

Commodity Price Indices and **Terms of Trade**

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HIGHLIGHTS:

Between January and March 2020 (Jan 2018=100):

- The All commodity group import index decreased by 0.84%. This was driven by a fall in the prices of Plastic, rubber and articles thereof, Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic and Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc.
- The All commodity group export price index decreased by 0.59% due to decreases in Boilers, machinery and appliances, and Base metals.
- Overall, the all products terms of trade (TOT) index rose 0.26% driven by increase in the prices of Plastic, rubber and articles thereof, Vegetable products and Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles.
- The All region group export index decreased by 0.59% due to decreases in the prices of exports to all regions.
- The All region group import index decreased by 0.84% due to decreases in the prices of goods from Europe, Asia and Oceania.
- The All region terms of trade on average increased by 0.26% due to improved export prices to Asia and Europe
- The major trading markets for Nigeria in Q1, 2020 were India, Spain, China, the Netherlands and South Africa.
- The major export to these countries were crude petroleum and natural gas, while the major imports were Motor spirits, motor cycles and Gas oil.

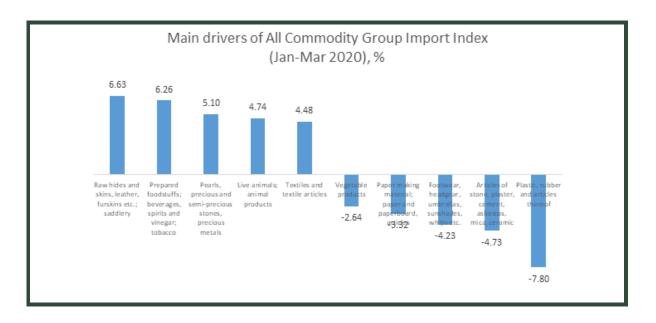
Terms Of Trade

The terms of trade (TOT) represent the ratio between a country's export prices and its import prices. The ratio is calculated by dividing the price of the exports by the price of the imports, usually in percentage terms. An increase in the terms of trade between two periods (or when TOT is greater than 100%) means that the value of exports is increasing relative to the value of imports, and the country can afford more imports for the same value of exports. For example, an increase in the price of oil between two periods (with oil production remaining the same) is likely to increase or improve the terms of trade for Nigeria and vice versa. The TOT is recorded as an index, and can be used as an indicator of an economy's health.

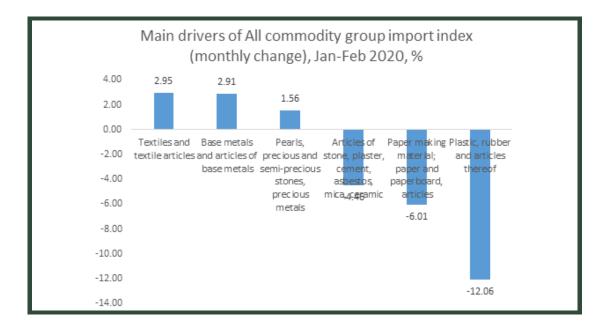
COMMODITY PRICE INDEX JANUARY TO MARCH, 2020

All commodity group import index (Table 1)

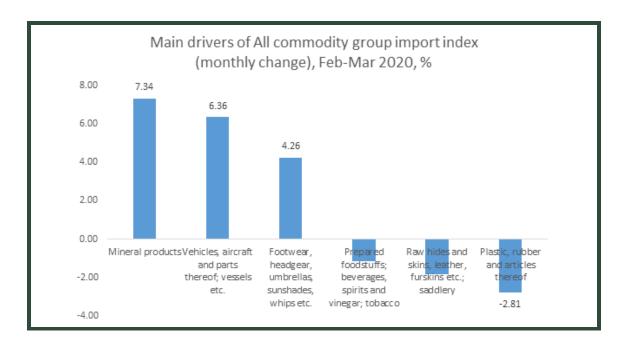
The All commodity group import index fell by 0.84% between January and March, as a result of the declines in the prices of Plastic, rubber and articles thereof (-7.80%), Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic (-4.73%) and Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips (-4.23%). The fall was, however, offset by increase in the prices of Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddler (+6.63%), Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco (+6.26%) and Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones, precious metals (+5.10%).



The month –on-month change in the All Commodity group import index showed that import prices decreased in February (-0.94%) compared to January. This was driven by Plastic rubber and its articles (-12.06%), Paper making material; paper and paperboard, articles (-6.01%) and Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic (-4.46%). This was partially offset by increases in prices of textile and textile articles (+2.95%), Base metals and articles (+2.91%) and Pearls precious and semi precious stone(+1.56%).



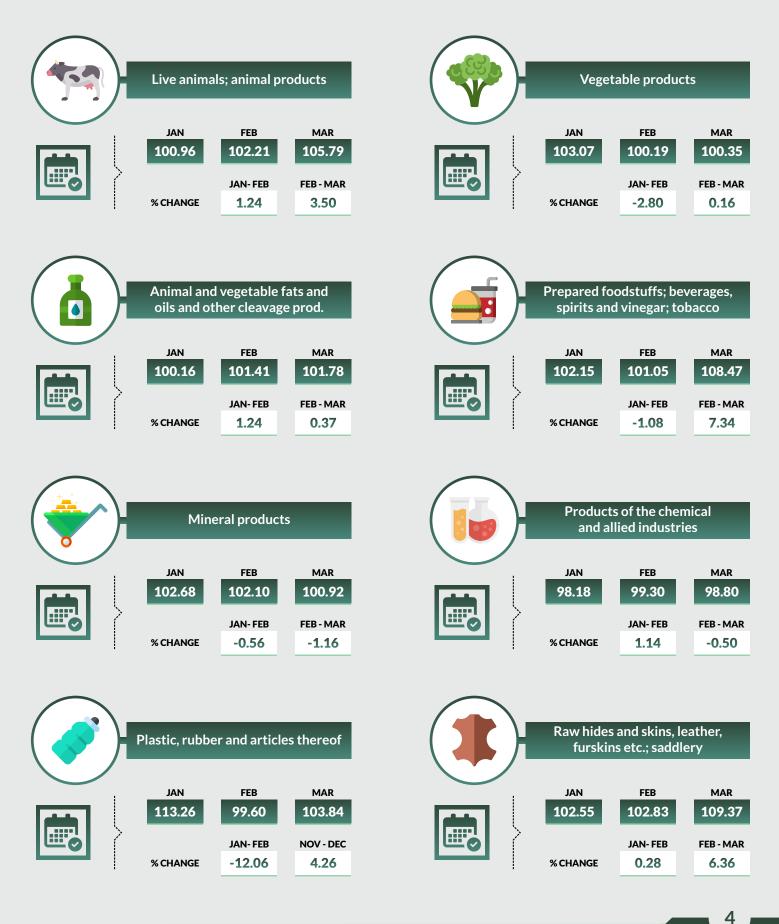
In March 2020, import prices of All commodity groups increased by 0.10% on average. The overall increase was mainly attributed to the increase in prices of Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco(+7.34%), Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery (+6.36%) and Plastic, rubber and articles thereof (+4.26%). However, this was negatively affected by changes in prices of Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc(-0.81%), Vehicles, aircraft and parts thereof; vessels etc (-1.85%) and Mineral products (-1.16%).



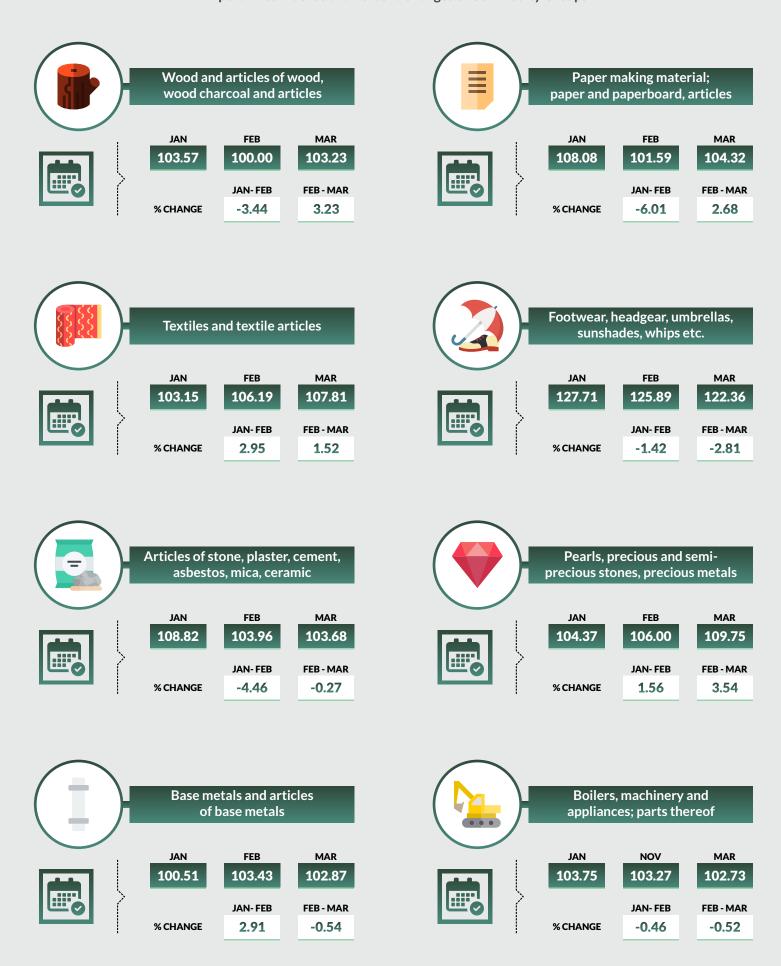


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Import price indexes and percent changes of Commodity Groups



Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes of Commodity Groups



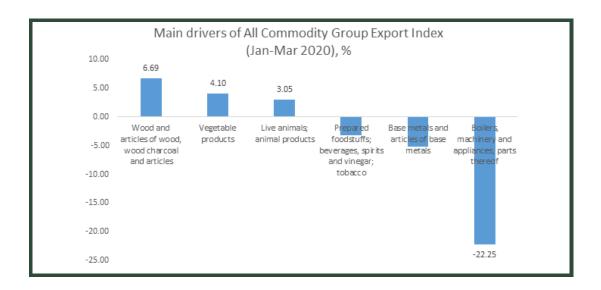
Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes of Commodity Groups



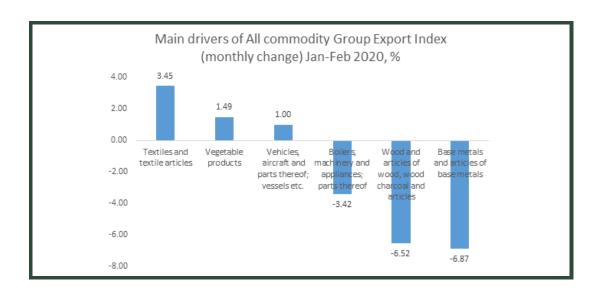
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JAN 102.97	FEB 102.00	MAR 102.10
% CHANGE	JAN- FEB -0.94	FEB - MAR 0.10

All commodity group export index (Table 2)

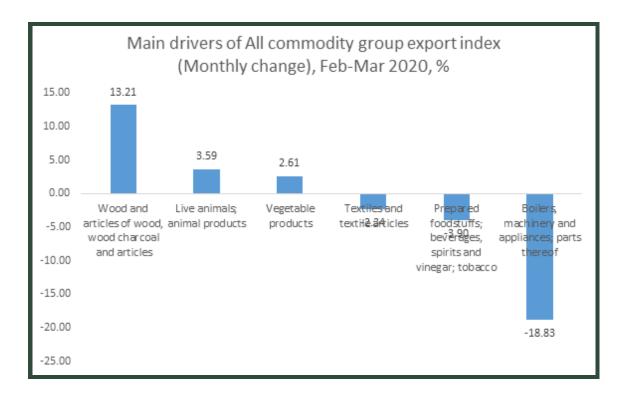
The All commodity group export price index decreased by 0.59% due to decreases in Boilers, machinery and appliances (-22.25%), Base metals and articles of base metals (-5.14%), Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco (-3.22%) and Miscellaneous manufactured articles (-3.10%). This was, however, offset by Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles (+6.69%), Vegetable products (+4.10%) and Live animals; animal products (+3.05%).



In February, the All Commodity Group Export Index decreased by 0.41%. This was due to decreases in Base metals and articles of base metals (-6.87%), Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles (-6.52%) and Boilers, machinery and appliances; parts thereof (-3.42%). This decline was offset by increased prices of Textiles and textile articles (+3.45%), Vegetable products (+1.49%) and Vehicles, aircraft and parts; vessels etc.(+1.0%).



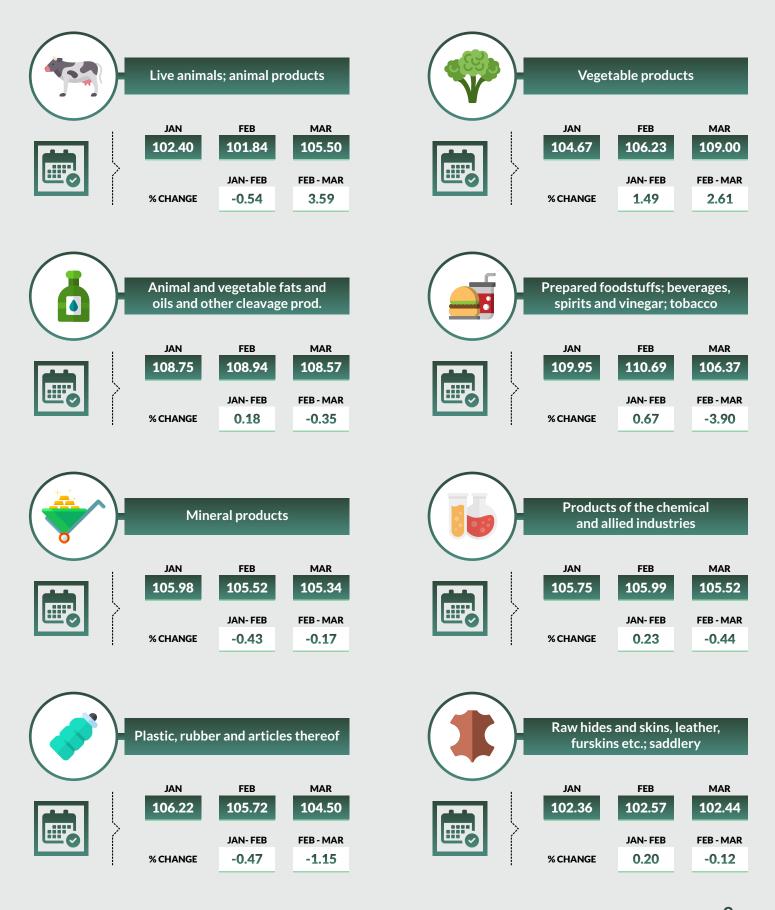
The monthly change in March of all commodity export index stood at -0.18%. This decrease can be attributed to a significant decrease in Boilers, machinery and appliances; parts thereof (-18.83%), Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco(-3.90%) and Textiles and textile articles(-2.34%). The decline was offset by increases in the prices of Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles (+13.21%) and Live animals; animal products (+3.59%).



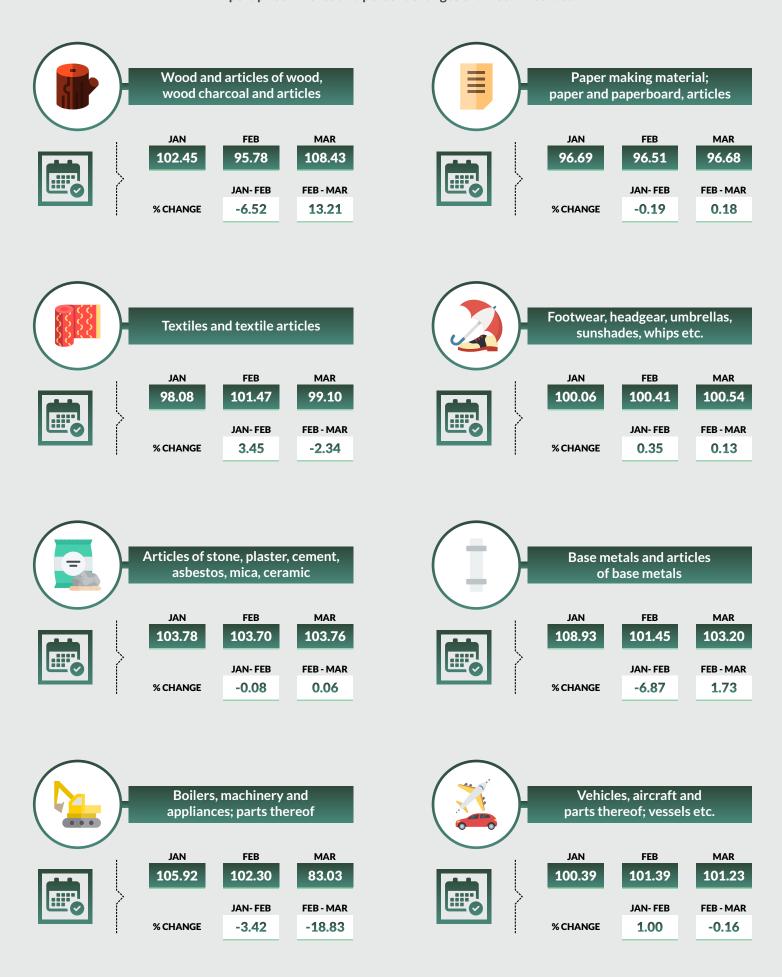


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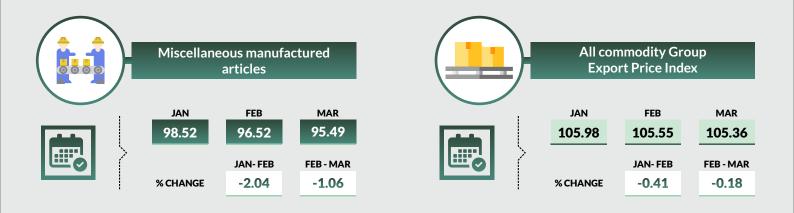
Export price indexes and percent changes of all Commodities



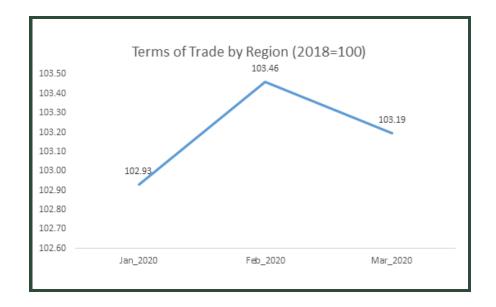
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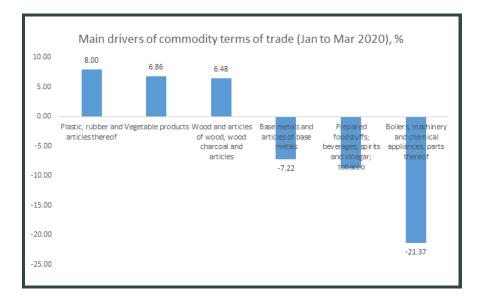
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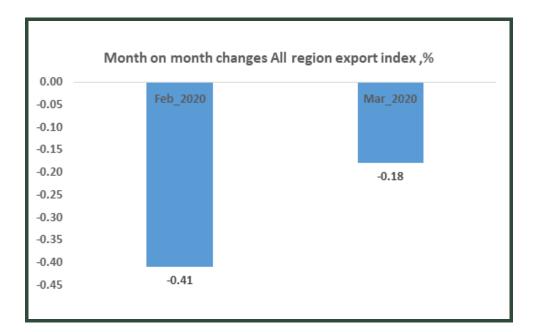
The All commodity group Terms of Trade stood at 102.93 in January, 103.48 in February and 103.19 in March.



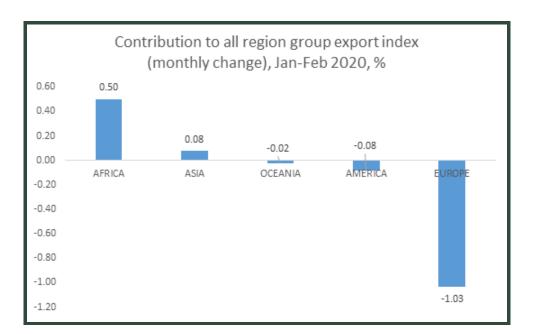
This represents an increase of 0.54% in February when compared with January but a decrease of 0.28% in March against the preceding month. On average, the terms of trade rose by 0.26% during the quarter. This increase is explained by a rise in the prices of Plastic, rubber and articles thereof (8%), Vegetable products (6.86%) and Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles (6.48%). However, it was offset by decline in the prices for Boilers, machinery and chemical appliances; parts thereof (-21.37%), Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco (-8.70%) and Base metals and articles of base metals (-7.22%).



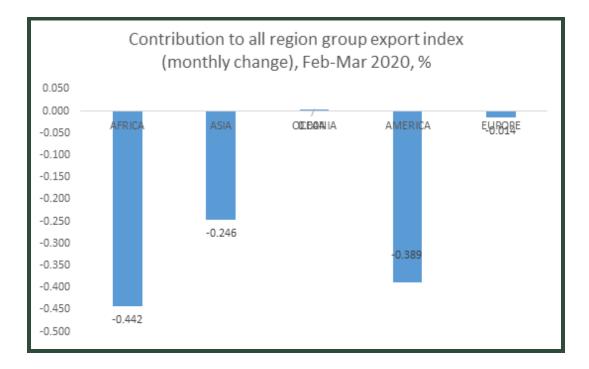
The All region group export index fell by 0.59% between January and March due to declines in the prices of exports to all regions. The month –on-month change showed that the all region export index fell in February by -0.41%, and in March by -0.18%.



In February 2020, the main cause of the decline in the index were lower prices in Europe (-1.03%), America (-0.08%) and Oceania (-0.02%). However, this decline was partially offset by Africa (+0.5%) and Asia (+0.08%).

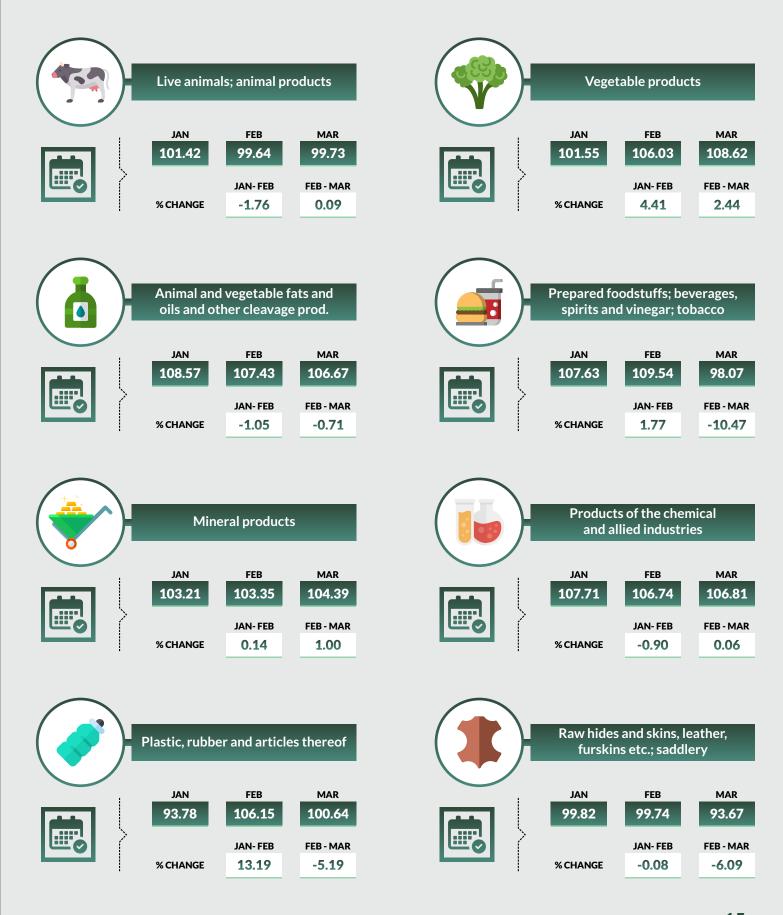


Between February and March, the monthly change in All Region export index stood at -0.18%. This is explained by the decreases in export prices to Africa (-0.44%), America (-0.39%), Asia (-0.25%) and Europe (-0.01%).

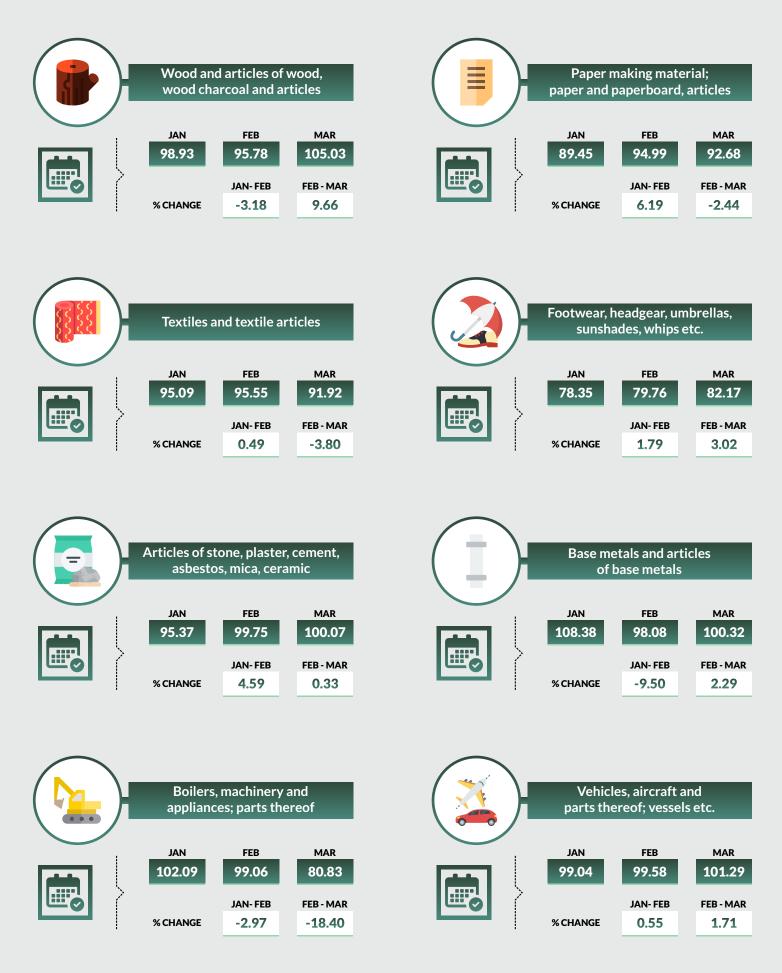




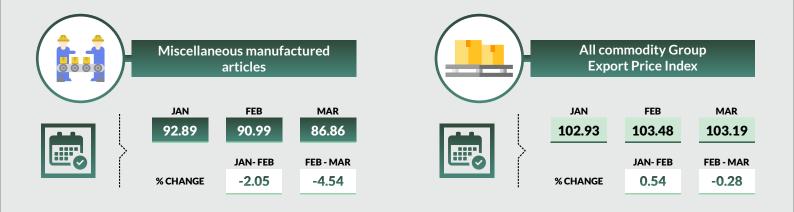
COMMODITY PRICE INDICES AND TERM OF TRADE – Q1 2020 Terms Of Trade by Commodity



NATIONAL BUREAU OF STATISTICS Terms Of Trade by Commodity



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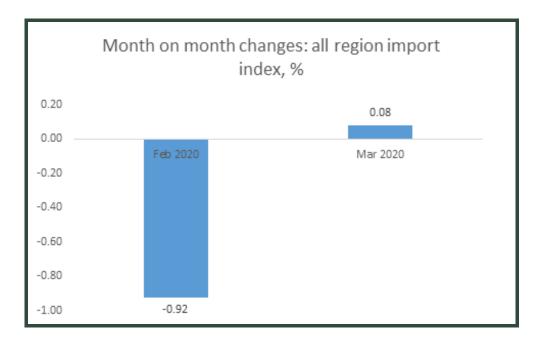




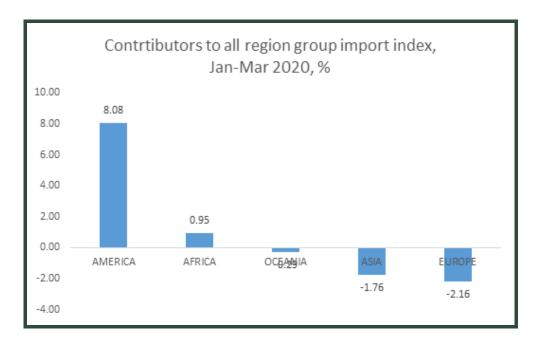
COMMODITY PRICE INDICES AND TERM OF TRADE – Q1 2020 Export Price Indexes by Region

All Region Group Export Index	JAN 105.98 % CHANGE	FEB 105.55 JAN - FEB -0.41	MAR 105.36 FEB - MAR -0.18
AFRICA	JAN 105.201 % CHANGE	FEB 105.729 JAN - FEB 0.502	MAR 105.262 FEB - MAR -0.442
AMERICA	JAN 100.915 % CHANGE	FEB 100.829 JAN - FEB -0.085	MAR 100.437 FEB - MAR -0.389
ASIA	JAN 108.297 % CHANGE	FEB 108.379 JAN - FEB 0.076	MAR 108.113 FEB - MAR -0.246
EUROPE	JAN 106.318 % CHANGE	FEB 105.221 JAN - FEB -1.032	MAR 105.206 FEB - MAR -0.014
OCEANIA	JAN 102.958 % CHANGE	FEB 102.936 JAN - FEB -0.021	MAR 102.940 FEB - MAR 0.004

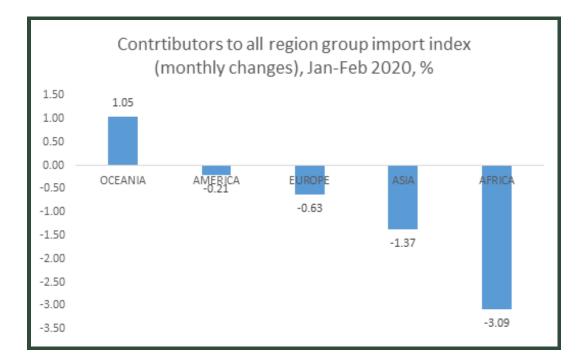
The All region group import index fell by 0.84% on average, following a decrease of 0.92% in February and an increase of 0.08% in March.



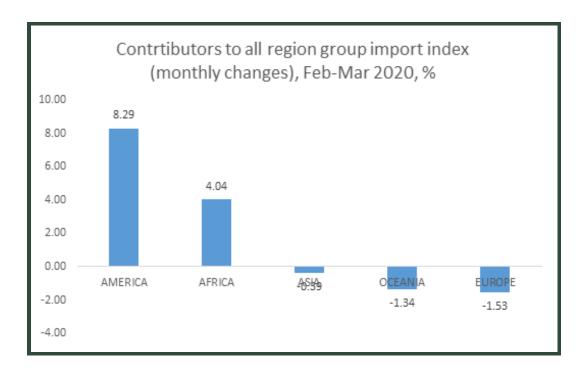
This was due to declines in import prices of goods from Europe (-2.16%), Asia (-1.76%) and Oceania (-0.29%), but offset by increases in import prices from America (+8.08%) and Africa (+0.95%).



In February, the All region group import index fell by 0.92% as a result of declines in import prices from Africa (-3.09%), Asia (-1.37%), Europe (-0.63%) and America (-0.21%). The decline was offset by higher prices in Oceania which rose by 1.05%.

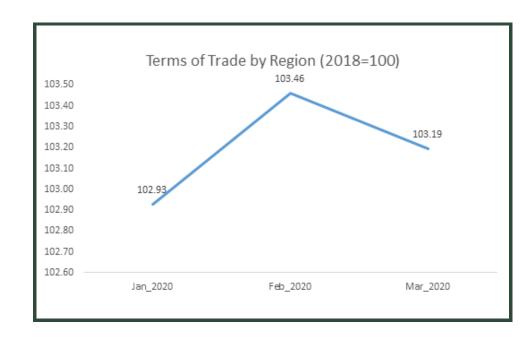


In March, the All region group import index increased marginally by 0.08% largely due to increase in import prices from America (+8.29%) and Africa (+4.04%), while falling prices were recorded in Europe (-1.53%), Oceania (-1.34%) and Asia (-0.39%).

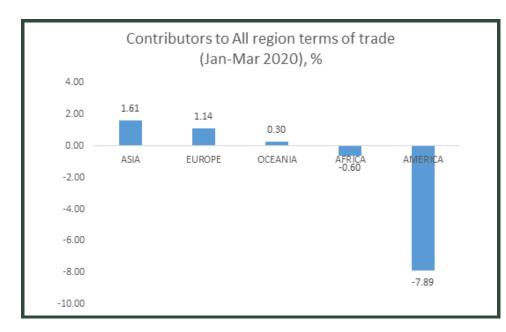


Terms of Trade by Regions [2018 Jan=100] (Table 6)

The All Region group terms of trade was recorded at 102.93 in January, rising to 103.46 in February and slightly declining 103.19 in March.



In effect, the terms of trade rose by 0.52% in February against January, but fell by 0.26% in March compared to February. Overall, the All region terms of trade rose by 0.26% due to improved export prices to Asia (+1.61%) and Europe (+1.14%) but was negatively affected by export price declines in America(-7.89%) and Africa (-0.60%).





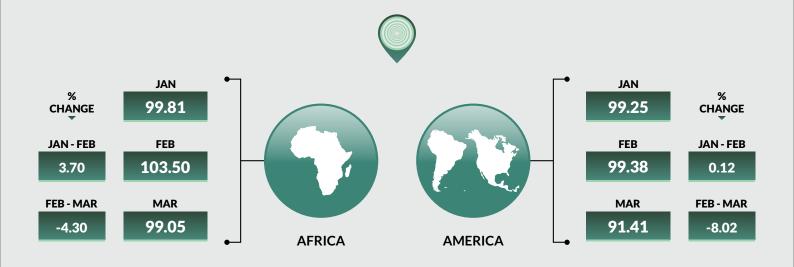
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Import Price Indexes by Region Percent Changes

All Region Grou Import Index	ip IIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII	JAN 102.97 % CHANGE	FEB 102.02 JAN - FEB -0.92	MAR 102.10 FEB - MAR 0.08
AFRICA		JAN 105.4 % CHAN	JAN - FEB	MAR 106.3 FEB - MAR 4.04
AMERI	CA	JAN 101.6 % CHAN	JAN - FEB	MAR 109.9 FEB - MAR 8.29
ASIA		JAN 103.0 % CHAN	JAN - FEB	MAR 101.2 FEB - MAR -0.39
EUROP	E	JAN 103.0 % CHAN	JAN - FEB	MAR 100.8 FEB - MAR -1.53
OCEAN	IIA	JAN 101.4 % CHAN	JAN - FEB	MAR 101.1 FEB - MAR -1.34



COMMODITY PRICE INDICES AND TERM OF TRADE – Q1 2020 Terms of Trade by (REGIONS)



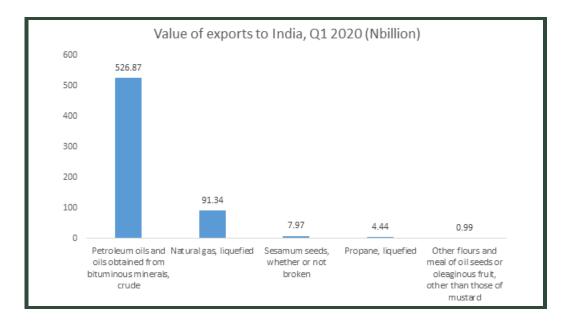


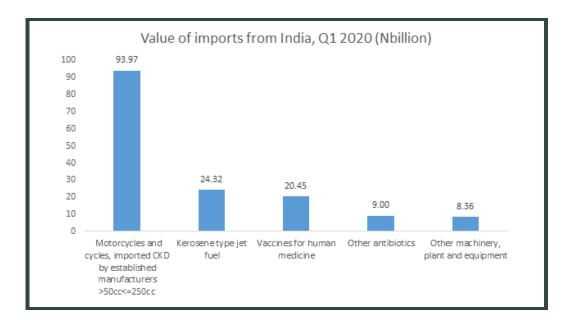


Merchandise Trade by Top Five Partners and by Major Commodities (N'million) Q1, 2020

INDIA

Nigeria's exports to India was valued at N637.53 billion or 15.61% of total exports during the period under review. Export trade was largely dominated by Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, Crude (N526.87 billion), Natural gas, liquefied (N91.34 billion) and Sesamum seeds whether or not broken (N7.97 billion). On the other hand, the value of imports from India stood at N334.53 billion representing 7.92% of total imports. The largest import commodity from India was motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc, Kerosene type jet fuel and Vaccines for human medicine valued respectively at N93.97 billion, N24.32 billion and N20.45 billion.

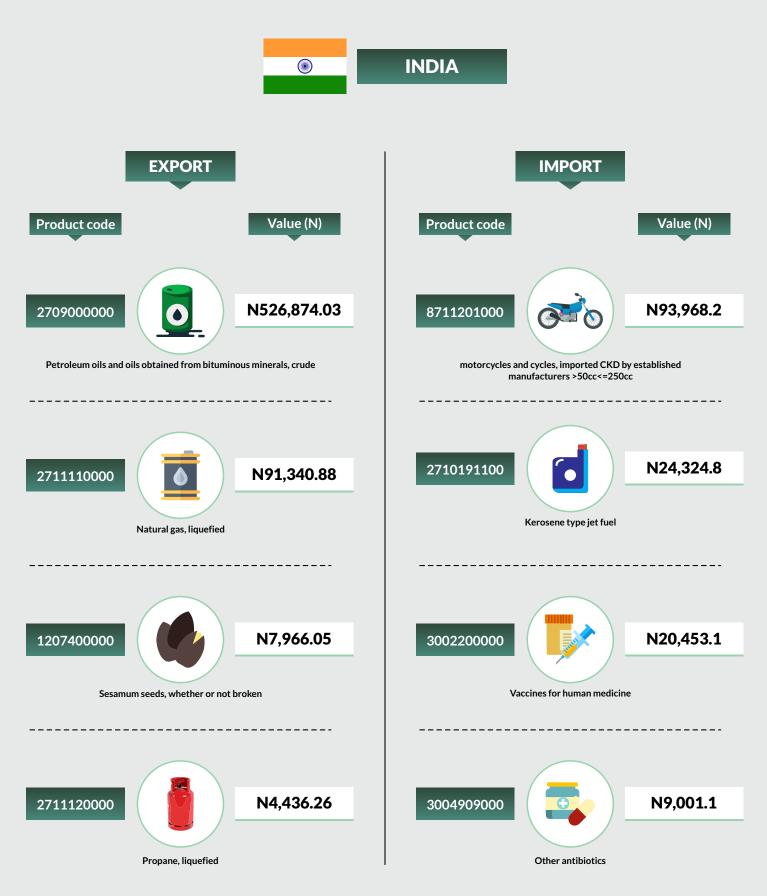


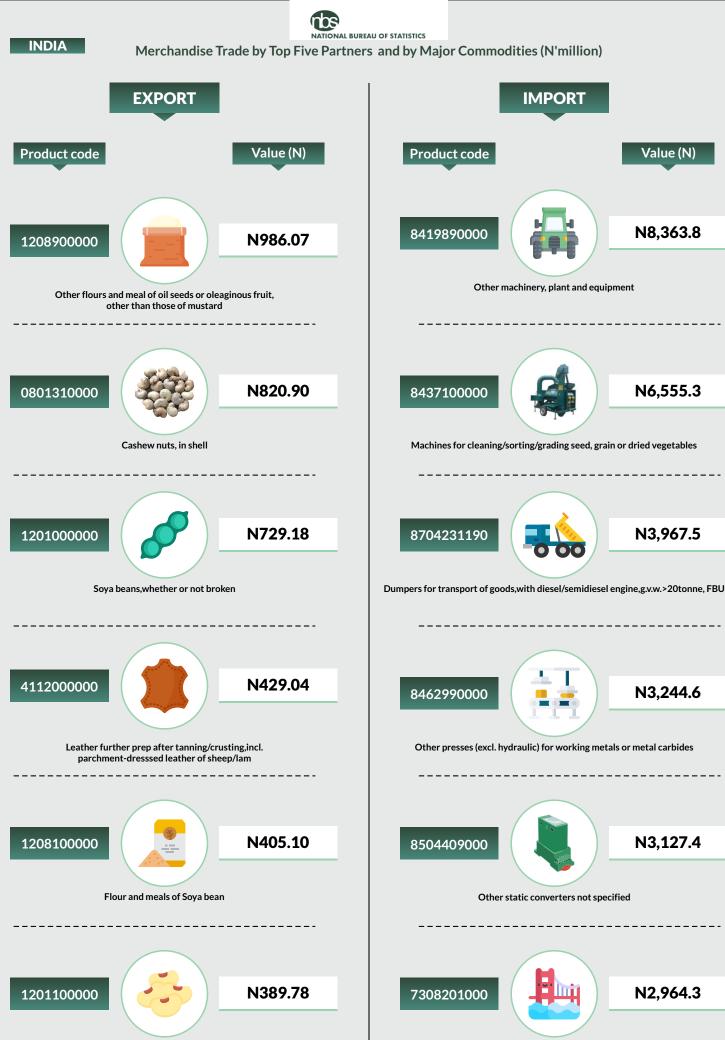




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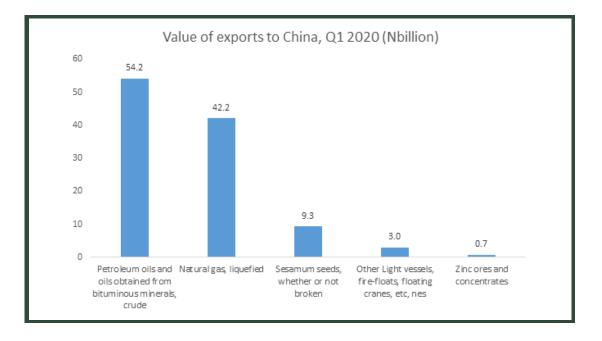


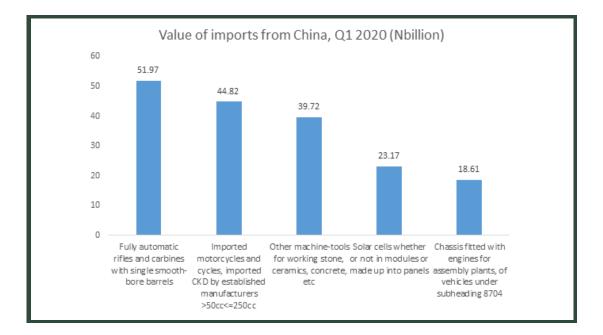
Soya beans Seed

Bridges and bridge-sections of iron or steel

CHINA

Exports to China in Q1 2020 was valued at N113.06 billion. The largest export commodity to China was Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude valued at N54.19 billion, followed by Natural gas, liquefied and Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken valued at N42.16 billion and N9.31 billion respectively. On the other hand, the value of import trade from China was valued at N1,109.46 billion accounting for 26.28 % of total import. Import trade with China was dominated by fully automatic rifles and carbines with single smooth-bore barrels (valued at N51.97 billion), motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc (N44.82 billion) and Other machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, etc (N39.72 billion).

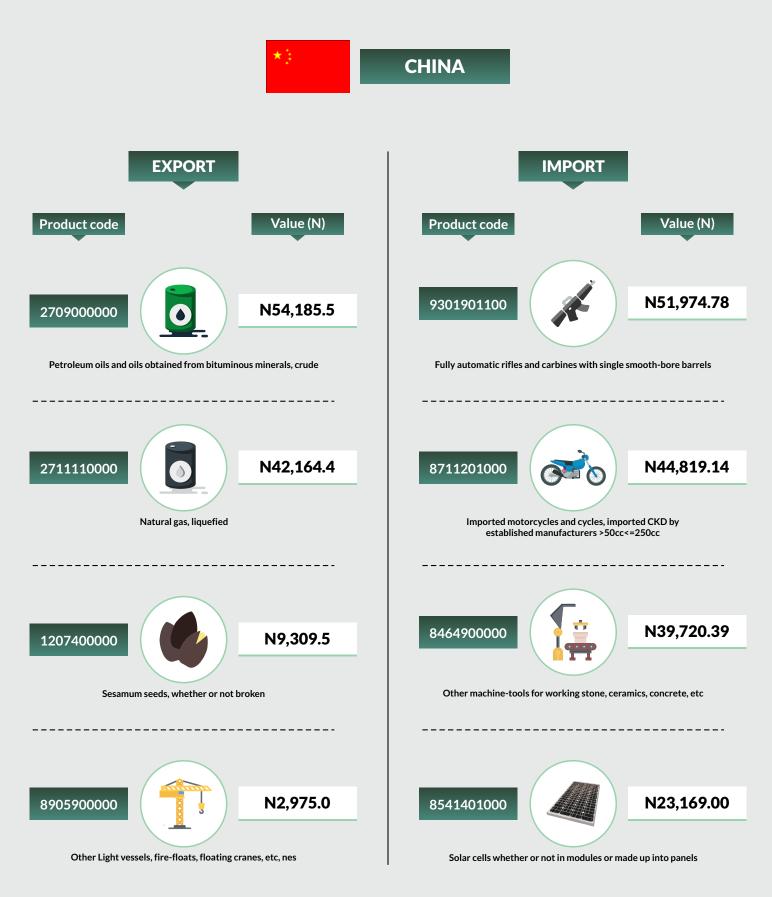


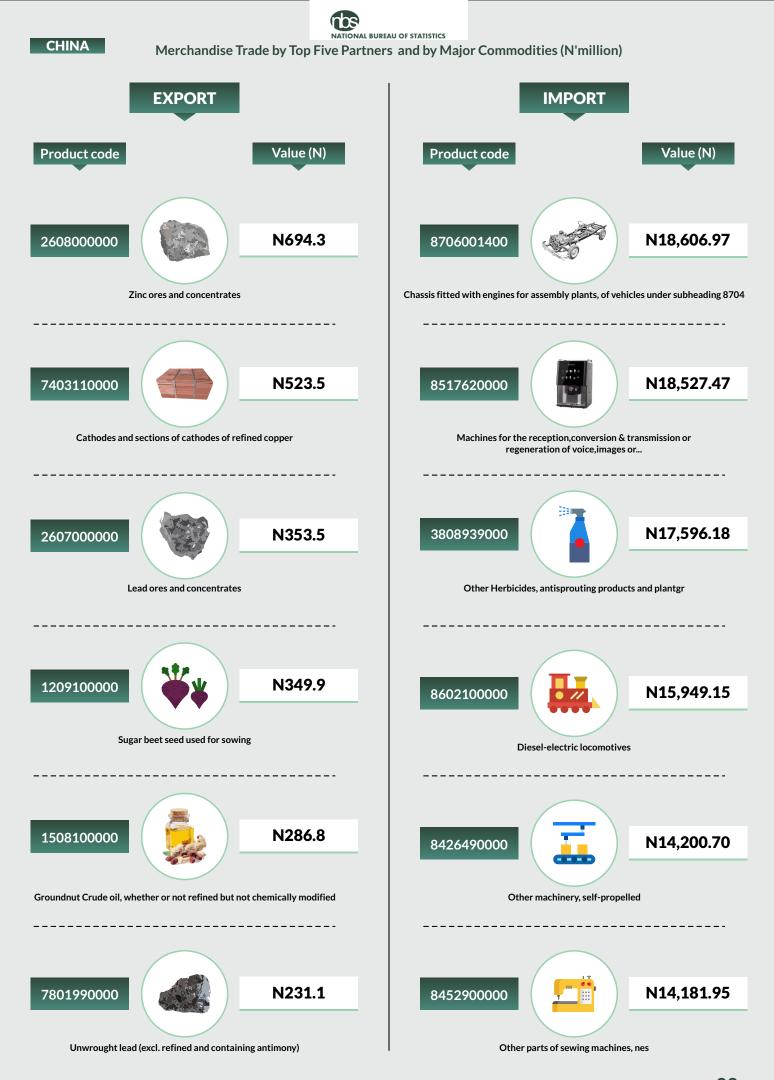




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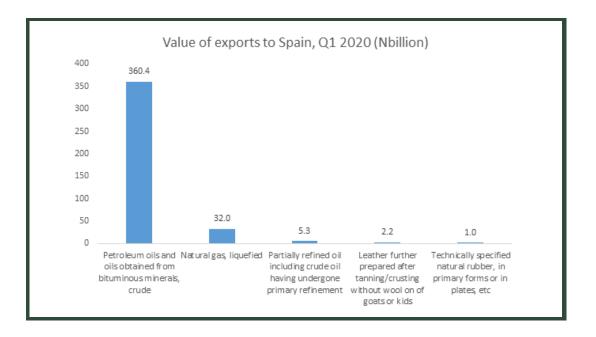
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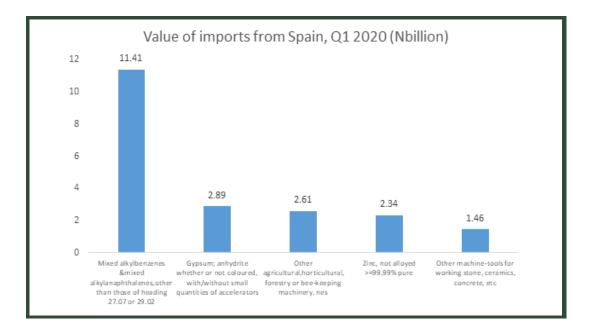




SPAIN

Nigeria's total export to Spain was valued at N402.9 billion in the first quarter of 2020. The dominant export commodity was Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude valued at N360.44 billion, accounting for 89.46% of total export. This was followed by Natural gas, liquefied worth N31.97 billion and Partially Refined Oil including Crude oil having undergone primary refinement, valued at N5.29 billion. Imports from Spain, on the other hand, stood at N39.99 billion. While Mixed alkylbenzenes & mixed alkylanaphthalenes, valued at N11.41 billion ranked first in imports, Gypsum; anhydrite whether or not coloured, with/without small quantities of accelerators and Other agricultural, horticultural, forestry or bee-keeping machinery n.e.s, worth N2.89 billion and N2.61 billion respectively, were imported during the period under review.

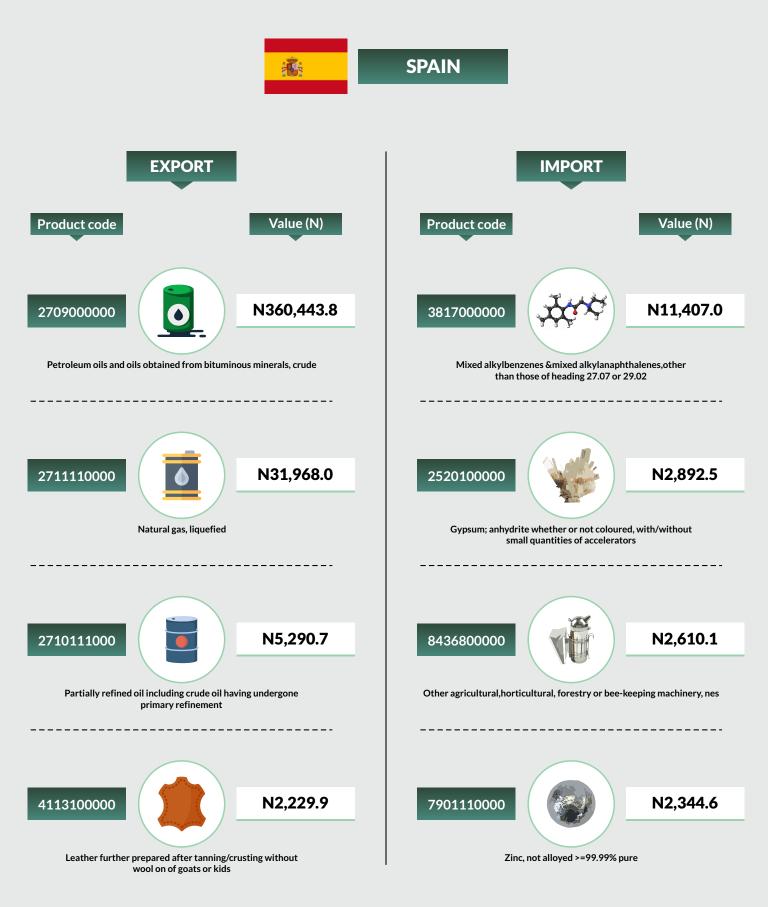






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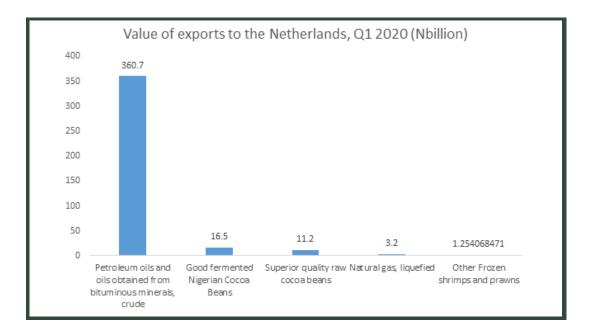
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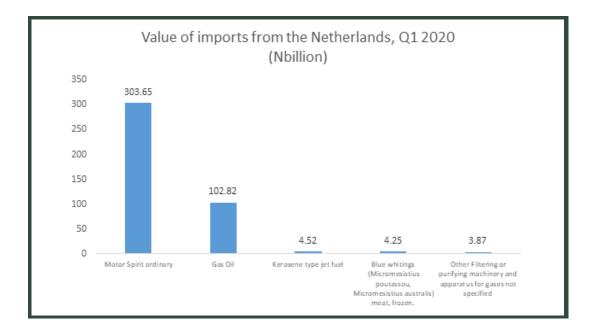




THE NETHERLANDS

Nigeria's export trade with the Netherlands, in Q1 2020, was valued at N396.93 billion. The major export commodities were: Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude valued at N360.70 billion, as well as Good fermented Nigerian cocoa beans, and Superior quality raw cocoa beans, respectively valued at N16.53 billion and N11.22 billion. Conversely, the value of imports stood at N470.11 billion, with the main commodity imported being Motor Spirits ordinary, valued at N303.65 billion. Other products imported were Gas oils (N102.82 billion) and Kerosene type jet fuel (N4.52 billion).

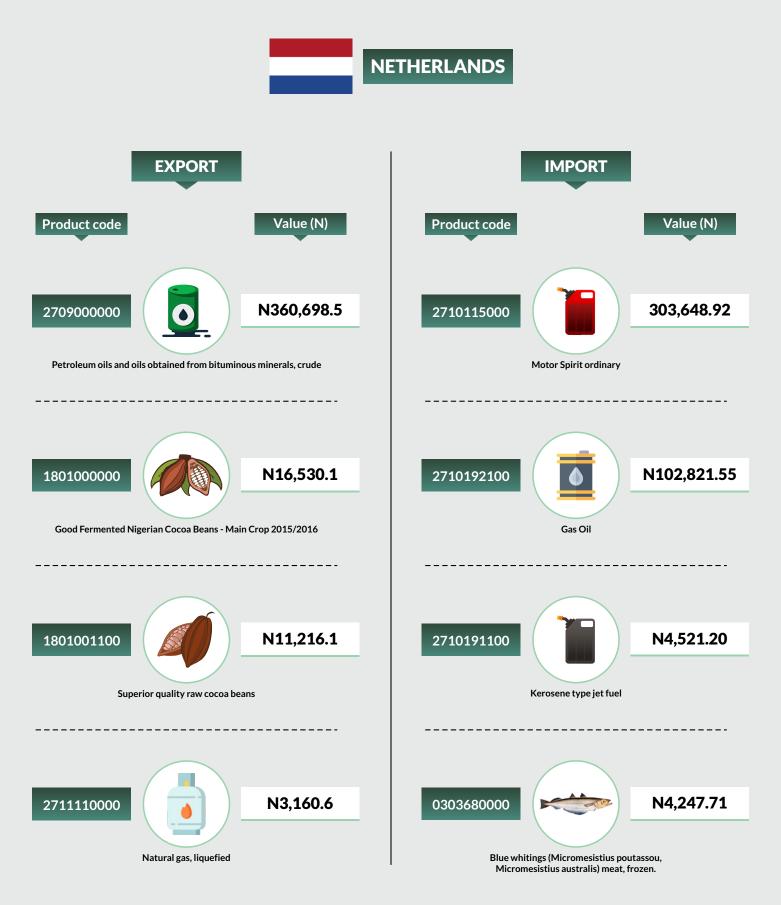






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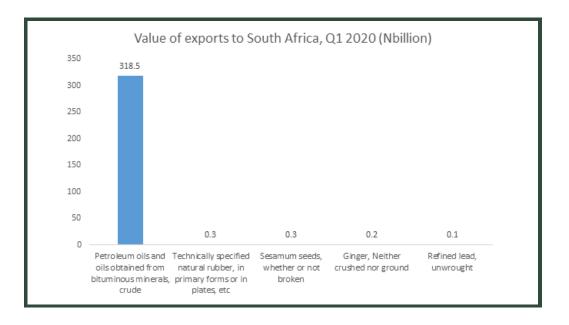
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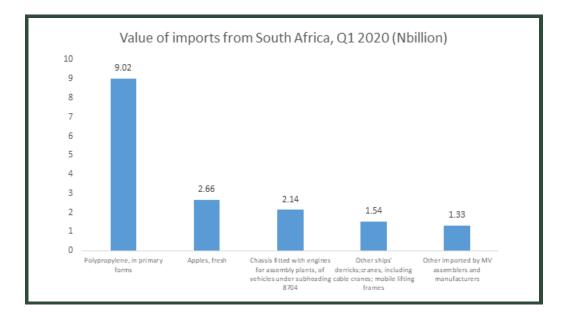




SOUTH AFRICA

In Q1 2020, Nigeria's exports to South Africa was valued at N319.47billion, representing 7.8% of total exports. The major commodities exported during the period were Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude (N318.5 billion), Technically specified natural rubber, in primary forms or in plates (N0.3billion), Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken (N0.3billion), Ginger, neither crushed nor ground (N0.2 billion) and Refined lead, unwrought (N0.1billion). On the import side, imports from South Africa were valued at N40.6 billion or 0.96% of total imports during the period under review. The main commodities imported were Polypropylene, in primary forms (N9.02 billion), Apples, fresh (N2.66billion), Chassis fitted with engines for assembly plants (N2.14billion), Other ships' derricks; cranes, including cable cranes; mobile lifting frames (N1.54billion) and Others imported by MV assemblers and manufacturers (N1.33 billion).







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TABLE 1IMPORT PRICE INDEXES AND PERCENT CHANGESOF COMMODITY GROUPS: JAN-MAR 2020, [2018 JAN=100]

Description		Jan_2020	Index Jan_2020 Feb_2020 Mar_2020			Percentage change (monthly)	
					Jan_2020	Feb_2020	
					to	to	
					Feb_2020	Mar_2020	
Live animals; animal products		100.96	102.21	105.79	1.24	3.50	
Vegetable products	100	103.07	100.19	100.35	-2.80	0.16	
Animal and vegetable fats and oils and other cleavage prod.	100	100.16	101.41	101.78	1.24	0.37	
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	100	102.15	101.05	108.47	-1.08	7.34	
Mineral products	100	102.68	102.10	100.92	-0.56	-1.16	
Products of the chemical and allied industries	100	98.18	99.30	98.80	1.14	-0.50	
Plastic, rubber and articles thereof	100	113.26	99.60	103.84	-12.06	4.26	
Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery	100	102.55	102.83	109.37	0.28	6.36	
Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles	100	103.57	100.00	103.23	-3.44	3.23	
Paper making material; paper and paperboard, articles	100	108.08	101.59	104.32	-6.01	2.68	
Textiles and textile articles	100	103.15	106.19	107.81	2.95	1.52	
Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc.	100	127.71	125.89	122.36	-1.42	-2.81	
Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic	100	108.82	103.96	103.68	-4.46	-0.27	
Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones, precious metals	100	104.37	106.00	109.75	1.56	3.54	
Base metals and articles of base metals	100	100.51	103.43	102.87	2.91	-0.54	
Boilers, machinery and appliances; parts thereof	100	103.75	103.27	102.73	-0.46	-0.52	
Vehicles, aircraft and parts thereof; vessels etc.	100	101.36	101.81	99.93	0.45	-1.85	
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	100	106.06	106.07	109.93	0.01	3.64	
All commodity Group Import Price Index	100	102.97	102.00	102.10	-0.94	0.10	

TABLE 2 EXPORT PRICE INDEXES AND PERCENT CHANGES OF ALL COMMODITIES: JAN-MAR 2020, [2018 JAN=100]

			dex		Percentage change (monthly)	
Description	JAN_2018	Jan_2020	Feb_2020	Mar_2020		
					Jan_2020	Feb_2020
					to	to
					Feb_2020	Mar_2020
Live animals; animal products	100	102.40	101.84	105.50	-0.54	3.59
Vegetable products	100	104.67	106.23	109.00	1.49	2.61
Animal and vegetable fats and oils and other cleavage prod.	100	108.75	108.94	108.57	0.18	-0.35
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	100	109.95	110.69	106.37	0.67	-3.90
Mineral products	100	105.98	105.52	105.34	-0.43	-0.17
Products of the chemical and allied industries	100	105.75	105.99	105.52	0.23	-0.44
Plastic, rubber and articles thereof	100	106.22	105.72	104.50	-0.47	-1.15
Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery	100	102.36	102.57	102.44	0.20	-0.12
Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles	100	102.45	95.78	108.43	-6.52	13.21
Paper making material; paper and paperboard, articles	100	96.69	96.51	96.68	-0.19	0.18
Textiles and textile articles	100	98.08	101.47	99.10	3.45	-2.34
Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc.	100	100.06	100.41	100.54	0.35	0.13
Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic	100	103.78	103.70	103.76	-0.08	0.06
Base metals and articles of base metals	100	108.93	101.45	103.20	-6.87	1.73
Boilers, machinery and appliances; parts thereof	100	105.92	102.30	83.03	-3.42	-18.83
Vehicles, aircraft and parts thereof; vessels etc.	100	100.39	101.39	101.23	1.00	-0.16
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	100	98.52	96.52	95.49	-2.04	-1.06
All commodity Group Export Price Index	100	105.98	105.55	105.36	-0.41	-0.18

TABLE3 TERMS OF TRADE BY COMMODITY JAN-MAR 2020, [2018 JAN=100]

					Percentage change (monthly)	
Commodity Group	JAN_2018	Jan_2020	Feb_2020	Mar_2020	Jan_2020 to Feb_2020	Feb_2020 to Mar_2020
Live animals; animal products	100	101.42	99.64	99.73	-1.76	0.09
Vegetable products	100	101.55	106.03	108.62	4.41	2.44
Animal and vegetable fats and oils and other cleavage products.	100	108.57	107.43	106.67	-1.05	-0.71
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	100	107.63	109.54	98.07	1.77	-10.47
Mineral products	100	103.21	103.35	104.39	0.14	1.00
Products of the chemical and allied industries	100	107.71	106.74	106.81	-0.90	0.06
Plastic, rubber and articles thereof	100	93.78	106.15	100.64	13.19	-5.19
Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery	100	99.82	99.74	93.67	-0.08	
Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles	100	98.93	95.78	105.03	-3.18	9.66
Paper making material; paper and paperboard, articles	100	89.45	94.99	92.68	6.19	-2.44
Textiles and textile articles	100	95.09	95.55	91.92	0.49	-3.80
Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc.	100	78.35	79.76	82.17	1.79	3.02
Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic	100	95.37	99.75	100.07	4.59	0.33
Base metals and articles of base metals	100	108.38	98.08	100.32	-9.50	2.29
Boilers, machinery and chemical appliances; parts thereof	100	102.09	99.06	80.83	-2.97	-18.40
Vehicles, aircraft and parts thereof; vessels etc.	100	99.04	99.58	101.29	0.55	1.71
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	100	92.89	90.99	86.86	-2.05	-4.54
All Products Terms of Trade	100	102.93	103.48	103.19	0.54	-0.28

		Index				
REGION	JAN_2018	Jan_2020	Feb_2020	Mar_2020	Percentage change (monthly)	
					Jan_2020	Feb_2020
					to	to
					Feb_2020	Mar_2020
AFRICA	100	105.201	105.729	105.262	0.502	-0.442
AMERICA	100	100.915	100.829	100.437	-0.085	-0.389
ASIA	100	108.297	108.379	108.113	0.076	-0.246
EUROPE	100	106.318	105.221	105.206	-1.032	-0.014
OCEANIA	100	102.958	102.936	102.940	-0.021	0.004
All Region group Export index	100	105.98	105.55	105.36	-0.41	-0.18

TABLE 4 EXPORT PRICE INDEXES BY REGION, ALL REGIONS-JAN-MAR 2020, [2018 JAN=100]

TABLE 5 IMPORT PRICE INDEXES BY REGION AND PERCENT CHANGES: JAN-MAR 2020, [2018 JAN=100]

		Index	ĸ			
REGION	JAN_2018	Jan_2020	Feb_2020	Mar_2020	Percentage change (monthly)	
					Jan_2020	Feb_2020
I. I.					to	to
I.					Feb_2020	Mar_2020
AFRICA	100	105.40	102.1	106.3	-3.09	4.04
AMERICA	100	101.67	101.5	109.9	-0.21	8.29
ASIA	100	103.03	101.6	101.2	-1.37	-0.39
EUROPE	100	103.05	102.4	100.8	-0.63	-1.53
OCEANIA	100	101.41	102.5	101.1	1.05	-1.34
All Region group Import index	100	102.97	102.02	102.10	-0.92	0.08

TABLE 6 TERMS OF TRADE BY (REGIONS) JAN-MAR 2020, [2018 JAN=100]

		Monthly changes				
CONTINENT	JAN_2018	Jan_2020	Feb_2020	Mar_2020	Jan to Feb 2020	Feb to Mar 2020
AFRICA	100	99.81	103.50	99.05	3.70	-4.30
AMERICA	100	99.25	99.38	91.41	0.12	-8.02
ASIA	100	105.11	106.65	106.81	1.46	0.15
EUROPE	100	103.17	102.75	104.33	-0.40	1.54
OCEANIA	100	101.53	100.45	101.81	-1.06	1.36
All Region Terms of Trade	100	102.93	103.46	103.19	0.52	-0.26

Table 7 MERCHANDISE TRADE BY TOP FIVE PARTNERSAND BY MAJOR COMMODITIES (N'million) Q1, 2020

	INDIA				
		EXPORT			IMPORT
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	526,874.03	8711201000	motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc	93,968.2
2711110000	Natural gas, liquefied	91,340.88	2710191100	Kerosene type jet fuel	24,324.8
1207400000	Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken	7,966.05	3002200000	Vaccines for human medicine	20,453.1
2711120000	Propane, liquefied	4,436.26	3004909000	Other antibiotics	9,001.1
1208900000	Other flours and meal of oil seeds or oleaginous fruit, other than those of mustard	986.07	8419890000	Other machinery, plant and equipment	8,363.8
0801310000	Cashew nuts, in shell	820.90	8437100000	Machines for cleaning/sorting/grading seed, grain or dried vegetables	6,555.3
1201000000	Soya beans,whether or not broken.	729.18	8704231190	Dumpers for transport of goods, with diesel/semidiesel engine, g.v.w.>20tonne, FBU	3,967.5
4112000000	Leather further prep after tanning/crusting,incl.parchment-dresssed leather of sheep/lam	429.04	8462990000	Other presses (excl. hydraulic) for working metals or metal carbides	3,244.6
1208100000	Flour and meals of Soya bean	405.10	8504409000	Other static converters not specified	3,127.4
1201100000	Soya beans Seed	389.78	7308201000	Bridges and bridge-sections of iron or steel	2,964.3
	SPAIN				
		EXPORT			IMPORT
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	360,443.8	3817000000	Mixed alkylbenzenes & mixed alkylanaphthalenes, other than those of heading 27.07 or 29.02	11,407.0
2711110000	Natural gas, liquefied	31,968.0	2520100000	Gypsum; anhydrite whether or not coloured, with/without small quantities of accelerators	2,892.5
2710111000	Partially refined oil including crude oil having undergone primary refinement	5,290.7	8436800000	Other agricultural, horticultural, forestry or bee-keeping machinery, nes	2,610.1
4113100000	Leather further prepared after tanning/crusting without wool on of goats or kids	2,229.9	7901110000	Zinc, not alloyed >=99.99% pure	2,344.6
4001220000	Technically specified natural rubber, in primary forms or in plates, etc	1,036.8	8464900000	Other machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, etc	1,462.3
1803100000	Cocoa paste, not defatted	468.7	8464900000	Other machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, etc Distilling or rectifying plant	1,462.3
7801990000		468.7	6908900000		1,370.4
	Unwrought lead (excl. refined and containing antimony)			Glazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles, etc, nes	
8425310000	Other winches, capstans, powered by electric motor	313.0	2202901000	Beverages containing high doses of caffeine of the kind Energy drinks	1,014.2
7403110000	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	234.6	8441100000	Cutting machines for paper pulp, paper or paperboard	951.7
1804000000	Cocoa butter, fat and oil	101.3	8419810000	Other machinery, plant and equipment for making hot drinks or for cooking or heating food	825.4
	NETHERLANDS				
		EXPORT			IMPORT
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	360,698.5	2710115000	Motor Spirit ordinary	303,648.92
1801000000	GOOD FERMENTED NIGERIAN COCOA BEANS - MAIN CROP 2015/2016	16,530.1	2710192100	Gas Oil	102,821.55
1801001100	Superior quality raw cocoa beans	11,216.1	2710191100	Kerosene type jet fuel	4,521.20
2711110000	Natural gas, liquefied	3,160.6	0303680000	Blue whitings (Micromesistius poutassou, Micromesistius australis) meat, frozen.	4,247.71
0306170000	Other Frozen shrimps and prawns	1254.068471	8421399000	Other Filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus for gases not specified	3,872.09
1803100000	Cocoa paste, not defatted	1,012.5	0402211000	Milk & cream in powder>1.5% fat not contain sweetening matter specially made for infants	3,151.89
1207400000	Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken	820.7	0303510000		2,998.67
0306291000	Nonfrozen Flours, meals and pellets of crustaceans, fit for human consumption.	422.6	7210120000	Herrings (Clupea harengus, Clupea pallasii) Flatrolled iron/steel, width>=600mm, >= 0.5mm thick,clad,platedwith tin	2,998.87
4001220000	Technically specified natural rubber, in primary forms or in plates, etc	372.5	8419890000	Other machinery, plant and equipment	2,422.51
1804000000	Cocoa butter, fat and oil	311.0	0303540000	Mackerel (Scomber scombrus, Scomber australasicus, Scomber japonicus) meat, frozen.	2,390.37
	SOUTH AFRICA				
		EXPORT			IMPORT
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	318,484.3	3902100000	Polypropylene, in primary forms	9,024.97
4001220000	Technically specified natural rubber, in primary forms or in plates, etc	314.5	0808100000	Apples, fresh	2,664.22
1207400000	Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken	250.2	8706001400	Chassis fitted with engines for assembly plants, of vehicles under subheading 8704	2,141.02
0910110000	Ginger, Neither crushed nor ground	165.5	8426190000	Other ships' derricks;cranes, including cable cranes; mobile lifting frames	1,536.59
7801100000	Refined lead, unwrought	112.3	8702901291	Other imported by MV assemblers and manufacturers	1,330.33
7806009000	Other articles of lead not specified.	54.6	2701120000	Bituminous coal, not agglomerated	1,114.29
0910100000	Ginger	28.5	8484200000	Mechanical seals	876.27
1202200000	PEANUTS KERNELS (GROUNDNUTS)	24.5	4811599000	Other Paper and paperboard coated, impregnated or cove	822.08
2203001000	Stout and porter	20.5	2207109000	Undenatured ethyl alcohol with alcoholic =>80% vol: not for medical, pharmacy or science	815.87
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6704190000	False beards, eyebrows and eyelashes, etc, of synthetic fibres	13.4	8702901390	Motor vehicles for transport of >30 persons,Petrol fuel engine,FBU	003.10
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Product code 270900000	False beards, eyebrows and eyelashes, etc, of synthetic fibres CHINA Product description Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	EXPORT Value (N) 54,185.5	8702901390 Product code 9301901100	Product description Fully automatic rifles and carbines with single smooth-bore barrels	IMPORT Value (N) 51,974.78
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Product code 270900000 2711110000 1207400000	False beards, eyebrows and eyelashes, etc, of synthetic fibres CHINA Product description Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude Natural gas, liquefied Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken	EXPORT Value (N) 54,185.5 42,164.4 9,309.5	8702901390 Product code 9301901100 8711201000 8464900000	Product description Fully automatic rifles and carbines with single smooth-bore barrels Imported motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc Other machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, etc	IMPORT Value (N) 51,974.78 44,819.14 39,720.39
Product code 270900000 271110000 1207400000 8905900000	False beards, eyebrows and eyelashes, etc, of synthetic fibres CHINA Product description Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude Natural gas, liquefied Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken Other Light vessels, fire-floats, floating cranes, etc, nes	EXPORT Value (N) 54,185.5 42,164.4 9,309.5 2,975.0	8702901390 Product code 9301901100 8711201000 8464900000 8541401000	Product description Fully automatic rifles and carbines with single smooth-bore barrels Imported motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc Other machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, etc Solar cells whether or not in modules or made up into panels	IMPORT Value (N) 51,974.78 44,819.14 39,720.39 23,169.00
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TECHNICAL NOTES

Terms of Trade: The terms of trade for Nigeria are calculated as the value of its exports as percent of the value of its imports. An increase in the terms of trade means that the value of its export is increasing relative to the value of imports. The country can afford to buy more imports with the revenue from its exports. For example an increase in the price of oil increases (improves) the terms of Trade for the oil exporting Countries and lowers it for the other Countries.

Commodity price: A commodity price index is a weighted average of selected commodity prices. It is an index that tracks a basket of commodities to measure their performance. Export and Import Price Indices (XMPIs) measure the overall change in the prices of transactions in goods and services between the residents of an economic territory and residents of the rest of the world. A price index assumes a value of 100, in the reference period. The values of the index for other periods of time show the percentage change in prices from the reference period.

Export price index: The export price index (EPI) tracks changes in the prices that Nigerian firms receive for the products they export. Increases in the EPI are normally due to either stronger demand abroad or higher production costs in Nigeria. Generally only increases in the EPI due to robust international demand are beneficial to the Nigerian economy as a whole. Export Price Indexes - Products have been classified by the Harmonized Tariff Schedule.

Import price index: The import price index (IPI) tracks changes in the prices paid for goods imported to Nigeria. The import price index becomes useful in determining whether a change in import volume has actually sprung from a higher foreign demand or from a real increase in prices for foreign goods. Import Price Indexes - Products have been classified by the Harmonized Tariff Schedule.

Data sources: Trade in goods statistics compilation by NBS is largely from secondary data source which includes; the Nigerian Customs Service (NCS) through the Nigeria Integrated Customs Information System (NICIS), Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC), Petroleum Products Pricing and Regulatory Agency (PPPRA), Nigeria Liquefied Natural Gas Ltd (NLNG), Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN), Cobalt International Services Ltd, Carmine Assayer Ltd Inspection Services, Nerolli Technology, Nigerian Export Processing Zone Agency (NEPZA), Oil and Gas Free Zone Agency (OGFZA), Nigerian Electricity Regulatory Commission (NERC), Federal Airports Authority of Nigeria (FAAN), Nigeria Civil Aviation Authority (NCAA) and Nigerian Ports Authority (NPA). They include government and non government shipment of goods, and exclude military, diplomatic and consular installations abroad, Nigeria goods returned to Nigeria by its Armed forces, Personal and household effects of travelers and in-transit shipments.

The Laspeyers index formula was used in the calculation of the import and export trade indices. The series use a base year of 2018 Jan = 100.

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