	40	71	57	152	220
Japan	452	438	178	79	79	116	95	142	99	102
Singapore	320	144	145	28	94	53	40	30	34	40
Taiwan	58	74	18	14	16	10	21	28	6	19
United Arab Emirates	60	778	9	32	10	9	38	119	561	60
Other	401	457	150	72	96	83	65	107	155	130
<b>Africa</b>	<b>6,714</b>	<b>6,483</b>	<b>1,415</b>	<b>1,585</b>	<b>1,732</b>	<b>1,982</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>1,851</b>
Comoros Islands	127	119	17	22	47	41	28	25	32	34
Kenya	223	249	57	62	61	43	61	54	37	97
Malagasy, Republic of	3,184	2,690	643	781	794	966	636	730	617	707
Malawi	9	12	6	2	1	-	-	-	5	7
Reunion	1,489	1,485	301	346	358	484	328	357	356	444
Seychelles	270	327	72	67	53	78	61	74	86	106
South Africa, Republic of	773	774	202	178	203	190	134	174	249	217
Tanzania	65	162	25	12	13	15	59	29	45	29
Uganda	38	5	3	1	31	3	-	2	1	2
Zimbabwe	101	96	17	29	23	32	17	26	28	25
Other	435	564	72	85	148	130	76	106	199	183
<b>America</b>	<b>9,125</b>	<b>8,134</b>	<b>2,107</b>	<b>2,524</b>	<b>2,418</b>	<b>2,076</b>	<b>1,796</b>	<b>1,993</b>	<b>2,345</b>	<b>2,000</b>
Canada	192	143	53	36	46	57	41	36	34	32
U.S.A.	8,772	7,854	2,002	2,447	2,338	1,985	1,720	1,925	2,270	1,939
Other	161	137	52	41	34	34	35	32	41	29
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>69</b>
Australia	106	139	23	24	29	30	31	43	35	30
Samoa	66	68	-	31	15	20	2	28	-	38
Other	12	14	7	1	2	2	8	1	4	1

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<sup>1</sup> Excluding Ship's stores & Bunkers <sup>2</sup> Provisional <sup>3</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 10 - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2003 - 2004**

Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees

Country of destination	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>All countries</b>	<b>42,138</b>	<b>43,983</b>	<b>8,668</b>	<b>9,247</b>	<b>12,496</b>	<b>11,727</b>	<b>9,772</b>	<b>9,630</b>	<b>12,621</b>	<b>11,960</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>29,670</b>	<b>32,017</b>	<b>5,926</b>	<b>5,848</b>	<b>9,275</b>	<b>8,621</b>	<b>7,202</b>	<b>6,599</b>	<b>9,332</b>	<b>8,884</b>
Austria	94	68	21	27	30	16	16	14	23	15
Belgium	787	1,100	152	158	262	215	219	245	286	350
France	7,522	7,414	1,529	2,036	1,733	2,224	1,659	2,051	1,542	2,162
Germany	1,408	1,179	239	318	463	388	342	323	265	249
Italy	1,361	1,580	234	375	302	450	351	488	329	412
Netherlands	806	881	175	163	242	226	220	181	221	259
Portugal	647	719	-	7	604	36	21	3	655	40
Spain	477	515	96	111	121	149	78	110	109	218
Sweden	88	36	28	23	19	18	5	15	8	8
Switzerland	502	565	125	133	125	119	124	156	140	145
United Kingdom	15,431	17,366	3,199	2,390	5,213	4,629	4,024	2,856	5,631	4,855
Other	547	594	128	107	161	151	143	157	123	171
<b>Asia</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>147</b>
China	16	12	3	3	4	6	2	4	1	5
Hong Kong (S.A.R) <sup>2</sup>	73	110	9	26	18	20	22	60	9	19
India	53	107	12	14	15	12	22	39	27	19
Japan	177	138	54	35	41	47	40	33	30	35
Singapore	37	40	16	8	7	6	8	9	9	14
Taiwan	19	13	5	2	9	3	6	5	1	1
United Arab Emirates	13	23	2	1	8	2	6	4	4	9
Other	77	203	11	20	20	26	41	62	55	45
<b>Africa</b>	<b>3,058</b>	<b>3,190</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>918</b>
Comoros Islands	57	54	7	8	25	17	14	11	13	16
Kenya	177	211	35	48	54	40	52	47	27	85
Malagasy, Republic of	1,102	1,017	207	334	218	343	220	302	210	285
Malawi	6	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Reunion	682	774	124	168	169	221	155	205	187	227
Seychelles	101	120	25	28	21	27	27	28	31	34
South Africa, Republic of	583	493	154	144	137	148	115	118	147	113
Tanzania	47	102	18	7	8	14	12	19	43	28
Uganda	4	4	2	1	1	-	-	1	1	2
Zimbabwe	64	67	11	18	14	21	10	20	22	15
Other	235	347	35	49	63	88	44	62	129	112
<b>America</b>	<b>8,845</b>	<b>8,011</b>	<b>1,984</b>	<b>2,465</b>	<b>2,361</b>	<b>2,035</b>	<b>1,744</b>	<b>1,969</b>	<b>2,314</b>	<b>1,984</b>
Canada	168	140	48	35	41	44	39	36	33	32
U.S.A.	8,585	7,764	1,909	2,402	2,299	1,975	1,684	1,905	2,250	1,925
Other	92	107	27	28	21	16	21	28	31	27
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>27</b>
Australia	94	113	21	19	26	28	27	32	28	26
Other	6	6	1	1	2	2	3	1	1	1

<sup>1</sup> Provisional <sup>2</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

**Table 11 - Re-exports by country of destination, 2003 - 2004**

Value (f.o.b): Million Rupees

Country of destination	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>All countries</b>	<b>8,840</b>	<b>9,042</b>	<b>2,393</b>	<b>2,018</b>	<b>1,926</b>	<b>2,503</b>	<b>1,961</b>	<b>2,261</b>	<b>2,466</b>	<b>2,354</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>3,440</b>	<b>3,424</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>1,119</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>1,081</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>832</b>
Austria	9	4	1	4	2	2	1	1	1	1
Belgium	138	263	3	5	7	123	26	105	71	61
France	1,881	1,684	586	536	404	355	570	506	272	336
Germany	117	88	66	20	7	24	12	16	23	37
Italy	539	584	158	168	81	132	134	137	142	171
Netherlands	14	32	6	1	-	7	1	-	29	2
Portugal	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	174	356	31	54	10	79	58	90	51	157
Sweden	2	3	1	-	1	-	2	1	-	-
Switzerland	23	75	6	5	3	9	11	55	5	4
United Kingdom	484	172	37	42	31	374	35	44	44	49
Other	58	162	10	19	15	14	11	126	12	13
<b>Asia</b>	<b>1,380</b>	<b>2,100</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>531</b>
China	195	166	119	29	21	26	65	9	29	65
Hong Kong (S.A.R.) <sup>2</sup>	101	67	28	32	24	17	16	13	20	18
India	116	393	7	68	13	28	49	18	125	201
Japan	275	300	124	44	38	69	55	109	69	67
Singapore	283	104	129	20	87	47	32	21	25	26
Taiwan	39	61	13	12	7	7	15	23	5	18
United Arab Emirates	47	755	7	31	2	7	32	115	557	51
Other	324	254	139	52	76	57	24	45	100	85
<b>Africa</b>	<b>3,656</b>	<b>3,293</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>1,022</b>	<b>1,063</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>764</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>933</b>
Comoros Islands	70	65	10	14	22	24	14	14	19	18
Kenya	46	38	22	14	7	3	9	7	10	12
Malagasy, Republic of	2,082	1,673	436	447	576	623	416	428	407	422
Malawi	3	11	-	2	1	-	-	-	5	6
Reunion	807	711	177	178	189	263	173	152	169	217
Seychelles	169	207	47	39	32	51	34	46	55	72
South Africa, Republic of	190	281	48	34	66	42	19	56	102	104
Tanzania	18	60	7	5	5	1	47	10	2	1
Uganda	34	1	1	-	30	3	-	1	-	-
Zimbabwe	37	29	6	11	9	11	7	6	6	10
Other	200	217	37	36	85	42	32	44	70	71
<b>America</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>16</b>
Canada	24	3	5	1	5	13	2	-	1	-
U.S.A.	187	90	93	45	39	10	36	20	20	14
Other	69	30	25	13	13	18	14	4	10	2
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>42</b>
Australia	12	26	2	5	3	2	4	11	7	4
Samoa	66	68	-	31	15	20	2	28	-	38
Other	6	8	6	-	-	-	5	-	3	-

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional <sup>2</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 12 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

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

SITC section/description	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>All sections</b>	<b>65,942</b>	<b>76,577</b>	<b>16,435</b>	<b>14,902</b>	<b>16,661</b>	<b>17,944</b>	<b>16,127</b>	<b>18,933</b>	<b>19,693</b>	<b>21,824</b>
<b>0 - Food and live animals</b>	<b>10,308</b>	<b>11,962</b>	<b>2,713</b>	<b>2,178</b>	<b>2,618</b>	<b>2,799</b>	<b>2,484</b>	<b>3,041</b>	<b>3,100</b>	<b>3,337</b>
Meat and meat preparations	860	976	190	198	222	250	197	236	212	331
Dairy products and bird's eggs	1,465	1,532	380	327	338	420	301	371	399	461
Fish and fish preparations	2,542	3,180	805	406	657	674	574	766	981	859
Wheat	754	565	216	109	220	209	208	125	137	95
Rice	658	893	139	183	167	169	190	238	232	233
Wheaten flour	2	310	-	-	1	1	52	91	80	87
Cereal preparations	356	399	82	76	92	106	83	94	107	115
Vegetables and fruits	1,282	1,327	323	357	309	293	325	382	295	325
Other	2,389	2,780	578	522	612	677	554	738	657	831
<b>1 - Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>252</b>
Beverages	447	505	91	89	117	150	108	94	110	193
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	179	193	43	36	46	54	34	45	55	59
<b>2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels</b>	<b>1,542</b>	<b>2,062</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>387</b>
Cork and wood	418	523	97	115	103	103	103	154	118	148
Textile fibres	771	1,112	194	180	196	201	188	422	382	120
Other	353	427	84	86	91	92	83	100	125	119

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 12 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

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

SITC section/description	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants, &amp; related products</b>	<b>7,290</b>	<b>10,020</b>	<b>2,094</b>	<b>1,551</b>	<b>1,830</b>	<b>1,815</b>	<b>2,254</b>	<b>2,211</b>	<b>2,189</b>	<b>3,366</b>
Refined petroleum products	6,391	8,792	1,847	1,338	1,628	1,578	1,949	1,913	1,954	2,976
Gas, natural and manufactured	519	642	145	108	145	121	128	156	146	212
Other	380	586	102	105	57	116	177	142	89	178
<b>4 - Animal &amp; vegetable oils and fats</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>159</b>
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	518	596	101	155	149	113	145	149	171	131
Other	121	116	21	58	22	20	32	22	34	28
<b>5 - Chemicals &amp; related products</b>	<b>5,770</b>	<b>6,409</b>	<b>1,236</b>	<b>1,421</b>	<b>1,535</b>	<b>1,578</b>	<b>1,423</b>	<b>1,538</b>	<b>1,624</b>	<b>1,824</b>
Dyeing & tanning materials	512	550	105	137	135	135	103	143	143	161
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	1,156	1,475	255	291	296	314	372	360	350	393
Fertilisers	315	311	67	50	93	105	71	34	113	93
Plastics in primary forms	707	958	143	168	183	213	177	223	250	308
Plastics in non-primary forms	476	582	97	120	124	135	108	146	172	156
Other	2,604	2,533	569	655	704	676	592	632	596	713
<b>6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material</b>	<b>18,863</b>	<b>19,812</b>	<b>4,094</b>	<b>4,744</b>	<b>5,028</b>	<b>4,997</b>	<b>4,109</b>	<b>5,294</b>	<b>5,227</b>	<b>5,182</b>
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	1,117	1,293	234	281	284	318	271	307	336	379
Textile yarn	4,283	4,189	998	1,115	1,129	1,041	971	1,273	1,014	931
Cotton fabrics	2,325	2,213	535	584	569	637	493	528	617	575
Other textile fabrics	3,341	2,823	678	834	822	1,007	573	800	720	730
Cement	734	1,106	155	182	222	175	225	319	337	225
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	1,296	1,458	303	313	382	298	269	349	444	396
Iron and steel	1,564	1,886	379	458	439	288	306	547	478	555
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	1,767	1,953	332	397	487	551	419	454	519	561
Other	2,436	2,891	480	580	694	682	582	717	762	830

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Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport



**Table 12 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2003 - 2004**

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

SITC section/description	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>7 - Machinery &amp; transport equipment</b>	<b>14,241</b>	<b>18,087</b>	<b>4,054</b>	<b>2,964</b>	<b>3,313</b>	<b>3,910</b>	<b>3,796</b>	<b>4,322</b>	<b>4,885</b>	<b>5,084</b>
Power generating machinery & equipment	638	618	196	96	122	224	108	83	133	294
Machinery specialised for particular industries	2,237	3,451	635	616	504	482	1,039	879	755	778
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	1,982	2,367	425	464	495	598	499	496	652	720
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	1,285	1,401	230	301	411	343	338	342	339	382
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	1,576	2,666	409	257	338	572	329	455	1,026	856
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	2,246	2,798	441	495	576	734	549	690	780	779
Road vehicles	2,805	4,050	547	612	761	885	854	1,032	1,054	1,110
Aircraft, marine vessels and parts	1,388	606	1,156	102	76	54	57	298	111	140
Other	84	130	15	21	30	18	23	47	35	25
<b>8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles</b>	<b>6,521</b>	<b>6,624</b>	<b>1,574</b>	<b>1,301</b>	<b>1,576</b>	<b>2,070</b>	<b>1,309</b>	<b>1,503</b>	<b>1,625</b>	<b>2,187</b>
Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s	308	312	46	84	92	86	64	74	86	88
Articles of apparel and clothing	789	885	128	159	194	308	155	233	216	281
Footwear	282	330	34	52	68	128	48	67	81	134
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s	644	500	178	159	136	171	127	115	114	144
Watches and clocks & optical goods	429	504	87	93	108	141	99	105	121	179
Printed matter	613	632	150	131	145	187	146	142	144	200
Articles n.e.s., of plastic	755	790	157	166	203	229	162	207	191	230
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares, n.e.s	484	697	93	77	130	184	124	129	168	276
Other	2,217	1,974	701	380	500	636	384	431	504	655
<b>9 - Commodities &amp; transactions, n.e.s.</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>46</b>

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 13 - Imports of selected commodities, 2003 - 2004**

C o m m o d i t y	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>Rice :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	57	71	71	16	15	14	18	18	17	18
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	658	893	139	183	167	169	190	238	232	233
<b>Wheaten flour :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	-	37	-	-	-	-	6	11	10	10
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2	310	-	-	1	1	52	91	80	87
<b>Wheat :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	153	98	43	25	48	37	37	20	25	16
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	754	565	216	109	220	209	208	125	137	95
<b>Dairy products :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	23	24	6	5	5	7	5	6	6	7
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,465	1,532	380	327	338	420	301	371	399	461
<b>Fixed vegetable edible oils and fats :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	32	31	6	10	9	7	8	7	9	7
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	518	596	101	155	149	113	145	149	171	131
<b>Fertilisers manufactured :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	64	48	15	10	17	22	15	4	16	13
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	315	311	67	50	93	105	71	34	113	93
<b>Cotton fabrics :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	12	8	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	2,325	2,213	535	584	569	637	493	528	617	575
<b>Cement :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	647	719	137	168	190	152	168	202	210	139
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	734	1,106	155	182	222	175	225	319	337	225
<b>Iron and steel :</b>										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	123	109	32	38	33	20	22	33	25	29
Value (c.i.f.) : Million Rupees	1,564	1,886	379	458	439	288	306	547	478	555

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 14 - Imports by country of origin, 2002 - 2004**

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

Country of origin	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>All countries</b>	<b>65,942</b>	<b>76,577</b>	<b>16,435</b>	<b>14,902</b>	<b>16,661</b>	<b>17,944</b>	<b>16,127</b>	<b>18,933</b>	<b>19,693</b>	<b>21,824</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>19,829</b>	<b>21,903</b>	<b>5,326</b>	<b>4,323</b>	<b>4,756</b>	<b>5,424</b>	<b>4,704</b>	<b>4,915</b>	<b>5,877</b>	<b>6,407</b>
Austria	128	157	21	18	26	63	30	34	47	46
Belgium	945	1,367	232	249	232	232	269	251	408	439
Denmark	281	196	34	34	51	162	42	52	49	53
Finland	158	822	33	35	31	59	52	98	502	170
France	7,841	6,852	2,576	1,592	1,818	1,855	1,314	1,526	1,837	2,175
Germany	2,148	2,859	454	540	548	606	626	609	786	838
Greece	29	48	6	3	8	12	12	15	10	11
Ireland	188	185	61	23	49	55	41	35	54	55
Israel	284	274	71	55	46	112	104	34	30	106
Italy	2,109	2,434	438	561	505	605	546	620	565	703
Netherlands	492	462	99	96	151	146	135	101	106	120
Norway	11	12	4	1	3	3	2	3	2	5
Portugal	141	144	24	70	21	26	27	44	38	35
Russian Federation	115	27	5	3	59	48	1	2	5	19
Spain	1,104	1,475	256	153	272	423	410	278	413	374
Sweden	151	183	32	38	42	39	38	56	48	41
Switzerland	925	1,447	226	234	212	253	411	469	215	352
Turkey	73	144	10	18	27	18	22	32	43	47
Ukraine	128	8	125	2	1	-	2	1	2	3
United Kingdom	2,175	2,379	510	507	565	593	534	534	619	692
Other	403	428	109	91	89	114	86	121	98	123
<b>Asia</b>	<b>28,475</b>	<b>35,719</b>	<b>6,620</b>	<b>6,505</b>	<b>7,243</b>	<b>8,107</b>	<b>7,119</b>	<b>9,228</b>	<b>9,035</b>	<b>10,337</b>
Bahrain	2,571	4,021	671	429	761	710	849	1,035	446	1,691
China	5,539	7,076	1,097	1,302	1,308	1,832	1,198	1,637	1,960	2,281
Hong Kong (S.A.R) <sup>2</sup>	1,049	771	251	231	243	324	153	259	213	146
India	5,438	6,988	1,196	1,355	1,472	1,415	1,266	2,092	1,468	2,162
Indonesia	1,137	1,560	244	280	313	300	281	527	414	338
Japan	2,326	3,096	508	501	568	749	797	714	777	808
Jordan	24	41	-	-	23	1	-	-	41	-
Korea, Republic of	693	796	138	167	180	208	138	204	239	215
Macau	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	2
Malaysia	2,026	2,286	404	535	560	527	433	576	640	637
Myanmar (ex Burma)	11	17	2	2	3	4	5	3	5	4
Pakistan	1,022	1,182	188	231	302	301	279	300	277	326

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional <sup>2</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 14 (Cont'd) - Imports by country of origin, 2003 - 2004**

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

Country of origin	2003	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2003				2004 <sup>1</sup>			
			1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>Asia (cont'd)</b>										
Philippines	283	407	46	88	92	57	105	73	130	99
Saudi Arabia	1,638	1,419	441	198	425	574	716	334	275	94
Singapore	1,684	1,175	699	246	375	364	262	293	357	263
Sri Lanka	105	123	29	23	24	29	40	33	27	23
Taiwan	1,163	1,251	351	223	284	305	229	390	304	328
Thailand	969	1,167	169	255	228	317	221	291	305	350
United Arab Emirates	485	1,737	126	262	51	46	75	204	948	510
Other	311	603	60	176	31	44	72	263	208	60
<b>Africa</b>	<b>11,454</b>	<b>11,826</b>	<b>2,751</b>	<b>2,719</b>	<b>3,062</b>	<b>2,922</b>	<b>2,779</b>	<b>2,870</b>	<b>2,936</b>	<b>3,241</b>
Burkina Faso	115	60	21	40	16	38	32	5	23	-
Cameroon	72	88	30	19	16	7	29	27	16	16
Cote D' Ivoire	2	5	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	1
Egypt	387	522	58	69	139	121	133	109	142	138
Kenya	103	152	21	22	31	29	31	37	37	47
Malagasy, Republic of	1,407	933	236	384	450	337	358	308	135	132
Mali	80	51	3	31	29	17	30	17	-	4
Morocco	109	92	20	26	24	39	20	29	24	19
Nigeria	3	2	2	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
Reunion	113	102	22	26	36	29	33	17	19	33
Seychelles	218	187	145	12	3	58	12	27	14	134
South Africa, Republic of	8,068	8,564	1,957	1,932	2,122	2,057	1,956	2,128	2,120	2,360
Swaziland	219	222	50	64	53	52	62	37	53	70
Zambia	157	227	60	45	28	24	37	41	94	55
Zimbabwe	66	69	18	14	15	19	12	12	22	23
Other	335	550	108	34	100	93	32	75	234	209
<b>America</b>	<b>3,342</b>	<b>3,504</b>	<b>885</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>748</b>	<b>887</b>	<b>951</b>	<b>918</b>
Argentina	732	910	209	114	189	220	125	391	129	265
Brazil	310	473	65	118	64	63	131	47	151	144
Canada	89	89	35	17	25	12	22	13	13	41
Chile	31	42	3	3	13	12	5	11	10	16
Mexico	14	23	4	3	4	3	3	7	6	7
Panama	21	3	-	14	-	7	-	3	-	-
U. S. A.	1,734	1,755	456	413	479	386	373	404	550	428
Other	411	209	113	86	184	28	89	11	92	17
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>2,842</b>	<b>3,625</b>	<b>853</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>1,033</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>921</b>
Australia	2,153	2,842	658	456	414	625	686	766	605	785
New Zealand	558	505	134	130	173	121	90	156	128	131
Other	131	278	61	1	55	14	1	111	161	5

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<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 15 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2003 - 2004**

Value : Thousand Rupees

ACP States	2003		2004 <sup>1</sup>		2004 <sup>1</sup>							
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr	
					Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports : value(f.o.b)
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,971,875</b>	<b>5,118,965</b>	<b>11,357,761</b>	<b>4,860,826</b>	<b>2,591,793</b>	<b>1,043,335</b>	<b>2,804,248</b>	<b>1,210,958</b>	<b>2,909,523</b>	<b>1,231,848</b>	<b>3,052,197</b>	<b>1,374,685</b>
Antigua and Barbuda	379	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
Bahamas	1,173	-	582	1	-	1	-	-	134	-	448	-
Barbados	-	-	-	185	-	101	-	84	-	-	-	-
Belize	4,525	21,034	1,526	7,730	464	7,730	-	-	1,062	-	-	-
Benin	20,442	2,934	31,958	8,592	-	26	-	813	31,958	2,597	-	5,156
Botswana	3,108	15,811	7,860	18,229	224	1,518	1,357	7,771	1,630	3,663	4,649	5,277
Burkina Faso	115,497	1,145	61,262	1,881	32,388	1,456	5,468	146	23,406	53	-	226
Burundi	-	30,370	-	17,304	-	2,185	-	9,059	-	5,756	-	304
Cameroon	72,413	19,242	87,922	2,262	28,537	48	26,955	84	15,980	1,620	16,450	510
Chad	3,971	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros Islands	20,473	126,733	2,052	119,316	80	27,785	1,415	25,247	434	31,977	123	34,307
Congo	9,326	2,494	21,394	4,702	6,914	16	4,039	445	6,178	3,563	4,263	678
Cook Islands	8,323	-	78,596	431	-	431	7,554	-	65,561	-	5,481	-
Cote D'Ivoire	2,185	5,091	4,983	7,503	1,055	1,451	1,370	5,506	1,757	546	801	-
Cuba	2,191	-	3,038	-	1,489	-	826	-	291	-	432	-
Ethiopia	815	8,948	975	1,083	381	16	185	-	189	515	220	552
Fiji	4,883	-	4,143	2,341	1,152	2,341	1,503	-	1,486	-	2	-
Gabon	753	444	12	2,416	-	843	-	724	2	849	10	-
Gambia	2	1,776	-	1,876	-	-	-	1,470	-	-	-	406
Ghana	13	7,671	824	8,274	-	285	-	1,373	57	4,548	767	2,068
Guinea	2,053	3,776	290	918	182	-	10	805	47	-	51	113
Kenya	102,954	223,199	151,599	248,539	30,901	60,639	37,038	53,643	36,680	36,928	46,980	97,329
Lesotho	46	1,554	13,491	5,689	8	126	318	1,189	6,169	1,806	6,996	2,568
Liberia	17,654	67	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Malagasy, Rep. of	1,406,756	3,184,334	932,202	2,689,848	357,703	635,752	307,635	729,595	135,120	617,161	131,744	707,340

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

<sup>2</sup> Total exports excluding ships' stores & bunkers

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 15 (Cont'd)- Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2003 - 2004**

Value : Thousand Rupees

ACP States	2003		2004 <sup>1</sup>		2004 <sup>1</sup>							
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr	
					Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)
Malawi	5,186	9,280	10,902	12,641	1,335	35	1,616	197	5,774	5,390	2,177	7,019
Mali	79,910	488	50,375	1,386	30,056	8	16,769	-	26	-	3,524	1,378
Micronesia	40,127	-	66,102	-	-	-	66,102	-	-	-	-	-
Mozambique	133,165	49,914	303,441	91,005	845	7,378	53,159	29,624	79,413	26,644	170,024	27,359
Namibia	10,748	14,407	21,277	4,739	2,881	3,324	1,976	910	12,917	247	3,503	258
Nigeria	3,477	913	1,735	6,410	713	242	-	1,912	893	1,594	129	2,662
Niue	-	377	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Rwanda	111	22,750	-	34,054	-	830	-	8	-	14,994	-	18,222
Samoa	-	64,726	-	67,669	-	1,558	-	27,867	-	-	-	38,244
Senegal	47,640	14,817	9,288	13,379	9,043	6,546	182	767	2	4,074	61	1,992
Seychelles	218,222	269,770	186,700	326,142	12,057	60,557	26,588	74,093	13,989	85,580	134,066	105,912
Sierra Leone	279	183	299	101	-	101	105	-	18	-	176	-
Solomon Islands	37,013	-	107,950	-	-	-	14,985	-	92,965	-	-	-
South Africa	8,068,341	773,353	8,564,858	774,542	1,956,277	134,170	2,128,391	174,173	2,120,257	249,408	2,359,933	216,791
Sudan	7	110	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swaziland	218,571	426	221,157	438	61,811	242	36,633	63	53,002	-	69,711	133
Tanzania	19,996	64,587	83,363	161,632	3,459	59,074	2,523	28,916	68,416	44,997	8,965	28,645
Togo	19,005	694	17,260	54,978	-	43	852	99	15,907	21,702	501	33,134
Trinidad & Tobago	431	112	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-
Uganda	4,303	38,420	6,023	5,399	836	186	4,777	2,323	410	853	-	2,037
Vanuatu	38,746	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	156,627	35,326	227,744	31,917	37,457	8,785	40,792	5,600	94,452	8,734	55,043	8,798
Zimbabwe	65,641	100,568	68,967	96,940	12,172	17,264	11,693	26,450	21,920	28,441	23,182	24,785
Other	4,394	1,121	5,588	28,312	1,366	242	1,424	2	1,021	27,608	1,777	460

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

<sup>2</sup> Total exports excluding ship's stores & bunkers

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 16 - Trade with COMESA States, 2003- 2004**

Value : Thousand Rupees

COMESA States	2003		2004 <sup>1</sup>		2004 <sup>1</sup>							
					1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr	
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,598,163</b>	<b>4,081,906</b>	<b>2,351,765</b>	<b>3,623,658</b>	<b>650,233</b>	<b>817,618</b>	<b>579,636</b>	<b>931,141</b>	<b>517,248</b>	<b>866,642</b>	<b>604,648</b>	<b>1,008,257</b>
Angola	-	16	-	27,609	-	-	-	-	-	27,609	-	-
Burundi	-	30,370	-	17,304	-	2,185	-	9,059	-	5,756	-	304
Comoros Islands	20,473	126,733	2,052	119,316	80	27,785	1,415	25,247	434	31,977	123	34,307
Djibouti	2	94	-	175	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	172
D. R. Congo	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	-
Egypt	387,747	17,155	522,137	7,514	132,614	15	109,288	3,953	142,336	2,457	137,899	1,089
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	815	8,948	975	1,083	381	16	185	-	189	515	220	552
Kenya	102,954	223,199	151,599	248,539	30,901	60,639	37,038	53,643	36,680	36,928	46,980	97,329
Malagasy, Republic of	1,406,756	3,184,334	932,202	2,689,848	357,703	635,752	307,635	729,595	135,120	617,161	131,744	707,340
Malawi	5,186	9,280	10,902	12,641	1,335	35	1,616	197	5,774	5,390	2,177	7,019
Namibia	10,748	14,407	21,277	4,739	2,881	3,324	1,976	910	12,917	247	3,503	258
Rwanda	111	22,750	-	34,054	-	830	-	8	-	14,994	-	18,222
Seychelles	218,222	269,770	186,700	326,142	12,057	60,557	26,588	74,093	13,989	85,580	134,066	105,912
Sudan	7	110	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swaziland	218,571	426	221,157	438	61,811	242	36,633	63	53,002	-	69,711	133
Uganda	4,303	38,420	6,023	5,399	836	186	4,777	2,323	410	853	-	2,037
Zambia	156,627	35,326	227,744	31,917	37,457	8,785	40,792	5,600	94,452	8,734	55,043	8,798
Zimbabwe	65,641	100,568	68,967	96,940	12,172	17,264	11,693	26,450	21,920	28,441	23,182	24,785

<sup>1</sup> Provisional      <sup>2</sup> Total exports excluding ships's stores and bunkers

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 17 - Trade with SADC States, 2003 - 2004**

Value : Thousand Rupees

SADC States	2003		2004 <sup>1</sup>		2004 <sup>1</sup>							
	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	1st Qr		2nd Qr		3rd Qr		4th Qr	
					Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)	Imports : value(c.i.f.)	Exports <sup>2</sup> : value(f.o.b)
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,899,651</b>	<b>1,335,012</b>	<b>9,709,785</b>	<b>1,551,523</b>	<b>2,088,526</b>	<b>292,473</b>	<b>2,305,046</b>	<b>348,986</b>	<b>2,477,964</b>	<b>482,519</b>	<b>2,838,249</b>	<b>427,545</b>
Angola	-	16	-	27,609	-	-	-	-	-	27,609	-	-
Botswana	3,108	15,811	7,860	18,229	224	1,518	1,357	7,771	1,630	3,663	4,649	5,277
D.R Congo	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	-
Lesotho	46	1,554	13,491	5,689	8	126	318	1,189	6,169	1,806	6,996	2,568
Malawi	5,186	9,280	10,902	12,641	1,335	35	1,616	197	5,774	5,390	2,177	7,019
Mozambique	133,165	49,914	303,441	91,005	845	7,378	53,159	29,624	79,413	26,644	170,024	27,359
Namibia	10,748	14,407	21,277	4,739	2,881	3,324	1,976	910	12,917	247	3,503	258
Seychelles	218,222	269,770	186,700	326,142	12,057	60,557	26,588	74,093	13,989	85,580	134,066	105,912
South Africa, Republic of	8,068,341	773,353	8,564,858	774,542	1,956,277	134,170	2,128,391	174,173	2,120,257	249,408	2,359,933	216,791
Swaziland	218,571	426	221,157	438	61,811	242	36,633	63	53,002	-	69,711	133
Tanzania	19,996	64,587	83,363	161,632	3,459	59,074	2,523	28,916	68,416	44,997	8,965	28,645
Zambia	156,627	35,326	227,744	31,917	37,457	8,785	40,792	5,600	94,452	8,734	55,043	8,798
Zimbabwe	65,641	100,568	68,967	96,940	12,172	17,264	11,693	26,450	21,920	28,441	23,182	24,785

<sup>1</sup> Provisional      <sup>2</sup> Total exports excluding ships's stores and bunkers

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport