

Commodity Price Indices and **Terms of Trade**

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HIGHLIGHTS:

Between July and September 2019(Jan 2018=100):

- The All commodity group import index grew by 2.48%. This was mainly driven by increases in prices of Base metals and articles of base metals; Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic; and Plastic, rubber and articles thereof.
- The All commodity group export price index increased marginally by 0.12% due to increases in the prices of Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery, Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco, as well as Base metals and articles of base metals.
- The All products terms of trade (TOT) index decreased by 2.33% as a result of a significant decrease in the prices of Vegetable products.
- The All region group export index rose by 0.12% mainly due to marginal increases in the export prices to Africa, America and Europe.
- The All region group import index increased by 2.48% due to increases in import prices from Africa and Europe.
- The All region terms of trade on average decreased by 2.33% due to lower export prices to Africa and Europe.
- The major export and import markets of Nigeria in Q32019 were India, China, Spain, the United States and the Netherlands.
- The major export to these countries were crude petroleum and natural gas.
- The major imports from these countries were Motor spirits, Used Vehicles and motor cycles.

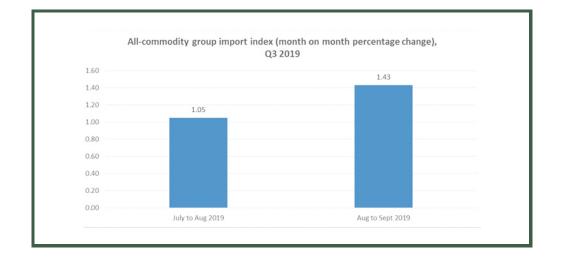
TERMS OF TRADE

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.

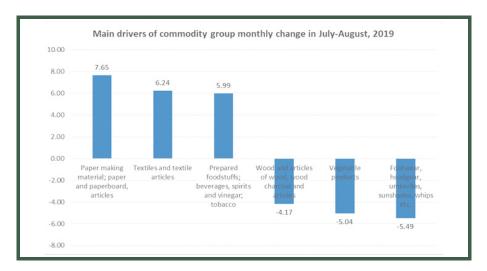
COMMODITY PRICE INDEX JULY TO SEPTEMBER, 2019

All commodity group import index (Table 1)

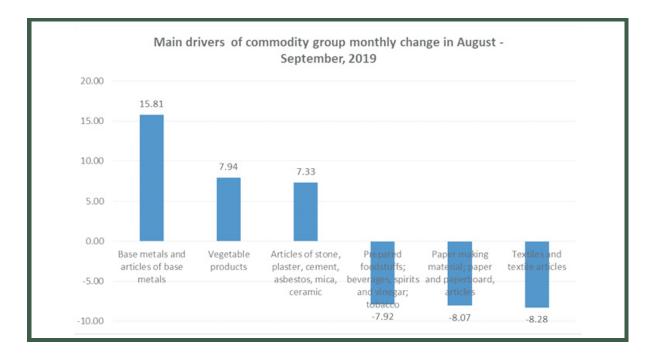
The All commodity group import index grew by 2.48% on average between July and September. This was mainly driven by increases in prices of Base metals and articles of base metals; Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic; and Plastic, rubber and articles thereof. The index rose 1.43% in September after increasing 1.05% the previous month.



The main drivers of the change between July and August were Paper making material; paper and paperboard (7.65%), Textiles and textile articles (6.24%) and Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco (5.99%). This was partially offset by Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips (-5.49%), Vegetable products (-5.04%) and Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles (-4.17%).



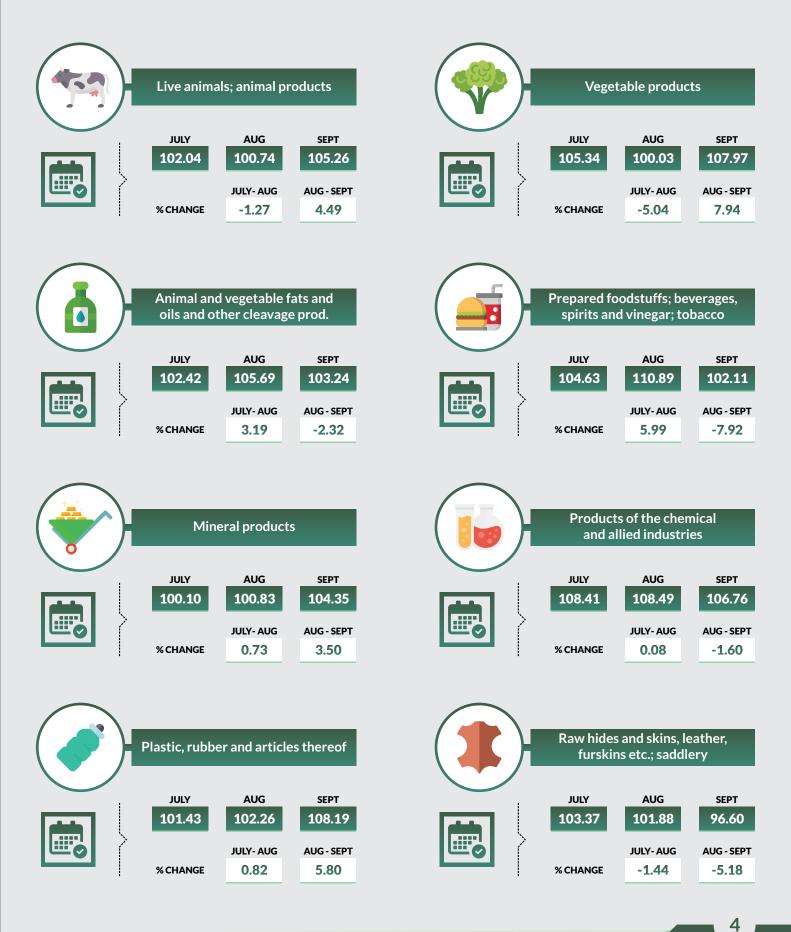
In September, 2019 the all commodity group import index rose 1.43%. This was driven by Base metals and articles of base metals (15.81%), Vegetable products (7.94%) and Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic (7.33%). These increases were offset by Textiles and textile articles (-8.28%), Paper making material; paper and paperboard(-8.07%) and Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco (-7.92%).



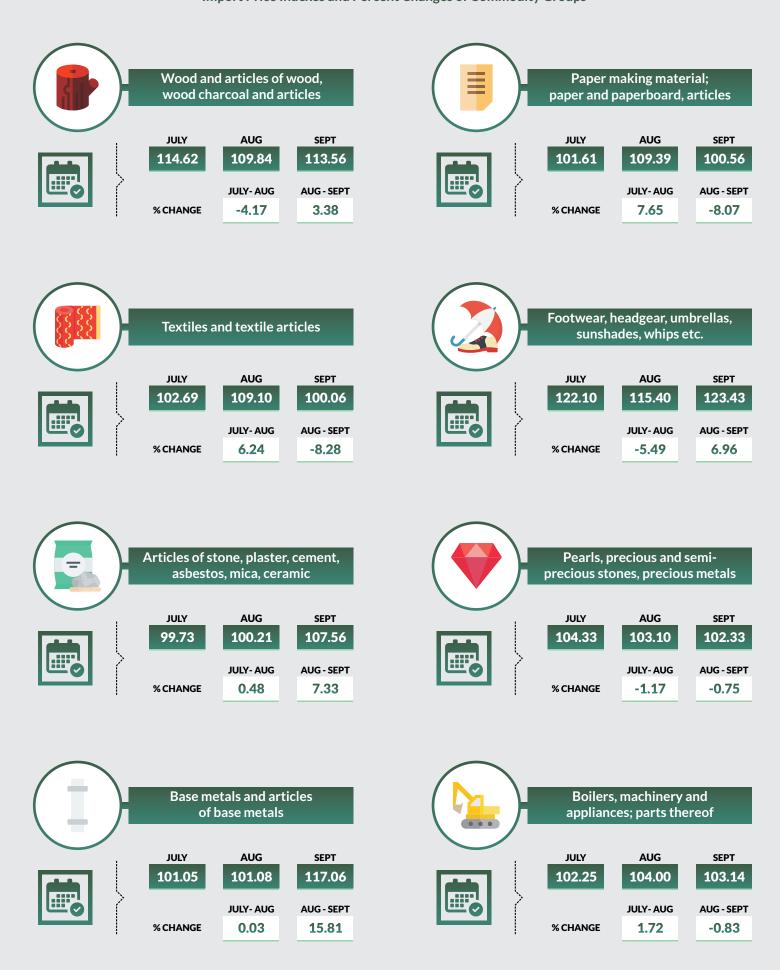


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Import price indexes and percent changes of Commodity Groups



Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes of Commodity Groups



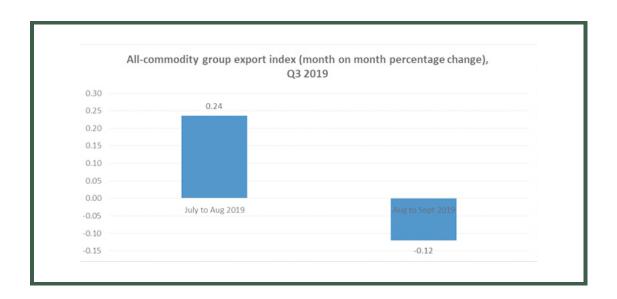
Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes of Commodity Groups



	nmodity Gro rt Price Inde	
JULY	AUG	SEPT
102.25	103.33	104.80
% CHANGE	JULY- AUG	AUG - SEPT
% CHANGE	1.05	1.43

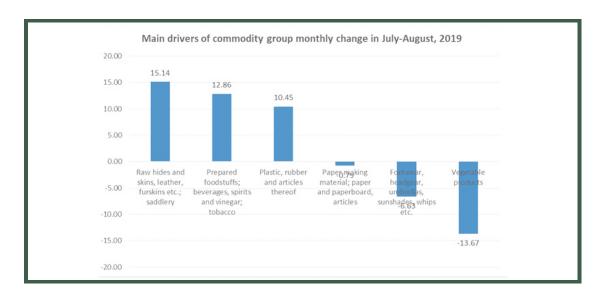
All commodity group export index (Table 2)

The All commodity group export price index increased marginally by 0.12% between July and September. This was attributed to increases in the prices of Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery, Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco, as well as Base metals and articles of base metals. The monthly changes showed that the All commodity export index declined 0.12% in September, after increasing 0.24% in August.

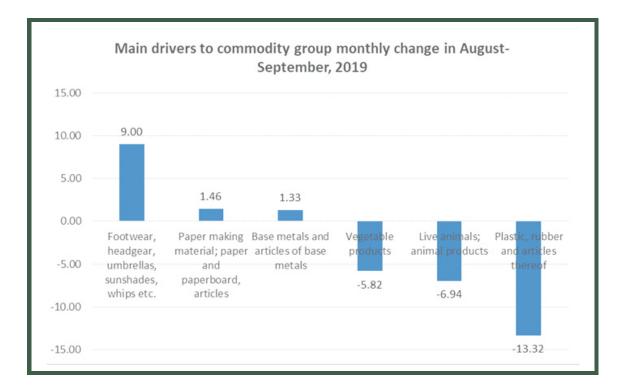


The 0.24% increase in August was driven by Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery (15.14%), Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco (12.86%) and

Plastic, rubber and articles (10.45%). This was offset by decreases in Vegetable products (-13.67%) and Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc (-6.63%).



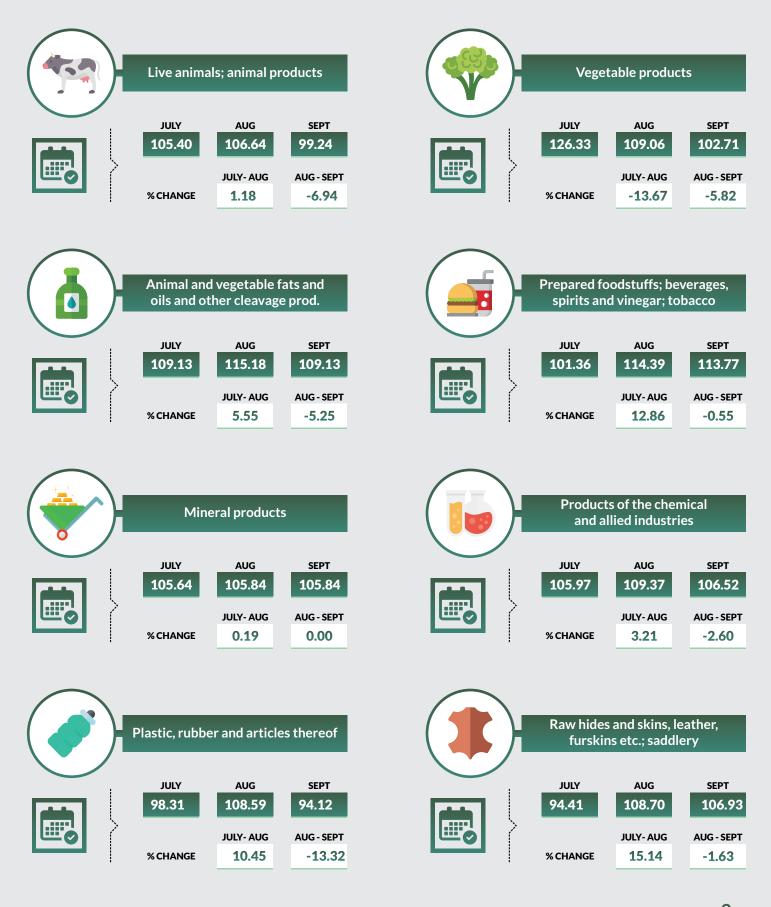
The monthly change in September of All commodity export index stood at -0.12%. This decrease was mainly due to decreases in the prices of Plastic, rubber and articles thereof (-13.32%), Live animals; animal products (-6.94%) and Vegetable products (-5.82%).



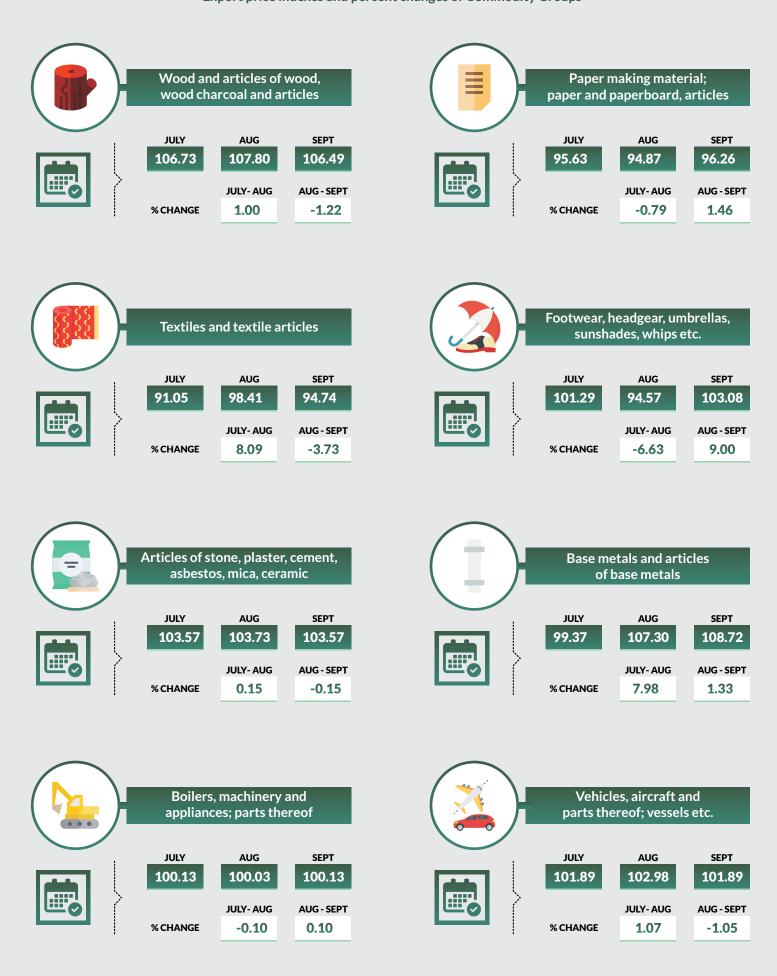


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Export price indexes and percent changes of Commodity Groups



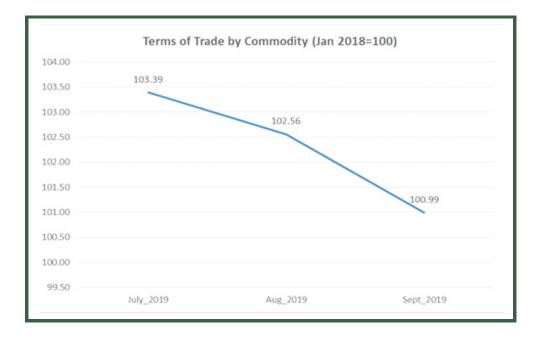
Export price indexes and percent changes of Commodity Groups



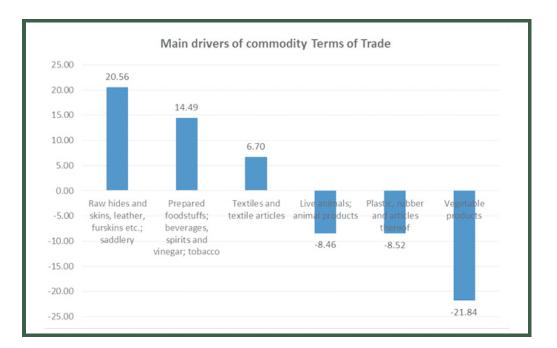
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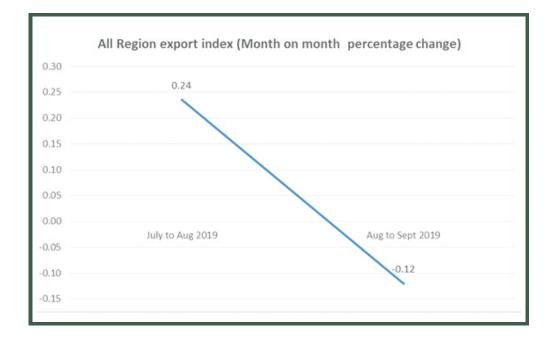
The All commodity group terms of trade stood at 103.39 in July, 102.56 in August and 100.99 in September.



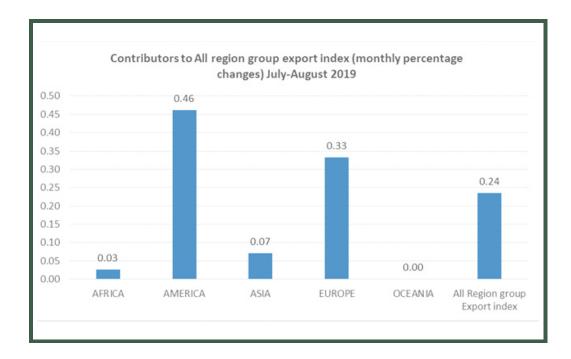
This represents a decrease of 0.80% in August and 1.53% in September. On average, the terms of trade decreased by 2.33%. This decrease is explained by fall in the prices of vegetable products (-21.84%), Plastic rubber and articles (-8.52%) and live animals; animal products (-8.46%).



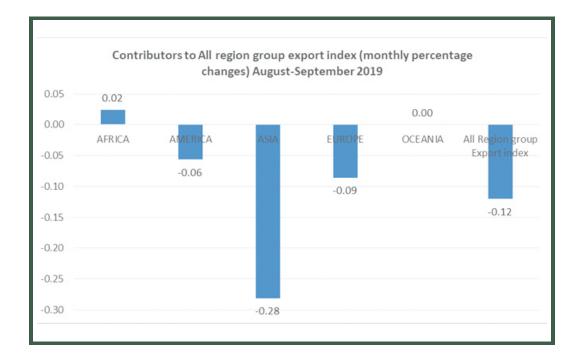
The All region group export index, on average, rose by 0.12% between July and September. This was due to marginal increases in the export prices to Africa, America and Europe. The month on month changes showed that the All region group export index decreased (-0.12%) in September after increasing 0.24% in August.



The trend of the All Region export index is attributed to lower export prices to all the regions during the period under review.

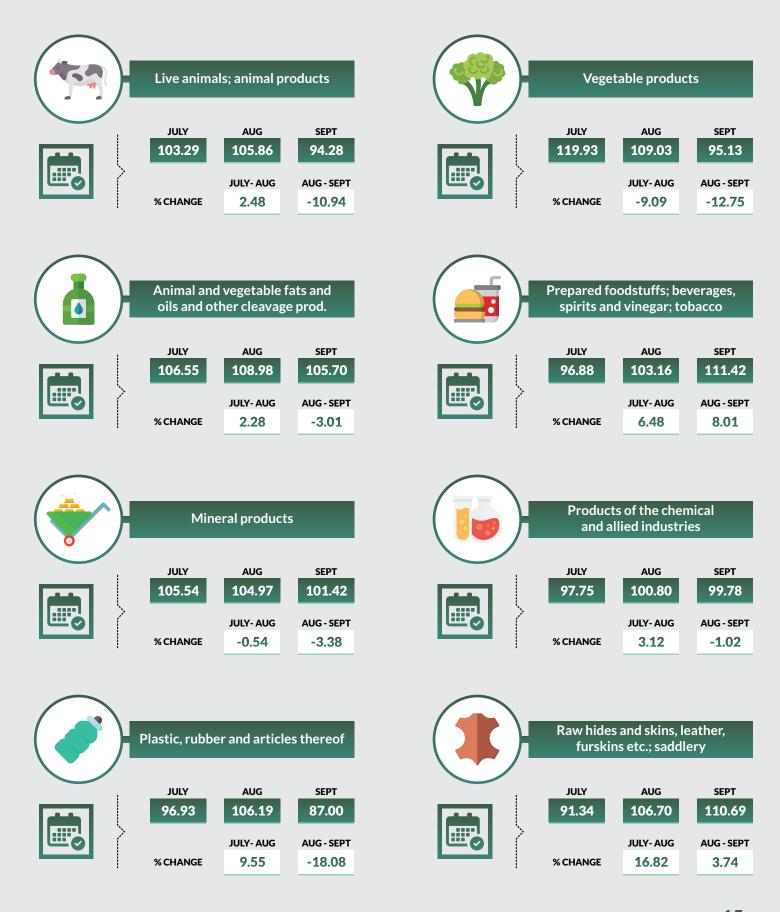


Between August and September, 2019 the monthly change in the All Region export index stood at -0.12. This is explained by decreases in export prices to America (-0.06%), Asia (-0.28%) and Europe (-0.09%).

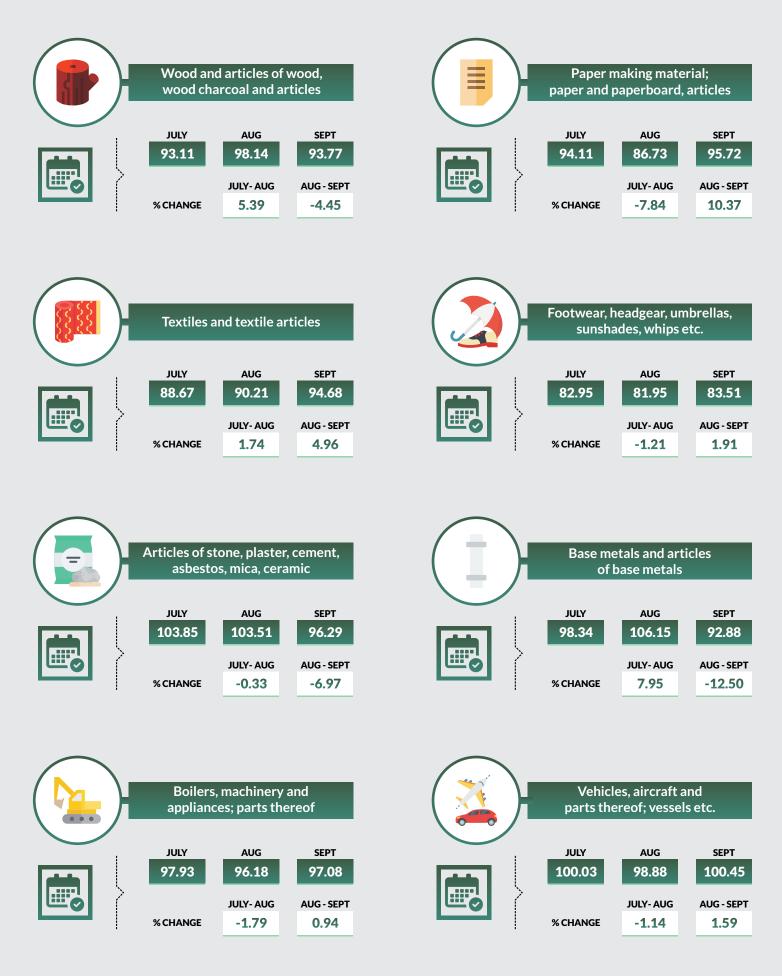




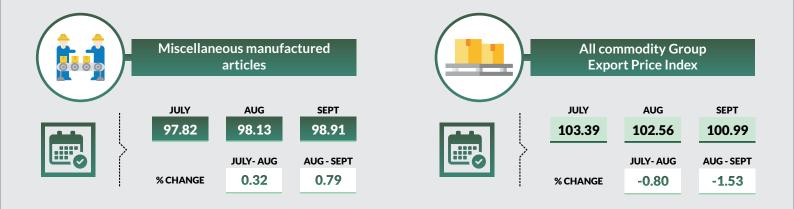
COMMODITY PRICE INDICES AND TERM OF TRADE – Q3 2019 Terms Of Trade by Commodity



NATIONAL BUREAU OF STATISTICS Terms Of Trade by Commodity



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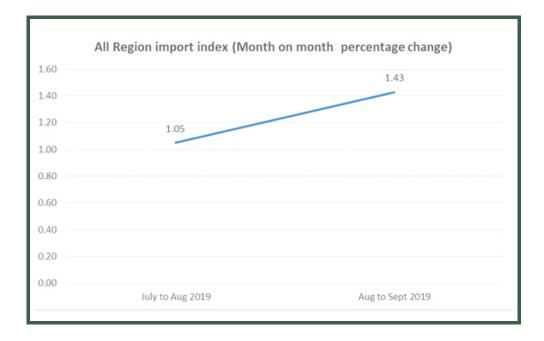




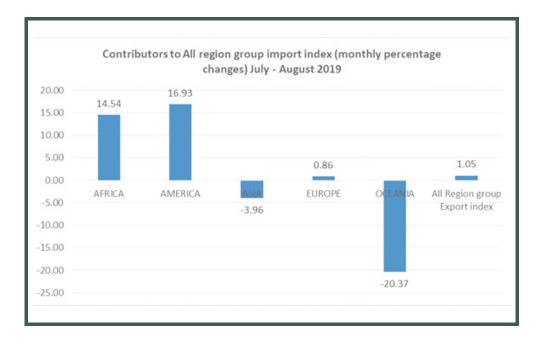
COMMODITY PRICE INDICES AND TERM OF TRADE – Q3 2019 Export Price Indexes by Region

All Region Group Export Index		AUG 105.97 JULY - AUG 0.24	SEPT 105.84 AUG - SEPT -0.12
AFRICA	JULY 102.58 % CHANGE	AUG 102.61 JULY - AUG 0.03	SEPT 102.63 AUG - SEPT 0.02
AMERICA	JULY 103.13 % CHANGE	AUG 103.61 JULY - AUG 0.46	SEPT 103.55 AUG - SEPT -0.06
ASIA	JULY 109.01 % CHANGE	AUG 109.09 JULY - AUG 0.07	SEPT 108.78 AUG - SEPT -0.28
EUROPE	JULY 105.50 % CHANGE	AUG 105.85 JULY - AUG 0.33	SEPT 105.76 AUG - SEPT -0.09
ΟCEANIA	JULY 103.37 % CHANGE	AUG 103.37 JULY - AUG 0.00	SEPT 103.37 AUG - SEPT 0.00

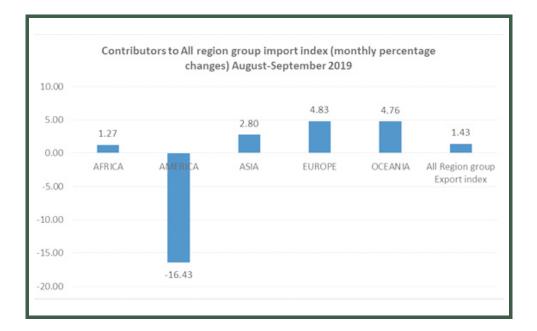
The All Region group import index on average increased by 2.48%, following an increase of 1.05% in August and 1.43% in September.



Import prices from the All Region group rose 1.05% in August. This was mainly due to increases in import prices from America (16.93) and Africa (14.54).

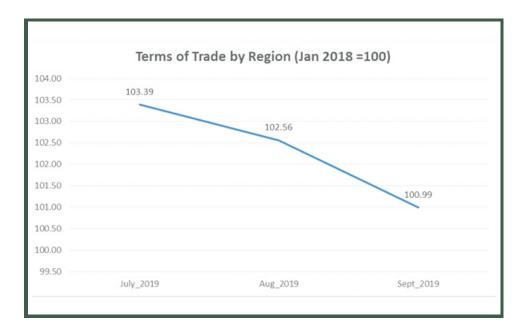


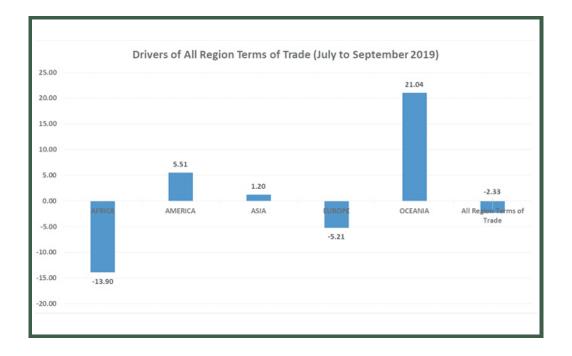
The increase recorded in the All region import index in September is attributed to increases in import prices in Asia(2.80%), Europe (4.83%) Oceania (4.76%) and Africa (1.27%).



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

The All Region group terms of trade stood at 103.39 in July, 102.56 in August and 100.99 in September. This represents decreases of 0.8% in August and 1.53% in September. On average, the terms of trade decreased by 2.33% between July and September. This decrease is explained mainly by decreases in the prices of Trade with Africa (-13.90%) and Europe (-5.21%).







COMMODITY PRICE INDICES AND TERM OF TRADE – Q3 2019 Import Price Indexes by Region

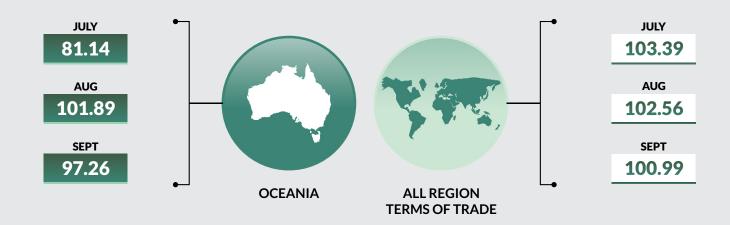
All Region Group Import Index	JULY 102.25 % change	AUG 103.33 JULY - AUG 1.05	SEPT 104.80 AUG - SEPT 1.43
AFRICA	JULY 104.59 % CHANGE	AUG 119.8 JULY - AUG 14.54	SEPT 121.3 AUG - SEPT 1.27
AMERICA	JULY 103.18 % CHANGE	AUG 120.6 JULY - AUG 16.93	SEPT 100.8 AUG - SEPT -16.43
ASIA	JULY 101.34 % CHANGE	AUG 97.3 JULY - AUG -3.96	SEPT 100.0 AUG - SEPT 2.80
EUROPE	JULY 102.09 % CHANGE	AUG 103.0 JULY - AUG 0.86	SEPT 107.9 AUG - SEPT 4.83
ΟCEANIA	JULY 127.40 % CHANGE	AUG 101.4 JULY - AUG -20.37	SEPT 106.3 AUG - SEPT 4.76



COMMODITY PRICE INDICES AND TERM OF TRADE – Q3 2019 Terms of Trade by Region

JULY 98.08 AUG 85.66 SEPT 84.60 AFRICA AMERICA JULY 99.96 AUG 85.88 SEPT 102.70

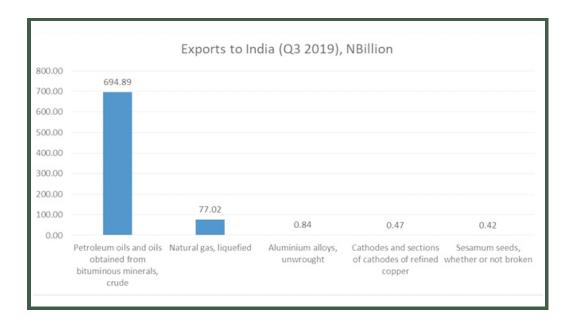


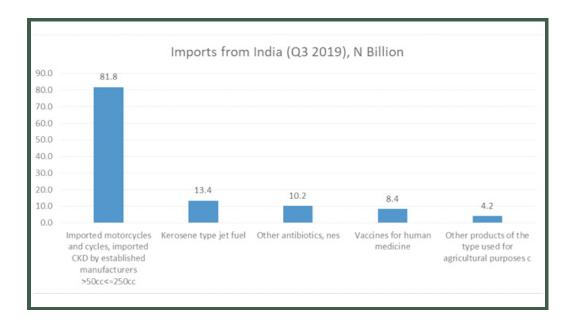


Merchandise Trade by Top Five Partners and by Major Commodities (N'million) Q3, 2019

INDIA

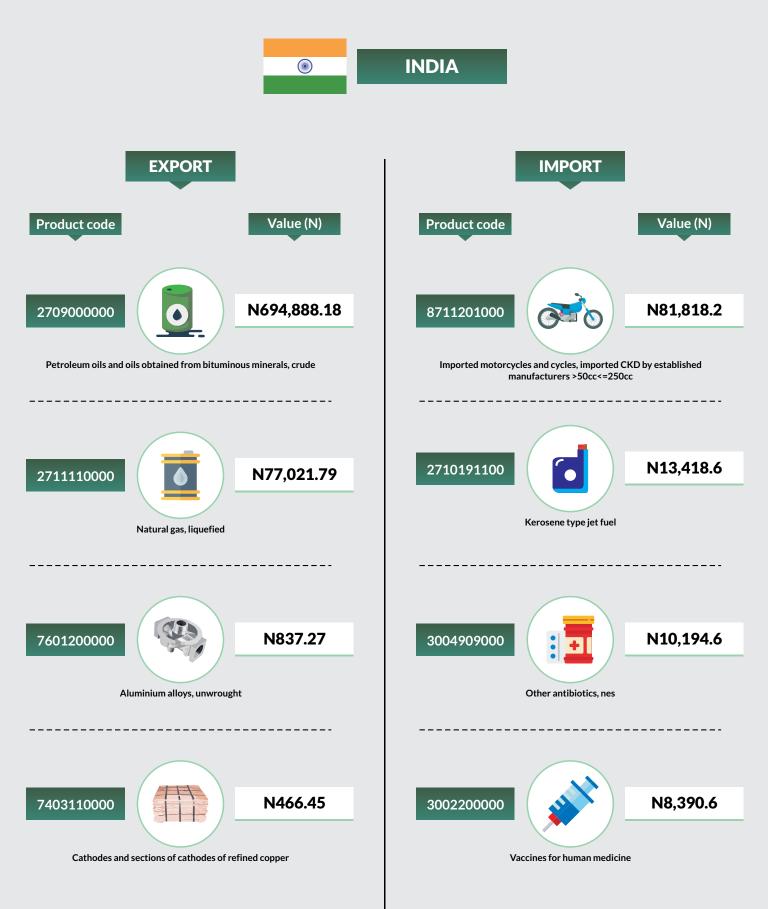
India remained the largest export market of Nigeria, in the third quarter of 2019. Export trade to India was valued at N775.70 billion, accounting for 14.67% of total exports. The largest export commodity to India was crude oil (N694.89 billion). This was followed by Natural gas liquidified (N77.02 billion), Aluminum alloys, unwrought (N0.84 billion), Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper (N0.47 billion) and others. On the other hand, Nigeria imported motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc (N81.82billion), Kerosene Jet fuel (N13.42billion), Antibiotics n.e.s (N10.19 billion) and others from India during the period under review.







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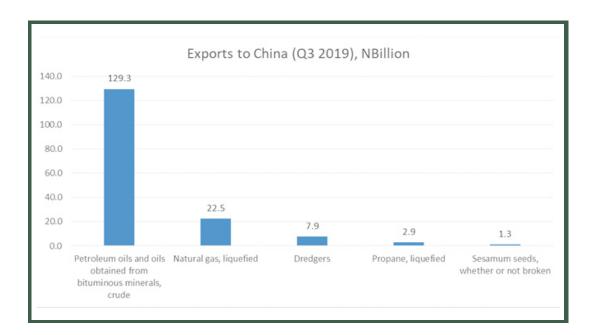


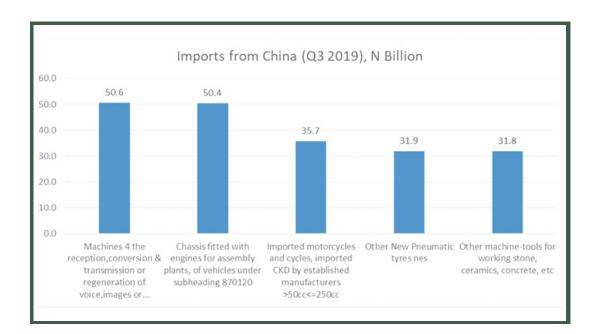




CHINA

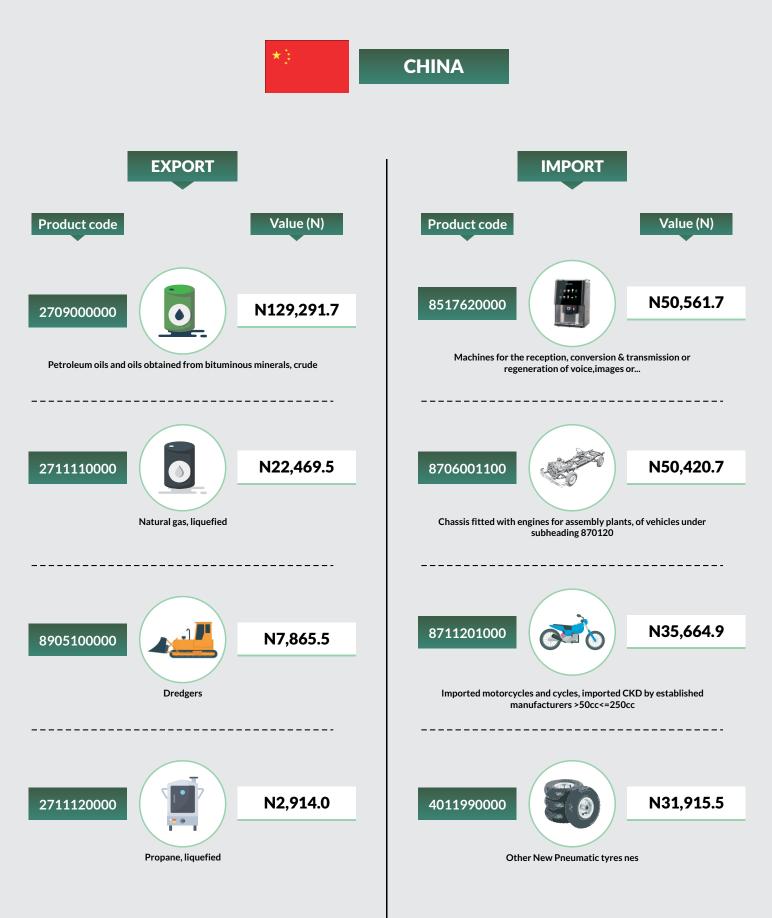
China is a major Trading partner of Nigeria. In Q3 2019, Nigeria's export trade with China was dominated by crude oil valued at N129.29 billion, followed by Natural Gas liquidified (N22.47 billion), Dredgers (N7.87billion) and others. In terms of imports, Machines for reception; Chassis fitted with engines for assembly plants, of vehicles; as well as Imported motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc valued at N50.56 billion, N50.42 billion and N35.66billion respectively were imported from China.







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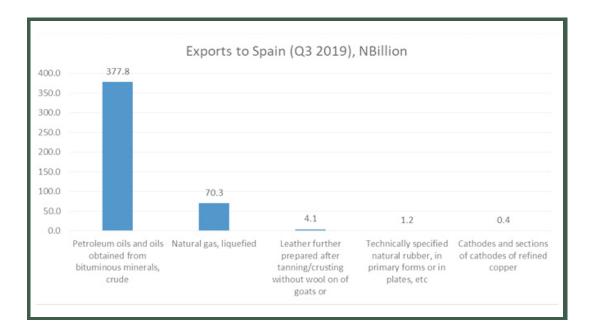


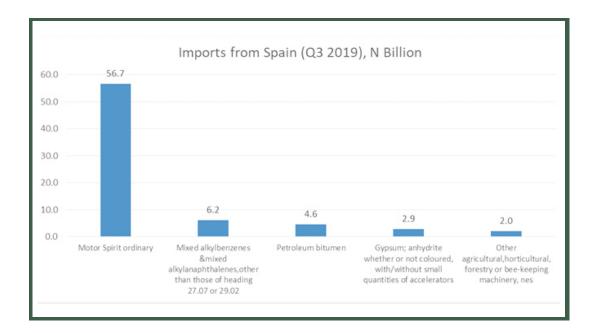




SPAIN

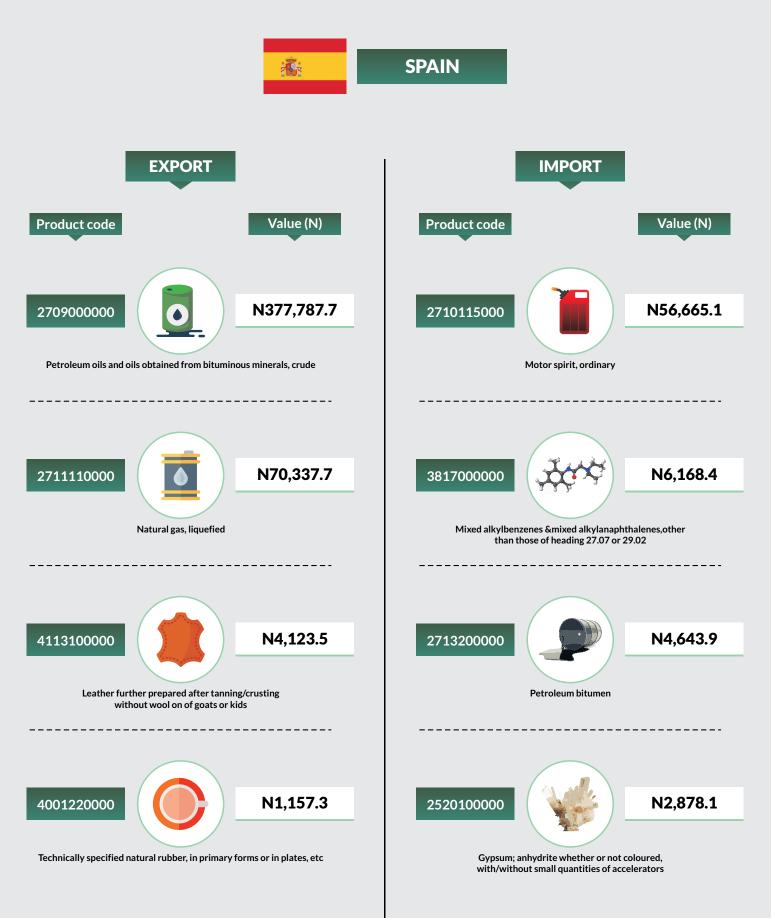
Nigeria's major export to Spain in Q3 2919 was Crude oil valued at N377.79billion. This was followed closely by Natural liquidified gas worth N70.34 billion. Other products were Leather further prepared after tanning valued at N4.12billion. During the quarter, motor spirits worth N56.67billion was imported from Spain. Other imports were Mixed alkylbenzenes and mixed alkylanaphthalenes, (N6.17billion) as well as Petroleum bitumen (N4.64 billion).



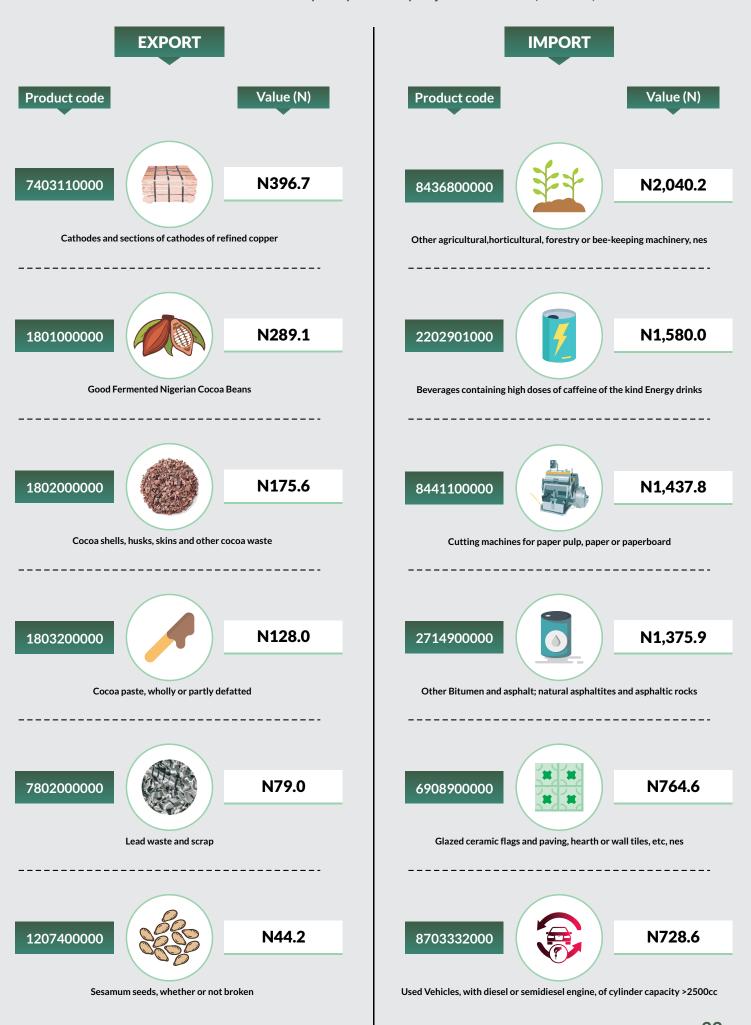




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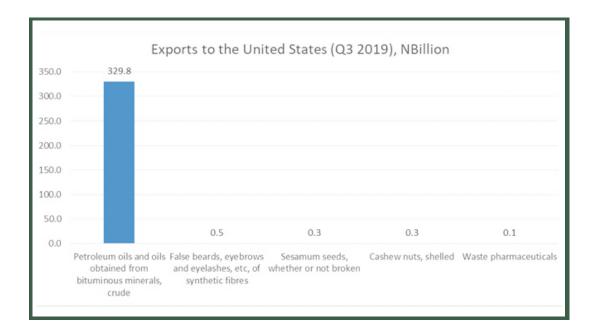


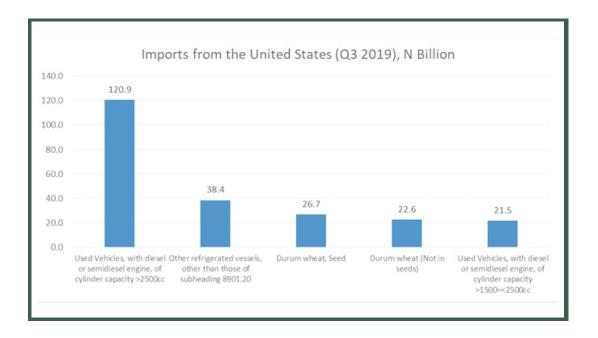




THE UNITED STATES

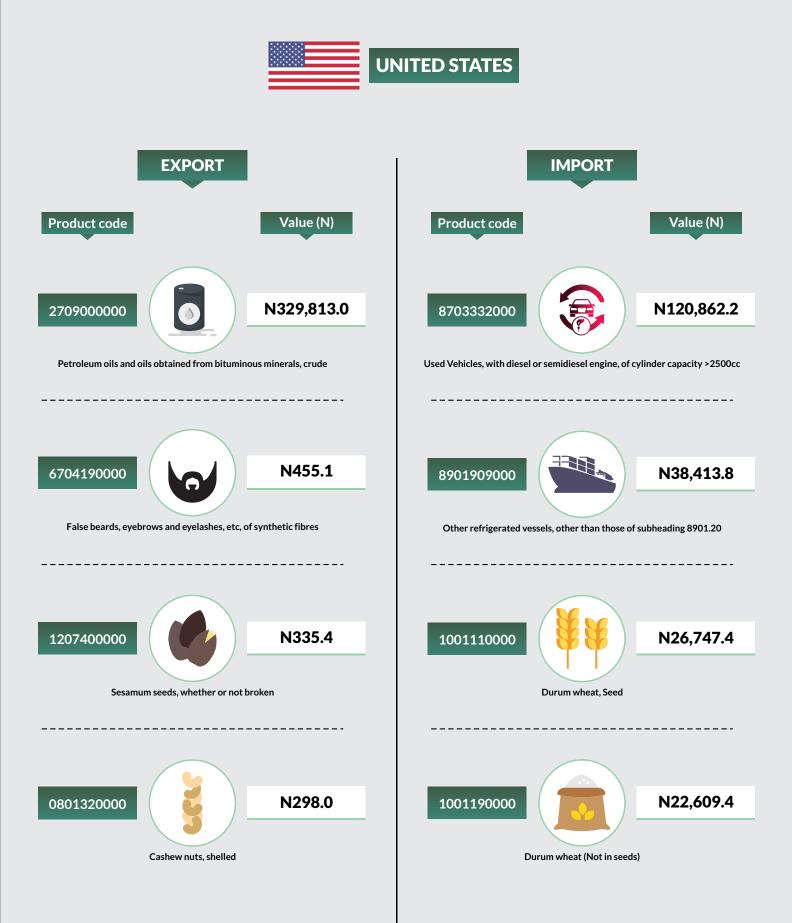
In Q3 2019, Nigeria exported N329.81billion worth of Crude oil to the United states of America. Other major export commodities included False beards, eyebrows and eyelashes, etc, of synthetic fibres valued at N0.46 billion and Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken N0.34 billion. In terms of imports, the main commodities imported were Used Vehicles, with diesel or semi diesel engine, of cylinder capacity >2500cc, amounting to N120.86billion of total imports during the period under review. Other products imported were Other refrigerated vessels, other than those of subheading 8901.20 (N38.41billion), Durum wheat, seed (N26.75billion), Durum wheat (Not in seeds) (N22.61billion) and others.

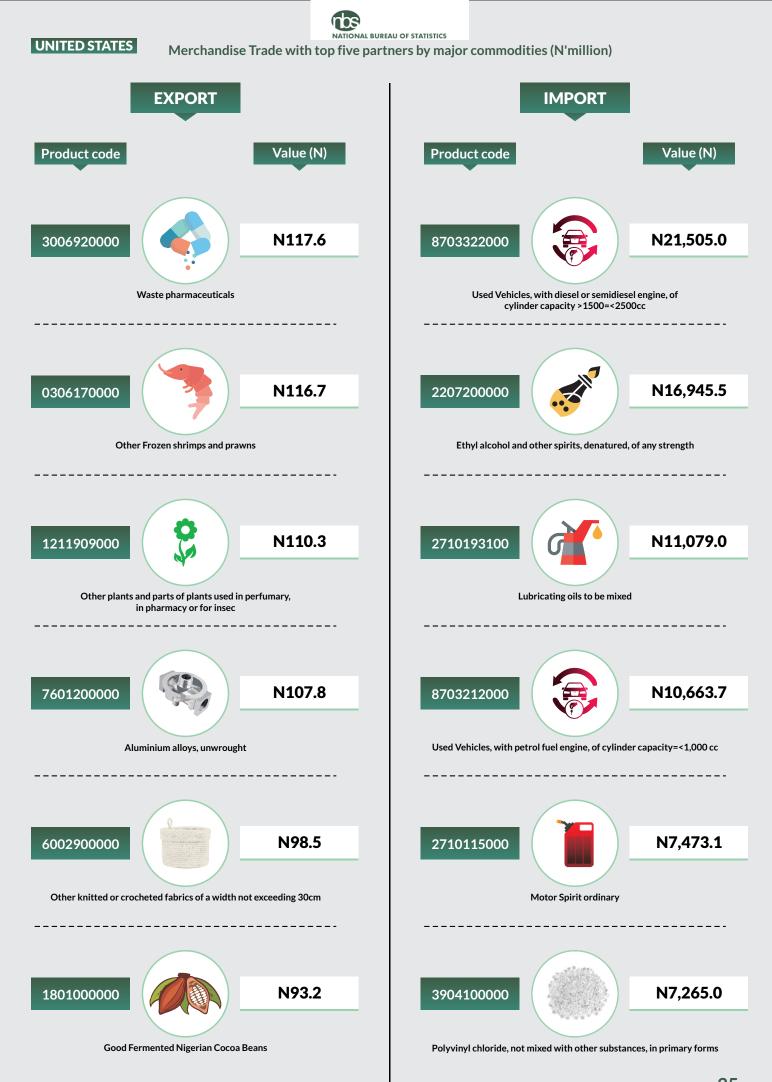






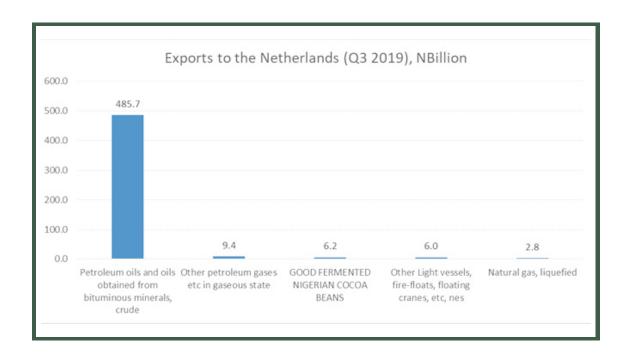
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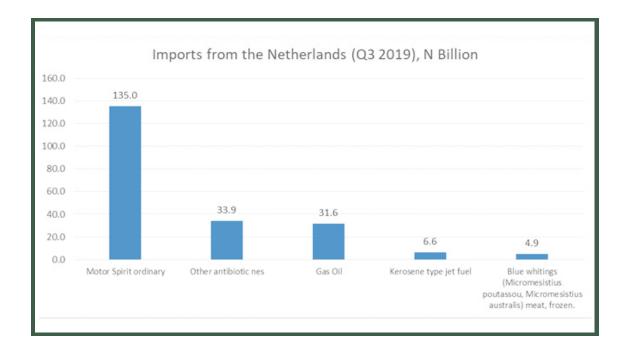




NETHERLANDS

In Q3 2019, Nigeria exported N485.73 billion worth of Crude oil to the Netherlands. Other major export commodities were Other petroleum gases etc in gaseous state valued at N9.40 billion and Good Fermented Nigerian Cocoa Beans N6.18 billion. In terms of imports, the main commodities imported were motor Spirits, which amounted to N135.03 billion. Other products imported were Other Medicaments covered in the heading not specified or included (N33.91billion), Gas oils (N31.63billion), Kerosene type jet fuel (N6.57 billion) and others.

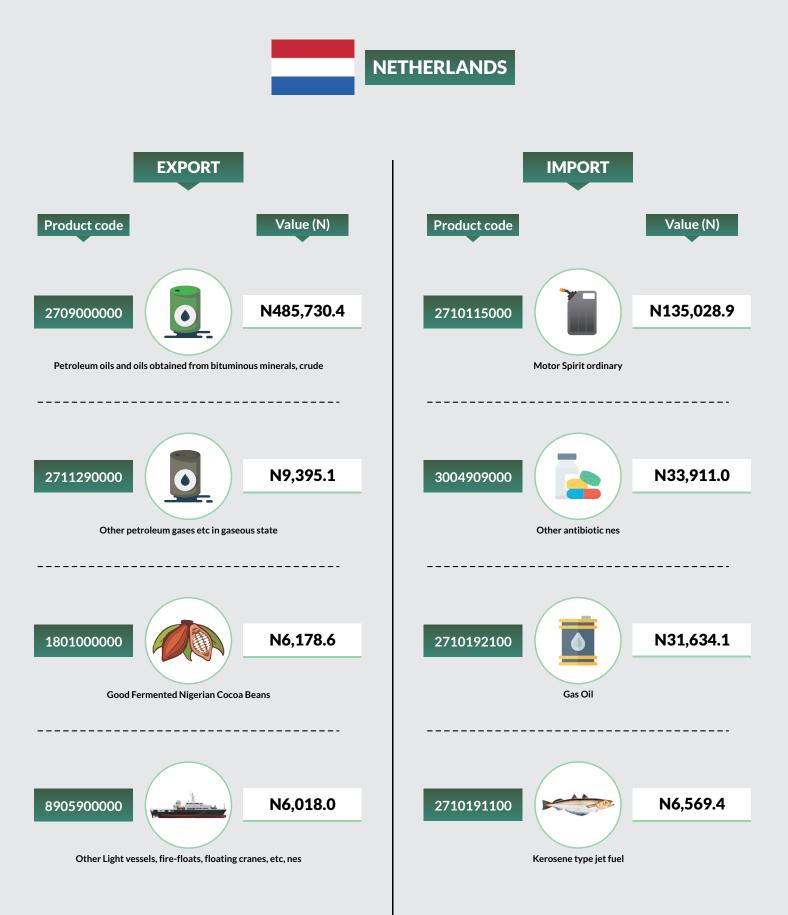


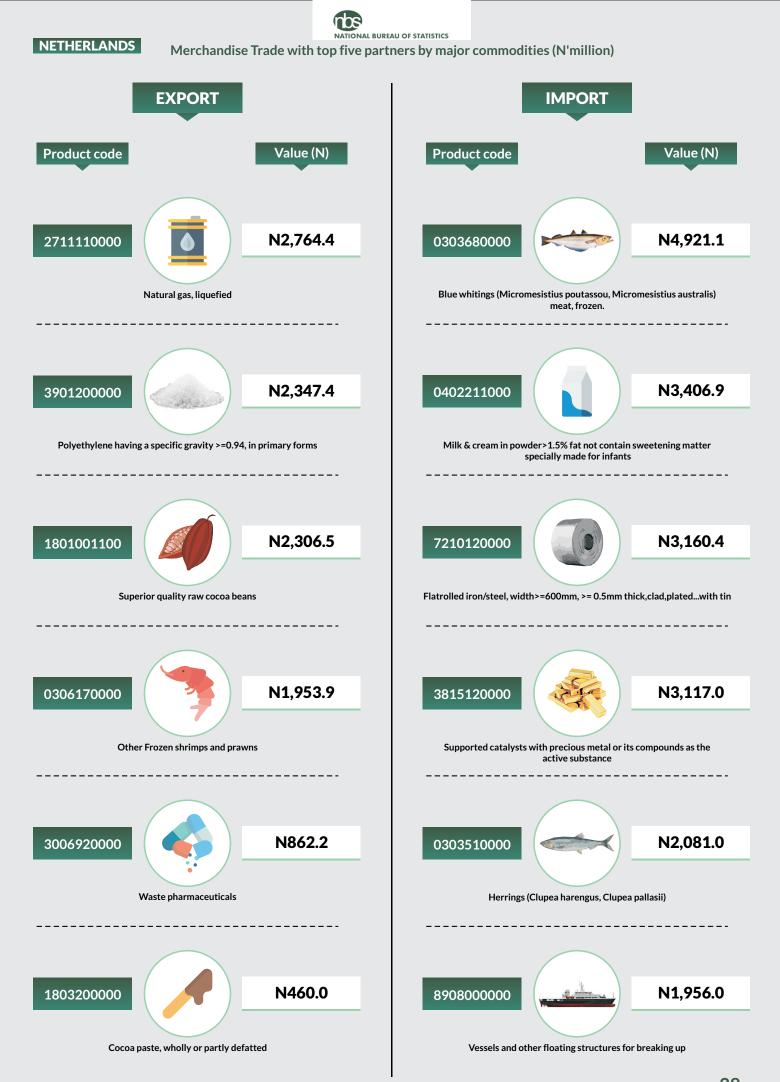




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Merchandise Trade with top five partners by major commodities (N'million)





Deceriation		Index			Percentage change (monthly)		
Description	JAN_2018	July_2019	Aug_2019	Sept_2019	July_2019	Aug_2019	
					to	to	
					Aug_2019	Sept_2019	
Live animals; animal products	100	102.04	100.74	105.26	-1.27	4.49	
Vegetable products	100	105.34	100.03	107.97	-5.04	7.94	
Animal and vegetable fats and oils and other cleavage prod.	100	102.42	105.69	103.24	3.19	-2.32	
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	100	104.63	110.89	102.11	5.99	-7.92	
Mineral products	100	100.10	100.83	104.35	0.73	3.50	
Products of the chemical and allied industries	100	108.41	108.49	106.76	0.08	-1.60	
Plastic, rubber and articles thereof	100	101.43	102.26	108.19	0.82	5.80	
Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery	100	103.37	101.88	96.60	-1.44	-5.18	
Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles	100	114.62	109.84	113.56	-4.17	3.38	
Paper making material; paper and paperboard, articles	100	101.61	109.39	100.56	7.65	-8.07	
Textiles and textile articles	100	102.69	109.10	100.06	6.24	-8.28	
Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc.	100	122.10	115.40	123.43	-5.49	6.96	
Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic	100	99.73	100.21	107.56	0.48	7.33	
Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones, precious metals	100	104.33	103.10	102.33	-1.17	-0.75	
Base metals and articles of base metals	100	101.05	101.08	117.06	0.03	15.81	
Boilers, machinery and appliances; parts thereof	100	102.25	104.00	103.14	1.72	-0.83	
Vehicles, aircraft and parts thereof; vessels etc.	100	101.86	104.14	101.43	2.23	-2.60	
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	100	103.35	103.62	102.21	0.26	-1.36	
All commodity Group Import Price Index	100	102.25	103.33	104.80	1.05	1.43	

Table 1 Import price indexes and percent changes of Commodity Groups: July-Sept 2019, [2018 Jan=100]

			Percentage change (monthly)			
Description	JAN_2018	July_2019	Aug_2019	Sept_2019		A 0010
					July_2019	Aug_2019
					to	to
					Aug_2019	Sept_2019
Live animals; animal products	100	105.40	106.64	99.24	1.18	-6.94
Vegetable products	100	126.33	109.06	102.71	-13.67	-5.82
Animal and vegetable fats and oils and other cleavage prod.	100	109.13	115.18	109.13	5.55	-5.25
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	100	101.36	114.39	113.77	12.86	-0.55
Mineral products	100	105.64	105.84	105.84	0.19	0.00
Products of the chemical and allied industries	100	105.97	109.37	106.52	3.21	-2.60
Plastic, rubber and articles thereof	100	98.31	108.59	94.12	10.45	-13.32
Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery	100	94.41	108.70	106.93	15.14	-1.63
Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles	100	106.73	107.80	106.49	1.00	-1.22
Paper making material; paper and paperboard, articles	100	95.63	94.87	96.26	-0.79	1.46
Textiles and textile articles	100	91.05	98.41	94.74	8.09	-3.73
Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc.	100	101.29	94.57	103.08	-6.63	9.00
Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic	100	103.57	103.73	103.57	0.15	-0.15
Base metals and articles of base metals	100	99.37	107.30	108.72	7.98	1.33
Boilers, machinery and appliances; parts thereof	100	100.13	100.03	100.13	-0.10	0.10
Vehicles, aircraft and parts thereof; vessels etc.	100	101.89	102.98	101.89	1.07	-1.05
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	100	101.10	101.69	101.10	0.59	-0.58
All commodity Group Export Price Index	100	105.72	105.97	105.84	0.24	-0.12

Table 2 Export price indexes and percent changes of all Commodities: July-Sept 2019, [2018 Jan=100]

				Pe	ly)		
Commodity Group	JAN_2018	July_2019	Aug_2019	Sept_2019	July_2019 to Aug_2019	Aug_201	9 to Sept_2019
Live animals; animal products	100	103.29	105.86	94.28	2.48	-10.94	
Vegetable products	100	119.93	109.03	95.13	-9.09	-12.75	
Animal and vegetable fats and oils and other cleavage products.	100	106.55	108.98	105.70	2.28	-3.01	
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	100	96.88	103.16	111.42	6.48	8.01	
Mineral products	100	105.54	104.97	101.42	-0.54	-3.38	
Products of the chemical and allied industries	100	97.75	100.80	99.78	3.12	-1.02	
Plastic, rubber and articles thereof	100	96.93	106.19	87.00	9.55	-18.08	
Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins etc.; saddlery	100	91.34	106.70	110.69	16.82	3.74	
Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal and articles	100	93.11	98.14	93.77	5.39	-4.45	
Paper making material; paper and paperboard, articles	100	94.11	86.73	95.72	-7.84	10.37	
Textiles and textile articles	100	88.67	90.21	94.68	1.74	4.96	
Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sunshades, whips etc.	100	82.95	81.95	83.51	-1.21	1.91	
Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica, ceramic	100	103.85	103.51	96.29	-0.33	-6.97	
Base metals and articles of base metals	100	98.34	106.15	92.88	7.95	-12.50	
Boilers, machinery and chemical appliances; parts thereof	100	97.93	96.18	97.08	-1.79	0.94	
Vehicles, aircraft and parts thereof; vessels etc.	100	100.03	98.88	100.45	-1.14	1.59	
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	100	97.82	98.13	98.91	0.32	0.79	
All Products Terms of Trade	100	103.39	102.56	100.99	-0.80	-1.53	

Table3 Terms Of Trade by commodity July-Sept 2019, [2018 Jan=100]

Table 4 Export price indexes by Region, all Regions–July-Sept 2019, [2018 Jan=100]

		Inc	lex			
REGION	JAN_2018	July_2019	Aug_2019	Sept_2019	Percentage (month	-
					July_2019	Aug_2019
					to	to
					Aug_2019	Sept_2019
AFRICA	100	102.58	102.61	102.63	0.03	0.02
AMERICA	100	103.13	103.61	103.55	0.46	-0.06
ASIA	100	109.01	109.09	108.78	0.07	-0.28
EUROPE	100	105.50	105.85	105.76	0.33	-0.09
OCEANIA	100	103.37	103.37	103.37	0.00	0.00
All Region group Export index	100	105.72	105.97	105.84	0.24	-0.12

Table 5 import price indexes by Region and percent changes: July-Sept 2019, [2018 Jan=100]

		Inc	lex					
	JAN_2018	July_2019	Aug_2019	Sept_2019	Percentage change (month			
REGION					July_2019	Aug_2019		
					to	to		
					Aug_2019	Sept_2019		
AFRICA	100	104.59	119.8	121.3	14.54	1.27		
AMERICA	100	103.18	120.6	100.8	16.93	-16.43		
ASIA	100	101.34	97.3	100.0	-3.96	2.80		
EUROPE	100	102.09	103.0	107.9	0.86	4.83		
OCEANIA	100	127.40	101.4	106.3	-20.37	4.76		
All Region group Import index	100	102.25	103.33	104.80	1.05	1.43		

 Table 6 Terms Of Trade by (REGIONS) July-Sept 2019, [2018 Jan=100]

CONTINENT	JAN_2018	July_2019	Aug_2019	Sept_2019
AFRICA	100	98.08	85.66	84.60
AMERICA	100	99.96	85.88	102.70
ASIA	100	107.57	112.09	108.73
EUROPE	100	103.34	102.81	97.99
OCEANIA	100	81.14	101.89	97.26
All Region Terms of Trade	100	103.39	102.56	100.99

Table 7 Merchandise Trade by Top Five Partners and By Major Commodities (N'million) Q3, 2019

	INDIA							
		EXPORT			IMPORT			
Product code	Product description		Product code	Product description	Value (N)			
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	694,888.18	8711201000	Imported motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc	81,818.2			
2711110000	Natural gas, liquefied	77,021.79	2710191100	Kerosene type jet fuel	13,418.6			
7601200000	Aluminium alloys, unwrought	837.27	3004909000	Other antibiotics, nes	10,194.6			
7403110000	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	466.45	3002200000	Vaccines for human medicine	8,390.6			
1207400000	Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken	418.92	3808911190	Other products of the type used for agricultural purposes c	4,192.8			
7403210000	Brass, unwrought	232.03	8711209900	Motorcycles and cycles fitted with auxiliary motor,petrol fuel, capacity >80=<250cc, FBU	3,985.6			
9101990000	Other Pocket-watches, etc (excl. wrist-), nes, of precious metal	227.37	4802570000	Other paper and paperboard weighing 40g/m2 or more but not more than 150g/m2	3,664.6			
8007000000	Other articles of tin, nes	202.83	3004100000	Medicaments of penicillins or derivatives thereof, with an acid structu or streptomycins	3,333.8			
4113100000	Leather further prepared after tanning/crusting without wool on of goats or	122.49	8437100000	Machines for cleaning/sorting/grading seed, grain or dried vegetables	3,003.3			
0801120000	Coconuts In the inner shell (endocarp)	122.08	8504409000	Other static converters not specified	2,984.6			
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		EXPORT			IMPORT			
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)			
270900000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	129,291.7	8517620000	Machines 4 the reception, conversion & transmission or regeneration of voice, images or	50,561.7			
2711110000	Natural gas, liquefied	22,469.5	8706001100	Chassis fitted with engines for assembly plants, of vehicles under subheading 870120	50,420.7			
8905100000	Dredgers	7,865.5	8711201000	Imported motorcycles and cycles, imported CKD by established manufacturers >50cc<=250cc	35,664.9			
2711120000	Propane, liquefied	2,914.0	4011990000	Other New Pneumatic tyres nes	31,915.5			
1207400000	Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken	1,313.1	8464900000	Other machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, etc	31,803.2			
2607000000	Lead ores and concentrates	1,132.5	3907600061	Amorphous PET chips	22,361.1			
2711130000	Butanes, liquefied	1,038.4	8415101000	Air conditioning machine, Window/wall types, selfcontained/splitsystem, Presented CKD	20,926.4			
4113100000	Leather further prepared after tanning/crusting without wool on of goats or	317.8	8706001400	Chassis fitted with engines for assembly plants, of vehicles under subheading 8704	19,211.7			
4001220000	Technically specified natural rubber, in primary forms or in plates, etc	255.3	8541401000	Solar cells whether or not in modules or made up into panels	18,637.1			
3901200000	Polyethylene having a specific gravity >=0.94, in primary forms	250.6	2710115000	Motor Spirit ordinary	16,876.3			
			SP	AIN				
		EXPORT			IMPORT			
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)			
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	377,787.7	2710115000	Motor Spirit ordinary	56,665.1			
271110000	Natural gas, liquefied	70,337.7	3817000000	Mixed alkylbenzenes & mixed alkylanaphthalenes, other than those of heading 27.07 or 29.02	6,168.4			
4113100000	Leather further prepared after tanning/crusting without wool on of goats or	4,123.5	2713200000	Petroleum bitumen	4,643.9			
4001220000	Technically specified natural rubber, in primary forms or in plates, etc	1,157.3	2520100000	Gypsum; anhydrite whether or not coloured, with/without small quantities of accelerators	2,878.1			
7403110000	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	396.7	8436800000	Other agricultural, horticultural, forestry or bee-keeping machinery, nes	2,040.2			
1801000000	GOOD FERMENTED NIGERIAN COCOA BEANS	289.1	2202901000	Beverages containing high doses of caffeine of the kind Energy drinks	1,580.0			
1802000000	Cocoa shells, husks, skins and other cocoa waste	175.6	8441100000	Cutting machines for paper pulp, paper or paperboard	1,437.8			
1803200000	Cocoa paste, wholly or partly defatted	128.0	2714900000	Other Bitumen and asphalt; natural asphaltites and asphaltic rocks	1,375.9			
7802000000	Lead waste and scrap	79.0	6908900000	Glazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles, etc, nes	764.6			
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	UNITED STATES							
		EXPORT			IMPORT			
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)			
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	329,813.0	8703332000	Used Vehicles, with diesel or semidiesel engine, of cylinder capacity >2500cc	120,862.2			
6704190000	False beards, eyebrows and eyelashes, etc, of synthetic fibres	455.1	8901909000	Other refrigerated vessels, other than those of subheading 8901.20	38,413.8			
1207400000	Sesamum seeds, whether or not broken	335.4	1001110000	Durum wheat, Seed	26,747.4			
0801320000	Cashew nuts, shelled	298.0	1001190000	Durum wheat (Not in seeds)	22,609.4			
3006920000	Waste pharmaceuticals	117.6	8703322000	Used Vehicles, with diesel or semidiesel engine, of cylinder capacity >1500=<2500cc	21,505.0			
0306170000	Other Frozen shrimps and prawns	116.7	2207200000	Ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength	16,945.5			
1211909000	Other plants and parts of plants used in perfumary, in pharmacy or for insec	110.3	2710193100	Lubricating oils to be mixed	11,079.0			
7601200000	Aluminium alloys, unwrought	107.8	8703212000	Used Vehicles, with petrol fuel engine, of cylinder capacity=<1,000 cc	10,663.7			
6002900000	Other knitted or crocheted fabrics of a width not exceeding 30cm	98.5	2710115000	Motor Spirit ordinary	7,473.1			
1801000000	GOOD FERMENTED NIGERIAN COCOA BEANS	93.2	3904100000	Polyvinyl chloride, not mixed with other substances, in primary forms	7,265.0			
			NETHE	RLANDS				
		EXPORT			IMPORT			
Product code	Product description	Value (N)	Product code	Product description	Value (N)			
2709000000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	485,730.4	2710115000	Motor Spirit ordinary	135,028.9			
2711290000	Other petroleum gases etc in gaseous state	9,395.1	3004909000	Other antibiotic nes	33,911.0			
1801000000	GOOD FERMENTED NIGERIAN COCOA BEANS	6,178.6	2710192100	Gas Oil	31,634.1			
8905900000	Other Light vessels, fire-floats, floating cranes, etc, nes	6,018.0	2710191100	Kerosene type jet fuel	6,569.4			
2711110000	Natural gas, liquefied	2,764.4	0303680000	Blue whitings (Micromesistius poutassou, Micromesistius australis) meat, frozen.	4,921.1			
3901200000	Polyethylene having a specific gravity >=0.94, in primary forms	2,347.4	0402211000	Milk & cream in powder>1.5% fat not contain sweetening matter specially made for infants	3,406.9			
1801001100	Superior quality raw cocoa beans	2,306.5	7210120000	Flatrolled iron/steel, width>=600mm, >= 0.5mm thick,clad,platedwith tin	3,160.4			
0306170000	Other Frozen shrimps and prawns	1,953.9	3815120000	Supported catalysts with precious metal or its compounds as the active substance	3,117.0			
3006920000	Waste pharmaceuticals	862.2	0303510000	Herrings (Clupea harengus, Clupea pallasii)	2,081.0			
1803200000	Cocoa paste, wholly or partly defatted	460.0	8908000000	Vessels and other floating structures for breaking up	1,956.0			

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.

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