

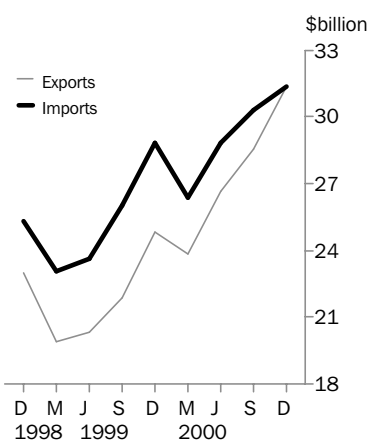


# INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

AUSTRALIA

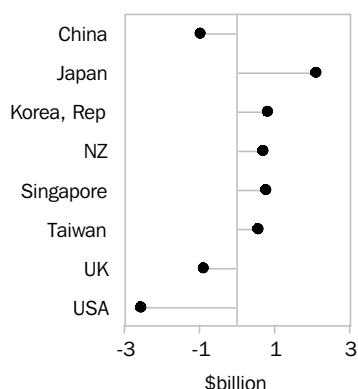
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## Exports and imports



## Balance by country

December quarter 2000



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## DECEMBER QTR KEY FIGURES

	\$m	% change Sep Qtr 2000 to Dec Qtr 2000	% change Dec Qtr 1999 to Dec Qtr 2000
Merchandise exports	31 369	9.9	26.3
Merchandise imports	31 376	3.5	8.8

## DECEMBER QTR KEY POINTS

### BY COUNTRY

- Japan, surplus up 27% to \$2,152 million
- UK, deficit up 70% to \$916 million
- USA, deficit down 10% to \$2,590 million

### BY COMMODITY

#### MAJOR EXPORTS

- Crude petroleum oils, up 26% to \$2,419 million
- Wool (including fleece - washed wool), up 54% to \$713 million
- Milk and cream, up 82% to \$550 million

#### MAJOR IMPORTS

- Crude petroleum oils, up 21% to \$2,332 million
- Aircraft, up 25% to \$841 million
- Telecommunications equipment, up 10% to \$1,851 million
- Apparel and clothing accessories, down 18% to \$731 million

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## FORTHCOMING ISSUES

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## CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE

This issue contains two feature articles. *Major Commodities Traded by Australia, 1991 to 2000* analyses the major export and import commodities over the past decade. *Revision to the Harmonized System, 2002* discusses the changes which will be introduced to the underlying import and export classifications on 1 January 2002.

## REVISIONS

Revisions since the last issue of this publication have:

- increased total exports for the September quarter by \$37 million, and increased total exports for the year ended September 2000 by \$47 million;
- decreased total imports for the September quarter by \$82 million, and decreased total imports for the September year by \$137 million;
- these movements combined to decrease the merchandise trade deficit by \$118 million in September quarter 2000, and decreased the trade deficit for the year ended September 2000 by \$183 million.

Dennis Trewin  
Australian Statistician

# QUARTERLY ANALYSIS AND COMMENTS

## EXCESS OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTS OR IMPORTS

In the December quarter 2000 merchandise imports exceeded merchandise exports by \$7 million. This was the lowest excess of imports over exports since the December quarter 1997 when there was a surplus of exports over imports of \$44 million. The excess of imports over exports has been declining since September 1999 when it was \$4,122 million.

Australia's eight major trading partners received 62% of Australia's exports and provided 60% of Australia's imports. Overall, Australia had a surplus of \$747 million with these countries, compared to a deficit of \$219 million in the September quarter 2000.

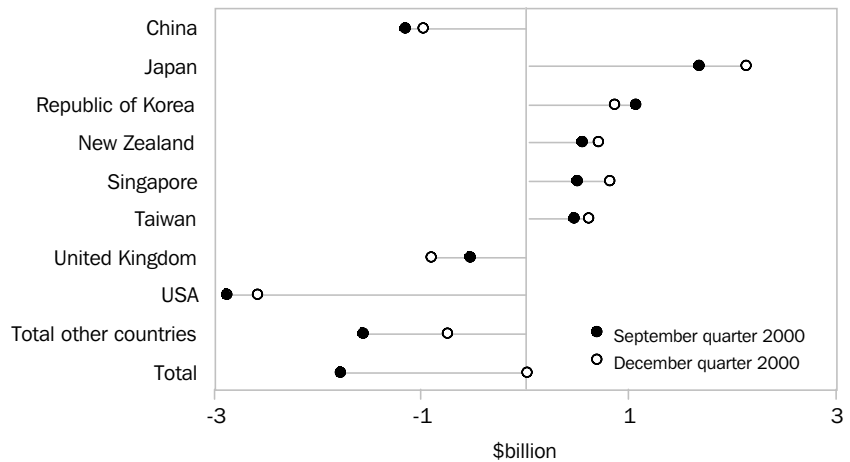
Surpluses were recorded with:

- Japan, up \$459 million (27%) to \$2,152 million;
- Republic of Korea, down \$195 million (17%) to \$891 million;
- Singapore, up \$312 million (59%) to \$841 million;
- New Zealand, up \$160 million (28%) to \$733 million; and,
- Taiwan, up \$143 million (29%) to \$633 million.

Deficits were recorded with:

- USA, down \$299 million (10%) to \$2,590 million;
- China, down \$166 million (14%) to \$997 million; and,
- UK, up \$378 million (70%) to \$916 million.

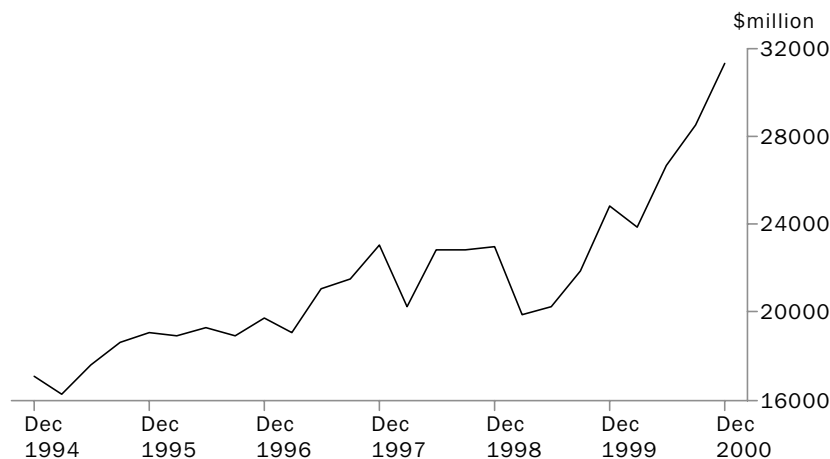
AUSTRALIA'S QUARTERLY TRADE WITH MAJOR COUNTRIES, Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)



MERCHANDISE EXPORTS

Merchandise exports for December quarter 2000 were \$31,369 million, up \$2,832 million or 10% on the previous quarter. The value of exports has been increasing since the March quarter 2000 when it was \$23,876 million.

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS



The export commodity groups recording significant increases on the previous quarter were:

- *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials*, up \$754 million (12%), due mainly to increased exports of Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials;
- *Crude materials, inedible except fuels*, up \$562 million (10%), due mainly to increases in Metalliferous ores and metal scrap, and Textile fibres and their wastes;
- *Food and live animals*, up \$396 million (8%), due mainly to an increase in Dairy products and birds' eggs; and,
- *Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material*, up \$344 million (10%), due mainly to an increase in Non-ferrous metals.

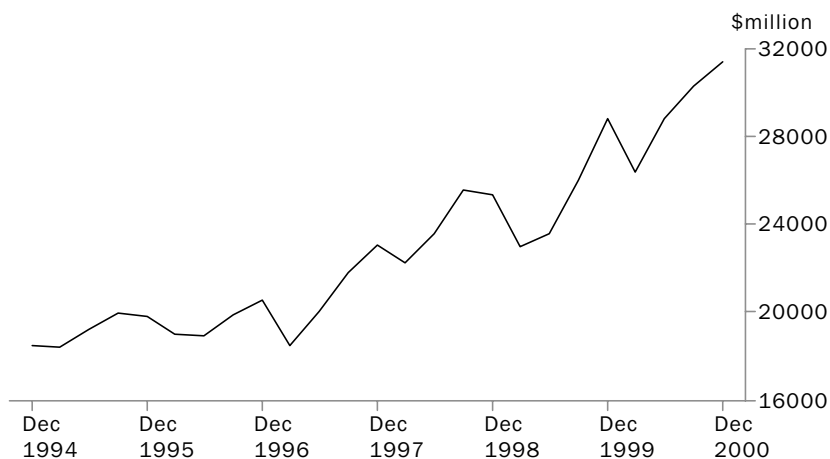
The destinations receiving increased Australian exports from the previous quarter were:

- China, up \$352 million (24%) to \$1,790 million;
- Singapore, up \$290 million (19%) to \$1,787 million;
- USA, up \$260 million (9%) to \$3,122 million;
- Japan, up \$177 million (3%) to \$6,119 million;
- Canada, up \$174 million (48%) to \$533 million;
- Taiwan, up \$155 million (11%) to \$1,573 million;
- Italy, up \$154 million (36%) to \$578 million; and,
- Indonesia, up \$145 million (20%) to \$882 million.

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS

Merchandise imports increased to \$31,376 million in the December quarter 2000, up \$1,052 million or 3% from September 2000 quarter. Imports have grown every quarter since the March quarter 1999, except for the customary large seasonal fall in the March quarter 2000.

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS



The import commodity groups recording significant increases during the December quarter 2000 were:

- *Machinery and transport equipment*, up \$580 million (4%) to \$14,614 million with increases in Telecommunications and sound recording equipment and Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances and parts, partially offset by a fall in Office machines and data processing machines;
- *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials*, up \$349 million (14%) to \$2,875 million. There was an increase in Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials, up \$372 million (15%). However, the other sub-classes, Gas, natural and manufactured and Coal, coke and briquettes, both recorded decreases; and,
- *Food and live animals*, up \$84 million (8%) to \$1,117 million, due mainly to increases in Vegetables and fruit and Fish, crustaceans, molluscs, and aquatic invertebrates, and parts thereof.

The sources that significantly increased their contribution to Australia's imports were:

- Republic of Korea, up \$314 million (28%) to \$1,447 million;
- United Kingdom, up \$289 million (19%) to \$1,828 million;
- United Arab Emirates, up \$232 million (87%) to \$498 million;
- China, up \$186 million (7%) to \$2,787 million; and,
- Viet Nam, up \$111 million (20%) to \$673 million.

A number of sources had decreases, including:

- Japan, down \$283 million (7%) to \$3,967 million; and,
- Malaysia, down \$100 million (8%) to \$1,115 million.

# ANNUAL ANALYSIS AND COMMENTS

## EXCESS OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTS OR IMPORTS

For calendar year 2000, merchandise imports exceeded merchandise exports by \$6,456 million, a decrease of \$8,168 million (56%) from the deficit recorded for 1999.

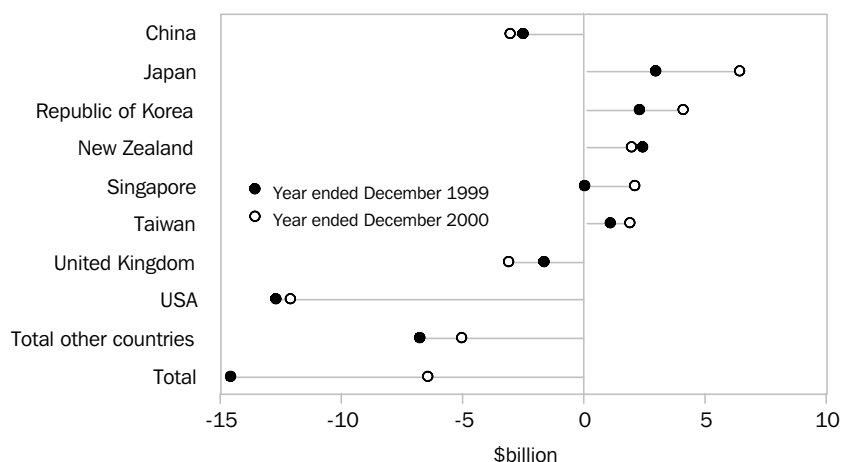
Australia's trade with its major trading partners produced deficits with:

- USA, down \$566 million (4%) to \$12,163 million;
- United Kingdom, up \$1,479 million (89%) to \$3,148 million; and,
- China, up \$536 million (21%) to \$3,058 million.

Surpluses were recorded with:

- Japan, up \$3,460 million (113%) to \$6,531 million;
- Republic of Korea, up \$1,796 million (76%) to \$4,172 million;
- Singapore, up \$2,264 million from a \$77 million deficit to \$2,187 million;
- New Zealand, down \$494 million (19%) to \$2,072 million; and,
- Taiwan, up \$850 million (72%) to \$2,025 million.

AUSTRALIA'S ANNUAL TRADE WITH MAJOR COUNTRIES, Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)



## MERCHANDISE EXPORTS

Merchandise exports for calendar year 2000 were \$110,465 million, up \$23,572 million, or 27% on 1999.

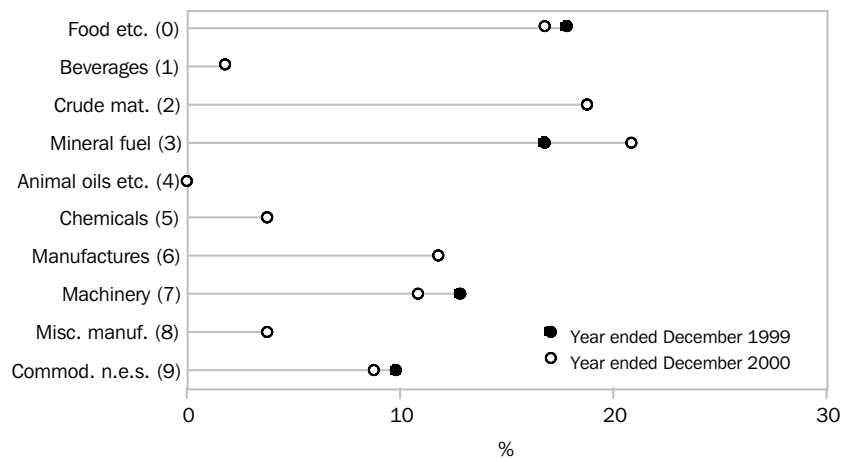
The export commodity groups recording significant increases were:

- *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials*, up \$8,648 million (60%) to \$23,110 million. This increase was due mainly to Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials, up \$6,351 million or 152%, and Gas, natural and manufactured, up \$1,348 million (72%);
- *Crude materials, inedible, except fuels*, up \$4,604 million (28%) to \$21,271 million, due mainly to Metalliferous ores and metal scrap, and Textile fibres and their wastes;
- *Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material*, up \$2,888 million (27%) to \$13,568 million, due mainly to Non-ferrous metals;
- *Food and live animals*, up \$2,759 million (17%) to \$18,635 million, due mainly to Meat and meat preparations, and Dairy products and birds' eggs; and,
- *Machinery and transport equipment*, up \$1,481 million (13%) to \$10,988 million, due mainly to Road vehicles.

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS

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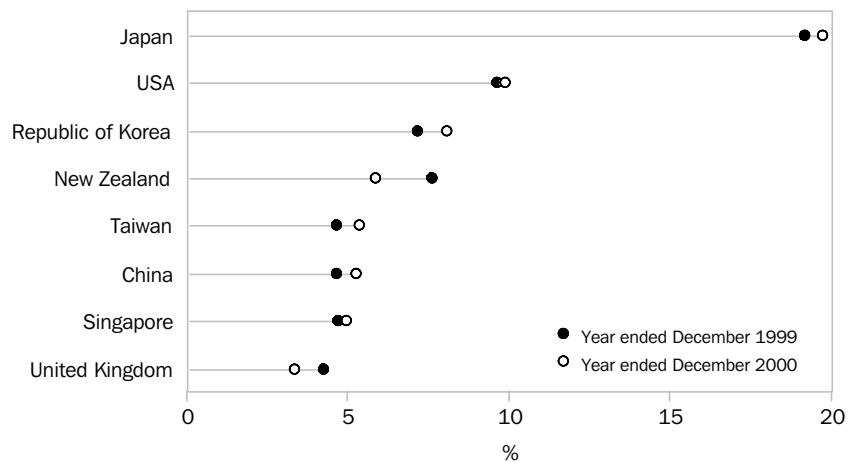
COMMODITY COMPOSITION (SITC SECTION) OF EXPORTS



Australia's major export destinations for the year ended December 2000 were:

- Japan, up \$5,140 million (31%) to \$21,847 million;
- USA, up \$2,554 million (30%) to \$10,965 million;
- Republic of Korea, up \$2,695 million (43%) to \$8,975 million;
- New Zealand, down \$120 million (2%) to \$6,554 million;
- China, up \$1,925 million (47%) to \$6,016 million;
- Singapore, up \$1,825 million (45%) to \$5,906 million.
- Taiwan, up \$1,386 million (33%) to \$5,549 million;
- United Kingdom, up \$15 million (1%) to \$3,753 million;
- Hong Kong, up \$552 million (18%) to \$3,572 million; and,
- Indonesia, up \$744 million (35%) to \$2,890 million ;

COUNTRY COMPOSITION OF EXPORTS



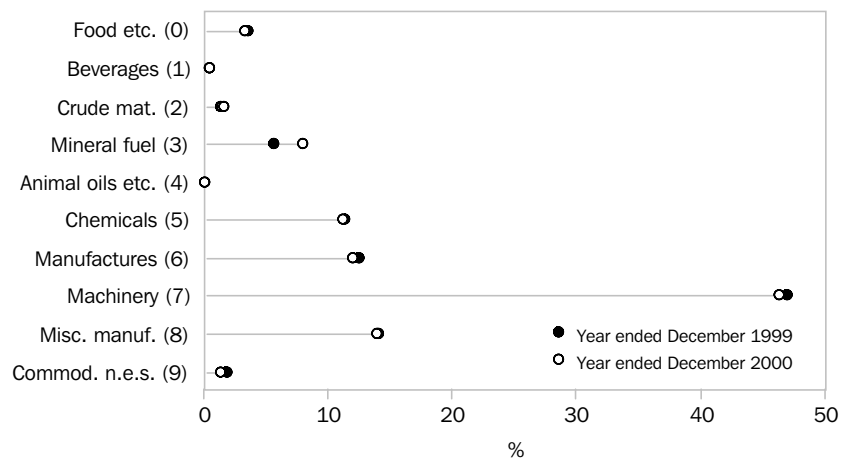
MERCHANDISE IMPORTS

Merchandise imports for the year ended December 2000 were \$116,920 million, up \$15,403 million (15%) on the previous year.

There were increases in most import commodity groups. The most significant increases were:

- *Machinery and transport equipment*, up \$6,624 million (14%) to \$54,425 million. There were large increases in Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment, Road vehicles, and Office machines and data processing machines;
- *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials*, up \$3,591 million (61%) to \$9,501 million, with Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials accounting for most of this increase;
- *Chemicals and related products*, up \$1,547 million (13%) to \$13,314 million, due mainly to Medicinal and pharmaceutical products; and,
- *Manufactured goods chiefly classified by material*, up \$1,243 million to \$14,171 million.

COMMODITY COMPOSITION (SITC SECTION) OF IMPORTS



Australia's major import sources for the year ended December 2000 were:

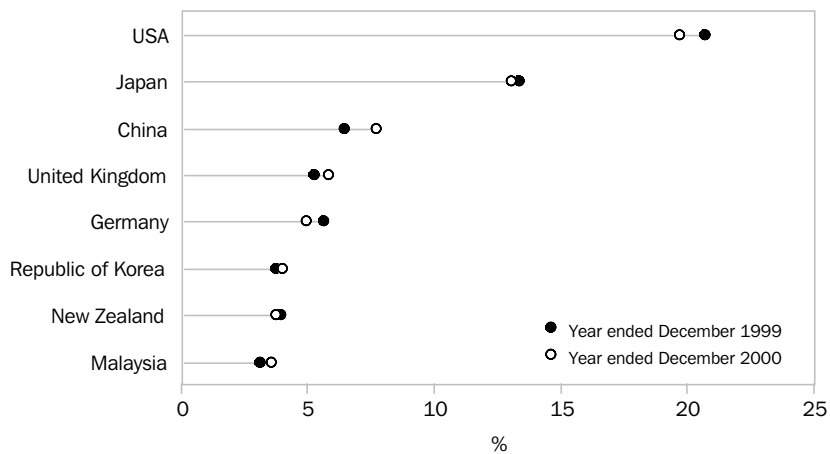
- USA, up \$1,988 million (9%) to \$23,128 million;
- Japan, up \$1,680 million (12%) to \$15,316 million;
- China, up \$2,461 million (37%) to \$9,074 million;
- United Kingdom, up \$1,494 million (28%) to \$6,901 million;
- Germany, up \$54 million (1%) to \$5,882 million;
- Republic of Korea, up \$899 million (23%) to \$4,803 million;
- New Zealand, up \$375 million (9%) to \$4,483 million;
- Malaysia, up \$1,029 million (32%) to \$4,269 million;
- Singapore, down \$440 million (11%) to \$3,719 million; and,
- Taiwan, up \$535 million (18%) to \$3,524 million.



**MERCHANDISE IMPORTS**

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**COUNTRY COMPOSITION OF IMPORTS**



## MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

### INTRODUCTION

This article examines the major commodities traded by Australia over the past decade. The article analyses trends in the trade in these commodities and assesses their relative importance.

The commodities are classified to the Standard International Trade Classification Rev. 3 (SITC Rev. 3), consistent with other commodity data included in this publication.

Value data included are in original terms and on a recorded trade basis. The series therefore reflect the influence of changes in both the quantity and price of goods traded. Tables F1.1 and F1.3 also include chain volume measures for total exports and imports, providing estimates of the changes in quantity, after the direct effects of price changes have been estimated.

For some major commodities, quantity data cannot be presented because some or all of their detailed components are recorded with different units of quantity, or none at all.

Confidentiality restrictions apply as in the rest of this publication. Where they do affect the data for the commodities selected, this is specifically noted in the text, though the impacts on the analyses are not considered to be significant.

### TOTAL EXPORTS

Table F1.1 shows the value of Australia's exports for each calendar year of the decade, classified by SITC Section, and the proportion each contributed to the total value of exports.

# FEATURE ARTICLE

## MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

### F1.1 AUSTRALIA'S MERCHANDISE EXPORTS - By Value and Percentage of total Australian Trade

SITC code and commodity	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	Change from 1991 to 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	%
0 Food and live animals (a)	9 313	10 584	12 439	13 394	13 072	15 803	17 200	15 155	15 876	18 635	100
1 Beverages and tobacco	333	378	491	533	582	738	892	1 155	1 403	1 764	430
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels (a)	13 677	13 495	12 753	13 075	14 643	15 020	17 143	17 907	16 667	21 271	56
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	10 881	11 613	11 980	10 674	11 977	13 001	14 966	15 078	14 462	23 110	112
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes (a)	136	157	212	224	256	238	270	383	324	304	124
5 Chemicals and related products, n.e.s. (a)	1 533	1 817	2 185	2 468	2 908	3 000	3 216	3 388	3 854	4 706	207
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material (a)	6 481	7 080	7 571	8 286	9 788	9 426	9 918	10 423	10 680	13 568	109
7 Machinery and transport equipment	4 867	5 719	7 018	7 603	9 164	9 957	11 323	10 653	10 988	12 469	156
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1 428	1 777	1 998	2 233	2 495	2 812	3 054	3 344	3 624	4 161	191
9 Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC (b)	5 072	5 758	6 092	6 287	6 786	6 988	6 807	11 496	9 015	10 478	107
<b>Total exports</b>	<b>53 720</b>	<b>58 378</b>	<b>62 739</b>	<b>64 776</b>	<b>71 671</b>	<b>76 983</b>	<b>84 790</b>	<b>88 985</b>	<b>86 893</b>	<b>110 465</b>	<b>106</b>
<b>Total exports — chain volume measures (c)</b>	<b>50 180</b>	<b>55 216</b>	<b>58 388</b>	<b>63 523</b>	<b>65 202</b>	<b>72 112</b>	<b>81 019</b>	<b>84 315</b>	<b>85 687</b>	<b>94 734</b>	<b>89</b>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
0 Food and live animals (a)	17.3	18.1	19.8	20.7	18.2	20.5	20.3	17.0	18.3	16.9	
1 Beverages and tobacco	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.6	
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels (a)	25.5	23.1	20.3	20.2	20.4	19.5	20.2	20.1	19.2	19.3	
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	20.3	19.9	19.1	16.5	16.7	16.9	17.6	16.9	16.6	20.9	
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes (a)	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	
5 Chemicals and related products, n.e.s. (a)	2.9	3.1	3.5	3.8	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.4	4.3	
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material (a)	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.8	13.7	12.2	11.7	11.7	12.3	12.3	
7 Machinery and transport equipment	9.1	9.8	11.2	11.7	12.8	12.9	13.3	12.0	12.6	11.3	
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.8	4.2	3.8	
9 Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC (b)	9.4	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.5	9.1	8.0	12.9	10.4	9.5	

(a) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in SITC 9.

(b) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction.

(c) Source of chain volume measures (CVM) is Balance of Payments, Sept. quarter 2000 (Cat. no. 5302.0). Reference year for CVM is 1998–99. CVM figures are for financial years ended in the year shown.

## MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

### TOTAL EXPORTS *continued*

Over the decade, the value of merchandise exports increased 106%. The increase in the volume of exports, after adjustment for price increases, was 89%. Three SITC Sections were the principal contributors to total exports over the decade: *Food and live animals* (SITC 0), *Crude materials, inedible, except fuels* (SITC 2) and *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials* (SITC 3).

During the decade, the contributions of *Food and live animals* (SITC 0) to total Australian exports grew, then fell, and *Crude materials, inedible, except fuels* (SITC 2) fell, while the contributions of all other SITC Sections rose, particularly for *Machinery and transport equipment* (SITC 7). The growth in value of *Beverages and tobacco* (SITC 1) of 430% is noteworthy, followed by exports of *Chemicals and related products, nes* (SITC 5), which increased 207%.

### MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES

Table F1.2 shows for nine major 3 digit SITC Group export commodities, the value of their exports and share of Australia's export trade, at the beginning and end of the decade.

#### F1.2 AUSTRALIA'S MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES

Selected SITC code & commodity	COMMODITY SHARE OF TOTAL AUSTRALIAN EXPORTS.....			
	1991.....		2000.....	
	\$m	%	\$m	%
011 Meat of bovine animals	2 637	4.9	3 557	3.2
041 Wheat	1 621	3.0	3 812	3.5
268 Wool and other animal hair (a)	3 458	6.4	3 291	3.0
281 Iron ore and concentrates	2 893	5.4	4 438	4.0
285 Aluminium ores and concentrates (a)	2 442	4.5	4 125	3.7
321 Coal, not agglomerated	6 745	12.6	9 339	8.5
333 Crude petroleum oils	1 464	2.7	7 601	6.9
684 Aluminium	1 985	3.7	4 365	4.0
971 Gold, non-monetary	3 700	6.9	4 954	4.5
<i>Total commodities above as a share of total exports</i>	26 945	50.2	47 482	43.0
<b>Total exports</b>	<b>53 720</b>		<b>110 465</b>	

(a) Excludes export commodities subject to a 'No Commodity Details' or a 'No Value Details' or a 'Broad Commodity Details' restriction.

Australia's exports throughout the decade were dominated by farm and mine. Wheat, petroleum and aluminium increased their relative shares over the period, while there were decreases in the relative shares for all other major commodities. In total, the contribution of the nine major commodities to total exports declined from 50.2% to 43.0%, indicating a small broadening of the export base over the decade i.e. less reliance on these major commodities.

# FEATURE ARTICLE

## MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

### MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES

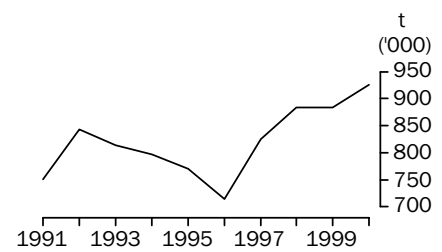
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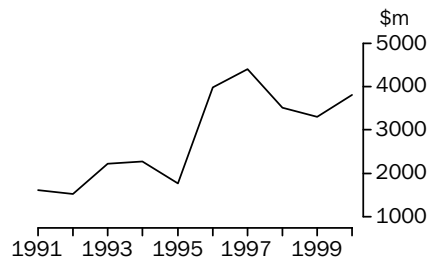
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Exports of *Meat of bovine animals* (SITC 011), predominantly beef, dropped from 1993 to 1996 by 35% to \$2,069 million. This decrease reflected growing competition from the USA, leading to lower prices for Australia's exports, as well as an appreciating Australian dollar. In the past four years the level of exports has improved. The reduction in US cow slaughterings and increased US prices of manufactured beef led to a greater demand for Australian beef from Japan and the USA, our major beef export markets. The weaker Australian dollar also contributed to the rise in the value of exports in the last year.

#### WHEAT

VALUE



QUANTITY



Exports of *Wheat* (SITC 041) fell 23% from 1994 to \$1,765 million in 1995, due to drought conditions in eastern Australia. Wheat exports improved markedly after 1995 due to good Australian seasons and crop failures in the Northern Hemisphere late that year.

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### MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES

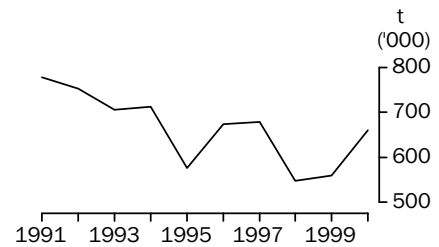
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#### WOOL

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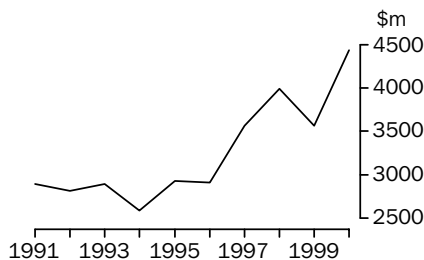


Exports of *Wool* (SITC 268) fluctuated in value during the six years to 1997 before declining sharply. Wool markets in recent years have seen an excess of production over consumption, steadily declining world prices and strong competition between natural and synthetic fibres. Australia's wool exports increased 34% to \$3,291 million in 2000, as a result of significant rises in prices during 2000.

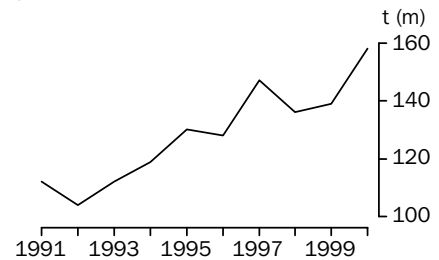
Over the decade, the contribution of wool exports to Australia's total exports fell significantly, from 6.4% in 1991 to 3.0% in 2000. From September 1999, some data for wool exports are excluded from SITC 268, due to confidentiality restrictions. However the impact of this on the data presented is minimal.

#### IRON ORE AND COAL

VALUE (SITC 281)



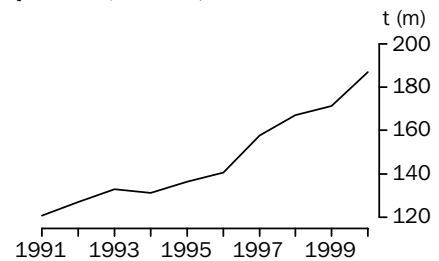
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VALUE (SITC 321)



QUANTITY (SITC 321)



Global demand from the steel industry directly affects Australia's exports of *Iron ore* (SITC 281) and *Coal* (SITC 321). Both commodities show troughs in 1994 and 1999 when the steel industry was depressed. Japan's financial recession was an additional adverse influence in 1999. Exports of iron ore and coal increase as the global steel market improves.

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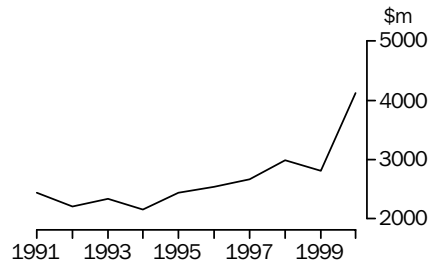
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### MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES *continued*

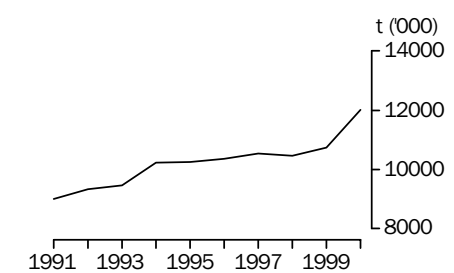
Over the decade, the contribution of iron ore exports to Australia's total exports decreased, from 5.4% in 1991 to 4.0% in 2000. Coal exports contributed between 12.3% and 12.6% of Australia's total exports from 1991 to 1993, before decreasing to 10.3% in 1994 and 8.5% in 2000.

### ALUMINA AND ALUMINIUM

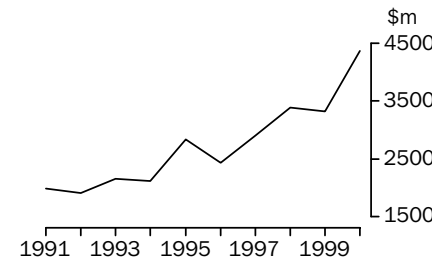
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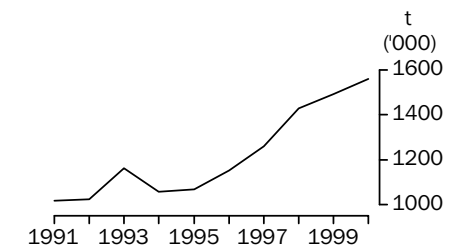
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QUANTITY (SITC 285)



*Aluminium ores, concentrates and oxides* (SITC 285) comprises two commodities at the more detailed SITC 5 digit level. They are *Aluminium ores and concentrates* (SITC 28510) and *Alumina (aluminium oxides)* (SITC 28520). SITC 28510 is affected by a confidentiality restriction for the entire period and is excluded from the data analysis.

Exports of *Alumina* (SITC 28520) declined from 4.5% of total exports in 1991 to 3.2% in 1999, before recovering to 3.7% in 2000. The steep increase in the value of alumina exports in 2000 was due to a tightening in the balance of supply and demand, in addition to the lower value of the Australian dollar.

In addition to being the world's largest exporter of alumina, Australia is also a major producer and exporter of *Aluminium* (SITC 684). The value of Australia's aluminium exports grew steadily for most of the decade.

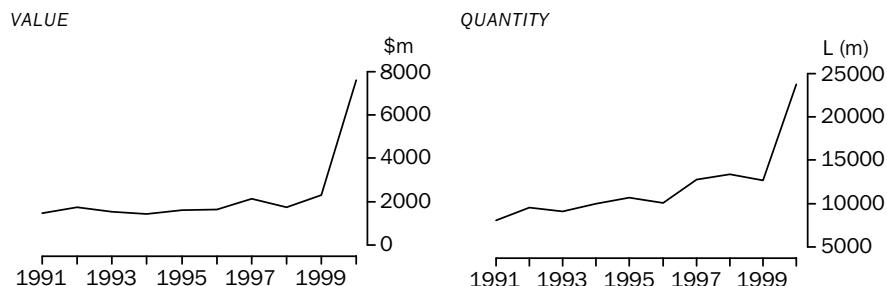
In 1995, the value increased sharply to \$2,836 million, while the quantity exported remained steady, resulting in the highest average unit value recorded over the decade of \$2.65 per kilogram. The increase resulted from strengthening demand, a fall in stocks and reduced production of aluminium. The steady increase since 1996 can be largely attributed to strengthening demand, especially in Asia.

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MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES

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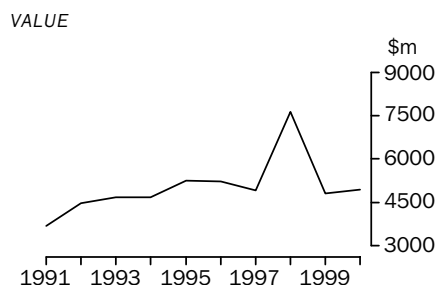
CRUDE PETROLEUM



The value of Australia's exports of *Crude petroleum* (SITC 333) are significantly affected by movements in the international price for crude oil. Export prices were at their lowest in 1994 (an average unit value of \$0.14 per litre) and at their highest in 2000 (an average unit value of \$0.31 per litre). The very sharp rise in the value of exports in 2000 was due to a substantial rise in international oil prices, brought about by a tight supply demand situation, as well as some new Australian production and the weaker Australian dollar at the time.

Japan, the USA and Taiwan have been the major markets for Australia's exports over the decade. A more detailed analysis of Australia's exports and imports of crude petroleum was included in a feature article in the March quarter 2000 issue of *International Merchandise Trade, Australia* (Cat. no. 5422.0).

NON-MONETARY GOLD



The most substantial movement in exports of *Non-monetary gold* (SITC 971) occurred when the value of exports increased from \$4,924 million in 1997 to \$7,642 million in 1998, before dropping back to \$4,808 million in 1999. During 1998 export values were boosted by large sales of non-monetary gold to Europe and the USA. Note that imports of non-monetary gold were higher at that time too and that only a proportion of exports are from domestic mining.

TOTAL IMPORTS

Table F1.3 shows the value of Australia's imports for each calendar year of the decade, classified by SITC Section, and the proportion each contributed to the total value of imports.



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### MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

#### F1.3 AUSTRALIA'S MERCHANDISE IMPORTS - By Value and Percentage of total Australian Trade

SITC code and commodity	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	Change from 1991 to 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	%
0 Food and live animals	2 001	2 144	2 386	2 581	2 944	2 920	3 190	3 662	3 842	4 082	104
1 Beverages and tobacco	389	414	453	499	504	512	543	588	673	797	105
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels (a)	1 196	1 424	1 548	1 649	1 750	1 511	1 559	1 623	1 625	2 043	71
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	2 952	3 244	3 822	3 264	3 889	4 900	5 024	4 322	5 910	9 501	222
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes (a)	140	174	197	210	252	265	271	269	286	282	101
5 Chemicals and related products, n.e.s. (a)	5 253	6 222	6 840	7 355	8 596	9 077	9 397	11 033	11 767	13 314	153
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material (a)	7 579	8 438	9 138	10 017	11 349	10 611	11 530	13 020	12 928	14 171	87
7 Machinery and transport equipment (a)	21 883	23 736	27 491	31 429	36 395	36 809	38 698	44 330	47 801	54 425	149
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles (a)	7 283	8 513	9 418	10 230	10 962	11 052	12 288	14 556	14 517	16 459	126
9 Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC (b)	998	1 199	1 109	864	829	753	918	3 369	2 167	1 848	85
<b>Total imports</b>	<b>49 674</b>	<b>55 508</b>	<b>62 402</b>	<b>68 099</b>	<b>77 469</b>	<b>78 410</b>	<b>83 418</b>	<b>96 773</b>	<b>101 517</b>	<b>116 920</b>	<b>135</b>
<i>Total imports — chain volume measures (c)</i>	49 717	51 881	56 207	60 086	71 474	74 521	82 636	92 763	98 427	112 212	126
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
0 Food and live animals	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.5
1 Beverages and tobacco	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels (a)	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	5.9	5.8	6.1	4.8	5.0	6.2	6.0	4.5	5.8	8.1	8.1
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes (a)	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
5 Chemicals and related products, n.e.s. (a)	10.6	11.2	11.0	10.8	11.1	11.6	11.3	11.4	11.6	11.4	11.4
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material (a)	15.3	15.2	14.6	14.7	14.6	13.5	13.8	13.4	12.7	12.1	12.1
7 Machinery and transport equipment (a)	44.1	42.8	44.1	46.1	47.0	46.9	46.4	45.8	47.0	46.5	46.5
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles (a)	14.7	15.3	15.1	15.0	14.2	14.1	14.7	15.0	14.3	14.1	14.1
9 Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC (b)	2.0	2.2	1.8	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.1	3.5	2.1	1.6	1.6

(a) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in SITC 9.

(b) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction.

(c) Source of chain volume measures (CVM) is Balance of Payments, Sept. quarter 2000 (Cat. no. 5302.0). Reference year for CVM is 1998–99. CVM figures are for financial years

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#### TOTAL IMPORTS *continued*

Over the decade, the value of merchandise imports increased 135%. The increase in volume of imports, after adjustment for price increases, was 126%. Australia's merchandise imports were dominated by *Machinery and transport equipment* (SITC 7), which accounted for around 46% of total imports from 1994 onwards. Included in this SITC Section are motor vehicles and parts, computers, aircraft and telecommunication equipment.

#### MAJOR IMPORT COMMODITIES

Table F1.4 shows, for eleven major 3 digit SITC Group import commodities, the value of their imports and share of Australia's import trade, at the beginning and end of the decade.

#### F1.4 AUSTRALIA'S MAJOR IMPORT COMMODITIES

Selected SITC code & commodity	COMMODITY SHARE OF TOTAL AUSTRALIAN IMPORTS.....			
	1991.....		2000.....	
	\$m	%	\$m	%
333 Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	1 531	3.1	7 318	6.3
334 Petroleum oils, not crude (i.e. refined)	1 238	2.5	1 767	1.5
542 Medicaments (incl. veterinary medicaments)	647	1.3	3 291	2.8
752 Automatic data processing machines & units thereof	1 820	3.7	5 498	4.7
759 Parts and accessories for use with office & automatic data processing machines	1 317	2.7	2 518	2.2
764 Telecommunications equipment and parts	1 073	2.2	6 379	5.5
781 Passenger motor vehicles	2 235	4.5	7 841	6.7
782 Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	869	1.8	2 469	2.1
784 Parts and accessories of the motor vehicles	866	1.7	2 590	2.2
792 Aircraft and associated equipment	2 856	5.8	3 796	3.2
971 Gold, non-monetary (excl. gold ores and concentrates)	865	1.7	1 646	1.4
<i>Total commodities above as a share of total imports</i>	<i>15 317</i>	<i>30.8</i>	<i>45 113</i>	<i>38.6</i>
<b>Total imports</b>	<b>49 674</b>		<b>116 920</b>	

Seven of the eleven groups selected are from SITC Section 7. Over the period, the total contribution of the eleven major commodities to total imports increased from 30.8% to 38.6%, indicating an increased overall importance of these commodities.

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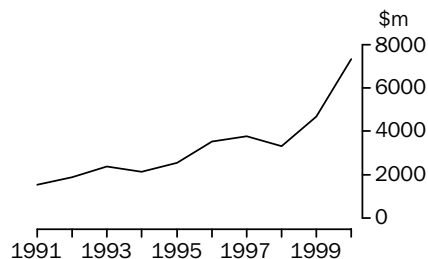
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### MAJOR IMPORT COMMODITIES

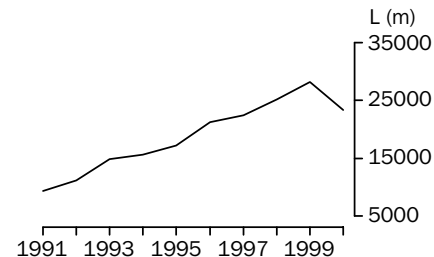
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#### CRUDE PETROLEUM

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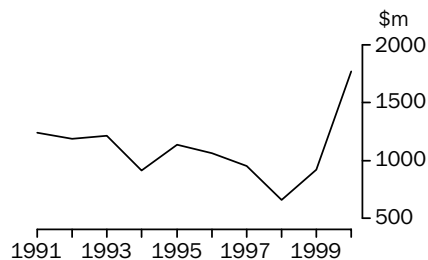


There was a strong increase in the value of imports of *Crude petroleum oil* (SITC 333) from 1998 to 2000 due to increased international oil prices and a fall in the Australian dollar. This occurred despite a fall in the quantity of crude oil imported in 2000, due to Australia's increasing use of domestically produced crude petroleum oil.

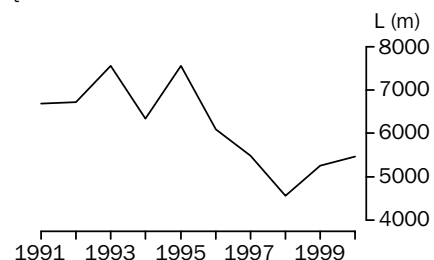
The value of imports of crude petroleum oil increased as a proportion of total imports from 3.1% in 1991 to 6.3% in 2000. Australia's major import sources are Indonesia, United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, New Zealand, Viet Nam, and Papua New Guinea.

#### REFINED PETROLEUM

VALUE



QUANTITY



The value of imports of *Petroleum oil, not crude* (SITC 334) slowly declined between 1991 and 1999, then rose to \$1,767 million in 2000. This category mainly comprises refined petroleum oil. As a proportion of total imports, imports of refined petroleum oil decreased from 2.5% in 1991 to 1.5% in 2000.

Over the period from 1991 to 1999, the average unit value varied from \$0.14 per litre to \$0.19 per litre. In 2000 the average unit value rose to \$0.32 per litre as a result of higher world prices and a weaker Australian dollar. However the quantities imported have generally declined over the decade, with 95% of the refined petroleum required by Australia now supplied by its own refineries. The major import sources are Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Indonesia and the United Arab Emirates.

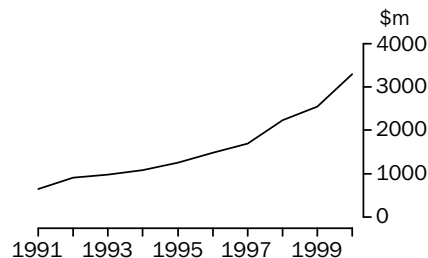
MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

MAJOR IMPORT COMMODITIES

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MEDICAMENTS

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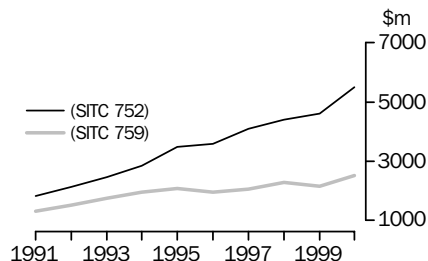


Over the decade there has been a strong increase in imports of *Medicaments* (SITC 542), from 1.3% of total imports in 1991 to 2.8% in 2000. The category includes pharmaceuticals containing penicillin, antibiotics and insulin. The reason for the more rapid increase from 1998 to 2000 is the development and subsequent import of more expensive, specialised drugs.

The United Kingdom has maintained its position as Australia's main source of medicaments, accounting for between 22% and 31% of total imports. The USA, which was ranked as the sixth major source of these imports in 1991, increased its ranking to be the second major supplier with 18% of the market share in 2000. Germany is also a major supplier.

COMPUTERS AND PARTS

VALUE



Imports of *Automatic data processing machines* (SITC 752) have increased steadily over the decade to \$5,498 million in 2000. As a proportion of total imports, it has increased from 3.7% in 1991 to 4.7% in 2000. Items included in this category are personal computers, storage units (disk drives) and visual display units (monitors). The USA remains Australia's main source of automatic data processing machines, even though there has been a significant rise in imports from Singapore and Malaysia.

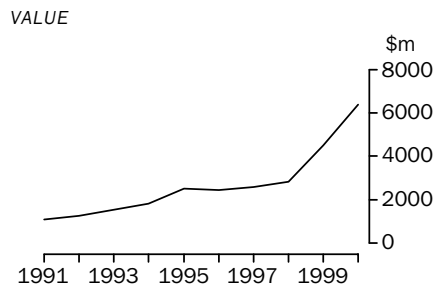
Although the value of *Computer parts and accessories* (SITC 759) imported has increased by 91% from \$1,317 million in 1991 to \$2,518 million in 2000, their importance as a proportion of total imports has decreased from 2.7% in 1991 to 2.2% in 2000. The USA has maintained its position as market leader, even though there has been an increase in competition from Asian countries. The main type of parts and accessories imported is computer hardware, such as motherboards and memory.

MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

MAJOR IMPORT COMMODITIES

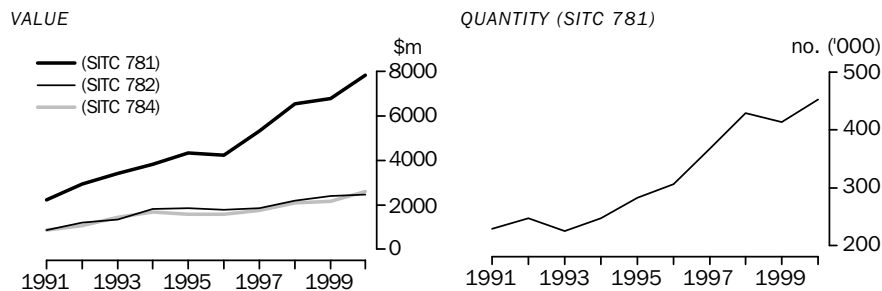
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TELECOMMUNICATIONS



There has been a very large increase in imports of *Telecommunications equipment and parts and accessories* (SITC 764), particularly since 1998. By 2000, telecommunications equipment accounted for 5.5% of Australia's total imports, compared with only 2.2% in 1991. This can be attributed to the increased use of mobile phones, modems and apparatus for digital line systems and networks. The import of equipment used for establishing telecommunication systems between Australia and North America, South America and North Asia contributed to the increase. The main sources of these imports are USA, Japan, Republic of Korea, United Kingdom and Sweden.

ROAD VEHICLES



*Passenger motor vehicles* (SITC 781) has been the most significant import group, by value, since 1992. In 2000 it accounted for 6.7% of Australia's total imports, compared with 4.5% in 1991. Japan has remained Australia's major source of imported passenger motor vehicles over the decade, but its share of the market declined from 83% in 1991 to 60% in 2000. Germany and Korea increased their market shares over the decade.

The increase in the value of imports of passenger motor vehicles can be attributed to a decrease in the number of domestically produced models, growth in demand for small vehicles, reduction in tariff rates for imported cars and greater competition in the passenger motor vehicle market. The slowdown in 1999 can be attributed to both the Asian economic crisis and an oversupply of foreign made passenger motor vehicles in Australia.

MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

MAJOR IMPORT COMMODITIES  
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Australia's imports of *Motor vehicles for the transport of goods* (SITC 782) have increased steadily over the decade, accounting for 1.7% of total imports in 1991 and 2.1% in 2000. Japan supplied 85% of these imports in 1991, but by 2000 this had decreased to 53%, with Germany and the USA increasing their market shares.

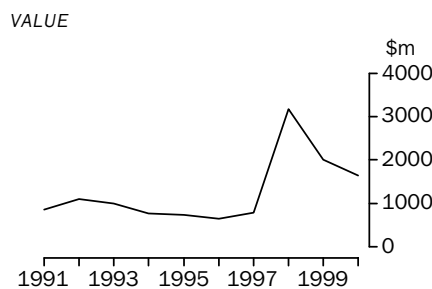
Imports of *Motor vehicle parts and accessories* (SITC 784) similarly increased steadily over the decade. As a proportion of total trade, there was an increase from 1.7% in 1991 to 2.2% in 2000. Japan was again the main supplier contributing 51% in 1991 and 48% in 2000.

AIRCRAFT



The value of *Aircraft and associated equipment* (SITC 792) imports fluctuated over the decade, due to the irregular demand for and the high price of new aircraft. From 1998, there has been an increase in imports due mainly to new airlines entering the domestic market. It should be noted, that aircraft which are imported under an operational lease are not included in merchandise imports.

NON-MONETARY GOLD



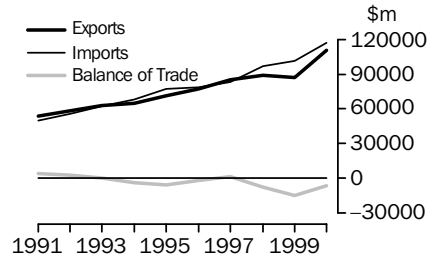
The value of imports of *Non-monetary gold* (SITC 971) showed a significant peak in 1998 due to large imports of non-monetary gold from Asia for processing in Australia and subsequent export, one of the consequences of the Asian economic crisis.

## FEATURE ARTICLE

### MAJOR COMMODITIES TRADED BY AUSTRALIA, 1991 TO 2000

#### BALANCE OF TRADE

The graph below shows Australia's total exports and imports over the decade, with the balance of trade (exports less imports) also included.



Australia's exports increased by 106% and its imports increased by 135% over the decade. While there was a trade surplus at the beginning of the decade, for most of the decade Australia experienced a trade deficit. A weaker Australian dollar helped narrow this deficit in 2000.

#### ABBREVIATIONS USED

\$m	million dollars
t ('000)	thousand tonnes
t (m)	million tonnes
L (m)	million litres
no. ('000)	thousands

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## REVISION TO THE HARMONIZED SYSTEM, 2002

### INTRODUCTION

Changes to the international Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (the Harmonized System or HS) will be introduced on **1 January 2002**. The Harmonized System is the 6-digit classification upon which the Combined Australian Customs Tariff and Statistical Nomenclature (the Customs Tariff - the 8-digit and 10-digit import codes) and the Australian Harmonized Export Commodity Classification (AHECC - the 8-digit export codes) are based.

The HS is a broad classification system of approximately 5,000 6-digit headings which are used for classifying goods involved in international trade. First introduced on 1 January 1988, it has subsequently been adopted as the basis for describing and classifying goods for Customs purposes by most trading nations, including Australia. It provides international comparability of trade information for administrative and statistical purposes.

The international changes will necessarily impact on the more detailed commodity classifications used by the Australian Customs Service (Customs) and the ABS to capture and disseminate data on goods traded by Australia. The changes will affect individuals and organisations involved in importing or exporting goods or using ABS trade statistics. The purpose of this article is to provide information about the processes and timetable that will be followed, to enable implementation on 1 January 2002.

### THE HARMONIZED SYSTEM

The HS is maintained by the World Customs Organization (WCO) and is subject to systematic review to ensure it:

- reflects newly developed commodities and changes in the types of commodities traded;
- meets administrative requirements, for example, for the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, or to clarify the existing nomenclature; and
- minimises the burden on data providers by requesting only the level of detail that is administratively and statistically relevant.

While the HS is reviewed by the WCO on a systematic basis, major changes are implemented only every four years or so. The last round of major changes to the HS was implemented on 1 January 1996, affecting approximately 10% of the 6-digit codes in the HS. Implementation of the current set of changes will affect segments of the Explanatory Notes and 5% of the 6-digit HS codes.

The HS changes include: deletion of a code completely; placement elsewhere in the classification (eg. with more-related commodities); combining of codes; splitting of one code into two or more; and changes in the Explanatory Notes on how commodities are to be treated.

### AUSTRALIAN CLASSIFICATIONS

Changes at the 6-digit HS level will necessarily have implications for the more detailed 8- and 10-digit import codes and 8-digit export codes. These codes will be changed to reflect the different HS treatment, including: Customs decisions to collapse or sub-divide HS codes to manage application of duty rates; statistical requirements of analysts for different information; and changes to the unit of quantity for reporting purposes.

While the most detailed statistics on Australia's international trade are made available according to the statistical codes of the Customs Tariff and AHECC, statistics are also available compiled using more aggregated classifications. It is considered unlikely that the HS changes will have any significant impact on the presentation of data according to these classifications.



## REVISION TO THE HARMONIZED SYSTEM, 2002

### CONSULTATION PROCESS

The ABS is about to commence consultation on the changes to the HS and the import and export classifications with those involved in the importing and exporting of goods and use of detailed trade statistics. This phase is expected to be completed by June 2001.

During this period detailed proposals for changes to the classifications will be released progressively on the ABS website for comment. It is expected that exports consultation will start in March and run through to the end of April 2001. Consultation on imports is likely in the period April to June 2001.

Industry will be advised of the process through the issuing of an Australian Customs Notice (ACN). Current subscribers to ABS data services will receive a letter from the ABS. Every effort will be made to ensure that all those affected are aware of the proposed changes and have an opportunity to comment on those aspects of interest to them.

All submissions received by the ABS prior to the respective deadlines will be considered. Any submissions that request changes to areas of the classification which are **not** affected by international HS changes will be charged for at the normal rate for Classification Feasibility Studies.

After consultation has been completed, details of the new classifications will be made available progressively on the ABS website so importers, exporters and their agents can update their systems. It is expected that these will be available by mid to late November 2001.

For further information about the proposed changes, readers can:

- visit the ABS website and view the changes via the International Trade Theme Page ([www.abs.gov.au](http://www.abs.gov.au) see Themes, International Trade);
- send in the order form appearing on the last page of this publication, to obtain detailed specifications of the proposed changes to the HS Sections when they become available for consultation; or
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## MERCHANDISE EXPORTS, By Country

	China	Japan	Korea, Republic of	New Zealand	Singapore	Taiwan	United Kingdom	United States of America	Total
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>1997-1998</b>	3 872	17 580	6 397	5 662	3 697	4 180	3 040	7 794	<b>87 768</b>
<b>1998-1999</b>	3 948	16 566	6 320	5 838	3 417	4 203	4 473	7 984	<b>85 991</b>
<b>1999-2000</b>	4 966	18 822	7 615	6 739	4 855	4 696	4 158	9 602	<b>97 286</b>
<b>1999</b>									
March	982	3 878	1 534	1 368	790	1 006	695	1 766	<b>19 873</b>
June	930	3 794	1 548	1 497	1 059	1 019	725	2 023	<b>20 293</b>
September	1 046	4 351	1 412	1 609	1 214	1 016	806	2 251	<b>21 895</b>
December	1 133	4 685	1 786	2 200	1 019	1 123	1 512	2 371	<b>24 832</b>
<b>2000</b>									
March	1 299	4 697	2 046	1 439	1 193	1 231	872	2 222	<b>23 876</b>
June	1 489	5 089	2 371	1 490	1 430	1 327	968	2 759	<b>26 682</b>
September	1 438	5 942	2 219	1 752	1 497	1 418	1 001	2 862	<b>28 537</b>
December	1 790	6 119	2 338	1 873	1 787	1 573	912	3 122	<b>31 369</b>

2

## MERCHANDISE EXPORTS, By Major Country Group(a)

	Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC)	Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)	Developing Countries (DCs)	European Union (EU)
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>1997-1998</b>	64 210	11 514	40 150	10 236
<b>1998-1999</b>	61 355	10 416	38 814	11 629
<b>1999-2000</b>	71 210	12 867	44 347	12 039
<b>1999</b>				
March	14 404	2 297	9 182	2 494
June	14 968	2 846	9 412	2 444
September	16 114	3 065	9 750	2 452
December	17 850	3 016	10 702	3 454
<b>2000</b>				
March	17 493	3 045	11 322	2 832
June	19 754	3 742	12 573	3 301
September	21 213	3 871	13 067	3 113
December	23 371	4 520	15 001	3 291

(a) Countries included in country groups are shown in the Appendix.

## 3

## MERCHANDISE IMPORTS, By Country

Period	China	Japan	Korea, Republic of	New Zealand	Singapore	Taiwan	United Kingdom	United States of America	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>1997-1998</b>	5 303	12 660	3 767	3 723	2 643	2 809	5 593	19 834	<b>90 684</b>
<b>1998-1999</b>	6 106	13 587	3 894	3 950	2 944	2 978	5 545	20 893	<b>97 611</b>
<b>1999-2000</b>	7 515	14 110	4 311	4 372	4 359	3 244	6 350	23 135	<b>110 078</b>
<b>1999</b>									
March	1 461	3 278	902	910	743	690	1 318	4 668	<b>23 041</b>
June	1 322	3 348	915	990	862	711	1 272	5 002	<b>23 619</b>
September	1 907	3 522	875	1 069	790	767	1 415	5 477	<b>26 017</b>
December	1 923	3 488	1 213	1 139	1 764	821	1 402	5 992	<b>28 839</b>
<b>2000</b>									
March	1 806	3 335	987	1 002	803	781	1 670	5 696	<b>26 411</b>
June	1 879	3 764	1 236	1 161	1 002	875	1 864	5 969	<b>28 810</b>
September	2 601	4 250	1 133	1 179	968	928	1 539	5 751	<b>30 324</b>
December	2 787	3 967	1 447	1 140	946	940	1 828	5 712	<b>31 376</b>

## 4

## MERCHANDISE IMPORTS, By Major Country Group(a)

Period	Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC)	Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)	Developing Countries (DCs)	European Union (EU)
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>1997-1998</b>	62 542	10 496	28 136	21 824
<b>1998-1999</b>	68 128	12 368	31 065	23 327
<b>1999-2000</b>	77 773	15 660	37 738	24 340
<b>1999</b>				
March	15 762	2 852	7 265	5 759
June	16 572	3 157	7 455	5 518
September	18 273	3 397	8 515	5 856
December	20 836	4 835	10 680	5 987
<b>2000</b>				
March	18 454	3 468	8 589	6 157
June	20 210	3 959	9 953	6 340
September	21 763	4 461	11 368	6 209
December	22 069	4 580	12 274	6 696

(a) Countries included in country groups are shown in the Appendix.

## 5

## EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS, By Country(a)

Period	China	Japan	Korea, Republic of	New Zealand	Singapore	Taiwan	United Kingdom	United States of America	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>1997-1998</b>	-1 431	4 920	2 631	1 939	1 054	1 371	-2 553	-12 040	-2 917
<b>1998-1999</b>	-2 158	2 979	2 426	1 888	472	1 224	-1 072	-12 910	-11 620
<b>1999-2000</b>	-2 549	4 712	3 305	2 367	496	1 452	-2 193	-13 532	-12 792
<b>1999</b>									
March	- 478	600	632	458	47	316	- 623	-2 901	-3 169
June	- 392	446	633	507	197	308	- 547	-2 980	-3 326
September	- 861	829	537	540	424	249	- 609	-3 226	-4 122
December	- 790	1 196	573	1 061	- 745	302	110	-3 622	-4 007
<b>2000</b>									
March	- 507	1 362	1 059	437	390	450	- 798	-3 474	-2 534
June	- 390	1 325	1 135	329	427	452	- 896	-3 210	-2 128
September	-1 163	1 693	1 086	573	529	490	- 538	-2 889	-1 787
December	- 997	2 152	891	733	841	633	- 916	-2 590	-7

(a) A negative sign indicates that imports exceed exports.

## 6

## EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS, By Major Country Group(a)(b)

Period	Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC)	Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)	Developing Countries (DCs)	European Union (EU)
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>1997-1998</b>	1 669	1 017	12 014	-11 588
<b>1998-1999</b>	-6 773	-1 951	7 749	-11 697
<b>1999-2000</b>	-6 563	-2 793	6 610	-12 301
<b>1999</b>				
March	-1 357	- 556	1 917	-3 266
June	-1 605	- 311	1 957	-3 074
September	-2 159	- 332	1 235	-3 405
December	-2 986	-1 819	22	-2 533
<b>2000</b>				
March	- 961	- 423	2 733	-3 324
June	- 457	- 218	2 620	-3 038
September	- 550	- 589	1 699	-3 096
December	1 302	-59	2 727	-3 405

(a) Countries included in country groups are shown in the Appendix.

(b) A negative sign indicates that imports exceed exports.

## EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Country

Country	SEP QTR 2000		DEC QTR 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Algeria	4	—	20	—	55	—	45	5
Angola	1	—	—	—	2	—	2	—
Argentina	18	30	45	22	98	82	100	92
Australia (Re-imports)	—	134	—	111	—	381	—	496
Austria	15	116	13	190	44	487	54	534
Bahamas	1	1	1	1	2	10	6	7
Bahrain(a)	22	5	27	8	63	39	83	47
Bangladesh	68	16	112	14	263	41	326	70
Barbados	4	—	1	—	8	—	7	1
Belgium-Luxembourg	217	195	279	224	1 135	701	1 011	790
Bolivia	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	2
Brazil	147	192	164	197	392	344	571	655
Brunei Darussalam	10	33	13	111	47	94	42	272
Bulgaria	1	1	—	2	3	6	3	7
Cambodia	1	—	3	1	11	1	11	2
Canada	359	451	533	442	1 206	1 621	1 434	1 882
Cayman Islands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chile	34	34	37	16	127	60	150	84
China	1 438	2 601	1 790	2 787	4 091	6 613	6 016	9 074
Christmas Island	5	1	3	4	14	9	17	8
Cocos (Keeling) Island	3	—	2	—	4	—	8	—
Colombia	4	5	2	5	28	18	13	19
Cook Islands	1	—	2	2	4	1	6	4
Costa Rica	2	8	1	4	3	31	6	21
Cote d'Ivoire	—	3	1	2	6	14	3	9
Croatia	1	3	2	2	2	9	4	10
Cuba	1	1	1	1	1	4	2	6
Cyprus	3	1	3	2	13	4	13	5
Czech Republic	15	19	26	21	43	69	74	75
Denmark	22	137	33	159	74	491	154	568
Dominican Republic	4	1	6	1	9	3	16	3
Ecuador	3	1	1	1	4	3	5	3
Egypt(a)	117	5	130	4	472	14	555	16
Ethiopia	3	1	4	—	13	2	11	2
Fiji	153	64	196	75	610	362	593	297
Finland	101	193	138	187	238	623	458	721
France	229	639	249	586	879	2 202	910	2 334
French Polynesia	65	1	65	1	122	6	229	5
Germany	310	1 474	361	1 490	1 275	5 828	1 312	5 882
Ghana	14	2	14	1	57	6	57	6
Greece	103	27	20	26	56	104	202	104
Guam	3	—	6	—	18	—	19	—
Guatemala	4	1	2	1	17	2	10	3
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	896	356	993	356	3 020	1 215	3 572	1 282
Hungary	2	26	3	27	5	66	9	93
Iceland(a)	—	2	—	1	2	3	2	3
India	469	202	551	195	1 517	684	1 827	732
Indonesia	737	739	882	768	2 146	2 784	2 890	2 702
Iran	185	6	194	8	446	28	604	30
Iraq	130	96	151	—	257	134	590	127
Ireland	45	282	37	287	189	966	145	1 018
Israel	79	93	46	119	150	420	244	418
Italy	424	784	578	798	1 402	2 905	1 844	3 138
Jamaica	7	—	8	—	32	1	39	1
Japan	5 942	4 250	6 119	3 967	16 707	13 636	21 847	15 316
Jordan	38	—	23	—	95	15	101	3

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Country *continued*

Country	SEP QTR 2000		DEC QTR 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Kenya	33	4	22	6	76	20	93	18
Kiribati	10	—	7	—	27	—	30	—
Korea, Republic of	2 219	1 133	2 338	1 447	6 280	3 904	8 975	4 803
Kuwait	56	33	133	80	294	77	321	160
Laos	3	—	3	—	4	1	7	1
Lebanon	9	2	5	2	33	6	53	7
Libya	2	—	18	—	46	—	34	—
Lithuania	—	1	—	1	5	3	1	2
Macau (SAR of China)	6	2	6	2	16	7	21	7
Madagascar	3	—	1	1	5	1	7	2
Malawi	—	—	3	4	—	8	4	6
Malaysia	612	1 215	674	1 115	1 941	3 240	2 362	4 269
Maldives	2	—	3	—	6	—	8	—
Malta	3	3	3	2	12	5	12	7
Marianas Northern	1	—	1	—	2	—	2	—
Marshall Islands	1	—	2	—	6	—	5	—
Mauritius	29	2	36	2	106	3	118	6
Mexico	87	116	108	139	276	379	333	455
Micronesia Fed States of	4	—	5	—	16	—	16	—
Morocco	17	9	5	10	13	22	29	33
Mozambique	27	—	42	—	24	—	93	—
Myanmar	6	3	6	6	14	17	22	15
Namibia	1	2	3	2	44	8	23	9
Nauru	6	—	7	4	21	6	25	7
Nepal	1	1	2	1	12	2	7	4
Netherlands	421	208	482	250	946	914	1 780	960
Netherlands Antilles	1	—	1	—	65	—	4	—
New Caledonia	63	11	53	13	199	46	211	45
New Zealand	1 752	1 179	1 873	1 140	6 674	4 108	6 554	4 483
Nigeria	6	—	5	—	21	39	18	34
Norfolk Island	5	—	4	—	15	1	18	1
Norway	24	32	32	39	133	168	107	139
Oman	25	25	58	—	145	37	194	79
Pakistan	85	50	84	61	647	155	379	186
Palau	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—
Panama	4	—	1	2	7	—	20	2
Papua New Guinea	263	348	267	409	975	1 129	983	1 432
Peru	16	18	9	22	36	24	45	62
Philippines	374	158	464	142	1 209	414	1 519	533
Poland	4	8	6	9	20	35	19	35
Portugal	11	44	7	42	49	154	34	172
Puerto Rico	2	53	3	36	4	134	9	227
Qatar	23	41	23	16	63	142	81	113
Romania	16	2	20	3	74	8	65	10
Russian Federation	64	7	101	8	173	21	269	27
Samoa	19	18	12	22	36	58	51	66
Samoa (American)	25	1	42	1	15	3	103	4
Saudi Arabia	390	358	521	428	1 064	660	1 586	1 429
Seychelles	1	—	1	—	5	—	4	—
Singapore	1 497	968	1 787	946	4 081	4 159	5 906	3 719
Slovak Republic	2	6	2	2	5	8	6	11
Slovenia	—	14	4	14	12	35	7	43
Solomon Islands	8	1	14	1	99	3	56	5
South Africa	346	208	352	256	913	640	1 263	852
Spain	153	182	152	161	650	649	715	656
Sri Lanka	68	25	89	20	214	72	289	82
Sudan	21	—	33	—	61	46	88	—
Sweden	61	388	31	468	167	1 690	166	1 624
Switzerland	53	313	42	272	341	1 155	198	1 249
Syria	7	—	5	—	19	1	19	1

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Country *continued*

Country	SEP QTR 2000		DEC QTR 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Taiwan	1 418	928	1 573	940	4 163	2 989	5 549	3 524
Tanzania	25	1	27	1	83	6	95	4
Thailand	528	781	544	817	1 442	2 200	1 962	2 816
Tonga	4	—	4	—	17	1	15	1
Trinidad and Tobago	11	—	9	1	32	1	36	2
Tunisia	1	1	3	1	15	7	7	3
Turkey	81	36	88	39	224	122	295	144
Uganda	1	2	1	5	5	11	3	14
Ukraine	14	1	9	—	22	5	36	5
United Arab Emirates	278	266	293	498	809	288	1 021	961
United Kingdom	1 001	1 539	912	1 828	3 738	5 407	3 753	6 901
United States of America	2 862	5 751	3 122	5 712	8 411	21 140	10 965	23 128
United States Virgin Islands	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1
Uruguay	4	2	4	1	8	4	14	6
Vanuatu	13	—	15	—	52	1	52	1
Venezuela	4	—	2	—	16	2	11	1
Viet Nam	103	562	144	673	329	1 332	457	2 139
Wallis and Futuna Islands	2	—	2	—	7	—	8	—
Yemen	45	—	28	—	139	30	130	67
Zimbabwe	2	1	2	9	10	15	7	15
Zone of Coop A-Timor Gap	2	—	10	—	12	70	28	36
Other Countries	78	12	85	12	142	100	222	42
Destination or Origin Unknown	1	10	—	4	1	227	3	31
International Waters	276	—	98	—	352	—	693	—
No Country Details(a)	127	—	159	—	400	—	508	—
Ship and aircraft stores	244	—	264	—	565	—	905	—
Country unidentified	—	—	65	—	—	—	65	—
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>28 537</b>	<b>30 324</b>	<b>31 369</b>	<b>31 376</b>	<b>86 893</b>	<b>101 517</b>	<b>110 465</b>	<b>116 920</b>

(a) Exports of Alumina to Bahrain, Egypt and Iceland are excluded from country totals and included in the 'No Country Details' category.



## EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Major Country Group

Country group	SEP QTR 2000		DEC QTR 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>Asia Pacific Economic</b>								
<b>Co-operation (APEC)</b>	<b>21 213</b>	<b>21 763</b>	<b>23 371</b>	<b>22 069</b>	<b>63 336</b>	<b>71 443</b>	<b>81 830</b>	<b>82 496</b>
Australia (Re-imports)	—	134	—	111	—	381	—	496
Brunei Darussalam(a)	10	33	13	111	47	94	42	272
Canada	359	451	533	442	1 206	1 621	1 434	1 882
Chile	34	34	37	16	127	60	150	84
China	1 438	2 601	1 790	2 787	4 091	6 613	6 016	9 074
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	896	356	993	356	3 020	1 215	3 572	1 282
Indonesia(a)	737	739	882	768	2 146	2 784	2 890	2 702
Japan	5 942	4 250	6 119	3 967	16 707	13 636	21 847	15 316
Korea, Republic of	2 219	1 133	2 338	1 447	6 280	3 904	8 975	4 803
Malaysia(a)	612	1 215	674	1 115	1 941	3 240	2 362	4 269
Mexico	87	116	108	139	276	379	333	455
New Zealand	1 752	1 179	1 873	1 140	6 674	4 108	6 554	4 483
Papua New Guinea	263	348	267	409	975	1 129	983	1 432
Peru	16	18	9	22	36	24	45	62
Philippines(a)	374	158	464	142	1 209	414	1 519	533
Russian Federation	64	7	101	8	173	21	269	27
Singapore(a)	1 497	968	1 787	946	4 081	4 159	5 906	3 719
Taiwan	1 418	928	1 573	940	4 163	2 989	5 549	3 524
Thailand(a)	528	781	544	817	1 442	2 200	1 962	2 816
United States of America	2 862	5 751	3 122	5 712	8 411	21 140	10 965	23 128
Viet Nam(a)	103	562	144	673	329	1 332	457	2 139
<b>Association of South East</b>								
<b>Asian Nations (ASEAN)</b>	<b>3 871</b>	<b>4 461</b>	<b>4 520</b>	<b>4 580</b>	<b>11 223</b>	<b>14 241</b>	<b>15 179</b>	<b>16 468</b>
Brunei Darussalam(a)	10	33	13	111	47	94	42	272
Cambodia	1	—	3	1	11	1	11	2
Indonesia(a)	737	739	882	768	2 146	2 784	2 890	2 702
Laos	3	—	3	—	4	1	7	1
Malaysia(a)	612	1 215	674	1 115	1 941	3 240	2 362	4 269
Myanmar	6	3	6	6	14	17	22	15
Philippines(a)	374	158	464	142	1 209	414	1 519	533
Singapore(a)	1 497	968	1 787	946	4 081	4 159	5 906	3 719
Thailand(a)	528	781	544	817	1 442	2 200	1 962	2 816
Viet Nam(a)	103	562	144	673	329	1 332	457	2 139
<b>European Union (EU)</b>								
<b>European Union (EU)</b>	<b>3 113</b>	<b>6 209</b>	<b>3 291</b>	<b>6 696</b>	<b>10 843</b>	<b>23 121</b>	<b>12 538</b>	<b>25 402</b>
Austria	15	116	13	190	44	487	54	534
Belgium-Luxembourg	217	195	279	224	1 135	701	1 011	790
Denmark	22	137	33	159	74	491	154	568
Finland	101	193	138	187	238	623	458	721
France	229	639	249	586	879	2 202	910	2 334
Germany	310	1 474	361	1 490	1 275	5 828	1 312	5 882
Greece	103	27	20	26	56	104	202	104
Ireland	45	282	37	287	189	966	145	1 018
Italy	424	784	578	798	1 402	2 905	1 844	3 138
Netherlands	421	208	482	250	946	914	1 780	960
Portugal	11	44	7	42	49	154	34	172
Spain	153	182	152	161	650	649	715	656
Sweden	61	388	31	468	167	1 690	166	1 624
United Kingdom	1 001	1 539	912	1 828	3 738	5 407	3 753	6 901

(a) Also included in other country groups.

## EXPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITIES

Commodity description and SITC code	Dec Qtr 1999		Sep Qtr 2000		Dec Qtr 2000	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
<b>Food and live animals(a)</b>						
Sheep and goats, live (001.21,22)	52	0.2	49	0.2	72	0.2
Meat of bovine animals fresh, chilled or frozen (011.11-22)	833	3.4	936	3.3	1 048	3.3
Meat of sheep and goats fresh, chilled or frozen (012.11-13)	192	0.8	211	0.7	264	0.8
Milk and cream and milk products other than butter or cheese (022)	371	1.5	303	1.1	550	1.8
Cheese and curd (024)	214	0.9	206	0.7	283	0.9
Crustaceans, molluscs, and aquatic invertebrates (except canned or bottled) (036)	259	1.0	208	0.7	281	0.9
Wheat (including spelt) and meslin, unmilled (041)	813	3.3	939	3.3	1 027	3.3
Rice (042)(a)	108	0.4	106	0.4	93	0.3
Barley, unmilled (043)(a)	148	0.6	129	0.5	—	—
Sorghum, unmilled (045.30)	3	—	1	—	1	—
Fruit and nuts, fresh, dried or preserved and fruit preparations (including fruit and vegetable juices) (057-059)	137	0.6	232	0.8	168	0.5
<b>Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)</b>						
Hides and skins, bovine and equine, raw (211.11-13,20)(a)	60	0.2	102	0.4	111	0.4
Skins, sheep and lamb, with wool on, raw (211.60)	33	0.1	62	0.2	74	0.2
Wood, in chips or particles (246.11,15)	153	0.6	186	0.7	193	0.6
Cotton (other than linters), not carded or combed (263.10)	323	1.3	511	1.8	445	1.4
Wool, greasy (including fleece-washed wool) (268.11,19)	522	2.1	462	1.6	713	2.3
Wool, other, not carded or combed (268.21,29)	126	0.5	150	0.5	173	0.6
Iron ore concentrates and agglomerates (excluding roasted iron pyrites) (281.50, 60)	915	3.7	1 191	4.2	1 271	4.1
Copper ores and concentrates (283.10)	198	0.8	236	0.8	279	0.9
Nickel oxide sinters (284.22)	25	0.1	33	0.1	31	0.1
Alumina (aluminium oxide) (285.20)	790	3.2	1 066	3.7	1 160	3.7
Uranium and thorium ores and concentrates (286.10,20)	100	0.4	114	0.4	134	0.4
Zinc ores and concentrates (287.50)	175	0.7	224	0.8	279	0.9
Ores and concentrates of molybdenum, niobium, titanium etc. (287.81-85)(a)	85	0.3	79	0.3	95	0.3
<b>Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>						
Coal, whether or not pulverised but not agglomerated (321)	2 001	8.1	2 516	8.8	2 593	8.3
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude (333)	950	3.8	1 927	6.8	2 419	7.7
Petroleum products (334,335)	587	2.4	827	2.9	921	2.9
Gas, natural and manufactured (34)	593	2.4	812	2.8	903	2.9
<b>Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)</b>						
Plastics in primary and non-primary forms (57,58)(a)	103	0.4	111	0.4	112	0.4
<b>Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)</b>						
Iron and steel (67)(a)	328	1.3	248	0.9	139	0.4
Copper and copper alloys, unwrought (excluding master alloys) (682.11,12,14)	213	0.9	233	0.8	337	1.1
Nickel and nickel alloys, unwrought (683.11,12)	248	1.0	268	0.9	321	1.0
Aluminium (684)	920	3.7	1 089	3.8	1 251	4.0
Lead and lead alloys, unwrought (685.11,12)	105	0.4	44	0.2	93	0.3
Zinc and zinc alloys, unwrought (686.11,12)	110	0.4	218	0.8	286	0.9
<b>Machinery and transport equipment</b>						
Power generating machinery and equipment (71)	250	1.0	291	1.0	228	0.7
Machinery specialised for particular industries (72)	275	1.1	323	1.1	342	1.1
Office machines and automatic data processing machines (75)	342	1.4	356	1.2	427	1.4
Cars and other road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles) (78)	864	3.5	884	3.1	1 048	3.3
Aircraft and associated equipment; spacecraft (including satellites) and spacecraft launch vehicles; and parts thereof (792)	152	0.6	169	0.6	152	0.5
<b>Miscellaneous manufactured articles</b>						
Photographic and cinematographic supplies (882)	120	0.5	125	0.4	111	0.4
<b>Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC</b>						
Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates) (971)	1 214	4.9	1 205	4.2	1 165	3.7
<b>Total major commodities(a)</b>	<b>16 011</b>	<b>64.5</b>	<b>19 380</b>	<b>67.9</b>	<b>21 593</b>	<b>68.8</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>24 832</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>28 537</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>31 369</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction.  
See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

Commodity description and SITC code	Dec Qtr 1999		Sep Qtr 2000		Dec Qtr 2000	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
<b>Food and live animals</b>						
Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof (03)	235	0.8	200	0.7	230	0.7
<b>Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>						
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude (333)	1 602	5.6	1 935	6.4	2 332	7.4
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals (other than crude) (334)	314	1.1	454	1.5	442	1.4
<b>Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)</b>						
Organic chemicals (51)(a)	741	2.6	743	2.5	632	2.0
Inorganic chemicals (52)(a)	156	0.5	181	0.6	189	0.6
Medical and pharmaceutical products (54)	834	2.9	1 077	3.6	1 082	3.4
Plastics in primary and non-primary forms (57, 58)	533	1.8	540	1.8	577	1.8
Chemical materials and products, n.e.s. (59)	336	1.2	334	1.1	378	1.2
<b>Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)</b>						
Rubber tyres, interchangeable tyre treads, tyre flaps and inner tubes for wheels of all kinds (625)	190	0.7	208	0.7	224	0.7
Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard (64)(a)	625	2.2	650	2.1	690	2.2
Textile yarn (651)	130	0.4	144	0.5	120	0.4
Woven fabrics of cotton or man-made textile material (excluding narrow or special fabrics) (652, 653)	165	0.6	171	0.6	163	0.5
Clay and refractory construction materials and mineral manufactures, n.e.s. (662, 663)	154	0.5	161	0.5	143	0.5
Glass, glassware and pottery (664, 665, 666)	166	0.6	181	0.6	183	0.6
Iron and steel (67)(a)	364	1.3	357	1.2	364	1.2
Manufactures of base metals n.e.s. (699)	240	0.8	294	1.0	268	0.9
<b>Machinery and transport equipment</b>						
Internal combustion piston engines, and parts thereof n.e.s (713)	294	1.0	308	1.0	377	1.2
Tractors, track-laying and wheeled (722)	112	0.4	98	0.3	108	0.3
Civil engineering and contractors' plant and equipment (723)	262	0.9	245	0.8	253	0.8
Machinery and equipment specialised for particular industries and parts thereof (728)	224	0.8	227	0.7	211	0.7
Pumps, centrifuges, filtering or purifying apparatus and parts thereof (743)	252	0.9	262	0.9	282	0.9
Automatic data processing machines and units thereof (752)	1 153	4.0	1 504	5.0	1 376	4.4
Parts and accessories for office and automatic data processing machines (759)	528	1.8	662	2.2	656	2.1
Television and radio broadcast receivers (761, 762)	299	1.0	401	1.3	428	1.4
Telecommunication equipment n.e.s. and parts n.e.s. and accessories (764)	1 337	4.6	1 687	5.6	1 851	5.9
Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits (772)	227	0.8	268	0.9	287	0.9
Household type, electrical and non-electrical equipment n.e.s. (775)	290	1.0	287	0.9	346	1.1
Electrical machinery and apparatus n.e.s. (778)	406	1.4	459	1.5	506	1.6
Passenger motor vehicles (other than public transport type vehicles) including station wagons and racing cars (781)	1 637	5.7	2 130	7.0	2 267	7.2
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods (782.11,19)	588	2.0	647	2.1	574	1.8
Parts and accessories of motor vehicles and tractors, track-laying and wheeled (784)	520	1.8	689	2.3	689	2.2
Aircraft and associated equipment; spacecraft (including satellites) and spacecraft launch vehicles; and parts thereof (792)	1 268	4.4	672	2.2	841	2.7
Ships, boats (including hovercraft) and floating structures (793)	940	3.3	91	0.3	69	0.2
<b>Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)</b>						
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories (84)	602	2.1	887	2.9	731	2.3
Measuring, checking, analysing and controlling instruments and apparatus n.e.s. (874)	415	1.4	420	1.4	422	1.3
Photographic and cinematographic supplies (882)(a)	161	0.6	152	0.5	132	0.4
Printed matter (892)	254	0.9	268	0.9	268	0.9
Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods (894)	326	1.1	414	1.4	427	1.4
<b>Total major commodities(a)</b>	<b>18 878</b>	<b>65.5</b>	<b>20 407</b>	<b>67.3</b>	<b>21 117</b>	<b>67.3</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>28 839</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30 324</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>31 376</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

## EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Commodity—quarterly

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	DEC QTR 1999		SEP QTR 2000		DEC QTR 2000	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)</b>	<b>4 254</b>	<b>1 066</b>	<b>4 768</b>	<b>1 033</b>	<b>5 165</b>	<b>1 117</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	193	19	198	10	244	12
01 Meat and meat preparations	1 167	36	1 308	30	1 476	34
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	694	71	573	67	934	76
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	347	235	514	200	383	230
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	1 203	74	1 310	88	1 259	86
05 Vegetables and fruit	281	209	410	176	378	215
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	49	34	69	31	60	37
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	70	161	70	162	76	149
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	155	39	215	33	231	42
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	95	188	101	235	125	236
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>466</b>	<b>259</b>
11 Beverages	359	155	497	166	452	204
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	16	48	13	52	14	56
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>4 562</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>5 496</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>6 058</b>	<b>539</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	99	1	172	—	197	1
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	185	16	123	23	59	31
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	4	27	2	25	2	36
24 Cork and wood	187	143	223	182	234	129
25 Pulp and waste paper	9	46	12	106	14	99
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	1 110	36	1 281	35	1 492	35
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(b)	128	53	108	40	131	55
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	2 768	57	3 510	58	3 857	86
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	70	70	65	61	72	68
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(b)</b>	<b>4 133</b>	<b>1 998</b>	<b>6 086</b>	<b>2 526</b>	<b>6 840</b>	<b>2 875</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	2 004	8	2 519	4	2 597	3
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	1 537	1 962	2 754	2 458	3 340	2 830
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	593	28	812	64	903	42
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>68</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	56	2	56	2	54	3
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)	10	59	9	63	7	56
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	12	10	12	9	12	9
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>1 071</b>	<b>3 119</b>	<b>1 186</b>	<b>3 418</b>	<b>1 357</b>	<b>3 391</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)	36	741	24	743	38	632
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	118	156	118	181	146	189
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	137	129	168	139	161	152
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	431	834	488	1 077	607	1 082
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	90	255	108	268	96	264
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	9	137	17	136	28	117
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)	53	290	61	287	57	319
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	50	243	49	253	55	259
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	147	336	152	334	169	378

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	DEC QTR 1999		SEP QTR 2000		DEC QTR 2000	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>3 005</b>	<b>3 447</b>	<b>3 327</b>	<b>3 687</b>	<b>3 671</b>	<b>3 665</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	121	39	135	53	143	43
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	47	304	41	325	46	352
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	34	138	45	140	55	122
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	128	625	136	650	130	690
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	160	659	161	711	155	687
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	258	474	304	508	275	475
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	328	364	248	357	139	364
68 Non-ferrous metals(b)	1 764	214	2 091	222	2 544	218
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(b)	165	630	164	721	184	715
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>3 469</b>	<b>13 550</b>	<b>3 372</b>	<b>14 034</b>	<b>3 604</b>	<b>14 614</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	250	657	291	665	228	669
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	275	940	323	1 022	342	968
73 Metal working machinery	57	107	45	102	75	103
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)	265	1 439	293	1 384	317	1 557
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	342	1 801	356	2 298	427	2 171
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	242	1 765	457	2 237	391	2 467
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	381	1 542	410	1 736	465	1 857
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	864	3 075	884	3 813	1 048	3 887
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	793	2 223	314	777	312	934
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>1 006</b>	<b>3 968</b>	<b>1 115</b>	<b>4 526</b>	<b>1 153</b>	<b>4 452</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	17	95	24	94	23	102
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	37	284	30	321	38	335
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	3	123	3	142	4	134
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	84	602	99	887	77	731
85 Footwear(a)	16	198	18	286	18	228
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	296	641	293	661	328	677
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	228	420	318	437	259	443
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	325	1 605	329	1 699	407	1 803
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)(d)</b>	<b>2 879</b>	<b>969</b>	<b>2 601</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>2 982</b>	<b>396</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	892	10	348	22	410	10
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	21	2	24	1	24	6
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	2	—	1	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	1 214	930	1 205	228	1 165	340
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)(d)	750	27	1 022	27	1 382	39
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>24 832</b>	<b>28 839</b>	<b>28 537</b>	<b>30 324</b>	<b>31 369</b>	<b>31 376</b>

(a) Excludes export commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(c) Includes export and import commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Excludes import commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(d) Includes small value export entries which cannot yet be allocated by commodity.

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)</b>	<b>15 876</b>	<b>3 842</b>	<b>18 635</b>	<b>4 082</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	699	125	799	98
01 Meat and meat preparations	4 162	99	5 016	162
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	2 207	273	2 720	277
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	1 388	777	1 689	803
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	4 881	253	5 198	297
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	1 192	742	1 456	744
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	165	107	207	116
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	212	629	255	604
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	626	144	881	152
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	344	693	413	828
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>1 403</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>1 764</b>	<b>797</b>
11 Beverages	1 346	496	1 709	612
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	58	177	55	185
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>16 667</b>	<b>1 625</b>	<b>21 271</b>	<b>2 043</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	345	2	594	2
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	777	68	722	89
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	12	106	10	117
24 Cork and wood	697	486	873	667
25 Pulp and waste paper	30	203	51	337
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	3 974	139	4 876	148
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	413	159	453	177
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	10 163	181	13 420	233
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	256	282	273	274
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(b)</b>	<b>14 462</b>	<b>5 910</b>	<b>23 110</b>	<b>9 501</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	8 407	26	9 355	15
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	4 175	5 796	10 526	9 324
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	1 881	87	3 229	162
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>282</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	224	7	215	10
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)	50	245	41	237
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	50	34	49	35
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>3 854</b>	<b>11 767</b>	<b>4 706</b>	<b>13 314</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	159	2 557	122	2 900
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	381	660	489	745
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	523	502	619	547
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	1 482	3 211	2 014	4 002
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	332	885	373	955
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	31	748	74	730
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	232	1 041	217	1 142
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	177	900	200	974
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	537	1 263	598	1 319



Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>10 680</b>	<b>12 928</b>	<b>13 568</b>	<b>14 171</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	431	158	502	178
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	181	1 230	165	1 311
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	136	510	173	571
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	469	2 186	566	2 469
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	602	2 578	599	2 663
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	868	1 676	1 007	1 941
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	1 361	1 413	1 173	1 507
68 Non-ferrous metals(b)	5 974	793	8 723	846
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(b)	657	2 385	661	2 685
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>10 988</b>	<b>47 801</b>	<b>12 469</b>	<b>54 425</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	793	2 365	963	2 721
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	1 095	4 064	1 228	3 974
73 Metal working machinery	197	436	256	436
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)	1 028	5 355	1 113	5 579
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	1 406	7 199	1 401	8 498
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	905	5 907	1 451	8 233
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	1 299	5 896	1 498	6 768
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	2 441	12 372	3 272	14 123
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	1 823	4 208	1 287	4 093
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>3 624</b>	<b>14 517</b>	<b>4 161</b>	<b>16 459</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	77	326	84	376
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	128	894	121	1 111
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	12	382	15	455
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	333	2 573	337	3 058
85 Footwear(a)	64	783	64	904
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	1 005	2 495	1 133	2 657
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	785	1 446	1 061	1 597
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	1 221	5 617	1 347	6 300
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)(d)</b>	<b>9 015</b>	<b>2 167</b>	<b>10 478</b>	<b>1 848</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	1 805	37	1 790	57
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	99	8	82	10
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	7	6	7	2
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	4 808	2 005	4 954	1 646
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)(d)	2 296	112	3 644	134
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>86 893</b>	<b>101 517</b>	<b>110 465</b>	<b>116 920</b>

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(d) Includes small value export entries which cannot yet be allocated by commodity.

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)(b)</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>134</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	2	—	11	—	12	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	13	—	32	—	39	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	14	—	22	—	39	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	9	4	78	13	33	18
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	1	5	262	12	132	19
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	2	17	5	56	9	63
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	1	4	10	4	6	9
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	1	1	2	5	2	4
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	2	—	4	2	12	3
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	1	6	3	21	5	18
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>
11 Beverages	—	—	2	1	2	—
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	4	—	14	—	17
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>996</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1 892</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>3 093</b>	<b>53</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	51	—	62	—	136	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	6	4	216	10	306	12
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	1	—	—	—	1
24 Cork and wood	1	1	7	1	3	2
25 Pulp and waste paper	1	—	1	—	3	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	372	—	669	1	1 123	—
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	3	8	2	8	6	19
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	553	—	917	2	1 478	2
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	8	4	18	17	37	17
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>674</b>	<b>165</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	18	—	125	9	117	2
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	46	57	254	67	434	163
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	48	—	92	—	123	—
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>3</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	17	—	50	—	72	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	1	2	4	—	2
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	1	—	4	1	4	1
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>349</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	1	31	2	80	2	98
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	6	27	11	53	17	73
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	26	8	56	17	96	22
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	4	23	18	30	20	62
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	2	11	4	15	9	28
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	—	2	—	3
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	3	2	11	4	13	7
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	12	9	14	17	32	27
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	2	8	10	30	10	31



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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>1 060</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>1 464</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	5	1	14	5	21	6
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	1	21	1	53	1	78
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	7	12	10	33	15	37
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	8	30	32	52	36	89
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	8	138	16	364	30	466
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	1	61	3	162	4	219
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	7	12	39	25	33	36
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	61	26	153	60	224	107
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	3	137	14	306	10	426
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>1 587</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>2 364</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	5	20	7	31	12	67
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	6	19	37	25	45	48
73 Metal working machinery	1	7	4	15	4	23
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	24	85	30	158	54	203
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	2	167	16	408	16	672
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	14	208	30	368	29	516
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	9	240	41	452	26	676
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	—	58	14	107	3	149
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	5	1	3	23	16	10
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1 275</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>3 423</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>4 438</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	—	39	1	91	1	119
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	1	93	2	140	4	248
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	83	—	218	—	265
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1	451	2	1 526	2	1 937
85 Footwear(a)	—	136	—	411	—	495
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	13	17	27	34	36	47
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	3	72	22	109	18	167
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	9	384	16	895	24	1 160
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1 019</b>	<b>86</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	4	—	10	—	14	—
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	—	2	83	1	—	8
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	364	29	489	45	1 005	78
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>1 790</b>	<b>2 787</b>	<b>4 091</b>	<b>6 613</b>	<b>6 016</b>	<b>9 074</b>

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)</b>	<b>1 023</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3 453</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>3 949</b>	<b>61</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	2	2	12	1	13	2
01 Meat and meat preparations	470	—	1 577	1	1 753	1
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	136	—	383	—	461	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	149	3	574	14	743	20
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	23	1	273	4	201	4
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	67	1	155	2	162	2
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	8	—	25	1	31	1
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	20	6	43	4	62	10
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	137	1	360	3	490	4
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	11	4	51	14	33	17
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>4</b>
11 Beverages	13	1	38	2	63	3
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	—	—	1	—	1
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3 553</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>3 661</b>	<b>52</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	3	—	13	—	10	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	20	—	166	—	184	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	4	—	10	—	10
24 Cork and wood(a)	46	—	571	—	378	—
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	—	1	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	108	4	428	9	375	14
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	11	3	38	17	31	12
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	703	1	2 288	5	2 634	6
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	15	2	49	10	48	10
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>1 869</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4 526</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6 311</b>	<b>106</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	1 172	1	3 786	3	4 254	3
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	520	1	504	8	1 442	102
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	177	—	237	—	615	—
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	3	—	6	—	12	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	2	—	6	—	13	—
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	3	—	14	—	13	—
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>462</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	14	37	14	136	22	123
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	29	7	58	28	90	26
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	13	11	34	49	42	41
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	11	15	40	51	38	55
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	2	2	8	8	9	8
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	—	2	—	2
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	—	21	2	77	2	81
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	2	21	3	80	7	85
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	17	8	49	42	61	42

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>1 427</b>	<b>1 171</b>	<b>2 113</b>	<b>1 193</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	1	1	6	1	6	1
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	4	102	19	363	17	393
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	10	—	22	—	28	1
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	1	29	4	96	2	112
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	3	20	12	103	14	86
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	44	23	111	91	155	100
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	2	85	32	376	37	360
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	539	6	1 207	36	1 825	32
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	8	28	13	104	29	108
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>3 232</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>10 823</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>12 317</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	46	79	105	234	147	355
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	7	128	17	593	17	539
73 Metal working machinery	2	35	5	92	9	104
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	14	210	53	717	46	743
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	13	337	105	1 052	50	1 249
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	17	326	6	819	31	999
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	19	151	49	525	59	566
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	16	1 958	75	6 750	78	7 739
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	4	8	13	42	19	23
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>827</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>845</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	—	2	3	23	2	26
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	4	2	12	5	10	7
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	—	1	1	1	1
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1	3	7	10	8	10
85 Footwear(a)	—	—	—	—	2	—
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	25	40	61	152	83	161
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	4	81	15	279	15	309
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	18	94	66	357	72	330
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>1 407</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>2 884</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>4 793</b>	<b>277</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	3	—	9	4	10	3
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	6	—	9	—	13	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	1	—	1	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	103	—	306	—	365	—
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	1 295	59	2 560	228	4 404	274
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>6 119</b>	<b>3 967</b>	<b>16 707</b>	<b>13 636</b>	<b>21 847</b>	<b>15 316</b>

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>32</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	1	—	2	—	4	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	83	—	236	—	283	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	24	—	57	1	75	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	1	4	1	8	3	11
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	6	3	27	7	33	8
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	1	—	5	1	9	1
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	1	1	3	3	3	3
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	3	1	12	2	11	2
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	6	—	12	1	36	—
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	3	2	12	7	16	7
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>
11 Beverages	1	—	3	1	5	1
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1 339</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1 508</b>	<b>24</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	3	—	1	—	4	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	4	—	28	—	25	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	6	—	4	—	11
24 Cork and wood	14	—	40	—	58	—
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	5	—	5	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	78	2	296	5	349	7
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	—	—	10	—	1	1
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	317	—	958	1	1 064	2
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	1	1	2	2	3	3
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1 372</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>2 418</b>	<b>132</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	270	—	900	—	885	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	393	5	423	41	1 514	132
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	49	—	19	1
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>—</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	2	—	—	—	2	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	—	1	—	—	—
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	2	—	4	—	5	—
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>229</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	1	9	2	37	2	40
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	4	4	5	7	8	10
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	26	3	87	12	106	15
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	13	—	19	1	50	1
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	1	1	4	2	5	4
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	—	—	—	—	—	—
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	1	33	4	64	5	90
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	—	15	1	47	2	56
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	2	3	6	17	6	13

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>732</b>	<b>1 007</b>	<b>783</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	—	—	2	2	2	3
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	1	25	1	91	2	90
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	9	—	13	—	26	—
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	—	29	1	111	3	104
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	4	51	10	208	15	222
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	3	7	8	27	12	27
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	10	47	127	172	87	189
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	260	22	674	44	848	59
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	23	10	77	13	89
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>2 133</b>	<b>557</b>	<b>2 736</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	52	6	185	29	327	33
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	2	7	8	45	12	46
73 Metal working machinery	—	2	1	12	2	10
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	5	65	18	160	22	173
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	4	93	39	165	19	278
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	1	396	10	675	4	1 064
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	8	83	12	216	22	281
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	42	278	73	699	144	850
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	3	—	2	131	6	2
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>178</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	—	—	—	1	1	1
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	—	1	2	2	4	3
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	2	—	6	—	6
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1	7	1	28	2	30
85 Footwear(a)	—	6	—	15	—	20
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	7	3	12	9	17	9
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	19	5	64	15	85	18
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	6	27	14	79	23	91
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>1 779</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>2 685</b>	<b>689</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	115	—	254	—	624	—
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	—	—	1	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	224	137	592	510	981	555
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	295	32	932	103	1 079	133
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>2 338</b>	<b>1 447</b>	<b>6 280</b>	<b>3 904</b>	<b>8 975</b>	<b>4 803</b>

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)(b)</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>747</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	5	7	24	91	28	70
01 Meat and meat preparations	15	4	27	15	49	16
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	9	49	29	174	34	179
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	3	40	7	143	8	141
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	29	7	107	31	100	29
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	24	42	97	122	93	135
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	9	5	28	15	28	15
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	17	4	66	14	67	17
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	14	5	41	8	49	16
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	31	37	97	102	109	128
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>116</b>
11 Beverages	39	44	109	62	119	114
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	3	1	6	2	8	2
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>480</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	7	1	10	—	17	1
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	1	—	3	—	5	1
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	1	—	6	—	4	—
24 Cork and wood	3	50	9	206	9	266
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	42	1	66	1	132
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	2	9	5	45	6	45
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	5	1	17	4	19	3
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	4	4	15	6	12	10
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	2	6	9	21	9	22
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>324</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	1	—	2	8	3	2
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	194	69	449	265	652	319
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	3	5	1	3
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>3</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	—	1	3	1	3	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	3	—	11	1	11	1
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	1	—	2	1	2	1
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>361</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	4	5	19	7	19	13
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	11	—	42	5	38	1
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	18	3	69	11	67	11
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	66	10	261	32	263	38
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	35	24	134	110	133	89
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	2	—	4	7	9	4
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	15	4	69	18	59	23
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	17	20	58	57	59	61
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	26	49	96	110	95	122

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>1 049</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>1 025</b>	<b>1 037</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	1	8	11	30	6	31
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	7	11	29	45	32	46
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	5	19	19	90	17	100
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	76	85	268	280	296	316
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	37	42	136	173	134	169
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	25	3	101	12	95	14
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	23	19	143	78	117	81
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	46	29	179	118	164	120
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	47	33	162	115	163	162
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>2 289</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>1 794</b>	<b>687</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	14	2	64	18	58	10
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	37	18	139	77	139	68
73 Metal working machinery	6	2	35	4	30	7
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	45	43	192	161	171	178
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	110	6	371	16	400	18
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	27	6	99	33	82	28
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	95	68	295	306	328	298
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	113	11	475	63	438	46
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	106	10	620	26	147	35
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>486</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	7	2	28	9	26	10
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	9	17	47	65	31	62
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	3	1	7	4	8	4
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	27	27	133	130	115	129
85 Footwear(a)	5	7	25	34	22	30
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	33	12	121	36	130	38
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	39	1	101	3	123	3
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	125	60	410	199	429	211
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>240</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	66	—	202	1	249	1
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	—	—	1	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	1	41	8	140	6	184
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	118	13	324	77	405	54
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>1 873</b>	<b>1 140</b>	<b>6 674</b>	<b>4 108</b>	<b>6 554</b>	<b>4 483</b>

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>107</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	1	—	5	—	5	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	39	—	108	—	147	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	42	—	117	—	126	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	21	3	51	11	60	10
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	4	1	11	6	12	5
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	25	—	106	1	106	1
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	2	—	6	—	7	—
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	3	12	11	75	10	62
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	3	1	7	4	9	4
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	4	6	15	19	14	24
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>2</b>
11 Beverages	7	1	18	2	22	2
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	3	—	13	—	15	—
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>12</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	—	—	—	—	—	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	—	—	11	—	—	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	—	1	4	—	5
24 Cork and wood	—	—	2	1	2	1
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	10	—	28	—	29	—
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	1	—	3	2	4	1
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	2	—	2	3	8	2
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	1	1	3	2	3	3
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>1 935</b>	<b>623</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	2	—	—	—	5	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	654	149	444	374	1 930	621
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	2	—	1	—	2
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>16</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	1	—	2	—	4	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	2	—	14	—	12
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	—	1	1	3	1	4
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>302</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	—	8	2	71	1	49
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	1	1	2	2	4	3
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	4	18	21	17	21	55
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	18	17	54	49	69	50
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	4	5	14	13	15	18
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	1	1	1	2
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	4	14	11	49	16	55
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	2	2	8	12	7	11
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	6	19	10	41	19	58



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<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>154</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	3	—	11	—	11	—
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	4	3	10	9	10	11
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excl. furniture)(a)	—	1	3	2	2	2
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	4	10	20	26	20	40
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	5	3	17	14	18	17
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	5	2	23	8	22	7
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	6	5	43	15	31	17
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	26	7	79	11	92	24
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	10	10	42	30	36	36
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>2 714</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>1 874</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	4	5	16	15	17	12
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	22	5	77	35	74	20
73 Metal working machinery	2	1	7	5	5	5
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	18	24	75	67	74	74
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	59	257	113	1 126	175	1 134
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	9	104	21	329	27	311
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	27	76	69	236	84	288
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	8	1	23	12	39	8
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	12	4	68	890	38	23
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>429</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	1	—	5	1	5	1
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	3	1	10	4	10	5
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	—	1	1	1	1
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	2	1	8	3	8	3
85 Footwear(a)	—	—	—	1	1	1
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	10	24	51	79	37	86
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	29	4	97	16	92	18
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	18	78	57	280	58	314
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>2 049</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>2 247</b>	<b>200</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	19	—	31	—	48	—
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	2	—	5	—	3	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	541	15	1 936	66	2 063	66
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	72	39	77	99	133	134
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>1 787</b>	<b>946</b>	<b>4 081</b>	<b>4 159</b>	<b>5 906</b>	<b>3 719</b>

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>40</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	—	—	—	—	—	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	62	—	172	—	170	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	34	—	114	—	123	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	32	5	173	18	209	21
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	5	1	45	3	27	3
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	8	1	39	4	40	3
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	10	—	14	1	13	1
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	5	—	12	—	17	1
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	8	1	34	5	33	5
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	4	1	10	7	13	6
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>
11 Beverages	1	—	5	1	3	1
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	3	—	10	—	13
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>33</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	3	—	2	—	8	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	—	—	3	—	2	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	1	—	1	—	2
24 Cork and wood(a)	1	—	26	—	13	—
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	55	5	224	13	218	18
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	1	—	8	1	5	1
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	91	2	290	5	385	8
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	2	1	8	5	10	4
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1 699</b>	<b>15</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	176	—	509	—	588	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	410	—	470	7	1 111	15
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	9	—	—	—
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>2</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	5	—	32	—	24	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	—	—	—	1	—
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	2	—	8	3	9	2
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>222</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	1	4	1	17	2	31
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	3	2	13	7	13	15
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	5	1	21	5	21	5
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	32	1	63	5	114	5
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	5	7	15	26	15	21
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	—	2	1	2
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	2	18	5	52	6	59
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	1	22	5	68	4	78
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	3	2	9	6	11	7

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>1 262</b>	<b>718</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	1	1	5	4	4	4
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	—	13	3	46	1	52
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	5	1	14	6	19	5
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	4	5	9	22	17	14
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	2	39	6	196	8	170
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	3	15	9	45	7	53
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	1	21	70	65	61	99
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	340	6	837	12	1 137	17
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	2	89	6	258	7	306
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>1 591</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>1 898</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	10	7	17	30	30	32
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	3	16	9	63	10	61
73 Metal working machinery	1	10	—	32	2	34
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	7	46	27	131	45	141
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	5	244	23	858	28	1 052
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	6	48	6	105	15	168
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	6	86	15	264	18	285
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	4	46	16	105	14	117
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	1	1	1	4	2	9
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>512</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	—	10	1	32	1	35
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	—	23	2	69	1	85
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	3	—	7	—	8
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	—	7	1	25	1	26
85 Footwear(a)	—	3	—	10	—	11
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	5	9	11	29	18	31
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	3	16	29	39	10	47
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	5	78	21	214	17	269
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>869</b>	<b>69</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	5	—	23	—	14	—
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	3	—	6	1	9	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	1	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	52	—	284	—	305	—
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	128	18	369	45	541	69
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>1 573</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>4 163</b>	<b>2 989</b>	<b>5 549</b>	<b>3 524</b>

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>143</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	1	2	2	15	1	15
01 Meat and meat preparations	24	—	103	—	93	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	8	2	23	2	31	4
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	—	2	2	7	2	7
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	1	6	3	16	7	20
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	8	1	47	5	49	5
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	2	3	6	8	6	9
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	—	11	1	40	2	41
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	—	—	—	1	1	1
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	1	10	4	35	5	41
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>158</b>
11 Beverages	154	54	573	120	661	154
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	1	—	5	—	5
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>35</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	—	—	1	—	1	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	—	—	15	—	1	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	1	—	3	—	4
24 Cork and wood	2	—	5	1	6	1
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	11	2	40	16	46	13
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	1	1	3	4	4	4
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	39	2	176	16	145	5
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	2	2	8	9	9	8
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>4</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	101	—	315	—	347	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	—	1	—	4	—	4
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	3	—	5	1	11	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	—	1	1	—	1
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>1 390</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>1 454</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	1	56	2	286	1	230
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	1	5	4	20	5	18
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	1	14	6	46	8	48
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	43	207	158	749	147	854
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	4	28	11	90	14	105
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	2	—	9	—	7
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	—	9	1	37	1	37
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	2	15	6	64	7	62
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	25	8	89	13	94

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>541</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	—	1	1	3	—	3
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	7	12	24	38	25	40
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	—	1	5	3	3	3
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	—	16	4	55	6	55
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	8	20	37	86	35	82
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	5	26	15	98	23	101
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	2	19	9	72	7	67
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	53	10	313	36	198	44
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	5	35	23	142	24	146
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2 120</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>3 504</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	7	62	69	201	40	305
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	10	57	39	259	45	259
73 Metal working machinery	2	3	11	20	12	18
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	13	63	64	275	59	253
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	16	48	36	142	44	151
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	7	205	22	327	26	937
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	22	85	55	275	72	289
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	6	88	24	400	29	386
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	21	358	59	221	95	907
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>948</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	1	3	3	13	4	11
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	2	10	4	35	6	26
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	1	—	3	—	3
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	3	8	7	16	10	26
85 Footwear(a)	—	3	2	13	1	13
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	23	51	51	228	78	217
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	2	10	9	40	9	36
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	25	165	101	592	92	615
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1 218</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>1 183</b>	<b>110</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	4	2	303	5	83	10
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	—	1	1	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	32	—	598	77	404	69
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	221	8	316	33	695	29
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>1 828</b>	<b>3 738</b>	<b>5 407</b>	<b>3 753</b>	<b>6 901</b>

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)(b)</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>1 326</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>1 824</b>	<b>417</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	1	1	4	16	4	9
01 Meat and meat preparations	438	2	998	7	1 446	7
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	23	1	61	3	59	4
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	21	11	127	40	146	39
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	1	9	3	27	3	41
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	16	39	93	117	93	126
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	4	7	11	13	23	17
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	1	11	3	42	3	43
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	5	11	12	48	15	41
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	12	24	14	84	32	91
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>147</b>
11 Beverages	135	28	275	79	421	87
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	14	—	50	—	60
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>297</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	—	—	1	—	1	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	2	23	46	47	61	65
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	4	—	20	1	19
24 Cork and wood	6	7	8	35	17	34
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	13	—	24	—	35
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	15	2	55	16	72	13
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	6	8	24	32	30	30
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	49	22	82	26	146	26
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	12	15	43	80	45	76
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>1 251</b>	<b>215</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	2	—	9	—	7	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	321	52	520	197	1 244	213
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	2	2	—	3
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	1	—	2	1	4	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	—	1	2	1	1
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	—	1	2	4	2	4
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>2 797</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>3 501</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	5	162	26	558	15	900
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	25	37	52	108	91	131
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	4	28	23	108	10	107
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	129	232	121	482	201	779
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	12	93	26	284	49	312
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	—	43	—	343	—	293
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	—	70	2	208	2	242
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	3	61	11	253	13	246
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	51	140	168	455	169	490

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>938</b>	<b>1 612</b>	<b>1 169</b>	<b>1 598</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	29	1	67	5	91	4
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	3	60	42	201	22	213
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	6	8	11	43	18	47
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	5	91	10	303	25	339
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	18	61	56	244	61	229
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	52	38	131	145	174	138
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	9	27	337	82	252	95
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	183	14	194	145	424	61
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	25	126	89	444	102	472
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>736</b>	<b>3 100</b>	<b>2 043</b>	<b>11 536</b>	<b>2 376</b>	<b>12 732</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	39	331	114	1 181	138	1 215
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	60	317	199	1 255	264	1 324
73 Metal working machinery	41	14	61	66	115	75
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	63	401	146	1 470	179	1 494
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	89	458	314	1 709	263	1 754
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	45	381	64	1 006	128	1 542
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	69	370	201	1 227	218	1 447
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	226	418	550	1 107	703	1 408
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	105	410	393	2 515	367	2 473
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>3 264</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>3 485</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	1	9	4	30	3	34
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	4	20	9	50	13	62
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	5	1	11	1	16
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	12	18	43	52	55	62
85 Footwear(a)	6	3	8	14	12	15
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	87	323	303	1 188	314	1 270
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	57	87	85	445	169	416
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	84	414	148	1 474	241	1 611
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>2 002</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>2 187</b>	<b>730</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	60	5	566	16	287	22
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	5	—	30	—	19	2
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	1	5	2	1
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	1	—	49	420	2	167
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	438	129	1 356	478	1 877	538
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>3 122</b>	<b>5 712</b>	<b>8 411</b>	<b>21 140</b>	<b>10 965</b>	<b>23 128</b>

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)(b)</b>	<b>3 207</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>9 694</b>	<b>2 451</b>	<b>11 428</b>	<b>2 541</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	121	10	339	108	415	82
01 Meat and meat preparations	1 292	16	3 586	75	4 427	83
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	641	54	1 573	185	1 881	193
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	371	180	1 338	626	1 646	639
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	132	55	896	159	713	195
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	222	138	816	436	870	467
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	51	21	125	52	158	63
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	65	72	184	340	219	302
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	204	36	542	126	744	130
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	107	105	294	343	354	388
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>336</b>
11 Beverages	234	81	551	167	782	231
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	8	27	31	85	31	105
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>3 041</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>9 042</b>	<b>1 237</b>	<b>10 856</b>	<b>1 640</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	78	1	107	1	210	1
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	39	28	542	63	626	84
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	2	28	9	81	9	90
24 Cork and wood(a)	76	117	680	451	524	601
25 Pulp and waste paper	13	93	29	176	47	313
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	934	28	2 578	106	3 109	117
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	34	28	125	83	123	98
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	1 815	63	4 813	100	6 029	165
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	49	38	158	177	180	170
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>4 709</b>	<b>1 875</b>	<b>9 342</b>	<b>4 468</b>	<b>15 798</b>	<b>6 595</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	1 689	3	5 606	23	6 123	11
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	2 794	1 865	3 321	4 424	8 912	6 557
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	226	8	415	22	762	27
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>128</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	32	3	106	5	126	8
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	6	20	36	126	36	98
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	10	5	42	21	41	22
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>987</b>	<b>1 625</b>	<b>2 846</b>	<b>5 187</b>	<b>3 348</b>	<b>6 152</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	32	281	97	985	94	1 343
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	103	86	262	261	332	294
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	139	81	449	249	532	287
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	377	315	918	698	1 156	1 045
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	82	156	285	506	324	534
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	17	74	28	529	54	458
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	49	201	196	570	181	688
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	45	178	142	609	163	655
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	144	252	467	780	512	848



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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>2 756</b>	<b>2 318</b>	<b>7 943</b>	<b>8 035</b>	<b>9 961</b>	<b>8 883</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	54	17	180	61	191	64
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	31	268	132	915	111	1 003
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	50	84	115	321	154	363
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	123	370	436	1 270	526	1 343
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	113	444	404	1 670	414	1 718
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	165	252	491	869	592	1 050
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	101	248	1 078	916	865	1 008
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	1 971	133	4 594	517	6 574	533
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	148	503	512	1 497	533	1 800
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>2 316</b>	<b>10 927</b>	<b>7 288</b>	<b>35 933</b>	<b>7 900</b>	<b>40 827</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	196	490	610	1 612	820	1 844
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	233	544	772	2 236	869	2 267
73 Metal working machinery	60	73	139	238	190	267
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	252	1 031	762	3 248	836	3 461
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	360	1 969	1 187	6 644	1 197	7 784
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	170	1 937	350	4 477	558	6 139
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	307	1 315	867	4 052	1 006	4 772
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	488	3 048	1 433	9 641	1 725	11 326
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	250	518	1 169	3 783	699	2 966
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>873</b>	<b>3 355</b>	<b>2 688</b>	<b>10 559</b>	<b>3 055</b>	<b>12 280</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	16	74	54	216	59	261
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	32	268	110	643	99	855
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	3	113	10	294	12	354
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	65	594	285	2 052	295	2 543
85 Footwear(a)	13	189	41	586	42	695
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	207	461	678	1 650	740	1 793
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	205	322	618	1 051	747	1 141
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	333	1 333	893	4 067	1 061	4 638
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>5 190</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>13 727</b>	<b>3 168</b>	<b>18 467</b>	<b>3 114</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	357	6	1 304	23	1 517	30
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	19	6	53	6	54	9
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	3	5	5	1
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	1 110	324	3 929	1 864	4 382	1 525
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	3 704	389	8 437	1 270	12 510	1 548
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>23 371</b>	<b>22 069</b>	<b>63 336</b>	<b>71 443</b>	<b>81 830</b>	<b>82 496</b>

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	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)(b)</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>1 926</b>	<b>841</b>	<b>2 340</b>	<b>817</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	95	—	249	—	312	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	90	—	257	1	315	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	316	2	780	1	910	5
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	28	104	69	343	82	339
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	62	27	151	67	194	83
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	68	28	259	100	289	99
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	15	2	25	9	44	9
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	11	36	31	208	37	169
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	26	9	53	41	85	34
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	19	20	51	71	72	78
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>10</b>
11 Beverages	15	1	40	3	54	4
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	3	3	16	3	18	6
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>1 098</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>1 222</b>	<b>355</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	5	—	9	—	12	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	4	—	17	1	14	1
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	12	2	43	2	46
24 Cork and wood(a)	5	35	18	103	41	149
25 Pulp and waste paper	11	21	22	51	37	88
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	260	5	804	11	842	15
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	7	1	22	6	23	8
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	62	5	194	17	239	25
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	3	8	10	26	11	24
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>1 412</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>3 135</b>	<b>2 472</b>	<b>4 672</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	20	1	144	1	143	2
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	852	1 404	565	3 122	2 329	4 650
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	7	22	12	—	20
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>106</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	2	—	12	—	7	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	18	15	116	10	91
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	1	3	7	12	6	14
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>779</b>	<b>754</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	4	25	30	134	26	118
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	18	4	43	25	49	16
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	34	23	119	33	143	71
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	72	21	218	61	279	64
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	15	12	61	42	67	46
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	12	6	12	48	35	65
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	13	50	51	137	51	176
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	5	25	25	73	28	86
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	27	34	77	86	101	111

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>1 640</b>	<b>1 347</b>	<b>2 029</b>	<b>1 443</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	12	3	53	9	43	9
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	8	34	21	106	20	121
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	6	40	16	136	19	161
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	16	83	63	325	78	300
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	26	67	75	257	91	260
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	20	57	46	225	60	243
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	28	33	241	98	196	125
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	394	18	985	73	1 385	78
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	38	39	140	116	138	147
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>1 691</b>	<b>1 187</b>	<b>5 963</b>	<b>1 568</b>	<b>6 177</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	16	19	51	39	59	64
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	78	13	205	55	242	49
73 Metal working machinery	6	2	21	10	21	9
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	68	144	195	341	226	397
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	90	583	186	2 132	258	2 463
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	36	454	84	1 061	194	1 395
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	60	234	147	790	180	909
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	70	236	186	632	284	832
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	20	6	112	902	104	59
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>1 329</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>1 547</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	5	6	9	16	17	21
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	8	107	22	299	26	367
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	6	1	20	1	17
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	6	52	22	176	20	212
85 Footwear(a)	1	30	2	89	3	104
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	20	39	79	119	73	138
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	39	22	169	60	141	66
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	49	175	116	550	136	622
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>1 222</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>3 498</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>4 256</b>	<b>587</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	38	—	89	—	121	1
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	2	—	5	—	3	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	609	28	2 150	339	2 320	229
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	574	98	1 255	257	1 812	358
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>4 520</b>	<b>4 580</b>	<b>11 223</b>	<b>14 241</b>	<b>15 179</b>	<b>16 468</b>

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## EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Commodity—Developing Countries (DCs)

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)(b)</b>	<b>1 986</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>5 812</b>	<b>1 540</b>	<b>6 689</b>	<b>1 821</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	233	—	652	—	747	1
01 Meat and meat preparations	372	1	1 046	3	1 208	3
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	679	4	1 592	8	1 940	12
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	199	146	631	470	750	494
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	102	42	754	112	566	140
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	218	92	677	356	863	332
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	35	11	82	27	104	34
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	36	67	92	331	114	300
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	52	20	138	66	205	71
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	58	129	147	166	192	435
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>105</b>
11 Beverages	36	7	104	28	125	29
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	8	27	37	73	38	76
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>2 281</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>5 940</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>7 790</b>	<b>704</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	85	—	99	—	236	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	31	8	401	19	455	21
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	1	19	5	50	3	62
24 Cork and wood(a)	25	41	96	116	125	177
25 Pulp and waste paper	14	31	29	79	49	122
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	953	12	2 518	32	3 226	43
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	14	27	56	64	46	78
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	1 128	37	2 653	88	3 537	126
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	30	20	83	80	113	75
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>2 921</b>	<b>2 383</b>	<b>5 191</b>	<b>4 488</b>	<b>9 534</b>	<b>7 550</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	897	1	2 908	10	3 181	4
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	1 975	2 340	2 104	4 401	6 187	7 389
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	49	41	180	78	166	156
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>133</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	44	2	192	3	174	5
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	1	20	30	138	14	110
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	7	4	26	17	26	18
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>535</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>1 592</b>	<b>1 747</b>	<b>1 975</b>	<b>2 127</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	9	98	43	383	47	390
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	48	53	139	144	147	183
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	111	41	360	87	441	135
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	186	60	527	130	708	176
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	37	39	124	106	142	129
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	24	34	15	210	55	276
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	38	111	148	274	142	356
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	28	82	80	238	97	282
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	55	58	157	174	196	200

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>1 680</b>	<b>1 518</b>	<b>4 991</b>	<b>4 835</b>	<b>6 186</b>	<b>5 602</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	25	22	119	81	99	91
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	18	103	44	332	46	384
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	30	57	68	189	95	218
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	44	160	156	545	211	549
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	76	425	309	1 481	307	1 598
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	56	217	167	686	200	832
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	85	123	677	394	578	492
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	1 277	84	3 171	226	4 402	315
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	69	328	279	902	247	1 122
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>1 514</b>	<b>4 337</b>	<b>3 751</b>	<b>12 445</b>	<b>4 953</b>	<b>14 521</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	93	63	318	155	475	231
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	149	91	481	238	515	292
73 Metal working machinery(b)	13	23	56	86	55	84
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	141	378	425	940	486	1 038
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	153	1 160	420	3 855	496	4 732
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	119	1 201	232	2 398	377	3 423
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	154	753	384	2 098	460	2 572
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	654	652	1 188	1 601	1 914	2 053
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	36	16	247	1 073	174	96
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2 240</b>	<b>1 257</b>	<b>6 417</b>	<b>1 361</b>	<b>7 862</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	11	62	29	155	37	196
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	16	233	49	539	53	735
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	1	112	3	301	3	355
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	30	637	128	2 213	131	2 676
85 Footwear(a)	4	195	10	597	13	718
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	84	81	245	248	283	283
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	117	152	460	320	486	406
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	117	767	334	2 044	354	2 492
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>3 610</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>10 124</b>	<b>1 657</b>	<b>13 100</b>	<b>1 760</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	226	—	558	2	959	2
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	8	—	21	3	22	1
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	1	—	2	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	1 023	182	3 730	1 010	4 150	839
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	2 353	273	5 814	641	7 967	918
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>15 001</b>	<b>12 274</b>	<b>39 046</b>	<b>33 915</b>	<b>51 963</b>	<b>42 185</b>

(a) Excludes export commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Excludes import commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(c) Includes export and import commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

## EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Commodity—European Union (EU)

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	DEC QTR 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(a)(b)</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>853</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>748</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	1	2	3	17	4	16
01 Meat and meat preparations	61	17	214	22	202	77
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	52	19	98	73	162	69
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	9	10	42	34	35	34
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	5	26	15	75	15	78
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	22	30	111	128	113	121
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	3	11	11	44	12	40
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	1	45	3	141	4	164
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	2	3	7	7	51	9
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	3	38	11	312	14	140
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>406</b>
11 Beverages	194	120	725	314	847	365
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	12	2	46	—	40
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>2 186</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>2 655</b>	<b>191</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	16	—	48	1	49	1
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	3	—	157	1	11	1
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)(b)	—	7	—	23	1	24
24 Cork and wood	3	6	11	23	14	37
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	1	—	3	—	5
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	404	5	937	28	1 157	26
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	12	4	40	17	48	17
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	375	3	936	20	1 328	9
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	9	22	57	69	48	70
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1 329</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1 489</b>	<b>23</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	399	1	1 329	3	1 480	3
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	8	5	—	17	9	19
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	—	—	—	1
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>126</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	4	—	7	1	15	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	34	2	92	2	113
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	—	4	1	11	1	12
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>1 278</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>4 748</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>5 035</b>
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	4	222	43	1 106	12	1 024
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	20	21	48	93	77	91
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	11	47	28	182	48	178
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	158	666	350	2 116	592	2 456
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	7	95	22	344	24	378
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	—	5	—	53	—	50
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	1	56	4	229	6	212
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	4	67	18	244	15	270
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	9	99	28	381	35	375



Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	DEC QTR 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 1999		12 MONTHS ENDED DEC 2000	
	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>983</b>	<b>3 353</b>	<b>933</b>	<b>3 563</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	8	8	191	24	55	35
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	10	71	33	267	34	258
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	2	33	12	168	10	187
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	1	237	7	745	8	823
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	15	99	57	414	63	424
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	18	145	62	579	75	610
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	10	75	131	314	141	322
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	160	63	443	182	496	230
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	14	162	47	662	50	673
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>3 173</b>	<b>1 474</b>	<b>10 113</b>	<b>1 633</b>	<b>11 714</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	20	166	142	673	87	723
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	44	358	102	1 444	138	1 478
73 Metal working machinery(b)	10	25	32	157	40	132
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	32	436	134	1 790	147	1 756
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	51	173	141	485	142	624
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	48	460	74	1 186	136	1 858
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	96	419	288	1 432	339	1 523
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	19	730	87	2 539	73	2 521
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	45	407	473	406	531	1 098
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>2 956</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>3 090</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	3	23	8	95	11	95
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	3	58	9	221	10	226
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	13	1	61	2	73
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	6	44	17	158	22	168
85 Footwear(a)	1	22	4	135	3	138
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	84	190	196	743	267	755
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	9	69	27	224	31	260
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	44	384	189	1 319	180	1 375
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>2 627</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>3 016</b>	<b>506</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	12	4	319	11	107	21
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	4	—	24	2	15	1
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	2	—	1	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	34	1	598	79	407	73
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	691	118	1 683	337	2 485	412
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>3 291</b>	<b>6 696</b>	<b>10 843</b>	<b>23 121</b>	<b>12 538</b>	<b>25 402</b>

(a) Excludes export commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Excludes import commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(c) Includes export and import commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

## EXPORTS, By State(a)

State	December quarter 1999	March quarter 2000	June quarter 2000	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>Australian produce</b>	<b>23 077</b>	<b>22 591</b>	<b>25 141</b>	<b>27 065</b>	<b>29 846</b>
New South Wales	4 713	4 483	5 150	5 492	6 023
Victoria	5 357	4 738	4 871	5 260	5 965
Queensland	4 210	3 696	4 520	5 246	5 537
South Australia	1 668	1 442	1 537	1 975	1 951
Western Australia	5 985	6 654	7 420	7 202	8 227
Tasmania	543	615	633	512	699
Northern Territory	481	843	895	1 246	1 212
Australian Capital Territory	10	7	7	5	8
State not available for publication(b) (c)	111	114	108	127	224
<b>Re-exports</b>	<b>1 755</b>	<b>1 286</b>	<b>1 541</b>	<b>1 473</b>	<b>1 523</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>24 832</b>	<b>23 876</b>	<b>26 682</b>	<b>28 537</b>	<b>31 369</b>

(a) State in which the final stage of production or manufacture occurs.

(b) Includes exports which cannot yet be allocated by State. These shipments will be appropriately classified as more details become available.

(c) Exports of Alumina to Bahrain, Egypt and Iceland are excluded from the State totals and included in the 'State not available for publication' category.



## IMPORTS, By State(a)

State	<i>December quarter 1999</i>	<i>March quarter 2000</i>	<i>June quarter 2000</i>	<i>September quarter 2000</i>	<i>December quarter 2000</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
New South Wales	12 012	11 534	12 980	13 912	13 994
Victoria	8 827	8 238	8 465	9 268	9 701
Queensland	3 195	3 132	3 416	3 513	3 742
South Australia	1 097	1 090	1 144	1 217	1 230
Western Australia	2 595	2 203	2 517	2 048	2 160
Tasmania	96	105	124	136	151
Northern Territory	1 016	106	161	229	396
Australian Capital Territory	1	3	3	2	1
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>28 839</b>	<b>26 411</b>	<b>28 810</b>	<b>30 324</b>	<b>31 376</b>

(a) State in which the goods were released from Customs control. See paragraph 25 of the Explanatory Notes for further details.

## EXPORTS, By Industry of Origin (ANZSIC)

Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC) Division/Subdivision	December quarter 1999	March quarter 2000	June quarter 2000	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>A Agriculture, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>2 600</b>	<b>2 752</b>	<b>2 725</b>	<b>2 885</b>	<b>2 949</b>
01 Agriculture	2 040	2 345	2 025	2 086	2 247
02 Services to agriculture; hunting and trapping	345	181	468	560	463
03 Forestry and logging	22	18	26	22	20
04 Commercial fishing	193	207	205	217	220
<b>B Mining</b>	<b>5 469</b>	<b>5 935</b>	<b>7 076</b>	<b>7 631</b>	<b>8 519</b>
11 Coal mining	2 001	1 987	2 246	2 516	2 595
12 Oil and gas extraction	1 543	2 262	2 507	2 739	3 323
13 Metal ore mining	1 860	1 634	2 256	2 314	2 535
14 Other mining	65	52	67	61	66
<b>C Manufacturing</b>	<b>15 090</b>	<b>14 045</b>	<b>15 688</b>	<b>16 535</b>	<b>18 078</b>
21 Food, beverage and tobacco	3 451	3 131	3 662	3 869	4 380
22 Textile, clothing, footwear and leather	646	606	703	728	733
23 Wood and paper products	330	363	398	388	406
24 Printing, publishing and recorded media	136	116	117	126	151
25 Petroleum, coal, chemical and associated products	1 780	1 676	1 863	2 122	2 406
26 Non-metallic mineral products	81	74	83	93	94
27 Metal products	4 394	4 776	5 168	4 912	5 358
28 Machinery and equipment	4 060	3 125	3 516	4 075	4 311
29 Other manufacturing	211	178	180	221	239
<b>Other industries(a)(b)</b>	<b>1 673</b>	<b>1 145</b>	<b>1 193</b>	<b>1 486</b>	<b>1 822</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>24 832</b>	<b>23 876</b>	<b>26 682</b>	<b>28 537</b>	<b>31 369</b>

(a) Includes exports which cannot yet be allocated by industry of origin.

(b) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

## IMPORTS, By Industry of Origin (ANZSIC)

Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC) Division/Subdivision	December quarter 1999	March quarter 2000	June quarter 2000	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>A Agriculture, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>223</b>
01 Agriculture	179	193	164	143	161
02 Services to agriculture; hunting and trapping	3	2	4	2	1
03 Forestry and logging	2	1	1	1	2
04 Commercial fishing	61	82	82	65	59
<b>B Mining</b>	<b>1 722</b>	<b>1 293</b>	<b>1 951</b>	<b>2 080</b>	<b>2 495</b>
11 Coal mining	3	3	2	2	2
12 Oil and gas extraction	1 629	1 233	1 875	1 999	2 372
13 Metal ore mining	44	21	36	47	70
14 Other mining	45	36	38	33	50
<b>C Manufacturing</b>	<b>26 766</b>	<b>24 752</b>	<b>26 501</b>	<b>27 924</b>	<b>28 584</b>
21 Food, beverage and tobacco	1 230	1 104	1 067	1 254	1 360
22 Textile, clothing, footwear and leather	1 622	1 795	1 567	2 076	1 820
23 Wood and paper products	896	892	941	1 017	971
24 Printing, publishing and recorded media	545	471	484	510	544
25 Petroleum, coal, chemical and associated products	4 169	4 356	4 476	4 676	4 687
26 Non-metallic mineral products	360	337	369	382	355
27 Metal products	2 264	1 944	1 954	1 702	1 838
28 Machinery and equipment	14 807	13 203	14 921	15 332	15 951
29 Other manufacturing	874	650	723	975	1 057
<b>Other industries(a)</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>28 839</b>	<b>26 411</b>	<b>28 810</b>	<b>30 324</b>	<b>31 376</b>

(a) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

## EXPORTS, By Broad Economic Categories (BEC)

	December quarter 1999	March quarter 2000	June quarter 2000	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000
Broad Economic Categories	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>Food and beverages</b>	<b>4 661</b>	<b>4 759</b>	<b>4 822</b>	<b>5 182</b>	<b>5 454</b>
<i>Primary</i>	1 805	2 213	1 956	2 011	1 896
Mainly for industry	1 351	1 717	1 385	1 397	1 326
Mainly for household consumption	454	496	571	614	570
<i>Processed</i>	2 856	2 546	2 866	3 171	3 558
Mainly for industry	289	279	246	266	409
Mainly for household consumption	2 567	2 267	2 620	2 904	3 149
<b>Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified</b>	<b>9 539</b>	<b>9 400</b>	<b>11 053</b>	<b>11 111</b>	<b>12 057</b>
Primary	3 623	3 133	4 246	4 398	4 892
Processed	5 916	6 267	6 807	6 713	7 165
<b>Fuels and lubricants</b>	<b>4 134</b>	<b>4 834</b>	<b>5 349</b>	<b>6 085</b>	<b>6 833</b>
Primary	2 952	3 524	3 965	4 445	5 014
<i>Processed</i>	1 182	1 310	1 384	1 640	1 818
Motor spirit	82	110	92	142	122
Other	1 100	1 200	1 292	1 498	1 697
<b>Capital goods (except transport equipment), and parts and accessories thereof</b>	<b>1 880</b>	<b>1 672</b>	<b>1 966</b>	<b>2 204</b>	<b>2 366</b>
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	912	826	993	1 128	1 181
Parts and accessories	968	846	972	1 076	1 185
<b>Transport equipment and parts and accessories thereof</b>	<b>1 409</b>	<b>1 150</b>	<b>1 230</b>	<b>1 468</b>	<b>1 560</b>
Passenger motor cars	631	445	452	606	767
<i>Other</i>	209	231	230	213	202
Industrial	180	193	180	175	136
Non-industrial	29	39	49	38	66
Parts and accessories	569	473	549	649	592
<b>Consumer goods not elsewhere specified</b>	<b>1 035</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>1 040</b>	<b>1 087</b>	<b>1 277</b>
Durable	178	170	159	183	210
Semi-durable	246	214	253	254	316
Non-durable	611	545	628	650	751
<b>Goods not elsewhere specified(a)(b)</b>	<b>2 175</b>	<b>1 134</b>	<b>1 221</b>	<b>1 401</b>	<b>1 821</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>24 832</b>	<b>23 876</b>	<b>26 682</b>	<b>28 537</b>	<b>31 369</b>

(a) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Includes exports which cannot yet be allocated by commodity.

## IMPORTS, By Broad Economic Categories (BEC)

Broad Economic Categories	December quarter 1999	March quarter 2000	June quarter 2000	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>Food and beverages</b>	<b>1 257</b>	<b>1 138</b>	<b>1 072</b>	<b>1 246</b>	<b>1 367</b>
<i>Primary</i>	270	246	224	243	254
Mainly for industry	58	71	55	44	44
Mainly for household consumption	212	176	170	199	210
<i>Processed</i>	987	892	848	1 003	1 113
Mainly for industry	104	94	98	105	101
Mainly for household consumption	883	798	749	898	1 011
<b>Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified</b>	<b>6 977</b>	<b>6 596</b>	<b>6 729</b>	<b>6 605</b>	<b>6 664</b>
Primary	314	267	279	269	304
Processed	6 663	6 329	6 450	6 335	6 359
<b>Fuels and lubricants</b>	<b>1 965</b>	<b>1 628</b>	<b>2 386</b>	<b>2 471</b>	<b>2 832</b>
Primary	1 605	1 218	1 838	1 937	2 334
<i>Processed</i>	360	410	548	534	498
Motor spirit	20	5	15	5	6
Other	341	404	533	529	492
<b>Capital goods (except transport equipment), and parts and accessories thereof</b>	<b>8 475</b>	<b>7 515</b>	<b>8 500</b>	<b>8 774</b>	<b>8 961</b>
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	6 109	5 082	5 730	5 788	6 047
Parts and accessories	2 365	2 433	2 770	2 986	2 914
<b>Transport equipment and parts and accessories thereof</b>	<b>5 131</b>	<b>4 840</b>	<b>5 420</b>	<b>5 270</b>	<b>5 553</b>
Passenger motor cars	1 637	1 547	1 897	2 130	2 267
<i>Other</i>	1 843	1 477	1 565	1 291	1 328
Industrial	1 610	1 297	1 395	1 031	967
Non-industrial	234	180	169	260	361
Parts and accessories	1 650	1 816	1 958	1 849	1 958
<b>Consumer goods not elsewhere specified</b>	<b>4 966</b>	<b>4 557</b>	<b>4 612</b>	<b>5 855</b>	<b>5 827</b>
Durable	1 471	1 112	1 278	1 605	1 743
Semi-durable	1 805	1 780	1 645	2 200	2 113
Non-durable	1 690	1 665	1 689	2 049	1 970
<b>Goods not elsewhere specified(a)</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>171</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>28 839</b>	<b>26 411</b>	<b>28 810</b>	<b>30 324</b>	<b>31 376</b>

(a) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

## HISTORICAL EXPORTS, By Commodity

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1988–	1989–	1990–	1991–	1992–	1993–
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(c)</b>	<b>8 523</b>	<b>9 884</b>	<b>9 252</b>	<b>9 716</b>	<b>11 679</b>	<b>12 967</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	297	193	160	209	247	323
01 Meat and meat preparations	2 275	2 942	3 180	3 436	3 744	4 044
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	596	709	721	815	1 102	1 287
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	611	674	720	832	952	1 115
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(c)	2 828	3 301	2 438	2 353	2 953	3 206
05 Vegetables and fruit	537	536	628	728	872	932
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	935	1 103	948	747	1 074	1 316
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	68	68	88	97	125	166
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(c)	278	257	257	356	467	385
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	98	100	113	145	144	194
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>506</b>
11 Beverages	226	225	289	346	385	474
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	21	17	21	21	32	32
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(c)</b>	<b>14 135</b>	<b>13 537</b>	<b>13 398</b>	<b>13 617</b>	<b>13 112</b>	<b>12 917</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw	495	575	413	362	388	392
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	70	50	48	63	80	121
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	16	8	9	9	11	10
24 Cork and wood	430	396	437	444	465	519
25 Pulp and waste paper	36	25	28	7	12	16
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)	6 274	4 739	3 745	4 614	4 017	3 977
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)	232	222	263	297	369	358
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(c)	6 456	7 375	8 296	7 639	7 572	7 315
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	126	148	159	181	197	208
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>6 434</b>	<b>8 419</b>	<b>10 706</b>	<b>10 878</b>	<b>12 102</b>	<b>11 116</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	4 805	5 933	6 481	6 948	7 623	7 255
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	1 468	1 996	3 220	2 912	3 244	2 676
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	161	489	1 006	1 017	1 236	1 185
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(c)</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>207</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	103	106	118	115	156	170
42 Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated(c)	11	2	4	3	4	7
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	10	11	16	18	31	31
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(c)</b>	<b>1 076</b>	<b>1 261</b>	<b>1 377</b>	<b>1 662</b>	<b>1 996</b>	<b>2 351</b>
51 Organic chemicals(c)	93	89	113	89	88	81
52 Inorganic chemicals(c)	91	164	201	229	197	257
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	148	262	186	241	328	363
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(c)	235	270	321	456	564	701
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	94	89	124	132	172	208
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	8	10	19	14	12	19
57 Plastics in primary forms(c)	151	134	161	189	210	201
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	60	66	77	86	100	113
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	196	177	175	226	324	408

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1994- 1995	1995- 1996	1996- 1997	1997- 1998	1998- 1999	1999- 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals(c)</b>	<b>12 565</b>	<b>15 272</b>	<b>16 311</b>	<b>16 046</b>	<b>15 503</b>	<b>16 892</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	452	660	706	631	615	734
01 Meat and meat preparations	3 661	3 296	2 958	3 731	4 007	4 467
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	1 413	1 673	1 759	1 907	2 226	2 383
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(c)	1 144	1 114	1 087	1 177	1 221	1 538
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(c)	2 522	4 929	5 954	5 098	5 001	4 940
05 Vegetables and fruit(c)	873	1 008	1 147	1 133	1 142	1 305
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(c)	1 729	1 710	1 695	1 341	184	173
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	174	193	191	183	190	233
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(c)	387	458	531	540	598	750
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	209	231	283	304	318	369
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>1 059</b>	<b>1 240</b>	<b>1 572</b>
11 Beverages	508	605	715	994	1 176	1 515
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	44	43	67	65	64	57
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(c)</b>	<b>14 073</b>	<b>14 752</b>	<b>15 615</b>	<b>17 878</b>	<b>17 173</b>	<b>18 381</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(c)	487	504	505	572	393	413
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	110	206	200	375	700	809
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	12	11	10	8	9	13
24 Cork and wood	627	624	618	720	686	777
25 Pulp and waste paper	44	27	13	19	26	42
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(c)	4 595	4 065	4 619	5 105	4 076	4 299
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(c)	367	426	378	417	416	443
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(c)	7 604	8 666	9 051	10 422	10 614	11 314
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	226	223	220	241	253	272
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>11 242</b>	<b>12 591</b>	<b>13 705</b>	<b>15 401</b>	<b>14 146</b>	<b>18 083</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	6 938	7 840	8 005	9 587	9 288	8 337
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	2 949	3 188	3 805	3 846	3 131	7 145
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	1 355	1 562	1 895	1 968	1 727	2 601
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(c)</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>303</b>
41 Animal oils and fats(c)	220	197	184	230	257	212
42 Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated(c)	4	11	10	55	70	43
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	38	29	38	48	52	47
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(c)</b>	<b>2 679</b>	<b>3 015</b>	<b>3 045</b>	<b>3 298</b>	<b>3 585</b>	<b>4 195</b>
51 Organic chemicals(c)	84	87	116	137	168	128
52 Inorganic chemicals(c)	309	365	317	327	315	450
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	402	435	407	497	522	551
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(c)	771	894	979	1 144	1 333	1 715
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	258	300	296	291	301	346
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(c)	24	26	24	19	34	45
57 Plastics in primary forms(c)	283	326	297	277	243	211
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	143	159	154	161	168	193
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	405	423	455	443	502	556

HISTORICAL EXPORTS, By Commodity *continued*

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1988–	1989–	1990–	1991–	1992–	1993–
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)</b>	<b>5 845</b>	<b>6 073</b>	<b>6 404</b>	<b>6 690</b>	<b>7 341</b>	<b>7 911</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	148	167	180	221	284	368
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	64	65	65	79	108	120
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	11	23	37	63	66	92
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(a)	124	162	188	212	259	258
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	153	179	210	236	307	385
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	356	460	507	616	558	666
67 Iron and steel	492	767	981	1 144	1 211	1 496
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)	4 176	3 882	3 758	3 558	3 996	3 900
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.	321	369	477	561	551	625
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>2 780</b>	<b>3 684</b>	<b>4 630</b>	<b>5 033</b>	<b>6 415</b>	<b>7 502</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	326	428	543	610	615	586
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	340	423	517	535	695	822
73 Metal working machinery	37	69	82	84	105	92
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.	341	384	475	536	719	891
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	417	564	720	832	995	1 370
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	167	238	320	307	502	674
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)	293	363	470	595	763	968
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	420	595	847	770	989	1 074
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	440	619	657	765	1 031	1 024
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles</b>	<b>1 050</b>	<b>1 381</b>	<b>1 319</b>	<b>1 619</b>	<b>1 887</b>	<b>2 106</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	28	30	43	72	63	45
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	36	44	34	42	64	71
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	5	6	5	5	7	9
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	62	114	130	154	199	247
85 Footwear	16	24	24	30	41	61
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	199	255	276	329	395	416
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks	260	231	255	287	397	460
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	444	676	553	701	722	798
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(b)</b>	<b>3 794</b>	<b>4 479</b>	<b>4 865</b>	<b>5 309</b>	<b>5 562</b>	<b>6 965</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	147	185	174	211	219	348
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	234	283	230	300	267	253
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	1	2	1	—	1	1
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	2 491	2 872	3 672	4 023	4 315	5 269
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(b)	921	1 138	787	775	759	1 095
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>44 007</b>	<b>49 078</b>	<b>52 399</b>	<b>55 027</b>	<b>60 702</b>	<b>64 548</b>



Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1994– 1995	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)</b>	<b>9 022</b>	<b>9 844</b>	<b>9 257</b>	<b>10 541</b>	<b>10 173</b>	<b>12 328</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	515	463	470	518	450	461
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	146	157	150	169	177	170
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	98	104	103	113	124	138
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(a)	267	296	394	430	429	543
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	465	553	583	615	603	600
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	739	746	716	791	735	966
67 Iron and steel(a)	1 580	1 757	1 623	1 858	1 542	1 410
68 Non-ferrous metals	4 518	5 043	4 434	5 316	5 438	7 395
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.	694	725	785	731	675	644
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)</b>	<b>8 138</b>	<b>9 720</b>	<b>10 683</b>	<b>11 088</b>	<b>10 286</b>	<b>11 619</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	732	826	914	986	714	927
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	924	1 078	1 160	1 161	1 382	1 112
73 Metal working machinery	140	163	207	210	191	243
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)	943	1 143	1 194	1 087	1 032	1 040
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	1 589	1 903	1 627	1 725	1 459	1 312
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	541	719	648	1 091	741	1 183
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)	1 222	1 394	1 297	1 273	1 273	1 322
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	1 081	1 199	1 826	1 729	2 091	2 808
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	965	1 295	1 811	1 826	1 403	1 672
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)</b>	<b>2 314</b>	<b>2 718</b>	<b>2 827</b>	<b>3 215</b>	<b>3 510</b>	<b>3 826</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	52	76	85	89	80	77
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	77	97	97	101	110	123
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	15	14	15	13	13	13
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	304	320	356	372	352	338
85 Footwear(a)	58	66	65	55	65	64
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	442	543	613	802	931	1 061
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks	511	562	580	677	708	928
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	857	1 039	1 017	1 106	1 250	1 220
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(b)</b>	<b>6 205</b>	<b>7 208</b>	<b>6 476</b>	<b>8 909</b>	<b>9 996</b>	<b>10 088</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	413	459	517	571	1 073	2 249
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	206	145	116	137	115	89
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	1	—	1	2	5	9
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	4 699	5 545	4 717	6 263	6 335	5 031
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(b)	886	1 058	1 125	1 937	2 467	2 709
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>67 052</b>	<b>76 005</b>	<b>78 932</b>	<b>87 768</b>	<b>85 991</b>	<b>97 286</b>

(a) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes for details.

(b) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes for details.

## HISTORICAL IMPORTS, By Commodity(a)

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1988–	1989–	1990–	1991–	1992–	1993–
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>1 833</b>	<b>1 898</b>	<b>1 916</b>	<b>2 058</b>	<b>2 228</b>	<b>2 478</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	156	139	73	60	60	77
01 Meat and meat preparations	30	22	36	43	33	46
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	91	106	124	135	159	161
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	437	425	447	474	500	542
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	72	94	105	112	136	143
05 Vegetables and fruit	375	415	383	469	470	515
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	44	51	61	59	77	67
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	353	331	309	309	337	383
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)	73	69	65	90	67	102
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	202	246	313	306	389	441
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>467</b>
11 Beverages	273	304	293	281	319	332
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	92	92	103	111	119	135
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(b)</b>	<b>1 607</b>	<b>1 539</b>	<b>1 220</b>	<b>1 280</b>	<b>1 506</b>	<b>1 595</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw	12	12	10	6	5	3
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	50	27	58	61	68	81
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	114	93	77	82	104	117
24 Cork and wood	561	518	436	459	571	659
25 Pulp and waste paper	224	243	147	142	157	126
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)	179	149	132	141	144	162
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(b)	281	230	118	139	147	141
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	78	146	132	129	165	141
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	107	120	110	123	146	165
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>2 014</b>	<b>2 540</b>	<b>3 129</b>	<b>2 731</b>	<b>3 857</b>	<b>3 441</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	11	18	5	9	7	27
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	1 999	2 505	3 116	2 712	3 829	3 392
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	4	16	8	10	21	23
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(b)</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>203</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	3	2	2	2	2	3
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(b)	102	110	115	134	171	181
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.(b)	13	12	13	13	17	18
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(b)</b>	<b>4 985</b>	<b>5 235</b>	<b>5 118</b>	<b>5 575</b>	<b>6 625</b>	<b>7 045</b>
51 Organic chemicals(b)	1 160	1 071	1 004	1 095	1 402	1 615
52 Inorganic chemicals(b)	682	767	661	720	655	488
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	217	233	233	270	320	340
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	694	820	942	1 053	1 393	1 427
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	292	331	338	383	463	527
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	214	252	276	312	351	394
57 Plastics in primary forms(b)	717	650	595	602	706	741
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	444	484	439	483	562	635
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(b)	564	627	629	659	773	878

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1994–	1995–	1996–	1997–	1998–	1999–
	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>2 821</b>	<b>2 894</b>	<b>2 985</b>	<b>3 460</b>	<b>3 760</b>	<b>3 954</b>
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	101	94	103	125	122	128
01 Meat and meat preparations	47	46	67	63	73	155
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	173	193	195	219	263	267
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	609	601	604	691	745	781
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	207	166	178	219	244	266
05 Vegetables and fruit	534	590	588	623	715	736
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	86	86	85	95	106	110
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	505	504	502	651	661	610
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)	109	94	122	150	146	152
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	451	520	542	626	685	749
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>622</b>	<b>706</b>
11 Beverages	336	339	351	428	453	542
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	186	165	152	146	169	165
<b>2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(b)</b>	<b>1 794</b>	<b>1 576</b>	<b>1 487</b>	<b>1 605</b>	<b>1 611</b>	<b>1 848</b>
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw	4	2	2	2	2	3
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	133	98	95	81	62	81
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	153	155	136	123	110	108
24 Cork and wood	613	421	430	479	477	618
25 Pulp and waste paper	160	191	136	138	202	232
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)	188	175	151	145	135	151
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(b)	171	150	139	175	179	170
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	179	178	174	205	174	203
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	193	206	223	256	271	283
<b>3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(b)</b>	<b>3 668</b>	<b>4 312</b>	<b>5 164</b>	<b>4 437</b>	<b>4 621</b>	<b>7 655</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	22	18	11	24	25	21
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	3 608	4 234	5 055	4 338	4 526	7 516
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	38	59	97	75	70	117
<b>4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>277</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	3	5	8	7	8	8
42 Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated	208	241	235	229	261	232
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	20	23	23	22	27	36
<b>5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(b)</b>	<b>8 009</b>	<b>8 901</b>	<b>9 028</b>	<b>10 276</b>	<b>11 435</b>	<b>12 497</b>
51 Organic chemicals(b)	1 795	1 919	2 040	2 135	2 388	2 874
52 Inorganic chemicals(b)	639	832	700	678	752	682
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	372	385	408	453	483	518
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	1 562	1 830	1 998	2 544	3 041	3 520
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	568	609	636	750	850	915
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	535	669	703	768	785	717
57 Plastics in primary forms(b)	923	925	855	1 005	992	1 093
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	719	757	721	808	895	937
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	896	975	968	1 134	1 249	1 241

HISTORICAL IMPORTS, By Commodity(a) *continued*

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1988–	1989–	1990–	1991–	1992–	1993–
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(b)</b>	<b>7 954</b>	<b>8 219</b>	<b>7 396</b>	<b>7 884</b>	<b>8 779</b>	<b>9 445</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	151	137	121	127	134	146
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	682	750	661	748	812	954
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)	233	227	214	238	259	288
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	1 296	1 297	1 155	1 334	1 419	1 518
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(b)	1 999	1 955	1 818	2 021	2 144	2 246
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	965	1 069	958	928	1 033	1 080
67 Iron and steel	1 078	1 039	883	825	945	1 041
68 Non-ferrous metals(b)	357	396	385	380	465	498
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(b)	1 192	1 349	1 201	1 283	1 569	1 674
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(b)</b>	<b>20 623</b>	<b>23 452</b>	<b>21 687</b>	<b>21 995</b>	<b>25 911</b>	<b>28 911</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	1 126	1 384	1 259	1 292	1 605	1 690
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(b)	2 359	2 756	2 148	1 903	2 646	3 061
73 Metal working machinery	376	392	317	320	288	378
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(b)	2 518	2 977	2 716	2 718	3 110	3 638
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	3 327	3 557	3 375	3 637	4 239	4 828
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	1 717	1 805	1 737	1 981	2 347	2 538
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)	2 358	2 718	2 521	2 836	3 362	4 051
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	4 807	5 062	4 459	4 808	6 161	7 108
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	2 035	2 801	3 156	2 499	2 154	1 620
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(b)</b>	<b>6 429</b>	<b>6 880</b>	<b>6 955</b>	<b>7 768</b>	<b>8 918</b>	<b>9 798</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	125	145	139	155	177	191
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	285	338	291	320	350	396
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	190	210	215	241	270	286
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	759	908	956	1 100	1 330	1 480
85 Footwear	338	339	384	411	512	512
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	1 065	1 144	1 199	1 282	1 569	1 707
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	782	783	778	839	977	1 066
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	2 883	3 015	2 994	3 419	3 733	4 160
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>1 112</b>	<b>1 050</b>	<b>966</b>	<b>1 150</b>	<b>1 122</b>	<b>1 086</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	752	599	214	28	30	31
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	20	35	20	9	2	1
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	8	2	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	151	285	623	1 040	1 021	981
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	188	123	108	74	69	72
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>47 040</b>	<b>51 333</b>	<b>48 912</b>	<b>50 984</b>	<b>59 575</b>	<b>64 470</b>

HISTORICAL IMPORTS, By Commodity(a) *continued*

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1994–	1995–	1996–	1997–	1998–	1999–
	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(b)</b>	<b>10 908</b>	<b>11 039</b>	<b>10 724</b>	<b>12 531</b>	<b>12 855</b>	<b>13 654</b>
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	167	164	162	145	148	159
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	1 045	1 125	1 115	1 252	1 272	1 255
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)	329	317	333	408	456	568
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	1 859	1 942	1 769	1 990	2 082	2 329
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	2 454	2 359	2 284	2 521	2 588	2 632
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	1 213	1 188	1 244	1 462	1 579	1 878
67 Iron and steel(b)	1 287	1 410	1 295	1 621	1 472	1 505
68 Non-ferrous metals(b)	679	645	619	802	850	804
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(b)	1 876	1 890	1 902	2 330	2 408	2 522
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment(b)</b>	<b>35 160</b>	<b>36 458</b>	<b>36 782</b>	<b>41 908</b>	<b>45 418</b>	<b>51 442</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	1 769	1 998	1 895	2 040	2 264	2 655
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	3 792	3 924	4 043	4 244	4 234	4 153
73 Metal working machinery	573	492	608	581	497	445
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.	4 299	4 470	4 649	5 439	5 770	5 398
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	5 728	6 033	5 984	6 961	7 104	7 589
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	3 362	3 759	3 669	3 980	4 926	6 773
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(b)	4 909	5 316	4 912	5 426	5 870	6 213
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	8 678	7 980	8 579	11 300	11 904	12 784
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	2 050	2 487	2 443	1 936	2 848	5 432
<b>8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(b)</b>	<b>10 708</b>	<b>11 035</b>	<b>11 349</b>	<b>13 458</b>	<b>14 463</b>	<b>15 479</b>
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	218	221	234	287	310	359
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	444	464	532	678	797	998
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	338	362	339	357	366	410
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1 637	1 766	1 841	2 278	2 459	2 794
85 Footwear	570	574	623	708	780	848
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	1 834	1 911	1 944	2 295	2 533	2 593
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	1 206	1 258	1 252	1 378	1 418	1 516
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	4 462	4 479	4 585	5 478	5 801	5 962
<b>9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)</b>	<b>797</b>	<b>804</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>2 177</b>	<b>2 531</b>	<b>2 566</b>
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	25	28	32	42	39	42
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	2	5	9	9	6	8
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	1	—	—	7
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	710	708	590	2 006	2 351	2 397
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	59	62	80	120	134	112
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>74 619</b>	<b>77 792</b>	<b>78 998</b>	<b>90 684</b>	<b>97 611</b>	<b>110 078</b>

(a) Due to changes in Customs valuation, data from 1989–1990 are not fully comparable with data for previous periods.

(b) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. These are included in Division 98. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes for details.

(c) Includes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction. See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes for details.

## HISTORICAL EXPORTS, By Country(a)

	1988– 1989	1989– 1990	1990– 1991	1991– 1992	1992– 1993	1993– 1994	1994– 1995	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000
Country or country group	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)</b>	<b>3 875</b>	<b>5 110</b>	<b>6 388</b>	<b>7 337</b>	<b>8 780</b>	<b>9 038</b>	<b>10 439</b>	<b>11 717</b>	<b>12 257</b>	<b>11 504</b>	<b>10 416</b>	<b>12 867</b>
Brunei Darussalam	11	14	15	19	53	61	55	77	59	52	49	40
Cambodia	—	1	1	46	46	9	19	22	16	10	14	11
Indonesia	762	1 030	1 462	1 627	1 715	1 906	2 113	2 716	3 305	2 751	2 199	2 408
Laos	1	2	1	5	28	25	35	15	8	2	4	2
Malaysia	743	925	985	1 103	1 311	1 759	2 033	2 289	2 332	2 097	1 859	2 141
Myanmar	—	9	29	15	7	4	11	13	15	26	13	17
Philippines	422	470	437	513	598	699	839	1 075	1 226	1 163	1 207	1 304
Singapore	1 446	1 985	2 769	3 189	3 787	3 197	3 643	3 556	3 410	3 697	3 417	4 855
Thailand	468	591	665	816	1 205	1 278	1 560	1 779	1 693	1 390	1 306	1 703
Viet Nam	22	84	25	50	76	111	150	198	211	325	349	385
<b>European Union (EU)</b>	<b>6 385</b>	<b>7 083</b>	<b>6 608</b>	<b>7 148</b>	<b>7 341</b>	<b>7 605</b>	<b>7 498</b>	<b>8 464</b>	<b>8 171</b>	<b>10 236</b>	<b>11 629</b>	<b>12 039</b>
Austria	11	22	26	24	27	28	32	36	21	32	44	51
Belgium-Luxembourg	386	482	448	594	618	458	466	668	923	1 154	1 085	1 089
Denmark	67	79	89	95	67	63	100	117	100	205	77	140
Finland	100	84	80	114	116	117	247	335	303	295	191	371
France	981	870	774	939	850	792	794	727	799	856	914	871
Germany	1 132	1 249	1 056	1 092	991	1 006	1 083	1 152	1 058	1 243	1 409	1 245
Greece	63	48	30	46	41	25	20	34	39	61	55	102
Ireland	7	16	16	19	22	28	42	50	53	66	174	134
Italy	1 012	1 038	923	979	872	1 052	1 250	1 282	1 354	1 752	1 564	1 575
Netherlands	681	1 042	1 016	856	876	703	707	695	584	829	866	1 378
Portugal	52	48	32	28	41	26	50	48	32	31	54	41
Spain	207	221	196	286	289	268	277	292	328	514	562	714
Sweden	137	148	127	145	136	139	155	200	220	157	160	169
United Kingdom	1 548	1 736	1 796	1 930	2 394	2 901	2 275	2 829	2 357	3 040	4 473	4 158
<b>Other countries</b>												
Brazil	115	128	138	225	289	319	307	389	333	408	447	470
Canada	710	760	802	845	1 158	1 149	1 150	1 267	1 178	1 276	1 274	1 175
China	1 257	1 171	1 348	1 458	2 268	2 590	2 964	3 781	3 584	3 872	3 948	4 966
Fiji	153	203	240	246	327	325	378	479	524	526	556	591
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	1 856	1 342	1 560	2 106	2 597	2 797	2 632	3 052	3 105	4 138	3 071	3 211
India	551	588	667	754	889	865	979	1 185	1 493	1 852	1 837	1 588
Iran	334	546	477	261	371	535	237	541	925	274	450	410
Japan	11 978	12 781	14 378	14 574	15 206	15 924	16 282	16 429	15 377	17 580	16 566	18 822
Korea, Republic of	2 211	2 700	3 237	3 365	3 970	4 706	5 250	6 615	7 134	6 397	6 320	7 615
New Zealand	2 258	2 616	2 545	2 830	3 365	4 009	4 791	5 609	6 214	5 662	5 838	6 739
Papua New Guinea	789	815	779	883	855	954	933	1 048	1 272	1 152	1 014	927
Saudi Arabia	253	287	218	266	329	344	277	452	448	545	1 060	1 334
South Africa	156	112	178	226	334	350	566	776	1 014	1 093	944	1 039
Switzerland	359	712	1 256	655	302	270	286	519	237	1 097	443	319
Taiwan	1 593	1 821	1 962	2 519	2 680	2 757	3 102	3 452	3 620	4 180	4 203	4 696
Turkey	79	88	169	171	264	206	228	366	384	636	349	231
United Arab Emirates	266	274	278	329	408	417	338	542	665	1 006	835	872
United States of America	4 498	5 426	5 778	5 220	4 940	5 075	4 643	4 619	5 526	7 794	7 984	9 602
Other countries	3 899	4 015	2 707	2 977	3 159	3 495	3 198	3 954	4 857	5 751	6 213	6 407
Country unknown	1	7	6	5	1	3	—	1	1	—	1	2
International waters	—	—	—	58	188	249	—	93	—	208	125	626
Ship & aircraft stores	429	486	679	568	617	566	574	656	612	579	467	735
Unidentified	2	6	—	—	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>44 007</b>	<b>49 078</b>	<b>52 399</b>	<b>55 027</b>	<b>60 702</b>	<b>64 548</b>	<b>67 052</b>	<b>76 005</b>	<b>78 932</b>	<b>87 768</b>	<b>85 991</b>	<b>97 286</b>

(a) See paragraph 16 of the Explanatory Notes.

## HISTORICAL IMPORTS, By Country(a)

	1988– 1989	1989– 1990	1990– 1991	1991– 1992	1992– 1993	1993– 1994	1994– 1995	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000
Country or country group	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<b>Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)</b>	<b>2 837</b>	<b>2 983</b>	<b>3 484</b>	<b>4 119</b>	<b>5 018</b>	<b>5 303</b>	<b>6 418</b>	<b>7 372</b>	<b>8 300</b>	<b>10 495</b>	<b>12 367</b>	<b>15 660</b>
Brunei Darussalam	32	24	41	82	50	17	22	—	—	5	11	211
Cambodia	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	1	1	2
Indonesia	419	441	784	995	1 305	1 105	1 198	1 522	1 864	2 868	3 275	2 701
Laos	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Malaysia	687	658	732	867	974	1 103	1 421	1 636	1 891	2 404	2 845	3 765
Myanmar	1	1	5	4	11	11	8	7	9	13	12	17
Philippines	165	150	129	143	177	188	259	260	282	418	405	457
Singapore	1 090	1 213	1 271	1 301	1 509	1 792	2 246	2 613	2 620	2 643	2 944	4 359
Thailand	420	479	505	647	756	794	970	1 005	1 201	1 480	1 902	2 422
Viet Nam	21	17	18	79	237	291	295	329	433	664	972	1 726
<b>European Union (EU)</b>	<b>12 156</b>	<b>12 732</b>	<b>11 951</b>	<b>11 685</b>	<b>13 258</b>	<b>14 582</b>	<b>18 218</b>	<b>19 388</b>	<b>19 666</b>	<b>21 824</b>	<b>23 327</b>	<b>24 340</b>
Austria	178	189	203	210	226	223	279	313	423	458	474	484
Belgium-Luxembourg	403	433	380	387	512	541	686	755	760	739	662	737
Denmark	202	251	207	230	274	300	340	336	383	399	459	542
Finland	352	311	303	322	415	463	635	684	606	686	601	668
France	1 267	1 166	1 233	1 336	1 481	1 542	1 754	1 867	1 980	2 029	2 202	2 228
Germany	2 970	3 443	3 115	3 007	3 383	3 759	4 861	4 862	4 558	5 207	6 082	5 791
Greece	77	68	45	49	51	52	63	78	95	91	101	97
Ireland	171	186	199	193	255	296	432	448	498	830	1 000	937
Italy	1 374	1 635	1 390	1 229	1 349	1 617	2 026	2 231	2 304	2 614	2 916	3 043
Netherlands	601	520	550	588	624	664	712	702	817	847	917	990
Portugal	58	61	52	59	63	66	81	94	106	121	141	168
Spain	208	219	204	179	218	288	484	519	458	652	653	659
Sweden	841	896	767	793	1 013	1 072	1 426	1 617	1 497	1 557	1 575	1 646
United Kingdom	3 454	3 356	3 302	3 102	3 395	3 698	4 439	4 882	5 182	5 593	5 545	6 350
<b>Other countries</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>441</b>
Brazil	1 067	1 228	902	849	984	1 055	1 278	1 557	1 265	1 436	1 547	1 848
Canada	1 026	1 241	1 503	1 976	2 557	3 120	3 649	4 010	4 203	5 303	6 106	7 515
China	99	93	90	101	130	163	185	235	264	307	349	356
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	888	847	741	792	796	801	923	970	900	1 031	1 228	1 280
India	247	278	260	288	362	427	532	549	577	687	666	714
Iran	10	11	10	14	14	16	21	22	26	25	27	29
Japan	9 757	9 872	8 849	9 290	11 139	11 700	12 777	10 816	10 241	12 660	13 587	14 110
Korea, Republic of	1 262	1 254	1 254	1 213	1 696	1 882	2 028	2 293	2 550	3 767	3 894	4 311
New Zealand	1 970	2 173	2 150	2 399	2 785	3 201	3 554	3 591	3 685	3 723	3 950	4 372
Papua New Guinea	105	235	584	953	1 254	1 296	1 125	1 220	1 091	768	781	1 353
Saudi Arabia	458	676	843	643	812	593	750	874	858	648	532	1 002
South Africa	98	119	99	114	192	268	302	433	424	582	537	749
Switzerland	497	567	664	580	721	818	991	966	895	950	1 092	1 279
Taiwan	1 920	1 946	1 752	1 979	2 213	2 362	2 570	2 585	2 522	2 809	2 978	3 244
Turkey	32	55	32	46	39	45	58	73	74	112	114	134
United Arab Emirates	396	452	419	469	698	617	627	475	800	492	201	401
United States of America	10 129	12 373	11 475	11 743	13 004	14 017	16 044	17 545	17 642	19 834	20 893	23 135
Other countries	1 638	1 825	1 512	1 382	1 534	1 815	2 082	2 326	2 617	2 809	3 032	3 586
Country unknown	19	21	21	35	40	32	31	46	47	57	61	219
International waters	—	—	—	—	1	8	4	—	—	—	—	—
Unidentified	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total trade</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

(a) Due to changes in Customs valuation, data from 1989–1990 are not fully comparable with data for previous periods.



## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### INTRODUCTION

**1** This publication contains quarterly statistics of Australia's merchandise trade with its major trading partners and selected country groups.

**2** The merchandise export and import statistics in this publication are compiled in broad agreement with the United Nations' recommendations for the compilation of international trade statistics. The paragraphs below briefly describe the concepts and methods used in their compilation.

### RELATIONSHIP TO BALANCE OF PAYMENTS STATISTICS

**3** The basic source of balance of payments data on goods exports and imports is 'international merchandise trade statistics'. However, because of conceptual differences, various coverage, timing and (imports only) valuation adjustments are necessary before international trade statistics can be put on a balance of payments basis. For more information on the relationship between international merchandise trade statistics and balance of payments statistics on merchandise trade see Chapter 6 of *Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia: Concepts, Sources and Methods* (Cat. no. 5331.0).

### SOURCE OF DATA

**4** International merchandise trade statistics are compiled by the Australian Bureau of Statistics from information submitted by exporters and importers or their agents to the Australian Customs Service (Customs).

### SCOPE

**5** Merchandise trade covers all movable goods which add to (imports) or subtract from (exports) the stock of material resources in Australia.

Excluded are:

- direct transit trade, i.e. goods being trans-shipped or moved through Australia for purposes of transport only;
- ships and aircraft moving through Australia while engaged in the transport of passengers or goods between Australia and other countries; and
- non-merchandise goods, consisting primarily of goods moving on a temporary basis (e.g. mobile equipment; goods under repair; goods for exhibition; and passengers' effects).

### COVERAGE

**6** The United Nations' recommendations for the compilation of merchandise trade statistics recognise that the basic source used by most compiling countries—the customs record—will not be able to capture certain transactions. In Australia the following types of goods which fall within the scope of merchandise trade, are excluded because customs entries are not required:

- migrants' and passengers' effects exported or imported; and
- parcel post exports for values not exceeding \$2 000 and parcel post imports for values not exceeding \$1 000.

For exports only:

- fish and other sea products landed abroad directly from the high seas by Australian ships; and
- individual transaction lines (within an export consignment) where the value of the goods is less than \$500.

For imports only:

- bunkers, aviation fuel and stores supplied abroad to Australian ships and aircraft; and
- From July 1998 individual transaction lines (within a formally entered import consignment) where the value of goods is less than \$250 are not processed by ABS and are excluded from import statistics.



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COVERAGE <i>continued</i>	<p>In addition, although merchandise trade statistics should include illegal transactions, such as smuggled goods, these transactions are omitted as there is no practical way to collect this information.</p>
BASIS OF COMPILATION	<p><b>7</b> The merchandise trade statistics in this publication are recorded on a general trade basis, i.e. exports include both Australian produce and re-exports, and imports comprise goods entered directly for home consumption together with goods imported into bonded warehouses.</p> <p><b>8</b> Australian produce is defined as goods, materials or articles which have been produced or manufactured in Australia. Processing and assembly operations that leave imported components and products essentially unchanged are not considered as production or manufacture.</p> <p><b>9</b> Re-exports are defined as goods, materials or articles originally imported into Australia which are exported in the same condition or after undergoing minor operations (e.g. blending, packaging, bottling, cleaning, husking and shelling) which leave them essentially unchanged. Information on re-exports is shown in Table 25.</p>
STATISTICAL PERIOD	<p><b>10</b> Exports are recorded in the calendar month in which the goods departed from Australia.</p> <p><b>11</b> Imports are generally recorded statistically in the calendar month in which the import entries are finalised by the Customs. Import entries may be lodged early and finalised prior to arrival, or their finalisation may be delayed because of the various validation checks carried out by Customs. Currently, approximately 85% of total import trade by value shown for a particular month reflects shipments which arrived in that month, while approximately 10% reflects shipments which arrived during the previous month with the remaining 5% by value arriving in earlier or later months. For individual commodities these percentages may vary considerably.</p> <p><b>12</b> Occasionally significant delays occur in the lodgement, rather than processing, of import entries. In rare circumstances, and only when the affected entries are for significant values, they are recorded statistically in the month that they should have been lodged and finalised.</p>
VALUATION	<p><b>13</b> The value of exports is the free on board (f.o.b.) transactions value of the goods expressed in Australian dollars. Goods shipped on consignment are initially valued at the f.o.b. Australian port of shipment equivalent of the current price offering for similar goods of Australian origin in the principal markets of the country to which the goods are despatched for sale. Exporters who do not know the value of the goods at shipment, and enter an approximate value, must subsequently submit an entry either confirming or revising the estimated return.</p> <p><b>14</b> The value of imports is the Australian Customs Value. Goods are valued at the point of containerisation (in most cases) or the port of shipment, or at the customs frontier of the exporting country, whichever comes first.</p>

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### COUNTRY

**15** For the purposes of international merchandise trade statistics, a country is defined as a geographical entity which trades, or has the potential to trade, with Australia in accordance with Customs provisions.

**16** For exports, 'country' refers to the country to which the goods were consigned at the time of export. Where the country of consignment is not known at the time of export, and where it is impossible to determine the destination, goods are recorded as 'Destination Unknown'. Tables 7 and 33 which show exports by country also include the item "Ship and aircraft stores". "Ship and aircraft stores" comprise fuel, food and other goods loaded onto foreign owned vessels and aircraft to be consumed during international journeys.

**17** For imports, 'country' refers to the country of origin of the goods, which is defined as the country of production for Customs purposes. Where the country of origin is not known at the time of import and where it is impossible to determine the origin, goods are recorded as 'Origin Unknown'. Goods reported with country of origin 'Australia' (i.e. goods of Australian origin exported and subsequently re-imported) are shown as country 'Australia (Re-imports)' and are included in the Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation country group.

**18** Wherever possible, statistics for countries and country groups for all time periods included in this publication reflect the composition of those countries and country groups on the last day of the reference period of this publication. Thus, after the German Democratic Republic and the German Federal Republic were reunited, statistics for all periods both before and after re-unification refer to the combined entity (called Germany in country classified statistics).

**19** However, in the case of a country that breaks into a number of component entities, it is not possible to provide data for earlier periods for the new entities. For example, from October 1991, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania are each separately identified in the statistics, but for earlier periods trade data for these three republics are included indistinguishably in data for the USSR.

**20** The country groups shown in this publication are selected economic groups with which Australia trades, namely:

Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC);

Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN);

Developing Countries (DCs);

European Union (EU).

**21** A list of the countries included in each of the above groups is shown in the Appendix. Country groups may not be mutually exclusive e.g. Indonesia is included in APEC, ASEAN and as a Developing Country. The countries that belong to more than one group are identified with a footnote in the Appendix.

**22** More details on the composition of countries identified in these statistics are available from the *Classification Manager* on Canberra (02) 6252 5409.

### COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION

**23** Commodity export and import statistics in Tables 9 to 24 of this publication are presented according to the codes and descriptions of the third revision of the United Nations' *Standard International Trade Classification* (SITC Rev3) which came into effect in January 1988. The ABS has added dummy codes to take account of Australia's treatment of gold coin, whether or not legal tender, and other legal tender coin and confidential items.

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STATE	<p><b>24</b> State information for exports presented in Table 25 refers to the State in which the final stage of production or manufacture occurs.</p> <p><b>25</b> State information for imports presented in Table 26 refers to the State where imported goods were released from Customs control, also called the State of final destination. The State of final destination is not necessarily the State in which the port of discharge of the goods is located. Goods can be forwarded interstate after discharge either under Customs control or not, but are recorded as being imported into the State where they are released by Customs.</p>
INDUSTRY OF ORIGIN	<p><b>26</b> Export and import statistics classified by subdivisions of the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC) are shown in Tables 27 and 28. The statistics are compiled by allocating statistical items of the Australian Harmonized Export Commodity Classification (AHECC) and the Harmonized Customs Tariff to the ANZSIC industry of origin based upon the primary activities of those industries with which the commodities are primarily associated. A full description of ANZSIC classes is contained in the publication <i>Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification, 1993 Edition</i> (Cat. no. 1292.0).</p>
BROAD ECONOMIC CATEGORIES	<p><b>27</b> Merchandise trade in Tables 29 and 30 are classified according to the categories of the United Nations' <i>Classification By Broad Economic Categories</i> (BEC). The BEC classifies international merchandise trade statistics for the purposes of general economic analysis according to the main end use of the commodities traded. The statistics are compiled by allocating the statistical items of the AHECC and the Harmonized Customs Tariff to the appropriate BEC.</p>
CONFIDENTIALITY	<p><b>28</b> Restrictions are placed on the release of statistics for certain commodities for reasons of confidentiality. These restrictions do not affect total export and import figures, but they can affect statistics at all levels in country and commodity tables. For information on the confidentiality restrictions and their impact upon the statistics in this publication, analysts should refer to the feature article on <i>Data Confidentiality</i> in the December 1999 issue.</p> <p><b>29</b> More information on the treatment of confidential data in international merchandise trade statistics can be obtained from the Information Paper, <i>International Merchandise Trade Statistics, Australia: Data Confidentiality</i> (Cat. no. 5487.0), or the Confidentiality Manager on 02 6252 5409. Copies of the current Confidential Commodities List (CCL), can be obtained from the Confidentiality Manager or from the ABS Website &lt;URL:<a href="http://www.abs.gov.au">http://www.abs.gov.au</a>&gt;, see Publications, 54 International Trade, 5487.0 – Information Paper: Appendix B: Confidential Commodities List and Explanatory notes.</p>
RELIABILITY	<p><b>30</b> Statistics for recent periods should be considered preliminary. Revisions to previously published data frequently occur due to continuing data quality checks.</p>

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**35** Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

### SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

**36** The following symbols and abbreviations are used in this publication:

- nil or rounded to zero
- n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
- n.e.s. not elsewhere specified
- . . not applicable

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## MAJOR COUNTRY GROUPS

### Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC)

Australia  
Brunei Darussalam(a)  
Canada  
Chile(a)  
China(a)  
Hong Kong (SAR of China)(a)  
Indonesia(a)(b)  
Japan  
Korea, Republic of(a)  
Malaysia(a)  
Mexico(a)  
New Zealand  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru(a)  
Philippines(a)  
Russian Federation  
Singapore(a)  
Taiwan(a)  
Thailand(a)  
United States of America  
Viet Nam(a)

### Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN)

Brunei Darussalam(a)  
Indonesia(a)(b)  
Laos(a)  
Malaysia(a)  
Myanmar(a)  
Philippines(a)  
Singapore(a)  
Thailand(a)  
Viet Nam(a)

### Developing Countries (DCs)(c)

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
American Samoa  
Angola  
Anguilla  
Antigua and Barbuda  
Argentina  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belize  
Benin  
Bermuda  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia and Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
British Indian Ocean Territory  
British Virgin Islands  
Brunei Darussalam(a)  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Cape Verde  
Cayman Islands  
Central African Republic  
Chad  
Chile(a)  
China(a)  
Colombia  
Comoros, Republic of

### Developing Countries (DCs)(c) *continued*

Congo  
Cook Islands  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Republic  
Democratic Republic of Congo, Zaire  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Republic  
Ecuador(a)  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia  
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)  
Fiji  
French Polynesia  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Ghana  
Gibraltar  
Grenada  
Guam  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hong Kong (SAR of China)(a)  
Hungary  
India  
Indonesia(a)(b)  
Iran  
Iraq  
Israel  
Jamaica  
Johnston Islands  
Jordan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, People's Democratic Republic of  
Korea, Republic of(a)  
Kuwait  
Laos(a)  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Macau (SAR of China)  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia(a)  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marianas, Northern  
Marshall Islands  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico(a)  
Micronesia, Fed States of  
Midway Islands  
Mongolia  
Montserrat  
Morocco  
Mozambique

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## MAJOR COUNTRY GROUPS

### Developing countries (DCs)(c) *continued*

Myanmar(a)  
Nauru  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands Antilles  
New Caledonia  
Nicaragua  
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St Christopher and Nevis  
St Helena  
St Lucia  
St Pierre and Miquelon  
St Vincent and the Grenadines  
Samoa  
Sao Tome and Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore(a)  
Slovak Republic  
Slovenia  
Solomon Islands  
Somalia  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Syria  
Taiwan(a)  
Tanzania  
Thailand(a)  
Togo  
Tokelau  
Tonga  
Trinidad and Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turks and Caicos Islands  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
United Arab Emirates  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Viet Nam(a)  
Virgin Islands of the United States  
Wake Island  
Wallis and Futuna Islands  
Yemen  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### European Union (EU)

Austria  
Belgium-Luxembourg(d)  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Ireland  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom

(a) Also included in other country groups.

(b) Indonesia totals include East Timor.

(c) Developing Countries as defined in Schedule 1 of the Harmonized Tariff (includes Forum Island Countries, Developing Countries and places treated as Developing Countries). Excludes Papua New Guinea.

(d) Combined totals as unable to separate.

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