



## *Merchandise trade Rises in Q3, 2016:*

*Trade balance improves in Q3, 2016 due to rising exports but still negative.*

### *Total Merchandise Trade*

*The total value of Nigeria's merchandise trade at the end of Q3, 2016 stood at ₦4,721.9 billion, an increase of ₦661.5 billion or 16.3% from the preceding quarter value of ₦4,060.4 billion. This development arose due to increase in both imports and exports. Exports stood at ₦2,308,857.2 billion resulting to an increase of ₦520.8 billion or 29.1%, while imports rose to ₦2,413,001.7 billion which gives an increase of ₦140.7 billion or 6.2%. The rise in exports this quarter reduced the deficit trade balance from ~~₦484,238.7~~ billion experienced in the previous quarter to ~~₦104,144.5~~ billion. The crude oil export value stood at ₦1,943,987.0 billion indicating an increase of ₦458.4 billion or 30.9% against the level recorded in Q2,2016 (Table 1).*

*\*Crude oil figure for the month September 2016 is provisional and may be revised*



Imports Classified by Standard International Trade Classification and Country of Origin.

Nigeria's import trade stood at ₦2,413.0 billion, at the end of Q3, 2016. This was 6.2% more than the value recorded in the preceding quarter ₦2,272.3 billion. Further comparison with the corresponding quarter of last year, showed an increase of ₦724.8 billion or 42.9%. The structure of Nigeria's import trade according to SITC was dominated by the imports of "Mineral fuel, lubricant etc.", "Machinery and transport equipment", and "Chemicals and related products", which accounted for 30.3%, 25.1%, and 14.4% respectively in 2016. These commodities contributed the most to the value of import trade in 2016, whereas commodities such as "Crude inedible materials, except for fuel", "Beverages and tobacco", and "Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes", contributed the least, accounting for 1.5%, 0.6%, and 0.3% respectively (Table 6).

Import trade by section (Table 2), was dominated by the imports of "Mineral products", which accounted for ₦746.2 billion or 30.9% of the total value of import trade in 2016. Other commodities which contributed noticeably to the value of import trade in 2016 were "Boilers, machinery and appliances; parts thereof" at ₦475.6 billion (19.7%), and "Products of the chemical and allied industries" at ₦220.0 billion (9.1%), "Plastic, rubber and articles thereof" at ₦153.9 billion (6.4%) and "Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco" at ₦148.2 billion (6.1%).

At the end of the quarter, the import trade classified by Broad economic category (Table7) revealed that "Fuels and lubricants." ranked first with ₦725,118.5 billion or 30.1%. This was followed by "Industrial Supplies (nec)" with the value of ₦611,617.5 billion or 25.3 %, and "Capital Goods and parts of" with ₦460,563.9 billion or 19.1%.

Nigeria's import trade by direction showed the country imported goods mostly from China, with an import value of ₦478.7 billion or 19.8% of total imports. This was followed by Belgium at ₦331.3 billion or 13.7%, Netherlands with ₦299.7 billion or 12.4%, the United States with ₦165.5 billion or 6.9% and India with ₦121.3 billion or 5.0% of total imports. Imports by economic region revealed that the country consumed goods largely from Europe, with import value of ₦1,158.4 billion or 48.0%. The Country also imported goods largely

from Asia, with import goods valued at ₦843.27 billion or 34.9%. Goods valued at ₦294.5 billion or 12.2% of total import trade was imported from America. Import trade within the continent of Africa totalled ₦87.9 billion or 3.6%, while imports from the region of ECOWAS amounted to ₦8.5 billion (Table 4).

### Exports Classified by Standard International Trade Classification and Country of Destination

The value of the export trade, totalled ₦2,308.9 billion in Q3, 2016 showing an increase of ₦520.8 billion or 29.1%, over the value recorded in the preceding quarter. Year-on-Year analysis shows that the country's exports decreased by ₦24.4 billion or 1.0% against the export value recorded in the corresponding quarter of 2015. The structure of Nigeria's export trade is still dominated by crude oil exports, with the contribution of crude oil to the value of total domestic export trade amounting to ₦1,944.0 billion or 84.2% (estimate figures).

Exports by section revealed that the highest export product for Nigeria in 2016 was "Mineral products" which accounted for ₦2,246.4 billion or 97.3%. Other products that contributed the most to Nigeria's exports include "Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco" and "Vegetable products" whose values stood at ₦24.3 billion or 1.1%, and ₦9.4 billion or 0.4% respectively, of the total exports from Nigeria for the quarter (Table 3).

Exports by continent showed that Nigeria mainly exported goods to Europe and Asia, which accounted for ₦767.7 billion or 33.3% and ₦672.8 billion or 29.1% respectively, of the total export value for Q3, 2016. Furthermore, Nigeria exported goods valued at ₦371.2 billion or 16.1% to the continent of Africa while export to the ECOWAS region totalled ₦190.3 billion (Table 5).





# FOREIGN TRADE IN GOODS

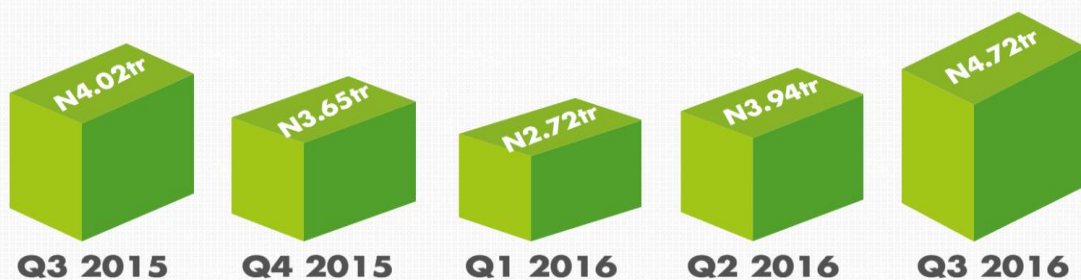
Q3 2016 

The Total Trade for Q3 2016  
was **N4.72tr**

**16.3%** more than last  
quarter Q2 2016

**17.0%** more than same  
quarter in 2015

**Q3 Total Trade had a second  
consecutive rise**



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## FOREIGN TRADE Q3 2016

**IMPORT ROSE TO 2.4tr**

**Q3 HAD THE SECOND AND MOST SIGNIFICANT CONSECUTIVE RISE IN IMPORT SINCE Q1 2016**

**6.2%**

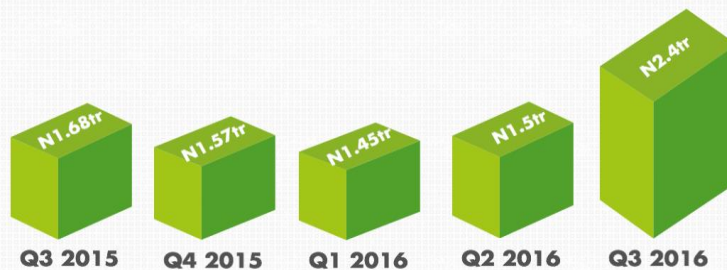
**RISE**

QUARTER-ON-QUARTER

**43%**

**RISE**

YEAR-ON-YEAR



**EXPORT ROSE TO 2.3tr**

**Q3 HAD THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE RISE IN EXPORT SINCE Q1 2016**

**29.1%**

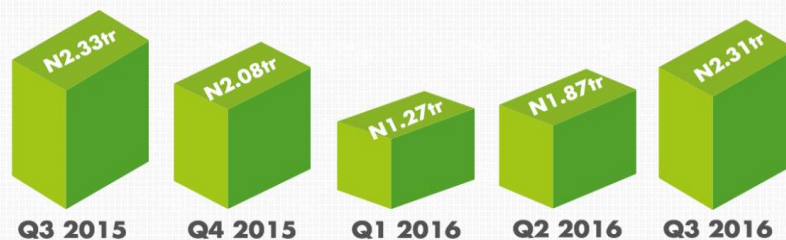
**RISE**

QUARTER-ON-QUARTER

**0.01%**

**FALL**

YEAR-ON-YEAR



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# TOP PRODUCTS Q3 2016

## IMPORTS



**Mineral Products** **30.9%**



**Boilers Machinery  
& Appliances** **19.7%**



**Chemical &  
Allied Products** **9.1%**



**Plastic, rubber** **6.4%**



**Base Metals** **5.6%**

## EXPORTS



**Mineral Products** **97.3%**



**Prepared foodstuffs;  
beverages, spirits  
and vinegar;  
tobacco** **1.1%**



**Vegetable products** **0.4%**



**Live animals;  
animal products** **0.3%**



**Base Metals** **0.2%**



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## TOP TRADE PARTNERS Q3 2016

### NIGERIA'S LARGEST IMPORT PARTNERS

	% OF TOTAL	GDP RATE	IMPORT Y-0-Y
CHINA	27.2%	1.8%	4%
BELGIUM	18.8%	0.2%	-
NETHERLANDS	17.0%	0.7%	194%
USA	9.4%	3.2%	3%

### NIGERIA'S LARGEST EXPORT DESTINATIONS

	% OF TOTAL	GDP RATE	EXPORT Y-0-Y
INDIA	25.4%	1.4%	7%
USA	17.9%	3.2%	260%
FRANCE	10.7%	0.2%	70%
SPAIN	10.55%	0.7%	-12.3%

By continent, Nigeria mainly imported from

<b>EUROPE</b> 48.0% N1,158.4bn	<b>ASIA</b> 34.9% N843.27
<b>THE AMERICAS</b> 12.2% N294.5bn	<b>AFRICA</b> 3.6% N87.9bn

By continent, Nigeria mainly exported to

<b>EUROPE</b> 33.3% N767.7bn	<b>ASIA</b> 29.1% N672.8bn
<b>AFRICA</b> 16.1% N190.3bn	



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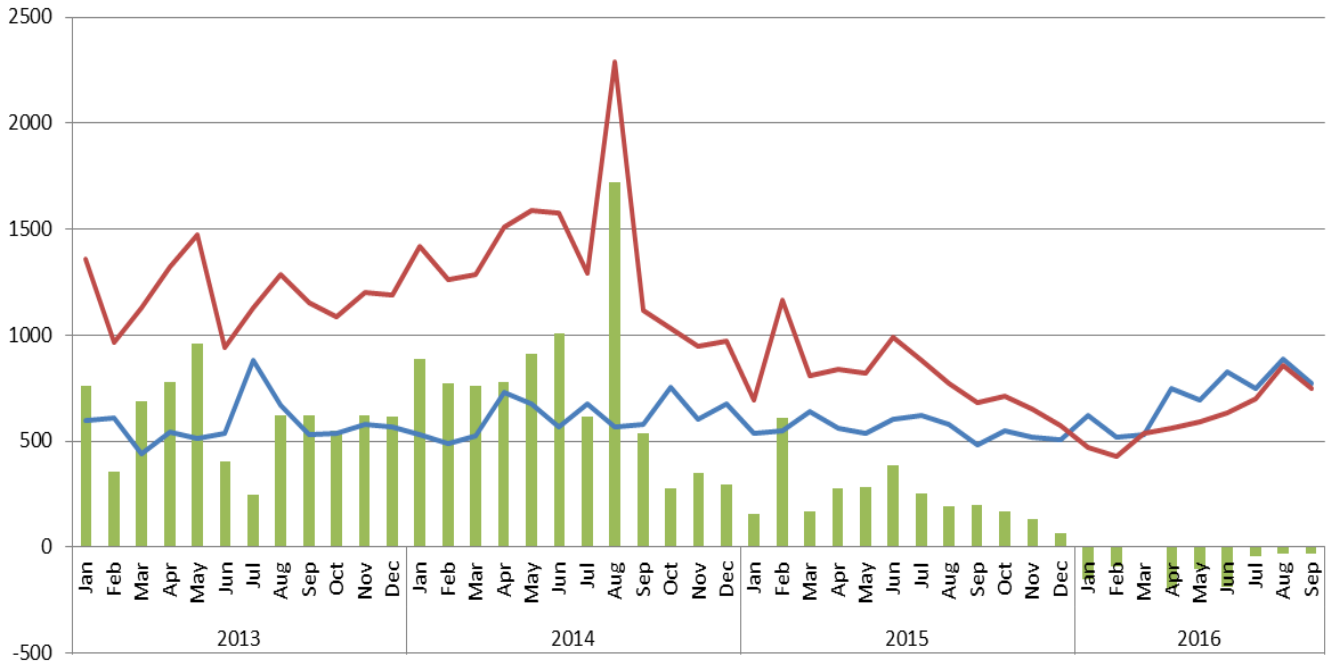
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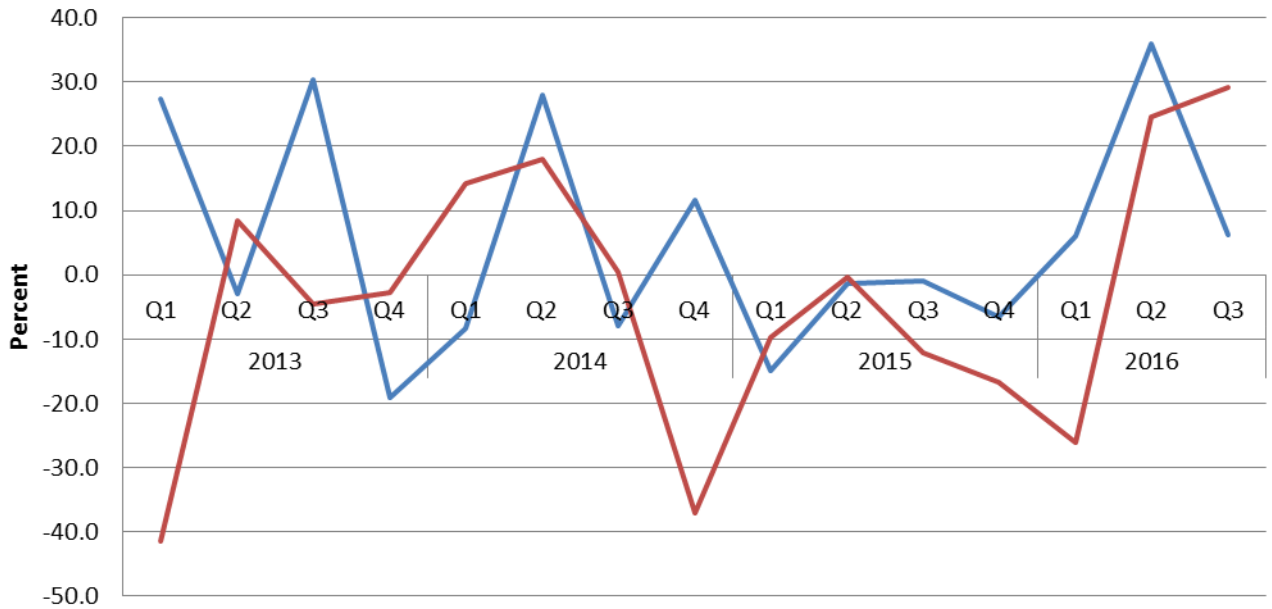
### I. Monthly Foreign Trade Summary (N' Billion)

Balance  
Import  
Export (fob)



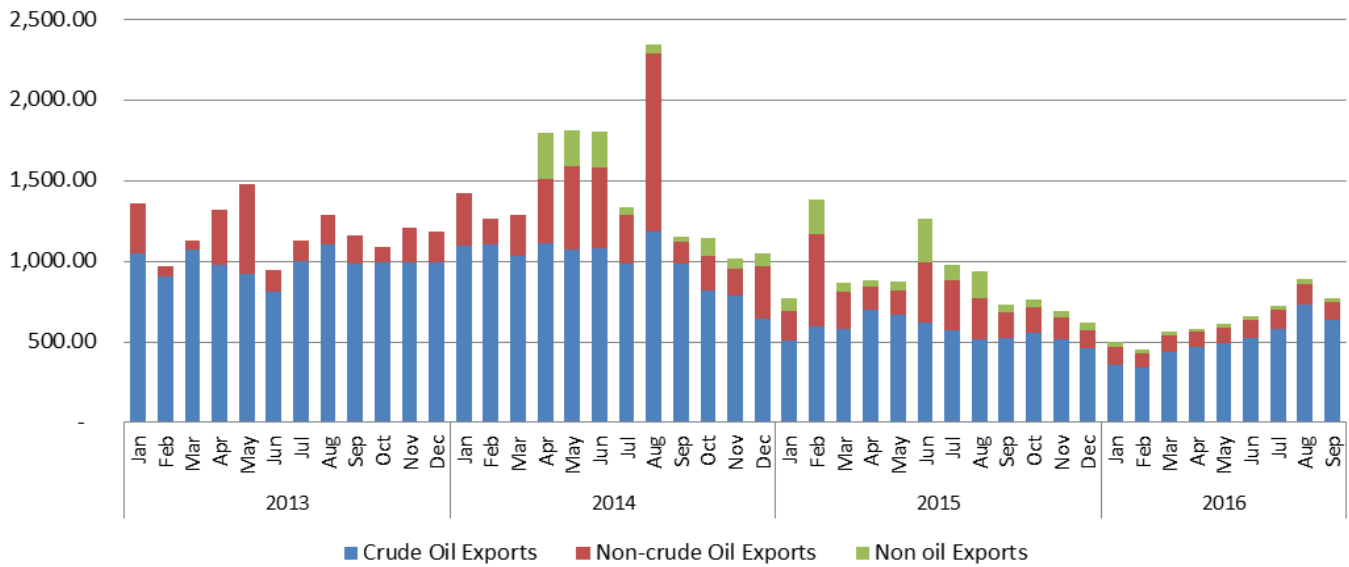
### II. Quarterly Change %

% Change Import    % Change Export

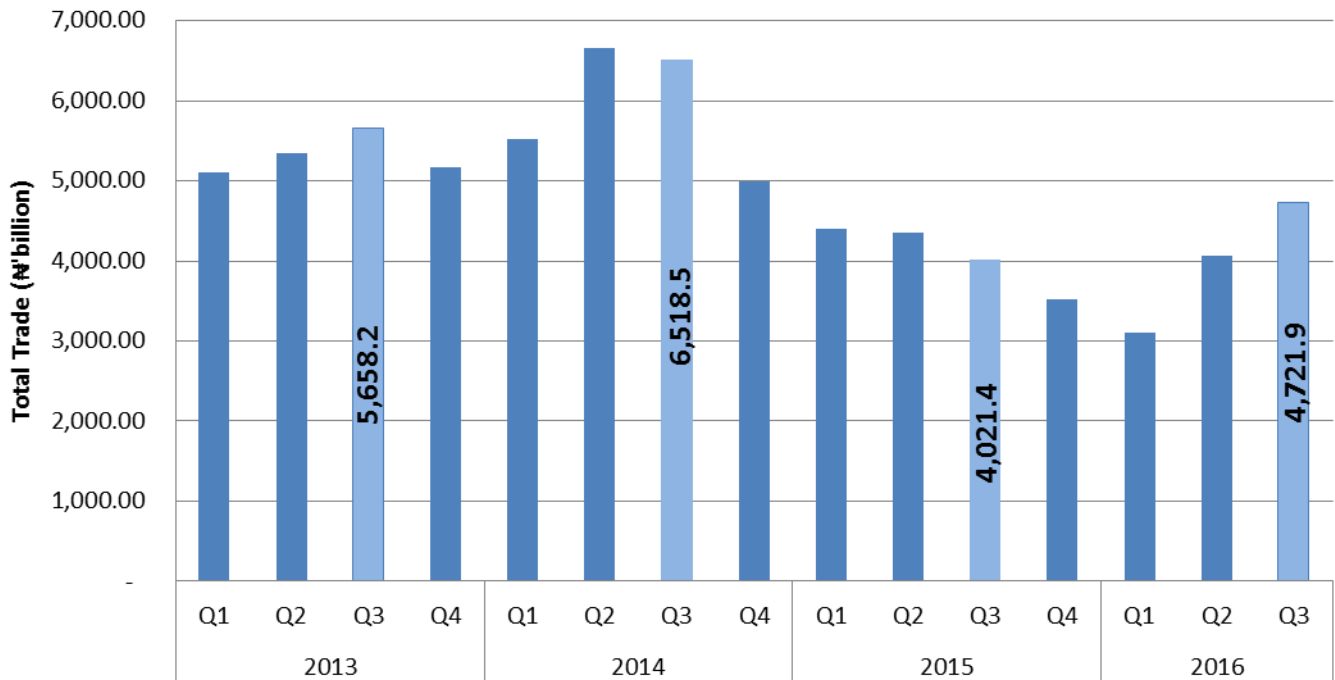




### III. Monthly Summary of Export (₦'Billion)



### IV. Quarterly Foreign Trade Summary (₦'Billion)



## Methodology

The National Bureau of Statistics publishes this Trade statistics report quarterly. Trade statistics compilation by NBS is largely from secondary data sources.

### **Data Sources:**

The data sources for the compilations include; The Nigerian Customs Service (NCS) through the Nigeria Integrated Customs Information System (NICIS), Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) and Various oil companies in the upstream and downstream sectors of the oil industry, Nigerian Ports, 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, Neroli 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).

### **Validation & Quality Assurance:**

After collecting data from the above sources, it is verified for outliers, Data validation is undertaken through a sample of the various Nigerian Customs outposts in Nigeria. Weight harmonization is carried out through the various entry posts of imports and exports in Nigeria.

### **Processing/Analysis:**

Data processing is done using the Global Eurotrace software and the processed data is banked in the trade database. We use the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) to categorize trade items.

	<b>2016 Export Third Quarter</b>				
<b>Ranking</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Country of Destination</b>	<b>Value(₦)</b>	<b>Crude Oil (₦)</b>	<b>Non Crude Oil Value(₦)</b>
1st	IN	India	436,625,960,137.24	400,507,645,895.05	36,118,314,242.19
2nd	US	United States	308,118,713,432.86	300,079,868,408.21	8,038,845,024.65
3rd	ES	Spain	185,357,634,955.69	32,847,775,659.00	152,509,859,296.69
4th	FR	France	181,591,486,531.04	19,685,047,816.00	161,906,438,715.04
5th	NL	Netherlands	132,540,391,734.25	126,081,635,790.93	6,458,755,943.32
6th	ZA	South Africa	123,525,124,379.05	123,237,305,258.61	287,819,120.44
7th	ID	Indonesia	118,413,272,077.53	118,100,133,793.65	313,138,283.88
8th	GB	United Kingdom	98,657,196,291.23	97,311,653,531.01	1,345,542,760.22
9th	CI	Ivory Coast	71,789,621,184.34	67,126,406,513.48	4,663,214,670.86
10th	BR	Brazil	64,879,369,848.00	52,473,782,676.00	12,405,587,172.00
	<b>2016 Imports Third Quarter</b>				
<b>Ranking</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Country of Origin</b>	<b>Value(N)</b>		
1st	CN	China	478,650,357,485.72		
2nd	BE	Belgium	331,256,668,542.97		
3rd	NL	Netherlands	299,656,711,656.36		
4th	US	United States	165,476,754,804.29		
5th	IN	India	121,290,100,396.06		
6th	FR	France	91,292,636,847.47		
7th	BR	Brazil	90,460,100,470.30		
8th	DE	Germany	74,483,517,495.26		
9th	GB	United Kingdom	62,935,611,538.94		
10th	ES	Spain	45,559,389,139.11		



Table 1 Summary of Foreign Trade (N'Million)

		Imports	Exports(fob)	Balance	Total Trade	Crude Oil Exports	Non-Crude Oil Exports	Non-Oils Exports	Exports / Total Trade (%)	Crude Oil / Total Exports (%)	% Change Imports	% Change Exports	Non Oil Export/Total Export(%)
2013	Jan-Dec	7,015,814.7	14,245,271.6	7,229,456.9	21,261,086.3	11,808,741.1	2,436,530.5	-	67.0	82.9	24.7	-36.5	-
2014	Jan-Dec	7,374,370.5	16,304,041.2	8,929,670.6	23,678,411.7	11,891,192.2	4,412,849.0	-	68.9	72.9	5.1	14.5	-
2015	Jan-Dec	6,697,965.9	9,593,042.0	2,895,076.0	16,291,007.9	6,809,540.3	2,783,501.7	1,163,323.8	58.9	71.0	-9.2	-41.2	12.1
2016	YTD	6,356,693.6	5,532,874.4	-823,819.2	11,889,568.0	4,557,668.6	975,205.8	214,739.2	46.5	82.4			3.9
2013	Q1	1,646,744.1	3,452,132.9	1,805,388.8	5,098,877.0	3,030,657.0	421,475.9	-	67.7	87.8	27.4	-41.4	-
	Q2	1,598,237.9	3,742,907.8	2,144,669.9	5,341,145.7	2,709,433.5	1,033,474.3	-	70.1	72.4	-2.9	8.4	-
	Q3	2,084,769.6	3,573,388.2	1,488,618.6	5,658,157.8	3,086,975.9	486,412.3	-	63.2	86.4	30.4	-4.5	-
	Q4	1,686,063.1	3,476,842.7	1,790,779.5	5,162,905.8	2,981,674.8	495,167.8	-	67.3	85.8	-19.1	-2.7	-
2014	Q1	1,545,444.6	3,969,478.6	2,424,034.1	5,514,923.2	3,233,613.4	735,865.2	-	72.0	81.5	-8.3	14.2	-
	Q2	1,977,237.8	4,682,155.7	2,704,917.9	6,659,393.5	3,268,760.5	1,413,395.2	726,183.7	70.3	69.8	27.9	18.0	15.5
	Q3	1,820,655.9	4,697,844.3	2,877,188.3	6,518,500.2	3,149,330.9	1,548,513.4	140,719.8	72.1	67.0	-7.9	0.3	3.0
	Q4	2,031,032.2	2,954,562.5	923,530.3	4,985,594.8	2,239,487.3	715,075.2	252,342.7	59.3	75.8	11.6	-37.1	8.5
2015	Q1	1,727,677.7	2,665,059.8	937,382.1	4,392,737.5	1,675,223.2	989,836.6	352,760.7	60.7	62.9	-14.9	-9.8	13.2
	Q2	1,705,675.8	2,653,790.3	948,114.5	4,359,466.2	1,984,277.6	669,512.7	366,882.9	60.9	74.8	-1.3	-0.4	13.8
	Q3	1,688,226.9	2,333,214.3	644,987.4	4,021,441.2	1,611,493.2	721,721.1	308,696.0	58.0	69.1	-1.0	-12.1	13.2
	Q4	1,576,385.5	1,940,977.6	364,592.1	3,517,363.1	1,538,546.4	402,431.2	134,984.2	55.2	79.3	-6.6	-16.8	7.0
2016	Q1	1,671,381.4	1,435,945.5	-235,436.0	3,107,326.9	1,128,118.9	307,826.5	76,991.8	46.2	78.6	6.0	-26.0	5.4
	Q2	2,272,310.5	1,788,071.7	-484,238.7	4,060,382.2	1,485,562.7	302,509.0	62,681.9	44.0	83.1	36.0	24.5	3.5
	Q3	2,413,001.7	2,308,857.2	-104,144.5	4,721,858.9	1,943,987.0	364,870.2	75,065.5	48.9	84.2	6.2	29.1	3.3
2013	Jan	598,715.0	1,357,779.7	759,064.8	1,956,494.7	1,049,222.9	308,556.9	-	69.4	77.3	38.5	-34.0	0.0
	Feb	608,153.5	967,471.7	359,318.2	1,575,625.2	905,550.8	61,920.9	-	61.4	93.6	1.6	-28.7	0.0
	Mar	439,875.6	1,126,881.5	687,005.9	1,566,757.1	1,075,883.3	50,998.2	-	71.9	95.5	-27.7	16.5	0.0
	Apr	544,174.8	1,321,531.9	777,357.1	1,865,706.7	978,160.5	343,371.4	-	70.8	74.0	23.7	17.3	0.0
	May	516,280.3	1,476,883.0	960,602.7	1,993,163.3	920,615.4	556,267.7	-	74.1	62.3	-5.1	11.8	0.0
	Jun	537,782.9	944,492.9	406,710.0	1,482,275.8	810,657.6	133,835.3	-	63.7	85.8	4.2	-36.0	0.0
	Jul	882,784.6	1,129,650.9	246,866.4	2,012,435.5	999,701.7	129,949.3	-	56.1	88.5	64.2	19.6	0.0
	Aug	668,275.6	1,287,600.3	619,324.7	1,955,875.9	1,104,589.0	183,011.4	-	65.8	85.8	-24.3	14.0	0.0
	Sep	533,709.4	1,156,137.0	622,427.5	1,689,846.4	982,685.2	173,451.7	-	68.4	85.0	-20.1	-10.2	0.0
	Oct	537,068.9	1,085,433.9	548,365.0	1,622,502.7	993,457.9	91,975.9	-	66.9	91.5	0.6	-6.1	0.0
	Nov	580,354.9	1,204,079.7	623,724.9	1,784,434.6	992,072.0	212,007.8	-	67.5	82.4	8.1	10.9	0.0
	Dec	568,639.4	1,187,329.0	618,689.6	1,755,968.5	996,144.9	191,184.2	-	67.6	83.9	-2.0	-1.4	0.0
2014	Jan	533,370.1	1,422,423.9	889,053.8	1,955,793.9	1,093,545.8	328,878.1	-	72.7	76.9	-6.2	19.8	0.0
	Feb	487,553.3	1,263,067.7	775,514.3	1,750,621.0	1,108,219.4	154,848.3	-	72.1	87.7	-8.6	-11.2	0.0
	Mar	524,521.2	1,283,987.1	759,465.9	1,808,508.3	1,031,848.3	252,138.8	-	71.0	80.4	7.6	1.7	0.0
	Apr	730,739.5	1,512,888.3	782,148.8	2,243,627.9	1,115,864.8	397,023.5	285,003.3	67.4	73.8	39.3	17.8	18.8
	May	678,090.4	1,589,360.8	911,270.4	2,267,451.2	1,073,316.0	516,044.8	218,825.3	70.1	67.5	-7.2	5.1	13.8
	Jun	568,407.9	1,579,906.6	1,011,498.7	2,148,314.5	1,079,579.8	500,326.8	222,355.1	73.5	68.3	-16.2	-0.6	14.1
	Jul	673,988.1	1,290,315.8	616,327.7	1,964,303.9	981,824.2	308,491.6	44,494.7	65.7	76.1	18.6	-18.3	3.4
	Aug	566,877.9	2,290,965.3	1,724,087.4	2,857,843.3	1,181,239.2	1,109,726.2	57,211.4	80.2	51.6	-15.9	77.6	2.5
	Sep	579,789.9	1,116,563.1	536,773.2	1,696,353.0	986,267.5	130,295.6	39,013.8	65.8	88.3	2.3	-51.3	3.5
	Oct	753,945.6	1,031,550.9	277,605.3	1,785,496.4	816,104.7	215,446.2	115,365.9	57.8	79.1	30.0	-7.6	11.2
	Nov	602,961.9	950,874.1	347,912.2	1,553,836.1	783,094.0	167,780.1	62,095.5	61.2	82.4	-20.0	-7.8	6.5
	Dec	674,124.7	972,137.5	298,012.8	1,646,262.2	640,288.7	331,848.9	74,881.4	59.1	65.9	11.8	2.2	7.7
2015	Jan	537,189.8	694,013.4	156,823.6	1,231,203.2	505,897.9	188,115.6	76,237.9	56.4	72.9	-20.3	-28.6	11.0
	Feb	552,385.0	1,164,159.2	611,774.2	1,716,544.2	591,964.0	572,195.2	214,487.0	67.8	50.8	2.8	67.7	18.4
	Mar	638,102.9	806,887.1	168,784.2	1,444,990.0	577,361.3	229,525.8	62,035.8	55.8	71.6	15.5	-30.7	7.7
	Apr	562,779.9	840,736.8	277,956.9	1,403,516.7	698,387.3	142,349.5	41,378.1	59.9	83.1	-11.8	4.2	4.9
	May	536,566.3	820,187.4	283,621.0	1,356,753.7	668,526.5	151,660.9	55,051.6	60.5	81.5	-4.7	-2.4	6.7
	Jun	606,329.6	992,866.2	386,536.6	1,599,195.8	617,363.8	375,502.4	270,453.1	62.1	62.2	13.0	21.1	27.2
	Jul	624,885.9	880,515.5	255,629.6	1,505,401.4	572,813.2	307,702.3	97,203.3	58.5	65.1	3.1	-11.3	11.0
	Aug	580,048.8	772,218.8	192,170.0	1,352,267.6	512,822.9	259,395.9	162,057.7	57.1	66.4	-7.2	-12.3	21.0
	Sep	483,292.3	680,480.0	197,187.7	1,163,772.3	525,857.1	154,622.9	49,435.0	58.5	77.3	-16.7	-11.9	7.3
	Oct	548,109.2	714,591.6	166,482.4	1,262,700.8	559,539.1	155,052.5	49,599.6	56.6	78.3	13.4	5.0	6.9
	Nov	520,887.4	654,051.2	133,163.7	1,174,938.6	516,815.0	137,236.1	38,673.2	55.7	79.0	-5.0	-8.5	5.9
	Dec	507,388.9	572,334.8	64,945.9	1,079,723.7	462,192.2	110,142.6	46,711.4	53.0	80.8	-2.6	-12.5	8.2
2016	Jan	623,042.3	469,879.8	-153,162.5	1,092,922.0	354,609.9	115,269.9	26,418.9	43.0	75.5	22.8	-17.9	5.6
	Feb	517,790.5	428,255.5	-89,535.0	946,046.1	338,757.6	89,497.9	25,119.5	45.3	79.1	-16.9	-8.9	5.9
	Mar	530,548.7	537,810.1	7,261.5	1,068,358.8	434,751.4	103,058.8	25,453.4	50.3	80.8	2.5	25.6	4.7
	Apr	751,611.2	560,106.2	-191,505.0	1,311,717.5	464,987.7	95,118.5	20,996.1	42.7	83.0	41.7	4.1	3.7
	May	695,140.2	590,765.0	-104,375.1	1,285,905.2	494,715.8	96,049.3	18,918.6	45.9	83.7	-7.5	5.5	3.2
	Jun	825,559.1	637,200.5	-188,358.6	1,462,759.5	525,859.2	111,341.3	22,767.2	43.6	82.5	18.8	7.9	3.6
	Jul	747,183.4	702,722.7	-44,460.7	1,449,906.1	579,967.6	122,755.1	22,104.4	48.5	82.5	-9.5	10.3	3.1
	Aug	890,820.1	858,374.7	-32,445.4	1,749,194.9	730,645.9	127,728.8	30,466.6	49.1	85.1	19.2	22.1	3.5
	Sep	774,998.2	747,759.8	-27,238.3	1,522,758.0	633,373.5	114,386.3	22,494.5	49.1	84.7	-13.0	-12.9	3.0

Q1 &amp; Q2 2016 has been revised











Tab6 Summary of Imports by SITC ( \$'million)

	Food & live animals	Beverages & tobacco	Crude Inedible materials	Mineral fuel etc.	Oils, fats & waxes	Chemicals & related products	Manufactured goods	Machinery & transport equipment	Miscellaneous manufactures articles	Commodities s.n.e.s.	Total
2013 Jan-Dec	676,913.5	242,943.0	213,376.7	264,852.5	25,439.5	680,281.9	719,030.4	1,584,177.4	200,261.9	2,408,537.9	7,015,814.7
2014 Jan-Dec	1,120,401.6	47,381.7	93,659.5	1,201,996.9	81,926.8	914,123.3	1,094,905.4	2,563,968.7	255,996.9	9.8	7,374,370.5
2015 Jan-Dec	1,006,463.1	34,117.8	108,577.6	1,239,324.6	68,823.4	873,046.1	919,021.9	2,170,774.4	277,814.4	2.6	6,697,965.9
2016 YTD	732,036.6	33,234.2	85,442.7	1,677,455.6	33,686.3	787,725.9	612,053.0	2,150,936.2	244,119.9	3.2	6,356,693.6
2013 Q1	85,379.4	7,314.3	138,173.7	15,360.4	1,985.1	82,572.2	122,024.3	259,436.2	39,846.9	894,651.5	1,646,744.1
Q2	144,549.4	6,655.2	12,208.2	14,241.8	1,159.5	218,292.6	160,028.1	267,162.7	38,189.1	735,751.3	1,598,237.9
Q3	196,083.2	215,543.8	43,972.5	16,504.6	1,058.9	190,123.4	182,414.4	412,410.9	48,522.9	778,135.0	2,084,769.6
Q4	250,901.6	13,429.7	19,022.3	218,745.7	21,236.0	189,293.6	254,563.5	645,167.8	73,702.9	0.0	1,686,063.1
2014 Q1	208,484.2	8,878.2	18,768.7	237,257.1	14,284.2	200,938.3	244,827.6	563,742.9	48,262.3	1.0	1,545,444.6
Q2	282,206.5	13,859.2	23,279.7	368,553.5	27,215.1	271,251.8	272,588.9	650,609.4	67,671.6	2.1	1,977,237.8
Q3	304,646.4	11,911.7	25,202.7	268,046.9	20,149.8	233,800.5	286,455.0	606,375.9	64,060.6	6.5	1,820,655.9
Q4	325,064.5	12,732.5	26,408.4	328,139.4	20,277.6	208,132.6	291,033.9	743,240.5	76,002.5	0.3	2,031,032.2
2015 Q1	244,837.0	9,731.1	23,474.8	288,871.4	15,391.1	211,656.5	258,540.3	607,772.7	67,402.7	0.0	1,727,677.7
Q2	264,729.2	8,018.9	28,271.4	389,257.5	21,543.7	216,773.3	206,877.3	499,962.4	70,242.1	0.0	1,705,675.8
Q3	298,213.9	8,249.4	31,363.5	250,329.7	17,984.7	222,549.2	235,751.9	550,519.2	73,265.4	0.0	1,688,226.9
Q4	198,683.1	8,118.2	25,467.9	310,866.0	13,903.9	222,067.1	217,852.3	512,520.2	66,904.2	2.6	1,576,385.5
2016 Q1	189,308.8	8,985.0	21,592.1	435,555.8	12,134.1	214,790.5	187,994.7	525,565.5	75,453.7	1.1	1,671,381.4
Q2	208,620.1	10,237.5	26,714.1	510,507.5	14,509.1	224,524.5	180,835.5	1,019,622.9	76,739.1	0.3	2,272,310.5
Q3	334,107.7	14,011.7	37,136.5	731,392.3	7,043.1	348,410.9	243,222.9	605,747.8	91,927.0	1.8	2,413,001.7
2013 Jan	41,434.6	1,869.3	3,262.3	6,477.5	1,568.2	44,808.3	42,795.9	86,710.0	11,252.6	358,536.4	598,715.0
Feb	31,534.4	2,461.2	132,441.2	8,818.8	186.8	23,459.7	24,480.6	39,522.8	6,601.7	338,646.3	608,153.5
Mar	12,410.4	2,983.8	2,470.2	64.1	230.1	14,304.2	54,747.8	133,203.4	21,992.7	197,468.8	439,875.6
Apr	73,944.4	1,792.8	3,689.7	7,480.0	298.3	64,363.7	45,754.3	88,632.6	9,661.4	248,557.6	544,174.8
May	47,589.3	2,488.7	5,121.8	6,155.4	348.0	65,793.8	49,569.7	109,036.5	10,588.8	219,588.3	516,280.3
Jun	23,015.7	2,373.7	3,396.7	606.4	513.2	88,135.1	64,704.1	69,493.5	17,939.0	267,605.4	537,782.9
Jul	45,757.8	211,891.4	32,869.7	5,799.1	194.7	65,127.1	64,708.8	151,494.5	17,691.9	287,249.5	882,784.6
Aug	78,402.0	1,687.4	3,529.7	6,190.5	586.4	65,971.5	63,040.7	143,702.8	14,343.2	290,821.2	668,275.6
Sep	71,923.3	1,964.9	7,573.0	4,514.9	277.8	59,024.8	54,664.9	117,213.6	16,487.9	200,064.3	533,709.4
Oct	79,614.9	3,971.6	6,064.9	70,612.8	6,373.2	62,648.8	90,202.7	197,217.4	20,362.7	0.0	537,068.9
Nov	91,922.9	4,979.3	5,549.0	126,057.8	6,391.1	63,758.3	82,437.8	181,315.6	17,943.2	0.0	580,354.9
Dec	79,363.8	4,478.9	7,408.4	22,075.1	8,471.8	62,886.5	81,923.1	266,634.8	35,397.0	0.0	568,639.4
2014 Jan	63,385.7	4,525.4	7,389.6	70,857.5	3,747.3	68,296.8	86,647.9	208,973.5	19,546.3	0.0	533,370.1
Feb	61,685.5	2,382.1	5,183.4	76,838.4	6,410.4	62,115.9	79,875.9	178,701.9	14,358.7	1.0	487,553.3
Mar	83,413.1	1,970.7	6,195.7	89,561.1	4,126.5	70,525.5	78,303.8	176,067.5	14,357.3	0.0	524,521.2
Apr	110,122.7	4,773.5	7,912.4	193,114.0	13,721.2	90,572.4	85,316.0	201,604.7	23,602.6	0.0	730,739.5
May	96,835.3	4,710.8	7,235.7	143,654.6	5,201.6	86,976.0	97,230.7	211,871.3	24,374.5	0.0	678,090.4
Jun	75,248.5	4,374.9	8,131.6	31,784.9	8,292.3	93,703.4	90,042.3	237,133.4	19,694.5	2.0	568,407.9
Jul	81,402.2	3,561.6	8,814.3	166,492.1	6,745.5	83,404.9	102,361.8	201,195.2	20,010.6	0.0	673,988.1
Aug	90,823.7	4,339.5	7,594.8	56,580.9	5,312.3	78,339.1	94,559.2	206,273.3	23,048.6	6.5	566,877.9
Sep	132,420.4	4,010.6	8,793.6	44,974.0	8,092.0	72,056.5	89,534.1	198,907.4	21,001.3	0.0	579,789.9
Oct	118,509.3	3,867.2	8,951.1	120,480.9	8,570.4	71,847.9	88,331.7	302,187.3	31,199.4	0.3	753,945.6
Nov	107,255.0	4,266.0	7,895.2	133,275.9	5,363.1	60,442.0	71,941.7	192,723.6	19,799.4	0.0	602,961.9
Dec	99,300.2	4,599.3	9,562.1	74,382.6	6,344.1	75,842.7	130,760.5	248,329.6	25,003.7	0.0	674,124.7
2015 Jan	78,348.6	3,999.2	6,961.6	49,200.6	4,783.7	70,278.8	91,230.8	210,920.2	21,466.3	0.0	537,189.8
Feb	71,815.3	3,276.5	5,992.8	105,973.8	5,477.5	61,444.8	81,972.7	191,967.3	24,464.2	0.0	552,385.0
Mar	94,673.0	2,455.5	10,520.4	133,697.0	5,129.9	79,932.9	85,336.8	204,885.2	21,472.2	0.0	638,102.9
Apr	77,088.1	2,565.8	9,112.4	139,237.0	8,210.9	73,466.3	64,371.9	169,758.2	18,969.4	0.0	562,779.9
May	75,917.0	3,446.4	8,472.5	133,793.5	4,255.2	63,994.4	63,521.1	164,850.4	18,316.0	0.0	536,566.3
Jun	111,724.1	2,006.8	10,686.5	116,227.0	9,077.6	79,312.7	78,984.3	165,353.8	32,956.7	0.0	606,329.6
Jul	99,131.8	1,606.8	9,292.8	134,140.9	5,762.2	78,327.6	74,454.7	192,694.4	29,474.6	0.0	624,885.9
Aug	105,086.4	3,892.5	11,456.4	85,451.6	7,236.3	73,820.2	76,877.8	191,426.6	24,801.0	0.0	580,048.8
Sep	93,995.7	2,750.1	10,614.3	30,737.2	4,986.2	70,401.5	84,419.3	166,398.1	18,989.8	0.0	483,292.3
Oct	75,518.7	3,898.8	10,277.4	68,083.2	3,454.8	81,541.2	80,489.3	197,909.9	26,934.6	1.4	548,109.2
Nov	62,800.6	2,038.0	8,112.3	120,519.4	5,390.1	68,502.4	67,186.9	165,739.1	20,597.5	1.2	520,887.4
Dec	60,363.7	2,181.5	7,078.2	122,263.3	5,059.0	72,023.5	70,176.2	148,871.2	19,372.1	0.0	507,388.9
2016 Jan	76,665.1	2,742.9	8,501.5	170,375.9	7,497.1	86,609.4	69,766.8	172,778.3	28,105.3	0.0	623,042.3
Feb	52,631.1	3,331.0	6,283.4	125,380.0	3,296.9	64,165.6	63,828.4	174,938.0	23,935.0	1.1	517,790.5
Mar	60,012.5	2,911.1	6,807.3	139,800.0	1,340.0	64,015.6	54,399.5	177,849.2	23,413.4	0.0	530,548.7
Apr	67,354.4	3,850.7	8,675.8	178,038.6	4,396.8	69,935.1	58,804.2	330,917.8	29,637.7	0.3	751,611.2
May	63,415.8	2,237.0	8,149.7	152,204.4	1,528.8	65,080.0	48,346.4	336,248.4	17,929.9	0.0	695,140.2
Jun	77,850.0	4,149.8	9,888.6	180,264.5	8,583.6	89,509.4	73,684.9	352,456.8	29,171.6	0.0	825,559.1
Jul	95,300.3	4,137.4	10,189.1	261,185.7	1,158.8	101,641.1	73,280.7	169,094.7	31,195.6	0.0	747,183.4
Aug	123,666.0	5,331.2	15,127.9	262,493.2	3,316.4	135,158.4	86,894.8	226,681.7	32,150.6	0.0	890,820.1
Sep	115,141.3	4,543.1	11,819.5	207,713.5	2,567.9	111,611.5	83,047.4	209,971.4	28,580.9	1.7	774,998.2



**Tab7 Imports Classified by Broad Economic Categories (BEC) (₹'million)**

	2013	2014	2015	2016 YTD	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016
<b>a. Value (₹ million)</b>								
<b>1 Food and Beverage</b>	<b>684,815.8</b>	<b>1,204,945.4</b>	<b>1,091,066.3</b>	<b>766,606.7</b>	<b>193,427.5</b>	<b>324,567.2</b>	<b>322,789.8</b>	<b>337,515.0</b>
<b>11 Primary</b>	<b>282,754.9</b>	<b>364,299.5</b>	<b>451,473.3</b>	<b>352,172.1</b>	<b>64,786.0</b>	<b>92,878.6</b>	<b>175,078.6</b>	<b>151,987.5</b>
111 Mainly for industry	213,374.2	286,708.4	263,014.3	205,238.5	61,914.5	72,065.5	80,211.2	86,994.4
112 Mainly for household consumption	69,380.7	77,591.1	188,459.0	146,933.6	2,871.5	20,813.1	94,867.4	64,993.2
<b>12 Processed</b>	<b>402,060.9</b>	<b>840,645.9</b>	<b>639,593.0</b>	<b>414,434.6</b>	<b>128,641.5</b>	<b>231,688.5</b>	<b>147,711.2</b>	<b>185,527.4</b>
121 Mainly for industry	207,940.0	356,085.1	289,222.1	225,126.8	88,404.2	96,629.9	71,524.8	104,219.5
122 Mainly for household consumption	194,120.9	484,560.8	350,370.8	189,307.7	40,237.3	135,058.7	76,186.5	81,307.9
<b>2 Industrial Supplies (nec) 1/</b>	<b>1,691,756.1</b>	<b>1,988,694.0</b>	<b>1,824,114.7</b>	<b>1,443,895.7</b>	<b>494,226.5</b>	<b>509,414.4</b>	<b>470,312.6</b>	<b>611,617.5</b>
21 Primary	260,478.4	88,877.7	76,972.0	82,222.0	87,026.5	24,027.2	22,050.9	35,894.9
22 Processed	1,431,277.7	1,899,816.4	1,747,142.7	1,361,673.7	407,200.0	485,387.1	448,261.7	575,722.6
<b>3 Fuels and lubricants</b>	<b>1,144,334.4</b>	<b>1,129,401.0</b>	<b>1,210,675.2</b>	<b>1,655,755.4</b>	<b>274,111.7</b>	<b>251,642.6</b>	<b>244,000.7</b>	<b>725,118.5</b>
<b>31 Primary</b>	<b>109.8</b>	<b>1,961.3</b>	<b>4,191.8</b>	<b>10,943.7</b>	<b>67.5</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>2,658.4</b>	<b>5,296.0</b>
<b>32 Processed</b>	<b>1,144,224.5</b>	<b>1,127,439.7</b>	<b>1,206,483.4</b>	<b>1,644,811.7</b>	<b>274,044.3</b>	<b>251,625.3</b>	<b>241,342.3</b>	<b>719,822.5</b>
321 Motor spirit	1,141,604.5	1,034,959.7	1,138,120.8	1,024,002.8	272,719.6	227,432.7	220,602.6	444,525.9
322 Other	2,620.1	92,480.0	68,362.7	620,808.9	1,324.6	24,192.5	20,739.7	275,296.6
<b>4 Capital Goods and parts of 2/</b>	<b>1,116,834.7</b>	<b>1,657,358.9</b>	<b>1,516,656.0</b>	<b>1,521,039.7</b>	<b>298,999.6</b>	<b>380,442.2</b>	<b>398,742.0</b>	<b>460,563.9</b>
41 Capital goods	731,164.4	1,261,402.1	1,061,103.3	1,100,943.4	178,916.7	274,248.5	281,245.1	337,195.0
42 Parts and accessories	385,670.3	395,956.8	455,552.8	420,096.3	120,083.0	106,193.7	117,497.0	123,368.9
<b>5 Transport Equipment and parts</b>	<b>478,670.0</b>	<b>887,959.7</b>	<b>634,294.8</b>	<b>672,242.8</b>	<b>93,458.3</b>	<b>219,614.1</b>	<b>160,772.3</b>	<b>162,000.9</b>
<b>51 Passenger motor cars</b>	<b>97,755.5</b>	<b>288,289.3</b>	<b>154,906.9</b>	<b>115,734.0</b>	<b>18,908.8</b>	<b>73,514.7</b>	<b>33,696.6</b>	<b>47,325.8</b>
<b>52 Other</b>	<b>151,578.6</b>	<b>375,625.2</b>	<b>300,460.6</b>	<b>269,423.3</b>	<b>19,698.8</b>	<b>84,074.2</b>	<b>81,439.3</b>	<b>56,349.7</b>
521 Industrial	113,147.9	201,353.0	165,645.7	154,705.4	18,511.6	43,671.0	45,755.4	31,472.3
522 Non-industrial	38,430.8	174,272.1	134,814.9	114,717.9	1,187.2	40,403.2	35,683.9	24,877.5
<b>53 Parts and accessories</b>	<b>229,335.9</b>	<b>224,045.2</b>	<b>178,927.3</b>	<b>287,085.5</b>	<b>54,850.7</b>	<b>62,025.2</b>	<b>45,636.3</b>	<b>58,325.3</b>
<b>6 Consumer Goods (nec)</b>	<b>464,241.6</b>	<b>499,244.4</b>	<b>398,786.7</b>	<b>283,962.3</b>	<b>256,513.1</b>	<b>130,780.6</b>	<b>91,479.8</b>	<b>116,123.5</b>
61 Durable	62,533.8	186,724.8	110,731.9	50,381.7	12,915.5	54,735.6	23,010.5	19,864.7
62 Semi-durable	78,254.9	100,015.2	87,780.8	61,237.7	12,042.1	25,963.2	21,653.3	26,307.1
63 Non-durable	323,452.9	212,504.4	200,274.0	172,343.0	231,555.6	50,081.7	46,816.0	69,951.7
<b>7 Goods not elsewhere specified</b>	<b>1,435,162.1</b>	<b>6,767.1</b>	<b>22,372.3</b>	<b>13,191.0</b>	<b>474,032.8</b>	<b>4,194.8</b>	<b>129.6</b>	<b>62.4</b>
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>7,015,814.7</b>	<b>7,374,370.5</b>	<b>6,697,965.9</b>	<b>6,356,693.3</b>	<b>2,084,769.5</b>	<b>1,820,655.9</b>	<b>1,688,226.9</b>	<b>2,413,001.7</b>
<b>b. Proportion/Share of Total</b>								
<b>1 Food and Beverage</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>17.8</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>14.0</b>
<b>11 Primary</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>6.3</b>
111 Mainly for industry	3.0	3.9	3.9	3.2	3.0	4.0	4.8	3.6
112 Mainly for household consumption	1.0	1.1	2.8	2.3	0.1	1.1	5.6	2.7
<b>12 Processed</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>7.7</b>
121 Mainly for industry	3.0	4.8	4.3	3.5	4.2	5.3	4.2	4.3
122 Mainly for household consumption	2.8	6.6	5.2	3.0	1.9	7.4	4.5	3.4
<b>2 Industrial Supplies (nec) 1/</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>25.3</b>
21 Primary	3.7	1.2	1.1	1.3	4.2	1.3	1.3	1.5
<b>22 Processed</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>25.8</b>	<b>26.1</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>26.7</b>	<b>26.6</b>	<b>23.9</b>
<b>3 Fuels and lubricants</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>18.1</b>	<b>26.0</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>30.1</b>
<b>31 Primary</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.2</b>
<b>32 Processed</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>29.8</b>
321 Motor spirit	16.3	14.0	17.0	16.1	13.1	12.5	13.1	18.4
322 Other	0.0	1.3	1.0	9.8	0.1	1.3	1.2	11.4
<b>4 Capital Goods and parts of 2/</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>22.6</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>19.1</b>
41 Capital goods	10.4	17.1	15.8	17.3	8.6	15.1	16.7	14.0
<b>42 Parts and accessories</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>5.1</b>
<b>5 Transport Equipment and parts</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>6.7</b>
<b>51 Passenger motor cars</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<b>52 Other</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>2.3</b>
521 Industrial	1.6	2.7	2.5	2.4	0.9	2.4	2.7	1.3
522 Non-industrial	0.5	2.4	2.0	1.8	0.1	2.2	2.1	1.0
<b>53 Parts and accessories</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.4</b>
<b>6 Consumer Goods (nec)</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>4.8</b>
61 Durable	0.9	2.5	1.7	0.8	0.6	3.0	1.4	0.8
62 Semi-durable	1.1	1.4	1.3	1.0	0.6	1.4	1.3	1.1
63 Non-durable	4.6	2.9	3.0	2.7	11.1	2.8	2.8	2.9
<b>7 Goods not elsewhere specified</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
1/ nec: Not elsewhere classified or specified								
2/ Capital Goods (except for transport equipment) and parts etc.								